

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



August 13, 2017

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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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Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Theme/Call To Worship

The readings for the Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time remind us of God's presence in our moments of doubt and fear.

Introduction To The Word

1 Kings 19:9a, 11-13a: The first reading comes from the First Book of Kings and it is the concluding section to the larger story of the battle between the prophet Elijah and the prophets of Baal. In today's reading we hear how the Lord reached out to Elijah as "a tiny whispering sound" to comfort and encourage him.

Romans 9:1-5: For the second reading we hear from Paul's Letter to the Romans. In today's reading, Paul begins to address one of his more vexing problems: how do Jews and Gentiles fit into God's master plan for salvation history? More specifically, how do non-believing Jews fit into God's plan for salvation?

Matthew 14:22-33: In today's Gospel from Matthew, we hear the miracle story of Jesus walking on the water. In this reading, it is Peter who had the courage to speak for the other disciples, to follow Jesus' command and walk on the water, and it is Peter's instincts to call out to Jesus when he was sinking, "Lord, save me!" This exchange between Jesus and Peter reveals not only Jesus' divine nature, but also Peter's depth of faith and trust in the Lord when he was in fear. It was by learning to trust Jesus when all seemed lost that Peter and the disciples could profess in faith: "Truly, you are the Son of God."

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

WEEKDAY BIBLE READINGS

Sun.: 1 Kgs 19:9a, 11-13a; Rom 9:1-5;
Mt 14:22-33

Mon.: Dt 10:12-22; Mt 17:22-27

Vigil 1 Chr 15:3-4, 15-16, 16:1-2; 1
Cor 15:54b-57; Lk 11:27-28

Tues.: Rv 11:19a, 12:1-6a, 10ab; 1
Cor 15:20-27; Lk 1:39-56

Wed.: Dt 34:1-12; Mt 18:15-20

Thur.: Jos 3:7-10a, 11, 13-17; Mt 18:21—19:1

Fri.: Jos 24:1-13; Mt 19:3-12

Sat.: Jos 24:14-29; Mt 19:13-15

Have You Thought About Becoming Catholic?

**Or are You A Catholic Who Wants
To Be Confirmed?**

Come and Investigate. No Pressure.

Sessions to be held at

Our Lady of Good Counsel

7:30pm on Tuesdays, in the Fall

If this time does not work, please let us know!

To join or for more information, call the Parish

Office at

212-289-1742.

Preparing for Baptism

To Baptize your child, 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 OLGRC Rectory.

To Pre-Register call 212-289-1742

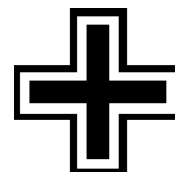
by 6pm on the day before the class.

Baptisms take place on Sundays afternoons
(12:30pm at OLGRC & 1pm at STM).

**THE NEXT SESSION WILL BE HELD ON
TUESDAY SEPTEMBER 5TH**

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.



CHURCH OF OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL

Who is saying Mass this Sunday?

Sat 5:30pm	Fr. Longinus
Sun 9:00am	Fr. Longinus
Sun 10:15am	Fr. Sheehan (Spanish Community)
Sun 11:30am	Fr. Maximo
Sun 6:00pm	Fr. O'Hara

Lector/EM Mass Schedule

<i>Aug 13</i>	<i>Lector</i>	<i>EM</i>
Sat 5:30pm	Tony Johnson	Mary Ann Batory
Sun 9:00am	Louisa Martin	Marie Nonni
Sun 10:15am	Spanish Community	
Sun 11:30am	Paula Cianci	Joe McLaughlin
Sun 6:00pm	Ryan Richard	Carol Hopkins

Lector/EM Mass Schedule

<i>Aug 20</i>	<i>Lector</i>	<i>EM</i>
Sat 5:30pm	Tony Johnson	Sazs Sexigs
Sun 9:00am	Terry O'Connor	Sylvia Morales
Sun 10:15am	Spanish Community	
Sun 11:30am	Chris Williams	Kathleen Arffmann
Sun 6:00pm	Brian Daley	Gladys Cruz

OLGC Breakfast Program Volunteers Needed !

Are you an early bird? Do you want to help feed the hungry? Are you someone who can make a true one-day-a-week commitment? More volunteers are needed to help set-up, serve, and clean up from 6:30 am-8:30 am every Saturday Morning at our Saturday Morning Breakfast Program. Dedicated parishioners have been cooking and providing a hot breakfast for the homeless and hungry every Saturday morning for decades. Would you like to help? Call the rectory 212-289-1742 for more info.

[Catholicnyc.com](http://catholicnyc.com) is the official resource, provided by the Archdiocese of New York. Whether it is an upcoming event, searching for a mass time, a ministry or educational resource, [CatholicNYC.com](http://catholicnyc.com) is there to serve.

To contact [CatholicNYC.com](http://catholicnyc.com), use the following <http://catholicnyc.com/contact-us/>

For their list of volunteer opportunities please go to <http://catholicnyc.com/volunteer-program/>

MASS INTENTIONS AND FEAST DAYS AT OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL AUGUST 13 – AUGUST 19

Mon. August 14 *St. Maximilian Kolbe*

9:00 Maria Zamora (D)

Anticipatory Mass

6:00 Margaret McLoughlin (D)

Tues. August 15 *The Assumption of the BVM*

9:00 Souls in Purgatory

6:00 Thanksgiving - Sabastin Family

Wed. August 16 *St. Stephen of Hungary*

9:00 St Philomena for the Spiritual Guidance of all Priests

6:00 Phill Dembo (D)

Thurs. August 17

9:00 Margaret McLoughlin (D)

6:00 John P Kehoe (D)

Fri. August 18

9:00 Roxana Yanes (L)

6:00 Dulce Maria Pacheco (D)

Sat. August 19 *St. John Eudes*

9:00 Claudia Apicella (D)

Sunday Vigil

5:30 Atabi Gonzalez (D)

St. Vincent DePaul : Please help the Society of St. Vincent de Paul bring respite and hope to the elderly who are not able to find relief from the summer heat.

If you know someone who needs assistance, contact the Society of St. Vincent de Paul so that together we can help.

To make a contribution please drop off your envelope at the OLGC rectory or mail it to:

Our Lady of Good Counsel Church,
230 East 90 Street, New York, NY 10128.

Please mark your envelope - Attn.: Society of SVDP and make your check payable to: Society of SVDP of Our Lady of Good Counsel Conference

***Next Sunday's Second Collection at
OLGC is our monthly collection
to help support our
Church Maintenance Program.***

EVENTS

Our Lady of Good Counsel

<u>DATE</u>	<u>EVENT</u>	<u>TIME</u>
8/13	Spanish Community Coffee Hour	11:30am
	St. John the Baptist Study Group	2:30pm
	AA Meetings 1:30 – 2:30 & 3:30 – 4:30pm	
8/14	Blue Army	after 9am Mass
8/15	Legion of Mary - Spanish	6pm
8/16	Legion of Mary – English	2:30pm
8/19	Saturday Morning Breakfast	7 - 8:30am
	AA – Anti-Anxiety Meeting	11:30am
8/20	Spanish Community Coffee Hour	11:30am
	AA Meetings 1:30 – 2:30 & 3:30 – 4:30pm	

St. Thomas More

<u>DATE</u>	<u>EVENT</u>	<u>TIME</u>
8/13	Family Coffee Hour	11am
8/16	Christian Meditation	6pm
8/20	Family Coffee Hour	11am
8/23	Christian Meditation	6pm

Note: AA Meetings are held on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday evenings at 6:30pm in the Chelsea Room.

Caregivercare

Dementia Services New York Smart Food for a Healthy Brain

Our mission is to encourage life styles that are healthy for the brain, to support family caregivers of those suffering from dementia and to promote non-pharmacological interventions for the patients.

Program Administrators:

Stefano Marracino and Gianni Perillil

Place: STM Rochester Room

When: One Thursday Per Month
(Dates to be Determined)

September 2017 to January 2018

Time: 1pm to 4pm.

Description of the program: The goal of the program is to promote a healthy diet for the brain such as the Mediterranean diet. We will introduce every session with a talk about how diet can impact on social life and health.

During each session, the chef will prepare a dish included in the list of dishes considered healthy for the brain based on scientific evidence. The chef will involve the audience (mainly the elderly) during the preparation of the dish, use the projector to illustrate the topic and answer questions from the participants before and after serving the dish

When available, the live accompaniment of a pianist will be included to promote a serene atmosphere.

The program **Smart Food for a Healthy Brain** is one of the programs provided by GP Dementia Services New York at St. Thomas More Church to promote neuroprotective activities. All the programs of GP Dementia Services New York are free of charge.

For more information about Caregivercare, please email info@caregivercare.org

Please remember the sick, especially

Salvatore Badalamenti, America Borda, The Carton Family, Lovonia Cisse, The Forte Family, The Gourin Family, Bernie Helgason, Nebojsa Jermic, Socorro Muriel, Mary Ellen Nugent Lee, Natalia Lutov, Veronica and Augustine Martin, Frank Meade, Liz Riker, Lisa Robbins, Sam Robert, Joseph Rosenbaum Mary Villanueva and Harriet & Charlie Weiss

***And all the faithfully departed,
that they may see God.***

To add a name or to keep a name on the list, please contact the rectory at the beginning of each month.

JESUS: THE JEW WHO DIVIDED HISTORY

The "St. John the Baptist Study Group" will be showing the second in a six part film series **Israel: A Journey Through Time**. This series not only depicts the modern Israeli landscape, but also features realistic descriptions, making it easy to imagine what the land looked like over the centuries.

This second film, which completely focuses on Jesus, discusses how the life of one Man could have such an impact throughout history, is **JESUS: THE JEW WHO DIVIDED HISTORY**, will be shown on Sunday, August 13, 2017 at 2:30pm in the OLCG Parish Hall. All parishioners are welcome.

CHURCH OF ST. THOMAS MORE

Who is saying Mass this Sunday?

Sat 5:45pm	Msgr. McCahill
Sun 8:30am	Fr. O'Hara
Sun 10:00am	Msgr. McCahill
Sun 12:00pm	Fr. Madigan
Sun 5:45pm	Fr. Madigan

Lector/EM Mass Schedule

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Sat 5:45pm	Margarita Barrera	Sharon McKenna
Sun 8:30am	TBD	TBD
Sun 10:00am	Branche Family	Barry O'Grady
Sun 12:00pm	Jacqueline Ackerina	Barbara Terry
Sun 5:45pm	Jim Sterling	Julia Shea

Lector/EM Mass Schedule

<i>Aug 20</i>	<i>Lector</i>	<i>EM</i>
Sat 5:45pm	Nick Farnham	Sharon McKenna
Sun 8:30am	Louisa Martin	TBD
Sun 10:00am	Kehoe Family	TBD
Sun 12:00pm	Gisela White	Greg Gorra
Sun 5:45pm	Chris Baldwin	Sharon McKenna

Sunday Coffee Hour

We extend our thanks to our volunteer 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.

Christian Meditation

August 16th - 6:00pm - Chapel

Location: St. Thomas More - 65 East 89th St

Manhattan Group Facilitator:

Donald Main - 415-336-2165

costmnycc@christianmeditation.us

The **St. Thomas More Book Club** will not meet for the months of August. We will resume our next book club meeting on Tuesday, September 19th at 7:00 p.m. in the Meeting Room. We will discuss, *Death Comes for the Archbishop*, by Willa Cather. **We look forward to seeing everyone in the Fall.**
All are welcome!

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Wed. August 16 *St. Stephen of Hungary*

8:00

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Thurs. August 17

8:00

*12:15

Fri. August 18

8:00

*12:15

Sat. August 19 *St. John Eudes*

8:00

*12:15

Sunday Vigil

5:45 Deacon Patrick Troy (D)

***Rosary prayed after 12:15pm Mass**

FRASSATI SUMMER HOLY HOUR

Sunday, August 20

Frassati Fellowship Catholic Young Adults of NYC

invites you to a Summer Holy Hour

with praise and worship music

confessions will be available

St Vincent Ferrer Church (869 Lexington Ave)

Sunday, August 20

Vespers at 5:30pm, Mass at 6pm

Holy Hour from 7-8pm

More info at [http://frassati.nyc/holy-hours-and-](http://frassati.nyc/holy-hours-and-dinners/)

[dinners/](http://frassati.nyc/holy-hours-and-dinners/) or email: contact@frassati.nyc

Save the Dates:

Youth & Family Sandwich Making

Sundays - 12PM - STM Rochester Room

Sep 24, Oct 22, Nov 12, Dec 10, Jan 21, Feb

11, Mar 11, Apr 22, May 6 and Jun 10