

# Church of Saint Rita

281 Bradley Avenue - Staten Island, NY 10314

**SUNDAY, JULY 3, 2016**

## OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL

On Saturday, July 16th, we will celebrate the Feast Lady of Mount Carmel at a sung Mass at 12noon (as well as the usual 9am Mass). Following the 12 noon Mass we will have a procession with a statue of Our Lady of Mount Carmel and two Italian festival bands. At the conclusion of the procession, refreshments will be served in the school cafeteria.

We invite our young children, boys and girls, to dress as angels to accompany the statue of Our Lady of Mount Carmel during the procession after the 12noon Mass. This will add to the festivities of our procession and honor Our Lady in a special way.

If you are interested in helping us defray the cost of this celebration, donations are appreciated.

A special thank you to those who have already contributed to the feast. We are grateful for your generosity.



**OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL  
PRAY FOR US**

## VACATION BIBLE CAMP



**Monday, July 11th to Friday, July 15th from 9:30am to 12:30pm**

**St. Rita School Gymnasium**

*Boys and Girls Ages 4 to 10*

*Cost \$30.00 one child ~ \$50.00 two children*

*includes T-shirt, crafts and snacks*

For additional information or a reservation form, please call Mrs. Mary Gillespie at 718-982-6948.

# Welcome to St. Rita's Parish Community

Please introduce yourself and register at the parish office. We welcome new parishioners to participate in the spiritual and social life of our church.



**Church Website:** [www.stritachurch.net](http://www.stritachurch.net) **School Website:** [www.stritaschoolsi.org](http://www.stritaschoolsi.org)

## SERVED BY

Rev. Eugene J. Carrella, Pastor  
Rev. Anthony Gonzales, Parochial Vicar  
Rev. Stephen Challman, In Residence

## PARISH OFFICES

61 Wellbrook Avenue ~ Phone: 718-698-3746  
Hours: Monday to Friday, 9am to 5pm  
Ms. Mary Grace Liss, Parish Manager

## ST. RITA SCHOOL—S. I. REGION

30 Wellbrook Avenue ~ Phone: 718-761-2504  
Mrs. Nicole C. Fresca, Principal

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Phone: 718-982-6948  
Mrs. Mary Gillespie, Coordinator

## MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

### SATURDAY, JULY 2

4:00 Hilda Thomas

### SUNDAY, JULY 3

8:00 Thomas Lynch Sr. & Thomas Lynch, Jr.  
9:30 Ellen Murray  
11:00 Vincent S. Bellezza  
12:30 Anna & Bart Cerrati  
6:00 For the People of the Parish

### MONDAY, JULY 4

7:00 NO MASS  
9:00 Nicole Comito & Mark Bellmier (Living)

### TUESDAY, JULY 5

7:00 Joseph Guastella  
9:00 Kenny Arhakos, Jr.

### WEDNESDAY, JULY 6

7:00 Joseph Guastella  
9:00 Maria Varrassi

### THURSDAY, JULY 7

7:00 Joseph Guastella  
9:00 John & Tonica Turkovic

### FRIDAY, JULY 8

7:00 Joseph Guastella  
9:00 Roseann Delucia

### SATURDAY, JULY 9

9:00 Emma Pospishil & Knaus Family  
4:00 Kenny Arhakos, Sr.

### SUNDAY, JULY 10

8:00 Angelina Fernandez  
9:30 Mary & Harry Rutigliano  
11:00 Giovanni & Filomena Palladino  
12:30 Jack Arena  
6:00 For the People of the Parish

*Tree of Life—Call the Parish Office*

## MASS SCHEDULE

**Saturday Evening: 4:00pm**

**Sunday: 8:00am, 9:30am, 11:00am, 12:30pm,  
and 6:00pm**

**Monday to Friday: 7:00am and 9:00am**

**Saturday: 9:00am**

**Holy Days: Please refer to the bulletin or website**

## CONFESSIONS

Saturday from 3:00pm to 3:45pm,  
First Sunday of the month after the morning Masses  
and by appointment.

## BAPTISMS

Second & Fourth Sundays after the 12:30pm Mass.  
Baptism class for the parents is held on the  
Second Saturday of the month at 5:00pm by appt.

## SICK CALLS

Please call the Parish Office to arrange Communion  
Calls and Hospital Visits.

## MARRIAGES

Must be arranged six months in advance.  
Couples must see a priest to secure a date.

## OUR LADY OF GOOD HEALTH NOVENA

First Saturday of the month after the 4:00pm Mass,  
reception following in Church Hall.

## SAINT RITA NOVENA

Tuesdays after the 7:00am and 9:00am Masses

## MIRACULOUS MEDAL NOVENA

Thursdays after the 7:00am and 9:00am Masses

## ADULT RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Mondays 7:00pm in the Parish Center.

## ADULT CHOIR

Adults sing every Sunday at the 11:00am Mass.  
Rehearsal Wednesdays at 7:30pm in Church Hall.

## CHILDREN'S CHOIR

Children sing every Sunday at the 9:30am Mass.  
Rehearsal Wednesdays at 5:15pm in Church Hall.

## LORD'S FLOCK

First Friday Mass at 8:00pm in the Chapel.  
Third Friday Prayer Meeting at 8:00pm in Chapel.

## ST. RITA'S LADIES GUILD

First Tuesday of the month at the 9:00am Mass,  
meeting following in the Parish Center.

## ST. RITA'S ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

First Monday at 7:30pm in the School Café.

*stritasports@gmail.com*

## ST. RITA'S BOY SCOUTS

Fridays at 7:30pm in the Parish Center.

## ST. RITA'S GOLDEN AGE CLUB

Thursdays at 12:00 noon in the Church Hall.



The Parish Offices will be closed  
on Monday, July 4th  
in observance of Independence Day.  
Mass will be offered at 9am only.

### BAPTISMS

In Baptism, we are reborn as children of God, made members of His Church, and heirs to the Kingdom of Heaven. Please welcome into St. Rita's Parish Family those who were Baptized in June:

Aubrey Edele Elmendorf  
Alana Nicole Iannuccilli  
Leanna Marie Kass  
Chloe Scarlett Santiago  
Madison Eleanor Shearin  
Orrie Bree C. Villaluna

### CCD REGISTRATION KINDERGARTEN TO GRADE 8 September 2016-June 2017

For information regarding our CCD Program or to register for classes for new and current students, please call Mrs. Mary Gillespie, CCD Coordinator. She can be reached at 718-982-6948, Monday through Thursday.

Classes for students in grades Kindergarten through 5 meet on Wednesdays from 3:30pm to 5:00pm. Students in grades 6, 7 and 8 meet on Wednesdays from 6:30-8:00pm.

### CHILD PROTECTION

Anyone who needs to report an alleged incident of sexual abuse of a minor by priest, deacon, religious or lay person serving in the Archdiocese of New York is asked to contact Sr. Eileen Clifford, O.P. at 212-371-1000, ext. 2949, or Deacon George J. Coppola at 917-861-1762. Both may also be reached via e-mail at [victimassistance@archny.org](mailto:victimassistance@archny.org). Information can also be found on the Archdiocesan website, [www.archny.org](http://www.archny.org). In keeping with the Archdiocesan policy regarding sexual abuse of minors, this information is provided to ensure that our children remain safe and secure.

### GORETTI GROUP YOUNG ADULT EVENT St. Maria Goretti's Feast Day Wednesday, July 6th

There will be a 7pm Mass at Holy Family Church celebrated by Bishop Byrne followed by a Pot Luck dinner and celebration of their 3rd Anniversary of praying for and spreading the joy of authentic love for the young people of Staten Island! Bring a friend and your favorite dish.

### NEW Pre-K 3 Program for the 2016-2017 school year A tuition based full day 3 year old Pre-K Program for September 2016.

*2 Full Day: Tuesday & Thursday: \$3,000*

*3 Full Day: Tuesday, Wednesday, & Thursday: \$4,100*

*5 Full Day: Monday-Friday: \$5,000*

*Registration Fee: \$100 per child, Activity Fee: \$200 per child*

**School Hours: 8:15am-2:30pm**

**Child must be 3 years of age by December 31, 2016.**

- All children must be fully toilet trained by the first day of school.
- School gym uniform is mandatory. This can be purchased through our school uniform company: Flynn & O'Hara
- After care is available on your child's scheduled day (s) of school for an additional cost.

Please contact the school office for registration and additional information at 718-761-2504.



### **WEEKLY PRAYER VIGIL TO PROTECT AND HEAL OUR YOUTH FROM THE DRUG EPIDEMIC ON STATEN ISLAND!**

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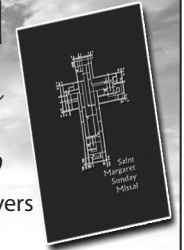
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