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Schedule of Masses

Saturday Evenings (*School*) ----- 4:00 pm

Sundays (*Church*) ----- 8:00, 10:00 am, 12:00 & 6:00 pm

Weekdays (*Church*) ----- 9:00 am

Fridays (*Church*) Eucharistic Adoration ----- 7:00 pm

Vigil of Holy Days (*Church*) ----- 7:30 pm

Holy Days (*Church*) ----- 9:00 am & 7:30 pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays (*School*) from 3:00 to 3:45 pm; also by appointment with one of the priests.

Sacraments of...

Baptism, Confirmation, Anointing of the Sick & Marriage

Information about these Sacraments is printed in the parish bulletin regularly. Please refer to it each week.

THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

READINGS FOR SUNDAY

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First Reading: Sirach 35:12-14, 16-18

God is just and does not show favoritism, but hears the prayers of everyone. Anyone who serves God, no matter how lowly his position here on earth, will be heard and answered.

Second Reading: 2 Timothy 4:6- 8, 16-18

Paul writes to Timothy that he thinks his mission is near the end, and he is glad his faith is still strong. Paul hopes that all nations will hear the gospel. But, if he is executed as he anticipates, he is sure he will live forever in heaven.

Gospel: Luke 18:9-14

Jesus tells a parable about a Pharisee who went to the temple, and offered up a prayer of thanks because he was not a sinner like the tax collector who was also there to pray. The tax collector was far more humble, acknowledging his sins, and asking forgiveness for them. Jesus said the tax collector's prayer would be heard because, "Everyone who exalts himself will be humbled, while he who humbles himself will be exalted."

READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY

The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed (All Souls' Day)

Is 25:6, 7-9; Rom. 6:3-9; Jn 6:37-40



SATURDAY, OCTOBER 25, 2025

9:00am Raphaella D'Apuzzo-Macchione .. Brochin Family
4:00pm Brian C. McCabe, Jr. Family

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 26, 2025 30th Sunday OT

8:00am For the People of the Parish
10:00am John Garland LaCava Family
12:00pm Grace Capaudella..... Carl Ciacchio & Family
6:00pm Dominick & Lillian Delvecchio
..... Delvecchio Family

MONDAY, OCTOBER 27, 2025

9:00am Vincent Gerardi Marie Gerardi

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 28, 2025

9:00am Raymond Sr. and Barbara Uszacki
..... Uszacki Family

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 29, 2025

9:00am Raphaella D'Apuzzo-Macchione
..... Carrington Family

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 30, 2025

9:00am Marty Petroski Tom & Larry Pristavec

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 31, 2025

9:00am Giuseppe Santoro Balzano Family

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 1, 2025

9:00am George Lauve..... Addy & Arnie Manipella
4:00pm Maria DeCicco Donna Tomasino

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 2025..... All Souls' Day

8:00am For the People of the Parish
10:00am Jennie Dana McComiskey Family
12:00pm Raymond Sr. & Barbara Uszacki .. Uszacki Family
6:00pm Ronald Silletto Carmine & Suzanne Bruno

MASS CELEBRANTS

SAT., OCT. 25 th	MASS	SAT., NOV. 1 st
Fr. Marius	4pm	Fr. Rob
SUN., OCT. 26 th	MASS	SUN., NOV. 2 nd
Fr. Steve	8am	Fr. Marius
Fr. Marius	10am	Fr. Marius
Fr. Marius	12pm	Fr. Rob
Fr. Steve	6pm	Fr. Rob

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

SAT., OCT. 25 th	MASS	SAT., NOV. 1 st
Diane Dell'Accio	4pm	Joseph Giambalvo
SUN., OCT. 26 th	MASS	SUN., NOV. 2 nd
Frank Mavica	8am	Geralyn Whalen
Lucille Taugher	10am	Pasquale Maffeo
Carmela Fanelli	12pm	William Bradley
Joe DiBella	6pm	Gemma Angilletta

LECTORS

SAT., OCT. 25 th	MASS	SAT., NOV. 1 st
Jack Argiros	4pm	Maureen Murphy
SUN., OCT. 26 th	MASS	SUN., NOV. 2 nd
Elizabeth Basile	8am	Peter Razzano
Maureen Murphy	10am	Toni Maffeo
Ananias Capistrano	12pm	Michael Cavaliere
Lucia Ferlazzo	6pm	Jack Argiros

ALTAR SERVERS

SAT., OCT. 25 th	MASS	SAT., NOV. 1 st
Victoria Rizzi	4pm	Isabella Barretta Victoria Rizzi
SUN., OCT. 26 th	MASS	SUN., NOV. 2 nd
John Mavica	8am	Elizabeth Daniels
Frankie Mavica		
Christopher Friedhoff	10am	Lia Andriulli Carmine Oddo
Kaitlyn Lombardo		Christopher Friedhoff
Isabella Fanelli	12pm	Sabrina Gabriel
Luciana Fanelli		
Alexa Insogna	6pm	John Kruk
Ava Insogna		

FUNERAL

The parish family of St. Patrick's extends our sincere condolences to the family of **Theresa Benedetto**, who died this past week.

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Joseph Butler, Joanne Clemente, Joseph Curulli, Camille Halle, Kaitlyn O'Brien, Anthony Prano, Charles & Pat Regan, Donald Saccomanno, & Marie Yacovello.

SEVEN DAY VOTIVE CANDLES

<i>In Honor Of</i>	<i>Intended For</i>	<i>Requested By</i>
HOLY FAMILY	Barbara Martin	Ustler Family
ST. PATRICK	Robert E. McFeeley	Ustler Family
ST. ANTHONY	Louis Rasso	LaCava Family

REQUIREMENTS FOR MARRIAGE

The Sacrament of Matrimony is an image of God's love and commitment to us. Couples should make arrangements with a priest at least six months prior to the ceremony. The date of the ceremony should be finalized with the church prior to making any other arrangements.

MARRIAGE BANNS

Banns 1st Time

Matthew Cantore & Jessica Schianodicola

Banns 3rd Time

Thomas DellaBella & Stephanie Marino



PLEASE HELP US HELP THE POOR

Last Sunday the parishioners donated a total of **\$24.00**.

REQUIREMENTS FOR BAPTISM

The Sacrament of Baptism is administered in the Church every third Sunday at **1:15 pm**. Once you have chosen a date and contacted the Parish Office, parents are required to attend a Baptism Class. Please call the Parish Office for the date of the next class.

NEW MEMBERS OF OUR PARISH

We wish to welcome new members to our Parish. The following children received the Sacrament of Baptism.

Luca John Cilenti, Anthony Wilson Cruz, Lia Paige Florio, Angelina Gabriele, Alivia James Lucchesi, Santino O'Connell, Lorenzo Anthony Passalacqua and Tristan Daniel Torres. Congratulations and welcome to St. Patrick's!

SECOND COLLECTION

Thank you for your contribution to **World Mission Sunday**. Please keep the Pope's missions in your prayers and thank you for your generosity for the Society for the Propagation of the Faith, which supports many vulnerable communities around the world.



FEAST OF THE WEEK All Souls' Day, November 2nd

The All Souls Remembrance Mass will take place on **November 1st at 4:00 PM** in the school for all those who were buried from St. Patrick's this past year. During the month of November Masses will be offered for the dead of our Parish and for those whose names have been submitted to us in the All Souls envelope. Please list the names of the deceased on the back of the envelope.

Normally we remember the anniversaries of the death of people we know and loved. We might bring flowers or plants to their graves as signs of our continuing love and prayers. We often save pictures and mementos of our loved ones. Somehow, we know that death can separate us only for a while.

On this Feast of All Souls and throughout the entire month of November, we recall our deceased relatives, friends and all the faithful departed who may yet be waiting for the full joy of heaven. Christians have always prayed for those who have died. Anniversaries of death have been regarded as "birthdays" to a new life. In the eleventh century, St. Odilo who was an abbot at Cluny, required that the monasteries pray for all the dead on the day after All Saints Day. Soon the custom spread. Let us remember in our prayers today all who died particularly those of our Parish who died during the last year: *Regina Tomasetti, Ernest Calardo, Robert Bellach, Timothy O'Connell, Anthony DeAlbero, Catherine Afircano, George Orlando, Ronald Pascocello, Daniel Muccino, John Garland, Carmela Schiano, Richard Polanish, Frank Pantano, Adele DeVivo, Magdalen Sobczynski, Frank Auletti, David Spitale, Elizabeth Zimmerman, Salvatore Matarazzo, Florence Callahan, Mary Paone, Michael Romano, Anthony Ciavattoni, Joan Dragonetti, James Patrick Gaglione, Josephine Falcone, Rosalie Robertson, Frank Zagarino, Elizabeth Kimura, Gladys Diran, Thomas Ferranola, John M. McNamara, Patricia Errichiello, Susan Adone, Sr. Rose Lynch, SSD, Joseph Serrantelli, Anna Catello, Antonietta Nuara, Gerald Sapio, Patricia Giambrone, Anne Eileen Murphy, Louise M. Razzano, Rosemary Sigismondi, Patricia Slyman, Richard D'Ambrosio, Maria Sprizzo, Roland Benedetti, Sandra Maraio, Fred Carmichael, Edgar Acuna, Thomas Lostetter, Jennie M. Addalli, Eileen Schnellbacher, Anna Dietrich, Donald M. Hyland, Roseann Lekso, Joseph T. Aloji, Ralph D'Angelo, Anthony Palumbo, Steven Kay, Rose Bruno, Rosaria Anzollitto, Sandra McDonough, Florence Carini, Louise Vergo, Kathleen O'Hanlon, Dolores Marshall, Carmela Cook, Dennis Oliva, John A. Domo, Rose Krause, Amelia Salierno, Ellen Mitchell.*

MEETINGS OF THE WEEK



SUNDAY, OCTOBER 26, 2025

Basketball 9am-12pm Gym
AA Sunday 11am-12:15pm Pristavec Cafeteria

MONDAY, OCTOBER 27, 2025

Cheerleading 2:30-4:45pm Gym
Choir 2:30-3:30pm Auditorium
Basketball 5-10pm Gym
Al-Anon 7:30-8:30pm Pristavec Cafeteria

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 28, 2025

Cheerleading 2:30-4:30pm Gym
Rel. Ed Classes 4-5:30pm Classrooms
Basketball 5-10pm Gym
Youth Ministry 6:30-8pm Pristavec Cafeteria
Bereavement 7-8pm Conference Room

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 29, 2025

Cheerleading 2:30-5pm Gym, Pristavec Cafeteria
Basketball 5-10pm Gym
Boy Scout 7-9pm Pristavec Cafeteria

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 30, 2025

Cheerleading 2:30-4:30pm Gym
Basketball 5-10pm Gym
AA Meeting 7-8pm Pristavec Cafeteria
Wedding Rehearsal 6:30pm Church

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 31, 2025

Boy Scout Cub Pack 7-9pm Pristavec Cafeteria
Eucharistic Adoration 7-8pm Church

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 1, 2025

Basketball 9am-12pm & 6-11pm Gym
Wedding 2pm Church
NA Meeting 7-8pm Pristavec Cafeteria

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 2025

Basketball 9am-12pm Gym
AA Sunday 11am-12:15pm Pristavec Cafeteria
Baptism Class 11am Church

INTERVENTION 12 STEP MEETINGS IN PRISTAVEC CAFETERIA

- AL-Anon—Monday from 7:30-8:30 PM
- AA—Thursday from 7:00-8:00 PM
- NA—Saturday from 7:00-8:00 PM
- AA—Sunday from 11:00-12:15 PM

LECTIO DIVINA, PRAYING WITH SCRIPTURE

Growing in our relationship with God is a journey that deepens when we take time to speak, listen, and simply be with Him. *Lectio Divina* (“divine reading”) is a prayerful way of entering into Scripture, allowing God’s Word to touch our hearts and inspire deeper trust. Monthly gatherings are held at St. Patrick’s Church at **7:00 PM**. No experience is needed—you’ll be guided. All are welcome on **November 20th** and **December 18th**. RSVP is appreciated but not required. For more information, visit stpatrickssi.org/lectio-divina-group

ST. PATRICK’S 50/50 RAFFLE

Don’t forget to send in your pink 50/50 Raffle envelope with \$5 for your chance to win! The envelope was included in the packet sent to your home and blank envelopes are available in the Church and School. Remember, your envelope is your ticket—please use one envelope for each \$5 chance you’d like to enter.

ST. PATRICK’S 55+ CLUB

The Senior Group meets every Wednesday from 1–4 PM in the Fr. Drumgoole Knights of Columbus Hall on Clarke Avenue. Upcoming trips include **Saturday, November 15th** to the Amish Farmers’ Market and *Annie the Musical* in Flemington, NJ (bus leaves St. Patrick’s Schoolyard at 11:30 AM; Members \$73, Non-members \$78) and **Monday, December 8th** to Wind Creek Casino, Bethlehem, PA with a \$25 casino credit and dinner at Harold’s Deli, Edison, NJ (bus leaves the K of C Hall at 9:30 AM; Members \$50, Non-members \$55). For more information, call Ed Brett at 718-987-8958.

TEEN CLUB



The Young Catholic Leaders (6th, 7th and 8th Graders) is a program designed to empower our youth in their Catholic Faith and Leadership. The group is a great way to meet new friends and learn more about your Catholic Faith! **Activities include Community Service, Social Activities, Prayer and Worship.** To join us the QR code to the top left.

COMMUNITY EVENTS

Catholic Movie Night! Join us for the film “Blessed Duns Scotus”, the Franciscan who defended Our Lady’s Immaculate Conception. Come on **Wednesday, November 5th at 7:30 PM** Atrium Stadium Cinemas, 680 Arthur Kill Rd. Tickets \$15 – limited seating! Must be purchased online only (not sold at the theater): <https://www.ticketleap.events/tickets/duns-scotus>

A Day of Retreat – The Power of God’s Word Join us at the Academy of St. Dorothy Convent (1305 Hylan Blvd) on **Saturday, November 15th** from 10:00 AM to 3:00 PM. for *A Day of Retreat* presented by Sr. Dorothy Schwarz, SSD. Registration is first-come and closes November 3rd. Call 401-318-5714 for details. Bibles will be provided. Bring a friend and discover the power of God’s Word in your life! **Staten Island Community Services Friendship Club** Annual Christmas Fair on **Saturday, December 6th, and Sunday, December 7th** from 12:00–4:00 PM at Mount Loretto Friendship Club OAC (6581 Hylan Blvd, Bldg #6) vendors, raffles, crafts, snacks, music, and photos with Santa! Proceeds support Staten Island’s Friendship Club Older Adult Centers, helping provide meals, transportation, wellness programs, and social activities for local seniors.

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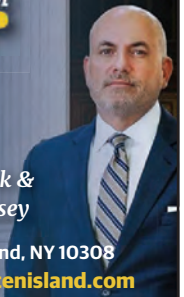
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