## st. lawrence o'toole & sacred heart parishes



St. Lawrence Saturday Vigil 5:30, 7:30pm (Spanish) Sunday 8:00, 9:30, 11:00am, 12:30, 5:30pm (Youth Mass) Monday-Friday 8:30am

**Saturday** 9:00am

Sacred Heart

Saturday Vigil 4:00pm Sunday 10:30am

**St. Lawrence Cemetery** Plots and cremation niches are

available for purchase. Cemetery office 845-279-2021 x201 call to schedule an appointment.

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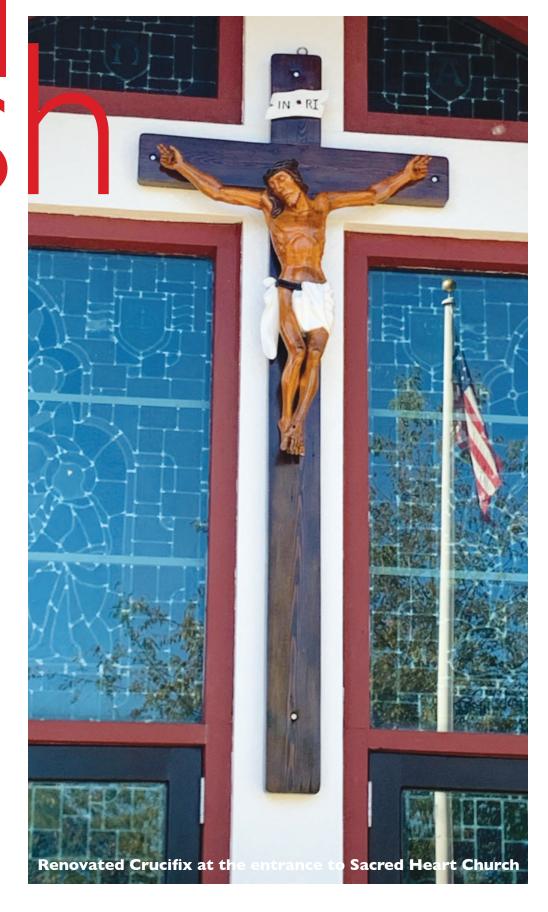
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#### mass intentions

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Saturday, October 5 <sup>th</sup> 9:00AM 4:00PM Sacred Heart 5:30PM	St. Lawrence O'Toole Society Joe Garcia Patrick J. Martin	St. Lawrence
7:30PM	Spanish Mass	The <b>Pascal Can</b> <b>John Brian Hans</b> At the request of
Sunday, October 6 <sup>th</sup> 8:00AM 9:30AM 10:30AM <i>Sacred Heart</i> 11:00AM 12:30PM	Alfonso Pilla Children in Book of Innocents Edward Richardson Raffaela & Giovanni Fino Anthony Sepe	The Blessed Mo Mary Ortiz At the request of
5:30PM	Sr. Mary Ruth Riconda	pray for
Monday, October 7 <sup>th</sup> 8:30AM	Joe Gannon	Please remembe Lord who have a
<b>Tuesday, October 8</b> <sup>th</sup> 8:30AM	Clifford Kappes	Maria Middleton  Sr. Celestine Coste John Vilardi  Kev
Wednesday, October 9 8:30AM	տ Mary Joyce Mazzola	Egan Wright • And rie Lanza Migliacci ret Hughes • Dawr
Thursday, October 10 <sup>th</sup> 8:30AM	John & Anna Anderek	Ragonesi • Andrew • Paul Pember • Th Labatte • Lawrence
Friday, October 11 <sup>th</sup> 8:30AM	Souls of St. Lawrence O'Toole Cemetery	Gersch   Amy Roto Mannfolk   Lois Zu Tara Jennings   Fre Walter McSpadon
Saturday, October 12 <sup>th</sup> 9:00AM	Catholic Daughters of America Spiritual Bouguet Donors	Daniel Lyons • Jus • Mary McQueeney • Lucyann LaGuard
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12:30PM	Richard Palmer	

#### power of prayer

Please keep these special intentions in your prayers this week

- 7 Just the Two of Us Oct
- Oct 8 Participants in the Alpha Pub Young Adults
- Oct 9 For the success of the Alpha Programs this fall

Helen Barry

- 10 Lost in Brewster and Patterson Oct
- Oct 11 XLT for Edge Students
- Oct 12 Carmelites Meet & Greet
- 13 For those who suffer from addictions Oct

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Michael Ercole Sr. • AnneMarie Dayton • stello, OSU 
o John Grasso 
o Kevin Gilliland evin Morgan · Chiara Cardiello · Grace drea Lichtenberger · Matilda Travis · Ma-ew Pesco 

Mark Lapham 
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Noreen Kearney 

Maya Torres

#### ain on the Prayer List for 90 days transferred to the prayer list in the el

or remove names from the Prayer List, OT.SH.Office@gmail.com

#### 9:30 am Mass will stream LIVE every Sunday

stlawrenceotoolelive.org

### flocknotes

Ever wonder what's going on in our parish? Sign up today to receive text messages or emails from our parish. For St. Lawrence O'Toole, text SLOT to 84576 For Sacred Heart, text SH to 84576

5:30PM

October 6, 2019



## while we're at it

**OUR VISION** Create a parish of missionary disciples whose personal relationship with Jesus Christ inspires others into a life-changing relationship with Him.

Dear Friends,

Last Sunday we heard Jesus tell the Gospel parable about the rich man and Lazarus. The rich man feasted every day and ignored the poor man Lazarus on his doorstep, "who longed to eat even the scraps from the rich man's table". In Jesus' telling of it, his lack of concern and inaction was a decision that impacted him for all eternity. Lazarus would be received into "the bosom of Abraham" in heaven, while the rich man went to the place of torment.

Jesus wants to help us recognize that our choices - and even our omissions – such as ignoring our duty of compassion and charity, can have eternal repercussions for our soul. A major theme in the Gospels and really all throughout the Bible is just how we use our material possessions.

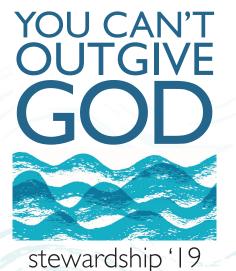
It's also a positive invitation for us to "listen to Moses and the prophets" as they teach us the biblical wisdom of how to use all we have received from God in a responsible and holy way. There is nothing that is purely "mine". Instead, all I am and all I have is a gift from the good God. And I have the responsibility to use it well, in ways that are pleasing to God and not selfishly like the rich man in the story. We are all answerable to God for our good use of things.

Over the next few weeks in our parishes we will be talking about our stewardship of all God has given us. The way we administer the things we have is really an act of worship – of taking a stance before God and it reflects our gratitude for his goodness to us.

I've done a lot of reflecting on my use of my money, and I've found I need to change some spending habits - like wasting money on things I don't really need. In addition to what I give to the parish, I've begun giving more to the poor and to the prolife cause after praying about my own attitudes and behavior.

We are careful in how we administer the money entrusted to us in our parishes. We've been paying down renovation debt and improving our buildings while as the same time, developing outreach programs for the unchurched, and prioritizing discipleship formation.

Our Leadership Team and Finance Council have started discussing ways we can manage our money in a more consciously God-centered way for our parishes. Next week in this bulletinthere will be an article about some changes we are making and how we are directing our money. Give generously and without a reluctant heart; then the Lord your God will bless you in all your work. Deuteronomy 15:10



God Bless.

for Richard

Fr. Richard Gill

#### mass celebrants

Saturday, October 12 <sup>th</sup>	
4:00PM Sacred Heart	Fr. Gill
5:30PM	Fr. Gill
7:30 PM	Fr. Mollenhauer (Spanish)
Sunday, October 13 <sup>th</sup>	
8:00AM	Fr. Berg
9:30AM	Fr. Gill
10:30AM Sacred Heart	Fr. Berg
11:00AM	Fr. Gill
12:30 PM	Fr. Gill
5:30PM	Fr. Gill

### confessions/st. lawrence 4:00 pm-7:00 pm

October 7	Fr. Gill
October 14	Holiday
October 21	Fr. Gill
October 28	Fr. Berg

#### sacraments

**BAPTISM**: Baptisms are scheduled for the first Sunday of the month at 2:00PM at St. Lawrence. Spanish Baptisms are scheduled for the fourth Sunday of the month at 2:00PM. Contact Irene Westin at 845-279-2021.

**MARRIAGE**: Call the Parish Office to arrange an appointment. Plans should be made a minimum of six months in advance.

**ANOINTING OF THE SICK:** Please call the Parish Office anytime someone is seriously ill at home or in the hospital.

#### CONFESSION:

Mondays......4:00 - 7:00 PM **St. Lawrence** Saturdays......3:30 - 4:00 PM **Sacred Heart** 

#### ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT:

Monday - Friday......24 hours daily **St. Lawrence** 

Holy Hour of Praise & Worship 3rd Monday, 7:00 - 8:30PM

Contact Angela at 914-482-0325 to register for regular hours.

#### **DEVOTIONS TO OUR LADY:**

Monday - Saturday..........8:00 AM Rosary **St. Lawrence** Monday & Tuesday......7:00 PM Rosary **St. Lawrence** Saturday...9:30 AM Miraculous Medal Novena **St. Lawrence** 

Monday - Saturday......9:00 AM Rosary Sacred Heart Tuesday.....6:30 PM Rosary Sacred Heart

#### hear us

**Fr. Richard's Homilies** and **Wednesday Wisdom** are Flocknoted, posted to website, Facebook, Instagram, & Twitter feed.

## the best hour you will spend on earth

There are spots available for Adoration in our Divine Mercy Chapel. If you would like to reserve an hour with Jesus go to: **stlawrenceotoole.org/Adoration** or call **Angela** at **914-482-0325** for more information

**COVERAGE NEEDED**: Tues 12am, Tues 8am, Thurs 10 am **PARTNER NEEDED**: Monday 12pm, 2pm, 5pm, Thursday 5pm, 9pm, Friday 9am

#### pasta dinner

Sacred Heart's Evangelization Committee is hosting a Pasta Dinner on Saturday, October 19 at 5 pm after the 4pm Mass in the Parish Hall. Reservations required -- no tickets at the door. Tickets sold after Masses on 9/28-29, and 10/5-6. \$10 per person, \$5 per child 12 and under. For more information contact Deb Lawlor 278-4271

### bake & craft sale

The Catholic Daughters at St. Lawrence Annual Autumn Bake and Craft sale is on **October 19 and 20** in the Parish Hall. In addition to baked goods and craft items, we will be selling Religious Items and the Magnificat Advent and Lenten Companions.

## collection for the little sisters of the poor

The Catholic Daughters at St. Lawrence will be collecting needed items (Body Wash, Tissues, Individually Wrapped Candy, Copy Paper, Gift Cards for Residents Birthdays, Forever Postage Stamps, Batteries - AA, AAA, D and C Batteries, and Paper Goods - Cups, Plates and Napkins) for the Little Sisters of the Poor Elderly Care Residence in the Bronx. Items may be dropped off at our Bake Sale on October 19 and 20. Call Donna Iazzetti 845-803-6367 to make other arrangements.

### o'toole seniors

On Monday October, 14th the O'Toole Seniors will meet in the Dining Hall in the Parish Center at 1 pm. All seniors are invited to attend.

#### altar server training sessions

Calling all 5th grade through high school students. Consider becoming an altar server. Classes will begin shortly. Please contact Gina Seaman at **gseaman2005@aol.com** for more information. Discover a wonderful way to celebrate the Mass!



#### **Pick an ALPHA**

Sunday — Sept 29-Dec 15, 8:30 am-10:30 am (Sacred Heart) Thursdays — Oct. 10-Dec 19, 9:45 am-11:45 am Wednesdays — Oct 9-Dec 18, 7:00pm-9:00 pm Espanol Wednesday— Oct 9-Dec 18, 7:00pm-9:00 pm Pub Alpha for Young Adults — Oct 8-Dec 17, 7:00pm-9:00 pm

**FREE** Breakfast or Dinner Provided

## What is Alpha?

Alpha is an opportunity to explore life and the Christian faith in a friendly, open and informal environment.

#### No pressure. No follow up. No charge.

Alpha has ten sessions and includes food, a short talk and time at the end where you can share your thoughts.

For more information email us at alphastlawrence@gmail.com or call Deb (Sacred Heart), Savannah (am), Ted (pm), Wilda (Espanol) or Cecilia: **845-279-2021** 



**Register at:** BrewsterAlpha.com





## everyone is a winnerst. lawrence golf outing



On September 27, St. Lawrence O'Toole hosted its Annual Golf Outing at Centennial Golf Club. The weather was golf perfect with the fall foliage as a backdrop and everyone had a great time.

Nearly 90 men and women played golf. At dinner, Kenny

Clair, past Fire Chief and presently the Commissioner of Emergency Services of Putnam County was honored. His wife, two daughters and two sisters were there. Kenny was honored by Joseph Spofford with a Proclamation from Assemblyman Kevin Byrne for his outstanding achievements, followed by a heartwarming speech by Bruce Colombraro, a long-time friend of Kenny's and finally by Fr. Richard Gill who acknowledged Kenny's volunteerism to the parish and school.

Chris Feehan and Joe Cavanagh, two pillars of St. Lawrence Golf Outing for many years, were also recognized for all their hard work and hours devoted to this golf outing. At the dinner there were raffles, 50/50 and a live auction. The golf outing proved to be a success financially enabling St. Lawrence Parish to purchase a heart defibrillator for the Parish Center and to continue to support the Family Program. We raised over \$27.000.



Thank you to Chris Feehan and John Schlick and Tina Grant for their coordination all day long, True Local. True Banking. and to all who contributed to the St. Lawrence Golf Outing

by sponsoring, playing golf, attending dinner or volunteering. It was the culmination of so many individuals that made this annual golf outing a fun and successful event all around.



**Thank You** To all the Sponsors for the St. Lawrence Golf Outing and Dinner

**Sponsors** 

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Icon Interiors/Frankenberry Family, Kobackers, Burke Heat, Civetta & Sons, Dunmore, Bill Henry Tree Service, Putnam Dental Associates, ADCO, MedTek, MES, Sun Management Corp., Meadowland GMC, Beecher Funeral Home, La Guadalupana Mexican Resturant, Barnes Family, Feehan Insurance, Putnam County Monuments, Centre Street Sytems, Inc., Addison Plumbing, Kohls, DLS Mechanical Corp., NY Painting

**Auction Items** Trump National Golf Club Hudson Valley Mahopac Golf Club Westchester Country Club

**Centennial Golf** 

**Donated Gift Cards** Aversano's **Clocktower Grill** Southeast Grill Las Mañanitas

Fiesta Mexicana

Volunteers for the day of outing Maureen Herbstritt, Sally Silvestro, Julie Noce, Betsy Hansbury, Donna Sutherland, JoEllen Bentson, Ruth McGoldrick Brianna Grant, Sylvia Riolo, Peter Morelli, Angela Morelli, Kohls



## #MeetMeAtMass

Cecilia Britez

During "Meet Me At Mass" our parish opened its doors even wider! We had the best atmosphere with wonderful music,



friendly faces and even free donuts! Our friends were all our special guests! How generous of Jesus to want us to come and bring our friends to Him. I can only imagine how many special graces were distributed here

last Sunday to all friends who accepted our invitation, as well as those who received our invitation, but didn't make it. These graces certainly escape our senses, but they are real nonetheless.

I want to thank my dear friend Patricia Monjes for being my date during Meet Me At Mass! It was wonderful to have you here and sharing Jesus' table with you! Thank you to everyone who invited their friends and to all who prayed for those friends who were invited.

Let's continue to meet our friends over at coffee shops and restaurants. But please, let's not forget that Jesus is always and every day extending a personal invitation to all of us, and to all our friends through us to come as His VIP guests and share at His table to receive Him in the Eucharist.



## church improvements at sacred heart

In the past few weeks, we've had a flurry of renovation activity. The warped front doors were repaired and painted and new, more secure locks installed. Heat pumps replaced the old air handlers and air conditioning system that covered the walls at the entrance of the Church, creating a visually more attractive entrance area and promising more efficient, quieter cooling and a boost to our heating system.

Soon we will add new carpets and new tile in the Church interior. Your support of our golf outing and your contributions to our building fund, the in the second collection each month, make these improvements possible. Thank you for your support.





Chris Slattery from EMC Frontline



# alpha—more than a meal and conversation

Eric Ursprung

The Mini Alpha experience for me reignited my coming back to structured teachings on faith. Somewhere along the way I may have been caught up in the doings of daily life. Even though I pray each day, I found my structured faith was missing. The message I learned at Alpha reminded me of the absolute love Jesus has for me.With this new found love, I find praying has a much more sense of structure and meaning for me now. I am looking forward to the upcoming 10 week Alpha program. It will certainly strengthen and reinforce the teachings of the true love our Lord Jesus Christ has for me!

## Sign up for one of the ALPHAS this fall at **BrewsterAlpha.com**. **There is one for everyone**

## abuse crisis update



As you may have seen in the press, this past Monday Judge Barbara Jones gave her report after a year-long review of the procedures of the Archdiocese of New York on handling allegations of

abuse of minors. Among the things the Judge reported to all the clergy and to the public:

- The Archdiocese is faithfully following through on all allegations submitted against anyone connected with the Archdiocese.
- There are no clergy with substantiated allegations against them in active service as priests or deacons. All known offenders have been removed from ministry.
- As a result, since 2002, there have been only two current allegations of abuse. Almost all allegations are concerning abuses that took place in the past.
- The Judge made a series of recommendations to improve the efficiency of handling allegations, and the Cardinal promised to implement them all.

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord...



#### St. Lawrence O'Toole Cemetery 20 Turk Hill Road, Brewster

Plan ahead and have peace of soul when you or your loved ones go home to the Lord. Single and double burial plots available.

Contact the Cemetery Office at 279-2021 x201

#### LEAVE A LEGACY OF LOVE



It is important for everyone to have a will in order to insure your assets are directed according to your intentions and that everything is clear when you go back to God. Many people distribute what they have among loved ones and also generously leave a portion of their assets to the parish.

You can leave a gift to build up the future of your parish (St. Lawrence or Sacred Heart) with a bequest in your will. Some people leave a percentage such as 10% of their estate to the church, and others leave a fixed amount.

Previous generations of Catholics built up the church we inherited... leave your legacy for the Catholics to come after us.

Call the rectory to find out more information: 845-279-2021

#### THIS GREAT GIFT: The Eucharist in the Life of the Church

## **Seasons of Praise**



#### Oct 14, Nov 18, Dec 16, Jan 20



Oct 14

The Bread of Life Discourse in John 6

## Fr. Paul Waddell

Associate Pastor St.Augustine, Larchmont, NY

🔁 st lawrence o'toole

Seasons of Praise is a Holy Hour each month where our parish comes together to pray before the Blessed Sacrament, praise God and be brought deeply into the mystery of the Eucharist - Jesus's greatest gift to us.

There will be awesome music, a Eucharistic reflection by Fr. Paul Waddell, as well as time for contemplation, Confession, and Benediction.

JOIN US ON MONDAY THE OCT 14, FROM 7:00 TO 8:30 PM.

### st. lawrence parish support parish staff

Weekend of September 30		
In Pew Collection	\$ 6,356.50	
August WeShare weekly	\$ 4,782.92	

#### sacred heart parish support

Weekend of September 30	
In Pew Collection	\$ 1,921.00
August WeShare weekly	\$ 386.27

Note: Regardless of whether you attend St. Lawrence or Sacred Heart for convenience on a particular weekend, be assured your collection envelopes will be returned to the parish in which you are registered.



It's simple and easy and takes about a minute. You can back in at any time and change your amounts. I. Go to stlawrenceotoole.churchgiving.com or sacredheartpattersonny.churchgiving.com

- 2. Click Make a Donation
- 3. Click Recurring Donation

Once you've added your account information, donations will automatically deduct from your account. It's that easy!

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