



LE DECINE DEL ROSARIO

THE SHRINE OF OUR LADY OF POMPEII

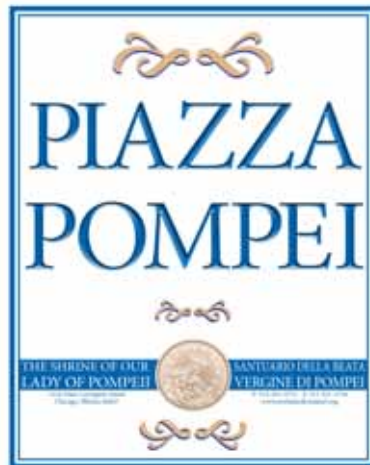
The Oldest Continuing Italian-American Catholic Church
in the City of Chicago, located in the heart of historic "Little Italy."

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.



Join us after the 8:30 a.m. and 11 a.m. Masses!



TODAY:
Second Sunday
*Feeding God's
Holy Family*
FOOD DRIVE
&
Piazza Pompeii
returns!

**YOU are invited to
share your photos
from the season!**

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**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 Reading - The leper will dwell apart, making an abode outside the camp (Leviticus 13:1-2, 44-46).

Second Reading - Do everything for the glory of God (1 Corinthians 10:31 - 11:1).

Psalm - I turn to you, Lord, in time of trouble, and you fill me with the joy of salvation (Psalm 32).

Gospel - The leprosy left him immediately, and he was made clean (Mark 1:40-45).

READINGS FOR THE WEEK:

Monday:

Jas 1:1-11;
Ps 119:67-68,
71-72, 75-76;
Mk 8:11-13

Tuesday:

Jas 1:12-18;
Ps 94:12-13a,
14-15, 18-19;
Mk 8:14-21

Wednesday:

Jl 2:12-18;
Ps 51:3-6ab,
12-14, 17;
2 Cor 5:20 - 6:2
Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

Thursday:

Dt 30:15-20;
Ps 1:1-4, 6;
Lk 9:22-25

Friday:

Is 58:1-9a;
Ps 51:3-6ab,
18-19;
Mt 9:14-15

Saturday:

Is 58:9b-14;
Ps 86:1-6;
Lk 5:27-32

MASS IN REMEMBRANCE

Thomas Adamson Jr.
Gilda & Tommy Bartuch
Sue Belmonte
Diana Bifero
Francesca Perillo Camelo
Romana Caputo
Phyllis Marnell Coleman
Deceased members of the
Colosimo family
Giancarlo, Carmella &
Judith Ann Consalvo
Suzanne Dalesandro
Oscar O. D'Angelo
Giachino & Giovanna
D'Arrigo
Marie Davino

Theresa Davis
Carmie (Shoes)
De Laurentis
Mike De Pinto
Darlene De Vito
Joseph & Theresa
Di Buono
Salvatore & Marie
Di Buono
Toni Di Fiore
Joseph J. Di Iocova
Nello, Marilyn & Salvatore
Ferrara
Donald F. Flynn
Mary V. Fragomeni
Vincent Gemino

Angela Grespan
Sam, Rose & Clara
Guardino
Arcangelo Iusco
Clara Laino
Bill Lawrence
Joseph & Josephine Litruri
Midge & Patsy Mancini
Cynthia Marano
Frank & Florence Mirabelli
Leonard Mirabelli
Stacy Mirabelli
Frank Mirabelli, Jr.
Vinzenco & Maria Morici
Alfredo Morrone
Jeanine Navigato

Mr. & Mrs. Jack Panico
Pistilli & Ciccio Families
Ernesto Ponticiello
Provenzano Family
Louis & Theresa Roberts
Bernard Roman
Judy Sacco
Rudolph "Rudy" Tarantino
Jimmy Tavolino Jr.
Donald, Frances & Michael
Jesse Van Camp
Anselmo & Francisca Zuno

PRAYERFUL INTENTIONS

Alicia Altares
Joe Assenato
Anna Marie Baraglia
Baroud Family
Phil Bartolotta
Peachie Basile
Ed Bosowski
Eddie Bosowski
Joe Bosowski
Eleanore Camardo
Capuano Family
Samatha Cellini
Carole Cochran
Avelino B. Concepcion
Patrick Considine
Laura Cosentino

Esterina Covello
Dene & Steven Culton
Barry Dalesandro
Patricia & Robert Davies
Annamarie Di Buono
James Di Fiore
Chuck Di Marco
Alica Escalante
Marisela Escalante
Anthony & Lucy Fiore
Josephine & Mike Fiore
Carol Gancer
Colleen Grant
Donna Hoffman
La Cassa Family
Cathy La Rocco

Jacque Laino
Antonette "Babe" Lanzito
Misty Lichter
Pauleen Lucenti
Josefina Lule
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
Luciana Ruffolo
Barbara Schifler
Tracey
Tarrantino-Di Buono
Johnny Tunzi
Jeannine Valentino
Nicholas James Vayda
Elizabeth Wagner
Rosalie La Rosa Wolf
William Yacilla

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

Winter Spirituality 2018

DEEP LISTENING: BEING A LOVING AND HEALING PRESENCE

Saturday, February 24, 2018

9 a.m. – 3 p.m.
8:30 a.m. check-in, coffee

“Being listened to is so close to being loved that most people cannot tell the difference.”
(D. Augsburger)

Listening is an art.
Deep listening happens in the heart.
Beyond our logical minds
there is a ground of knowing
where we encounter Divine grace and compassion
that heals and transforms us.

Come and learn practices in deep listening
where our inner and outer landscapes meet.
We'll experience Centering Prayer (Christian tradition)
and the secular aspects of Mindfulness
Meditation in the Shambhala Buddhist tradition.
Cultivating silence, noticing and
not judging our thoughts opens our hearts
to receiving God's abundant grace and mercy
as we know our basic goodness.

3 Ways to Register:

Call: 312.421.3757 (V/MC) or
Online: ourladyofpompeii.org or

Mail Check or Credit Card
information to:
The Shrine of Our Lady of Pompeii

Co-Leaders:



Aarti Lentz Tejuja, *Director of Social Engagement, Shambhala International*, creates safe spaces for young people in Chicago teaching how to live mindfully and give back to society.



Susan M. Pudelek, M.Div., *Coordinator of Interreligious Relations, Office for Ecumenical and Interreligious Affairs, Archdiocese of Chicago*, builds relationships with people of many religious traditions. Susan was the

Shrine's Director of Pilgrimage Ministry for more than 12 years.

Susan and Aarti were delegates with the Buddhist Catholic Vatican Dialogue and met Pope Francis in June 2015.

\$25.00 Paid Registration is due by
Wednesday, February 21.
Lunch included.

LENT IS COMING!



Ash
Wednesday
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THIS Wednesday, February 14

Word Service with Distribution of Ashes

7:30 a.m. & 12:00 p.m.

Mass and Distribution of Ashes

6:00 p.m.



THIS Friday, February 16

Stations of the Cross

and every Friday, through
Good Friday, March 30, at 12 Noon



**RESERVATIONS NOW BEING ACCEPTED!
OPERATORS ARE STANDING BY!**

ST. JOSEPH TABLE SUNDAY, MARCH 18

**RESERVATIONS
for Seatings a MUST!**

Call: 312.421.3757

Email: mlp@ourladyofpompeii.org



**3 Masses:
8:30 a.m., 10:15 a.m.
& 12:15 p.m.**

**Rev. Richard Fragomeni, Ph.D.,
President**
(No reservations needed for Masses)

2 Reserved Seatings:

*** 1st Seating: 11:30 a.m.**

*** 2nd Seating: 1:30 p.m.**

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Freewill Donations gratefully received in honor of St. Joseph
10% of the net proceeds are donated to a charity that assists Chicago's west side families.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED! Call Antoinette 773.218.7088

In 2018, The Shrine of Our Lady of Pompeii will be participating in the **Annual Catholic Appeal for the Archdiocese of Chicago.**

Brochures are on the tables at the back of church for your information, and you may have received them in your mail.

We thank you in advance for your generosity.



Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ,

The call of Jesus echoes across the generations and is ever the same: *Come, follow me.* These words of Jesus have been chosen as the theme for the 2018 Annual Catholic Appeal. We are living in a graced time of renewal here in the Archdiocese of Chicago. In a fresh way, we are reclaiming the call to follow Jesus as his disciples. He calls us both individually and as a community, in which we are responsible for one another.

Our Annual Catholic Appeal brings us together to live out our responsibility in that community of discipleship. By each of us joining in the Appeal together, we sustain Catholic schools and parishes in need, support programs of religious education, ministerial formation, and many initiatives for the protection of life and the promotion of peace and justice. Through the Annual Appeal, we also support the efforts of Catholic Relief Services which care for people across the globe who struggle and suffer because of natural disasters and the ravages of war. We are all connected to one another in Jesus as his disciples, and we can express that connection through our support of the Appeal.

Join me and other disciples across the Archdiocese in making a generous offering to the Annual Appeal. Once again, I pledge that we will be good stewards of your gifts. And remember that once your parish reaches its goal, 100 percent of the over-goal contributions will be returned to your parish.

Pray for the people who will benefit from your generosity. And, of course, please pray for me, as I am always praying for you.

May God bless and keep you and all your loved ones.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Card. Blase Cupich

Cardinal Blase J. Cupich
Archbishop of Chicago



SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITY FOR AREA RESIDENTS

It has been 2 years since lifetime Taylor Street area resident Antoinette "Toni" Di Fiore (nee Arpino) passed away. With her husband of 49 years, James "Jimmy", Mrs. Di Fiore lived two blocks from where she was born, in the same building with cousin Barry Dalesandro, husband of the late Suzanne, and across the street from her sister-in-law Peachie Basile.

"While Toni and Jimmy never had children, Toni was extremely generous to her nieces and nephews and even their children," said her nephew, Vincent Arpino. "Her generosity carried over to the neighborhood, where many of her close friends became 'cousins.'

A life-long member of The Shrine of Our Lady of Pompeii, she frequently sat in the back row. "There was nothing she loved more than St. Joseph's Day, which included her hand-painted St. Joseph statues, coveted items during the fundraising auctions," Arpino said.

"Toni's legacy is not so much her personal feats or accomplishments, but it is what she did and contributed to the lives of the people that she came in contact with, making others better," Arpino said. "May Toni be smiling

down upon the neighborhood and resting in peace.

In honor of Toni, her nephew, Vincent Arpino, has started an annual **\$1,000.00 scholarship** to be awarded to a **neighborhood resident** attending a **Catholic high school** so that Toni's spirit lives on. The scholarship winner will be announced **Sunday, March 19**, the Feast of St. Joseph.

TO APPLY FOR THE SCHOLARSHIP, please write a **500 word essay**, **double spaced** (no more than 2 pages), about **"The person who has most influenced you in your life"** and send to:

Mary Beth Howard
The Shrine of Our Lady of Pompeii
1224 W. Lexington Street
Chicago, IL 60607

Essay Deadline is Friday, March 2, 2018.

In Loving Memory of
Antoinette A. DiFiore



LENTEN DAY OF REFLECTION AND RECONCILIATION IN PREPARATION FOR HOLY WEEK

Three Doorways into Holy Week: Stories that can Change our Lives

Glorying in the Cross

Saturday, March 24 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. *Check-in, coffee 8:30 a.m.*



Speaker: Victoria M. Tufano, Senior Editor
& Liturgical Consultant at Liturgy Training
Publications.

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WE INVITE YOU TO SHARE YOUR PHOTO MEMORIES!



Did you take **photos**
recently at the **Shrine's**
Mary & Christmas, this
Christmas Season, or **La Befana?**
Perhaps a **Wedding, Baptism?**
Share your Color Photos with us!

Please send as **jpgs**.
The size limit for images and documents is **5.0 MB**.
Please be sure to reduce your file sizes.
Watch for them in the bulletin, or on our **website!**

Email them to:
mps@ourladyofpompeii.org

Thank you!

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time
February 11, 2018

Whether you eat or drink, or whatever you do,
do everything for the glory of God.
— 1 Corinthians 10:31

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



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

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



+ POMPEII +
YOUNG ADULT
SOCIETY

CALLING Young Adults!

Married and Single, 20 - 35!

Say Hello! pompeiiyoungadults@gmail.com

Come join the Shrine Auxiliary!

and become an integral part
of the Shrine!

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

NEXT MEETING: MARCH 4

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



Is
Back
TODAY!

SPONSORED BY
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TAMALES & MORE

Volunteers Needed

Would you like to Sponsor
the Featured Item?

Contact Mary Beth Howard
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"2nd Sunday" FEEDING GOD'S HOLY FAMILY Food Drive



Upcoming Dates:

TODAY
February 11

March 11
April 8

Schedule of Presiders for the coming week 2/11

- ❖ 7:30 a.m. Wed., February 14: Mr. Wachsmann
- 12:00 p.m. Br. Brian Kerns, OSA
- 6:00 p.m. Rev. John Welch, MS
- ❖ 7:30 a.m. Saturday, Feb. 17: Rev. Richard N. Fragomeni
- ❖ 8:30 & 11 a.m. Sunday, Feb. 18: 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. Thank you!

