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Fr. Robert A. Romeo, Pastor



“Come out of him!”

-Mark 1:21-28

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time
January 29, 2012

Mass Schedule



Daily Mass	8am
Sunday Masses	Saturday: 5pm Vigil; Sunday: 8am, 10:15am
Holy Day Masses	5pm Vigil; 8am, 7pm

4th Sunday in Ordinary Time, January 29

Deut 18:15-20; 1 Cor 7:32-35; Mark 1:21-28

5pm
8am (Anne Marie Conti)
10:15am (Parishioners)

Monday, January 30

2 Samuel 15:13-14, 30; 16:5-13; Mark 5:1-20

Celebrant: Fr. Azubuike

Tuesday, January 31

2 Sam 18:9-10, 14b, 24-25a, 30-19:3; Mk 5:21-43

Celebrant: Fr. Azubuike

Wednesday, February 1

2 Samuel 24:2, 9-17; Mark 6:1-6

Celebrant: Fr. Bob

Thursday, February 2

Mal 3:1-4 or Heb 2:14-18; Lk 2:22-40 or 2:22-32

Celebrant: Fr. Bob

First Friday, February 3 (Angelo D'Avino)

Sirach 47:2-11; Mark 6:14-29

Celebrant: Fr. Bob

First Saturday, February 4

1 Kings 3:4-13; Mark 6:30-34

Celebrant: Fr. Bob

Minister's Schedule

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ January 29

5pm Vigil

Lectors:

Ministers:

Fr. Bob

Blanche & Eric Tyrkko

Irma & Bill Berkley

Eileen & Paul Bowersock

8am

Lector:

Ministers:

Fr. Azubuike

Jovanna Lemonda

Peggy Niper, Marie Agosta

Laura Andrysiak, Donna Darling

10:15am

Lector:

Children's Liturgy:

Ministers:

Fr. Bob

Eileen Moran

Laureen Feehan

Camille Miritello, Sue Moran

Rosemary & John Murello

Vito Passalacqua, Tom Ryan

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ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

In the Gospel today we read that because Jesus spoke with authority his reputation spread throughout the surrounding region of Galilee. As his disciples, we can also speak with authority when we put our faith into actions by helping the poor and suffering. This month, through your gifts, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul was able to assist many families by providing money for food, utility and rent bills, etc.



Thank you for all your support!

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Come join the St. Vincent de Paul Society
and be a communal part of your parish.

Call 822-3132.

Helping Hands Helping Others

The Lord works in wondrous ways and so do the parishioners of St. Boniface Martyr. This past December, a family from our parish approached our St. Vincent de Paul Conference with the offering that their children would like to donate their "potential" Christmas gifts to others less blessed with bounty.

With this very generous donation, our Vincentians were able to buy a large variety of clothing and toys for three local families. Wrapped and delivered, all was gratefully accepted. The host family requested no recognition. Surely the Lord knows.

Great is the Lord

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(sing this line two times)



Great is the Lord, He is ho - ly and just, by His pow - er we trust in His love. _____
Great is the Lord, He is faith - ful and true, by His mer - cy He proves He is love. _____


(sing these 3 lines two times)



Great is the Lord, and wor - thy of glo - ry. Great is the Lord, and wor - thy of praise.
Great are You, Lord, and wor - thy of glo - ry. Great are you, Lord, and wor - thy of praise.



Great is the Lord, now lift up your voice, now lift up your voice:
Great are you, Lord, I lift up my voice, I lift up my voice:



Great _____ is the Lord! _____
Great _____ are you, Lord! _____



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Dear Parishioners,

All Saints Regional Catholic School will be celebrating Catholic Schools Week beginning Sunday, January 29, with an opening Liturgy at 10:14am at St. Patrick's Church. The Mass will be followed by our annual Open House for current and prospective families from 11:30am to 1:30pm. If you are a past graduate of All Saints, St. Patrick's, St. Boniface or St. Mary's, please stop by and visit with us.

Each day during Catholic Schools Week, the children will be involved in various activities centered on the theme of "Faith, Academics and Service—Catholic Schools." *Activities during the week will include opening and closing liturgies, a canned food drive, a Science Fair, praying the rosary for peace, a student talent show, Spirit Day featuring a student/teacher volleyball game, Vocation Day highlighted by our 8th Graders teaching for the day, a volunteer "thank you" breakfast and a teachers' luncheon.*

Once again, I urge you to drop by... and if you know anyone seeking a quality education based on Christian values...please tell them about us!

Sincerely,
James W. Thompson
Principal

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED

Please pray for our parishioners who have entered into eternal life, especially *Shaun Brala*.



Placement of names on the sick list must be requested by an immediate family member through Fr. Bob. Names will be announced at weekend Masses for 3 weeks and then listed in the bulletin only.

Christina Bavaro, Judith Bramfeld, Valentina Bravin, Mae Caffney, George Bohn, Lucille Cappiello, Ronald Caputo, Resurreccion and Caesar Cavese, John Cini, William J. Dobrowski, John Duignan, Sam Giordano, Mara Grayson, Sandra Haberle, Carol Hartney, Baby Jack, Janine D. Kelly, Ernest Longobucco, Robert Lynch, John McGrath, Larry Martone, James Molloy, Baby Max, Catherine Mortell, Mike Napoli, Gloria Weis, Carolann White.

PRAY FOR OUR ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ MILITARY

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Flight Lieutenant Joseph Doyle
Pvt. Gregory Knox
Commander Brett Korade
Lieutenant (Junior Grade) Brian McMenamin
Lieutenant (Junior Grade) Ian McMenamin
Private First Class Joshua McMillan
Captain Christina Merrick
Lieutenant Drew Whitting, USN.

PRAYER GROUP

Mondays 7:30pm in the Chapel.
All welcome. Come and bring a friend! Call John & Rosemary Murello at 676-2767 for more information.



**ST. BONIFACE HOLY HOUR
AND BENEDICTION**
Wednesdays at 2pm in the Chapel

PRAYER VIGIL FOR THE SICK
Thursdays 7pm -7:30pm
in the Chapel



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Thank you for your financial
Stewardship
of \$7486 last week.

There will be a second collection next
week for *The Church in Need*.
Thank you for your generosity!

Court Patricia #346, of Catholic Daughters of America, will hold its next monthly meeting **February 6**, at 11am in the Parish Center.

Play BINGO! at the Knights of Columbus Hall in Glen Cove at 7:15pm every Friday night. All proceeds go to charity, including our St. Boniface Outreach Program. Join us!

5% DONATION



“Your plenty at the present time should supply their needs so that their surplus may in turn one day supply your need.” (II Cor 8:14)

If you have any “plenty” left over, please place it in an envelope marked “**For Special Assistance**” and Fr. Bob will make sure it is given to those “to supply their need.” **PLEASE PRAY** about this and see what

ST. BONIFACE BIBLE STUDY

Resumes January 19

7:30pm Thursdays in the Parish Center.
All are welcome. Call John or Rosemary at 676-2767.



THE CHAPLET OF DIVINE MERCY

“Be merciful, just as your Father is merciful,” from Saint Faustina’s diary;

Fridays at 3pm in the Chapel

MIRACULOUS MEDAL NOVENA

The Miraculous Medal Novena, with the veneration of the relic of St. Catherine Labore, is prayed **each Saturday after the 8am Mass** in the Chapel.

LAY CARMELITES

of Blessed Titus Brandsma meets every **third Saturday of the month** at 9am in the Parish Center. Call Flora at 656-9375 or Pat at 887-7265 for details.

ROSARY

Monday-Saturday after 8am Mass in the Chapel.

Saint Boniface Martyr Parish
presents:

Mardi Gras ~ Casino Night



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P. S. Did we mention FUN?!

Take Five for Faith

Sunday, January 29

Catholic schools in the United States had a rough start. Partly in response to the religious bias (not to mention anti-Catholicism) in the public schools, the first Plenary Council of Baltimore (1852) mandated that every Catholic parish establish a school. The campaign was so successful that riots ensued, incited by groups such as the Know-Nothing Society, which was committed to eliminating “foreign influence, popery, Jesuitism, and Catholicism” in all aspects of American life. We have come a long way. This year’s theme for Catholic Schools Week, “Faith, Academics, Service,” highlights the three pillars of Catholic education. How can you promote these values?

Monday, January 30

The expression “inner demons” captures something of the helplessness that those in the grip of negative behaviors feel. The ancients took that phrase literally, believing that illness was due to divine punishment for sin or demons taking up temporary residence in a person. The remedy was to seek forgiveness or a healer who could rid you of the bad spirits. While most people nowadays don’t believe that sicknesses and personality problems come from evil spirits or God’s wrath, there is still the need for reaching out to others for help when you cannot help yourself. Medical and other professionals, counselors, family, friends, and especially Jesus the Healer in prayer provide that assistance.

Tuesday, January 31

Feast of John Bosco, priest

Saint John Bosco was born in Italy in 1815 into a family of farm workers. He became a priest and a teacher, devoting his life to the care and education of abandoned and neglected children. His approach was considered novel at the time: He used love instead of the threat of punishment to shape the behavior of his students. John embraced the spirituality of Saint Francis de Sales and dedicated his work to him when he founded the Society of St. Francis de Sales (also known as the Salesians of Don Bosco). How can you support teachers and those who care for children? What are some ways you, in the spirit of John Bosco, can extend love, compassion, and respect to children, especially those most in need?

Wednesday, February 1

Would you ever consider stopping all you are doing and going in an entirely different direction? With obligations to family and jobs it’s unlikely you would suddenly turn your back on your responsibilities to pursue something else, but in a way that’s

what the first apostles did. Their recognition of Jesus to be the savior was immediate and their decision to literally drop everything was just as abrupt. They saw something so compelling and necessary for their lives that they had no hesitation in following him on the spot. You might not imitate their footloose example to the letter, but their actions do show how quick disciples of Jesus should be, whatever their situation, to respond without hesitation!

Thursday, February 2

Feast of the Presentation of the Lord; World Day of Consecrated Life

In announcing the first World Day of Consecrated Life in 1997, Pope John Paul II remarked that February 2, the Feast of the Presentation of Jesus in the Temple, was selected because it is “an eloquent icon of the total offering of one’s life for all those who are called to show forth in the church and in the world . . . ‘the characteristic features of Jesus—the chaste, poor, and obedient one.’ ” Today we honor and cherish those who have taken vows to religious life, and we can also reflect on how all of us are called to consecrate our lives in service to God and humanity. How will you serve?

Friday, February 3

Feast of Blaise, bishop, martyr

One of the most popular traditional devotions in the church is the blessing of throats on this day, invoking the intercession of Saint Blaise, whose feast we celebrate. Blaise was arrested in 316 A.D. during a persecution of Christians, and on the way to prison tradition has it that he miraculously healed a young child who was choking. After his death the story of the cure spread throughout the region of present-day Armenia, and through the centuries the devotion grew. Blaise was also a physician, and today is a good day to give thanks for the many miracles that modern medicine also makes possible. Thanks to modern medicine, many are alive and well today (perhaps including you or a loved one) who would not have been so in centuries past.

Saturday, February 4

Feast of the Blessed Virgin Mary

The monk and author Thomas Merton wrote: “There is no true solitude except interior solitude.” Solitude does not have to be a physical place, though it can be, nor does it have to involve silence, though it might. Rather, as Merton said, solitude is an inner space where you can rest quietly and alone in God’s presence—with no expectations and perhaps no words either—and experience the grace of God for what it is: a freely given gift you do not have to earn. Today, a Saturday and the traditional day for remembering Mary, join her in solitude to keep “all these things in your heart.”

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Office Hours: 9am-12:30pm & 1:30pm-4:30pm, Monday-Friday

Parish Registration: We welcome all new members of our parish family. We ask all parishioners to welcome and invite new neighbors and their families to become a part of St. Boniface Martyr Parish. Parish registration (census) forms available by the main doors of the church and in the parish office for new members. Please return completed forms to the parish office.

Baptism: Parents wishing to present a child for Baptism should be registered members of St. Boniface Martyr Parish. Parents are required to have a Baptism Preparation Interview and attend a Baptism class. Baptisms are celebrated on the last Sunday of the month. Godparents must be fully initiated members of the Catholic Church (having received the sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist), and provide a sponsor certificate. Please call 676-0676 to pre-arrange.

Marriage: Couples wishing to be married should call the parish office before any other arrangements are made. A minimum of six months is needed for marriage preparations.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA): An ongoing process of formation for those who ever wonder if they should become "Catholic". If interested, please call Fr. Bob at 676-0676.

Reconciliation (Confession): Saturdays from 4pm to 4:30pm in the church unless otherwise indicated. ❖



The next **High School Youth Group** will be meeting on **Sunday, January 29th** from 6pm-8pm in the youth center. All are welcome!

The Youth Group will be participating in a **Midnight Run** this year on **Saturday, February 18th** in NYC. Midnight Run is an organization established to connect youth groups to the homeless of New York. Our Youth Group will be collecting new and gently used clothing, toiletries and food from the parish and delivering the supplies in person to those in need during the night of February 18th. This type of profound experience is not only an opportunity for the youth, but for the parish as a whole to come together and be hands of Christ to those most in need. If you wish to donate *new or gently used clothing* please take an item from the clothesline on the altar and return it to the baskets under the clothesline no later than **February 4th**. Your donations and prayers are greatly appreciated as we journey through this awesome experience!

For an updated schedule of youth group events please join our Facebook page 'St. Boniface Martyr Youth Group' or email the youth minister, Chris, at stbonym@gmail.com

384 Winners

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