



July 4 Saturday - Saint Elizabeth of Portugal

4:00 Palma LoParco – by family

July 5 SUNDAY – 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 Deceased Tassone family – by Gilda Gulla
 Domenico Cameli – by wife Angelina
 Iole Biamonte – by parents Joe & Maria Orsini
 Giovanni Scozzafava – by wife Grazia
 Teresa & Bruno Villella – by Raffaella
 Costanza Martuccio – by husband Joe & fam.
 Lili Martuccio-Custode – by dad Joe & family

11:00 For All the Deceased of the Parish
 For the Needs of All Parishioners

July 6 Monday - N O M A S S

July 7 Tuesday - Blsd. Emmanuel Ruiz & Comp.

8:00 Alfredo Greco – by family
 Healing & Forgiveness parents – by Anonymous

July 8 Wednesday - Saint Gregory Grassi & Comp.

8:00 Frank/Gasperina Pellegrino-by Carmela Fazio

July 9 Thursday - St. Augustin Zhao Rong & Comp.

8:00 Giovannina Scialdone – by family

July 10 Friday - Saint Veronica Giuliani

9:00 Luigi/Anthony Marano-by Angelina DiRienzo
 Elsie Simmonds – by Michael Simmonds
 Michael Pfister – by Angelina DiRienzo
 Gioacchino, Emanuela, Nicoletta Caruso – by
 Silvana Rizzo

July 11 Saturday - Saint Benedict

4:00 Joseph Duy Nguyen – by family
 Special Intention Sacred Heart – by M.M.

July 12 SUNDAY – 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 Benny,Rocco,Anna DiRienzo- by Maria
 Angela Mauriello – by daughter Mary
 Rosemay/Domenic Longo-by Carmela LaRosa
 Antonio & Rose Nero – by Florence
 Gioacchino/Rosetta Caruso-by Silvana Rizzo

11:00 Pompilio/Angelina DiEmanuele-by son Ezio
 Angelo & Carmela Mazzei – by T & N Mazzei
 Angela & Angelo Leo – by family
 Deceased Leo family – by Joe Leo
 Maria DeBiasi – by Antoinette Bortolon

GOSPEL MESSAGE

Today, Jesus offers to help us carry our burdens through life, and in gentle humility, to find rest for our weary souls.

In the First Reading: Zechariah 9:9-10 Zechariah prophesies the coming of a king who is humble and riding a donkey.

In the Second Reading: Romans 8:9. 11-13 True life comes through allowing the Spirit of God to live in us.

In the Gospel: Matthew 11:25-30

Jesus calls us to rest in him, learning from his gentleness and humility.

MESSAGGIO DEL VANGELO

Oggi Gesù ci offre il suo aiuto per portare i nostri fardelli lungo il cammino della vita e, con dolce umiltà, per trovare riposo alle nostre anime stanche.

Nella Prima Lettura: Zecharia 9:9-10 Zecharia profetizza la venuta di un re umile che cavalca un asino.

Nella Seconda Lettura: Romani 8:9. 11-13 La vera vita si raggiunge permettendo allo Spirito di Dio di vivere in noi.

Nel Vangelo: Matteo 11:25-30

Gesù ci invita a riposare in lui, imparando dalla sua mitezza e unità.

WEEKLY QUOTE

"Let nothing trouble you, let nothing frighten you. All things are passing; God never changes. Patience obtains all things. He who possesses God lacks nothing. God alone suffices."

St. Teresa of Avila

MONTHLY PARISH PASTA DINNER FIRST THURSDAY of the MONTH

A debt of gratitude for all of the hard work and dedication of Joe Covelli and his kitchen crew as well as all of the other volunteers who diligently show up every month to ensure the success of this monthly fundraising event.

*We thank this month's sponsor - Vittoria Wikston
 In Memory of Gino & Maria Visca*

**THERE IS NO PASTA NIGHT FOR THE
 MONTH OF AUGUST
 WISHING EVERYONE A SAFE
 AND HAPPY SUMMER!**

**Our next PASTA NIGHT WILL BE September 3rd 2026
 If anyone would like to sponsor, please call the Parish Office**

THE DIGNITY OF HUMAN LIFE

"Before I formed you in the womb, I knew you, and before you were born, I consecrated you". (Jer. 1:5)

"Science attests that life begins at fertilization, when a new and unique living human being comes into existence....At conception, our gender, our genetic make up and eye and hair colour are already determined....The more we learn about science, the more we understand the teachings of the church and the unique value of the unborn baby!"

From the beginning, every human being is not just a body, but also an immortal soul, with a unique and eternal connection with God, our creator."

(excerpts from the Irish, English and Scottish bishops' Message for Life!)

Program for St. Ann Feast - 2026

Wednesday 22nd July 2026

Start of Triduum

7:00_{pm} – Rosary - Mass

Thursday 23rd July – 11:00_{am} Rosary

Celebrating all Grandparents

followed by Refreshments in the Parish Hall

7:00_{pm} - Rosary - Second Day of Triduum

Friday 24th July 2026

7:00_{pm} - Rosary - Mass

End of Triduum

Saturday 25th July – Solemn Mass – 4:00pm

Renewal of Marriage Vows – Blessing

(Couples celebrating a special Anniversary and all couples)



**Celebrating St. Ann
Patroness of our Parish**

July 26th 2026

Sunday 4:30 pm

Solemn Mass

Pilgrimage Procession

Exposition of the Blessed

Sacrament & Benediction

Entertainment & Refreshments

Annual Feast Bake Sale

PENNY SALE

(over 50 great prizes)

Fr. Kessete Hammad, Pastor

St. Ann Feast Special Collection

Special collection envelopes to help offset the expenses of the Feast are available at the church entrance. These special Collection Envelopes can be placed in the collection over the next several weekends. Your donations are much needed and greatly appreciated.

SIXTH WORLD DAY FOR GRANDPARENTS AND THE ELDERLY – 26th July 2026

"I will never forget you" (Is 49:15) is the theme chosen by Pope Leo XIV, which seeks to emphasize how God's love for every person is never lacking, even in the fragility of old age.

Taken from the book of the prophet Isaiah, the chosen verse is intended to be a message of consolation and hope for all grandparents and the elderly, especially those who live in solitude or who feel forgotten. At the same time, it is a reminder to families and ecclesial communities not to forget them, recognizing in them a valuable presence and a blessing.

Established in 2021 by Pope Francis, it is celebrated on the fourth Sunday of July and offers an opportunity to bring the Church closer to the elderly and to acknowledge their contribution to families and communities. This year, the date coincides with the feast of Saints Joachim and Ann, Sunday 26th July.

As July 26th is actually the Annual Feast of our Patroness Saint Ann, we will be celebrating GRANDPARENTS DAY on Thursday 23rd July, beginning with recitation of the Rosary at 11:00am in church and thereafter proceeding to the Parish Hall for refreshments.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK AND THE HOMEBOUND

Vince Anania, Mary Argenta, Giuseppe Armenti,
Leonora Ballena, Rosa Brew, Angelina Cameli, Rita
Cameli, Domenic & Wilma Calabrese, Iole & Gus
Crescenzi, Estelle Critelli, Mario De Biasi,
Angelina DiRienzo, Maria DiRienzo, Frank Dorazio,
George Ellis, Carmen Fabiani, Thomas Flynn, Ida
Gaudet, Salvatore LoGreco, Nancy Mazzei, Virginia
McConnell, Patricia Millington, André Milot, Teresa
Moriello, June Myers, Tina Pupo, Bettina Paola,
Marina Paul, Teresa Scozzafava, Gregg Serles, Mary
Slovak, Deanna Spaetzel,
Don Taddeo, Marianna Weber