

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

SUNDAY, August 18 Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Readings: Jer 38:4-6, 8-10 Heb 12:1-4 Lk 12:49-53

- 8:00 A.M. Ann Victoria Millar
- 9:30 A.M. Vito & Ottavia Silletti
- 11:00 A.M. For the People of the Parish
- 12:30 P.M. Calogero Gambino
Antonio Bruno
Angelina & Pellegrino Colletti
Gaetano Bruno

MONDAY, August 19

Readings: Jgs 2:11-19 Mt 19:16-22

- No 7:00 A.M. Mass
- 9:00 A.M. Theresa Polizio

TUESDAY, August 20

Readings: Jgs 6:11-24a Mt 19:23-30

- No 7:00 A.M. Mass
- 9:00 A.M. Give Thanks to God

WEDNESDAY, August 21

Readings: Jgs 9:6-15 Mt 20:1-16

- No 7:00 A.M. Mass
- 9:00 A.M. Rocco Senna

THURSDAY, August 22

Readings: Jgs 11:29-39a Mt 22:1-14

- No 7:00 A.M. Mass
- 9:00 A.M. Matthew Rerecich

FRIDAY, August 23

Readings: Ru 1:1, 3-6, 14b-16, 22 Mt 22:34-40

- No 7:00 A.M. Mass
- 9:00 P.M. Salvatore & Giovanna Cinquemani

SATURDAY, August 24

Readings: Rv 21:9b-14 Jn 1:45-51

- 9:00 A.M. Purgatorial Society
Mary Sucich
George Polizio
Susan Camenzuli
Anne Campanella

- 5:00 P.M. For the People of the Parish

SUNDAY, August 25 Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

Readings: Is 66:18-21 Heb 12:5-7, 11-13 Lk 13:22-30

- 8:00 A.M. Anthony D'Alleva
- 9:30 A.M. Joseph, Josephine, Charles Brucliere
- 11:00 A.M. Carmelo & Carmela Vella
- 12:30 P.M. Antonio Bruno
Michael Lentini
Michael Wildes

Sharing Our Gifts
to build God's kingdom
in Brooklyn and Queens



2013
Annual
Catholic
Appeal

**2013 ANNUAL
CATHOLIC APPEAL
RENEWING OUR
FAITH THROUGH
ACTS OF CHARITY**

THANK YOU! We have gone over our goal of \$44,615 in **PLEDGES**. Thus far \$45,493.00 has been pledged and 35,186.00 has been received. This support comes from 178 donors.

Please continue to pay off your pledges in order that all monies will be received so that our goal will be achieved.

I appreciate the tremendous sacrifices all of you have made in supporting our parish. As in the past, anything over goal comes back to our parish 100%. Also, please check to see if your company would match your donation to the appeal.



**St Francis of Assisi Pilgrimage
*In the Footsteps of Jesus***

Led by Msgr. Maresca
10-day pilgrimage to the Holy Land
December 26, 2013 – January 4, 2014

We will be visiting Sea of Galilee,
Cana, Mt. Tabor, Jerusalem
Bethlehem and many other
religious sites.

Space is still available.

Cost: \$ 2,295.00 plus \$695.00
Departure Taxes and Surcharges

Please contact Peter's Way Tours
(800) 225-7662

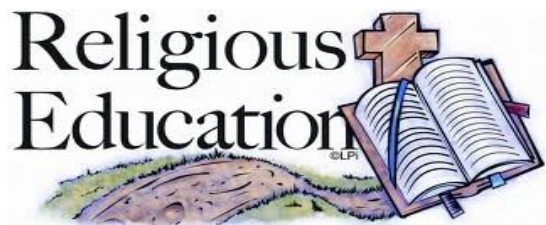
Join us on this spiritual journey that
will deepen ones spiritual life forever.



If you are interested in registering your child for the 2013-2014 school year, you can:

- E-mail Ms. Stefano on our website: principal@sfaschool.org
- Call the school office beginning on Tuesday, August 27, 2013

Please go to our website at www.sfaschool.org to view the various programs that we offer, registration documentation required, and tuition rates.



It's not too early!
Is your child going into the first grade next year? You can sign them up for Religious Education classes which begin September 22nd. Remember in order to receive First Communion your child must have two years of instructions.

Join the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

The RCIA is a process in which adults prepare themselves for the reception of the Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist) through study, discussion and discernment. Please contact the Rectory.

Want to become a Catholic? Have you been baptized but never received Confirmation or Eucharist?

Call the Rectory
(718-728-7801) for
information.



ALTAR SERVERS SCHEDULE

Please know that if you are attending a mass with no altar servers, feel free to come up and serve. Thanks.

Saturday, August 17th

5:00pm – Victoria Formoso, Samantha Dee

Sunday, August 18th

8:00am – Sophia Ortiz

9:30am – Jose Hernandez-Yepez,
John Beaufort

11:00am – no servers available

Saturday, August 24th

5:00pm – Samantha Dee

Sunday August 25th

8:00am – no servers available

9:30am – John Beaufort

11:00am – Theresa Christmas

Saturday, August 31st

5:00pm – Theresa Christmas

Sunday, September 1st

8:00am – Anthony Ronacher,
Andrew Soltesz

9:30am – Victoria Formoso, John Beaufort

11:00am – Sophia Ortiz,
Jose Hernandez-Yepez

Saturday, September 7th

5:00pm – Samantha Dee, Maya Burns,
Nicholas Nebbari

Sunday, September 8th

8:00am – Andrew Soltesz, John Beaufort

9:30am – Sophia Ortiz,
Jose Hernandez-Yepez

11:00am – Anthony Ronacher,
Theresa Christmas,
Victoria Formoso



St. Francis Blood Drive

Date: Sunday, September 15th
Time: 8:30 am - 2:30 pm
Where: church Basement

Remember to bring with you:
Photo/Signature ID.

16 yr. olds - parental permission.
76+ Dr.'s note.

EAT WELL
&
DRINK PLENTY
OF
FLUIDS

GIVE BLOOD

SAVE LIFE

St. Francis of Assisi Parish Finances

Thank you for your weekly contributions which pays our bills. Your sacrifice and generosity is much appreciated.

The Collection/Donation for the weekend:

Sunday Collection \$ 5,226.60

Just a reminder to our envelope users to please mark the amount on the outside of the envelope. It is a great help to our counters. Also, if you are not using the envelope system and would like to please call the rectory. School parents are strongly encouraged to use the envelopes.



Society of St. Vincent de Paul Gives Back!

St. Francis of Assisi should share in the profits. For each car, truck or van, running or not, The Society of St. Vincent de Paul will give back to our church \$50/100 per vehicle. Maybe you don't have a vehicle, but a family member, friend or neighbor has an old or neglected vehicle in their driveway that they would like to dispose of. Call the Society of St. Vincent de Paul at (718) 491-2525.

SUMMER COLLECTIONS

If you are going away during the summer, please consider submitting your summer offering envelopes before you leave. It is important that those monies go towards the present budget to keep it balanced. As you know our fiscal year ends August 31, 2013.

PLEASE REMEMBER

To silence or shut off all cell phones during mass.

Thank You!



Vacation Time!

When going on vacation and you need to know the nearest Catholic Church,

www.masstimes.org will assist you.

Enjoy the summer!




MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

ON SATURDAY,
SEPTEMBER 28, 2013
WE WILL HAVE OUR
FALL FESTIVAL.

COME AND ENJOY GOOD FUN,
GAMES, GIFTS, FOOD, MUSIC AND
MUCH MORE!!!!

YOUR PRESENCE SUPPORTS OUR
PARISH AND SCHOOL.



just a reminder:

THERE IS NO 7:00 AM
MASS UNTIL
SEPTEMBER 3RD.

CHURCH WILL BE
OPENED AT 8:15 AM
INSTEAD OF 6:30 AM.

FESTIVAL CHANCE BOOKS

If anyone would like to sell festival chance books over the summer please call the rectory. Thank you for your continued support of our Fall Festival.

TACHS Prep Classes - St. John's Prep - Astoria, NY

There will be TACHS Prep Classes held at St. John's Prep from Saturday, Sept. 21, 2013 - Nov. 2, 2013.

Go to:
[www.stjohnsprepschool.org/admission/TACHS Prep](http://www.stjohnsprepschool.org/admission/TACHS%20Prep) To download a paper application, to register online or to find out more information.

Please Consider Remembering St. Francis of Assisi Parish in your Will.

Memorialize Priest & Deacon Vestments

In Memory of Ralph Borgia
 Priest & Deacon Vestment (red)
 Priest Vestment (green)

In Memory of Carmela Messina
 Priest & Deacon Vestment (purple)

In Memory of Pietro Zuliani
 Priest Vestment (purple)

In Memory of Kathy M. Culkin
 Priest Vestment (red)

In Memory of Anthony D'Alleva
 Priest Vestment (white)

If there is anyone else who wishes to memorialize vestments, please contact Susan



**St. Rocco Society of Potenza
 Celebrate 124th Annual Feast**

August 18, 2013
 with a Mass at 12 Noon
 and a Procession through the streets
 Of Little Italy to follow at 1:30 p.m.

Further information, questions or comments, please feel free to call
 (212) 785-8127

**Memorials for the Week of
 August 18, 2013**



ALTAR BREAD
 For this week is donated in loving memory of
Sr. Eileen Kearns
 Requested by
Mary & Ray Loud



ALTAR WINE
 For this week is offered for
Mary Sucich
 Requested by
Lavelli Family



ALTAR CANDLES
 Are dedicated to
Eva Albertelli
 Requested by
Finerty Family



Remember in your prayers all those in our parish who are sick, that they may find health and comfort:

James Nunez, Vincent Wytak, Carol Ross, Rolondo Larrondo, Jeffrey Hyans, Josephine Costanza, Jessica St. Preux, Al Ciani, Alesha Moses, Elizabeth Quartuccia, Stephanie Stetz, Dorothy Leonard, Anthony Criscuolo, Elizabeth Quartuccia, Kathleen Newton, Samantha Fabrizi, Rosemarie Zuliani-Conroy, Nancy McCaffrey, Christopher Wojtalik, Marie Guerriero, Theresa Pacheco, William Goss.

Also remember in your prayers all the deceased of the Parish. Please remember to continue to pray for vocations to the priesthood, religious life, diaconate, and married life.

THIS WEEK

August 18 - August 24

Sunday, August 18

2nd Collection Replenish Parish Reserves

Monday, August 19

Tuesday, August 20

6:30 P.M. AA - R/B

Wednesday, August 21

Thursday, August 22

Friday, August 23

Saturday, August 24



NEXT WEEK

August 25 - August 31

Sunday, August 25

1:30 P.M. Baptisms - Church

Monday, August 26

Tuesday, August 27

6:30 P.M. AA - R/B

Wednesday, August 28

7:00 P.M. Baptism Class - R/B

Thursday, August 29

Friday, August 30

Saturday, August 31

Our Parish Calendar will be published weekly. Please submit changes or updates to chsecy@sfaschool.org

Thank you for keeping our Parish up to date!