



FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT ✦ FEBRUARY 18, 2018

Mass Intentions

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 2018

- 8:30 AM + People of the Parish
- 5:00 PM + Kathy & Mitch Shade
50th Wedding Anniversary (Family)
+ Albert Caggiano (Jack & Teri Corcoran)

FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT, FEBRUARY 18, 2018

- 7:30 AM + Paul Kulikowski (Daughter)
- 9:30 AM + Margaret Kelly (Westerfield Family)
+ Mike Lukowiak (Westerfield Family)
- 11:00 AM + Randon Mae Salvoski (Family)
- 5:00 PM + Anthony Roland Reda (Ahr Family)

MONDAY FEBRUARY 19, 2018

- 8:30 AM + Purgatorial Society

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 2018

- 8:30 AM + Margaret Kiessel (Cousins Tom & Joe)

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 2018

- 8:30 AM + Martha Delaney (Sue Donnelly)

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 2018

- 8:30 AM + Lemuel Oquendo (Wife & Family)

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 2018

- 8:30 AM + Andrew Gacek (Jerry Russamanno)

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 2018

- 8:30 AM + For our Lord's suffering in the Garden
at Gethsemane
- 5:00 PM + Flo McInerney (Jim & Florence Cozzati)
+ Margaret O'Neill (Michael & Donna
McCarthy & Family)

SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT, FEBRUARY 25, 2018

- 7:30 AM + Florence McInerney (Golden Age of Holy
Family)
- 9:30 AM + Jeanine Benigno-Nye (Altar & Rosary
Society of Holy Family)
+ Diane Gannon (The Byrne Family)
- 11:00 AM + Chet Ciszek (Bergen Family)
+ Josephine Kibble (Giardino Family)
- 5:00 PM + Michael Galvin (Family)



*Tabernacle Light
Memorial/Intention
In Thanksgiving*



Holiday Closing - President's Day

Parish Offices will be closed on
Monday, February 19, 2018, in honor
of President's Day.



FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

First Reading: Genesis 9:8-15

God made a promise to Noah that he would never again devastate the entire planet with a flood. He also told Noah that the symbol of this promise would be a rainbow in the clouds.

Second Reading: 1 Peter 3:18-22

This letter from Peter reminds all people that Christ died for us so that we might be led to God. We have been saved by our baptism; not a physical cleansing, but a promise to continually strive to obey God.

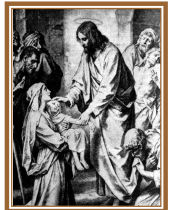
Gospel: Mark 1:12-15

Mark briefly tells of Jesus' stay in the desert, where he was tested by Satan. He did not give in to temptation, but reappeared in Galilee to proclaim the good news.

Please Remember to Pray for the Sick

Jack Evans, David Brett, Sharon Jaeger, Dr. Sam Bebawy, Morris Tetro, Dorothy Wright, Maureen Wines, Michael Mazzaro, Gale Byrne, Lydia Javora, Danny Smith, Michael Cheeseman, Audrey Rackett, Ed Prince.

RECENTLY ILL: Bernard Fahey Sr., Dennis Carraturo Sr., Mary Frankowich, Damian Breen, Dennis Halloran, Kathleen Sullivan, Larry Thorpe, Kelly Neilson, Angelina Rotella, Carmella Aliperti, Vincent Hermans, Christopher D'Amodeo, Sue Hicks.



Discovering Christ

A seven-week Experience

Dates: March 13 – May 1
Time: 12 Noon – 2:15 p.m. or 6:30 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.
Place: St. Benedict, Holmdel

Discovering Christ is a seven-week experience that invites people to explore the meaning of life and a personal relationship with Jesus Christ. Each session includes a meal, prayer, a video-based presentation of the Gospel, and small group discussion. Tuesday afternoons or evenings. To register, email christlife@stbenedictnj.org. No cost to participate.



Welcome to Holy Family Parish

We, the people of Holy Family Parish, in the Diocese of Trenton, are called through Baptism to celebrate the presence of Christ in

Word, Sacrament, and Deed. We are called and sent by Christ to live gratefully the life God has given us and to proclaim the good news of Jesus Christ. In the spirit of faith, service, and community, we strive to bring people closer together and closer to God.

Parish Registration

We welcome you if you are a new member to the parish and invite you to register at the Rectory Office. *We encourage you to share in a parish ministry program.* You may register at Holy Family in a variety of ways including picking up the form in the rectory or filling the form out online and either mailing it to the rectory, dropping it in the collection basket or hand delivering it to the rectory.

Religious Education Office hours:

Monday through Thursday: 9:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Tuesday & Wednesday: 1:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

Closed Fridays

Parish Office hours:

Monday through Thursday: 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Friday: 9:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. Closed Saturday & Sunday.

For additional information about how to register at our parish, please contact the parish office at 732-264-1484.

PARISH WEB SITE

Please remember to visit our Parish web site at hollyfamily.us.

Diocese of Trenton – Our Promise to Protect

The Diocese of Trenton is committed to the initiatives outlined in the U.S. Bishop’s Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People in regard to the reporting of and investigation of sexual abuse allegations involving minors. If you have been sexually abused as a minor by a member of the clergy or anyone representing the Catholic Church, or if you know of someone who was, you can report the abuse through the diocesan Abuse Hotline: 1-888-296-2965 or via email at abuseline@dioceseoftrenton.org. The Diocese of Trenton reports any allegations of sexual abuse to the appropriate law enforcement agencies. Anyone with an allegation is also encouraged to provide that information to local law enforcement authorities.

Parish Giving

Last Week – February 11

1st Collection – Weekly \$5,670

2nd Collection – Church in Central & Eastern Europe \$1,495

Ash Wednesday – February 14

This Week – February 18

1st Collection – Weekly

2nd Collection – Black & Native Americans

Next Week – February 25

1st Collection – Weekly

2nd Collection - Programs & Facilities

LENTEN SCHEDULE 2018



LENTEN WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday through Friday

Morning Prayer: 8:15 A.M. Mass: 8:30 A.M.

Saturday: 8:30 A.M.

(All Masses held in church during Lent EXCEPT Saturday 8:30 a.m. Mass Chapel.)

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Every Friday: 7:00 P.M.

ADORATION

WEDNESDAY IN CHAPEL

9:30 A.M. – 12:00 NOON

RECONCILIATION

(CONFESSION SCHEDULE DURING LENT)

Every Saturday: 3:30 P.M. to 4:30 P.M.

Every Friday following Stations of the Cross

LENTEN REGULATIONS

The days of fast (only one full meal) and abstinence (no meat) are Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. Dispensations are granted only for those who are sick. All other Fridays of Lent are days of abstinence (no meat). Those between the ages of 18 and 59 are obliged to fast (only one full meal). From the age of 14, people are also obliged to abstain (no meat).

About CRS Rice Bowl

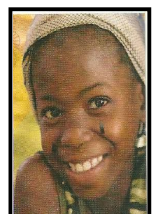
**what you
give up for
Lent
changes
LIVES**

CRS Rice Bowl is [Catholic Relief Services](http://CatholicReliefServices.org)'

Lenten faith-in-action program for families and faith communities.

Through CRS Rice Bowl, we hear stories from our brothers and sisters in need worldwide, and devote our Lenten prayers, fasting and gifts to change the lives

of the poor. Rice Bowls are available at all Church entrances.



Altar & Rosary Memorial Easter Plants Donation - \$10

Families may purchase a Mum or a Lily to be placed on the Altar in memory of a loved one (living or deceased) during the Easter Season. The Easter Vigil Mass will be offered for those remembered in this special way. Envelopes are available at all Church exits and in our parishioners' monthly envelope mailing.

**Ministry Schedule
Stations of the Cross February 23
And Weekend of February 24 & 25
Serving at the Altar**

Feb. 23 Stations of the Cross 7p.m.	5:00 P.M.	7:30 A.M.
Gabriel Farese Robert Fischer Michael Fischer	Jeremy Ramos Cara Schellato	Michael Graham Kayla Rose
9:30 AM	11:00 AM	5:00PM
Emma Connelly Jan Inreb Dacillo Meghan Lewsley	Aiden Mulvey Jenna Polaco	Angelina Christ Kaylee Mescal

**Readers and
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion**

5:00 PM	K. Chin-Mancini	M. Christopher, M. DiGiorgio
7:30 AM	R. Rubiato	A. Gallo, M. Rubiato
9:30 AM	G. Cooper	M. Oquendo, T. Ries
11:00 AM	D. Mulvey	I. Hallard-Dickinson, F. Mazzaro, C. Tonks
5:00 PM	G. Kiley	F. Maysonet, J. Stragella



**Holy Family
Children's
Easter Choir
Grades 2 - 10**

If you love to sing...come and join the children's Easter Choir! We will sing at the 9:30 a.m. Easter Sunday Mass on April 1st. Music Director Charles Clarke will begin practicing with all those interested in grades 2 through 10 from 8:45 a.m. to 9:25 a.m. on Sunday March 4. Practice continues on March 11, March 18, and March 25.

Please sign below and bring to the first practice on Sunday March 4th. (Community service hours apply for grades 6-8, you must sign-in.)

Yes, I would like to participate in the Easter choir
Signed: _____

I will allow my child to participate in the choir and be sure they attend all practices,
Signed: _____

Parent/Guardian

BEST SHOW IN THE AREA
CBA CRAFT SHOW
23rd Annual
SATURDAY, MARCH 3rd
10 AM - 4 PM
OVER 100 JURIED CRAFTERS
CHRISTIAN BROTHERS ACADEMY
850 NEWMAN SPRINGS ROAD, LINCROFT, NJ
Minutes off
G.S. Pkwy
exit 109
\$1.00 OFF
Admission with Coupon
ADMISSION
\$5.00
FOR INFORMATION
griff652@aol.com

Holy Family Friends & Family

**St. Patrick's Day
Dinner Dance**

**Friday, March 16, 2018
7:30 P.M. -11:30 P.M.**

**Where: VFW Post 4303
18 Davern Street, Hazlet, NJ**

Tickets \$35 each
Available in the
Parish office or by contacting
Jo at 732-739-2578 or John at 732-739-2252

**Includes: Corned Beef & Cabbage Dinner,
Soda, Coffee, and Dessert**

Music by DJ Bruce

*Tickets NOW AVAILABLE
after all Sunday morning Masses.*

Holy Family Boosters and Friends



GRAND PRIZE
ONE HALF OF GROSS PROCEEDS
Ticket Donation \$10

Drawing: Friday, March 16, 2018
12 Noon, Holy Family Church
727 Hwy. 36, Union Beach

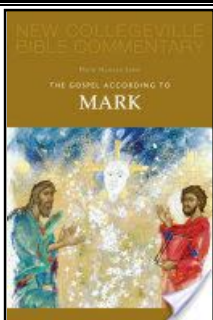


Tickets available in parish office or
call Florence at 908-601-2065

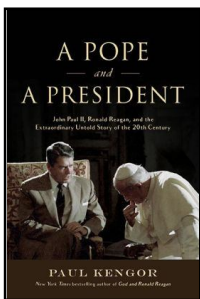
Proceeds support Holy Family Church

**Healing Hearts Support Group – New Session
For Separated and divorced adults**

The program will run Wednesdays from 7:30 p.m. to 9 p.m. starting April 4 and ending June 27 at St. Veronica's Church Rectory ACTS Office, Route 9, Howell. There will be two information sessions: first session Wed. Feb. 21; second session March 7 at 7:30 p.m. Call 732-363-5698 or email stveronicakre4u@gmail.com.



March 5th



May 7th

Part 1 of 2

Join fellow parishioners beginning on March 5th at 7:00 p.m. for a monthly Catholic book club. The meeting will take place in Memorial Hall and donuts and coffee will be served.

During the first meeting, we will discuss *The Gospel According to Mark*, a commentary by Marie Noonan Sabin.

Join Us

Holy Family

Book Club

Time: 7:00 P.M.

Where: Memorial Hall

Beginning: March 5th

Schedule

March 5th at 7 p.m. -- *The Gospel according to Mark*, a commentary by Marie Noonan Sabin

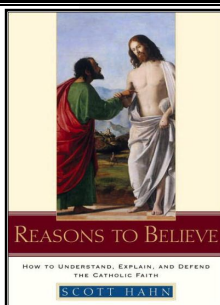
April 9th at 7 p.m. -- *Reasons to Believe: How to Understand, Explain, and Defend the Catholic Faith*, by Scott Hahn

May 7th at 7 p.m. -- *A Pope and a President: John Paul II, Ronald Reagan, and the Extraordinary Untold Story of the 20th Century*, by Paul Kengor Part 1 Chapters 1-19

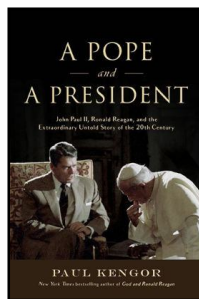
June 4th at 7 p.m. -- *A Pope and a President*, by Paul Kengor Part 2 Chapters 20-38

Books can be purchased through Amazon and Barnes & Noble bookstores.

If you have any questions, please contact the Rectory Office. Rev. Matthew J. Pflieger



April 9th



June 4th

Part 2 of 2

ANNUAL CATHOLIC Appeal 2018

IN ACTION - Evangelization - Ministry to Families, Youth and Young Adults: Every person belongs to a family. Families are the foundation of the Catholic parish. In the midst of the family and the parish community, people encounter Christ and learn to be his disciples. Family and Parish are the primary environments in which evangelization takes place. Together in Mission is a tool to support these evangelization efforts. Your gift promotes individuals and family life. Youth events and service opportunities, young adult gatherings, Marriage prep, Baptismal prep, Ministry to separated and divorced persons are just a few of the services offered.

ALTAR & ROSARY SOCIETY

Gertrude Hawk Easter/Spring Candy Sale

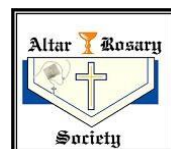


The Holy Family Altar & Rosary Society is sponsoring a Gertrude Hawk Candy Fundraiser February 3-23. Order

forms are available at all church entrances. Order forms with payment can be returned by Feb. 23rd via the collection baskets during Mass or by dropping them off to the Parish Office during office hours. For additional order forms or more information, please contact Anna Mae VanSalisbury at 732-495-2370 or call 732-264-0665. Candy delivery is scheduled for the week of March 12. We thank you for your support!

Holy Family - Altar and Rosary Society

You're Invited to our Next Meeting Thursday February 22



All women of the parish 18 and older are invited to our next meeting in Memorial Hall this Thursday February 22nd at 7 p.m. beginning with the Holy Rosary. The theme is Valentine's Day and we will be having our Steal Bingo. Wear red and bring a new \$10 wrapped gift.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

St Joseph Council #3402

54 Route 35 North, Keyport NJ 07735



Non-Perishable Food Drive (Feb. 14-Apr.1) - The Knights are collecting non-perishable food at our Council during the Lenten Season. Our goal is to collect 1,000 pounds of food and donate it to the St Vincent DePaul Societies of Holy Family & St Joseph. Please Help!

March 2, Lenten Fish Fry 5pm - 8pm. Adults \$15 & Children under 12, \$10.

For Knights Membership Info.

email: williamhortonjr@verizon.net or call: 732-320-0950.

Special Needs Support Meeting - Feb. 28 at K.O.C. Council #6552, located at 872 Leonardville Rd., Leonardo. Call John Brandon 732-787-0236 for more information.

SAVE THE DATE! - SATURDAY MARCH 10

Nobody Told Me

9:00 AM - 12:00 NOON

St. John Vianney School, Holmdel

For more information: 609-406-7410

Catholic Men for Jesus Christ Conference Saturday February 24

Please join us on Sat., Feb. 24th from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. at St. Gregory the Great Church, 4620 Nottingham Way, Hamilton, NJ 08690, for the Catholic Men for Jesus Christ Conference. Order tickets at CatholicMenForJesusChrist.org. Pre-registration \$25; \$30 at the door; \$10 students.

Cycle B

KID'S KORNER

Gospel Today
 First Sunday of Lent | Mark 1:12-15

The Spirit sent Jesus to the desert for 40 days where He prayed and fasted and angels took care of Him.

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FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT Like Jesus, we too will spend 40 days praying and fasting.



Give us New Life, O Lord.

My plan for Lent, one week at a time...

This week I will pray for _____

This week I will give up/do without _____

This week I will do this act of love/good deed _____

(Sundays optional)

LET'S MAKE PRETZELS

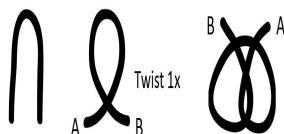
INGREDIENTS

- 1 package dry yeast
- 1 1/2 cups warm water
- 1 tsp. sugar
- 1/2 tsp. salt
- 4 cups flour
- Kosher salt
- Water to hold salt on

Latin - Bracellae "Little arms", the original Lenten bread dating back to the 4th century.

Place yeast, sugar & warm water in a large bowl and let stand. Add flour & salt, mix well and knead to form smooth ball.

Divide into 12 pieces and roll each into a "rope" about 10-12 inches long. Form into a pretzel and place on baking sheet, brush with water and sprinkle with kosher salt. Let rise slightly and bake at 425° about 12-15 minutes.



Flip ends over to resemble arms crossed over chest - praying little arms

You must clip coupon below and bring with you on Mar.7

Fundraising

Fundraising Night!

15% Donation Night

Please help Support
Holy Family Altar & Rosary
 by presenting
 this invitation to
 Texas Roadhouse® in Holmdel on
Wednesday, March 7th, 2018
4-10 PM
 Texas Roadhouse® will donate 15% of your total
 food purchases to the fundraiser!

Call AHEAD SEATING (732) 671-3749
 2105 State Route 35- Holmdel NJ, 07733

DIGITAL AND SOCIAL MEDIA COORDINATOR

The Diocese of Trenton is seeking a full-time

Digital and Social Media Coordinator who will be responsible for online content generation; development and execution of social media strategy; management of the main Diocesan website and assistance with other web properties, and support to the Diocese's media relations work.

In collaboration with the Executive Director of Communications and Media and the Associate Director, this employee will curate and update all aspects of the site on a daily basis using a content management system. The person in this position will be responsible for producing multimedia elements for digital publication, and providing live social media coverage of major diocesan events. The DSMC will mentor and assist other diocesan staff in support of initiatives and projects.

This position requires working some nights and weekends.

Candidates must have the following QUALIFICATIONS:

- Strong and informed understanding of Catholic doctrine, language and culture.
- Bachelor's degree in Communications, Marketing, Web Design, Digital Media, Web Development or equivalent, plus three or more years related experience and/or training.
- Proficiency in developing and maintaining a Website using a content management system; functional knowledge of HTML/CSS, web analytics and SEO.
- Strong writing skills; work experience in public relations; online marketing; message development, and implementation.
- Knowledge of social media communities and tools, with a solid understanding of how to drive audience engagement within online social networks. Ability to identify threats and opportunities in online user-generated content.
- Basic Photoshop, sound and video editing experience and familiarity with design and publishing software required. Must also be proficient with MS Office suite.

No telephone calls will be accepted. Please submit your résumé along with two professional references and one personal reference, and your salary requirements to:

Angela Gitto, Director of Human Resources
 Diocese of Trenton, P. O. Box 5147, Trenton, NJ 08638-0147
 OR Fax: 609-406-7450 • E-mail: agitto@dioceseoftrenton.org