

2.18.24 FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT



First NYC Church Dedicated to Mary · FOUNDED IN 1826 · Pastor: Fr. Thomas McNamara, O.F.M. Cap.



The Temptation of Christ by the Devil Spanish first half 12th century (possibly 1129–34)

SECOND COLLECTION

This week's second collection will be for the continued repairs of the parish.

COFFEE SHOP

Join your fellow parishioners every Sunday after the 8:30 a.m., 10:00 a.m. and 12:00 p.m. Masses at the Coffee Shop located in the Grand Hall. It's a wonderful way to meet new parishioners and keep in touch with the workings of the parish and its people.

SHARE YOUR EMAIL ADDRESS WITH US

A great way to stay in touch with our parish community is by letting us know your email address. Please take a moment and use your phone or computer to visit https://saintmarygrand.org/email.

GRUPO DE ORACION CARISMATICO

Meets every Monday from 7pm-9pm in the Grand Hall. All are invited.

MONDAY EVENING CONCERT AT ST. MARY'S

On Monday, February 19, at 7:30 pm, Theotokos presents Hagiography: a concert exploring the real and mythologized lives of some of our favorite saints. Featuring the musicians you know from mass at St. Mary's in collaboration with fantastic artists from the world of Celtic, folk, and Sacred Harp music. All are welcome and tickets are pay-what-you-wish. Reserve your tickets at universe.com/hagiography.

In our gospel today, Jesus visits the home of Simon Peter and heals his mother-in-law. Picture the scene: after sunset, in the dark, with no electricity, the sick and mentally ill come to Jesus. They come with torches, candlelight, and lanterns. You can barely see but can hear and even smell people struggling with demons, whispering, and shouting as they are set free by the power of the Lord. Our struggles with demons in the dark are different in our home, workplace, or school, but nonetheless we too are called to rise early, before dawn even, to go to a deserted place to pray with our heavenly Father. Find that place every day. Don't go through your day without the Lord. Next week, Fr Divya, our new parochial vicar, will write about himself.



MASS SCHEDULE FEBRUARY 17, 2024 - FEBRUARY 24, 2024

SATURDAY 2/17

5pm

† All Souls in Purgatory/ MARIA KOSMAN FOR HEALTH/

SUNDAY 2/18

8:30am

† Patricia Sanabria/All Souls in Purgatory/

10am

- † Luis Andino Pena/Ramon Edilio Herrera/
- † Gregorio Sanchez/Todas las Almas de Purgatorio/
- † Jacinta Rodriguez/Joaquin Gomez (5th. yr. Anniv.)/
- † Andriano Jaquez/Minerva (Annie) Rodriguez/
- † Estevan Santiago Reyes/Carmen Gomez/

12pm

- † Anibel Muniz/All Souls in Purgatory/
- † Ramon Martinez (1 yr. Anniv.)/

PRESIDENT'S DAY OFFICE CLOSED CHURCH CLOSED AFTER MASS MONDAY 2/19

9am

- † Jose Antonio Abreu/Domingo Rodriguez/
- † Antonio Marte/Ramon Edilio Herrera/
- † Carmen Lagoa/Hilda Lagoa/All Souls in Purgatory/
- † Juana Martinez/Federico Lagoa/

TUESDAY 2/20

9am

- † Luis Moya/Willie Carrion/All Souls in Purgatory/
- † Estevan Santiago Reyes/

WEDNESDAY 2/21

9am

- † Jose Cruz/All Souls in Purgatory/
- † Estevan Santiago Reyes/

THURSDAY 2/22

9am

- † Dec. Mem. of the Stephenson & Sullivan Families/
- † All Souls in Purgatory/Estevan Santiago Reyes/
- R. WADE HEALTH & PEACE/IN HONOR OF SAINT ANTHONY/

FRIDAY 2/23

9am

- † All Souls in Purgatory/ Estevan Santiago Reyes/
- † Ana Rosa Rodriguez/

SATURDAY 2/24

9am

- † Carmen Hernandez/All Souls in Purgatory/
- † Virginia Rodriguez (1 yr. Anniv.)/Elsa Tanco/
- † Estevan Santiago Reyes