

Church of Our Lady of Good Counsel - St. Thomas More

OLGC - 230 East 90th Street - STM - 65 East 89th Street
New York City, New York 10128



November 11, 2018

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SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE - OLGC

Saturday Evening: 5:30 p.m.
Sunday Morning: 9:00 a.m.
10:15 a.m. - Spanish Mass
11:30 a.m. - Choral Mass
Sunday Evening: 6:00 p.m.

SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE - STM

Saturday Evening: 5:45 p.m.
Sunday Morning: 8:30 a.m.
10:00 a.m. - Family Mass
Sunday Afternoon: 12:00 p.m. - Choral Mass
Sunday Evening: 5:45 p.m.

WEEKDAY MASSES - OLGC

Monday thru Friday: 9:00 am and 6:00 pm
Saturday: 9:00 am

WEEKDAY MASSES - STM

Monday thru Friday: 8:00 am and 12:15 pm
Saturday: 8:00 am and 12:15 pm

CONFESSIONS - OLGC

Monday thru Friday - 5:45 pm
Saturday 4:30 – 5:15 pm

CONFESSIONS - STM

Monday thru Friday
12:00 pm - 12:10 pm (before Mass)
Saturday 5:00 – 5:30 pm

BAPTISM

OLGC - 12:30 pm on Sunday
STM - 1:00 pm on Sunday
(Arrangements must be made six weeks in advance)

MARRIAGE

Arrangements should be made at least six months prior to the wedding

VISITS TO HOMEBOUND PARISHIONERS

Our clergy are happy to visit.
Call the parish office to arrange.

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Thirty Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

In the readings for the Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time, two widows are held up as models for the faith.

In the first reading, we hear about Elijah and the unnamed widow who follows Elijah's directives and trusts his words that "the Lord, the God of Israel," would miraculously save her and her son.

The Gospel reading holds up another widow as a model of faith. In the storyline of the Gospel of Mark, Jesus and the disciples have now made their final entry into Jerusalem. Tensions are high as Jesus and the religious leaders of Jerusalem publicly debate each other, with the Pharisees, Scribes, and Sadducees challenging and questioning Jesus' authority. Today's reading is set in the context of Jesus' criticism of the scribes who accept public praise and adulation but privately "devour the houses of widows." Observing the activities at the treasury in the Temple area, Jesus points out to his disciples the irony of the contributions of the rich and poor. He comments how the rich give large amounts of money to the treasury out of their "surplus wealth," but the widow offers only a few cents "from her poverty." Jesus teaches the disciples that the widow, in fact, made the more sacrificial contribution because she gave from "her whole livelihood."

Adapted from Liturgical Publications Inc, Connect! Uniting Word & World, Dr. Daniel J. Scholz

WEEKDAY BIBLE READINGS

Sun.: 1 Kgs 17:10-16; Heb 9:24-28;
Mk 12:38-44 or 12:41-44
Mon.: Ti 1:1-9; Lk 17:1-6
Tues.: Ti 2:1-8, 11-14; Lk 17:7-10
Wed.: Ti 3:1-7; Lk 17:11-19
Thur.: Phlm 7-20; Lk 17:20-25
Fri.: 2 Jn 4-9; Lk 17:26-37
Sat.: 3 Jn 5-8; Lk 18:1-8

Next Week's Second Collection Catholic Charities Campaign for Charity & Justice.

Your gift is an expression of love and solidarity with the poor and marginalized. You are helping parishes and community organizations address the social structures that threaten the dignity of the human person by promoting justice for all.

Thank you for your support.
Msgr. Kevin Sullivan,
Executive Director Catholic Charities
Archdiocese of New York

Separation/Divorce Support Group

The next meeting Nov. 21st (1st & 3rd Wednesday)
at 6:30pm in the STM Meeting Room.
stthomasmoresdc@yahoo.com or call 212-876-7718.

The Parish Book Club: The next meeting is scheduled for Thursday November 15th at 7PM in the STM Meeting Room. The current book is:

The Clockmaker's Daughter, by Kate Morton

Renew + Rebuild

Renew + Rebuild is a \$200 million initiative for all the parishes of the Archdiocese of New York.

The *Renew + Rebuild* campaign goal at Our Lady of Good Counsel and St. Thomas More Parish is \$3,000,000, which will address the following initiatives:

Initiative	Estimated Cost
<i>Renovating Office Space in OLGC Rectory (OLGC)</i>	\$10,000
Create Reception Area on First Floor of Rectory (STM)	\$10,000
<i>Air-conditioning of Parish Hall (OLGC)</i>	\$40,000
<i>Painting and lighting in Parish Hall (OLGC)</i>	\$40,000
Air-conditioning in Chapel (STM)	\$40,000
Repair of Bathrooms in Rectory (STM)	\$50,000
<i>Up-grade Bathroom in Parish Hall (OLGC)</i>	\$60,000
<i>Repair Church Organ and Replace Sound System (OLGC)</i>	\$70,000
<i>Bringing Interior walls of Parish Hall up to Fire Code (OLGC)</i>	\$80,000
Renovate and Air-conditioning of Rochester Room (STM)	\$250,000
Upgrade Church Basement (STM)	\$300,000
Upgrading of Heating System of Church / Rectory (STM)	\$350,000
Restoration Repair and Painting of Church Interior (STM)	\$400,000
<i>Repair of sidewalk/vault – in front of Church (OLGC)</i>	\$1,100,000
Total Parish Needs	\$2,800,000
2018 Cardinal's Annual Stewardship Appeal	\$118,000
Supporting the Broader NY Catholic Community	\$82,000*
Total Goal	\$3,000,000

Every family should have received campaign materials about this important effort. Please pray about your decision and return it to the Rectory, by mail or in the basket at Church. **If you have any questions, please visit the parish office.**

** Already covered by a very generous gift, at the onset of the campaign, from a former OLGC Parishioner.*

CHURCH OF OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL

Celebrant – Sunday Mass – Nov. 11th	
Sat 5:30pm	Fr. O'Hara OMI
Sun 9:00am	Fr. O'Hara OMI
Sun 10:15am	Bishop Iriondo (Spanish Community)
Sun 11:30am	Fr. Montgomery
Sun 6:00pm	Fr. O'Hara OMI

Lector/EM Mass Schedule		
<i>Nov 11</i>	<i>Lector</i>	<i>EM</i>
Sat 5:30pm	Tony Johnson	Mary Ann Batory
Sun 9:00am	Jamie Johnson	Sylvia Morales
Sun 10:15am	Dora Cardoso Santa Ibarra	Jose Ibarra Maria Noriega Enedelia Suarez
Sun 11:30am	Paula Cianci	Greg D'Uva
Sun 6:00pm	Carlos Cevallos	Eileen Clemen

Sunday – November 4, 2018
 Regular Collection - \$3,637.45
 Parish Operations - \$1,705.58
Attendance – 654

Celebrant – Sunday Mass – Nov. 18th	
Sat 5:30pm	Msgr. McCahill
Sun 9:00am	Fr. O'Hara OMI
Sun 10:15am	Bishop Iriondo (Spanish Community)
Sun 11:30am	Msgr. McCahill
Sun 6:00pm	Fr. Montgomery

Lector/EM Mass Schedule		
<i>Nov 18</i>	<i>Lector</i>	<i>EM</i>
Sat 5:30pm	Tony Johnson	Saz Sexigs
Sun 9:00am	Louisa Martin	Maria Nonni
Sun 10:15am	Altamir de Oliveira Gladys Muñoz	Gloria Albelo Gladys Muñoz Maria Muñoz
Sun 11:30am	Ike Omoruyi	Joseph McLaughlin
Sun 6:00pm	Ryan D'Uva	Carol Hopkins

Please remember the sick, especially
 Salvatore Badalamenti, Rosalie Bakal, Joanie Bausch, Carol Bohan, Maureen Bracken, Aurora Fernandez, The Gourin Family, Bernie Helgason, Veronica Martin, Dawn Martinez, Matilda Mondol, Socorro Muriel, Veronica Martin, Frank Meade, Dora Mintz, Jose Alberto Muga, Liz Riker, Nereida Rodriguez, Peter Rodriguez, Sarah Rodriguez, Kathleen Steed, Pinar Ust, Barbara Wass, Harriet & Charlie Weiss, and Lillian Wick.

MASS INTENTIONS AND FEAST DAYS AT OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL November 11 – November 17

Mon. November 12 *Parish Office Closed*
St. Josaphat

9:00 St Philomena for the Spiritual Guidance of all Priests
 6:00 George Garcia & Gladys Hart (D)

Tues. November 13 *St. Frances Xavier Cabrini*

9:00 Margaret McLoughlin (D)
 6:00 Mary Heney Breslin (D)

Wed. November 14

9:00 Palacios & Tibbey Families (D)
 6:00 Betty Clucci (D)

Thurs. November 15 *St. Albert the Great*

9:00 Colleen Gioviane (L)
 6:00 George Redman & Family (L & D)

Fri. November 16 *St. Margaret of Scotland*
St. Gertrude

9:00 Angel D. Gomez (D)
 6:00 Ketson Family (D)

Sat. November 17 *St. Elizabeth of Hungary*

9:00 Anna Delia Ambert (D)

Sunday Vigil

5:30 Peter Masterson (D)

Rosary prayed after 9am and 6pm Masses

OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL
 ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST STUDY GROUP - PRESENTS
Romero: The story of Archbishop Oscar Romero
Sunday, November 18th at 3:30pm - Parish Hall
 With the recent canonization of El Salvadoran Archbishop Oscar Romero, Paulist Productions has released the DVD of the 1989 movie Romero. The newly re-mastered film tells the story of Archbishop Romero — a bookish cleric turned lion — who in the face of persecution, refused to abandon his people and his duties as a priest. A voice for the oppressed and the impoverished, Archbishop Romero (played by the late Raul Julia) tried to peacefully and faithfully live Christ's teachings in the midst of inequality and violence against the poor and the Church in El Salvador.
 Contact: (212) 289-1742 for more info

Christian Meditation Wednesday, Nov. 14th at 6:00pm -
 STM Chapel Facilitator: Donald Main 415-336-2165
costmny@christianmeditation.us

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist: We are in great need of your help. Serve the parish as a Eucharistic Minister,
 For more information please call:
 212-876-7718 or email STMParishPrograms@gmail.com

EVENTS

Our Lady of Good Counsel

<u>DATE</u>	<u>EVENT</u>	<u>TIME</u>
11/10	Christmas Angel Program Begins	
11/11	Spanish Community	
	Flea Market & Coffee Hr	11:30am
	Concert of Remembrance	4pm
	AA Meetings 1:30 – 2:30 & 3:30 – 4:30pm	
11/12	Blue Army	10:00am
11/13	Legion of Mary - Spanish	9:30am
11/14	Senior Bingo	1pm
	Legion of Mary – English	2:30pm
11/18	Film – Archbishop Oscar Romero	3:30pm

OLGC Ushers Wanted and Needed

We want you to actively participate in the life of our parish and specifically we need Ushers to greet parishioners, distribute literature, help with collections, and assist with other tasks that our church community may require to promote its smooth and friendly operation. If you would like to take part in this important and necessary work, please contact the OLGC Parish Office at 212-289-1742.

Temple Shaaray Tefila

Interfaith Thanksgiving Service

Southwest corner of 79th Street & 2nd Avenue Tuesday, November 20, 2018 at 7:00pm.

You are invited to participate in this opportunity to connect with neighbors of all faiths and to share a message of peace. At the service, the Young People's Children's Chorus of NYC and the Temple Shaaray Tefila Volunteer Choir will sing. A pie and cider reception will follow the service.

Congratulations to all of the Confirmandi who received the Sacrament of Confirmation this past October 27th and a special thanks to Most Reverend Bishop John J. O'Hara who officiated at this important and beautiful ceremony.

Preparing for Baptism: To have your child baptized, Parents **MUST Pre-Register** for a Preparation Meeting and **Attend a Meeting** on the first Tuesday evening of the month at 7:00PM in the OLGC Rectory. **To Pre-Register call 212-289-1742** by 6pm on the day before the class. Baptisms take place on Sundays afternoons (12:30pm at OLGC & 1pm at STM).
THE NEXT SESSION WILL BE HELD ON TUESDAY DECEMBER 4TH

SENIOR CITIZEN HAIRCUT DAY

OLGC Parish Hall - Wednesday, Dec 5th From: 1PM-3PM***

Cost: Free Will Donation

SCHEDULE AN APPOINTMENT

Sign-up sheet in OLGC Parish Hall

Clients are requested to wash their hair prior to arrival. All haircuts are provided by Nancy Garcia, a licensed hair stylist

Donations will be used by Respect Life Committee to support women in need.

St. Thomas More

<u>DATE</u>	<u>EVENT</u>	<u>TIME</u>
11/10	Christmas Angel Program Begins	
11/11	Coffee Hour	11am
	Sandwich Making	12pm
11/12	Caregivercare – Italian Class	4pm
11/13	Leisure Lunch (After the 12:15 Mass)	
	Caregivercare – Italian Film	1:30m
	Caregivercare – Computer Class	5pm
11/14	Christian Meditation	6pm
11/15	Caregivercare – Socialization	5pm
11/16	Caregivercare – Physical Activity	4:30pm

Note: AA Meetings are held on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday (men's only) at 6:30pm in the Chelsea Room.

2018 – 2019 Youth & Family

Sandwich-Making

This school year community outreach program makes and delivers more than 250 sandwiches each month to the NY Common Pantry.

Our next event will be held on

***Sunday, Nov 11th, from 12noon – 1pm
in the Rochester Room.***

To sign up for this event, please use the following link

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30e0d49aeaf2ba4fb6-2018>.

Society of Saint Vincent de Paul

Christmas Angel Program

On Saturday and Sunday November 10 and 11th, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul will begin its annual Christmas Angel Program. This project, which was started at our Lady of Good Counsel four years ago and last year at St. Thomas More, asks our parishioners to purchase Christmas gifts of clothing for children in a low-income parish and school. If you need help or would like to become a member of our society, please email bobterrylosangeles@gmail.com. Contributions should be mailed to Our Lady of Good Counsel and made payable to The St. Vincent De Paul Society.

CONCERT OF REMEMBRANCE

**Veteran's Day – November 11th at 4pm
at the Church of Our Lady of Good Counsel**

The Concert will feature:

Works of: Bach, Chopin, Bartok and Arvo Part
With: Cellist, Anahit Gaskill, Pianist, Marjan Kieपुरa,
and Music Director, Joan Barton

OLGC – Religious Education Program – Annual Thanksgiving Food Drive - Sunday, Nov. 18th

This Food Drive will benefit the Franciscan Sisters the Renewal, Our Lady Queen of Angels Convent (East 113th Street). The Sisters operate a soup kitchen and a food pantry which offers food to individuals once a week. Donations may be left, **ONLY** on **Sunday November 18th**, in the donation baskets located in the back of OLGC Church or brought to OLGC Parish Hall from 9am-12pm.

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Wed. November 14

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12:15 Lawrence Guam (D)
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12:15 Monica Eloise Blanchette Walrond (D)
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St. Gertrude

8:00 Matias Serquenía (D)
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8:00
12:15

Sunday Vigil
5:45
Rosary prayed after 12:15pm Mass

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Sun 8:30am	Msgr. McCahill
Sun 10:00am	Fr. Andrew Seo MI
Sun 12 Noon	Fr. Tighe CSP
Sun 5:45pm	Fr. Montgomery

Lector/EM Mass Schedule		
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Sat 5:45pm	The Rosses	Vivian Hedges
Sun 8:30am	Louisa Martin	TBD
Sun 10:00am	Williams Family	Beverly O'Grady
Sun 12 Noon	Christine Stonbely	TBD
Sun 5:45pm	Jim Dillon	Diana Chiavetta

Sunday – November 4, 2018
Regular Collection - \$8,990.37
Attendance – 611

Celebrant – Sunday Mass – Nov. 18th	
Sat 5:45pm	Fr. Montgomery
Sun 8:30am	Fr. Madigan
Sun 10:00am	Fr. Madigan
Sun 12 Noon	Fr. Montgomery
Sun 5:45pm	Fr. O'Hara OMI

Lector/EM Mass Schedule		
<i>Nov 18</i>	<i>Lector</i>	<i>EM</i>
Sat 5:45pm	Margarita Barrera	Dr. Robert Guida
Sun 8:30am	TBD	TBD
Sun 10:00am	Osborne Family	Beverly O'Grady
Sun 12 Noon	Gisela White	Christine Stonbely
Sun 5:45pm	Chris Baldwin	Julie Shea

Annual Mission Co-op Appeal

This Weekend's Second Collection at STM is the Annual Mission Co-Op Appeal and we are happy to inform you that a member of the Servants Of Saint Camillus Disaster Relief Services will speak about their mission at each of our Masses. Through this appeal we are all reminded of our Christian Commitment to spread the Good News and it affords us a concrete way, through your generous support, to respond to that commitment.

*At this Sunday's Coffee Hour at STM, Mr. Robert (Bob) Terry will be honored for his myriad and outstanding contributions to our parish. Bob has been a stalwart benefactor of the Saturday Morning Breakfast program, a frequent usher at parish events and a leader of the St. Vincent de Paul Society. To honor Mr. Terry, he will be enrolled in the **Solanus Casey Guild**, and as an enrollee he will be remembered by the Capuchin order at their Masses.*

Sunday Coffee Hour

We extend our thanks to our volunteer **Katie & Jim Brennan** for hosting this Sunday's event, which is a wonderful way for parishioners to meet and get to know one another. We look forward to meeting you there after the 10:00am Family Mass.

You are also invited to become a STM Coffee Hour Volunteer

To volunteer, please use the following link:
<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090a48a4ad2baaff2-coffee>.
The parishioner volunteers are the heart of this important community outreach program and your participation will go a long way toward insuring its success in the future.

Children's Story & Craft: All Children are invited to listen to a story and do a craft in the Rochester Room.
Please help us – we need parent volunteers to read and organize activities. All materials provided!