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CHAPEL OF THE SACRED HEARTS OF JESUS AND MARY  
IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK**

**THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT – 4 MARCH 2018**

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*Our Saviour and Sacred Hearts are both handicapped accessible.*

**MASS FOR THE LORD'S DAY**

Saturday (*Anticipated Mass*): 5:00 p.m. (Our Saviour)  
Sunday: 9:00 a.m. (Our Saviour),  
11:00 a.m. (Our Saviour), 12:45 p.m. (Sacred Hearts),  
3:00 p.m. Korean-English Bilingual (Sacred Hearts),  
5:00 p.m. (Our Saviour), 5:30 p.m. (Sacred Hearts)

**SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM**

For information, please call (212) 679-8166 x210.

**ANOINTING OF THE SICK**

By appointment. Please call (212) 679-8166 x210.

**DAILY MASS**

Monday-Friday: 7:45 a.m. (Our Saviour)  
Monday-Saturday: 12:05 p.m. (Our Saviour)  
Monday-Friday: 5:15 p.m. (Sacred Hearts)

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION FOR CHILDREN**

Inter-parish Program (K-8) at the Church of the Epiphany  
(212) 475-1966.

**HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION**

As announced.

**NOVENA DEVOTIONS**

*after the 12:05 p.m. Mass*

Monday: Miraculous Medal

Tuesday: St. Anthony

Wednesday: St. Jude

Thursday: St. Anne

Friday: Sacred Heart

**EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT**

Fridays after the 7:45 a.m. Mass  
until Benediction at 11:55 a.m. (Our Saviour)

**SACRAMENT OF PENANCE (CONFESSION)**

**Our Saviour:**

Monday-Friday: 7:15-7:40 a.m., 12:35-1:00 p.m.  
Saturday: 4:30-4:55 p.m.; Sunday: 10:30-10:50 a.m.

**Sacred Hearts:**

Sunday: 5:00-5:15 p.m.

**NEW PARISHIONERS**

To register, please fill out a registration form  
at the Parish Office at Our Saviour.

**AUDIO: HOMILIES AND MUSIC**

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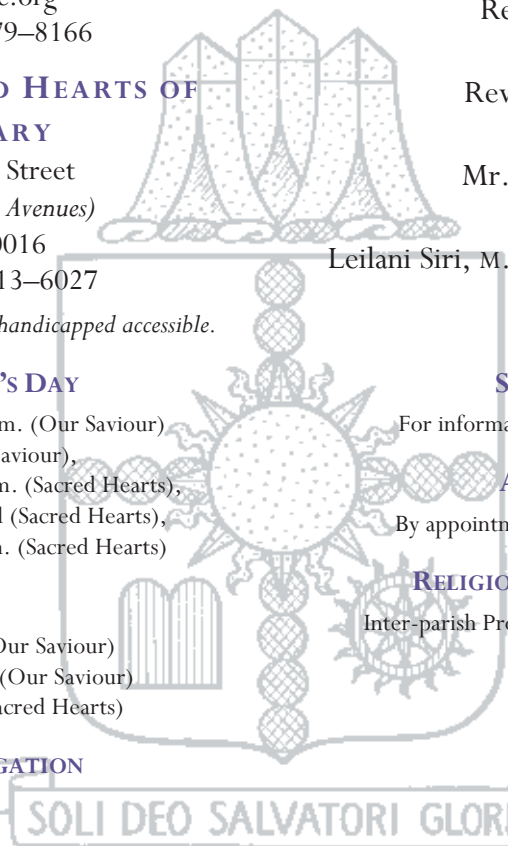
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**SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY**

Arrange at least six (6) months in advance.  
For information, please call (212) 679-8166 x220.

The Church Undercroft is available for wedding receptions,  
Christening parties, meetings, and special events.



## MASS INTENTIONS

**Sunday, 4 March** – *Third Sunday of Lent*

5:00 p.m. Mr. & Mrs. Harry J. McGuire +

9:00 a.m. John M. Ullmann +

11:00 a.m. Edmund & Wanda Moderacki +

12:45 p.m. Pro Populo

5:00 p.m. Michael Maslo +

5:30 p.m. *No Intention*

**Monday, 5 March** – *Lenten Weekday*

7:45 a.m. Maria Angelica Toro +

12:05 p.m. Giovannina Napolitano +

5:15 p.m. *No Intention*

**Tuesday, 6 March** – *Lenten Weekday*

7:45 a.m. Thomas Kegan +

12:05 p.m. Giovannina Napolitano +

5:15 p.m. *No Intention*

**Wednesday, 7 March** – *Sts. Perpetua & Felicity, Martyrs*

7:45 a.m. Giuseppe del Gaudio (L)

12:05 p.m. Giovannina Napolitano +

5:15 p.m. *No Intention*

**Thursday, 8 March** – *St. John of God, Religious*

7:45 a.m. Sheila Schmidt & Terrence O'Rourke +

12:05 p.m. Armando Leal +

5:15 p.m. Thomas Richardson +

**Friday, 9 March** – *St. Frances of Rome, Religious*

7:45 a.m. Liam Fitzgerald +

12:05 p.m. Edward Keating +

5:15 p.m. *No Intention*

**Saturday, 10 March** – *Lenten Weekday*

12:05 p.m. James J. Harrington +

*Mass Intentions may be reserved through the Parish Office at the Church of Our Saviour. Please stop by or call (212) 679-8166 x210.*

**IN YOUR PRAYERS,** please remember Bill Bako, Pat Coleine, Glenda Coriano, Francis Grealis, James Leung, Mary Mangnuson, Rose Montalvo, Loretta Mugno, Joan Murphy, Corazon Natividad, Luis Ottobre, Virginia Rodriguez, Ruayrin Sudbandthad, Mateo Tobia, Bridgette Wroten, and John Yuh, who are ill.

*Prayer intentions for the sick will be listed for one month and may be renewed by calling the parish office.*

## FROM THE HOLY FATHER'S TWITTER

**@Pontifex:** If we want a future of prosperity for all, we need to keep our compass pointing toward “true North”, in the direction of authentic values.

## WELCOME

If you are a visitor, we welcome you to the Church of Our Saviour and the Chapel of the Sacred Hearts of Jesus and Mary and hope that you will come back soon. Those who wish to join the parish may register in the Parish Office, which is located at the Church of Our Saviour.

## THE HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTION FOR MARCH

**Intention for Evangelization:** *Formation in Spiritual Discernment* – That the Church may appreciate the urgency of formation in spiritual discernment, both on the personal and communitarian levels.

## WEEKLY STEWARDSHIP

*Collections for the week ending 25 February:*

**Our Saviour:** Sunday: \$3,227 • Weekdays: \$665  
Shrines: \$808

**Sacred Hearts:** Sunday: \$1,728 • Shrines: \$390

**WeShare** (*Our Saviour and Sacred Hearts*): \$2,029

Parishioners are encouraged to make their donations online through WeShare, which is accessible via our website, <[www.oursaviournyc.org](http://www.oursaviournyc.org)>.

Please make **all** checks payable to the  
Church of Our Saviour.

To help us meet our expenses, please prayerfully consider a sacrificial offering of twenty dollars for your weekly offering to the parish.

*Thank you for your generosity!*

## ONLINE GIVING

As some of you may know, ParishPay online giving services was acquired by Liturgical Publications, Inc. in February 2017, and is now operated under the name WeShare. In order to ensure that all parishioners using WeShare (*formerly ParishPay*) are able to obtain their annual online giving statements in a timely manner, we ask that you go online and validate your contact information with WeShare. You can do this by going to the Donate link on our parish's website and follow the prompt by clicking “Verify My Account”, enter your username and the last four digits of the funding source (bank account or credit/debit card) and continue to verify your information. Thank you for your cooperation with this request.

## LENTEN REGULATIONS

The Lenten regulations include almsgiving and acts of penance. Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are days of fast and abstinence. Fridays in Lent are days of abstinence.

**ABSTINENCE** obliges those who have reached the age of 14 and continues to oblige throughout life. Abstinence prohibits the eating of meat on a particular day.

### STATIONS OF THE CROSS

#### OUR SAVIOUR

Fridays of Lent after the 12:05 p.m. Mass

#### SACRED HEARTS

Wednesdays of Lent at 12:15 p.m.

## POPE FRANCIS: FIVE YEARS IN REVIEW

You are cordially invited by *America* magazine and the American Bible Society to *Pope Francis: Five Years in Review*, a conversation between Timothy Cardinal Dolan, Archbishop of New York, and Father Matthew Malone, S.J., Editor in Chief of *America* on Wednesday, 7 March at 6:00 p.m. at the New York Athletic Club, 180 Central Park South. Business attire is required and seating is limited. RSVP to <events@americamedia.org>.

## CATHOLIC WOMEN'S GROUP

A Catholic women's group meets monthly at the Church of Our Saviour for fellowship and to discuss subjects of interest to Catholic women. Recent activities have included a guided tour of the Metropolitan Museum of Art and screening a movie about St. Rita of Cascia. The next meeting will be Thursday, 15 March at 6:00 p.m. and the subject will be "making the most of Lent." All are welcome. For more information, please contact Sarah Gallick at <SGallick@aol.com>.

## CONFESSIONS

Lent is an appropriate time to return to frequent practice of the Sacrament of Reconciliation. There are many opportunities each day to go to confession, both in our parish (*see the bulletin cover*) and in neighboring parishes. As many visitors come during Holy Week, you may wish to come in the weeks before the rush.

## SECOND COLLECTION

The Second Collection taken up this Sunday is the monthly collection of the **restoration and maintenance** of our parish buildings. Thank you for your generosity.

Next Sunday, 11 March our parish will take up **The Catholic Relief Services Collection (CRSC)**. Funds from this collection help provide food to the hungry, support to displaced refugees, and bring Christ's love and mercy to all people here at home and abroad. Next week, please give generously to the CRSC, and help Jesus in disguise. Learn more about the collection at <www.usccb.org/catholic-relief>.

## ACADEMY OF SACRED DRAMA

The Academy of Sacred Drama – the NYC based artistic and intellectual community – presents the North American premiere of Antonio Draghi's late seventeenth century *Oratorio di Giuditta*. The story depicts the Book of Judith's heroine preserving her community and faith from a tyrant. The evening includes a musical performance by acclaimed early music performers. This oratorio reading will take place on Saturday, 10 March at 7:30 p.m. at Corpus Christi Church, 529 West 121<sup>st</sup> Street (just east of Broadway). Tickets may be purchased at the door or online at <academyofsacreddrama.org>.

## DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME

Daylight Savings Time begins next Sunday, 11 March. Please remember to move your clocks *forward* one hour before going to bed on Saturday night.

## THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

The words of the Apostle Paul, which today the liturgy proposes for our meditation, resound in my mind: "We preach Christ crucified: a stumbling block to Jews and folly to Gentiles, but to those who are called, both Jews and Greeks, Christ [is] the power of God and the wisdom of God". I have nothing to propose or give to those whom I shall meet except Christ and the Good News of his Cross, a mystery of supreme love, of divine love that overcomes all human resistance and even makes forgiveness and love for one's enemies possible. This is the grace of the Gospel that is capable of transforming the world. The Church, therefore, does not pursue economic, social, or political objectives; the Church proclaims Christ, certain that the Gospel can move the hearts of all and transform them, thereby renewing people and societies from within.

– *Benedict XVI*

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