

FEAST OF SS. JOACHIM & ANNE - July 26th is the feast of these great saints. Ancient tradition gives us the names of Anne and Joachim as parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Although we do not know anything about their lives, we would speculate that the parents of Mary must have provided a wonderful spiritual home environment for her who was to be the Mother of God. Through their intercession, we ask God to bless our parents and grandparents. Mass will be offered in honor of St. Joachim and St. Anne on **Thursday, July 26th at 7:30 am.**

Wedding Anniversary Celebration

25th, 40th, 50th & over 50 Years of Marriage

The Office of Marriage Preparation & Enrichment is sponsoring their annual Wedding Anniversary Celebration honoring couples in the Diocese of Providence, whose marriage is recognized by the Church, celebrating their 25th, 40th, 50th, and over wedding anniversaries in 2018. **The Wedding Anniversary Celebration will be celebrated on Sunday, September 23rd at 1:00 pm at the Cathedral of SS. Peter and Paul in Providence.** The celebration will include Mass, renewal of marriage vows, and a personalized certificate. Bishop Thomas J. Tobin will be the Main Celebrant and Homilist. Following the Mass, a reception will be hosted for the couples and their families. **Couples who would like to attend can register for this special event by calling our Parish Office at 944-4466 before Tuesday, August 14th.**

The Piarist Fathers, Order of Pious Schools, and Fr. David Powers that visited our parish, extend a sincere thank you to all parishioners for the generous donation of \$2,202.00 given through the **Mission Cooperation Plan** second collection on July 7th & 8th. Our donation will help with their educational work and outreach programs.

FEAST MASS AND RELIGIOUS PROCESSION

The culmination of our Parish Festival is the beautiful Feast Mass and Religious Procession to the site of the "old church" to be celebrated on **Sunday, August 12th at 10:30 am.** (combining the 9:30 am and 11:30 am Masses.) Plan to attend the Mass and worship with us in Honor of our Patron.

FEAST FOOD & FLOUR FUND

Again this year we are appealing for monetary donations to help keep our Feast food prices as low as possible. Your donation will help to purchase many food items needed for the delicious foods prepared each night of our Parish Feast. This additional help will enable us to keep our food prices reasonable. Please put your envelope in the collection basket at Mass or bring it to the Parish Office. *Thank you for supporting your Feast & Festival!*

FEAST BOOSTER SHARE PROGRAM

Annual Parish Feast & Festival

August 10, 11, & 12, 2018

DONATION \$100 per ticket.

Winner receives 15% of income received from booster ticket sales.

Drawing on August 12th.

Tickets available at the Parish Office

Our thanks to these donors:

Scalabrini Dukceвич Center

Scalabrini Lay Movement

Mr. & Mrs. Vlado Dukceвич

Rosanna I. Grillo

Joseph DeBiasio

Norma Marcantonio

FEAST FOOD TICKETS - A \$10.00 sheet of Food Tickets to be used to purchase delicious food at our Feast & Festival can be purchased at a **special early-bird price of only \$8.00** if purchased at the Rectorry Office before **August 6th**. Come to the Feast and enjoy a variety of excellent foods, pastries, and beverages!

FEAST CASH RAFFLE TICKETS - We thank all those who have made returns on the three raffle books received in the mail. We hope all parishioners will do their "fair share" by purchasing or selling them to family and friends.

ATTENTION BAKERS! Donations of homemade pastry goods to be sold in the **Pastry Booth** at our Feast & Festival would be greatly appreciated. Baked items and desserts may be brought to the Parish Office beginning on **Wednesday, August 8th**. Thank you for your Feast participation.

MASSES FOR JULY 23 - 29, 2018

Every Mass is offered for the faithful, living or dead.

However the following are specifically remembered this week.

Monday, July 23rd

7:30 am - Dolores Igliazzi by husband & children
7:00 pm - Mass in Spanish

Tuesday, July 24th

7:30 am - Peter Gallo, Jr. by family
6:00 pm - Eucharistic Adoration
7:00 pm - Novena Devotions & Benediction

Wednesday, July 25th – St. James, Apostle

7:30 am - Intentions of Parishioners

Thursday, July 26th

7:30 am - Saints Joachim & Anne

Friday, July 27th

7:30 am - Rev. Alfred P. Almonte, C.S. – 1st Anniversary
3:00 pm - Divine Mercy Chaplet

Saturday, June 28th

8:00 am - Intentions of Priest Celebrant

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Tuesday, July 24th

6:00 pm - Eucharistic Adoration
7:00 pm - Novena Devotions & Benediction

Friday, July 27th

3:00 pm - Divine Mercy Chaplet – Chapel

Sunday, July 29th

No Second Collection

+ WEEKLY CHURCH SUPPORT +

*What Our Lord Asks Is Not Equal Gifts - But Equal Sacrifice.
(Increased Giving Campaign)*

Weekend of July 7 & 8

Envelopes & Loose Collection: \$3,587.00
Second Collection: \$2,202.00
Mission Cooperation Plan – Piarist Fathers

LORD'S DAY MASSES

Saturday, July 28th

5:00 pm

Josephine & Carmine Santucci by daughter
Anna Nunes by family
Michael Quinn by family

6:30 pm - Mass in Spanish

Sunday, July 29th

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 am - Collective Mass

Rev. Alfred P. Almonte, C.S. – 1st Anniversary
Frank & Marion Cuiccio by daughters
Frank Varrica by wife & son

9:30 am - Mass in Spanish

11:30 am

Concetta & Angelo Pazienza
& Frank Pazienza by Joan DiRuzzo & family

Sanctuary Candle:

Dolores Igliazzi
by husband & children

Altar Bread & Wine:

Dolores Igliazzi
by husband & children

*This Week's Bulletin Is Sponsored
In Memory of*

**Former Pastor
Rev. Alfred P. Almonte, C.S.**

June 14, 1934 ~ July 27, 2017