

Mass Intentions for the Week



Sunday, February 9th
Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8 AM St. Joseph's Parishioners
10 AM Raymond Jamison *(D)*
12 PM Roberta Fitzgerald *(D)*
2 PM Celebrant's Intention
6 PM James Grady *(D)*

Monday, February 10th
7 AM Clementa Portelli *(D)*
12:15 PM Leopoldo & Leonardo B.
De Ocampo *(D)*

Tuesday, February 11th
7 AM Celebrant's Intention
12:15 PM Michael & Karen Keane *(L)*

Wednesday, February 12th
7 AM Ernestine Wallner *(L)*
12:15 PM Susan Kohler *(D)*

Thursday, February 13th
7 AM Joanna Merren *(L)*
12:15 PM Pat Hogan *(L)*

Friday, February 14th
7 AM Nicole & JP McInerney *(L)*
12:15 PM Mike & MaryAnn
McInerney *(L)*

Saturday, February 15th
8 AM Irene Carrano *(D)*
12:15 PM Ann “Annie” Chambers *(D)*
4 PM Sally Peluchette *(D)*

Healing After Abortion: Do you know someone who is carrying the grief of a past abortion? There is always hope. The pain and sorrow of abortion does not need to endure for a lifetime. A “Day of Prayer and Healing” offers the opportunity to experience the love and mercy of God and to respond to His invitation to begin the journey of healing the wound of abortion. Upcoming dates in the NYC area are:

In English: March 15 & May 31, 2025 In Spanish: May 17, 2025

For more dates, locations, and confidential registration, or just to talk to a Sister, please call the Sisters of Life at (866)-575-0075 (toll free) or reach us by email at hopeandhealing@sistersoflife.org.

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Pastor's Letter

Fr. Gerald E. Murray

Dear Parishioners,

Tuesday February 11th is the Feast of our Lady of Lourdes. It is also World Day of the Sick. Pope Francis wrote in his Message for this day:

“We are celebrating the 33rd World Day of the Sick in the Jubilee Year 2025, in which the Church invites us to become “pilgrims of hope”. The word of God accompanies us and offers us, in the words of Saint Paul, an encouraging message: “Hope does not disappoint” (*Rom 5:5*); indeed, it strengthens us in times of trial.

“These are comforting words, but they can also prove perplexing, especially for those who are suffering. How can we be strong, for example, when our bodies are prey to severe, debilitating illnesses that require costly treatment that we may not be able to afford? How can we show strength when, in addition to our own sufferings, we see those of our loved ones who support us yet feel powerless to help us? In these situations, we sense our need for a strength greater than our own. We realize that we need God’s help, his grace, his Providence, and the strength that is the gift of his Spirit.”

Friday February 14th is St. Valentine’s Day. Happy Valentine’s Day!

The Cardinal’s Annual Appeal is underway here at St. Joseph’s. This annual fundraising drive helps Cardinal Dolan carry out the pastoral, charitable and educational works of the Archdiocese of New York. Our parish goal this year is \$102,400. So far 11 donors have pledged or contributed \$22,275. If you received a Cardinal’s Appeal mailing, please use the enclosed donation envelope to make your gift. Thank you to all who have already, or will soon, donate to the Cardinal’s Appeal.

I have a weekly radio program every Thursday at 3 PM on EWTN Radio. Tune in on the EWTN app.

God bless you!

Fr. Gerald E. Murray, Pastor

Please take home a copy of the bulletin. Thank You.

Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil Mass 4 PM
Sunday Masses 8 AM, 10 AM, 12 PM,
2 PM (*Hungarian Mass*), 6 PM

Weekday Masses 7 AM and 12:15 PM
Saturday Masses 8 AM and 12:15 PM
Holy Days of Obligation 6 PM Vigil, 7 AM
12:15 PM and 6 PM

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BAPTISMS

Baptism is scheduled on an individual basis.

SACRAMENT OF CONFESSION-RECONCILIATION

Confessions: Saturdays, 3:30 -3:45 pm; Sundays, 9:30 - 9:55 AM and 11:30 - 11:55 AM

MARRIAGES

Arrangements must be made at least six months in advance.

HOLY HOUR

First Friday of each month following 12:15 PM Mass

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Sundays from 3:15 PM to 5:30 PM

HOLY COMMUNION TO THE HOMEBOUND

Please contact the rectory

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION FOR CHILDREN – CCD

Please contact St. Ignatius Loyola Parish 212-288-3588, www.stignatiusloyola.org

The church is open Monday through Friday from 6:30 AM to 6:00 PM,
Saturday from 7:30 AM to 5 PM, and Sunday from 7:00 AM to 7:00 PM.
The parish office is open Monday through Friday from 8:30 AM to 6:00 PM.