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

**SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER – 8 APRIL 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 11:50 a.m. (Our Saviour)

**SACRAMENT OF PENANCE (CONFESSION)**

**Our Saviour:**

Monday-Friday: 7:20-7:40 a.m., 12:40-1:00 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.

**SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY**

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

**NEW PARISHIONERS**

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

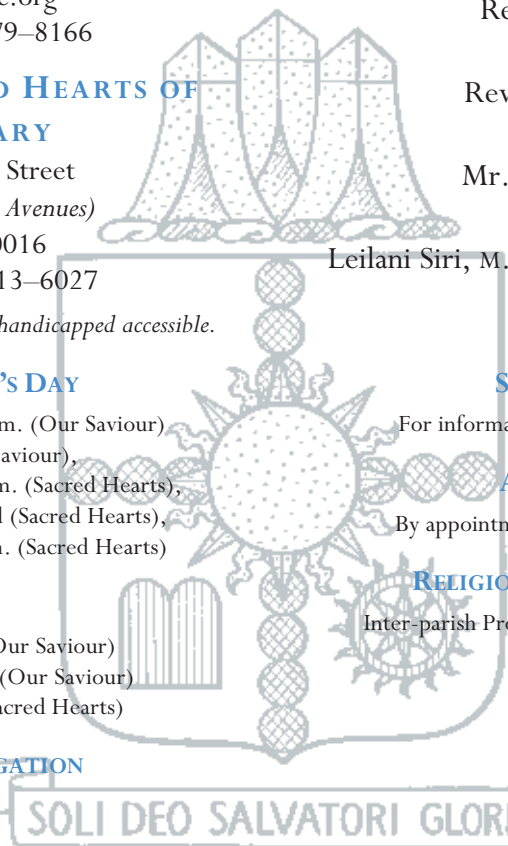
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The Church Undercroft is available for wedding receptions,  
Christening parties, meetings, and special events.



## MASS INTENTIONS

**Sunday, 8 April** – *Second Sunday of Easter*

5:00 p.m. John M. Ullmann +

9:00 a.m. Gloria Navarro +

11:00 a.m. Anthony Antonecchia +

12:45 p.m. John Pellicione +

5:00 p.m. Pro Populo

5:30 p.m. *No Intention*

**Monday, 9 April** – *The Annunciation of the Lord*

7:45 a.m. Teresa White +

12:05 p.m. Mary E. Singleton +

5:15 p.m. Bette Kerr Adam +

**Tuesday, 10 April** – *Easter Weekday*

7:45 a.m. Matilda Vecchia +

12:05 p.m. Alcides & Ines Bo +

5:15 p.m. Josephine Marchesano +

**Wednesday, 11 April** – *St. Stanislaus, Bishop, Martyr*

7:45 a.m. Juan & Esther Bo +

12:05 p.m. Ilda Varela +

5:15 p.m. Anna & Harry Fagan +

**Thursday, 12 April** – *Easter Weekday*

7:45 a.m. Jack Brannan +

12:05 p.m. Suzanne Rock +

5:15 p.m. Amanda Kerr +

**Friday, 13 April** – *St. Martin I, Pope, Martyr*

7:45 a.m. Agnes P. Cleary +

12:05 p.m. Marie d'Amato +

5:15 p.m. *No Intention*

**Saturday, 14 April** – *Easter Weekday*

12:05 p.m. Frances Redding Wallace +

*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, Nancy Doran, Francis Grealis, Rose Montalvo, Loretta Mugno, Nancy Mullaney, Joan Murphy, Corazon Natividad, Luis Ottobre, Virginia Rodriguez, 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:** May Christ, who conquered the darkness of sin and death, grant us peace in our days.

### VIGIL LAMPS

The Sanctuary Lamp at Our Saviour burns this week in loving memory of the Guzman Family.

## 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 APRIL

**Universal Intention:** *For Those Who Have Responsibility in Economic Matters* – That economists may have the courage to reject any economy of exclusion and know how to open new paths.

### WEEKLY STEWARDSHIP

*Collections for the week ending 1 April:*

**Our Saviour:** Easter Sunday: \$13,215

Weekdays: \$487

Holy Thursday: \$1,664 • Good Friday: \$1,620

Shrines: \$1,093

**Sacred Hearts:** Easter Sunday: \$3,905

Shrines: \$588

**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!*

### THANK YOU

Throughout Holy Week, we experienced very beautiful liturgies. The successful planning and execution of these liturgical celebrations is not the work of one, but rather the collaborative efforts of many. I would like to express my profound thanks to our lay ecclesial ministers (lectors, servers, Extraordinary Ministers, ushers), the parish musicians, our parish staff, and my brother priests for their help during Holy Week. We are blessed indeed.

– *Father Robbins*

## SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER

In today's Gospel passage we read that Jesus appeared to the Apostles in the Upper Room and said to them: "Receive the Holy Spirit. If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven; if you retain the sins of any, they are retained" (*John 20:22–23*). With these words, the risen Christ calls the Apostles to be *messengers and ministers of his merciful love* and from that day, from generation to generation, this proclamation of hope has resounded in the heart of the Church for every believer. Blessed are those who open their hearts to divine mercy! The Lord's merciful love precedes and accompanies every act of evangelization and enriches it with extraordinary fruits of conversion and spiritual renewal.

*St. John Paul II*  
Regina Coeli, 19 April 1998

## THE ANNUNCIATION OF THE LORD

*The Solemnity of the Annunciation of the Lord is traditionally observed on 25 March. However, since that was the date of Palm Sunday this year, it is transferred to Monday, 9 April.*

The Annunciation, recounted at the beginning of St. Luke's Gospel, is a humble, hidden event – no one saw it, no one except Mary knew of it – but at the same time it was crucial to the history of humanity. When the Virgin said her "yes" to the Angel's announcement, Jesus was conceived and with him began the new era of history that was to be ratified in Easter as the "new and eternal Covenant". In fact, Mary's "yes" perfectly mirrors that of Christ himself when he entered the world, as the Letter to the Hebrews says, interpreting Psalm 40(39): "As is written of me in the book, I have come to do your will, O God" (*Hebrews 10:7*). "The Son's obedience was reflected in that of the Mother and thus, through the encounter of these two "yeses", God was able to take on a human face. This is why the Annunciation is a Christological feast as well, because it celebrates a central mystery of Christ: the Incarnation.

*Benedict XVI*

## SECOND COLLECTION

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

## CINEMA DIVINA IN NYC

Culture and faith come together with a prayerful viewing of a film in light of the Scriptures with *Cinema Divina in NYC*. April's event features *Sully*. Please join us at St. Mary's (East 15<sup>th</sup> St. at Second Ave.) on 12 April at 6:30 p.m. Popcorn will be provided! Please contact Sr. Hosea for more info: <hrupprecht@paulinmedia.com> or (310) 890-8226.

## HEALING AFTER ABORTION

Do you know someone who is carrying the grief of a past abortion? There is help and hope available, and the pain and sorrow of abortion need not endure for a lifetime. A "Day of Prayer and Healing" offers the opportunity to experience the love and mercy of God and to heal the wound of abortion. For dates, location, and confidential registration, or to talk to a Sister, please call the Sisters of Life at (866) 575-0075 or e-mail <hopeandhealing@sistersoflife.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, 19 April at 6:00 p.m. All are welcome. For more information, please contact Sarah Gallick at <SGallick@aol.com>.

## GOLDEN WEDDING JUBILEE MASS

Couples celebrating their Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary anytime during 2018 are invited to attend the Golden Wedding Jubilee Mass with Cardinal Dolan at St. Patrick's Cathedral on Sunday, 3 June at 2:15 p.m. Pre-registration is required. Please contact the Parish Office to register. The closing date to register for the Mass is Monday, 14 May.

## TALKING IN CHURCH

Please remember the Church and Chapel are the House of God. It is important to remember that we are in his presence. Please try to maintain a prayerful spirit while being respectful of others who come for a few moments of quiet prayer. There is much noise in the world; the Church is our refuge into silence. Please keep talking to a minimum, silence electronic devices, and talk to the Lord in the silence of your own heart.

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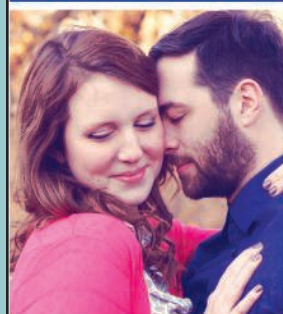
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