

JANUARY 17, 2016

# Saint Peter - Our Lady of the Rosary Parish



**The Oldest Catholic Parish in New York State (founded 1785)**

## ST PETER'S CHURCH

22 Barclay Street  
New York, NY 10007

### MASS

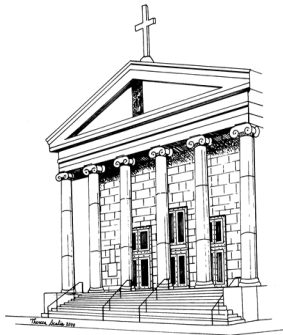
**Sunday:** 8:00 am, 9:30 am,  
12 noon

**Saturday:** 8:00 am, 4:00 pm

**Weekday:** 7:10 am, 7:45 am,  
12:05 pm, 1:05 pm

### CONFESSION

**Weekday:** 7:45-8:15 am, 12:00-  
1:30 pm



## PARISH OFFICE

### Temporary address

7 World Trade Center • New York, NY 10007  
(212) 233-8355

**ONLINE:** Website [www.spcolr.org](http://www.spcolr.org) and Facebook

**OFFICE HOURS:** Weekdays 10:30 am-3:30 pm

## OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY

(St Elizabeth Ann Seton Shrine)

7 State Street  
New York, NY 10004  
(212) 269-6865

### MASS

**Sunday:** 11:00 am

**Saturday:** no scheduled services

**Weekday:** 8:05 am, 12:15 pm

### CONFESSION

**Weekday:** 12-12:15 pm or by appointment



## PARISH STAFF:

Rev. Joseph Tyrrell (Pastor)

Msgr. Thomas Bergin (Administrator)

Rev. Dominic Obour (Parochial Vicar)

Rev. Paul Baffour Awuah (Parochial Vicar)

Rev. Donald Fussner

Rev. Msgr. Robert O'Connor

Rev. Msgr. Leslie Ivers

Rev. Robert Jeffers

Deacon James Brown (Business Manager)

William Alvarado (Maintenance)

George S. Nowak (Organist)

John Behrens (Organist)

Andrew Klima (Organist)

Maiwenn Jaffres-Bell (Religious Education)

Mary Paolicelli (Catechesis of the Good Shepherd)

## ST JOSEPH'S CHAPEL

(Mission of St. Peter's Church)

385 South End Avenue  
New York, NY 10280

### MASS

**Sunday:** 10:00 am,  
12 noon, 7:30 pm

**Saturday:** no scheduled services

**Weekday:** 7:30 am, 12:10 pm

### CONFESSION

15 min after Mass or by appointment



## BAPTISM

Please arrange at least six weeks in advance.

## WEDDING

Please arrange a year in advance, if possible.

## MISSION OF OUR PARISH

We are a Roman Catholic parish encompassing St Peter's Church, Our Lady of the Rosary Church (Seton Shrine) and St Joseph's Chapel. We are the first Catholic parish in New York State but our legacy in Lower Manhattan predates the American Revolution. The parish has served as a safe haven in the past for the needy immigrants and victims and rescue personnel in the wake of 9/11. St Elizabeth Ann Seton and Venerable Pierre Toussaint performed works of charity in the parish that inspire us to serve area residents and multitudes visiting from around the world.



## MASS INTENTIONS

**ST. PETER'S CHURCH**

MONDAY, January 18

—Martin Luther King Day Office Closed —

8:00 AM Theresa DeCesare ☩  
11:00 AM Frank Simmonds ☩

TUESDAY, January 19

7:10 AM  
7:45 AM ☩  
12:05 PM Wilda C Theagene (Living)  
1:05 PM The Theagene Family ☩

WEDNESDAY, January 20

7:10 AM  
7:45 AM ☩  
12:05 PM ☩  
1:05 PM ☩

THURSDAY, January 21

7:10 AM  
7:45 AM  
12:05 PM ☩  
1:05 PM

FRIDAY, January 22

7:10 AM  
7:45 AM  
12:05 PM ☩  
1:05 PM ☩

SATURDAY, January 23

8:00 AM ☩  
4:00 PM Leonard La Salvia ☩**OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY**

MONDAY, January 18

—Martin Luther King Day Office Closed —

12:15 PM Carmine Tom &amp; Michelina Peggy D'Amato ☩

TUESDAY, January 19

8:05 AM Frank Megna & Katherine & Joe Loiacono ☩  
12:15 PM Anthony John & Marie D'Amato ☩

WEDNESDAY, January 20

8:05 AM Maria Grazia & Rose D'Amato ☩  
12:15 PM Mary Bistolfi (Living)

THURSDAY, January 21

8:05 AM  
12:15 PM John R. Mendolia ☩

FRIDAY, January 22

8:05 AM  
12:15 PM ☩**ST. JOSEPH'S CHAPEL**MONDAY, January 18 —Martin Luther King Day Office Closed —  
Holiday—No Scheduled Masses

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7:30 AM  
12:10 PM ☩

WEDNESDAY, January 20

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12:10 PM ☩

THURSDAY, January 21

7:30 AM ☩  
12:10 PM ☩

FRIDAY, January 22

7:30 AM ☩  
12:10 PM**IN THE WEDDING:**

Think of these first weeks after Christmas as a season of "epiphanies." The Liturgy is showing us Who Jesus is and what He has revealed about our relationship with God.

Last week and the week before, the imagery was royal and filial - Jesus is the newborn king of the Jews who makes us co-heirs of Israel's promise, beloved children of God. Last week in the Liturgy we went to a Baptism.

This week we're at a wedding.

We're being shown another dimension of our relationship with God. If we're sons and daughters of God, it's because we've married into the family.

Have you ever wondered why the Bible begins and ends with a wedding - Adam and Eve's in the garden and the marriage supper of the Lamb (compare [Genesis 2:23-24](#) and [Revelation 19:9; 21:9; 22:17](#))?

Throughout the Bible, marriage is the symbol of the covenant relationship God desires with His chosen people. He is the Groom, humanity His beloved and sought-after bride. We see this reflected beautifully in today's First Reading.

When Israel breaks the covenant she is compared to an unfaithful spouse (see [Jeremiah 2:20-36; 3:1-13](#)). But God promises to take her back, to "espouse" her to Him forever in an everlasting covenant (see [Hosea 2:18-22](#)). That's why in today's Gospel, Jesus performs His first public "sign" at a wedding feast.

Jesus is the divine Bridegroom (see [John 3:29](#)), calling us to His royal wedding feast (see [Matthew 22:1-14](#)). By His New Covenant, He will become "one flesh" with all humanity in the Church (see [Ephesians 5:21-33](#)). By our Baptism, each of us has been betrothed to Christ as a bride to a Husband (see [2 Corinthians 11:2](#)).

The new wine that Jesus pours out at today's feast is the gift of the Holy Spirit given to His bride and body, as today's Epistle says. This is the "salvation" announced to the "families of nations" in today's Psalm.

Scott Hahn

**MARCH FOR LIFE IN WASHINGTON, D.C.****Friday, January 22, 2016**

Join us on pilgrimage to Washington D.C. as we gather with thousands of people from throughout our nation to pray and publicly witness to the sanctity of human life on the anniversary of the tragic [ROE v. Wade](#) decision. A Manhattan bus, sponsored by the Archdiocesan Family Life/Respect Life Office, will be leaving from Sacred Heart of Jesus Church, 457 West 51st Street (between 9th & 10th Ave), New York, NY 10019 at 5 AM [sharp](#). We will attend Mass with Cardinal Dolan in Bethesda, MD at 10:30 am, followed by the March in D.C. Cost for the trip is \$50, with check made payable to "Sisters of Life". If you are not able to make the trip, please consider making a donation so that others can attend. For further info and to register call Sr. Shirley at (212) 371-1011 x3195 or email [sr.shirleyann@archny.org](mailto:sr.shirleyann@archny.org).

The Young Adult Outreach Office will be taking 2 buses to the March for Life in Washington D.C. on Friday, January 22. They have reserved spaces for a special Mass with Cardinal Dolan outside of D.C. for those riding with the bus. One bus will come back the same day, the next will come back the next day. With the overnight bus, people have the option of attending the Latinos Por La Vida Conference.

For more info go to:

One Day Bus: <https://www.facebook.com/events/997600200281794/>

Overnight Bus: <https://www.facebook.com/events/1532328803743775/>

**COLLECTION REPORT**

January 10, 2016 Sunday Offering

	1st Collection	2nd Collection
St. Peter's Church	\$ 3,129	\$ 784
Our Lady of the Rosary	\$ 184	\$
St. Joseph's Chapel	\$ 1,813	\$

Thank you for your support.



**First Anniversary Memorial Mass**  
**For Frank A Simmonds**  
 (June 20, 1955– January 19, 2015)  
**Monday, January 18, 2016**  
**11:00 am, St. Peter’s Church**

**A presentation of the  
 Corpus Christi Chapter of the  
 International Thomas Merton Society**

On **Saturday, January 30**, the Corpus Christi Chapter of the International Thomas Merton Society will close the Merton Centennial Year. Fr Daniel Horan OFM will speak on “The Christ of Thomas Merton & Julian of Norwich”. Other speakers will discuss the women who shaped Merton’s thought and spirituality, especially Baroness Catherine de Hueck Doherty and Sister Therese Lentfoehr. From 2:00 - 7:00 p.m. Mass will be celebrated at 5:00, followed by a Gala Reception. Corpus Christi Church, 529 West 121 Street, NY 10027. Free to Chapter members and students with I.D. Non-members \$10.

For Information call (212) 666-9350 or write mertonnyc@yahoo.com. Website: thomasmertonsociety-nyc.org

**COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP FOR STUDENT LEADERS**



**Attention High School Seniors!**  
 The Venerable Pierre Toussaint Scholarship Programs provides a renewable \$2,000 college scholarship for Catholic students who have demonstrated scholarship, character, and leadership characteristics. Applications are available at <http://www.obmny.org>.

**Ministry of Care Seminar**

**January 30, 9am-5pm -Our Lady of the Rosary**

In response to Pope Francis’ call for a Year of Mercy, a number of parishes in South Manhattan are pleased to help you explore pastoral outreach during an educational session sponsored by ArchCare, the healthcare ministry of the Archdiocese of New York. We are very happy to share that the session will be led by the Carmelite Sisters for the Aged and Infirm who bring with them extensive experience in ministry at the parish as well as institutional level.

This seminar includes an overview of the meaning of the ministry of care based on the Sacred Scripture and the life and philosophy of Mother M. Angeline. Mother Angeline’s Philosophy of care is the basis for this ministry and the mission of the Carmelite Sisters for the Aged and the Infirm. This session provides the opportunity to reflect on the meaning of the ministry, Scripture, and the life and philosophy of Mother M. Angeline, as well as the individual call to ministry.

**Our Lady of the Rosary Heritage Hall underneath  
 7 State Street**  
 (Near: 1, 9, 4, 5, R, W subways and M6 and M15 buses)  
 Not handicapped accessible

**\$25 registration includes materials, lunch and refreshments.**  
**Please contact Sr. Mary Anne Dennehy at 646-872-7683.**

**CELEBRANT MASS SCHEDULE**

<b>St. Peter’s Church</b>		
Saturday, January 23	4:00 PM	Msgr. Bergin
Sunday, January 24	8:00 AM	Fr. Fussner
	9:30 AM	Msgr. O’Connor
	12:00 PM	Fr. Paul
<b>Independence Plaza</b>		
Sunday, January 24	10:45 AM	Fr. Fussner
<b>St. Joseph’s Chapel</b>		
Sunday, January 24	10:00 AM	Fr. Dominic
	12:00 PM	Fr. Dominic
	7:30 PM	Msgr. Bergin
<b>Our Lady of the Rosary</b>		
Sunday, January 24	11:00 AM	Msgr. Ivers

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**CATHOLIC SCHOOLS in the ARCHDIOCESE of NEW YORK**

**St. Peters Sunday Coffee Hour**

**Sunday, January 17** Come and join your fellow parishioners for coffee (or tea) and conversation after the 9:30 am and noon Masses.

**SPECIAL THANKS**—The clergy of the parish are grateful to so many of you for your Christmas gifts and good wishes. A healthy, happy 2016 to all! Thank you and may God bless you!

**BAPTISM CLASS**

The class for the parents and godparents of babies to be baptized is offered on the 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of every month, after the 9:30 am Mass at St. Peter’s Church. Registration is required: go to [SPCOLR.ORG](http://SPCOLR.ORG) or call the Parish for more info: 212-233-8355. The next class will be offered Sunday, February 7th, 2016.

**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION**

The Sacrament of Reconciliation is celebrated at:

**St. Peter’s Church**  
 Mon - Fri: 7:45 am to 8:15 am,  
 12:00 pm to 1:30 pm  
 Sat: 3:00 pm to 4:00 pm

**Our Lady of the Rosary**  
 Weekdays: 12-12:15pm or by appointment

**St. Joseph’s Chapel**  
 15 minutes after Mass or by appointment

