



LE DECINE DEL ROSARIO

THE SHRINE OF OUR LADY OF POMPEII

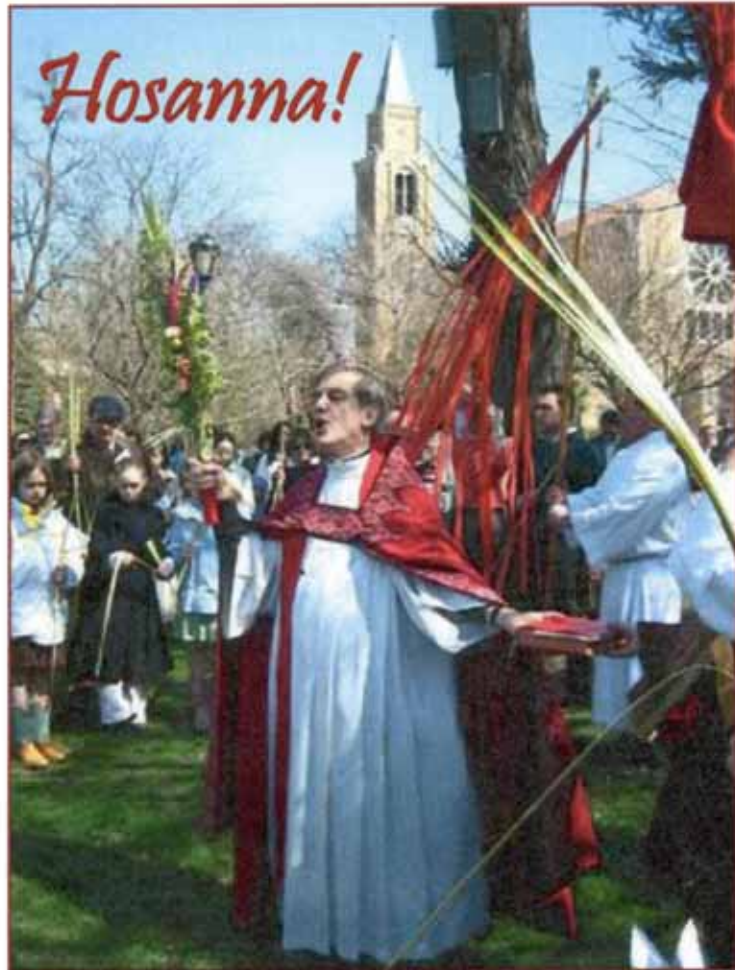
The Oldest Continuing Italian-American Catholic Church
in the City of Chicago, located in the heart of historic "Little Italy."

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.



HOLY CANNOLI
Kit Orders
PICK UP TODAY!



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.

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TODAY'S READINGS:

Gospel at the Procession with Palms - Jesus' entry into Jerusalem (Mark 11:1-10 or John 12:12-16).

First Reading - In spite of my sufferings I am not disgraced. I am not put to shame (Isaiah 50:4-7).

Psalm - My God, my God, why have you abandoned me? (Psalm 22).

Second Reading - Christ emptied himself, and God filled this emptiness with exaltation (Philippians 2:6-11).

Gospel - The account of Christ's passion according to Mark (Mark 14:1 - 15:47 [15:1-39]).

READINGS FOR THE WEEK:

Monday:

Is 42:1-7;
Ps 27:1-3, 13-14;
Jn 12:1-11

Tuesday:

Is 49:1-6;
Ps 71:1-6, 15, 17;
Jn 13:21-33, 36-38

Wednesday:

Is 50:4-9a;
Ps 69:8-10, 21-22,
31, 33-34;
Mt 26:14-25

Thursday:

Ex 12:1-8, 11-14;
Ps 116:12-13,
15-16bc, 17-18; 1
Cor 11:23-26;
Jn 13:1-15

Good Friday:

Is 52:13 - 53:12;
Ps 31:2, 6, 12-13,
15-17, 25;
Heb 4:14-16; 5:7-
9; Jn 18:1 - 19:42

Holy Saturday:

a) Gn 1:1 - 2:2 [1:1,
26-31a]; Ps 104:1-
2, 5-6, 10, 12, 13-
14, 24, 35; *or*

Ps 33:4-7, 12-13,
20-22;
b) Gn 22:1-18 [1-2,
9a, 10-13, 15-18]; Ps
16: 5, 8-11;
c) Ex 14:15 - 15:1;
Ex 15:1-6, 17-18;

d) Is 54:5-14; Ps
30:2, 4-6, 11-13;
e) Is 55:1-11;
Is 12:2-6;

f) Bar 3:9-15, 32 -
4:4; Ps 19:8-11;
g) Ez 36:16-17a,
18-28;
Ps 42:3, 5; 43:3-4
or Is 12:2-3, 4bcd,
5-6 *or* Ps 51:12-15,
18-19; h) Rom
6:3-11; i) Ps
118:1-2, 16-17, 22-
23; Mk 16:1-7

MASS IN REMEMBRANCE

Gilda & Tommy Bartuch
Sue Belmonte
Diana Bifero
Francesco Cesario Cain, Jr.
Francesca Perillo Camelo
RoseMarie Campeol
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
Darlene De Vito
Joseph & Theresa
Di Buono
Salvatore & Marie
Di Buono
Toni Di Fiore
Nello, Marilyn & Salvatore
Ferrara

Donald F. Flynn
Mary V. Fragomeni
Vincent Gemino
Angela Grespan
Sam, Rose & Clara
Guardino
Arcangelo Iusco
Clara Laino
Midge & Patsy Mancini
Cynthia Marano
Vinzenzo & Maria Morici
Jeanine Navigato
Mr. & Mrs. Jack Panico
Ernesto Ponticiello

Provenzano Family
Louis & Theresa Roberts
Bernard Roman
Judy Sacco
Rick Mc Carthy Schwartz
Talaini Family
Albert Taliani
Rudolph "Rudy" Tarantino
Jimmy Tavolino Jr.
Donald, Frances
& Michael Jesse Van Camp
St. Joseph

PASSION The contrast between the processional reading in today's liturgy and the proclamation of the Passion is striking. We are given a glimpse of how profoundly the word of God is fulfilled in Jesus.

First he must be hailed as the Messiah, the One who is to come. He must be acknowledged by all, though they do not know what they are saying. They think he is the

promised king, a worldly king of the Jews who will free them from the Roman occupation. They do not yet understand, even the disciples, exactly where this triumphal procession is leading. In our lives, we too do not know where we are going. It is in faith that we can follow Christ wherever he may lead us, trusting that death is not the end, nor evil the victor.

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Easter Flowers & Holiday Deadlines

Names listed for **Special Intentions** and **Masses of Remembrance** for the Palm Sunday, March 25 Bulletin were due **Thursday, March 15.**

To have names listed for **Easter Flowers** (*in memory* or *in honor* of loved ones, living and deceased, located on

tables at back of the church) and **Perpetual Light Society** in the Easter, April 1 Bulletin: offerings are **DUE Thursday, March 22.**

Names received after these dates will appear in the April 8th Bulletin due to print deadlines. Thank you.

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE



Holy Thursday, March 29 7 p.m. Mass

Good Friday, March 30

Lord's Passion & Stations at 12 noon;

Solemn Liturgy of the Lord's Passion at 7 p.m.

Holy Saturday, March 31

Easter Vigil at 9 p.m. & Rector's Reception

Easter Sunday, April 1

8:30 a.m. and 11 a.m. Masses



SUFFERING

Jesus did not
come to do away
with suffering or
remove it.

He came to
fill it with
his presence.

~ Paul Claudel

PRAYERFUL INTENTIONS

Alicia Altares
Joe Assenato
Arlene Astrowski
Anna Marie Baraglia
Baroud Family
Phil Bartolotta
Peachie Basile
Ed Bosowski
Eddie Bosowski
Joe Bosowski
Eleanore Camardo
Capuano Family
Mrs. Linda Caputo
Samatha Cellini
Rosemary Chachula
& Family
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
Alex & Carol Fosco
& Family
Colleen Grant
Donna Hoffman
La Cassa Family

Cathy La Rocco
Jacquie Laino
Antonette "Babe" Lanzito
Misty Lichter
Pauleen Lucenti
Josefina Lule
Grace Macaluso
Angela Melchiorre
Lois Melchiorre
Roberto Morelli
Samatha Mosillami
Patti Nakai
Mimi Novy
Nancy Panico
Geno Pesce
Vito Petruzzelli
Fr. Tony Pizzo, OSA
Phyllis Reda

Angela Rinaldi & Family
Dorcas Roman
Robert Romozzi
Luciana Ruffolo
Barbara Schifler
William Shane
Francis Shimandle
Anne Taliani & Family
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.**

Save the Date * Sat., June 2 * Moving On With Grace: A Spiritual Journey for Men and Women Grieving the Death of a Spouse

Mary Crowning will be here before you know it!



SUNDAY, MAY 6

at the **11:00 a.m. Mass**

hosted by Our Lady of Pompeii
Alumni Committee

**Children of All Ages are
Invited to Participate in our
Mary Crowning Procession.**

First Holy Communicants will
receive a special blessing.
You may wear your Communion finest!

**For details, please contact:
Grace: gracedv@aol.com or
Tomasina: tlp1314@comcast.net
before Friday, April 27!**

OPERATION RICE BOWL (ORB)

Pick up your "Rice Bowl"
at the back of the church &
return it during Holy Week or
Easter Sunday, April 1.

THANK YOU
for your generosity!



St. Joseph Committee:

Chef Adam Bifano

Chef John Brunetti

Chef Denise Guardino

Chief Cook & Bottle Washer:

~ John Galluzzi

The Brains of the Outfit: ~

Debbie Brunetti

Pastry Chefs:

Joyce and Jim Puccini

Lissa and Tessa Christman

Cindy and Dan Conrath

A Hardy THANK YOU to our "St. Joseph and The Bountiful Table" Donors, Attendees and Volunteers

Donors In-Kind:

Angelo Caputo's Fresh Market

Anton Marano Company ~

Anton Marano

Ferrera Bakery ~

Nella & Bill Davy

Greco & Sons

Guardino Family

Pompei Bakery ~

Davino Family

Tufano's Vernon Park Tap ~

Joseph Di Buono & Family

Supreme Lobster ~

Dominic Stramaglia

Tony's Finer Foods ~

Domenico Gambino

Turano Bakery ~ Ron Turano

The HEART of the SHRINE!

The Shrine Auxiliary

The Shrine Alumni

We Fondly Remember:

Toni Di Fiore &

Gilda Bartuch

SPECIAL THANKS:

Peachy Basile

Enrica Cesario

Ann Novotny

Antoinette Raetz

Frank & Rosa Rappa

Mario Raspa

Mark Tortoriello

& All our incredible
Benefactors and Volunteers!



We have a Winner!!!

Congratulations to Miss Alexis Clark,

Our Lady of Tepeyac Student,

Winner of the 3rd annual

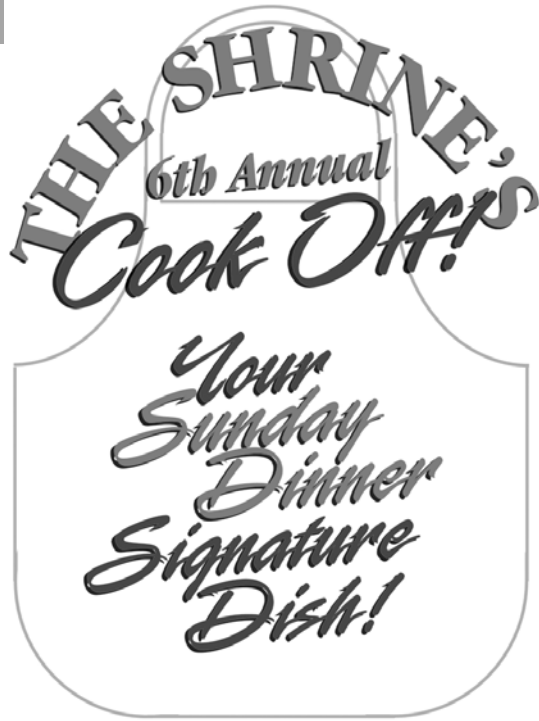
**Antoinette "Toni" Di Fiore
Scholarship!**

It was a very close competition
with numerous entries of equal caliber...

The Di Fiore Family was proud to award
this scholarship to Alexis.

Congratulations!

6TH ANNUAL COOK OFF!



Sunday, April 29

The Shrine of Our Lady of Pompeii
1224 W. Lexington Street, Chicago, IL

Starts promptly at 12:30 p.m.,
immediately following the 11 a.m. Mass.

\$30 per person

You will sample each Team's
Sunday Dinner Signature Dish!
(includes Wine, Antipasto Salad and Dessert.)

Teams compete for your vote.
You be the Judge!

People's Choice Winner

Reservations only, Limited seating.
Sorry NO Walk-Ins.

To make your reservation:

- * Online: ourladyofpompeii.org
* Call: 312.421.3757
* Mail Coupon to the right to the Shrine

Shrine Cook Off Reservation: Sunday Dinner Signature Dish
PAYMENT: \$30 per person
of Tickets: _____ x \$30
Name: _____ = TOTAL: \$ _____
Company: _____ Check # _____ or
Address: _____ V/ MC #: _____
City, State, Zip: _____ Exp: _____
Phone: _____ RESERVE NOW!
Email: _____ Limited Seating



The Sacrament of the
Anointing of the Sick

Sunday, May 20 * 11 a.m. Mass

- ♥ Do you know someone who is experiencing a serious illness, physical, emotional, mental?
♥ Are you or is someone you know preparing for or recovering from surgery?
♥ Are you a caregiver or a Minister of Care? Please join us at the 11:00 Mass.

Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord
March 25, 2018 [Christ Jesus] humbled himself, becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross.
— *Philippians 2:8*

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.



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.

NEXT MEETING: SUNDAY, APRIL 8!

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

SCAFFOLDING Schedule

Scaffolding will remain in the Vestibule area while it is being painted, until Monday, March 26.

Thank you for your understanding and patience as we continue the Beautification of the Shrine to its original elegant beauty.

"2nd Sunday" FEEDING GOD'S HOLY FAMILY Food Drive



Upcoming Dates:

April 8
May 13
June 10



Next **Piazza Pompeii** May 20

WOULD YOU LIKE TO SPONSOR THE FEATURE ITEM?

Contact **Mary Beth Howard** 312.421.3757

Schedule of Presiders for the coming week 3/25

- ❖ 6:00 p.m. Wed., March 28: Rev. John Welch, MS
- ❖ 7:00 p.m. Thurs., March 29: Rev. John Belmonte, SJ
- ❖ 7:00 p.m. Fri., March 30: Br. Brian Kerns, OSA
- ❖ 7:30 a.m. Sat., March 31: **No Mass**
- ❖ 9:00 p.m. Sat., March 31: Frs. Belmonte, Fragomeni
- ❖ 8:30 & 11 a.m. Sunday, April 1: Revs. Belmonte, 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!

