

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

Sick List: We wish to send a Special Blessing for those people who are sick to know that by our ministry, our friendship and our help, God's love may be made real to them, let us pray to the Lord for the following; Fr. Joseph Irwin, Msgr. Howard Calkins, Joe Pastore, James Collins, Teresa Perez, Mary Salandy, Carmen Quiñones, Michael Feddeck, Sue Contento, Ester Escobar, Susan Rice, Denise Cubita, Gene Shaw, Patricia Scanlon, Patricio Baca, Mia McCaffery, Diana Oliveras, Analleli DeGante, Sr. Rose Daly, Lucile Reyes, Anne Marie Dileo, O'Donnell Joshua, Faye Bartley and Rose Veteri.

Deceased List; We wish to send our Sympathy for those who have lost a loved one, that our common faith and love may be a strong support for them, let us pray to the Lord for the deceased members in our community and our families and friends. Let us pray for the following; Anthony Servidio, Ralph Fatigate Sr., Mary Masi and Julia Verdina.

Bible Study: This year's Bible reflection will include a section of the Old Testament called the "Wisdom Writings": Proverbs, (Ecclesiastes), Sirach (Ecclesiastes), Wisdom, Job, Song of Songs, Psalms. "Wisdom" has to do with the examination of our life experience, our culture and the world around us to discern God's will leading to rights living. We will focus specifically on the Book of Proverbs as an occasion to "do wisdom in our own lives". We will meet on the **First and Third Tuesday** of each month in the Rectory at 7:30 p.m. come and join Fr. James Villa. **Started on September 6 & 20, October 4 & 18, November 1 & 15, 2016, March 7 & 21, 2017, April 4, & 18, 2017 and May 2 & 16, 2017.**

We ask God to bless all the teachers and students who are returning to school this September. We hope this will be a year of learning all the good things that will help them in life. We pray for their teachers that they receive the grace to care for their students in all situations and support each other in this very important task. We pray that all the knowledge that they learn will be shared generously with others.

Parish School of Religion Registration- Registration for new and returning students of registered parishioners of St. Mary-Our Lady of Mount Carmel will be this weekend September 10 & 11th after all the masses. Please bring a copy of your child's baptismal certificate on the day of registration. If you know anybody who wants to register their child for **PSR**, please let them know the date and times of registration.

Free ESL Classes: The Sisters of Charity are offering free evening English as a Second Language classes for all levels. **Where:** College of Mount Saint Vincent. Sisters of Charity Center, 6301 Riverdale Ave. at W. 263 St., Bronx, NY. **When:** Registration: Monday, September 19, 2016 4:30 p.m.-7:30 p.m. Classes Meet: Mondays and Wednesdays 6:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m. Classes Start: September 26 Classes End: November 21. For more information or to request flyers, please contact Eric Rosenbaum at 718-549-9200 ext. 260 or erosenbaum@scny.org. Volunteers are also needed; no prior teaching experience or second language knowledge is required. **Free parking on site. Yonkers bus #8. MTA buses BX 7 & BX10. Se habla español.**

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Mother Theresa, revered for her work with the poor in India, has been proclaimed a Saint by Pope Francis in a ceremony at the Vatican, last Sunday. Pope Francis said St. Theresa had defended the unborn, sick and abandoned, and shamed world leaders for the crimes of poverty they themselves created. Pope Francis proclaimed Mother Theresa a saint in these words “We Declare & Define, Blessed Theresa of Calcutta to be a Saint, and we enroll her among the Saints, decreeing that she is to be venerated as such by the whole church.” The Pope said Mother Theresa has spent her life “bowing down before those who were spent, left to die on the side of the road, seeing in them their God given dignity.”

September 11, 2016 will be a day of Prayer and Remembrance on the 15th Anniversary of the terrorist attack on our country. There will be a service of Prayer and Remembrance at 1:00 p.m., today September 11, 2016. All are invited to attend. If you would like to add a name to the 9/11 Memorial Scroll, please contact the Rectory.

We invite the community to participate in the event of Hispanic Food that will take place on Sunday, October 16 from 8am to 2pm. It is time to be generous offering your favorite food and participating in this great event to continue to support our Church. Special envelopes are available for monetary donations. For more information and to offer your services as a volunteer or to bring food, please call **Marlene Cardozo at 914-260-7232 / 914-261-1473 or Ramiro Martínez 914-774-0620.**

Please remember the Catholic Charismatic Prayer Meeting starts this Wednesday, September 14th, 2016 at 8:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall. All are welcome to attend.

**PARISH MINISTRIES FOR NEXT WEEKEND
September 17th & September 18th, 2016**

Time	Lectors	Eucharistic Ministers
5:00	Marybeth Courtney MaryAnn DiLiberti	Dorothy Satriale Joanne Rizzo
8:30	Joseph Barletti Lester Dixon	Mary Barletti Sherri Keith
11:30	Beth Markowitz Elissa Milan	Cheryl Madonna Brian Hunt Hugh McGahran Alison Nicholas

Greeters://Arlene Love & Rosemarie Reul

**CALENDAR FOR UPCOMING EVENTS
September 12th to September 17th**

12-Mon.	7:30 PM	<i>Grupo de Oración Central- Parish Hall</i>
13-Tues.		
14-Wed	8:00 P.M.	<i>Charismatic Prayer Meeting-Parish Hall</i>
15-Thurs		
16-Friday	7:30 PM	<i>Circulo de Oracion- (Parish Hall)</i>
17-Sat.		

**ST. MARY’S –OUR LADY OF MT. CARMEL
IS A TITHING PARISH
Tithing: God’s Plan for Giving**
Tithing: Weekend –September 4, 2016 - \$5,348.50
Weekend –September 6, 2015 - \$5,463.00

DESDE EL ESCRITORIO DEL PASTOR

Escuela Parroquial de religión- el registro de inscripción para estudiantes nuevos y estudiantes que están feligreses de Santa María -Nuestra Señora del Monte Carmelo será el fin de semana del sábado, 10 de septiembre y Domingo, 11 de septiembre, después de todas las misas. Por favor recuerde traer una copia del certificado de bautismo de su hijo o hija en el día de la inscripción. Si conoce alguien que quiere registrar a su hijo o hija para el PSR, por favor hágale saber la fecha y hora de inscripción

Pedimos a Dios que bendiga a todos los profesores y estudiantes que regresan a la escuela este mes de septiembre. Esperamos que este sea un año de aprender todas las cosas buenas que les ayudará en la vida. Rezamos por sus maestros que reciben la gracia para cuidar a sus estudiantes en todas las situaciones y apoyarse mutuamente en esta tarea tan importante. Oramos para que todos los conocimientos que aprenden será compartida con generosidad.

Clases Gratis de inglés: Las Hermanas de la Caridad están ofreciendo clases gratis de inglés de todos niveles. Sisters of Charity Center, 6301 Riverdale Ave. Con 263 St., Bronx, NY. **Registración:** miércoles, 19 de septiembre, 4:30 pm a 7:30 pm. **Días de Clase:** lunes y miércoles, de 6:00pm a 8:00pm. **Comienzan:** 26 de septiembre **Terminan:** 21 de noviembre. Para más información llame a Eric Rosenbaum, coordinador, tel:718-549-9200 ext.260, email: erosenbaum @scny.org. *Autobus # 8 de Yonkers. Autobuses # 7 y #10 del Bronx. Estacionamiento gratis. Se habla español.*

11 de septiembre de 2016 será un día de Oración y Recuerdo en el 15 aniversario del ataque terrorista en nuestro país. Habrá un servicio de Oración y Recuerdo a las 1 p.m., hoy 11 de septiembre de 2016. Todos están invitados a asistir. Si desea añadir un nombre al Memorial de desplazamiento de 9/11, por favor, póngase en contacto con la Rectoría.

Madre Teresa, venerada por su trabajo con los pobres de la India, ha sido proclamada Santa por el Papa Francisco en una ceremonia en el Vaticano, el domingo pasado. Papa Francisco dijo que Santa Teresa había defendido a los no nacidos, enfermos y abandonados, avergonzando a los líderes mundiales por los delitos de la pobreza que ellos mismos crearon. Papa Francisco proclamó a Madre Teresa en estas palabras "Declaramos y definimos, a la bendecida Teresa de Calcuta a ser una santa, y entre los Santos, decretar que ella ha de ser venerada como tal por toda la Iglesia". El Papa dijo que la madre Teresa ha pasado su vida "inclinándose ante los que estaban candados, dejados a morir en la orilla de la carretera, viendo en ellos su dignidad dada por Dios."

Invitamos a toda la comunidad a participar en el evento de la Comida Hispana que se llevara a cabo el domingo, 16 de octubre de 8 a.m.- 2 p.m. Es el momento de ser generosos ofreciendo su comida favorita y participando en este gran evento para seguir apoyando a nuestra Iglesia. Sobres especiales estarán disponibles para donaciones monetarias. Para más información y para ofrecer sus servicios como voluntario o para traer comida, por favor llame a **Marlene Cardozo at 914-260-7232/914-261-1473 y Ramiro Martínez 914-774-0620.**

