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THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT - DECEMBER 11, 2016

Served By **Rev. Michael Morris** Pastor----------ext. 103 michael.morris@archny.org Rev. Joseph A. Gaspar Parochial Vicar----ext. 108 fr.joseph@reginacoelihp.org Fr. Leo Prince, Ph.D.....weekend associate Deacon Frank Gohl-----ext. 150 deaconfrank@reginacoelihp.org Deacon Gerard T. Lindley----ext. 151 deaconjerry@reginacoelihp.org Deacon Mark P. O'Sullivan-----ext. 152 deaconmark@reginacoelihp.org Deacon Peter M. Dalmer----ext. 153 deaconpeter@reginacoelihp.org Deacon Ken Briskey-----ext. 154 deaconken@reginacoelihp.org **Deacon James Haves Parish Staff** Angela Garzetta Parish Secretary---frontdesk@reginacoelihp.org Walter Jones Facilities Manager----ext. 196 **Faith Formation** Mrs. Kathie Depew-----845-229-9139 Coordinator, Faith Formation Programs mrskdepew@reginacoelihp.org Welcome to the Parish Community of Regina Coeli/St. Paul's! A warm welcome is extended to all who have come to Regina Coeli/St. Paul's this weekend to join together in this community of worship and praise to Almighty God. We are grateful to our faithful parishioners who come here every weekend and ask you to officially register if you have not. Also we welcome our neighbors and guests who visit us occasionally and want you to know that you are always welcome! If any of the below choices pertain to you, complete the information below and drop in the offertory basket or stop by the Rectory. -----THANK YOU!-----Name_ Address___ Phone ____Send me Catholic New York Would like to register ___Send Offertory Envelopes ____Need to speak with a priest Moving, remove from parish census



MONDAY, DECEMBER 12 - OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE

9:00am Millie & Marty Stutzbach

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 13 - ST. LUCY

9:00am Hermine P. Muellerleile

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 14 - ST. JOHN OF THE CROSS

9:00am Arthur Borin

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 15

9:00am Beatrice Messa FRIDAY, DECEMBER 16

9:00am Special Intention – Fr. Michael Morris

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 17

9:00am Special Intention – Fr. Michael Morris

5:00pm Frank Falagna

Sunday, DECEMBER 18 - 4TH SUNDAY OF ADVENT

7:30am Dec'd Members Bucchetto & Sandola Families

9:00am Josephine & Stefan Korol

9:30am Joseph Walz

11:30am George & Catherine Hooper

Intentions are available for each of the 6 candles that burn in The Adoration Chapel. The stipend for 1 week is \$25. If you would like to arrange for a candle intention, call the rectory office, and we will be happy to help you. Week of December 12 - December 17 *Special Intention Polistena & Amendola Families INTENTIONS AVAILABLE FOR THE ABOVE DATES

Please pray for all priests and deacons Make a Difference In the World! REVEREND JOSEPH F. MALI

It's Easy! *Pray that young men in our*Archdiocese will hear and answer God's call

to the priesthood.

For more info contact Fr. Christopher Argano 914.968.1340 nypriest@archny.org

NYPriest.com

JOIN THE CHOIR! Thursday evening from 7 to 8:30pm in the choir loft. For further information please contact Kevin Becker 229-0170. **Christmas Vigil Mass at 4pm.** If your child is in the 4th grade or older and would like to sing, please contact Linda Dalmer @266-3176. Practices will be on Wednesdays, 12/14 & 12/21 from 6-7pm.

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The Advent of Winter

With the snowstorm this past Monday morning, December 5, we were quickly reminded that the Hudson Valley winter is fast upon us.

As the snow begins to fly, it may be a good idea to review policies regarding snow and closures in the parish. *Daily Mass*

In the past, it was the policy that if the school district was closed, the church would be closed and a Mass without a congregation would be offered in the rectory so as to fulfill the Mass obligation. As of this winter, no masses in the main church will be canceled regardless of the weather. Mass will indeed be offered every day. It is imperative that the Mass be made available to our parishioners. However, for safety reasons, our parishioners should exercise extreme caution in the event of immoderate or dangerous weather. Our Lord does not expect that we venture out in bad weather to attend Holy Mass. Prudence is the key. Even if the priest is the only one present in the church for Mass, as liturgy, it still is a public act. Eucharistic Adoration

The parish has maintained, and will continue to practice a policy that if schools are delayed in opening, Eucharistic Adoration will be delayed for the same number of hours. In the event of a full day school closure, Adoration will be closed all day even if the weather improves. The church, however, will be open until late afternoon for those who would like to spend time in prayer in the main church.

In the event of a serious snowstorm during the day and into the evening and the night, it will be the discretion of the pastor, as the custodian of the Eucharist, to close the Adoration Chapel without previous notification in order to repose the Blessed Sacrament in the tabernacle in the main church. Such a decision will be for two reasons: 1) The exposed Blessed Sacrament is <u>never</u> to be left in the monstrance unattended, and 2) to support the prudential decision of our parishioners to remain indoors and at home during time so dangerous storms.

The old Erie Railroad used as their slogan "Safety First." As we begin the winter months, may we also remember that the safety of our parishioners is paramount. And before we know it, Spring will be upon us!

Fr. Michael Morris

2017 Ultimate Discount Cards available at the rectory office! \$12.00 each. Great Stocking Stuffers! Proceeds to St. Vincent DePaul Society.

CHRISTMAS SCHEDULE

CONFESSIONS

Monday, 12/19

Reconciliation Monday – 4:00pm-8:00pm Regina Coeli Church

Wednesday, December 14 – 7:30pm-8:30pm Regina Coeli Wednesday, December 21 – 7:30pm-8:30pm Regina Coeli

CHRISTMAS SCHEDULE

Saturday, 12/24

 $9\!:\!00AM$ (Please note: AM Mass does not fulfill Christmas Mass Obligation)

Regina Coeli Church @ 4:00pm & 10:00pm St. Pauls @ 4:00pm

Sunday, 12/25

Regina Coeli Church @ 7:30; 9:30; 11:30am St. Pauls @ 9:00am

NEW YEAR'S SCHEDULE

Saturday, 12/31/16

Daily Mass 9:00am Regina Coeli Church @ 5:00pm

Solemnity of Mary, the Mother of God Sunday, 1/1/17

Regina Coeli Church @ 7:30; 9:30' 11:30am St. Pauls 9:00am



Paul Becker Laura Ames Ann Arata Jazmine Cappillino Kathy Clonan Mitchell Dankirt Crystal Dearborn Pat Delissio David Freer Angelik Guthrie Gail Helwig Donnie Imperati Laurie Jacobs Gail Juras Eugene Juras Julie Kiander Bertha Lampson Audrey Marie Michael Judith Petro Thomas Petro Aly Procktor Rob Riveria Anne Slobodian Harry Slobodian Ann Vermehren Fr. Peter Vianney Collum Tartter Clyde Wonderly Ollie Gorr

STEWARDSHIP REPORT

12/04/16 \$10,548.89 11/30/15 \$11,873.94 Thank you for your continued support of your Parish and all its efforts for the gospel.

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REGINA COELI HEALING MASS

For Physical, Emotional & Psychological Healing, Join us TUESDAY, JANUARY 3, 2017, at 7pm

RCIA PROGRAM AT REGINA COELI CHURCH...contact

the Religious Education office at 229-9139 or leave a message for Deacon Mark @ 229-2134.

BEREAVEMENT MINISTRY at Regina Coeli -. If you or someone you know might benefit from such a meeting, or if you would like more information contact Deacon Peter Dalmer @ 229-2134 or Janet Swartvager @ 889-4756.

REGINA COELI RELIGIOUS EDUCATION - 229-9139.

Catholic Enrichment for Adults begins on Monday, December 5. Kicking off our Speaker Series this year with a topic of great importance to many. Please join Fr. Michael Morris as he offers insight into the topic, "Parents w/adult children who reject their faith". This program will be offered @ 10am and again @ 7pm in the Faith Formation Office in the parish Center (School). Plan to arrive a few minutes early as we will begin promptly. Call the office @ 229-9139 for info. Or to reserve your seat. THE BIBLE and the VIRGIN MARY & Wednesday Women's Bible

Sharing For more information, call Kathie Depew @ 229-9139 or e-mail: mrskdepew@reginacoelihp.org

REGINA COELI NURSING HOME MINISTRY - People needed to bring the Good news to people living at home or in nursing homes. Generally Monday's and Saturday's...about 2-4 hours every three months. Please contact Deacon Peter at the rectory for more information and to volunteer.

St. Vincent DePaul - Is there a family you know who needs assistance? Please call us so that together we can help the suffering and poor to celebrate Christmas. Please call (845) 332-2013.



FUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Available times that need coverage: Wed 6am. Saturday

3am, 4am, 6am. There are some nocturnal hours, please call Joan @ 229.2983, Janet @ 229.5378 or Don @ 229.5920 if you can spend an hour with Our Lord. Hours needed: Monday 9pm and Friday 3-4pm and 4-5pm.

The LEARNING CENTER @ REGINA COELI

The Learning Center at Regina Coeli now provides an Academic After School program. Open to students from First Grade to High School. Individual tutoring is still available!! Math, Reading, High School Regents, SAT and TASC help available!! Phone: 845-229-8589 X214, 845-518-9056.

WEBSITE: thelearningcenterrcc.com;

email: info@TheLearningCenterAtReginaCoeli.org

The Lutheran Care facility is looking for the following items for their clients as Christmas gifts: Blank CD's, radios/cd/players, word puzzle books, socks/slippers, picture or coffee table books, baskets are at the entrances to the church.

Please pray for our loved ones serving in the Military...

Paul S. Davis, Army Reserve Christopher Delgado, Lieutenant, 82nd Airborne, Army NC Vincent DeSantola, Pvt. Marines, Europe Staff Sargent Patrick E. Dixon, Hurlburt Field A.F.B., Florida Thomas Summers, Major, Army, Camp Casey, Korea Kevin Woods, Colonel, US Army

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KEEP CHRIST IN CHRISTMAS

Magnets available at the Rectory....\$5.00

BUSES FOR MARCH FOR LIFE JAN. 27, 2017 - March for Life in Washington DC is Friday, Jan. 27. Reservations and/or info contact Rich 297-7930 for the St. Mary's bus & George Morton 226-6896 for the St. Columba's bus. Adults \$35, Students \$25. The 2 buses leave St. Columba's Church at 5AM after a 4:30am Mas on 1/27. All reservations & Payments by Jan. 20.

iMercy: The Divine Hotspot

A Parish Mission directed by Fr. Bill Garrott, O.P., a 3 day event Sunday, December 11 – Tuesday, December 13 @ 7:00pm at Good Shepherd Church. Sunday Message * The Father Blesses; Monday Message * The Son Heals; Tuesday Message * The Spirit Strengthens.

MARIAPOLIS LUMINOSA NATIVITY SCENES DISPLAY DECEMBER 1-30; 200 Cardinal Rd., Hyde Park, NY Sat-Sun 1-5:00pm Mon-Fri 2-5:00pm Other times, by appointment only Suggested donation \$5

For more information please call: (845) 229-0230 X127 luminosa.office@gmail.com www.focolare.org/mariapolisluminosa

REMAINING UNSOLD 2016 "PROMISE TREE" GIFT CERTIFICATES WILL CONTINUE TO BE SOLD AT DISCOUNTED PRICES THRU SUNDAY, DECEMBER 11 AFTER THE 9:30AM & 11:30AM MASSES, INSIDE THE REAR OF THE CHURCH. ANY QUESTIONS, PLEASE **CONTACT JOSEPHINE MCMANUS 229-8339.**

HYDE PARK KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Used Clothing Drop-Off Shed, 1278 Rt. 9G, Please bag & tie your donations. RECEIPTS AVAILABLE.

All proceeds will be used to serve our community.

GIVING TREE & FOOD BASKET SIGN-UP

Please look for the food basket sign up lists at the church exits, and take a gift tag from the tree in the lobby, and return unwrapped in a gift bag by Friday 12/16. Thank you again for your generosity. Our community members are in tremendous need. If you are available to help sort and distribute gifts 9:00-Noon on 12/17 please call Mykkii Millott at 233.4440.

Please help and sign up for the Christmas food baskets! This is so much to ask, but there is so much need.....