

CHURCH OF SAINT VALENTINE

DEDICATION OF THE LATERAN BASILICA

NOVEMBER 9, 2025



Masses

Saturday Evening ----- 5:30 pm

Sunday ----- 8:00 am, 10:00 am & 12:00 pm

Monday to Saturday in the Chapel ... 12:00 pm

Holy Days ----- See the Bulletin

Rectory Office Hours ----- 9:00 am - 2:00 pm

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Served By

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Lisa Campanella ----- *Financial Trustee*
Iris Prsic ----- *Director of Music*
Jean Frucci ----- *Food Pantry Coordinator*

Our Mission Statement

The Roman Catholic Community of Saint Valentine is called to be a visible sign of God's presence in the world. Through celebration of the sacraments, especially through reconciliation and the Eucharist, we are sent out to proclaim and witness to the Gospel by our lives. We are therefore dedicated to serving others within our church, local communities and throughout the world. By loving God, neighbor and self we deepen our response to the Lord and to announce the Good News of salvation through Jesus Christ.

Sacraments

RECONCILIATION (CONFESSION)

At the Church, Saturdays at 12:45pm (after the 12:00pm mass in the Rectory Chapel). During the week, you can call the office to make an appointment with the Priest.

BAPTISMS

Parishioners who want Baptism for their children need to be registered, active members of the Church. The Baptism will be celebrated at the 12:00 Noon Sunday Mass. Parents and Godparents are required to attend a meeting in the Rectory. All Godparents must have received the sacrament of Confirmation.

MATRIMONY

All Catholics should only marry in the Catholic Church. A Catholic marriage requires a time of preparation of at least one year. Therefore, parishioners should meet with the Priest before making any arrangements of date and time, or booking of the banquet.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

If someone needs the sacrament of the sick, please call Fr Andrew Onyemaobi at 973-743-0220. Family members are invited to join in the liturgy of the Sacrament of the Sick.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM

Our program will be held at St. Valentine Church. For further information please reach out to our acting D.R.E.

Mrs. Marta Cirilli-Kuebler at faithformationstval@gmail.com.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, November 8

2nd Collection — For the Archdiocese, Military Services

12:00 pm Lewis DeVito (Deceased)

From: Christopher Terzo

5:30pm Roberta Fusaro (Deceased)

From: Marie Perriello

Sunday, November 9

2nd Collection — For the Archdiocese, Military Services

8:00am Nelson Fernandez (Deceased)

From: Carol & George Goldsworthy

10:00am Felisa Sapalasan (Deceased)

From: Sapalasan Family

12:00pm Anibal Vargas Troche (Deceased)

From: Wife & Daughter

Monday, November 10

12:00 pm Nannette & Bill Jacunski

(In Thanksgiving)

Tuesday, November 11

12:00 pm Chantelle A. Santos

(Birthday)

From: Elito & Divina



Wednesday, November 12

12:00 pm Adam Krawiec (Deceased)

From: Krysz & Jack Salvetta

Thursday, November 13

12:00pm Aldona Pilas (Deceased)

From: Your Daughters

Friday, November 14

12:00 pm Minnette Delos Santos

From: Bill & Nannette

Saturday, November 15

2nd Collection — Archdiocesan Assessment

12:00pm Gerardo Chanco (Deceased)

From: Ron & Adee Chanco

5:30pm Eric Balk (Deceased)

From: Carol Goldsworthy

Sunday, November 16 (33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time)

2nd Collection — Archdiocesan Assessment

8:00am Fr. Andrew Njoku (Birthday)

From: Desiree

10:00am Fr. Andrew Njoku (Birthday)

From: Elito & Divina Santos

12:00pm Theresa Novobilski

From: The Family

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First Reading: Ezekiel 47:1-2, 8-9, 12

This reading from the Prophet Ezekiel tells of the streaming, healing waters that flow from the temple. These waters restore life to the river's inhabitants as well as the fruit bearing trees along its banks. It is believed that the water signifies blessings, whereas the lack of signifies trouble, hardship

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 3:9c-11, 16-17

Paul compares us to a building whose foundation has been laid by Jesus. As the people of God, we can only be solid if we are grounded in Christ.

Gospel: John 2:13-22

Near the time of Passover, Jesus went up to Jerusalem and saw the temple had become a marketplace. He became angry and proceeded to drive out the vendors and livestock. Jesus spoke of destroying the temple and rebuilding it in three days. The Jews did not know Jesus was speaking of his body, but when his resurrection from the dead came to pass, his disciples remembered what Jesus had said and came to believe the Scripture and the word Jesus had spoken.

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Parish Giving

Sunday Collection (11/2/25)\$3,186.00

Maintenance..... \$ 280.00

World Mission..... \$ 25.00

All Souls..... \$ 714.00

TOTAL.....\$4,205.00

Electronic Giving _____ \$ 103.00

*Thank you for your generosity to your parish
& your continued stewardship.*

NEW PARISHIONERS

If you are new in the parish, we would appreciate it if you register. [Please PRINT clearly and drop in the collection]

Name _____ Address _____

Phone Number _____ E-Mail _____

New Registration Change of Address Moving Out of Parish

KID'S KORNER

Year C

Gospel Today

The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica | John 2:13-22

Jesus says He will **raise** the **Temple** in 3 days. He is talking about the death and resurrection of His body.

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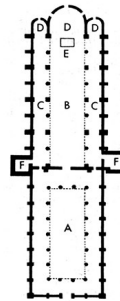
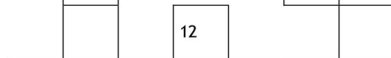
2. What Jesus would do to temple in 3 days
3. A large oblong church
4. Named in honor of
6. Pastor of St. John/head of church
7. Table for Sacrifice of the Mass
8. St. ____ the Baptist
10. Where is St. John Lateran
12. What Jesus will raise in 3 days

ACROSS

1. Main room or courtyard
3. A structure with a roof & walls
5. Vaulted, semi-circular recess
7. Brides walk down an ____.
9. Tall, narrow section of building
11. The height of the tower section
13. First built by what family?
14. Area used by congregation
15. Shape of Basilica



Answers are the **bold** and underlined text.



- A. Atrium
- B. Nave
- C. Aisle
- D. Apse
- E. High Altar
- F. Tower

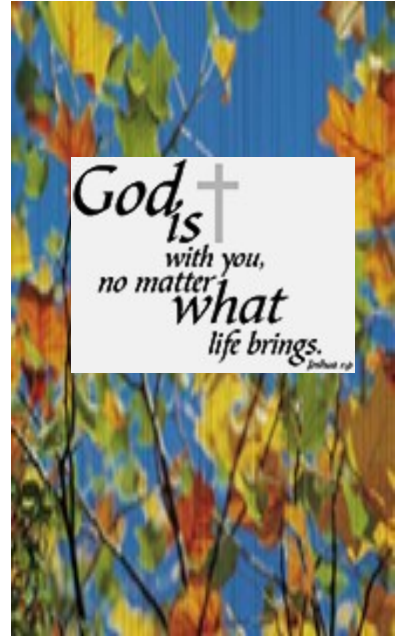
Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

What is a Basilica?

A large **oblong** shaped church **building**, having a **nave**, two or four aisles, one or more semi-circular vaulted apses, and a vaulted roof. It can also have an **atrium**, high **altar** and **tall** towers.

What is the Lateran Basilica?

The Lateran **Basilica** is a church constructed by the **Lateran** Family, officially named Archbasilica of the Most Holy Savior, St. John the Baptist and St. John the Evangelist at the Lateran. Being the Highest ranking Catholic church, it is the Cathedral of the Bishop of **Rome**, with the **Pope** as pastor. At the **dedication** of the Basilica, St. John Lateran is named in honor of St. **John** the Baptist and St. John the Evangelist.



FOOD PANTRY

You can donate:
Cereal, Macaroni & Cheese, Soups, Canned Vegetables, Tuna, Peanut Butter, Jelly, and Spaghetti Sauce.
You may bring your donations to the Vestibule of the Church before Mass or at the Rectory during office hours.
Thank you for your kind generosity!

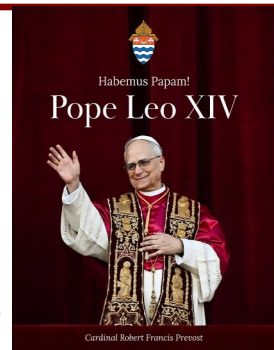


The Pope's Monthly Intentions

November

For the prevention of suicide

Let us pray that those who are struggling with suicidal thoughts might find the support, care, and love they need in their community, and be open to the beauty of life.



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Saturday, November 8

7:00pm Neo Catechumenal Eucharist (Chapel)

Sunday, November 9

No events scheduled

Monday, November 10

6:00pm Parish Listening Sessions

Tuesday, November 11

No events scheduled

Wednesday, November 12

6:00pm Parish Listening Sessions

7:00pm Neo Catechumenal Liturgy of the Word (Chapel)

Thursday, November 13

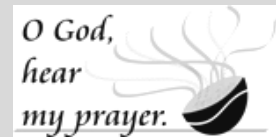
No events scheduled

Friday, November 14

7:00pm St Valentine Prayer Group

Please PRAY For The Healing of those listed :

- ◆ *Anita Juanco*
- ◆ *Jean Frucci*
- ◆ *Cameron Provines*
- ◆ *Janice Mannello*
- ◆ *Rosa Berthachavez Saul*
- ◆ *Damianus Aditya Christie & Joseph*
- ◆ *Nicole Ostering*
- ◆ *Mary Rende, /Faruk, Irfan, Tahsin & Sherit R. & her Sister and for Sema & her family*
- ◆ *Jacob (Maria DaCunha's Grandson)*
- ◆ *Alan Bruce Bradshaw*
- ◆ *Andrea Emilia Bernabey*
- ◆ *Gustavo & Caceres Family*
- ◆ *Rios Family*
- ◆ *Alonso Family*
- ◆ *Santa Cruz Family*
- ◆ *Denise Swantek*



DAILY READING

The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

Sunday

Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12; 1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17;
Jn 2:13-22

Monday

Wis 1:1-7; Lk 17:1-6

Tuesday

Wis 2:23—3:9; Lk 17:7-10

Wednesday

Wis 6:1-11; Lk 17:11-19

Thursday

Wis 7:22b—8:1; Lk 17:20-25

Friday

Wis 13:1-9; Lk 17:26-37

Saturday

Wis 18:14-16, 19:6-9; Lk 18:1-8

SAVE THE DATE:

Nov. 10 & 12rh "We are his Witnesses"

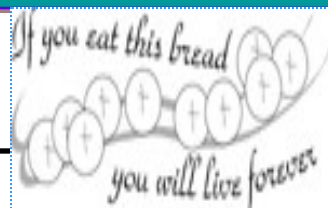
Parish Listening Sessions 6:00pm

Church Hall

Nov. 13th — Next Festival Planning Meeting 7:00pm

Church Hall





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| Bernadette Anderson | Bernice Leila Jackson |
| Gerardo Chanco | Pauline Kreder |
| Morris Colombrito | Michele Kurash |
| Elaine C. D'Onofrio | Helen Niemira |
| Gloria Ann Dabal | Teresa Novobilski |
| Gloria Dimiro | Maureen Pelc |
| George Dittrich | Anthony Puleo |
| Veronica (Roni) Dziewiatek | Stephen Rochacewicz |
| Raymond Heymach | David Rush |

*May these, and all who sleep in Christ,
find in your presence light, happiness, and peace.*