



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.

TODAY
*Onorando
i Funzionari
Eletti*

We Welcome
elected officials
for a
special blessing

TODAY

2d Sunday

*Feeding God's Holy Family
Food Drive*



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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.

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Today's Readings:

First Reading - Wisdom is easily discerned by those who love her (Wisdom 6:12-16).

Psalm - My soul is thirsting for you, O Lord my God (Psalm 63).

Second Reading - Since we believe that Jesus died and rose again, through Jesus, God will bring with him those who have died (1 Thessalonians 4:13-18 [13-14]).

Gospel - Stay awake! You know neither the day nor the hour (Matthew 25:1-13).

Readings for the Week:

Monday:	Tuesday:	Wednesday:	Thursday:	Friday:	Saturday:
Wis 1:1-7; Ps 139:1b-10; Lk 17:1-6	Wis 2:23 - 3:9; Ps 34:2-3, 16-19; Lk 17:7-10	Wis 6:1-11; Ps 82:3-4, 6-7; Lk 17:11-19	Wis 7:22b - 8:1; Ps 119:89-91, 130, 135, 175; Lk 17:20-25	Wis 13:1-9; Ps 19:2-5ab; Lk 17:26-37	Wis 18:14-16; 19:6-9; Ps 105:2-3, 36-37, 42-43; Lk 18:1-8

Mass in Remembrance				
Gilda & Tommy Bartuch Sue Belmonte Antonio Bifero Diana Bifero Francesca Perillo Camelo Romana Caputo Phyllis Marnell Coleman Robert J. Colosimo Giancarlo, Carmella & Judith Ann Consalvo Joseph Anthony Consalvo, WWII US Navy John Robert Consalvo, Korea Robert John Consalvo, US Navy WWII, Korea Thomas Corpus	Suzanne Dalesandro Oscar O. D'Angelo Giachino & Giovanna D'Arrigo Marie Davino Theresa Davis Carmie (Shoes) De Laurentis Joseph & Theresa Di Buono Salvatore & Marie Di Buono Toni Di Fiore Divita & Szymanski Families Nello, Marilyn & Salvatore Ferrara	Donald F. Flynn Mary V. Fragomeni Vincent Gemino Angela Grespan Sam, Rose & Clara Guardino Ruben & Dave Helberg Arcangelo Iusco Clara Laino Joseph & Josephine Liturri Josefina Lule Midge & Patsy Mancini Cynthia Marano Frank & Florence Mirabelli Leonard Mirabelli Stacy Mirabelli Frank Mirabelli, Jr.	Rose Marie Monzo Vinzenco & Maria Morici Jeanine Navigato Mr. & Mrs. Jack Panico Pistilli & Ciccia Families Ernesto Ponticiello Provenzano Family Bernard Roman Rudolph "Rudy" Tarantino Jimmy Tavolino Frank Tunzi Donald, Frances & Michael Jesse Van Camp Anselmo & Francisca Zuno	

Prayerful Intentions				
Alicia Altares Joe Assenato Baroud Family Phil Bartolotta Peachie Basile Ed Bosowski Eddie Bosowski Joe Bosowski Eleanore Camardo Capuano Family Samatha Cellini Carole Cochran Patrick Considine Laura Cosentino	Dene & Steven Culton Barry Dalesandro Annamarie Di Buono James Di Fiore Chuck Di Marco Alica Escalante Marisela Escalante Anthony & Lucy Fiore Josephine & Mike Fiore Colleen Grant Donna Hoffman La Cassa Family Cathy La Rocco Misty Lichter	Pauleen Lucenti Grace Macaluso Angela Melchiorre Lois Melchiorre Roberto Morelli Patti Nakai Mimi Novy Nancy Panico Geno Pesce Vito Petruzzelli Fr. Tony Pizzo, OSA Phyllis Reda Dorcas Roman Robert Romozzi	Judy Sacco Barbara Schiffler Johnny Tunzi Jeannine Valentino Nicholas James Vayda Elizabeth Wagner Rosalie La Rosa Wolf William Yacilla	<i>If we have accidentally omitted or misspelled any names, we apologize and ask you to contact the Shrine office.</i>

***** PLEASE NOTE: Names submitted for PRAYERFUL INTENTIONS will remain listed for 4 weeks. Please contact the office to submit your request.**

All Souls Day			
John Bartuch Madeline Bartuch James Bartuch Carmen T. Bartuch James Bartuch	Concetta Bartuch John J. Bartuch, Jr. Anna & Bruno Bracco Concetta Caccavale Louis Caccavale	Yolanda Cairo Fiore Family Laudicina Family Eleanor & Guy Poderino	Robert Ricco Anna M. Wesley Phyllis Wesley

Advent Day of Reflection and Reconciliation

Saturday, December 9, 2017

9 a.m. – 3 p.m.

Birthing God

*Franciscan and Dominican Insights on
Creation and the Incarnation*

How do we bring forth Christ in our world today?
How is God's solidarity with all of creation
expressed through Sts. Francis, Dominic,
and the mystical insights of
Bonaventure and Meister Eckhart?

A morning retreat on how our image of God affects
how we live and relate to others
as we prepare a place for the Lord this Advent.

Program:

Mid-Morning Prayer
Presentations

Opportunity for Silence or Small Group Reflection
Examination of Conscience

Reconciliation Service with individual confession

Presenters:

Br. MJ Groark, OFM, Cap
Br. Nicholas Reynolds, O.P.

\$25 Paid Registration is due
by **Wednesday, December 6.** *Lunch included.*



Br. MJ Groark, Capuchin Franciscan friar of the Province of St. Joseph, entered the order in 2008 and made his perpetual vows in 2014. Serving in numerous capacities within the order, he has ministered in Milwaukee, Detroit, on Native American reservations in Montana and is currently stationed on Chicago's Southside. A graduate of St. Xavier University he has degrees in philosophy and anthropology. Br. MJ is currently in the Master of Divinity program at Catholic Theological Union preparing for the priesthood.



Br. Nicholas Reynolds, O.P. is a Dominican friar and member of the Province of St. Martin de Porres. He holds a BS degree in Physics from Furman University and is currently a 5th year student studying theology and philosophy at Aquinas Institute of Theology in St. Louis, Missouri. Bro. Nicholas enjoys topics on spirituality and likes to take walks for contemplation. He is a lover of food and cultural cuisines.

3 Easy Ways to Register:

1. **Online:** www.ourladyofpompeii.org
2. **Call:** 312.421.3757 with V/MC information
3. **Mail:** Registration Form with Check or V/MC information payable to:
The Shrine of Our Lady of Pompeii, *Attn: Advent Day*
1224 W. Lexington Street, Chicago, IL 60607

Next Sunday, November 19:

Auxiliary Bake Sale

after 8:30 & 11 a.m. Masses

Bakers Wanted!

Bring us your **Homemade Baked Goods... YUM!** Cupcakes, pies, breads, cakes, cookies...!

Drop off baked goods Saturday, November 18th, 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.



Sunday, November 26:

Auxiliary Lunch With Santa

after the 11 a.m. Mass,
12 Noon to 3 p.m.



\$5 per person

Includes magic show, hot dogs, cotton candy, activities, & a visit from Santa and some of his elves!

(Photos with Santa available for additional charge!)

Lunch w/Santa Donor Elves Wanted

Your donations help us keep our Family-Friendly event affordable.

Sponsor an Activity or make a General Donation to *Lunch with Santa.*



Call **Antoinette 773.218.7088 C** or **312.243.7285** weekdays after 5:00 p.m.

Mary and Christmas ~ Tickets Now on Sale!



SATURDAY, DECEMBER 2:

Mary and Christmas

*Elegant Buffet (Prepared by Piccolo Sogno),
Concert and Champagne & Pastry Reception*

Limited seating, Reservations only.

Visit www.ourladyofpompeii.org or
Call Marcia 312.421.3757 for tickets!

In its 17th year, our annual **Mary & Christmas concert** welcomes back the incomparable **William Ferris Chorale** under **Maestro Paul French**. Joining us this year is a **children's choir**, **Keryn Wouden, Josie Falbo, Carol LoVerde, Anthony Rago** and our beloved rector, **Rev. Richard Fragomeni**.

Join us or what promises to be an exuberant evening of holiday music making!

TICKET LEVELS:

Archangel \$1,500

Includes Admission for Eight: a reserved table at buffet; a reserved pew for the concert in the Shrine; premium recognition in the Program Book.

Seraphim \$1,100

Includes Admission for Eight: a reserved table at buffet; a reserved pew for the concert in the Shrine;

special recognition in the Program Book.

Cherubim \$825

Includes Admission for Six: a reserved table at buffet; a reserved pew for the concert in the Shrine; special recognition in the Program Book.

Angel \$175 each

Includes Admission(s): Buffet and Concert

North Central Lieutenancy, USA

For Immediate Release

NORTH CENTRAL LIEUTENANCY

Equestrian Order of the Holy Sepulchre of Jerusalem

Ernest Rossiello Invested as a Knight of the Order of the Holy Sepulchre of Jerusalem

The North Central Lieutenancy, USA of the Equestrian Order of the Holy Sepulchre of Jerusalem (covering the states of Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky, Michigan, Ohio and Wisconsin) held its annual meeting on October 20-22, 2017 in Indianapolis. The event culminated in the investiture of 49 new Knights and Dames in the Order. **Ernest T. Rossiello of The Shrine of Our Lady of Pompeii** was among those knighted by Raymond Leo Cardinal Burke who presided over the investiture ceremony.

Members nominated for acceptance in the Order must live a life commensurate with the teachings and practices of the Catholic Church. The Order provides financial support for the Latin Patriarchate of Jerusalem & the charitable works of the Catholic Church in the Holy Land.

Today the Order numbers over 30,000 members world-wide. For further information about the Order one may visit the Order's website at <http://www.eohsjnorthcentral.org>.

Congratulations, Ernie! (2d row, third from left)



Nativity Set Raffle



Raffle - \$25 each (Set is located at back of the church)

(Set will not be delivered.
Must be able to pick up)

(Remit envelopes at back of
church on pedestal by set.)

I would like to purchase ___ Raffle
Tickets at \$25.00 each = \$ _____

Check One - Enclosed:

1. ___ Cash
2. ___ Check *or*
3. ___ Have Marcia Call
Me for Credit Card info.

Name _____

Address _____

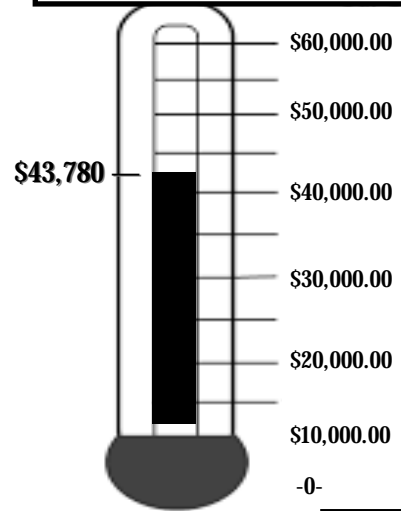
Phone _____

Email _____

**Winner drawn
NEXT Sunday,
November 19!**

Shrine Hall Bathroom Renovations

\$60,000.00 ~ OUR GOAL



Dear Friends
of the Shrine,



Christmas is less than
2 months away and *All
I want for Christmas* is updated, working
fixtures, toilets and sinks for both men
and women's bathrooms. Working
HOT water, just imagine it. New, fresh
tile that matches.

(Work has begun, see schedule to the left)

We hold so many fund raising events
in our hall each year to save on the
expense of using an outside venue, so
a major portion of your support can
go toward the ministry of the Shrine.
But, you must agree, those restrooms
have been in need of attention for a
long time coming. And, you have been
so polite and understanding.

With your help, we can have the work
done on both disgusting restrooms
and the hallway space by *Mary &
Christmas, December 2*. If you would like
to contribute, please pick up a card
and remit envelope from the back of
the church.

Thank you!
Father Richard

Shrine Hall Bathroom Renovations



Provided all work goes according to schedule...

The new and improved **MENS' ROOM**
can now be used.

The **WOMENS' ROOM**
will not be available
November 10 - 27.

PLEASE VISIT THE 1st floor restroom in the Shrine Center.

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR PATIENCE AND COOPERATION
DURING THE RENOVATIONS!!**

Please Pardon our Dust as we work to have
New Bathrooms by Christmas!
Watch this space for updates.

**Thirty-second Sunday
in Ordinary Time
November 12, 2017**

Stay awake,
for you know neither the day nor the hour.
— *Matthew 25:13*

Has your
Contact
Information (Address, Email, Phone)
Changed?



The Shrine * LITURGICAL MINISTRY VOLUNTEER * Forms
are located on TABLES at the BACK.

Please let us know! 312.421.3757
or mps@ourladyofpompeii.org.

+ POMPEII +
YOUNG ADULT
SOCIETY

**CALLING
Young Adults!**

Married and Single, 20 - 35!

Say Hello! pompeiiyoungadults@gmail.com



Interested in becoming an integral part
of the Shrine?

Come join the Shrine Auxiliary!

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

NEXT MEETING: SUNDAY, DECEMBER 3.

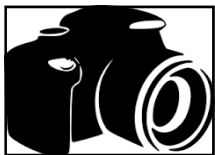
E-mail us at shrineauxiliary@gmail.com
for information!

WINTER "STUFF THE SHELTER" ...



Was a **HUGE SUCCESS!**
21 bags of clothing were collected
for the Shelter families!

Thank YOU again, for your generosity!



Did you take photos
recently at the Shrine's
Columbus Day
events or Parade?

Perhaps a **Wedding or Baptism?**
Share your **Color Photos with us!**

The size limit for
images and documents is 5.0 MB.
Please be sure to reduce your file sizes.

They might appear in the
bulletin, newsletter
or our **new website!**

Email them to:
mps@ourladyofpompeii.org.

Thank you!

**SHARE YOUR
PHOTO
MEMORIES!**

Piazza Pompei will return in 2018!

Volunteers & Sponsors of Featured Items always
welcome. Contact Mary Beth 312.421.3757.

Schedule of Presiders for the coming week 11/12

- ❖ 6:00 p.m. Wed, November 15: Rev. Richard N. Fragomeni
- ❖ 7:30 a.m. Saturday, November 18: Rev. Michael Gabriel
- ❖ 8:30 & 11 a.m. Sunday, November 19: Rev. John Belmonte, SJ

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. Thank you!

