



# LE DECINE DEL ROSARIO

## THE SHRINE OF OUR LADY OF POMPEII

The Oldest Continuing Italian-American Catholic Church  
in the City of Chicago, located in the heart of historic "Little Italy."

A Gift of Italian-American Hospitality, Embracing All People of Faith  
Founded in 1911 ✠ Established as a Shrine in 1994

The term **shrine** signifies a church or other sacred place to which the faithful make pilgrimages for a particular pious reason with the approval of the local ordinary. At shrines, more abundant means of salvation are to be provided for the faithful; the Word of God is to be carefully proclaimed; liturgical life is to be appropriately fostered especially through the celebration of the Eucharist and penance; and approved forms of popular piety are to be cultivated.

*Code of Canon Law, 1230 and 1234*

*Le Decine del Rosario* is the Italian phrase for decades of the rosary, representing the twenty decades of the rosary, for which our weekly bulletin is named.



**Tuesday, August 15**  
12 Noon Mass  
**Feast of the Assumption**  
Holy Day of Obligation

**NEXT Sun., August 13:**

- Second Sunday
- \* *Feeding God's Holy Family*
- FOOD DRIVE**
- \* MARIAN NOVENA
- \* "STUFF THE SHELTER"  
Drive
- \* PIAZZA POMPEII

**INSIDE  
THIS  
ISSUE:**



Consecrated to Mary, Queen of the Holy Rosary, The Shrine of Our Lady of Pompeii is a place to pray for peace that embraces all people of faith. A center of hospitality and spiritual growth, the Shrine's ministry is one of spiritual assistance and service where all might experience inspirational moments of prayer, comfort and contemplation. Located on Chicago's Near West Side, the Shrine is a gift of the Italian-American community to the Archdiocese of Chicago. Our mission is to dedicate our resources to healing, prayer and pilgrimage.

**Today's Readings:**

**First** one who knows of the kingdom of heaven brings new and old from **Reading** - I saw one like a Son of man coming on the clouds of heaven (Daniel 7:9-10, 13-14).

**Psalm** - The Lord is king, the most high over all the earth (Psalm 97).

**Second Reading** - Be attentive to the prophetic message, as to a lamp shining in a dark place (2 Peter 1:16-19).

**Gospel** - Jesus was transfigured, and his clothes became white as light (Matthew 17:1-9).

**Readings for the Week:**

**Monday:**

Nm 11:4b-15;  
Ps 81:12-17;  
Mt 14:13-21

**Tuesday:**

Nm 12:1-13;  
Ps 51:3-7, 12-13;  
Mt 14:22-36 *or*  
Mt 15:1-2, 10-14

**Wednesday:**

Nm 13:1-2,  
25-14:1, 26-29a,  
34-35; Ps 106: 6-  
7ab, 13-14, 21-23;  
Mt 15:21-28

**Thursday:**

2 Cor 9:6-10;  
Ps 112:1-2, 5-9;  
Jn 12:24-26

**Friday:**

Dt 4:32-40;  
Ps 77:12-16, 21;  
Mt 16:24-28

**Saturday:**

Dt 6:4-13;  
Ps 18:2-4, 47, 51;  
Mt 17:14-20

Perpetual Light Society

*All the Deceased Members  
of the Pompeii Auxiliary*

*All Deceased Members  
from the Old Neighborhood*

Frank & Christine Aguzino  
Ann Ferretti Ahern  
Isabelle Albanese  
Richard Albanese  
Oscar Alvina  
Ignacio Ambubuyog  
John & Lena Arpino  
Mary Bartucci  
Carmen "Tommy" Bartuch  
Gilda Bartuch  
James V. Battaglia  
William L. Biegler  
Louis W. Biegler & Family  
Anna & Bruno Bracco  
Doug Buffone  
Sam & Frances Buonafede  
Italia Nella Calabria  
Italo & Isabella Calabria  
Paul Capuano  
Paul Capuano  
Mary Celozzi  
Rosemarie Panfil Celozzi  
Cesario Family  
Celestino Chiordi  
Chirumbolo Family  
Robert S. Clementi  
Phyllis Coleman  
Robert J. Colosimo  
Magdalena Concepcion  
Suzanne Dalesandro  
Dalesandro Family

Oscar O. D'Angelo  
Danza & Messina Family  
Giovanna D'Arrigo  
Marie Davino  
Ralph Robert Davino  
Robert Anthony Davino  
Theresa Davis  
Rosa Maria De Francesco  
Carmen "Shoes"  
De Laurentis  
Sam Carmen & Vincent  
Desio  
Joseph & Theresa  
Di Buono  
Salvatore & Marie  
Di Buono  
Rose Di Buono Alesia  
Anthony & Margaret  
Di Fiore  
Antoinette "Toni" Di Fiore  
Di Lorenzo Family  
Emily & Dan Diasio  
Anthony M. Discepolo, Sr.  
La Verne Dondlinger  
Pietro & Rose Falsetti  
Angelo Fata  
Nello & Marilyn Ferrara  
Salvatore Ferrara  
The Fiore Family  
Alex & Mary Fosco  
Mary Aragosa Fragomeni  
Joseph Gambino  
Lucien Gambino  
Vivian Gambino  
Joseph L. Gambino, Jr.  
Carlo & Marie Gammicchia

Garramone Family  
Vincent Gemino  
Stuart H. Glick  
Joseph Grande, Jr.  
Joanne Grant  
Angela & Mario Grespan  
Clara Guardino  
Sam & Rose Guardino  
Patricia Imbrogno  
Mary Impasto  
Peter B. Impasto  
Sam & Rose Inendino  
Dr. Julio Jimenez  
Byrd Kelly  
John & Lorena Krieger  
Clara Laino  
Dominic "Lee" Laino  
Leonard Laino  
Louis & Josephine Laino  
Rafael L. Lamasan  
Anthony Lanzito  
Joseph & Tomasina  
Lanzito & Family  
Edith Luciani  
Harriet Marshall  
Kenneth M. Maslak  
Annette Mategrano  
Dave Mc Carty  
Ted P. Milos  
Terry Milos  
Isabel Monegato  
Robert "Red" Monzo  
Maria Morici  
Vincenzo Morici  
Mosillami Family  
Nocerino Family

Ambrose & Eleanor Panico  
Nick & Filomena Panico  
Francesca Perillo Camelo  
Rose Periziani  
Samuel "Blackie" Pesoli  
Millie Piwowar  
Eleanor & Guy Poderino  
Tom Priley  
Leonard Rago  
Balthasar & Sarafina Rappa  
Raso Family  
Louis Reda  
Rinella & Capone Families  
Deceased Rossiello Family  
Lena & Louis Scannicchio  
Nicholas Spata  
*St. Elena Society Members*  
James & Phyllis Stafford  
Tancredi Family  
Mark Tortoriello  
Renee Tracy  
Frank Trotti  
Donald & Frances  
Van Camp  
Michael Jesse  
Van Camp  
Tom Whittinghill  
Bernadette Worobey  
Maria Wrobel  
Anselmo & Francisca Zuno  
  
*If we have accidentally omitted  
or misspelled any names,  
we apologize and ask you to  
contact the Shrine office.*

**Please join us... Tues., August 15: Feast of The Assumption, Holy Day of Obligation (12 Noon Mass)**

## Prayer Walk with Mary *in Arrigo "Peanut" Park*



**Saturday, August 19**

**9:00 - 10:30 a.m.**

Connecting with the sacredness of all God's creation, we'll gather in the park across from the Shrine, for a prayerful walk with Mary, Mother of God.

Join us for a walk in nature with Mary, a sign of hope for humanity.

Led by **Julie Berggren, M.A.**

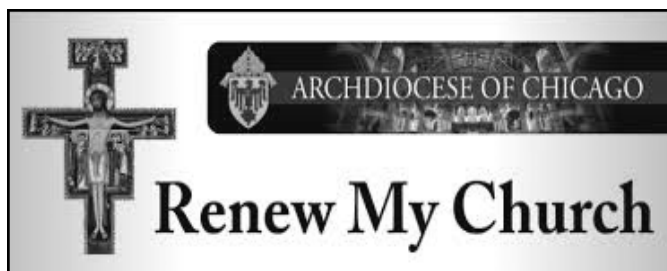
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gratefully received.*



**Please Register with Name, Phone, Email by  
Wednesday, August 16.**

**mps@ourladyofpompeii.org \* 312.421.3757**



**Cardinal Cupich invites everyone** across the Archdiocese to join together in this historic new moment for the Church of Chicago to respond to Christ's call to "Renew My Church." What we are undertaking will chart the course for greater vibrancy and vitality of our parishes in the Archdiocese of Chicago for generations to come.

**There is a Meeting locally, Thursday, August 17  
at Notre Dame, 7:00 - 8:30 p.m. YOU MUST  
REGISTER at: [archchicago.org/renew](http://archchicago.org/renew)**

### A Prayer For "Renew My Church"

*Lord Jesus, you speak to us today,  
as you spoke to holy men and women  
who have gone before us.  
In every age and in our own time,  
you call to us and say:  
Renew My Church.*

*Pour out the gift of your Holy Spirit  
upon us, and so enable us*

*to hear you clearly  
to listen to each other attentively  
to imagine our future boldly*

*to discern your direction wisely  
to persevere in your holy will  
courageously  
to stay together in charity  
to surrender our own plans readily  
to embrace the greater good  
to hand on your gifts to future  
generations.*

*May we remain in the holy company  
of the Blessed Virgin Mary,  
the apostles, and all the saints.*

*May their example and presence  
inspire us with patient confidence  
in the work of your grace.*

*We ask this of you who  
live and reign with the Father  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
one God, forever and ever.*

*Amen*

*For updates, visit:  
[www.archchicago.org/renew](http://www.archchicago.org/renew)*

## 2017 MARIAN APPEAL & MARIAN NOVENA

**Next Sunday** starts our nine-day Marian Novena.

If you are able, please join us for Mass:

8.13 - regular Sunday schedule: 8:30 and 11 a.m.;  
8.14 - Noon;  
8.15 - Noon, Feast of the Assumption;  
8.16 - 6 p.m.;

8.17 & 18 - Noon;

8.19 - 7:30 a.m.;

8.20 - regular Sunday schedule: 8:30 and 11 a.m.;

8.21 - Noon

Novena Cards are at back of church for Intentions and the Novena Prayers, if you'd like to join us from home or work.

*Festa di Tutti I Santi!*

Sunday, September 17

**Mark your Calendars!**

Contact Marcia for details: [mlp@ourladyofpompeii.org](mailto:mlp@ourladyofpompeii.org) \* 312.421.3757

**11 A.M. UNITY MASS**

Rev. Richard Fragomeni, Ph.D, Rector,  
presider

**Processions of Saints and Banners**

A long-standing tradition in the  
Italian-American community!

**ALL are welcome!**

**RESERVE A TABLE for 10:**

\$140 each (includes \$20 in food/kids' tickets)

Great FOOD

Bocce Tournament

POT OF GOLD RAFFLE

Childrens' Activities

Entertainment all day

a Pictorial history & ...!

go to: [www.ourladyofpompeii.org](http://www.ourladyofpompeii.org)

**"POT OF GOLD" BONUS OFFER!!**

YOU could WIN the  
**POT OF GOLD!**



**Grand Prize: \$5,000.00!\***

**2nd Prize: \$2,500.00!\***

**3rd - 7th Prize (yes, 5!): \$500.00\* each**

\* ALL prize amounts based on the sale of 1,000 tickets.  
(Winners need not be present to win.)

**"Pot of Gold" BONUS OFFER!!**

**Buy 5 Tickets and Get a 6th Ticket FREE! (\$120 Value!)**

**POT OF GOLD DRAWING at *Festa di Tutti i Santi* \* Sunday, September 17**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Please send \_\_\_ Individual Raffle Ticket(s) x \$20 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Please send 5 Tickets + 1 Ticket FREE! (\$100) = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**3 EASY WAYS TO PAY!**

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## WHAT IS THE SHRINE AUXILIARY? *Men and Women Who Pitch In Everywhere!*

### What does the Shrine Auxiliary do?

We help the Shrine in any way we can, providing Sunday hospitality and a community of welcome. The Shrine Auxiliary is always there to make it happen & has two annual fundraisers, the Bake Sale and Lunch with Santa.

The Auxiliary serves at many events, including the St. Joseph Table, *Festa di Tutti i Santi* picnic in September, Mary and Christmas, and pilgrimages including the Columbus Day Mass, War Veterans and the Filipino Community event.



**YOU ARE  
WELCOME HERE!**

### Join the Shrine Auxiliary!

We are in need of new members with fresh ideas. Although we have a meeting the first Sunday of every month, attendance is not mandatory. Dues are \$5.00 per month, and the money collected goes to the Shrine for purchases such as freezers and blinds.

**If you are interested... please:**  
email [shrineauxiliary@gmail.com](mailto:shrineauxiliary@gmail.com) or  
call Antoinette Raetz, Auxiliary Pres.,  
773.218.7088 (C), 312.243.7285 (H).

**Or join us TODAY at 10 a.m.!**

## Update ~ "STUFF THE SHELTER" DRIVE ~ Update

### NEXT

**Sunday, August 13**

before and after both masses.

The Shrine Auxiliary  
will be hosting a  
"Stuff the Shelter" drive  
for a domestic abuse shelter.

### The requested items are:

- \* Gift cards from Aldi's, Jewel, Food for Less, Target and Kohl's
- \* Personal hygiene items (toothpaste, toothbrushes, mouthwash, deodorant, soap, etc.)
- \* Gently used clothing for women and children
- \* Shoes (women and children)

- \* Small kitchen items and glassware
- \* Toys, board games, childrens' books

Space constraints do not allow for bigger items to be accepted.

Volunteers will be in the church hall to accept donated items.

Thank you in advance  
for your participation!

## EYEWITNESS

Today, the Feast of the Transfiguration of the Lord, is a day of eyewitness accounts. The first, a vision reported by the prophet Daniel, was well known to Jesus and his apostles. The vision account was written in quite mystical and figurative language. It is a vision of heaven, powerful and memorable. There are flames of fire, burning wheels, the Ancient One, and a Son of Man. Clearly, Daniel saw something. But was it a dream? Was it real? Was it merely a clever myth?

Peter wants no such confusion about his vision! We are told in Matthew's Gospel what he and his friends James

and John saw when they went up on the mountain with Jesus one day. Jesus warned the three witnesses to tell no one until "the Son of Man has been raised from the dead" (Matthew 17:9). Lest readers of one of the Gospels discount the story or simply write it off as a pious myth, Peter gives his own account of the Transfiguration of Jesus in his second letter to the church. He writes with authority, as an eyewitness. He reports this message from God concerning Jesus: "This is my Son, my beloved, with whom I am well pleased," and he assures us that the message is "altogether reliable" (2 Peter 1:17, 19).

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**The Transfiguration of the Lord**  
August 6, 2017

The heavens proclaim his justice;  
all peoples see his glory.  
— *Psalm 97:6*

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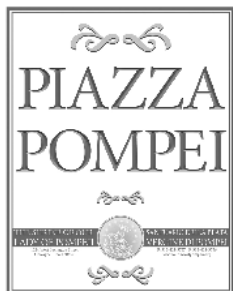


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**Returns**  
**NEXT**  
**Sunday,**  
**August 13!**

**Featured Item:**  
**ITALIAN MENU**  
**in honor of the**  
**Perillo Grandchildren**

Contact Mary Beth Howard  
312.421.3757  
to Sponsor a Feature Menu Item.



**Interested in becoming an integral part of the Shrine?**

We meet at 10:00 a.m. the 1st Sunday of every month.

**Come join the Shrine Auxiliary!**

E-mail us at [shrineauxiliary@gmail.com](mailto:shrineauxiliary@gmail.com) for information!

*SHARE  
YOUR  
PHOTO  
MEMORIES!*

**Did you take photos** recently  
at the Shrine?

**The Filipino Pilgrimage?**  
Perhaps a **Wedding, Baptism?**

**Share your Color Photos with us!**



The size limit for images & documents is 5.0 MB. Please be sure to reduce your file sizes. They might appear in the bulletin, newsletter or our **NEW AND IMPROVED WEBSITE!**

**Schedule of Presiders for the coming week 8/6**

- ❖ 6:00 p.m. Wednesday, August 9: Rev. Michael Gabriel
- ❖ 7:30 a.m. Saturday, August 12: Rev. Michael Gabriel
- ❖ 8:30 & 11 a.m. Sunday, August 13: Rev. Richard N. Fragomeni

**Shrine Logistics:**

- ❖ **DAILY MASS** is held around the corner at Notre Dame de Chicago in the Harrison Street Chapel, 1335 W. Harrison St., 312.243.7400, Mon -Fri: 6:30 a.m.
- ❖ **WASHROOMS** next door, downstairs in Shrine Hall.
- ❖ **Please remember The Shrine of Our Lady of Pompeii in your will.** Contact Mary Beth Howard 312.421.3757, ext. 319 or [mbhoward@ourladyofpompeii.org](mailto:mbhoward@ourladyofpompeii.org). Thank you!

