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# **MASS INTENTIONS**

Saturday 25 This Week We Pray for All Souls	
4:00 P.M.	Antoinette & Vincent DeCicco
	Higgins & Mahoney Families
7:30 Р.М.	Spanish Mass in Chapel
Sunday 26 Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time	
7:30 A.M.	Sr. Alice Conrad
9:00 A.M.	Claire Valeri
	Jose & Ermelinda Concalves
10:15 а.м.	People of the Parish
11:30 а.м.	Lillie Savino (Living)
	Angela Onesti Riccobono
5:30 Р.М.	Sheriff Kevin McConville
Monday 27	
Noon	Joesph Hickey
	John Vaughan
Tuesday 28 Sts. Simon & Jude	
Noon	Patricia Farrell
	Audrey & Arthur Mackiewicz
Wednesday 29	
Noon	James F. Grundman
	Cosmo, Arcangela, & Giuseppe Bucci
Thursday 30	
Noon	Lillian Holubek
	Susan McBrearty
Friday 31	
Noon	Josephine Perretti
	Antoinette Penta
Saturday November 1 All Saints' Day	
4:00 P.M.	Gina Naclerio
	Fr. Brian Fox & John Fox
Sunday 2 All Souls' Day	
7:30 A.M.	Nicole Somma/All Souls
9:00 A.M.	Giuseppe Bilotto/All Souls
	Herbert Hillery
10:15 а.м.	People of the Parish/All Souls
11:30 а.м.	Joseph & Martha Rivera
	Joanne Battiston/All Souls
5:30 Р.М.	Kate Cassidy/All Souls
	Francisco Orlando Rosello

Mass Intentions & Memorial Offerings are available.

Contact the Parish House for information.



# Pray for Our Sick.

Camille Griffin Baby Edward Bento James Smith Patricia "Pat" Flynn Hailey Place Baby Addison Intervallo Baby Gianna Perez Baby Cameron J. Ambury Baby Valentina Elizabeth Bello Russo K. A. Notholt Harry Gordon Kristine Camilleri Hugh McKenna Ian Mann Anthony Lorintino John Burke Dorothy O'Keefe Debbie DiGeronimo Gladys Grimaldi Diana Agugelo Frank Gilbreth John Garabo Mari Stanley (Child) Nancy Slattery Nina Keane

Baby Hunter Cordero Paddy Padovani Baby Ahearn, Jr. Baby Olive Guastella Sr. Mary Anne Kinsella Baby Ava Frye Isabella Cashion (child) Sheila Cremin Gary D'Adamo Jennifer Miranda Anthony F. Crist Danielle Villella Robert Priolo Derek Trzaskowski Margie Pratillo Cookie DiGeronimo Raffaele Agovino (Child) Penny Erker James Realbuto Linda McSorley Loretta Wittke John Hartnett Louis Petrulo Alex Mezo

Diana Bodolato-Lieblong

Susan Wyckoff Anne Giaimo Brother Augustine Condon, SSP Briana Mustafa

# Pray for Our Deceased



John Anderson William Pla

Geraldine Cerasuolo Frances Lambertus



### **MEMORIAL OFFERINGS**

**Bread & Wine** 

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# Pray for Our Military

Joseph Monaco USAF Scott Air Force Base Ill Julie Mundy, USCG - Bahrain Michael Sampogna, U.S. Air Force Victor Prato, 82nd Airborne Division (Army) Gregory Lorenzini U.S. Navy, Virginia Justin Maguire, LTJG U.S. Navy - Bahrain Bryan Bennett, U.S. Navy, San Diego John Christopher Tucker, Navy, Submarine Nicholas D'Uso, Marines Michael DeSandre, 1st Lieutenant, Air Force Pilot Nicholas Patrick Spadaccini, U.S. Army Nick Spiegler, U.S. Army Ryan D. Gorell LTIG USN Nurse, Africa Eric Gagne, U. S Navy Eyder Ferreira, U.S. Army John Michael Clifford, U.S. Marine Jacob DeLuca, U.S. Navy Jamie Maguire, ENS US Navy - Everett, WA Corporal Robert Firrincieli, U.S. Marines Michael E. Iadarola, Sgt. U.S. Marine in Afganistan Jack T. Hauprich, US Army Ranger Johnny Giustino, U.S. Army Dylan C. Christian, U.S. Marine Joshua Ymbras, United States Army Abraham J. Keogh, United States Army Gavin Kerr, U.S. Navy Ryan J. Christian, U.S. Air Force Christopher McNamara, Captain Ethan Martell, 1st Lieutenant, U.S. Marine Sarah Garabo, U.S. Navy Connor J. McTernan, LTJG, U.S. Navy Matthew Jacklett, U.S. Coast Guard Michael Kane, U.S. Army Francesco Buffone, U.S. Air Force Robert Mastrapole, U.S. Navy Ensign



# Banns of Marriage

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Thomas Paradise & Maria Grispin

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### Parish House Office Hours

Monday through Thursday 9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.; 2:00 p.m.-3:00 p.m. Friday by appointment 845-628-2006 • frontdesk@site.online

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### Mass Schedule

Weekdays: 12:00 noon in the chapel Saturday Evening Vigil: 4:00 p.m. Sunday: 7:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m., Polish Mass 10:15 a.m., 11:30 a.m., & 5:30 p.m.

### Confession

Weekdays after the noon Mass & Saturday at 3:00 p.m.

### Parish Staff

Fr. Szymon Kurpios, Pastor
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## **Faith Formation**

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### **OCIA**

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For more information about scheduling a baptism, please contact Kelly Vardakas, Director of Religious Education.

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# ALL SOULS NOVENA

Beginning on Thursday, November 2, nine (novena) *All Souls Novena Masses* will be offered for the repose of the souls of our dearly departed relatives and friends. **To include your loved ones in the novena, please fill out an envelope available in the church lobbies.** The envelopes will be left on the altars during the novena, and then placed by the Heart of Jesus in the Most Blessed Sacrament in the Tabernacle during the remainder of November, the Month of the Holy Souls.



# **PLEASE NOTE:**

Because All Saints' Day falls on a Saturday this year, it is not considered a Holy Day of Obligation. Please use the special envelopes mailed to you for Mass. If you need one, they are available in the Narthex. Thank you!





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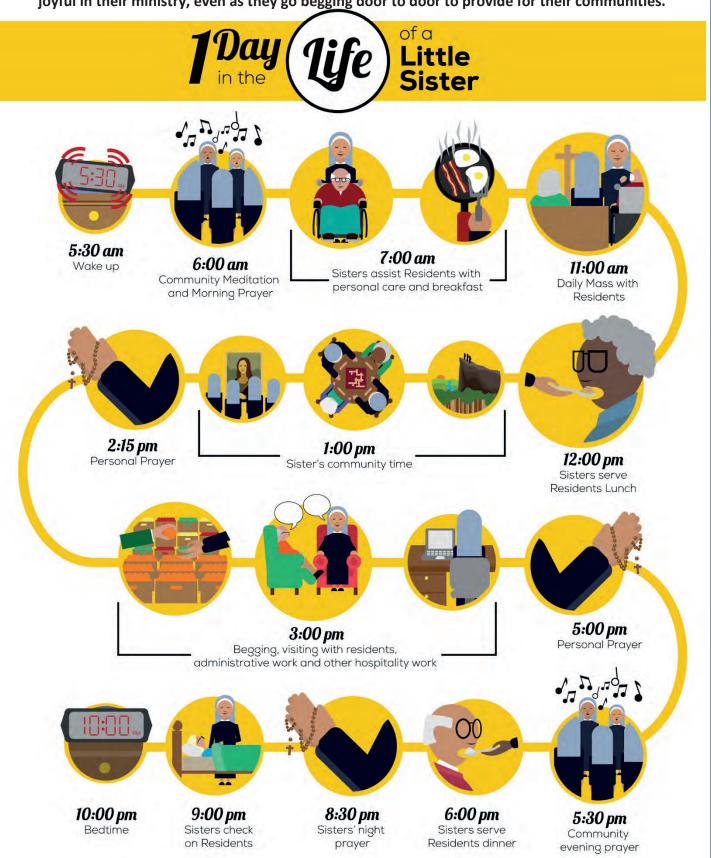
to get started. As we move into a new season, your support helps keep our parish family thriving. By setting up a recurring gift, you make it possible for our programs, liturgies, and ministries to continue serving our community with joy and strength.

Thank you for the love, generosity, and faith you share with St. John's.

Together, we can keep our parish strong this fall and beyond!

### THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME—October 26, 2025

The Little Sisters of the Poor will be visiting us this weekend. They are a group of Catholic nuns who are devoted to caring for the elderly poor. In their homes, the elderly and dying are cared for with love and dignity, as if they were Christ himself, until God calls them home. These religious women are loving and joyful in their ministry, even as they go begging door to door to provide for their communities.



# Respect Life Society

Spiritual Adoption Prayer for a 7 month unborn baby. "Jesus, Mary and Joseph, I love you very much. I beg you to spare the life of the unborn baby that I have spiritually adopted who is in danger of abortion." *Bishop Fulton J. Sheen.* From the baby: Thank you for praying for me. I am 7 months old now. I am growing every day. I'm between 14 and 17 inches long and weigh about 4 ½ lbs. I move around a lot but it's getting crowded in here! Sometimes I even get the hiccups! I can see, hear, taste, touch, yawn and even recognize my mother's voice.

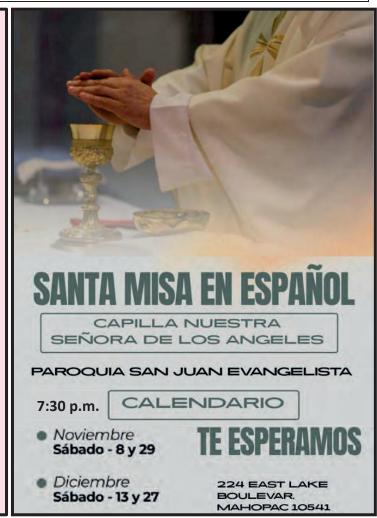


On Thursday, October 30, at 7:00 p.m., there will be a talk by Very Rev. Chris Alar, MIC at St. Joseph's Church, 95 Plum Brook Rd., Somers, NY 10589, (914)-232-2910. He is the host of the EWTN show Living Divine Mercy and will give a Divine Mercy and Human Life Presentation. Registration is \$15. Please make checks payable to St. Joseph's Church.



# St. Thérése Prayer for Peace

Precious St. Thérése, the Child of Jesus, Little Flower of Peace and Hope, help us to be the voice of hope in this world. Let our prayers for all victims of war among nations bring everlasting peace. Let our dreams for a better future for our children become a reality as we lift our voices in prayer. As you have done, let us ask Jesus for nothing but peace and infinite love; let us embrace your "Little Way." Let us work, as you did, for God's love alone, with the one purpose of pleasing Him, our source of life and center of our being. Hear our voices as we raise them together. Blessed St. Thérése, please intercede on our behalf with our Savior, to instill in the hearts of all human beings the wisdom of peace, the strength of justice, and the joy of fellowship. Amen.





# Saint Patrick's "Separated and Divorced" Support Group

Meetings are held the third Saturday of the month, 9:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m., in the Parish Center Meeting Room.

The next meetings will be
November 22, 2025
December 20, 2025
January 17, 2026
To register, please reach out to

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Joyce Schelle (914-450-8606 or
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To volunteer or learn more, please contact Maryann Walpole (845-628-2006 x104). Together, we can keep our parish grounds neat, welcoming, and ready for the seasons ahead.



# 4 THINGS TO KNOW ABOUT HALLOWEEN AS A CATHOLIC

- 1. **Halloween** has been a Christian celebration since the early 8th century. Pope Gregory III first instituted it.
- 2. "Halloween" comes from "All Hallows' Eve," referring to the night before All Hallows' Day, or All Saints' Day!
- 3. Allhallowtide is the three days of All Hallows' Eve (Halloween), All Hallows' Day (All Saints' Day), and All Souls' Day. This is a time for honoring the saints and praying for the dead.
- 4. It is possible to celebrate Halloween in a fun, safe, and doctrinally sound way!

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# **Gospel Today**

# Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time / Luke 18:9-14

Jesus told a parable about one man who thought he was better than another man. Two men were in the temple praying. The pharisee exalted himself, boasting to God of how much better he was than the tax collector. Meanwhile, the tax collector stood alone, with bowed head, and humbly prayed that God would forgive his sins.

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# Who did Jesus have mercy on and forgive?

The pharisee who thought he was without sin, or the sinful tax collector who was sorry for his sins.

Circle your answer then complete the puzzle below...

"O God, be merciful to me a sinner."

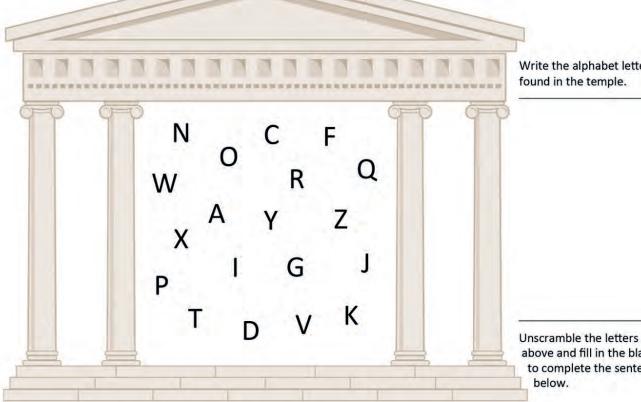
Luke 18:13

- Tax Collector -

"O God, I thank you that I am not like the rest of humanity."

Luke 18:11

- Pharisee -



Write the alphabet letters not found in the temple.

above and fill in the blanks to complete the sentence

Jesus said, I tell you, the latter (tax collector), went home justified, not the former (pharisee); for everyone who exalts

himself will be humbled, and the one who himself will be exalted."

Luke 18:14

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