

# Our Lady of the Snow

175 Blue Point Avenue Blue Point, New York 11715 Telephone: 631-363-6385

July 5, 2020 Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time "I will praise your name for ever, my king and my God"



### **DAILY MASSES:**

Monday - Friday 8:30 AM in Mother Church

#### **WEEKEND MASSES:**

Saturday 5:00 PM in Large Church Sunday 7:30 AM in Large Church 9:00 AM and 11:00 AM in Large Church

## **SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:**

Saturday 4:00 PM - 4:30 PM in Large Church

#### **EUCHARISTIC ADORATION:**

Monday 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM in Mother Church

#### **ROSARY:**

July 8th, 4:45 pm Mother Church

# Rev. Kevin M. Smith, Pastor ksmith@olsbp.com

Rev. Joseph Gaspar *jgaspar@olsbp.com* 

Deacon Edward Karan ekaran@olsbp.com Deacon Bob Gronenthal rgronenthal@olsbp.com

### **Religious Education:**

Monday - Thursday 9:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. religiouseducation@olsbp.com

Mrs. Patricia Bartoldus, DRE pbartoldus@olsbp.com

(631) 363-6394

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## **Director of Music:**

Mrs. Theresa Martin

#### Parish Outreach:

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Friday closed in July and August

## Catholic Marriage for couples married outside the Church:

If you have a civil marriage but now desire a Catholic sacramental marriage, call the Rectory for more information about a Convalidation. Convalidation is having a couple's marriage recognized and blessed by the Church through the Catholic Rite of Marriage.

#### Marriage:

Arrangements must be made at least six to twelve months in advance. It is advisable to call the church prior to arranging the reception.

#### Rite of Christian Initiation (R.C.I.A.):

Persons interested in becoming Catholic and adults who have not received Confirmation or First Eucharist, please contact the rectory office.

#### Communion for the Homebound:

To make arrangements to have Communion brought to the home, please call the parish office at 363-6385, ext. 110. For emergency sick calls, please call the parish at any time.

#### Baptisms:

Are celebrated at 1:00 p.m. on the second Saturday and fourth Sunday of most months. Please visit our website for complete information or call the rectory office.



Major Meghan Ederle
Major Kyle Brown
Major Robert Gervasio
Capt. Evan Bernstein
Lt. Sean Brown
LTJG Shannon Wojciechowski
Ensign Douglas Wojciechowski
LTJG Thomas Adair
DO,CPT,MC Kate Desmond-Baker
TSgt. Mark C. Erickson
SMSgt Harold L. Erickson

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E3/ACAN Connor Rooney USN
Sgt. Samuel Campanella
Lt. Robert Fleming

## **Pray for Our Sick**

We pray for all who are sick, for their healing in both body and spirit....

For all who are suffering with an illness.

## In Sympathy

For all who have died this past week, that they rejoice in the heavenly banquet...



Altar Bread and Wine
In Memory of Ada Galioto

Sanctuary Candle in Mother Church
In Memory of Ada Galioto

FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP REPORT: June 28, \$6,485

## FOOD PANTRY ALERT

During the Covid 19 crisis our food pantry has remained open to assist those in need in our community.

We are in most need of mayonnaise, tea, coffee, pancake mix, syrup, shampoo, conditioner, tissues, laundry detergent, Large size depends for women.

All donations may be left outside the pantry doors in the large church before mass at the weekends, or during the week outside the doors of the large church – Monday – Thursday 10am-1pm.

If you are shopping in the Blue Point King Kullen there is also a box to the left of the exit doors for donations.

We are most grateful to the volunteers, the parishioners and the local community who have assisted our efforts to serve those in need during these difficult times.



Sunday	July 5,
7:30 AM	Parishioners
9:00 AM	William Ward †
11:00 AM	Irene McGuire †
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Monday	July 6, St. Maria Goretti
8:30 AM	Peg Crowley †
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Tuesday	July 7,
8:30 AM	Marylou Center †
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Wednesday	July 8,
8:30 AM	Ada Galioto †
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Thursday	July 9, St Augustine Zhao
8:30 AM	Kevin McAuley †
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Friday	July 10,
8:30 AM	Kevin Maloney †
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Saturday	July 11,
5:00 PM	Donald & Carol Zauner †
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Sunday	July 12,
7:30 AM	Parishioners
9:00 AM	Priscilla Canevari †
11:00 AM	Alfred Chiuchiolo †
	Dennis Keneally †
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Just a little note.
Our Lady of the Snow Rectory hours
are as follows.

Monday through Thursday 9:00 AM until 4:30 PM

We will be closed Fridays in July and August.

Please be advised we will be checking emails/messages: rectory@olsbp.com

## **OUR LADY OF THE SNOW RELIGIOUS EDUCATION OFFICE**

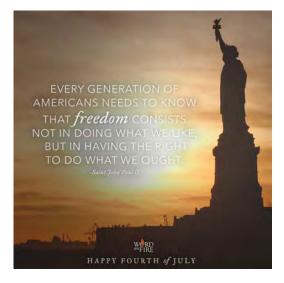
631-363-6394 olsbpre@aol.com

Office Hours: Monday through Thursday 9:30 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. or by appointment

The ministry of Religious Education strives to bring all into a closer

relationship with Jesus through Word, Worship and Service

July 5, 2020



### Children Entering 1st Grade in Sept 2020

should be registered in the Religious
Education Program. Participation in Level 1
is the first level of the <u>Diocesan mandated 2</u>
year preparation program for the Sacraments
of Reconciliation and Eucharist.
Please include a copy of your child's
Baptismal Certificate if they were not bap-

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tized at Our Lady of the Snow.

Even though we do not know what the coming Catechetical Year will look like, we are going forward with our registration. Forms and Parent Letters (<u>Please read the parent letter</u>) are available on the parish website under the Religious Education Tab and there are

hard copies on the backstairs of the Religious Education Office.





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In this time of uncertainty we are working with the Diocesan Office of Faith Formation and the Religious Education Publishers on planning for next year. As soon as we have more information we will share it with our families.

Catechists Needed
Level 2 Classes Mon & Tues 4:30-5:30
Wed 6—7

Levels 3—6 Mon & Tues 4:30-5:30 Wed 6—7

Levels 7 & 8 Mon 7-8 Tues 6— 7 Level 9 Confirmation Wed 7:30—8:30 once a month

Please call or email the Religious Education Office for more information.

## What's happening around the Parish.....

As we get back to Mass, we have had a lot of changes that I wanted to let you know about. Presently, we are at 25% capacity for the Masses, therefore all weekend Masses are conducted in the Large Church, where we do require masks and social distancing. We have also been broadcasting on 100.1 FM for those who are concerned about coming into the Church, where you can listen to Mass live while parked in the Large Church parking lot. If you call the rectory, you can leave a message as to what Mass you will be attending and if you would like, I can bring you Communion at the end of Mass. As we go to summer office hours, I will be checking the voice messages left in the rectory prior to the 5:00 p.m. Mass on Saturday (please call prior to the 5 pm Mass, so I can plan accordingly). Bishop Barres has given dispensation from the requirement of attending Sunday Mass until further notice.

We are offering the Sacrament of Reconciliation at 4:00 p.m. in the Large Church on Saturdays. Instead of the confessional, the Sacrament will take place on the stage, where the screen is placed.

You may have also noticed that Mass is done differently. Following the directive of Bishop Barres, after the priest receives Communion, he will then lead the congregation in the Closing Prayer. The priest will then remove his chasuble, (the outer vestment because that garment is more difficult to clean) and then resume giving Communion to the congregation. Once you receive Communion you may leave the church. If you are uncomfortable receiving Communion, you may leave after the Closing Prayer.

We are not allowed to have prayer cards or the "Breaking Bread" books out any more, so we starting using slides up on the wall. The feedback has been mostly positive and we will be working to make the slides run smoothly, please be patient we are a work in progress!

I want to take a minute to thank all of you for your efforts during this unprecedented time. I really can't thank you enough for stepping up from those who have written reflections for the bulletin, those who have resumed bringing Communion to our homebound and to those who assist with disinfecting the Church between the masses, and all the wonderful and thoughtful actions of so many in between. I am so proud to be a part of this amazing parish! May God Bless you all and keep you safe.

#### **Bulletin Reflection:**

"Come to me... and I will give you rest." What powerful words these are in today's Gospel. After all that we may have experienced these past few months, let us never forget these compassionate words of Christ, our God.

## <u>Living Stewardship ~ Pillar of Prayer:</u>

Jesus loves us more than we can imagine. When you pray to Him, do not be afraid to ask Him to guide you through your sufferings.



Respect Life Meetings will resume in September. We are continuing give a monthly monetary gift to a local teen mom and her baby boy. Your donations are much appreciated.



We have moved the Religious Education Office from the basement of the Rectory to the Large Church. There is a Ring set up at the Large Church front entrance doors, left side. If you stop by, please ring the bell and we will come to the door. Please call first, as our summer hours may change because of vacations. Paperwork can by mailed or dropped off in the mail slot at the Rectory Office; we still have mailboxes there. There is a clear bin next to the new office doors in the Large Church for any catechist manuals you might have to drop off. You can do that after or before a Mass. Currently our office hours are Monday - Thursday, 9 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Our phone number has not changed: 631-363-6394.

During the summer break, please keep your family connected to us through the virtual classroom:

olsvc.blogspot.com

# WHAT'S YOUR CATHOLIC IQ?

# A Self-Assessment for Your Fun and Enlightenment!

(Permission granted by Joe Paprocki and Catechist Magazine)

This educational self-assessment is a fun way to help you see how much you know about your Catholic faith. Answers can be found on the bottom of this page.

- 1.During tough economic times, people can ask for the intercession of this saint, the patron saint of bankers and money managers.
- (a) Zacchaeus; (b) Philip Neri; (c) Matthew; (d) Mary Magdalene
- 2.According to the Catechism of the Catholic Church, which of the following form a "single sacred deposit of the Word of God?"
- (a)Tradition and Scripture; (b) Scripture and Sacraments; (c) Cosmas and Damien; (d) faith, hope and love
- 3. Rites celebrated with catechumens on the third, fourth, and fifth Sundays of Lent are called the...
- (a) Sacraments of Initiation; (b) Exorcisms; (c) Scrutinies; (d) doxologies
- 4. The Christian family can be referred to as the...
- (a) domestic church; (b) imported church; (c) communion of saints: (d) temple of the
- (c) communion of saints; (d) temple of the Holy Spirit
- 5.A journey (trip) that evokes our earthly journey toward heaven is referred to as a...
- (a)hermitage; (b) pilgrimage; (c) junket; (d) parsonage



Catholic IQ Answers: 1. c; 2. a; 3. c; 4. a; 5. b

## Respect Life Ministry News

Pending Assisted Suicide Laws in NY State Threaten Human Life and Dignity **Assisted Suicide:** Please write to Governor Cuomo as well as your state senator and legislators opposing the Medical Aid in Dying Act bills A.2694/S.3947.

"In this bill, a person with a so-called terminal condition would be allowed to take a lethal

prescription, ordered by a physician, with the intention to take his own life. Assisted Suicide and Euthanasia are always morally wrong because all human life, even in its most debilitated state, is sacred – it must be supported with love and true compassion, not abandoned to the ultimate despair of self-annihilation." - DRVC Human Life & Dignity Office



For assistance in writing you letter, visit <u>Action</u> Center | New York State Catholic Confer-