

June 5, 2011

Church of

Our Lady of Perpetual Help

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(914) 738-0670

Mr. Michael Hall, *Director*

Confessions

Saturday . 4:00 - 4:45pm & by appointment

Baptisms

2nd & 4th Sunday of the Month at 1:30pm. *Please call Parish Office to make arrangements.*

Marriages

There is a six month planning period required.

Please make an appointment with one of the priests for further information.

Devotions to Our Lady

Rosary . Monday - Saturday . 8:40am

Miraculous Medal Novena - Monday . 9:30am

MASS SCHEDULE:

Saturday evening 5:00pm ▪ *Sunday* 8:00, 9:30, 11:00am & 12:30pm

Weekdays (Mon-Sat) 8:00 & 9:00am ▪ *Holydays as announced*





Dear Parishioners:

In today's society so much of what we see involves people on either ends of an issue with very little desire to seek a common ground. While this is most evident in the world of politics it also has permeated into social and moral issues as well. Case in point is the issue of civil marriage.

On one side of the spectrum there are those who are advocating to be permitted to marry because they see it as a basic right in our society. On the other end is the position being advocated by some that marriage is not necessary for commitment and its time has come and gone. Each of these groups sees their position as the correct one with little room for compromise.

This weekend we are honoring couples that have spent a significant part of their life in a marriage relationship. This year they are observing significant milestones either twenty-five or fifty years together. Each of them has a unique story that would tell of the blessings and challenges they have experienced and they are examples for us of what Christian marriage can achieve.

Marriage as a sacrament is a vehicle of God's grace in our life. Grace however is not some type of magic solution but rather it grows and strengthens based on

the faith commitment of the couple. It is the responsibility of husband and wife to be for each other a means to sanctifying their relationship with God.

As the role of marriage is debated in society it is important for us to have role models of family life to show us by example what husband and wife working together for a common goal can accomplish.

We congratulate our jubilarians on reaching this milestone and wish them many more years together.

Sincerely,

Rev. Robert DeJulio
Pastor

FATHERS DAY MASSES

Each of the Masses on Father's Day weekend will be offered for our Father's Day Intentions. Please place your envelope in the collection basket at any time.

H.O.P.E. SOUP KITCHEN

The next scheduled cooking day for our Parish Chefs is Friday, June 24th. The menu consists of cold meatloaf sliced and macaroni and cheese and whole wheat bread. Food should be brought to the Church office where it will be picked up and delivered to St. Gabriel's Church. Please remember that all meals are for a minimum of 20 people. For information, call Geri Engstrom @ 738-1141.

Mass Intentions

Monday, June 6

8:00 AM - Thomas O. Cannon
 9:00 AM - Carmela & Egidio Morra

Tuesday, June 7

8:00 AM - Frank Iadevaia
 9:00 AM - Petta & Mondrone Families

Wednesday, June 8

8:00 AM - Joseph DiFabbio
 9:00 AM - Lantelme & Yutuc Families

Thursday, June 9

8:00 AM - Ruth Mensierzao
 9:00 AM - Deceased members of the
 Heverin Family

Friday, June 10

8:00 AM - Maria Malave
 9:00 AM - Deceased members of Malaspina
 and Arfi Families

Saturday, June 11

8:00 PM - Donald Gorman
 9:00 PM - Sylvester Sambrato

ARCHDIOCESAN STEWARDSHIP APPEAL

We are in the final phase of this year's Appeal. If you have not as yet sent in a donation, please try to do it within the next few weeks. We need your help to reach our goal!

**2011-2012
 Religious Education Program**



Please note we are in the process of registration for new students in grades k-8. Please call the CCD office at 738-0670 for more information.

Re-registration mailing has been mailed to all families enrolled in the program. Please return information by June 8th.

THE URSULINE SISTERS

Would like to invite all women from 20-50 years of age to join together for a gathering of prayer and conversation. Sunday, June 12th from 2 to 4pm at the Ursuline Provincialate, 1338 North Ave., New Rochelle. If interested please contact Sr. Humphries at srjeannieosu@yahoo.com.

SCHOOL REGISTRATION

OLPH School is currently accepting applications from qualified students for the 2010 school year. If you are interested in information or to set an appointment for an interview please call the school at 738-5158.

Weekly Collection

	<u>2010</u>	<u>2011</u>
Last week's collection	\$7,732	\$7,222

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Second Time
 Kevin Kain & Alexandra Dziedzic

CONGRATULATIONS
GOLDEN JUBILARIANS

PHILIP & CATHARINE GREGWARE
SEBASTIAN & JOY DECHIARIO

SILVER JUBILARIANS

THOMAS & BRIDGET BENNETT
RALPH & ANNETTE MAURO
JOSEPH & DENISE KINSELLA
ANTHONY & KATHERINE GALIANI