

HOLY ANGELS CHURCH

TOGETHER IN PRAYER AND WORSHIP





Holy Angels Parish walks with you in your journey of faith. We are a community of believers, coming together to pray and give glory to God through liturgy and sacraments. Our Catholic community welcomes you. We pray that each parishioner will be blessed and strengthened by the power of Jesus Christ our Saviour and live a life of abundance in fellowship, joy and love. May God bless you always!

PASTORAL TEAM/ SQUADRA PASTORALE:

Rev. Mariusz Wilk OMI Pastor Anna Schaefer Secretary/Catechist

Maria Park Music Director Anna Capuano Organist

Danny Franchi Hall Caretaker

MASS TIMES/ORARIO DELLE MESSE:

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 p.m. English Sunday: 9:30 a.m. Italian 11:30 a.m. English Weekday Masses: 8:00 a.m. English (Mon/Wed/Thurs/Fri) NO Mass on Tuesdays

CONFESSIONS/ CONFESSIONI:

4:00 – 4:45 p.m. Saturdays or by appointment

OFFICE HOURS/ ORARIO DI UFFICIO:

Monday By Appointment Only **Tuesday** Closed Wednesday to Friday 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Saturday/Sunday Closed

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August 18, 2024 | Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time Prov 9:1-6 | Eph 5:15-20 | John 6:51-58

GROW AS A DISCIPLE | PRAY, STUDY, ENGAGE, SERVE

We tell our children, from a young age through their teen years: make wise choices. It's a sort of catch-all to cover the endless possibilities of circumstances - good, bad, or neutral - they might find themselves in. But what does it mean to be wise? To have wisdom? In today's first reading from Proverbs, we are shown a depiction of wisdom herself, spreading a table where the guests will dine when they arrive. "Come, eat of my food, and drink of the wine I have mixed!" she says. This invitation is echoed in the Gospel, by Wisdom personified: Jesus Christ. "Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood has eternal life, and I will raise him on the last day." Simplicity of heart and the forsaking of foolishness are the only criteria for accepting the offering of wisdom. It seems we are to come and be fed. But how do we discern, in our fast-paced, consumer-based world, what exactly is a wise choice? It's hard to advance in true wisdom; it is acquired by the humble and the simple, not the busy and the overcomplicated. Often, what the Christian deems important the world finds "foolish." It can be hard to keep our priorities rightly ordered, but advancing on the path to wisdom begins first by recognizing the centrality of God in our lives and humbly allowing him in.

GO EVANGELIZE

PRAYER, INVITATION, WITNESS, ACCOMPANIMENT

In Paul's Letter to the Ephesians, he instructs the people, saying, "Watch carefully how you live." I'd like to think that's where we got our "make wise choices" instruction, but I can't be sure. Again, the dichotomy between foolishness and wisdom is addressed. Wisdom is described as being prudent, which is living with one eye in the present, but also one eye toward the future, and being filled with the Holy Spirit. Elaborating even further, Paul provides a beautiful image of "singing and playing to the Lord in your hearts, giving thanks always and for everything." In the life of one living with wisdom, there is a turning toward true joy. Living in a spirit of gladness is in direct opposition to living in a spirit of fear or comparison. Since wisdom and understanding are both gifts given to us by the Holy Spirit, we can invite him into our midst and ask him to increase our wisdom, understanding, and our capacity for joy.

ENGAGE Cultivating wisdom and understanding is a lofty, but worthy, goal! This week, spend some time familiarizing yourself with the Wisdom literature of the Bible (which consists of Job, Psalms, Proverbs, Ecclesiastes, Song of Songs, Wisdom, and Sirach) by reading the introductions to one or more of them. Explore some of the Scriptures themselves.

XX Domenica del Tempo Ordinario



L'Eucaristia è il cuore della Chiesa, la fonte e il culmine di tutta la sua vita. Non possiamo restare indifferenti all'accorato invito di Gesù alla sua tavola, perché' a chi

mangia la sua carne e beve il suo sangue promette: "Ha la vita eterna e io lo risusciterò nell'ultimo giorno".



Sanctuary Lamp Prayer for the week of August 18th is offered in memory of Antonio Colabufalo requested by his family.

La lampada del SS. Sacramento della settimana di 18 agosto è stata offerta in memoria di Antonio Colabufalo richiesta da sua famiglia.



Thank you for supporting your church. Collection for August 11th was \$1,781.00. Grazie della generosità per la vostra Chiesa. L'offertorio della domenica 11 agosto era \$1,781.00.

Holy Angels Building Repairs Fund: Second collection for August 11th was \$372.00.

La Seconda Raccolta per la Chiesa: Seconda raccolta della settimana 11 agosto era \$372.00.



<u>Dr. Simone:</u> We will be collecting soap for the month of August.

Questo mese accogliamo il sapone per la missione del Dr. Simone.

First Friday Holy Hour Adoration: It is an old Catholic tradition to mark the first Friday of every month as a time of special devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus. The Church will be open from 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. for Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament on the first Friday of each month.



SEPTEMBER 29TH

The Feast of the Archangels and Guardian Angels

You are invited to our special liturgical Feast Day Mass at 11:30 am followed by a luncheon on September 29th, 2024, at our Parish Hall. This event is a celebration of generosity, where we come together to support Holy Angels Church. This gathering promises an unforgettable experience while making a positive impact. Enjoy a delicious catered meal, music, door prizes and a raffle. Your presence and support are invaluable in helping us achieve our fundraising goals.

All proceeds will go to our Building Fund. Join us in making a difference. Secure your place at this special event.

Buy your ticket today! Adult: \$60 Children 12 and under: \$40

<u>Triduo: Festa San Pio:</u> Amici, con gioia informiamo a tutti i devoti che il Triduo si terrà mercoledì' 18 settembre, giovedì 19 settembre, venerdì 20 settembre alle 7:00 di sera. La terza sera con processione - fiaccolata - distribuzione del pane - e rinfreschi in sala. Lunedì 23 settembre, giornata Liturgica - S. Messa e processione - ore 7:00 di sera. Vi aspettiamo numerosi. Ricordiamo anche - chi desidera rinnovare l'abbonamento al giornalino per l'Anno 2025 il prezzo è ancora \$35.00 Grazie a tutti per la vostra collaborazione.



Exclusively for Holy Angels Students & Alumni!

Join us for our Grand Opening Event! Celebrate the excitement of our new school with music, food, activities and friends. Don't miss out on the fun!



*Food available for purchase

Mass Intentions August 19th to August 25th Monday, August 19th

St. John Eudes 8:00 am † Maria Mandarino by Family

Tuesday, August 20th

St. Bernard of Clairvaux 8:00 am No Mass

Wednesday, August 21st

St. Pius X 8:00 am

5.00 am

† Filomena La Penna by Leonardo and Domenica Di Franco

† Jose Martins Alves by Wife and Daughter

† John Giannini by Rose and Modestino Niro and Family

† Pasqualina Marino by Nicolina Marinaccio

† Vera May Dawson (20 years of passing) by Son Peter

Thursday, August 22nd

Queenship of Blessed Virgin Mary 8:00 am † Antonio Racano by Brother Vincenzo & Family

Friday, August 23rd

St. Rose of Lima 8:00 am † Manuel Nunes by Brother Edmundo and family

Saturday, August 24th

St. Bartholomew the Apostle5:00 pm† Sam & Mary Johannes and daughters Jane & Cynthia by Family

Sunday, August 25th

21st Sunday in Ordinary Time9:30 am† Costanza Martino by Amedeo Martino and Family

11:30 am † Marilyn Dagenais by Beloved husband Claude

Please welcome our newest little parishioners: Jaxon Joseph Corrente, Eleanor María Brown

Contact the office for

more information on the Baptismal Preparation process. We require 3 months advance notice.



Congratulations! Rosanna Zíta & Brandon Pacheco August 17, 2024



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