



St. Joseph's Day at McClancy

On March 15th, **Bishop Raymond Chappetto** presided at the annual St. Joseph's Day Celebration (in anticipation of the actual feast day). Pictured above, at top and next to the St. Joseph Altar in the main foyer, is the Bishop with **School President Brother Joseph Rocco** and the guest speaker for the occasion, **Mario Fratti**, an acclaimed playwright and drama critic. Pictured immediately above is a scene from the Mass, all in Italian. In attendance were all students enrolled in Italian, related clubs, and honor societies as well as invited students from St. Francis of Assisi Elementary School in Astoria. McClancy faculty and students, who had a free period, were also invited. A big buffet lunch followed the liturgy and the blessing of bread by the Bishop.



"Walkout" Assembly in Memory

On March 14 to commemorate the anniversary of the school shootings in Parkland, Florida, the McClancy School Community remembered in a school-wide assembly prayer service the 17 victims of this tragedy. A photo of each victim was projected, during which a biography for each victim was read by a McClancy student and a bell was tolled. A minute of silence followed for each victim. The service was prepared by Campus Ministry.

Alumni News and Shoutouts

Miller, Michael '60 (Ridge, NY) – Thank you for all the memories and the education.

Famoso, Samuel '62 (Flushing, NY) – Hi, to all my classmates from the Class of '62. Sam is retired now for four years. He is enjoying retirement with his wife of 46 years, Palma and their 6 wonderful grandchildren, with one on the way! They keep them busy, but they love every minute with them. Regards to all.

DeVarso, James '65 (Malverne, NY) – Keep up the good work. I see that enrollment is up! Congratulations!

Jacobson, John '66 Valley Stream, NY) – Thank you!

Armellino, Chester '67 (Tracy, CA) – is 68 years old and retired but his younger wife teaches 7th grade Science in their Local Public School. Chester is her classroom assistant on her weekly lab days and science for activities. Hi to Brother Robert Connolly, sc.

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Youth VIEWS

Which one: All the money in the world or happiness?

Conor Hines, member
Mtg. McClancy H.S.

I would definitely choose all the money in the world. I think I'd be able to make up for the excitement in not so great as using the money to get something for someone else. The chance to make others happy is far more exciting to the long run.

Colin MacIntosh, junior
Mtg. McClancy H.S.

I would choose happiness. It may sound like I'd be giving up possessions in any society or environment. Whereas money is an artificial way of measuring value, happiness is a genuine feeling. I would choose happiness because it is what is important to me.

Robert Corbett, sophomore
Mtg. McClancy H.S.

The matter here is a matter of choice. As a person, I am not satisfied to just a piece of all money. I think it would be a good idea to choose happiness because it is what is important to me.

Brynn Davis, freshman
Mtg. McClancy H.S.

For me, I would choose happiness because the truth is that money is not the only thing you need to live. It may be a better life but not the one you want. I would choose happiness because it is what is important to me.

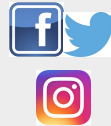
Ava Peltier, freshman
Mtg. McClancy H.S.

I would honestly choose happiness. Money can get old and boring. Although it would be nice to be rich, I would rather be rich and happy every day with an artificial source.

Correction

In the previous eNewsletter, the JV Boys Basketball Team should have been given credit for being City Champs in addition to Brooklyn-Queens Champs.

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Esposito, Michael '74 (Stroudsburg, PA) – Requests for Prayers: Robert DeRobertis '80, his brother John was in my Class of '74. Robert is in a battle with brain cancer. Thank you

Baietto, Anthony '78 (Bayside, NY) – Wishing all the best to my 1978 Classmates on the 40th Anniversary of our Graduation.

Bermudez, Rodney '84 (Estell Manor, NJ) – My wife and I just opened a Veterinary Hospital in Southern, New Jersey. Best wishes the Class of 1984.

Giron, Henry '85 (Pembroke Pines, FL) – Pray for fellow classmate, David Arteaga '85's older brother, Danny Arteaga '80 may he R.I.P. . Also, looking forward to Annual Alumni Soccer game in September.

Babcock, Brionna '21 (Astoria, NY) – Request for prayers for Msgr. McClancy Memorial High School and their families.

Lisa Scutare (Parent of Andrea Cruz '21, Middle Village, NY) – Please pray for my family.

Quail, Jim '64 (Tappan, NY) – please pray for the Quail and Scarpinto families.

Quinn, Edward '65 (Whitestone, NY) – Thankful for his good education at McClancy High School 1961-1965.

Errico, Donald '69 (Lynbrook, NY) – After graduating McClancy, Class of 1965, I attended and graduated from Cathedral College in 1969. I then went to Immaculate Conception Seminary to pursue graduate studies in theology and began a teaching career in a religious education which lasted for 37 years. Thank you “Brothers” for an excellent education to promote God’s work as an inventor – God’s Peace.

Scarabino, Vinny '86 (Middle Village, NY) – Say a prayer that young people of today start socializing in person.

A Request from Brian Gorman '02

My daughter last week was diagnosed with Wilms Tumor and we are beginning to have a gofundme page: <https://www.gofundme.com/zoey-warrior-princessz>

This is not a common cancer and a rare form of Wilms that only 500 children are diagnosed with per year. Zoey needs to undergo chemo and further treatment's to keep her healthy, to be able to beat this illness and be cured! Brian, Zee and Zoey need all the support good energy and prayers from all angles. I wanted to make this page to try to ease some stress that they are under. Zoey's family especially her older brother Kalem who is 8 loves his sister and, as we all need her to get better and beat this! Which she will! Any amount will help Brian and Zee get through this! Please keep this sweet girl in your prayers and help her beat this cancer!



PLEASE REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Peter Rodeschin '63



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