



# St. Gregory the Great Church

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*"I will say of the Lord, He is my refuge and my fortress: my God in him will I trust. Surely he shall deliver thee from the snare of the fowler, and from the raging plague." Psalms 91:2-3*

## Pentecost Sunday

Very early, the Church gave a Christian meaning to the Jewish feast of Pentecost which had been the fiftieth day after Passover. On Pentecost, the Jews had celebrated the Covenant, that is the gift of the law by God to Moses on Mount Sinai. In the Christian Pentecost, the Church celebrates the birth of the new people of God, the New Covenant, with the sending of the Holy Spirit by Jesus to the Apostles. By the time of the writing of the Acts of the Apostles, the Church had come a long way. Fearful in the first few days after the death of their master, the Apostles became passionate witnesses of the resurrection of Jesus. Being forced to disperse because of persecutions, they went many places to bear the Good News. New communities were formed and grew. The disciples of Christ were well aware that this remarkable progression was not owing solely to their own merits. They believed themselves possessed and supported by the Holy Spirit. In his story of Pentecost, Luke bears witness of that internal transformation and of that force at work within them.

## Domingo De Pentecostes

En la fiesta de Pentecostés los Judíos celebraron la nueva alianza, o sea el regalo de la ley de Dios a Moisés en el Monte Sinaí. En el Pentecostés de los Cristianos la Iglesia celebra el nacimiento de las nuevas personas de Dios, la Nueva Alianza, cuando Jesús manda al Espíritu Santo a los Apóstoles. En los primeros días después de la muerte de Jesús los, Apóstoles tenían mucho miedo, pero se hicieron testigos con mucha pasión sobre la resurrección de Jesús. Y ellos fueron a muchos lugares predicando la Buena Nueva. Formaron muchas nuevas comunidades. Los Apóstoles no tomaron crédito por sus buenas obras, ellos estaban soportados por el Espíritu Santo. En la historia de Pentecostés, Lucas afirma la transformación y la fuerza del Espíritu Santo trabajando con ellos.

## Dimanche de la Pentecôte

Très tôt, l'Eglise a donné un sens chrétien à la fête juive de la Pentecôte, le cinquantième jour après la Pâque. A la Pentecôte les juifs célébraient l'Alliance, le don de Loi par Dieu à Moïse sur le mont Sinaï. A la Pentecôte chrétienne, l'Eglise fête la naissance du nouveau peuple de Dieu, la Nouvelle Alliance avec l'envoi de l'Esprit Saint par Jésus. Au moment de la rédaction des Actes des Apôtres, l'Eglise a fait un bon bout de chemin. De craintifs qu'ils étaient au lendemain de la mort de leur maître, les Apôtres sont devenus d'ardents témoins de la résurrection de Jésus. Obligés de se disperser à cause des persécutions, ils sont allés partout porter la Bonne Nouvelle. Des communautés sont nées et ont grandi. Les disciples du Christ étaient bien conscients que cette remarquable progression n'était pas le fruit de leurs seuls mérites. Ils se sentaient habités et soutenus par l'Esprit. Dans son récit de la Pentecôte, Luc témoigne de cette expérience de transformation intérieure et de cette force à l'oeuvre en eux.

On the evening of that first day of the week, when the door were locked, Jesus came and stood in their midst and said, "Peace be with you." When he said this, he showed them his hands and his side. Jesus said to them again, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you." And when he has said this, he breathed on them and said to them, "Receive the Holy Spirit. Whose sins you forgive are forgiven them, and whose sins you retain are retained."



# Schedule of Masses and Sacraments

## WEEKEND

Saturday: 12 Noon (English)  
5:30 PM Vigil (English)

### Sunday Masses:

8:00 AM (English)  
10:00 AM (Spanish)  
11:30 AM (English)  
1:00 PM (French)

## DAILY

Monday - Wednesday - Friday  
12 Noon -English

Tuesday - Thursday  
9:00 AM - Spanish  
12 Noon - English

Every Monday Miraculous Medal Novena  
and Benediction after Noon Mass.

## EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

The Blessed Sacrament will be exposed on our altar on the first Thursday of the month from 12:30 to 5:00 p.m. for prayer and meditation. All are welcome to participate in this silent devotion.

## FIRST FRIDAYS

Masses are at: 12 Noon (English) 7:00 PM (Spanish)

## HOLY DAYS

There are usually at least two masses on holy days of obligation, but the times may vary. Consult page 3 of this Weekly Bulletin or phone the Rectory Office for mass times for any specific holy day.

## SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturdays from 4:30 PM to 5:15 PM  
Any time by appointment.

## BAPTISMS

Call one month in advance.  
Instruction required.

## WEDDINGS

Arrangements must be made with priest at least six months in advance.

## ANOINTING OF THE SICK

In cases of serious illness or advancing age, please call the Rectory to arrange a visit.

## COMMUNION CALLS

Please call the Rectory to arrange a visit by a priest.



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**NEW PARISHIONERS** are welcomed at St. Gregory's Parish. If you wish to register, please fill out the coupon below, and drop it in the collection basket or send it to the rectory.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Apt # \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

## **VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY – MT. SINAI HOSPITAL**

We have received the following request from Fr. Ted Onumaegbu , chaplain at Mt. Sinai Hospital [MSH] on Fifth Avenue: “We have an urgent need for persons who would be willing to bring Communion to our Catholic patients at MSH. The commitment would involve 1-1/2 to 3 hours, one day a week, on a day of your choice. If you are not currently a Eucharistic Minister, we will provide training. We will need a letter of recommendation from your pastor. Please consider this service to the sick of our community. For more information or to express interest, please contact Fr. Ted at: 1-917-612-4704. Email: thaddeus.onumaegbu@mountsinai.org

**ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA – JUNE 13** In preparing this item, the writer learned a new word, “thaumaturge,” meaning a worker of miracles. It applies especially to Anthony of Padua [1195- 1231 A.D.], saint and doctor of the Church, whose feast day we celebrate on June 13 this week. Despite his association with Padua and Italy, Anthony was born in Portugal of noble parents and spent his childhood there. He entered the Augustinian Order at an early age, but he switched to the Order of St. Francis in 1220, inspired by the sight of the mutilated bodies of the first Franciscan martyrs returned from Morocco. His poor health would not permit him to serve as a missionary to Morocco, as he wished. He was sent instead to Italy where his skill at preaching and his knowledge of Scripture quickly distinguished him. “With the zeal of an apostle he undertook to reform the morality of his time by combating in especial manner the vices of luxury, avarice and tyranny.” His forceful arguments against heresy and the many converts he made earned him the title of “Hammer of the Heretics.” Many miracles and legends became associated with Anthony in his Italian years, including the veneration of the Sacred Host by a horse; Anthony’s detoxification of poisoned food by signing the Cross over it; his sermon to the river fishes to shame certain heretics who would not listen to him; and the apparitions to him of the Infant Jesus and also of St. Francis of Assisi. It is reported that when Anthony’s body was transferred to a new tomb some 30 years after his death, the flesh was found reduced to dust, except for his tongue which remained fresh and of red color, in testimony no doubt to his eloquence as a preacher. St. Anthony is considered the patron of lost objects, and many people pray to him when they want help in finding something they misplaced.

**SUMMER STUDIO ART CLASSES –GREENWICH VILLAGE** A variety of programs in Italian Renaissance Art is being offered this Summer in Greenwich Village for adults and children by Maestro Francesco Santoro. Programs are said to include lectures on art history, full-day and half-day studio art classes, childrens art camp, and a juried art show. Programs begin as early as June 9 and continue through July 29. This may be a good opportunity to find something for kids to do in the Summer. We suggest you contact Maestro Santoro for a fuller explanation of the various class offerings. Try by phone at 646-678-4097. Info@scalabrinicenternyc.org

## **HOSPITAL MT. SINAI NECESITA VOLUNTARIOS**

Hemos recibido el siguiente pedido del Padre Ted Onumaegbu, el sacerdote de Mt. Sinai Hospital (MSH) en la Quinta Avenida: “Tenemos una necesidad urgente para personas que desearían llevar la Comunión a nuestros pacientes Católicos de MSH. El compromiso requiere de hora y media hasta tres horas, un día de la semana, el cual usted puede escoger el día que le conviene. Si usted no es un Ministro de la Eucaristía, nosotros damos entrenamiento. Necesitamos una carta de recomendación de su pastor. Por favor considere este servicio para los enfermos de nuestra comunidad. Para mas información o para personas interesadas, póngase en contacto con el Padre Ted en 1-917-612-4704 Email: thaddeus.onumaegbu@mountsinai.org

## **SAN ANTONO DE PADUA JUNIO 13**

Escribiendo este artículo he aprendido una nueva palabra, “taumaturgo” que quiere decir trabajador de milagros. Esto es atribuido especialmente a San Antonio de Padua (1195-1231 A.D.) santo y doctor de la Iglesia, cuya fiesta celebramos el 13 de Junio. Antonio fue asociado durante su vida con Padua e Italia, pero nació en Portugal de parientes nobles y paso su infancia allí. A una temprana edad entro a la Orden Agustiniiana, pero cambio a la orden de San Francisco en 1220, inspirado por los cuerpos de los primeros mártires Franciscanos que trajeron de Morocco. Debido a su salud no pudo servir como misionero en Morocco como era su deseo. Fue mandado a Italia donde fue distinguido debido a su sabiduría de las Escrituras y su don como un orador. “Con mucho fervor como un apóstol se dedico a la reforma moral de su tiempo combatiendo de una manera especial los vicios la avaricia y la tiranía.” Por medio de sus esfuerzos gano el titulo de “Hammer of the Heretics” Muchos milagros y leyendas fueron atribuidos a Antonio, incluyendo la veneración de la Sagrada Hostia por un caballo; desintoxicación de veneno de comida haciendo la señal de la cruz sobre ella; su sermón a los peces para hacer pasar pena a los renegados que no quisieron escucharlo; y la aparición a el del niño Jesús y también de San Francisco de Assisi. Se dice que cuando el cuerpo de Antonio fue trasladado a una nueva tumba después de 30 años después de su muerte, su cuerpo estaba reducido a polvo, pero su lengua se mantenía fresco y de un color rojo, en testimonio de su elocuencia de predicar. San Antonio es considerado como el patrono de cosas perdidas, y muchas personas oran a el cuando quieren encontrar cosas perdidas.

## **CLASES DE ARTE –GREENWICH VILLAGE**

Hay una variedad de programas ofrecidas este Verano sobre las Artes de Renacimiento Italiano para adultos y niños ofrecido por el Maestro Francesco Santoro en Greenwich Village. Los programas incluyen discursos e historias de artes. Hay clases de medio día y de día entero. El programa comienza el 9 de Junio y continua hasta el 29 de Julio. Esto es una gran oportunidad de ofrecer clases de arte a los niños. Personas interesadas pueden llamar al Maestro Santoro al 646-678-4097; o por correo electrónico: info@scalabrinicenternyc.org.

## ANNOUNCED MASSES FOR THE WEEK

### Sunday, June 8 Pentecost

8:00 :

10:00 :Caridad del Cobre

11:30 : For those graduating this year  
that may be lead by the Holy Spirit

1:00 :

### Monday, June 9

12:00 : Julio Hernandez (dec.)

### Tuesday, June 10

9:00 :En Honor al Divino Niño

12:00 :

### Wednesday June 11 St. Barnabas

12:00 :

### Thursday, June 12

9:00 : Andres Rivera (dec.) y Flia

12:00 : Helene Giraud (4th anni dec.)

### Friday June 13 St. Anthony of Padua

12:00 :

### Saturday, June 14

12:00 : Mumwee Lee

5:30 : Jay Wu (liv.,b'day)

### READINGS FROM THE LECTIONERY

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| 6/9 1 Kgs 17:1-6            | Mt 5:1-12 (359)  |
| 6/10 1 Kgs 17:7-16          | Mt 5:13-16 (360) |
| 6/11 Acts 11:21b-26; 13:1-3 | Mt 5:17-19 (361) |
| 6/12 1 Kgs 18:41-46         | Mt 5:20-26 (362) |
| 6/13 1 Kgs 19:9a, 11-16     | Mt 5:27-32 (363) |
| 6/14 1 Kgs 19:19-21         | Mt 5:33-37 (364) |

### PRAY FOR/RECE POR/PRIEZ POUR

This is the list of the sick whom we remember in our prayers. Please notify the Rectory of any corrections, deletions or additions that you require.

Anthony Alexander, Buenaventura Almonte, Collette Austin,  
Alicia Becerra, Dorise Black, Roger Bresnahan, Josefa Brito,  
Miriam Burns, Anthony Carreras, Alexandra Castillo, Teolina  
Cepeda, Christina Coger, Josefina Colkosz, Paula Corredor, Kyle  
Carbbe, Ernesto Carrera, Roberto Colon, Patricia Collar, Ted  
Collar, Emmanuella Constant, Leonie Constant, Candita de la  
Cruz, Maria Cruz, Edna Curley, Elba De Jesus, Migdalia De Jesus,  
Elizabeth Dillon, Lidia Estrella, Florence Feaster, Patricia  
Flannery, Maria Fontan, Porcia Fontilus, Eileen Ford, Raymond  
Gandolf, Violeta Gomez, Rosa Gonzalez, Yolanda Gorrasi,  
Jacqueline Graham, Aparecida Guimaraes, Luis Carlos Guimaraes,  
Sonia M. Guimaraes, Michael Holohan, Loretta Hosein, Marie  
Innocent, Barbara Jones, Ivonne Kennedy, Hebert Laurent,  
Mr. Louks, Anthony Mahn, Michael Manucci, Ina Martinez,  
Lili Maury, Juanita Martinez, Lucy Martinez, Ruben Mayen,  
Kenneth McGahren, Jeanne McGahren, Juan Medina, Isabelle  
Moldovan, Maria Morales, Helen Murray, Wanda Napolitano,  
Kervin Narsisse, Ralph Nicolas, John Omelia, Domingo & Nancy  
Ortiz, Simmilian Paul, Stephen Paul, Maria Pinedo, Cyril Pinto,  
Rose Pizzuli, Denise Price, Katrina Rabey, Santa Richardson-  
Castillo, Thomas Squires Sr., Melina Mae Ridgeway, Aida Robles,  
Mrs. Rose, Casiano Rodríguez, Evelyn Rodríguez, Maria  
Rodríguez, Otilia Rodriguez, Nidia Rosario, Richard Safire, Anne  
Sayers, Joan Shea, Marvin Seldin, Carmen Simon, Paula Solis,  
Carolyn Stewart, Stephen M. Stewart, J. P. Sullivan, Ana Torres,  
Regina Trinidad, Valvano, Maeyle Vargas, Joseph Yelagin.

## WEEKLY ACTIVITIES

### SUNDAY:

Coffee Hour after 10 AM Mass 11:00 AM  
Ultreya 11:30 PM

### MONDAY:

A.A. (Alcoholics Anonymous) 4:00 PM  
Legion of Mary (Spanish) 5:30 PM  
Faith Sharing Group 3rd Monday 7:30PM  
Christian Meditation 6:30 PM

### TUESDAY:

A.A. 4:00 PM  
Food Pantry 3:30 PM

### WEDNESDAY:

Spanish Bible Class 7:00 PM  
A.A. 4:00 PM

### THURSDAY:

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 12:30—5:00 PM  
Charismatic Prayer (Spanish) 7:00PM

### FRIDAY:

Coronilla - Divina Misericordia 3:00 PM  
A.A. 4:00 PM

### SATURDAY:

A.A. 1:00 PM  
A.A. 2:30 PM  
Prayer Meeting (French) 7:00—9:00 PM

## Parish Finances

Our parish goal for the weekly collection is \$7,800. Last weekend's [6/1/14] collection, including "ParishPay" gifts, totaled \$5,528. A second collection for the Church in Africa totaled \$981. The collection on Ascension Thursday [5/29/14] totaled \$1,070. Please keep up the level of your donations as Summer approaches. Our fixed expenses do not go on vacation.

## Finanzas Parroquiales

Nuestra meta semanal para la colecta es \$7,800. La colecta de la semana pasada, Junio 01, 2014 incluyendo contribuciones del programa de "Pagos Parroquiales" fue \$5,528. La segunda colecta para las Iglesia en África fue \$981. La colecta del Jueves de Ascensión (Mayo 29, 2014) fue \$1,070. Les pedimos que por favor no se olviden de mandar sus colectas cuando vayan de vacaciones. Nuestros gastos no toman vacaciones.