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## MASS SCHEDULE

### Saturday Vigil

7:00 p.m. **Spanish** (piano & cantor)

### Sunday

8:00 a.m. **English** (organ & cantor)

9:30 a.m. **Spanish** (piano & choir/cantor)

11:30 a.m. **English** (organ & choir/cantor)

1:30 p.m. **Vietnamese** (keyboard & choir)

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<b>Weekdays</b>	8:30 a.m. <b>Spanish</b> (Mon-Fri.)	12:10 p.m. <b>English</b> (Mon-Fri)
	7:45 a.m. <b>Vietnamese</b> (Thu & Sat)	

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### CATHOLIC FAITH FORMATION

All those who are called to follow Jesus in the Catholic faith along with Catholics already baptized (adults, youth & children) who desire to celebrate the sacraments of First Confession, First Communion and Confirmation can make contact with the coordinator of this area for information about the various programs available. Registration for these programs are announced in the bulletin during various times of the year. Also appointments can be made in the parish office at anytime.

Parents wishing to baptize their children (ages 1-5) are invited to make an appointment in the parish office to speak with a staff member in order to make arrangements for participating in the Baptismal Program.

### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION (CONFESSIONS)

Saturday 4:00-5:00 p.m. and at the parish office by appointment.

### MARRIAGE

Couples planning to be married should call for an appointment six months in advance of the wedding.

### VISITS TO THE SICK

In emergency, call the parish office at any hour. Please inform the office of sick or homebound who desire the sacraments.

### NEW PARISHIONERS

Welcome to all parishioners.

We encourage all parishioners to register at our parish office. We invite new parishioners to make an appointment to meet a member of the parish staff.

### ST. NICHOLAS OF TOLENTNE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Grades Kindergarten - 8.

## PARISH OFFICE HOURS

MONDAY - FRIDAY 9:00 a.m. - 12 Noon open (12 pm - 1 pm closed)  
1:00 p.m.- 5:00 p.m. open (5 p.m. - 6 p.m. closed) 6:00 p.m.- 8:00 p.m. open  
SATURDAY 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

GOD’S PROVIDENCE



Today’s readings celebrate God’s providence. No matter how wonderful (or heartbreaking) our relationships are, God always provides for us. No one cares for us the way God does.

Isaiah delights us with a deeply intimate image of God caring for us “as a mother comforts her child.” The prophet describes us not as the usual “children of God,” but as “babies.” We should not resist this image, but rejoice in it. Trusting in God’s care, we can all let down our guard and rest like infants in the lap of our mother.

Saint Paul’s trust in God allows him to be at peace like this. He boldly declares that no one can “make troubles” for him, because he has given himself completely to Jesus. And when Jesus sends his disciples out to preach and heal, he challenges them not to provide for themselves, but to let faith be their guide.

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TODAY’S READINGS

**First Reading** —As a mother comforts her child, so will I comfort you (Isaiah 66:10-14c).

**Psalm** — Let all the earth cry out to God with joy (Psalm 66).

**Second Reading** — May I never boast except in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ (Galatians 6:14-18).

**Gospel** — Jesus sends out the seventy-two (Luke 10:1-12, 17-20 [1-9]).

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TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

It’s high summer now, school is out, the pace of work slows, and some people drift away. There are visitors in the churches every summer, and familiar faces are “among the missing.” Some find the summer’s call more appealing than the summons of the church bells. Many, however, would not dream of missing a Sunday, and so they make their way to Mass in unfamiliar places, watching the locals for clues as to when to sit or stand, where the Communion stations are. In answering the call, they keep the “sabbatical” rhythm of the Christian life: every seventh day, the Body of Christ assembles for worship.

For centuries, there was no obligation to Sunday Mass in the sense of a written law, but Christians have always yearned to be together on Sunday. In the city of Abitina, during a persecution by the Emperor Diocletian, a group of Christians were urged to stop worshipping together on Sundays. They responded, “Then take our lives, for without the Sunday we cannot live.” By a curious coincidence, the appointed readings today center us on thoughts of peace. On our Independence Day, the experience of worship situated us in community, and evoked a commitment from us to be advocates of peace in all aspects of our society’s life.

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SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

**Sunday**

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Tuesday**

St. Augustine Zhao Rong and Companions

**Thursday**

St. Benedict

**Saturday**

St. Henry; Blessed Virgin Mary

Thank you, Choir!

Our Choir is on break for the summer. We thank them for all the beauty they bring to our masses. And we thank them for attending all the endless rehearsals that are required for such an accomplished sound. They will return in September. Maybe you would like to become part of this fantastic group? Speak with our music director if so!



**Renew & Rebuild Campaign**

**Our goal:** \$710,000.00  
**Pledged:** \$766,205.00

We are at 108% of our GOAL! The Renew + Rebuild Campaign Goal of \$710,000 has been achieved! And due to the generosity of more than 250 parish families, more than \$740,000 has been raised thus far. Because of this success, now 85% of each dollar raised from now on will stay at St. Nicholas of Tolentine parish. If St. Nicholas of Tolentine reaches 120% of the goal, every dollar after that will remain at the parish entirely. When we give generously and freely, we then know that this very act is a demonstration of how much we have been given.

St. Nicholas of Tolentine Church will be hosting their Summer Blood Drive on **Sunday, July 14, 2019**. The blood drive hours are **9:00 am – 1:30 pm in the Father Smith Center**.

All donor eligibility questions, medical and travel inquiries can be referred to (800) 688-0900. Please consider donating and giving the gift of life!

To secure a time, call the parish office at 718-295-6800.

**LECTORS SCHEDULE**

DATE	8:00 AM	11:30 AM
July 7	Marilyn Torain Genevive Persaud	Daisy Soler Josephine Nguyen
July 14	Marilyn Torain David Le	Andre Johnson Ruth Santana
July 21	David Le Genevive Persaud	Pereta Rodriguez Melissa Rivera-Jovel

**EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER'S SCHEDULE**

DATE	8:00 AM	11:30 AM
July 7	Bethzabe Vera Rosa Susana	Dhariana De La Cruz Fitzroy Williams
July 14	Yvonne Ebea Bethzabe Vera	Gregory Ender Marilyn Martin
July 21	Rosa Susana Yvonne Ebea	Ed Nolan Pereta Rodriguez

**OFFERTORY COLLECTION**

JUNE 23, 2019

**Tithing:** \$6,585.96    Church in Latin America: \$262.00  
**Children:** \$3.00  
**Total:** \$6,588.96

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

JULY 8, 2019

Monday:	Gn 28:10-22a; Ps 91:1-4, 14-15ab; Mt 9:18-26
Tuesday:	Gn 32:23-33; Ps 17:1b, 2-3, 6-7ab, 8b, 15; Mt 9:32-38
Wednesday:	Gn 41:55-57; 42:5-7a, 17-24a; Ps 33:2-3, 10-11, 18-19; Mt 10:1-7
Thursday:	Gn 44:18-21, 23b-29; 45:1-5; Ps 105:16- 21; Mt 10:7-15
Friday:	Gn 46:1-7, 28-30; Ps 37:3-4, 18-19, 27- 28, 39-40; Mt 10:16-23
Saturday:	Gn 49:29-32; 50:15-26a; Ps 105:1-4, 6- 7; Mt 10:24-33
Sunday:	Dt 30:10-14; Ps 69:14, 17, 30-31, 33-34, 36, 37; or 19:8-11; Col 1:15-20; Lk 10:25-37

**MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK**

JULY 8, 2019

<b>Monday</b>	
<b>8:30am</b>	Anderlis De Jesus (D)
<b>12:10pm</b>	Maria Phoi (D)
<b>Tuesday</b>	
<b>8:30am</b>	Maria Del Carmen & Miguel Menjura (D)
<b>12:10pm</b>	
<b>Wednesday</b>	
<b>8:30am</b>	Nancy Cruz (L); Teodora Mercedes (D)
<b>12:10pm</b>	Giuse Sinh (D)
<b>Thursday</b>	
<b>7:45am</b>	
<b>8:30am</b>	
<b>12:10pm</b>	
<b>Friday</b>	
<b>8:30am</b>	Manuel Andres Rodriguez, Radames Rafael Rodriguez (D)
<b>12:10pm</b>	
<b>Saturday</b>	
<b>7:45am</b>	
<b>7:00pm</b>	Felix Maria Rosario (D) Maria Lora de Anico & Maximo Anico, Herminia Genao (D)
<b>Sunday</b>	
<b>8:00am</b>	Mary Carucci (D)
<b>9:30am</b>	David L. Fuentes (D), Luis Armando Monte de Oca (D)
<b>11:30am</b>	
<b>1:30pm</b>	Phero Binh (D)

***We pray for the People of St. Nicholas of Tolentine.***

***We pray for the sick:***

***We pray for the dead:***

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