

Mass Intentions

SATURDAY, January 12, 2013

- 8:00 am + Shirley Sacks, Req. Joseph & Sharon Keegan
- 5:00 pm + Patrick Alwell, Req. Hugh, Vicki, Hugh & Ryan
+ Rosario Gambino,
Req. The Abrams & Gambino Family

SUNDAY, January 13, 2013

- 7:30 am + People of the Parish
+ Frank Guilliani, Req. Alex & Nilda Mustilli
- 9:00 am + Living & Deceased Members of the Holy Name Society
+ Helen, Hank, & Thomas Kiley, Req. Family
- 11:00 am + Martin O'Toole, Req. Al & Ann Marie Fuchs
+ Victims of Hurricane Sandy,
Req. MaryJane & John
- 5:00 pm + Special Intention
+ Ann Fusco, Req. Family

MONDAY, January 14, 2013

- 8:00 am + Purgatorial Society
+ Peg Devlin Curley

TUESDAY, January 15, 2013

- 8:00 am + Earl Bennett, Req. Family
+ John Kubasek, Req. Mary Brown

WEDNESDAY, January 16, 2013

- 8:00 am + Lottie Kapp, Req. Bill & Marlene Kelly

THURSDAY, January 17, 2013

- 8:00 am + Susan Haines, Req. Mary Poosikian

FRIDAY, January 18, 2013

- 8:00 am + Susan Haines, Req. Mary Poosikian

SATURDAY, January 19, 2013

- 8:00 am + The Unborn
- 5:00 pm + Elizabeth Manning, Req. Friends & Family

SUNDAY, January 20, 2013

- 7:30 am + Hugh McKeon, Req. Philip Markey
+ Bryant Palmer, Req. John Cibor
- 9:00 am + The Unborn
+ Sr. Gloria Jean Bateman, Req. Marge Gross
- 11:00 am + Ronald Drager, Req. Family
+ Sr. Gloria Jean Bateman, Req. Mary Brown
- 5:00 pm + Filomena Maghanoy, Req. Comeo Family

Tabernacle Light Memorial

**Main Church
Earl Bennett**



FLOWER INTENTIONS

**Richard Bryson Richard Bryson
In Thanksgiving In Thanksgiving**



Please note that flower intentions are available for the following dates: January 20, February 3, and February 10.

Please Remember to Pray for the Sick

Andrew Seney, Joan Carlson, Patricia McCarthy, John Sweeney, Nancy Corbett, Charles Seelinger, Jerome Shapiola, Christopher Lacken, Kenneth Watson.

RECENTLY ILL: Patricia Verbovsky, Richard Bryson, Mary Celestino John Posterini, Parbati Wong, Lukas Ryan Coupland, Patricia Fagan, Tammy Johnson, Britton Schulmeister, Michelle Jacob, Theresa Hargadon.



WELCOME TO HOLY FAMILY PARISH

If you are new to Holy Family, we want you to know that you are welcome! We ask that you please register in the parish office anytime between 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday. We hope you will become involved in one of our many ministries here at Holy Family. Please feel free to contact the parish office with any questions or concerns you may have at 732-264-1484.

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED
TARSCISIUS MINISTRY**



Are you willing to assist the people of our parish who are unable to attend and pray with us at Mass? Our Ministers do that by bringing them our Blessed Lord in Holy Communion.

Volunteers are needed

and much appreciated for this ministry. Commitment to this holy and worthy ministry involves approximately an hour and a half beginning at 10 a.m. each Monday morning.



Those in need are at their homes, our local Bayshore Hospital, and nursing home. Please help us help them. Contact Joan Chasey at 732-851-6604. Thank you and God bless you!

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Tues. and Wed. (Grades 1-5) 4:30 to 5:45 PM. Wed. (Grades 6-8) 7:00 to 8:15 PM. Classes from September to May. Contact Patricia McCarthy, CRE, at 732-264-7043. Office hours during classes: 930 -2:30 pm Mon. & Thurs., 12:30 -5:30 pm Tues. & Wed. Website: www.holyfamily.us. E-mail: hfreliouse@comcast.net. Fax: 732-335-9605.

HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH MINISTRY

All high school teens are invited to join the youth ministry. Contact Adele Wright for more information at 732-721-5558.

ADULT OR CHILDREN'S CHOIR

Please see Music Director Dan Bucko following Mass if you are interested in joining the adult or children's choir.

Dear Parishioners,



January 6 is the traditional and universal feast of the Epiphany. Catholic parishes in the United States, however, that say the Mass in English, celebrate this feast on the first Sunday after New Year's Day. Epiphany commemorates the visit of the magi, the three astrologer scientists bringing gifts for the newborn Christ.

A Catholic custom among Polish, Slovak, Russian, and German families is to have their parish priest bless chalk on that day. Then, with that chalk, they write over the doors of their houses the numerals of the current year and, in the middle of the numerals, the initials CMB for the three magi, Casper, Melchior, and Balthasar. So on Epiphany Sunday 2013, for example, the custom is to write "20 + C + M + B + 13" over your doors with the chalk. This custom merely reminds all in the home to ask the prayers of Casper, Melchior, and Balthasar during the calendar year 2013.

Besides being the abbreviation for the names of the three so-called wise men, CMB is also the abbreviation for the Latin "Christus Mansionem Benedicat" (may Christ bless the home).

Fr. Mark

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

**IMPORTANT CHANGE
FIRST PENANCE & COMMUNION MEETING
REVISION**



On Sunday, January 27, 2013, immediately following the Preparation Rite for First Penance at the 9AM Mass, there will now be a First Penance meeting in the Church with your child. We welcome both parents, but at least one Parent/Guardian **MUST** attend. The First Communion Meeting will now be held at another time and date to be announced.

THANK YOU STUDENTS!

We would like to thank *all our students* who donated their earnings to their Advent Mite Boxes by helping others. Your generous contribution of \$497.62 was sent to the Holy Childhood Association to help them make the joyous presence of Christ a reality in the lives of needy people worldwide who contend with poverty, suffering, and uncertainty on a daily basis. Through your sacrifice and prayers you help spread the "Good News" of your belief in Jesus Christ to the world's poor.



OUR WEEKLY OFFERING

Week – December 30

1st Collection – Weekly \$7811
2nd Collection – St. Vincent de Paul \$2868
Solemnity of Mary \$2554

Last Week – January 6

1st Collection – Weekly \$7042
2nd Collection – Diocesan Assessment \$1679

This Week – January 13

1st Collection – Weekly
2nd Collection – St. Vincent de Paul

Next Week – January 20

1st Collection – Weekly
2nd Collection – Programs & Facilities

**Ministry Schedule
Weekend of January 19 & 20
Serving at the Altar**

5:00 P.M.	7:30 A.M.	9:00 A.M.
Brian Healey Madison Seelinger	Andrea Connors Luke Quinn	Stephanie Abrams Concetta LaLima
11:00 A.M.	5:00 P.M.	
Nicholas Gate Kyle Mulvey	Colin Mathias Lorenzo Valente	

**Readers and Extraordinary Ministers of
Holy Communion**

5:00 P.M.	F. Verbovsky	I. Hallard-Dickenson, T. Healey
7:30 A.M.	D. Ellis	K. Duffy, S. Quinn
9:00 A.M.	Religious Education	C. Abrams, V. Abrams
11:00 A.M.	P. Witzig	M. DelPopolo, D. Karpinski
5:00 P.M.	T. Mathias	F. Maysonet, J. Tonks

RESPECT LIFE NEWS

MASS FOR THE UNBORN

Followed by the Rosary for the Unborn

Next Saturday the 8 a.m. Mass will be offered for the unborn followed by the Rosary for the Unborn. All are welcome.

DO YOU LIKE TO CROCHET?

Holy Family Parish Respect Life is looking for anyone who likes to crochet to assist in making squares to be used for the Spiritual Adoption Program which will begin in February. Please contact Donna Valania at the parish office at 732-264-1484 to volunteer.

**MARCH FOR LIFE – WASHINGTON, D.C.
JANUARY 25, 2013**

The March for Life in Washington, D.C. is scheduled for Friday, January 25, 2013, because of the Presidential Inauguration. Pro-Life advocates from around the country gather in Washington DC to seek change for the right to human life on the 40th anniversary of the Supreme Court's decision on Roe v. Wade. For more information Go on <http://www.njrtil.org/>.

**RALLY FOR LIFE IN TRENTON
JANUARY 22, 2013**

The NJRTL Rally in Trenton is January 22, 2013, from 11 a.m. until 1 p.m. at the Statehouse Steps, 125 West State Street, Trenton. For more information go on <http://www.njrtil.org/>.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION**UPDATE FROM FEMA
Application Deadline**

Please know that the FEMA deadline has been extended to January 30, 2013, as well as SBA loans. FEMA currently has an office in the Union Beach Borough building.

**Holy Family
ST. VINCENT DE PAUL
NEWS****HURRICANE RELIEF FUND**

We have been advised that the Diocese of Trenton has created a Hurricane Relief Fund, from which funds will be distributed through our Catholic Social Service Agencies, and *in particular through our St. Vincent de Paul Society*, to individuals and families directly affected by Hurricane Sandy.

While we are not first responders, we are a critical partner in helping people put their lives back together in the wake of a disaster like this.

If you or someone you know has been directly affected by Hurricane Sandy, please phone our SVDP Society at 732-264-8132.

ALL CALLS ARE CONFIDENTIAL.

CLOTHING DONATIONS NO LONGER NEEDED

Please note that donations of clothing for hurricane relief are no longer being accepted by our St. Vincent de Paul Society.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Our St. Vincent de Paul Thrift Shop is in need of volunteers on Saturday's from 10 to 12 noon and 12 noon to 2 p.m. Not sure if this would be right for you, stop by one Saturday and we'd love to show you around and answer any questions you may have.

**DIOCESE OF TRENTON
HURRICANE SANDY RELIEF
DROP OFF AND DISTRIBUTION CENTERS**

The Diocese of Trenton has a list of drop off and distribution centers for those who would like to donate, volunteer, or are in need of assistance in the wake of hurricane Sandy. Please log on to dioceseoftrenton.org for more information.

UNION BEACH BOROUGH - HURRICANE RELIEF**Union Beach Items Needed**

If you want to donate items to the Borough of Union Beach, we need shovels, rakes, gloves, traffic vests, hammers, 2x4's, insulation and sheetrock for all of the wonderful volunteers that have made their presence known. Volunteers are to report to Borough Hall for their assignments at the front desk. More info. at www.unionbeach.net

**PATRIOTIC ROSARY-HOLY FAMILY
EVERY SUNDAY THRU 1/20 - 3:30 P.M.**

"KNOWING THAT INTERCESSORY PRAYER IS OUR MIGHTIEST WEAPON AND THE SUPREME CALL FOR ALL CHRISTIANS TODAY, I PLEADINGLY URGE OUR PEOPLE EVERYWHERE TO PRAY. BELIEVING THAT PRAYER IS THE GREATEST CONTRIBUTION THAT OUR PEOPLE CAN MAKE IN THIS CRITICAL HOUR, I HUMBLY URGE THAT WE TAKE TIME TO PRAY - TO REALLY PRAY." "LET THERE BE PRAYER AT SUNUP, AT NOONDAY, AT SUNDOWN, AT MIDNIGHT -- ALL THROUGH THE DAY. LET US PRAY FOR OUR CHILDREN, OUR YOUTH, OUR AGED, OUR PASTORS, OUR HOMES. LET US PRAY FOR THE CHURCHES."

"LET PRAYER BE OUR PASSION, LET PRAYER BE OUR PRACTICE." General Robert E. Lee, 1863

"I WOULD LIKE TO RECALL THE PRIORITY OF PRAYER OVER ACTION SINCE IT IS ON PRAYER THAT THE EFFECTIVENESS OF ACTION DEPENDS." Pope Benedict XVI, Deus

"AND IF MY PEOPLE, UPON WHOM MY NAME HAS BEEN PRONOUNCED, HUMBLE THEMSELVES AND PRAY, AND SEEK MY PRESENCE AND TURN FROM THEIR EVIL WAYS, I WILL HEAR THEM FROM HEAVEN AND PARDON THEIR SINS AND REVIVE THEIR LAND."

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ALL ARE INVITED TO COME AND PRAY THE PATRIOTIC ROSARY AT HOLY FAMILY AT 3:30 pm IN THE MAIN CHURCH.

JANUARY DANCE

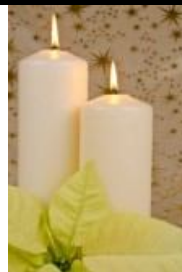
Holy Family Singles invites couples and singles to their next dance on January 12, 2013, from 7 p.m. until 10:30 p.m. at Holy Family Memorial Hall. The cost is \$12 and includes a hot buffet, refreshments, and DJ. For more information contact Gale at 732-345-0212.

**MOTHER TERESA REGIONAL NEWS
SAVE THE DATE - JANUARY 27TH**

Mother Teresa Regional School will hold their Open House on January 27th as they kick off Catholic School's Week.

CHARISMATIC HEALING MASS

On Wednesday, January 23, 2013, there will be a charismatic healing Mass at St. Ann's Church on Carr Avenue in Keansburg, NJ. Music/Singing starts at 7:30 p.m. Mass begins at 8:00 p.m. Father John Campoli of His Love Ministries will be the celebrant. If you have any questions, please contact Marie at (732) 495-9427.

**HOLY FAMILY ALL SOULS LITURGY
January 25, 2013, at 7 PM**

Holy Family Parish invites you to join us in a celebration of life at a special Memorial Mass for those who have entered into eternal life from October 1, 2011, through September 30, 2012. This Mass has been rescheduled for Friday, January 25, 2013, at 7 p.m. in the church. We look forward to praying with you at this special All Souls Liturgy. All are welcome to attend. Refreshments will follow in Memorial Hall.