

# Mother's Day

## Saturday, May 12th

8:30 am Msgr. Frank B. Ferraioli  
5:00 pm Brother Thomas Rochacewicz, C.Ss.R.  
Patrick Vita  
Deceased Members of the  
Fernandez Family  
Jesse Faunt

*The Living Flame for the Sanctuary  
Light will be for the special  
intentions of:  
**Kaneesha Vaz**  
for the month of May, 2018*

## Sunday, May 13th Mothers Day

7:00 am  
8:00 am  
9:15 am  
10:45 am  
12:15 pm

**All Masses  
for All Deceased Mothers  
of the Parish**

*Please remember in your prayers all  
the departed family and friends of  
St. Christopher's Parish.*



## Monday, May 14th

7:00 am Special Intentions for Healing -  
Cheryl Lotito  
12:05 pm Rosalyn Giordani  
Rose & Nicholas DiVincenzo  
Linton Joseph Shellito  
Patricia Ruane

## May 19th & 20th

## Tuesday, May 15th

7:00 am Agnes Brady  
12:05 pm Frances Marinaccio  
John Zimmer

## Altar Server

5:00 pm A. & A. DeNino, A. To  
7:00 am The Lalo Family  
8:00 am A. Anastasi, T. & A. Pactwa  
9:15 am C. & C. Berardo, J. Tran  
10:45 am J. Vadakkedam, L. Taylor, C. Dumapit  
12:15 pm A. & D. Guzzardo, C. Rizzo

## Wednesday, May 16th

7:00 am Deceased Members of the Connor Family  
12:05 pm Rosalie Bontemps

## Eucharistic Minister

5:00 pm S. & S. Richards, J. Sole, C. To  
7:00 am B. Carroll  
8:00 am B. & M. Pactwa, E. Shabet  
9:15 am K. & P. Berardo, D. & S. Kaschalk  
10:45 am R. Vento **Visit:** M. & M. D'Ambrosa,  
K. Lucibello  
12:15 pm J. Alfonso, S. Capozzi, T. Racioppi,  
C. Walsh

## Thursday, May 17th

7:00 am Agnes Brady  
12:05 pm John Poje

## Friday, May 18th

7:00 am Special Intentions for Healing -  
Jocelyn Becker  
12:05 pm Leocadia Bontuyan

## Lectors

5:00 pm E. Montefusco  
7:00 am K. Longo  
8:00 am M. Appio  
9:15 am M. Rankel  
10:45 am A. Bilotti  
12:15 pm J. Cesaro

## Saturday, May 19th

8:30 am Rosalie Bontemps  
5:00 pm Josephine Halteman Barone  
Linda Kelly

## Sunday, May 20th Mothers Day

7:00 am Christina Azares  
8:00 am Edward & Edward Paul Gunderson  
Vicente Azares  
9:15 am Fe Abueg Palis, Francisco Palis  
10:45 am Ruth Lavelle  
Bennet Berkman  
12:15 pm John Butter  
Daniel Woods

From the Pastors Desk -

## **Mark 12:41-44**

*Think about the kind of reaction that the widow in the Gospel might get from the average person today. Perhaps she might be criticized for “throwing away” her money when she could have used it to provide for her future, rather than rely on the charity of others. People might say, “its stupid to waste you money like that, and so little money wont make a difference to the Church, anyway”. But, Jesus celebrates this woman’s small contribution. From this story, we see that what matters in God’s sight is not what a person has, but the devotion that causes him or her to give, even at great personal cost. The poorest of the poor can be “rich” in faith. Reflect on this passage each time you make decisions about money this week. How does this passage challenge you? How does it challenge the values of our modern society?*

So then,  
after the Lord had  
spoken to them,  
He was received up into  
heaven,  
and sat down at the  
right hand of  
God.  
Mark 16:7

### **Weekly Collection**

Sunday \$12,110.00  
(including online giving \$ 1,303.00)

Last Year \$13,494.00

*Attendance: 717*

*Thank you for your generosity*

### **20 Week Club**

Our 18th lucky winner:

**#188 Jim & Mary Long**

Congratulations!! Thank you all for contributing to such a very important fundraiser.

# Parish Activities

## Men's Group - Issac Jogues Society

Meets on the second Wednesday of every month from 7:00 pm to 8:00 pm, in room 101 in the school.

Our Mission Statement is: "Life as a Catholic Man – A Truly Catholic and Spiritual Way of Life".

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Monday morning adult education at 10:30 am room 110. **New Topic: Pope Pius XII**

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St. Christopher's has a Pre-Cana Program, for more information please call the rectory at 973-539-7050.

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## St. Christopher's Prayer Group

Will be every Tuesday, at 10:30 am and every Thursday, after 12:05 pm Mass

Pray the Rosary every Monday – Friday after the 12:05 pm Mass.

Miraculous Medal Novena & Rosary will be at 12:30 pm every Monday at St. Christopher.

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St. Christopher is hosting the 2000 Hail Mary Devotion, to our Blessed Virgin Mary, every First Saturday of every month. Please join us on June 2nd, at the first floor of the Second Hand Rose Thrift Shop; stop by for an hour or the day, you are all most needed and welcomed anytime between 9:00 am and 5:00 pm. For details call Josie Mendez (973) 887-7835 or Jeanette East (973) 334-8766.

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Jr. Choir practices every Thursday from 4:00 pm to 5:00 pm and they will sing the 2nd Sunday of every month at 9:15 am Mass. Contact Therese Steinel at 973-299-7977 or Karen Blunt at 973-887-1989 for more information.

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Martha & Mary Society - This is a group of dedicated women who maintain and decorate the Church throughout the year.

Saints Peter & Paul Society – As a companion to our Martha & Mary Society, this group handles all the handy man activities both inside & outside of the Church.

These two groups meet every Saturday at 9:00 am in the Church. All are welcome.

Come play **Bingo** with one of the best groups in town. Great food, great prizes (\$1000 worth of prizes with two 50/50). You are sure to want to return and play. **Wednesdays at 11:30 am in the St. Christopher All Purpose Room.**

## St. Paul Inside the Walls...

For programs and events and to register visit [www.insidethewalls.org](http://www.insidethewalls.org) or call (973) 377-1004

## The Pope Francis Society

Our program helps Hope House Food Pantry, a program of Catholic Charities for the Diocese of Paterson, which in turn helps those in need. The food box will be in the entrance of the Church.

**Mission statement: "If you love me, feed me".**

**Food List:** Peanut butter, pasta, spaghetti sauce, juice, canned corn, baking mixes, mustard, ketchup, dishwashing liquid, laundry detergent, toothpaste, deodorant, cold cereal, granola bars, cookies, crackers, tuna, Chef Boyardee, canned chicken meat, canned fruit, shelf stable milk, bath tissue, facial tissue, paper towels.

Pancake mix, pancake syrup, tea, coffee (ground or instant), soup, rice, canned beans (any variety), jelly, macaroni & cheese, side dishes (rice-a-roni, pasta sides, etc).

**For more information contact the rectory and speak to Fr. Joe.**

**St. Christopher's Senior Social Club** is a club to have fun and socialize. The meeting will be at the Community Center, at 1130 Knoll Road, Lake Hiawatha, N.J. Dates: **To be announced.**

**Bus trip to the Sands Casino, in Bethlehem, Pa.** Bus leaves St. Christopher's parking lot at 9:15 am. Date: **May 14th.** If you wish to learn more about the St. Christopher's Senior Social Club, please call John Mola at 973-335-8947 or Anne Purcaro at 973-887-5186.

**Catholic War Veterans of America - Parsippany Chapter - Named: Chaplain (Major) Charles Joseph Watters, USA Post 1967** –CWV will meet on the 1st Wednesday of every month at 7:00 pm in room 101 at the school.

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## St. Christopher Women's Book Club

Join us for our next book club meeting which will be on Tuesday, June 5th at 7:00 pm in room 110. Delicious refreshments are always served, as well as a very animated discussion about the books. Definitely a fun time! The new book selection **Beware the Past - by Joy Ellis.**

Hope to see you there, new members are always welcome.

## Soft yoga for hard times at St. Christopher

Every Thursday from 7:00 pm to 8:15 pm in room 110. Come and experience for yourself the wonderful range of healthy benefits that yoga and meditation can offer you.

For more information including price, contact Penny Proserpi, who is the yoga instructor at [pprosperi51@gmail.com](mailto:pprosperi51@gmail.com).

# *Mother's Day Remembrance 2018*

*Marie Marchisa, Rose Marotte*

*Marie Lanza, Rose Hathaway*

*Helen C. Rogers*

*Dorothy & Agnes LaColla, Elizabeth Kraus*

*Gloria Biggiani & Faye Rapp*

*Beatryce Jennings, Aurelia Cohen*

*Anna Spring, Olga Farbanish*

*Angela Imbergamo, Angela Bilotti*

*Tess Schneidmuller, Louise DeRosa*

*Helen Zicker & Thelma Milos*

*Rosemary Heller*

*Louise Catalano & Elvera Moglia*

*Katherine Baumiller*

*Jenny Merola & Marie Reddy*

*Janet Barrett & Mary Kudlac*

*Cyrilla Hanley*

*Ann Sminchak & Katherine Parker*

*Laura Banko, Donna Sanok, Regina B. Daly*

*Mary Calabrese, Florentine Pietrzak*

*Eleanor Moss, Helen Neary*

*Evelyn Asea, Theresa McGinty, Rose McCarthy*

*Irene Toth, Angelina Gruppuso*

*Anna Onufrak & Anna Orehek*

*Lucile Malsbury, Elizabeth Honsinger*

*Geraldine DiRiggi*

*Geraldine Cappuccino*

*Christina Azares*

# *Mother's Day Remembrance 2018*

*Carmela & Linda Sierchio, Maria L. Saudo  
Sarah Chamberlin, Catherine Hendricks  
Marianne Knapik, Helen Dana  
Milagros Nahia  
Ann Paterno  
Anna, Genevieve, Pat & Rita  
Anne Yarema, Olga Kachura, Martha Dobyňa &  
Thelma Rossi  
Sarah Fenske, Marie Dandreau  
Clara Werra, Grace Giasemedis  
Rose Scerbo, Ida Vita  
Marian W. Smith, Phyllis J. Downing  
Janet Barrett, Elizabeth Bradley  
Edith Lehto, Dorothy Gerber  
Theresa Scillieri, Betty Carieri  
Leocadia Bontuyan, Concepcion & Cecelia Ramones  
Margaret Morgan & Jean Sienkiewicz  
Lena Dachille  
Grace Huber, Marie Pacheco, Mary Huber  
Rita Bradbury  
Jaqueline Stathakis, Sadie Bianco  
Yvette Deschaine, Jacqueline Stathakis, Helen Madia  
Veronica Skladany, Anna Cerny  
Jean Galante & Irene Tobias  
Anita Hicks  
Doris Small, Irene O'Rourke*

# *Mother's Day Remembrance 2018*

*Marie Verderosa  
Miriam Lenahan  
Lillian Miller, Helen Ward  
Mrs. Katherine Gancarick  
Gorizia Pellechio, Pamela Montefusco  
Enza Putignano  
Patricia Appio  
Eleanor Mittermaier  
Lillian Niebylski, Lois Hough  
Rose DiVincenzo, Rita D'Ambrosa  
Kathleen Brosnan  
Joanne Seminaris  
Helen Keville, Rose Anselmo  
Barbara Shabet  
MaryJane Nagel  
Dorothy B. Bray, June C. Monica  
Elizabeth Chorny  
Raye Binkert, Mary C. Walsh  
Barbara Martin, Jane Barriero  
Gladys Bonilla  
Lorraine K. Mellinger  
Louise Yosco, Josephine Olivito  
Monina Carandang  
Josephine Capitti, Angelina Cimiluca  
Isabel Veloso  
Raquel Beltran & Eleanor Cupo  
Mary Vecchio*

# *Mother's Day Remembrance 2018*

*Mary Rimmer, Gladys Reinke*

*Catherine Small*

*Rose DiVincenzo, Connie Calabria*

*Barbara Martin*

*Olga, Lydia, Evelyn, Eleanor, Vivian & Virginia Connolly*

*Jean Baszczewski, Irene Windisch*

*Gloria Amati, Lorraine Wolfe*

*Cecelia Hutsebaut*

*Helen Connolly & Anna Haynes*

*Josefine Renn*

*Marie Larkin Schagen Lorenzo*

*Hope Mato*

*Peg Carroll, Julia Vill*

*Verna Tullo, Dorothy Wilcox*

*Anna Fontana & Mary Poccia*

*Mary Gelosa, Madeline Case*

*Ruth O'Rourke, Anna Schlitt*

*Noel Wicks, Hannelore Mader*

*Pauline Pampinella*

## *Thank You for your Mother's Day Donation*

*Anthony Saponara, Gregory & Katherine Ferrante,*

*Sam & Alice Moy, Mr. & Mrs. Johnson*

Come join us for ...



# St. Christopher's



Friday, May 18, 2018 at 6:30 pm  
in the All Purpose Room.



Hot dogs and refreshments will be available for purchase with free snacks for the kids.

Game Night fun includes Kids Bingo and a kid's tricky tray.

