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National Shrine of San Gennaro
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First Sunday of Advent ~ December 3, 2017
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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil

5:30 PM English

Sundays

9:15 AM English 10:15 AM Chinese
11:30 AM Spanish 12:45 PM English
7:00 PM English

Monday-Friday

8:00 AM Spanish, 12:10 PM English

Saturday

8:00 AM Spanish

VESPERS (Evening Prayer)

First Sundays at 7:00pm with Mass

CONFESSIONS

Saturdays 4:30 PM - 5:15 PM
Sundays 6:00 PM - 6:45 PM

Spanish Prayer Group

Fridays 7:30pm

Cursillistas Meeting

Sundays after the 11:30am Mass (Spanish)

Saturday/Sabado-December 2, First Saturday, Weekday, Witness For Life Mass

8:00AM (Eng) For: Olga Mairena
By: Flatz Family

5:30PM (Eng) For: Filomena & Gandolfo Verra
By: Vincent Minuto

Sunday/Domingo-December 3, First Sunday of Advent

9:15AM (Eng) For: Lena & Louis Ciffo
By: Anthony Ciffo

10:15AM (Chi) In Thanksgiving to the Blessed Virgin Mary
By: Patrick Lin

11:30AM (Spa) Por la salud de La Familia Ugarte invita Santiago Ugarte

12:45PM (Eng) For: Benito Pulice
By: wife and children

7:00PM (Eng) For: Ann Sakano & Regina Trainor
By: Georgianna

Monday/Lunes-December 4, Advent Weekday

8:00AM (Spa) For: Prescia Family
By: Guinta Family

12:10PM (Eng) For: Peter Scura
By: Peter & Mary Davio

Tuesday/Martes-December 5, Advent Weekday

8:00AM (Spa) Por el eterno descanso de Daniel y Francisco Nuñez Y Francisco Nuñez invita sus hijos

12:10PM (Eng) For: Lena Motto
By: sister, Sarah

Wednesday/Miercoles, December 6, Advent Weekday

8:00AM (Spa) Por el eterno descanso de Charlie Fernandez invita su familia

12:10PM (Eng) For: Gloria Saldaña Rodriguez
By: Meredith, Veronica & Johnny

Thursday/Jueves-December 7, Saint Ambrose, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

8:00AM (Spa) Por el eterno descanso de Alejandro Nuñez invita Ramona Nuñez

12:10PM (Eng) For: Deacon Patrick Lodgson
By: Joe Lennon

Friday/Viernes-December 8, The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary

8:00AM (Spa) En Acción de Gracias a La Virgen Maria Rosa Mistica

12:10PM (Eng) For: Celeste Tangora
By: niece, Antoinette Sarubbi

7:00PM (Eng) For: The people of the parish

Saturday/Sábado-December 9, Advent Weekday

8:00AM (Spa) For: The Guido Family
By: Jennie Guinta

5:30PM (Eng) For: Bernard Duffy
By: Christina Smith

Pastor - Monsignor Donald Sakano

pastor@oldcathedral.org

Rev. Andrew Thi – Resident Vicar

Deacon Paul Vitale

Visiting Celebrants:

Rev. Jason Smith, LC

Rev. Richard Dillon

Rev. Richard Adams

Rev. Brian McWeeney

Rev. Carlos Mullins

Rev. Fabian Grifone, OFM

Rev. Louis Troiani, OFM

Rev. Philip Phan, Vietnamese Apostolate

Rev. Robert Campagna, O.F.M. –Minister Provincial

Rev. Patrick Boyle, O.F.M. - Vicar Provincial

Director of Music - Jared Lamenzo

organist@oldcathedral.org

Wedding Coordinator - Rosa Jimenez

rosa@oldcathedral.org

Sunday Collection:

\$4,489.00

Second Collection ~

December 10, 2017

Retired Religious

Baptism Preparation Session:

Next Session for parents and godparents

Monday ~ December 4, 2017 at 7:00 PM

Our Lady of China

Our new image of The Blessed Virgin Mary artfully crafted in Italy will be blessed together with the images of the Archangels Michael and Gabriel on The Solemnity of the Epiphany of the Lord, January 7, 2018 at 12:45pm Mass
Bishop John O'Hara, Celebrant

* The Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary

* Friday, December 8 Masses 8:00 AM (Sp); 12:10 pm and 7:00 pm

- * **Music in Preparation of Christmas;** *Highbridge Voices Winter Concert*, Thursday, December 7 at 7:00 PM followed by a reception in the Youth Center, 268 Mulberry Street. *Concert Lessons and Carols* with Basilica Schola, Basilica Voices and St. Joseph's Handbell Choir on Sunday, December 10 at 5:30 PM.
 - * **Masses from Monday to Saturday** —8:00 AM & 12:10 PM—will be celebrated in the Parish house at 263 Mulberry Street, until the Daily Mass Chapel in the Basilica finishes construction.
 - * **Family Religious Education**, including preparation for the Sacraments of First Holy Communion, Penance and Confirmation in conjunction with Basilica Voices is coming up in September. For more info contact Tony MacDonnell at Tony@oldcathedral.org or call the Parish House.
 - * **The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults** has begun a fresh series of sessions for those people interested in knowing more about the Catholic Church, especially those who may want to become Catholic or those who have been baptized but have not received Confirmation. Spiritually inquiring minds should contact Mark Ciolli at mark@oldcathedral.org.
 - * **Moms & Tots, Thursdays from 10:30am-12pm ~ Parish House 263 Mulberry St.** This gathering in the Parish House will allow mothers with young children to spend some time together and strengthen their own spiritual lives. Please contact Tony at tony@oldcathedral.org for more information.
 - * **San't Egidio, Fridays at 6:30pm Church of the Most Precious Blood** Join this Catholic lay movement every Friday evening at the Church of the Most Precious Blood for prayer and service to the poor. For more information: <http://santegidioua.org/communities/new-york/>
 - * **Communion & Liberation** ~ Communion and Liberation is a movement in the Church which has the purpose of forming its members in Christianity in order to make them coworkers in the Church's mission in all areas of society. They regularly meet on Fridays evenings for prayer and meditation. For more information or to attend a meeting, email simonetta.ditalia@gmail.com for more information and future dates.
 - * **CNYC FIT Monday's Starting July 31st, 7:00pm Undercroft the Church** Stay fit with Pilates and a Yoga-like course each Monday evening while keeping up with prayer! Prayer and exercise go hand in hand. To sign up or for more info email emma.dallman@archny.org
 - * **Bowery Walk ~ Third Tuesday of each month, 7:30pm Parish House, 263 Mulberry St.** Join us as we continue with the Malta Auxillary Committee our Lenten Bowery Walk. We will prepare meals in the Rectory and walk to local destinations handing out the meals to the needy. For more info or to sign up contact: frances.asquith@googlemail.com.
- #### Music at the Basilica
- * Interested in joining the Basilica Schola? The Schola is our fabulous volunteer choir that sings at Sunday 7:00pm Masses and major feasts throughout the year. Contact Michael Bodnyk, our Cantor, at cantor@oldcathedral.org for more information.
 - * Come and hear wonderful music at the Basilica. Found out more about events on our Website <http://oldcathedral.org/concerts>.
 - * Learn about the music you hear at mass by joining our Facebook page: <http://facebook.com/erbenorgan>
 - * Join the Friends of the Erban Organ (FREO) to help preserve our magnificent 1868 Henry Erben pipe organ on the eve of its 150th Anniversary. FREO is a non-profit organization is committed to the preservation, restoration, and appreciation of the pipe organ through innovative performance and education programs for families and children. FREO recently welcomed Martin Scorsese as Honorary Chair of its Board. See <https://erbenorgan.org/> to learn more.

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MASS SCHEDULE - The Shrine Church of the Most Precious Blood
Wednesday - 12:10 PM, Saturday Vigil - 5:30 PM
Sunday - 2:00 PM (Vietnamese)
CONFESSIONS
At the Basilica: Saturdays 4:30-5:30 PM Sundays 6:00pm—7:00 PM

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MASS LIST – DECEMBER 2-3, 2017

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 2, 2017 – FIRST SATURDAY

5:30PM (Vigil) For: John Jr. and Minnie DePalo
(both Living)
By: Emily
For: In Honor of the Blessed Mother
By: Elluzzi Family

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 3, 2017 – 1ST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

2:00PM Mass in Vietnamese

MONDAY, DECEMBER 4, 2017

NO MASS

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 5, 2017

NO MASS

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 6, 2017

12:10PM For: In Honor of the Sacred Heart in
thanksgiving for Favor Received
By: D. Aimone

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 7, 2017

NO MASS

**FRIDAY, DECEMBER 8, 2017 – The Immaculate Conception
of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

NO MASS

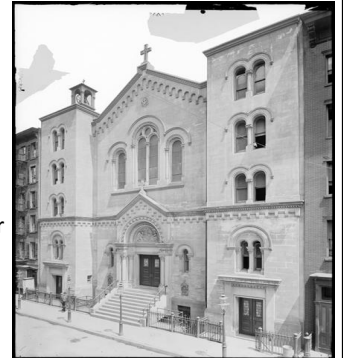
SATURDAY, DECEMBER 9, 2017

5:30PM (Vigil) For: In Honor of St. Lucy/In Memory of
Fannie & Nicholas Elluzzi
By: Elluzzi Family
For: Elizabeth Smith
By: sister Mary
For: Lucille Marino
By: Vita Sabella
For: In thanksgiving for prayers answered
By: Philip & Josephine Scala

**BULLETIN NEWS –
DECEMBER 2-3, 2017**

PEARL HARBOR REMEMBRANCE DAY:

Thursday, December 7, 2017 marks the 76th Anniversary of the attack on America's military base in Hawaii. The surprise attack took place on December 7, 1941 early in the morning. The attack lasted only 90 minutes, but the lives of 2,400 United States citizens were lost; there was no time to launch any defensive plan. There are many events planned for Remembrance Day which can be found on-line or via news media. However, the most important thing you can do on this day is to remember those who perished and to honor our military personnel. We are the 'Land of the Free' because of the brave – please don't ever forget that fact.



OUR SAINT MICHAEL STATUE has been returned to its proper niche after being repaired by Teddy Gregoris and Sera Salera. St. Michael was repaired in the San Gennaro shrine room and was returned to his niche by the men who were in our church repairing a damaged painting. One of our parishioners, Jean Sama, was talking to them about the St. Michael statue and they graciously offered to take him "home". We regret that we do not know their names, but we send our heartfelt gratitude to them for taking care of our beloved St. Michael statue.

REMINDER: There will be two concerts at the Basilica of St. Patrick's Old Cathedral to usher in Advent and the Christmas season. The dates are December 7th and December 10th. Please refer to the first page of the Bulletin for more detailed information.

SAVING BUONGIORNO PROJECT: We are in the process of repairing/cleaning the precious and magnificent artwork which graces the walls and ceiling of Most Precious Blood Church. This is an expensive undertaking and we are asking anyone who might be interested in helping preserve the paintings of Donatus Buongiorno to contribute to the Saving Buongiorno Project; any amount you can offer to support this important project will be welcomed and appreciated. You can call the rectory office at 212-226-6427 with any questions; you can send your donations there, as well. The rectory address is 109 Mulberry Street, New York, NY 10013.



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