



Mass Intentions for the Week

SATURDAY, September 26, 2015

- 8:00 am + William Hamilton, Req. W. Soscia
 5:00 pm + Brian O'Neill, Req. Florence & Owen Byrne
 + Joseph Pede, Req. Elaine O'Sullivan & Mike
 & Jeanne Bezio

SUNDAY, September 27, 2015

- 7:30 am + Louis & Mary Gabriele, Req. Lois Gabriele
 9:00 am + Sandy Fischer, Req. Holy Family Parish
 & Staff
 + Kenneth Hartman, Req. Marge Gross
 11:00 am + Ann Weldon, Req. Family
 + The St. Vincent de Paul Society
 5:00 pm + Frances Mastrolia, Req. Gloria & Frank
 Rotella & Family

MONDAY, September 28, 2015

- 8:00 am + Purgatorial Society
 + Living Intention Norma Pachao,
 Req. Friends

TUESDAY, September 29, 2015

- 8:00 am + Living Intention Jaime & Christopher
 Gagliardi, Req. Parents
 + Buenaventura Ouano, Req. Ouano Family

WEDNESDAY, September 30, 2015

- 8:00 am + Americo Ruglio, Req. Mr. & Mrs. Lawrence
 Adamski
 + Sofia Cristi, Req. Daughter & Family

THURSDAY, October 1, 2015

- 8:00 am + Louis Blum, Req. Michael O'Neill

FRIDAY, October 2, 2015

- 8:00 am + Mary E. Hrabosky, Req. Family

SATURDAY, October 3, 2015

- 8:00 am + Richard Kozak, Req. Valania Family
 5:00 pm + Paula Lund, Req. Daughter & Family

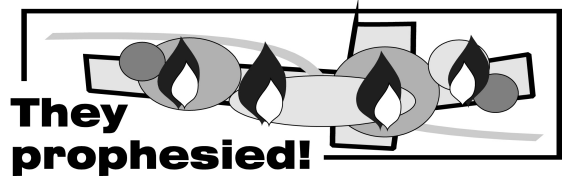
SUNDAY, October 4, 2015

- 7:30 am + Barbara Blanco Zewecke, Req. Coffey
 Family
 9:00 am + Living & Deceased Members of the Altar
 & Rosary Society
 + William Westerfield, Req. Family
 11:00 am + For All to Respect Life from Conception
 to Natural Death
 + Patrick Rotondo
 5:00 pm + Margaret Bowlby, Req. Randy, Adele,
 & Evan Wright
 + Roseanne Mitchell, Req. Margaret &
 Steven Magri

PRAY FOR THE DECEASED

Joan Raine

Tabernacle Light Intention/Memorial
Main Church
 Charles DeFazio



TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

First Reading: Numbers 11:25-29

Two men not considered prophets by the people began to prophesize, and this offended those who did not feel they were true prophets. But Moses explained that prophets are chosen by God, not the people.

Second Reading: James 5:1-6

James speaks out strongly against people who become rich by cheating their workers. He claims the wealth they have dishonestly collected will be a testimony against them on judgment day.

Gospel: Mark 9:38-43, 45, 47-48

Jesus explains to his disciples that it is acceptable for a person who is not part of their group to speak in his name, but he does warn them that anyone who tries to lead his followers astray will be severely punished. Jesus also discusses personal failing and the importance of taking whatever steps are necessary to avoid them.



READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday

Nm 11:25-29; Jas 5:1-6; Mk 9:38-43, 45, 47-48

Monday

Zec 8:1-8; Lk 9:46-50

Tuesday

Dn 7:9-10, 13-14 or Rv 12:7-12a; Jn 1:47-51

Wednesday

Neh 2:1-8; Lk 9:57-62

Thursday

Neh 8:1-4a, 5-6, 7b-12; Lk 10:1-12

First Friday

Bar 1:15-22; Mt 18:1-5, 10

First Saturday

Bar 4:5-12, 27-29; Lk 10:17-24

Tabernacle Flower Intention/Memorial

Joseph & Mary Sembler
 Donald & Lorraine Wotton

Please Remember to Pray for the Sick

Keith Brand, James Weldon, Bill Blache, Anna Marie Klimovich, Vincent & Linda Hermans, Thomas Weldon, Edith Merrigan, Marie Scott, Roger Peterson, Felicia DeVine, MaryBeth Schulmeister, Christopher Lackner.



RECENTLY ILL: Bob Rodell, Gianna DeCosto, Joseph D'Ambrosio, Albert Ewalt, Ken Smolinski, Michael Galvin, Jackie Desiderio, MaryAnn Lucia, Michael Glassford, Nico Oneto, Patricia McCarthy, Jean Basmagy, Barbara Cotto.

**Ministry Schedule
Weekend of October 3 & 4
Serving at the Altar**

5:00 PM	7:30 AM	9:00 AM
Gabriella Raad Jeremy Ramos	Emily Godkin Jillian Johnson	Brian Mocarski Jenna Polaco Alexandra Sweeney
11:00 AM	5:00 PM	
Nicholas Gates Charles Penszynski Faith Reash	Alex Auletta Angelina Christ	

Readers and Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

5:00 PM	F. Verbovsky	M. Christopher, S. Donnelly
7:30 AM	J. Cantwell	A. Gallo, M. Rubiato
9:00 AM	J. Fischer	O. Byrne, F. Byrne
11:00 AM	P. Witzig	A. Genovese, J. Reash
5:00 PM	S. Bauer	T. Aiken, T. Weldon

OUR WEEKLY OFFERING

Last Week – September 20

1st Collection – Weekly \$5379
2nd Collection – Programs & Facilities \$1308

This Week – September 27

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

Next Week – October 4

1st Collection - Weekly
2nd Collection – Diocesan Assessment

CHARISMATIC MASS – OCTOBER 7

St. Ann's Church
311 Carr Ave., Keansburg

If your soul needs uplifting, healing, or embracing come join us for a spiritual journey with Christ. Join us at the Church of St. Ann to celebrate a time of healing with Father Angelo Amarai, on Wednesday, October 7, 2015. Spiritual singing begins at 7:00 p.m. and the Mass will begin at 7:30 p.m. Donations accepted. Light refreshments will follow.

OPEN HOUSE – NOVEMBER 1 & 2

**RED BANK CATHOLIC
HIGH SCHOOL
SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 1, 2015
2:00 P.M. – 4:30 P.M.
MONDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 2015
4:30 P.M. – 7:00 P.M.**

Gift Auction

And Spaghetti Dinner

OCT. 10, 2015 – ALL INVITED!

The Holy Family Golden Age Group is sponsoring a Gift Auction and Spaghetti Dinner on October 10 from 4 to 8 p.m. The dinner will be held at the Union Hose Firehouse, 1224 Florence Avenue, Union Beach. Cost of dinner \$8.00 per adult and \$5 per child (\$10 at the door – adults). Dinner includes: spaghetti & meatballs, salad, coffee, tea, soda, & dessert. Gift basket winners will be selected 7:30 p.m. Bring the family! For ticket information call Josephine 732-739-2578, Marlene 732-739-0146, or John 732-739-2252.



**Holy Family Church
Thanks, Fr. Francis!**

The grounds here at Holy Family hold a special beauty for not only our parishioners, but passers-by as well who are drawn to stop by the Holy Family Shrine and pray for a time. You just can't pass our church without recognizing the beautiful display of flowers that enhance the church grounds.

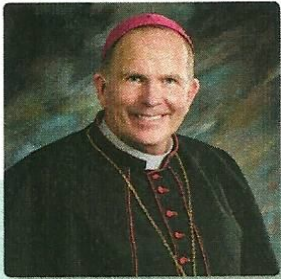


The Lord has definitely "gifted" us with not only the grace, truth, and love of God through His Son Jesus Christ, but with gifts of His Holy Spirit reflective in each and every one of us who use those gifts reaching out to others.

Fr. Francis, we are thankful to our Lord for you and the gifts He has given you! (photo above by Traci Mathias, Holy Family Parishioner)

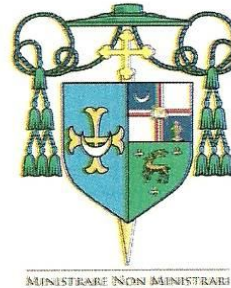
**Help Wanted
Cook & Kitchen Aid**

We are looking for a cook and kitchen aid to work at St. Joseph By the Sea Retreat House beginning early October. Interested people can contact Sr. Bruni at 732-892-8494.



Bishop David M. O'Connell, C.M.

In observance of the Holy Year of Mercy proclaimed by Pope Francis, Bishop David M. O'Connell, C.M., has issued a pastoral letter to the people of the Diocese of Trenton.



Pastoral Letter for the Holy Year of Mercy

Mercy and Truth Shall Meet



INTRODUCTION

When you look into someone's face, you can often see many things. At times you see a peace and satisfaction that resides in a person's soul. Other times, you see worry or distraction, confusion or anxiety, wonder or hesitation. Perhaps you see weariness or sadness, anger or frustration. There are times when a face betrays loneliness or a hunger to be loved, a faraway look or just a blank stare.

A smile, a frown, a tear, a furrowed brow, a curiosity or special interest, a look of love: a face often reveals more than words might ever say.

While we can often see many things in the faces of others, things that are hard to hide, we should also remember that others can see many similar things in our own face. St. Jerome once wrote to a widow, "The face is the mirror of the mind and eyes; without speaking, they confess the secrets of the heart (Letter 5)."

In the Old Testament we read in the Psalms, "always look to the Lord and his strength; always seek his face (Psalm 105: 4)." The Book of Chronicles advises that we "rely on the mighty Lord; constantly seek his face (1 Chronicles 16: 11)."

When we seek the Lord's face, we will find it most often in the face of others. When we seek and find the face of the Lord, what is it that we really see there?

"THE HOLY YEAR OF MERCY"

Our Holy Father Pope Francis has extended the scriptural invitation to "seek the face of the Lord" in the year ahead, a "Holy Year of Mercy" beginning December 8, 2015. Pope Francis believes that, at this point in history, the world needs to reflect upon God's mercy.

"Jesus Christ is the face of the Father's mercy," Pope Francis writes in his announcement of the Holy Year. "These words might well sum up the mystery of the Christian faith. Mercy has become living and visible in Jesus of Nazareth, reaching its culmination in him. Jesus of Nazareth, by his words, his actions, and his entire person reveals the mercy of God (Vultus Misericordiae, VM, 1)."

"Mercy," he continues, "... reveals the very mystery of the Most Holy Trinity. Mercy: the ultimate and supreme act by which God comes to meet us. Mercy: the fundamental law that dwells in the heart of every person who looks sincerely into the eyes of his brothers and sisters on the path of life. Mercy: the bridge that connects God and man, opening our hearts to the hope of being loved forever despite our sinfulness (VM, 2)."



MTRS NEWS!

Football Frenzy

Mother Teresa Regional School families will be selling Football Frenzy tickets after all masses September 26-27. Prizes are awarded for a ten week period. Each ticket is \$10 and all proceeds benefit the MTRS Athletic Association and PTA.

CAR WASH – OCTOBER 4

MTRS 8th grade class will hold a car wash on October 4, 8:00am-1:00pm. The cost is \$8 per car. Please come support the class. MTRS is located at 55 South Ave, Atlantic Highlands.

MASS BOOK OPENING FOR 2016 – OCT. 13

The Mass Book will be opened on Tuesday, Oct. 13, at 9:00 a.m. in Memorial Hall (not the office). Please use the large parking lot entrance. Mass Stipend \$10. Initial Mass request will be limited to 2 weekend Mass requests (Saturday 5:00 p.m. or Sunday) and 3 daily Mass requests.



MTRS Street Devils

Mother Teresa Regional School is thrilled to announce that the N.J. Devils “MTRS Street Devils” floor hockey program will be starting its 6th year at MTRS. Boys and girls from grades 1 through 8 can participate. We welcome students who do not attend MTRS. There is no prior experience or knowledge of hockey necessary to play. To register please contact the Athletic Association at athletics@mtregional.com or call 732-291-1050.

Diocese of Trenton, Dept of Pastoral Care
Invites ALL Separated and Divorced Catholics to a

**DAY OF HEALING
FOR SEPARATED AND DIVORCED CATHOLICS**

led by: Marianne Skrobiak, M.S., M.A., LPC
Nationally renowned author of “Return to Life” (a divorce recovery series)

Saturday, October 17, 2015

9:00 AM-4:00PM at the Church of St. Ann, Parish Center
1253 Lawrenceville Rd., Lawrenceville, NJ



ONLINE REGISTRATION: www.dioceseof trenton.org

Mail in Registration: Please complete and return. Send your check for \$10 per person made payable to: “Diocese of Trenton”
Dept. of Pastoral Care - 701 Lawrenceville Rd. - Trenton, NJ 08648

Name(s): _____
Address: _____
Phone: _____ Email: _____
Parish: _____ Parish City: _____

**ALTAR & ROSARY
ANNUAL
COMMUNION MASS
& BREAKFAST/OCT. 4, 2015**



All women of the parish (18 and over) are invited to join the Altar & Rosary Society as we celebrate our Annual Communion Mass and Breakfast at the 9 a.m. Mass on Sunday Oct. 4.

Immediately following Mass we will have our breakfast at St. Clement’s Reception Center, 172 Freneau Ave., Matawan.

Tickets must be purchased in advance - \$26/person, \$15 for children 10 and under, and can be purchased by filling out the form below, place in an envelope marked “Altar & Rosary Communion Breakfast” (include payment), and place it in the collection basket or drop it off at the Parish Office.

*Please make checks payable to:
Altar & Rosary Society.*

Questions contact Denise McNerney at 609-290-5054.

Name: _____
(please print)

Address: _____ City: _____

State: _____ Zip _____ Phone: _____

No. of Tickets: _____ Adult _____ Children

Amt. Enclosed: _____ Check No.: _____

**Communion Breakfast: St. Clement’s
Reception Ctr.**

Please fill out form, cut along dotted line, place in envelope with your payment, and return to the Parish Office or place in collection basket.

**“Joseph”
SIGHT AND SOUND THEATRE
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 2, 2015**

St. Catharine’s Church in Holmdel is sponsoring a trip to the Sight & Sound Theatre on Friday October 2. Tickets are \$120 and includes transportation, lunch, and show. Please call 732-842-3963 ext. 13 for tickets and for more information.



Fall Mum Sale!
\$6 ea. or 4/\$20
9x5 Potted
Mum Plant!
Sat. & Sun.
Mums can be picked
up on
October 3th & 4th
after all Masses at
Holy Family Church

Please return order Forms with payment by September 28, 2015.

Orders can be sent to the church office or placed in the collection basket. Checks should be made payable to:

Holy Family Youth Ministry

Questions call Adele Wright at 732-721-5558

ORDER FORM

Return to parish office or place in collection basket in envelope
 Attn: Youth Ministry Mum Sale

MUM COLOR CHOICES	QUANTITY \$6 EA. OR 4/\$20
Red/Bronze	
Yellow	
Pink/Purple	
Orange	
Total Enclosed:	

Name: _____

Email Address: _____

Phone No.: _____



SIXTH ANNUAL ROSARY RALLY
St. Mary's Chapel
26 Leonardville Rd, New Monmouth

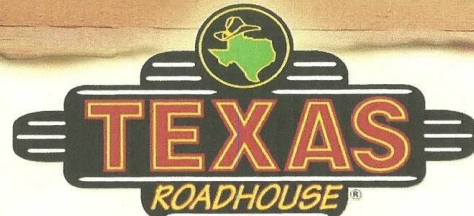
You are invited to join in praying the Rosary on Saturday October 10 beginning at 12 noon at St. Mary's Chapel (rain or shine). This public Rosary is sponsored by America Needs Fatima, and will be one of over 11,000 rallies across the U.S. offering reparation for the sins and offenses committed against the Immaculate Heart of Mary and to fervently pray for the conversion of the U.S. All are welcome. Please arrive by 11:45 a.m. to sign in and obtain a program.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE!

Forty Days for Life is a pro-life organization that promotes peaceful pro-life demonstrations at Planned Parenthood Facilities across the nation, that are focused on accessing the power of God, through prayer and fasting to bring an end to Abortion. This started on Wednesday September 23 and will end on All Saints Day November 1. This will take place from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. daily on the sidewalk in front of the planned parenthood facility on Neuman Springs Rd. in Shrewsbury. Come volunteer for one hour and pray the rosary or if you cannot attend fast on one of those days.

You **MUST** cut out and bring with you to Texas Roadhouse

FUNDRAISING NIGHT!



Come Support

"Holy Family Religious Education Program"



Thursday, October 8th | 4pm-10pm

10% Donation Night

Support this cause by presenting this invitation to the listed Texas Roadhouse® location and Texas Roadhouse® will donate 10% of your total food purchases to the fundraiser!



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