

August 21, 2022 – 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time

JOIN OUR PARISH

We welcome all new parishioners who would like to join our community. If you have made the Parish your spiritual home but have not yet registered, please do. This will help us to help you in case you are asked to be a godparent, or in case you would like to get married here. It will also help the Dominicans more intentionally to keep you in their prayers. Moreover, it will be a great means to help you get rooted in and connected to a community. Please visit our website, *svsc.info/join-our-parish* to register as a parishioner. You can also stop by the Parish office to complete a registration form.

PARISH EMAIL

To receive up to date information regarding the Parish schedule and important announcements, please sign-up for Parish emails via our website, *svsc.info* or email the Parish office, *parish@svsc.info*.

MIDDAY RETREAT WITH THE MYSTICS: SOREN KIERKEGAARD

On Saturday, August 20, NOON to 3 PM, in St. Catherine of Siena Church, we will continue our Midday Retreat with the Mystics, focusing on the Christian existentialist, Soren Kierkegaard (1813-55).

For those of us with complicated hearts, Kierkegaard leads us to simplicity of heart. For those asleep to what is crucial in life, he awakens us. For those who feel distant from God, he unfolds the immediacy of Jesus Christ as one contemporaneous with us. For those aimlessly immersed in the swamp of distractions, he shows us how to live a meaningful existence by choosing "the One Thing Necessary."

Fr. Ignatius John Schweitzer, O.P., will give a conference talk on Soren Kierkegaard, followed by Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and guided meditations from his writings. There will also be an opportunity to be anointed with St. Elizabeth of the Trinity Oil.

For more information see News & Events at *www.uppergarden.org*.

ST. BARTHOLOMEW

Wednesday, August 24 is the Feast of St. Bartholomew, Apostle. There will be a Sung Mass at 6 PM at St. Vincent Ferrer.

125th Anniversary of Ministry at St. Catherine of Siena Church

Monday, August 29 marks the 125th Anniversary of Dominican ministry at St. Catherine of Siena, which was originally a chapel to St. Vincent Ferrer. The Parish and the Dominican Friars' Health Care Ministry of New York will join together in this wonderful celebration. There will be a Solemn Mass at 5:15pm at St. Catherine of Siena with a reception to follow in St. Dominic Hall. The Schola will sing *Festliche Messe*, Op. 107 by Vinzenz Goller; *Sancte Johannes Baptista* by Philippe de Monte; and *Si caeli et caeli caelorum* by Orlando di Lasso.

This day also is the Memorial of the Passion of St. John the Baptist. St. John the Baptist has two feast days in the liturgical calendar: one commemorating his birth (June 24th) and the other his death by beheading (August 29th). His passion is frequently depicted in art, notably Richard Strauss' opera *Salome*, Op. 54.

MASS AND CONFESSIONS St. Vincent Ferrer

MASSES

Weekdays: 8 AM, 12:10 PM, 6 PM Saturday: 8 AM, 6 PM (VIGIL) Sunday: 8 AM, 9:30 AM,

12 noon (Solemn), 6 pm

CONFESSIONS Weekdays: 5:20–5:50 рм Wednesday: 7:15–7:55 рм Saturday: 5–5:50 рм Sunday: 7:45–8 ам, 9:15–9:30 ам, 11:30 ам–12 NOON, 5:30–6 рм

ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA

MASSES Weekdays: 7 AM, 5:15 PM Saturday: 9 AM, 4 PM (VIGIL) Sunday: 10 AM, 5 PM

Confessions Weekdays: 4:40–5:05 pm Saturday: 3–3:50 pm

LITURGY OF THE HOURS AND OTHER PRAYER ST. VINCENT FERRER

Weekdays: 7:25 AM: READING AND LAUDS 5:30 pm: Rosary and Vespers Wednesday: **6:30 PM: EUCHARISTIC ADORATION** Saturday: 8:30 AM: READING AND LAUDS 5:30 pm: Rosary and Vespers Sunday: 8:45 AM: READING AND LAUDS 5:30 pm: Rosary and Vespers **ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA** Weekdays: 4:50 pm: Rosary Thursday: 5:45 pm: Eucharistic Adoration

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Friday: 9 am-1:30 pm

St. Catherine of Siena

411 East 68th Street, NY, NY 10065 *Office Hours:* Monday–Friday: 10 ам–3 рм

PARISH STAFF

Rev. Peter Martyr Yungwirth, O.P. Pastor Rev. Joseph Allen, O.P. Vicar Rev. Reginald Hoefer, O.P. Vicar for Formation Bro. Damian McCarthy, O.P. Sacristan Deacon John M. Powers

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MUSIC NOTES

Next Sunday, for the Twenty-second Sunday of Ordinary Time, the Schola will sing music of two composers of the Italian Renaissance. It is likely that Claudio Merulo studied with Gioseffo Zarlino or Adrian Willaert at St. Mark's in Venice, alongside Andrea Gabrieli, Costanzo Porta, and Cipriano de Rore. He became organist of Brescia Cathedral in 1556. The following year he was appointed second organist of St. Mark's and became titulair in 1566. Merulo would remain in Venice until 1584, during which time he became recognized as the finest organist in Italy and established a publishing house. By 1586, Merulo was serving as organist to the Duke of Parma, Alexander Farnese, and the next year was also appointed organist of Parma Cathedral, obtaining an additional post at the Church of Santa Maria della Steccata in 1591. He died in 1604, received a state funeral, and is buried in Parma Cathedral next to his friend Cipriano de Rore

Nothing is known of the early life of Andrea Rota. By 1583, he was *maestro di cappella* of St. Petronio, an enormous Basilica in his native Bologna. Rota published books of madrigals, motets, and Masses throughout his life; many of his madrigals are associated with the Ferrarese court of Alfonso d'Este.

In Deo speravit cor meum – Claudio Merulo (1533-1604)

Benedicam Dominum – Andrea Rota (1553-1597)

YOUTH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION BEGINS SEPTEMBER 18

Religious Education registration for the 2022-2023 parish year is now open. We will offer in-person Catechesis of the Good Shepherd (CGS) for children from 3-years-old through 6th grade at St. Catherine of Siena. We will also offer in-person Confirmation preparation for youth in 7th and 8th grades and for older teens who are not yet confirmed at St. Vincent Ferrer. Sessions begin the week of September 18. Please visit *svsc.info/youth-religious-formation/* to learn more and register for the upcoming year.

If you have any questions, please contact Lisa Harrelson, Director of Religious Education, at *lharrelson@svsc.info*. We look forward to welcoming back your children in September!

RCIA BEGINS ON SEPTEMBER 19

Want to become a Catholic? Or need to be Confirmed? Email Fr. Reginald Hoefer at *rcia@svsc.info*. Beginning September 19, our RCIA program, Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults, will meet every Monday at 7 рм in the Parish Center.

ONLINE GIVING

Fulfill your stewardship with an online service. Liturgical Publications (WeShare) allows you to make donations anytime, based on your personal schedule. Donations can be made with a credit card, debit card, or e-check. To enroll, visit our website, *svsc.info/ways-to-give*.

You can also give via text message: text keyword SVSC to 800-950-9952. Click the link and complete your gift

CANDLE INTENTIONS

Lighting votive candles and vigil lights is a strong tradition in the Catholic Church that began at least 1,800 years ago, when lights were burned in the catacombs at the tomb of martyrs as a sign of unity with them. The lights kept "vigil"; hence they were named "vigil lights." Candles have long been recognized with prayer. When we light a candle before a statue of a saint or a sacred image of our Lord, we petition our Lord in prayer for our special intentions for ourselves, our family and friends, living or deceased.

At St. Vincent Ferrer we have added seven additional opportunities for you to offer prayer intentions through the lighting of candles. Beautiful new candles have been added to the Rosary Altar, Our Lady of Fatima Shrine, St. Joseph's Chapel, Our Lady of Guadalupe Shrine, St. Patrick's Chapel, St. Martin de Porres Shrine and the Holy Name Chapel. Candle intentions are still available in one or more of the seven hanging sanctuary lamps before the High Altar, the lamp beside Our Lady Gate of Heaven (Madonna Candle), and the lamp by the Pieta Statue.

The candles may be reserved in the Parish Office the same way you obtain a Mass intention. The candles will be lit on Friday for a period of one week. The weekly offering is \$20 and the intention will be announced in the bulletin.

MASS INTENTIONS ST. VINCENT FERRER

SUNDAY, AUGUST 21
6:00 PM (Vigil) Andrzej Latawiec (D)
8:00 AM Michael Collins (D)
9:30 AM John Morace (D)
12 NOON For the People of the Parish
6:00 PM Members of the St. John Paul II Society
MONDAY, AUGUST 22
8:00 AM Peter Strife (D)
12:10 PM Eileen & John Carroll (D)
6:00 PM Edward C. Perry (D)

TUESDAY, AUGUST 23 8:00 AM For the Deceased of the Parish and the Order 12:10 рм Marie & Jack Powers (D) 6:00 рм Maryann Mulqueen Burke (D)

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 24 8:00 AM Sara Doherty Cunningham (D) 12:10 PM Rene Concepcion (D) 6:00 PM Frances and Richard Reynolds & Edmund Lukas(D)

THURSDAY, AUGUST 25 8:00 AM Fr. Joseph Hagan in Thanksgiving 12:10 рм Rev. Barnabas Gorski, оFM (D) 6:00 рм John Reyes (D)

FRIDAY, AUGUST 26 8:00 AM David Olivier (D) 12:10 PM Roseann Connolly 6:00 PM Catalina Fe C. Llamoso (D)

Saturday, August 27 8:00 am Adolfo Sardina (D) 6:00 pm Monica Gorski (D)

MASS INTENTIONS St. Catherine of Siena

SUNDAY, AUGUST 21 4:00 рм (Vigil) David Gale (D) 10:00 ам Robert Richter (D) 5:00 рм Magdalena Cu (D)

Monday, August 22 7:00 ам For the Province of St. Joseph 5:15 рм Pour Souls In Purgatory

TUESDAY, AUGUST 23 7:00 AM Maureen Hayes (D) 5:15 PM Living & Deceased Priests of the Parish

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 24 7:00 AM For the Patrons of the Shrine of St. Jude 5:15 PM Tony Layug (D)

THURSDAY, AUGUST 25 7:00 AM Rachel Merola (D) 5:15 PM Riccardo & Romola Vicchi (D)

FRIDAY, AUGUST 26
7:00 AM For the Purgatorial Society of St. Catherine of Siena
5:15 PM Maria & Sebastian Schmid (D)

SATURDAY, AUGUST 27 9:00 AM Raymond M. Hicks IV 4:00 PM David Gale (D)

HOSPITAL MINISTRY PRAYER INTENTIONS

We continue to pray for the sick, the dying, and their families in Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center, New York-Presbyterian Hospital, the Hospital for Special Surgery, Rockefeller University Hospital, Residents of the Mary Manning Walsh Home, and the Intentions of the Dominican Friars Health Care Ministry.

PARISH PRAYER INTENTIONS

Elaine Arace, August Arace, C.C. Brown, Roseann Connolly, Bridget Gillen, Maggie Heath, Derick Kerns, Jeremy Kyser, William Manning, Mary Kate McShane, Mary Miller, and Geneva O'Brien.

Please pray for the repose of the souls of :

Ruth Šousa Carmo, John Eric, Michael Friezo, Edmund Lukas, Allan Riddell, Josephine Ritch, Gloria Schiavetta, Archangel Sebastian, Eric Sebastian, Lorna Shepherd, Lynn Sliwerski, Don Wyner, and the souls of all the recently deceased.

CANDLE INTENTIONS St. VINCENT FERRER

Sanctuary Lamps

Ramon Javier & Fernando Jose Gonzalez; Margaret Williams (D); Elizabeth Donnelly (D); Special Intention; Souls in Purgatory; People of the Parish; and Intention of Donor.

Sanctuary Madonna Jack Ryan Keegan

Our Lady of Fatima Shrine Peace in Ukraine

Rosary Altar Mauricio L. Alenain (D)

Our Lady of Guadalupe Shrine Luz Vazquez

> CANDLE INTENTIONS ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA

Purgatorial Altar Candle

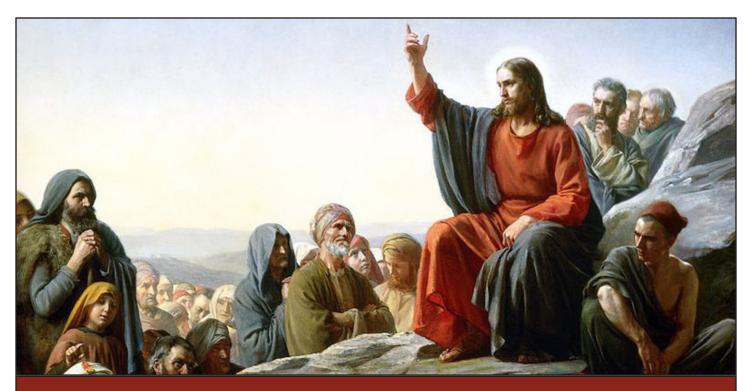
Renato S. Ventigan (D); Rosa J. Silan (D)

Blessed Mother Shrine Priscilla Ventigan

Sanctuary Lamp, St. Martin de Porres, St. Thomas Chapel, Sacred Heart of Jesus, St. Margaret of Costello, and St. Jude Shrine Maria Marta Litrenta

Rosary Altar Maria Marta Litrenta; Intention of Donor

Mass Intentions and Candles may be reserved in the Parish Office Monday—Friday, 9 AM—1 рм and 2 рм—4 рм, and in the Church Office of St. Catherine of Siena Monday—Friday, 10 AM—3 рм.



Do you know anyone who wants to become Catholic or needs to be confirmed?

St. Vincent Ferrer & St. Catherine of Siena Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)

Begins September 19 Meets Mondays at 7:00 pm in the Parish Center at St. Vincent Ferrer

For more information, please email Fr. Reginald Hoefer at rcia@svsc.info.



The Parish of St. Vincent Ferrer and St. Catherine of Siena



St. Vincent Ferrer & St. Catherine of Siena Youth Faith Formation 2022 - 2023 Registration

> Catechesis of the Good Shepherd at St. Catherine of Siena Age 3 - 6th grade

> > Confirmation Preparation at St. Vincent Ferrer 7th grade +



For more information:



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