

OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE



SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 24

5:00 GUIDO & VELIA ANGELI

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 25

7:00 THANKSGIVING BY THE APOE FAMILY

8:30 ZEELA BELL

10:00 IN HONOR OF THE WEDDING ANNIVERSARY OF
KEN & DEBBIE LEIGH

11:30 PEOPLE OF THE PARISH

1:00 ROBERT JOHNSON

5:00 JOSEPHINE MEZZACAPPA

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 26

7:00 MARY SYPNIEWSKI

9:00 JENNIE SCALMATO

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 27

7:00 REV. BERNARD O'DOWD

9:00 FR. JOSEPH COLLINS

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 28

7:00 FOR THOSE IN THE ARMED FORCES

9:00 MICHELE VACHON

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 29

7:00 JOHN TORKELSON

9:00 ERIN FITZPATRICK

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 30

7:00 MSGR. ANDREW QUINN

9:00 HELEN MULLEN

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 1

9:00 MSGR. MATTHEW DEAHY

5:00 EVELYN WITTEK

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 2

7:00 MARIE D. CARNEGIE

8:30 ZEELA BELL

10:00 XUE QIANG ZHENG

11:30 PEOPLE OF THE PARISH

1:00 LEO DENTE

5:00 FOR THOSE IN THE ARMED FORCES

In the charity of your prayers, please pray for the soul of

The Victims of Hurricane Sandy

The Bread and Wine are in loving memory of Deceased Members of the Budnick and Bocignone Families requested by Nora and Richard Bocignone.

The Sanctuary Candle is in loving memory of Edger Sweeney requested by Tom and Kathy Dowd and Family.

Lectors and Eucharistic Ministers

December 1 and 2

Saturday, December 1

5:00 Frank Ponterio John Gurrieri

Sunday, December 2

7:00 Sr. Iraida

8:30 Charles Romanelli Mary Romanelli

10:00 Frank DiSalvo Maureen Driscoll

11:30 Stephen Brown Ken Wisniewski

1:00 Charles Sullivan Theresa Cunningham

5:00 Evelyn Bilotto

Sick Relatives & Friends

Susan Pellecchia, Lois Mazzitelli, Rosanne Mezzacappa, Christopher Luciano, Kathryn Brock, Patricia Repoli, Al Frezio, Meghan Clark, Youlanda Santella, Tim Campagna, Alberto Meranda, Matthew Gleason, Jerry Russo, Ethel Thomas, Ruth Irons, Ian Torello, Anna Parente, James Parente, John Lewis, Gerard Crane, Mimi Norberg, Marianne Garlan, Ruth Manieri, Dawn Meade, Lauren Lam, Rafaella Tierno, Mary Kenny, John C. Marino, Alice Longo, Spc. Bryan Camacho, Michael Rucci, Sylvia Lichtenstein, Cpl Justin Campbell, Grace Ford Seamans, Roseanne Liveo, Robert Donohue, Ottimia Paradiso, Elizabeth James Timmins, Robert Poggi, USM, Joyce Rusinak, Barbara Brennan, Venera Delamonico, Sam Pezzano, Sheila Jones, Edward B. Hanson, Franco DeGennaro, Robert Gaylord, Emily Baron, Frank Silvestri, Carol Van Manen, Robert Pepe, Christian Pepo

Wedding Banns

III Nicole Robare and Anthony Carbone

Collection for November 11

Regular \$7,153.50

All Souls \$164.00

50/50 \$580.00

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. John Walsh (env#6280) on winning the October 50/50.

The special collection this weekend is for Thanksgiving Human Development

Due to an early publication date for the bulletin, the November 18 collection will be posted next weekend.

FROM FR. MAURICE'S DESK

My name is Father Maurice MAMBA NGALAMULUME. I was born and raised in the Democratic Republic of Congo, in the center of the continent of Africa. The fourth child in my family, I have five sisters, one living brother and more than twenty nieces and nephews. Both my parents are deceased.

I attended the Seminary in my country where I was ordained a priest on July 19, 1998 for the Archdiocese of Kananga. Immediately following my ordination, I was appointed Diocesan Chancellor/Administrative Assistant to the Archbishop. I kept those positions until 2002 when I came to the United States for pastoral experience and studies in Management. From August 2002 to January 2006, I served in the Archdiocese of Chicago as Associate Pastor at parishes on the West Side of Chicago and in Schaumburg, Illinois.

In February 2006, I was sent to Seattle to begin a "sister diocese relationship" between the Archdiocese of Seattle and my home Archdiocese of Kananga. Upon arrival in Seattle, I was appointed Parochial Vicar at St. Monica Parish, on Mercer Island; and two years later, Priest Administrator at St. Thomas More Parish, in Lynnwood, WA (2008-2010). While in Seattle, I completed a Master's Degree in Business Administration at Seattle University in 2009.

In July 2010, I arrived in New York to pursue further studies in Economics and Education at Columbia University's Teachers College. After two and a half month's ministry as a summer priest at Holy Rosary Church on Staten Island, I was assigned at Corpus Christi Church in Manhattan as

a priest in residence while attending Teachers College. In May 2012, I completed the MA program and was subsequently admitted in the PhD program in Economics and Education, starting in fall 2012. Yet, as I was gearing up for the new academic year, I eagerly accepted to return to Staten Island to serve as your new Parochial Vicar under Fr. Jerome's wise pastoral leadership and with the collaboration of our dedicated and talented staff.

As you have noticed, I am multilingual. I am fluent in French, two of the four national languages of the D.R. Congo, and English, which I speak with a beautiful accent. Currently, I am actively working on my Spanish speaking skills. Also, in my spare time, I enjoy biking, reading, and watching hockey, soccer and, of course, wrestling.

I thank you in advance for the support and the help you will provide to help me serve you to the best of my ability, fully trusting in the power of the Holy Spirit and the maternal support of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

Sincerely yours in Christ,
Father Maurice Mamba

THE ROSARY ALTAR SOCIETY will gather for the 10 AM Mass Sunday, December 2, and have their monthly meeting at 11 AM at The Arms. Please contact Theresa Cunningham at 718-981-8047 for further details.



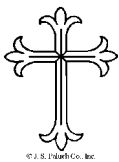
SACRED HEART SCHOOL is working with the **Catholic Alumni Partnership** to identify young leaders from our recent graduates.

If you are currently in high school and graduated from our school please visit www.adnycap.org and click on Young Leaders for more information about this exciting opportunity.



Classes will be held on Nov. 28th.

BEREAVEMENT MASS



Today, the 11:30 AM Mass will be a Memorial Mass offered for our parishioners who have died and have been buried from Sacred Heart in the past year. Light refreshments will follow in the vestibule of the church.

RCIA Do you have questions about being baptized in the Catholic Faith or do you need to receive the sacraments of the Eucharist or Confirmation? If so, please consider attending the RCIA classes here at Sacred Heart. For more information, please call Fr. Maurice Mamba at the Rectory at 718-442-0058.



SACRED HEART PARISH CHRISTMAS FAIR will be held next Sunday, Dec. 2 from 10AM to 4PM in the Sacred Heart School cafeteria.

CALLING ALL BAKERS - we need

baked goods for the fair. Please call the rectory at 718-442-0058.

Vendors who would like to rent a table and any parishioners who would like to donate a raffle basket or sponsor a basket, please call the rectory at 718-442-0058.



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Parish Choir, (ages 10-110) assisted by Portugal Traveling Choir, (ages 10-80) sings today 11/25/12 11:30 AM Mass! Don't miss this glorious Mass as we celebrate the end of the liturgical year musically - what a treat!! Kids Praise Choir sings their first Mass by themselves - Dec. 16th 11:30 AM - Don't miss it!! Thank you Family Choir, (ages 0-110) for filling the loft in the aftermath of Hurricane Sandy - your inspiring music soothed many a soul!! 'Tis the Season - Join A Choir today!!!

Pamela 442-0058 (VM 24)

See you in BCR!! See you in the Loft!! See you in the Chapel!! See you in Portugal 2013!

MEMORIAL CHRISTMAS TREE GROVE



We will be erecting a grove of lighted Christmas trees on the Castleton Avenue lawn of the convent. The men of the Holy Name Society will erect a

Christmas tree with a name tag as either a Memorial for a deceased member/members of your family/friends or in honor of living friends or family members. Please see the enclosed flyer for details. Orders can be placed with payment at the rectory.

ALTAR SERVER SCHEDULE DECEMBER 1 & 2

- Saturday, December 1
- 5:00 Sam Medina, Peter LaPeruta
- Sunday, December 2
- 7:00 Giovanni Ercolano, Margaret Donovan
- 8:30 Luisa Montuori, Albert Cardone
- 10:00 Andrew Johnson, Danielle Riccardi
- 11:30 Vincenzo Biggins, Nick & Stephen Bivona
- 1:00 Elizabeth Althoff, Patrick Buzzard
- 5:00 Thomas Laub, Alaina Santiago