CHURCH OF ST. SAVIOUR

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WE CELEBRATE EUCHARIST:

WEEKEND MASSES

5:00 pm: Saturday Evening
9:30 am: Sunday Morning
11:30 am: Sunday Morning

WEEKDAY MASSES

8:30 am Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday

SACRAMENTS

Baptisms We celebrate the Sacrament of Baptism at 1:00 PM on the first Sunday of each month. Arrangements must be made in advance with Sister Mary. Please note that there are no baptisms during Advent and Lent.

Marriages Arrangements should be made at least six months in advance and participation in the Diocesan Pre-Cana Program is required. Please call the Rectory to schedule an appointment with Fr. Frank who will discuss the necessary details.

Sacrament of the Sick In the event of serious illness, please call the Rectory and request the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick.

Communion for the Homebound Eucharistic Ministers are available to bring Holy Communion to those unable to join us for Eucharist. Please call the Rectory to make arrangements.

Confessions First Saturday of the month in the church from 4:00-4:30 PM. By appointment for all other times.

ST. SAVIOUR PASTORAL STAFF

Rev. Frank W. Spacek, D. Min., **Pastor**
Rev. Daniel S. Murphy, **Pastor Emeritus**
Rev. Kevin P. Cavalluzzi, D. Min., **In Residence**
Emily SanPietro, **Administrative Assistant**
Sister Mary R. Walsh, CSJ, **Pastoral Associate**
Deacon Paul E. Norman, **Faith Formation**
Dr. Nicholas J. Nicassio, **Music Ministry**

RECTORY OFFICE HOURS

Monday–Thursday 9:00 AM–4:00 PM
Friday No Office Hours
Saturday & Sunday No Office Hours
To speak with a priest, please call for an appointment.
For sick calls, phone anytime.

ST. SAVIOUR HIGH SCHOOL

Mrs. Carolann Timpone, **Principal**
TEL 718.768.4406 · WEB www.stsaviour.org

ST. SAVIOUR CATHOLIC ACADEMY

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WHO IS WELCOME IN ST. SAVIOUR CHURCH?

Are you a sinner? Have you been away from the church for a long time? Are you divorced or separated? Are you physically or mentally challenged? Are you from a different culture? Are you not accepted because of your sexual orientation? Are you elderly, a teen or young adult? Are you discriminated against because of your color? Are you feeling broken? Are you poor or out of work? Have you been imprisoned? Have you a feeling that you are left out? **You are welcome here! This is your home, and we are your family!**

Weekly Prayer

Sunday's Readings

First Reading:

Then will the eyes of the blind be opened,
the ears of the deaf be cleared;
then will the lame leap like a stag,
then the tongue of the mute will sing. (Is 35:5-6)

Psalm:

Praise the Lord, my soul! (Ps 146)

Second Reading:

Did not God choose those who are poor in the world
to be rich in faith and heirs of the kingdom
that he promised to those who love him? (Jas 2:5)

Gospel:

"He has done all things well.
He makes the deaf hear and the mute speak." (Mk 7:37)

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Live The Liturgy
Inspiration of the Week

"Be opened!" said Christ two thousand years ago, as he placed his finger in the ear of the deaf man. "Be opened!" he says to us today, laying his hand upon our hearts. May we always accept Christ's invitation to become a new creation.

Observances for the week of September 8, 2024

Sunday:	23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time, Grandparent's Day
Monday:	St. Peter Claver, Priest
Wednesday:	Patriot Day
Thursday:	The Most Holy Name of Mary
Friday:	St. John Chrysostom, Bishop and Doctor of the Church
Saturday:	The Exaltation of the Holy Cross
Next Sunday:	24th Sunday in Ordinary Time; Catechetical Sunday

Saint of the week

St. Caterina Volpicelli (1839-1894) left a life of elegant Neapolitan society to serve the Lord. She adhered to the Apostleship of Prayer, dedicating each day to the Sacred Heart. Her order, the Servants of the Sacred Heart, opened an orphanage, a lending library, and nursed cholera victims.

Prayer for Grandparents

Dear God,
What a grace to live in a world of all ages and stages.
Bless our grandparents, today and always.
Thank You for their experiences, wisdom, and insight.
Thank You for the gifts they bring the Church.
Thank You for the lessons they teach the next generations
Amen.

UPCOMING COLLECTIONS

Today—Maintenance & Repair
September 15—Catholic Education September
September 22—Catch-up Collection

SPECIAL SUMMER VACATION/ CATCH-UP COLLECTION

On the weekend of September 21-22, our Second Collection will be our annual "WELCOME BACK—SUMMER VACATION CATCH-UP COLLECTION." We kindly ask any of our parishioners who might have been away throughout the summer to consider "catching-up on their weekly offering. As many of you saw through the summer, our crowds in church were thin and our weekly collections were reflective of our low attendance. Please be generous in this special collection.

Saint Thomas Food Pantry

Please continue to support the food pantry at St. Thomas Aquinas. We are especially in need of hot cereal, soup and toiletries, but whatever you give will be most appreciated!

We still have Mass Intentions available for both weekday AND weekend celebrations of Eucharist. Please consider having a Mass celebrated for a loved one or family member—either living or deceased. We are ALL in need of prayers, and there is no greater prayer than the celebration of Eucharist. Each Mass Intention is only $15.00. If you are interested in having a Mass celebrated in memory of a deceased loved one, or in honor of someone who is living, please call Emily at the Rectory and she will be more than happy to assist you.

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"To have courage for whatever comes in life — everything lies in that." - St. Teresa of Avila

STEWARDSHIP

Managing God's Gifts To Us

August 31-September 1

Offertory $4,314

Children's Collection $19

Catholic University $212

Attendance 108

Candle Memorial
September 13-20

OUR LADY'S ALTAR
Intentions of Eileen Chadwick

Catechetical Sunday - Sept. 15, 2024

Please join us as we Bless and Commission our Catechists at the 9:30 am Family Mass

"Lord, when did we see you hungry?"
Matthew 25:37

Mass Intentions for the Week

Sunday, September 8, Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
9:30 a.m. Rev. Louis A. Giuliano
11:30 a.m. The Victims of 9/11

Monday, September 9, Saint Peter Claver
8:30 a.m. Frank Spacek, Sr.

Tuesday, September 10,Weekday
8:30 a.m. Frank Norton

Wednesday, September 11, Weekday
8:30 a.m. Julie Houston

Thursday, September 12, Weekday
8:30 a.m. Della O'Meara

Friday, September 13, Saint John Chysostom
8:30 a.m. The People of the Parish

Saturday, September 14, The Exaltation of the Holy Cross
5:00 p.m. Msgr. Dominick Adessa

Sunday, September 15, Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time
9:30 a.m. Gertrude & George Gloviak
11:30 a.m. Carl Campesi/Thomas Shatinsky

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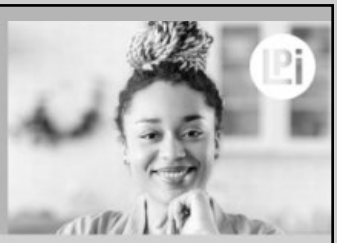

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