

# MADONNA DEL CASTELLO

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## PARISH STAFF

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## RECTORY OFFICE HOURS

9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday

## BULLETIN DEADLINE

Monday at Noon

## MASS SCHEDULE

Daily ..... 8:00 a.m.

Saturday (vigil mass) ..... 4:00 p.m.

Sunday ..... 9:00 a.m.

..... & 11:00 a.m.

*Consult the bulletin for Holy Day and Holiday Mass schedule.*

## ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Sunday's after the 11:00 a.m. Mass.

## RECONCILIATION

Saturdays at 10:30 a.m. and by appointment.

## BAPTISMS

Call the office for an appointment.

## MARRIAGE

Contact the Pastor at least six months in advance.

**Mass Intentions For The Week** 

- Monday, October 11** 8:00 A.M.  
Guarino Family (Angie & Anthony Guarino)
- Tuesday, October 12** 8:00 A.M.  
Mary & Carl Trunzo (Dr. John Scaramucci)
- Tuesday, October 12** 7:00 P.M.  
Holy Hour
- Wednesday, October 13** 8:00 A.M.  
Terry Buckley & John & Gertrude Murphy (Eileen Lang)
- Thursday, October 14** 8:00 A.M.  
Esther (Pat) Troy (Fran Walter)
- Friday, October 15** 8:00 A.M.  
Guy Russo (Luanne Castellano)
- Friday, October 15** 7:00 P.M.  
Holy Hour
- Saturday, October 16** 8:00 A.M.  
Intention of the Celebrant
- Saturday, October 16** 4:00 P.M.  
Sam Catanzano (Joe & Ann Catanzano)
- Sunday, October 17** 9:00 A.M.  
For Our Parishioners
- Sunday, October 17** 11:00 A.M.  
Honor, Our Lady of Mt. Carmel (Cheyne Family)



- Saturday, October 16** 4:00 P.M.  
Miles Gibson & Mason Gibson
- Sunday, October 17** 9:00 A.M.  
Tela Cioppa & Angela Petrarca
- Sunday, October 17** 11:00 A.M.  
Tyler Tomko & Trevor Tomko



- Saturday, October 16** 4:00 P.M.  
Chris Gibson, David Fiumara, Wayne Sarsfield
- Sunday, October 17** 9:00 A.M.  
David Petrarca, Bill Pfoff, Linda Probola
- Sunday, October 17** 11:00 A.M.  
Betsy Tomko, Dan Turner, Karen Turner



- Saturday, October 16** 4:00 P.M.  
Peggy Gibson
- Sunday, October 17** 9:00 A.M.  
Dorothy Webb
- Sunday, October 17** 11:00 A.M.  
Diane Bruno

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**2011 MASS INTENTIONS**

From November 1, 2010 to November 15, 2010, our mass intention book will be opened to parishioners for the year of 2011. In the last year we were so overloaded with requests that we have to adjust our policy. Starting November 1 we will begin accepting mass intentions from parish members for only one Sunday mass and two daily masses. We are trying to accommodate a large amount of requests and we have to leave some calendar space for requests for recently deceased relatives. We schedule on a first come, first serve basis. We always try to work with people so they can have the dates they want, but unfortunately, that's not always possible. You may want to consider having one mass for more than one deceased member of your family. If we cannot accommodate your request, you might want to consider an organization like the Seraphic Mass Association. A mass request sheet will be inserted in the bulletin the weekend of October 30 & 31, 2010.

**ALL SOULS MASS**

Tuesday, November 2 is All Soul's Day. We come together at mass and pray for our beloved who have died. The Candlelight Mass will be at 7 P.M. If you have any questions, please call Shirley Rocco at 412-351-0256 or Josie Pallotta at 412-271-2413.

**PASTOR'S NOTES**  
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**CONSECRATION TO THE IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY**

Since we're under the protection of the Blessed Mother, it would be a great spiritual endeavor to formally consecrate ourselves and our parish to her Immaculate Heart. We will do the official Consecration on December 8 at the Masses for the Feast of the Immaculate of Mary. In order to prepare us for this event, we will pray the following prayer before all masses:

O most pure heart of Mary, full of goodness, show you love towards us.

Let the flame of your heart, O Mary, descend on all people.

We love you immensely. Impress on our hearts true love so that we may long for you.

O Mary, gentle and humble of heart, remember us when we sin. You know that all people sin.

Grant that through your most pure and motherly heart, we may be healed from every spiritual sickness.

Grant that we may always experience the goodness of your motherly heart, and that through the flame of your heart we may be converted. Amen.

A copy of the prayer will be attached to the prayer sheets in the missalettes.

**ELECTION DAY PASTA DINNER**

Our Annual Election Day Pasta/Eggplant Dinner will be Tuesday, November 2 in our social hall from noon until 7 p.m. Pre-purchase tickets and save! \$7 for adults & \$3 for children. Pay at the door and the cost will be \$8 for adults & \$4 for children. If you wish to make a donation for this event, please call Joan & Gene Susi at 412-243-2471 or Debbie & Dave Fiumara at 412-271-2875. Tickets will be available after all weekend masses in the back of church. Hope to see you there!

**THANK YOU**

Thank you to the Finance Council for a warm and very successful Parish Family Sunday! We are so happy to see familiar as well as new faces each month. See you in November! Look forward to the choir hosting, under the direction of our director, Ed Kapsha and his wife Jessica.

**LADIES FELLOWSHIP**

Madonna del Castello has a Ladies Fellowship Group that meets every other Monday in our social hall at 1:30 p.m. Our next meeting is Monday, October 11.

**CATHOLIC MEN'S FELLOWSHIP**

The next meeting for the Catholic Men's Fellowship will be on Thursday, October 14 at 5:30 p.m. Call Wayne Sarsfield at 412-287-5972 with any questions or for more information.

**GENESIS OF PITTSBURGH**

On October 16 & 17, church members will be collecting monetary donations after mass in honor of Respect Life Month. Funds will assist Genesis of Pittsburgh, Inc., an alternative to abortion agencies, which provides comprehensive pregnancy support caring and adoption services. Genesis is a non-profit social service agency dedicated to provide assistance to young girls and women facing an unplanned pregnancy. We thank you in advance and as a token of our gratitude, a red rose appliqué symbolizing your support will be given for each donation. Our aim is to support the birthmother and guarantee the unborn a future, whether through responsible parenting or placement for adoption.

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Pro-Life Corner

The number one cause of death in America also happens to be one of the most common surgical procedures. It is abortion. This procedure is performed in clinics that have fewer regulations than veterinary clinics. Why are we more concerned with animal rights than human rights?

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