



Saturday June 23
 5:30 pm John Nardone and Philip Clark
Sunday June 24 *Nativity of St. John the Baptist*
 7:30 am John Pongracz and Our Parishioners
 9:30 am Philip Clark and Arthur J. Brown
 11:30 am Gary McWilliams, Emilia DiMarco,
 John O'Donnell and Veronica Bly
Monday June 25
 6:45 am William Darnall
Tuesday June 26
 6:45 am Margaret and Francis Kelleher
Wednesday June 27
 6:45 am Sergio and Noemi Wong
Thursday June 28 *St. Irenaeus, Bishop and Martyr*
 6:45 am William Darnall
Friday June 29 *Saints Peter and Paul, Apostles*
 6:45 am Intention of John Walentowicz
Saturday June 30
 8:00 am Intention of John Walentowicz
 5:30 pm Tom and Libby Vona
 50th Wedding Anniversary
Sunday July 1 *13th Sunday in Ordinary Time*
 7:30 am Intention of John Walentowicz
 and Our Parishioners
 9:30 am Alice Smits
 11:30 am Gary McWilliams and Philip Clark

JUNE 30/July 1 CELEBRANT SCHEDULE

5:30 pm Fr. Jared Brogan
 7:30 am Fr. Jared Brogan
 9:30 am Fr. Michal Rybinski
 11:30 am Fr. Michal Rybinski

PRAY FOR THE SICK

Please remember in your prayers those who are ill, especially Arline and Francis Forte, Sr. Bernadette Weller, Karen Lang, Mary Ann Armstrong, Michele Buck, Christa Fairclough, Pat Flannery, Pat Pongracz, Gus Mitchell, Jennie Iwasiuk, Ann Gerhardt, Sr. Joan Phillips, Gavin King, Rob Leavy, Natalie Rowell, Ann McCarthy, Trina Carlson, Cheryl Marier, Carol Campbell and Winifred Pierce.

STEWARDSHIP

June 18, 2017 Collection & PP	\$ 8,967
MASS ATTENDANCE	788
June 17, 2018 collection	
Envelopes/Cash	\$ 7,984
ParishPay	1,712
Total	\$ 9,696
MASS ATTENDANCE	700
Weekly operating expense	\$ 12,885
Seminarian Education Collection	\$ 2,780

Scripture Readings

July 1, 2018

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: Wisdom 1:13-15; 2:23-24

This reading relates how death of the spirit entered the world by the envy of the devil, but those not in his possession will not experience it.

Second Reading: II Corinthians 8:7, 9, 13-15

Paul exhorts the Corinthians to contribute to the poor of the Jerusalem church in accordance with their means. He explains that if people help each other, they will one day be helped when they are needy.

Gospel: Mark 5:21-43

"Do not be afraid, only have faith." Jesus' power over sickness and death requires absolute trust and absence of fear.

WELCOME, FR. MICHAL RYBINSKI

Each year at this time of year, new priestly assignments are published. As previously mentioned, we at St. Catherine's are happy to welcome Fr. Michal Rybinski as Parochial Vicar. Assignments for young priests are very important, particularly in the first five years. The goal is to give a new priest a healthy, vibrant, and varied experience(s). Bishop Serratelli tries to select those assignments very wisely. We are very happy that all of us have been asked to play an important role in Fr. Michal's life as he will play an important role in our life as Priest. Fr. Michal was ordained on July 1, 2017 by Bishop Serratelli. He was assigned to St. Catherine of Bologna in Ringwood for one year. Since being reassigned here, he has lived and served briefly at St. Lawrence the Martyr in Chester. Fr. Michal will be arriving here on June 29. We look forward to welcoming him. Please keep Fr. Michal in your prayers and pray for all of our priests in the Diocese of Paterson who serve with great faith and devotion.

PARISH DIRECTORIES ARE HERE!

If you were photographed and haven't picked up your complimentary directory after Mass, please pick one up in the parish office M-Thurs between 9:30 and 3. A limited number of directories are also available for \$20 for those who were not included.

Shipwrecked Vacation Bible School Camp

... where kids learn that Jesus rescues!

June 25 – June 29 9:00 am-12:00 pm

As we get ready to start VBS on Monday, I would like to invite you to pray for the children that will be attending Shipwrecked to develop a heart for God and His Word. To pray for the staff and volunteers who will teach, lead, and serve. Let us pray for their strength, health, patience and most of all that the love of Christ will be shown through them. May they receive an overflow of blessings from their week of service.



From the Desk of Fr. Jared

Three weeks ago at the end of Mass, I gave a brief explanation of the “dos and don’ts” of receiving Holy Communion. Although these are not meant to be exhaustive, they do clear up some confusion that the priests and other ministers have encountered. All the points reflect the norms of the Church as spelled out in the liturgical documents governing the liturgy.

- We are asked to observe a one-hour Eucharistic fast. This means not eating or drinking anything except water or medicine for one hour before receiving Holy Communion.
- We should observe proper reverence during the Communion procession; coming forward in a prayerful way, joining in the singing as we process forward. Remember, receiving Holy Communion as an action within the liturgy, is a communal action—something we do as one Body of Christ—and not an individual action.
- The proper sign of reverence before receiving Holy Communion is a bow of the head, not a full waist bow, and not a genuflection. The bow of the head is made before receiving both the Host and the Precious Blood.
- If you are receiving the Body of Christ in the hand, one hand is to be underneath the other, with both hands flat, not curled up. St. Cyril of Jerusalem would instruct catechumens to “make a throne” for the King they are about to receive. We receive the Body of Christ; we do not take or grab the Host. Consume the Host immediately. In addition, if you see someone walking around with a Host, say something!
- If you are receiving the Body of Christ on the tongue, open your mouth and stick out your tongue. Do not expect the minister to have to maneuver to place the Host in your mouth — stick out your tongue! Also, let the minister place the Host on your tongue; do not bite it or grab it with your lips. Do not move your head—do not be a moving target!
- Communicants respond “Amen” after the minister says, “The Body of Christ” or “The Blood of Christ.” That moment is an important moment to express faith, and the Church asks that the ritual reception of Communion take place as a dialogue. Your response of “Amen” expresses both your belief in what you are receiving — the actual Real Presence, the Body and Blood, of Christ — and your understanding of the consequences of being in Communion with the Lord, namely, that you are called to be transformed to live the life of Christ. Don’t say “thank you” or anything else, and don’t be silent.
- When returning to one’s seat after receiving Holy Communion, we are to pray by joining in the singing and making a prayer of Thanksgiving.

I hope these reminders are helpful to all of us and enhance our celebration of the Eucharist.

Peace, Fr. Jared

WOMEN’S RETREAT: REGISTRATION IS OPEN!

Our weather-cancelled women’s retreat has been rescheduled for **August 3-5** at St. Mary’s Abbey at Delbarton. Retreat master will be Fr. James Platania, a priest of the Diocese of Paterson and Professor of Biblical Studies at Immaculate Conception Seminary at Seton Hall University. This year’s new format will include break-out sessions after each talk, and allow increased free time to explore the beautiful grounds and take advantage of several available tranquil prayer and meditation rooms. The facility is air-conditioned. Cost is \$175 and includes all meals. To reserve your spot, contact:

Cretia Rotella 201-919-1060; cresinger@aol.com or Cheryl Clark 973-885-0908, clclark@optonline.net

YOUTH NEWS



Fr. Jared will be traveling with 10 students and 2 parents to Charleston, SC to attend a Catholic HEART Work Camp from Sunday, July 8 - Saturday, July 14. CHWC provides youth groups, teens and adult leaders with service opportunities to restore homes and hearts, feed the hungry, and bring joy to the elderly and disabled by partnering with local social agencies in cities across the country. Please keep our young people in your prayers as they spend a week of their summer vacation learning about their faith and serving those in need.



NEWS FROM THE RELIGIOUS EDUCATION OFFICE

Religious Education registration has opened. Please note that registration forms have been **emailed**. Forms can also be printed from the website under the Religious Education tab.

We have an exciting Religious Education year coming up in the fall. We will have a new format for First Grade students that will be a pilot year for “class attached to Mass”. This will allow families to make a connection from classroom catechesis to Mass. The class will meet Sundays at the 9:30 am Mass followed by classroom instruction ending at 11:00. We will also offer Family Faith sessions, such as Advent and Lenten family days.

New this year, Grade Family Masses will replace the Class Masses. There will be (2) Grade Family Masses scheduled per grade. Families will sit together at Mass to celebrate the Eucharist.

In addition we will continue our service projects to support those less fortunate. Youth Nights will again include baking Christmas cookies, Movie Night, and more.

We look forward to celebrating the Eucharist with you, which is the source and summit of the Catholic faith.



THE WORK OF ANGELS

St. Catherine's is searching for people like yourself to sow the seed of God and transform the children at St. Catherine.

Is God calling you to be a catechist for religious education classes?

Isaiah 43:1 *"Do not fear, for I have redeemed you; I have called you by name, you are mine."*

Our Religious Education program exists because of dedicated volunteers. Please consider joining God's Angel Corps here at St. Catherine's! **At this time, we need Angels/Catechists for the following classes:**

Monday: 4:00pm – 5:15pm

2nd grade – 3 teachers

Monday: 7:30pm – 9:00pm

7th grade – 2 teachers

8th grade – 2 teachers

Wednesday: 4:00pm – 5:15pm

4th grade – 2 teachers

Wednesday: 7:30pm – 9:00pm

9th grade – 1 teacher

Thursday: 4:00pm – 5:15pm

5th grade – 3 teachers

Maybe being a catechist is something you feel God is calling you to, but you have some reservations. Joe Paprocki, Dmin, a former Director of Religious Education, addressed common concerns on his website, *"Catechist's Journey"* (www.catechistsjourney.org).

"I'm hesitant to become a catechist because I don't know if I can handle a group of kids. I don't know if kids will like me."

Everyone is nervous going into a classroom on their first day of teaching (Some of us were nervous for our first several weeks of teaching). The good news is that the children already know what acceptable behavior is and what it is not. The bad news is that they will sometimes act up. Children thrive when there are clear expectations for their behavior and clear consequences for when they step out of line. If you are friendly, fair, and firm with your students, classroom discipline comes easier. And people of all ages like others who are friendly, fair, and firm.

Please pray about this and then give me a call. I would be happy to answer any questions.

Thanks and God bless,

Lisa Gervasio

Religious Education office (973) 334-5257

DRE@stcatherine-ml.org



CYO 2018/19 Basketball Season

Registration is being accepted **through July 31** for the CYO 2018/19 basketball season for all boys and girls entering grades 4--8. Registration fee is \$160.00. Forms are available on the parish website www.stcatherine-ml.org
Mail registration to Mark Langlois, 8 Terrace Rd, Boonton Twp, NJ 07005 or call **973-590-4984, aspe26@optonline.net** for additional information.

VOLUNTEER NEEDED: This year will be Mark Langlois' final season serving as St. Catherine's CYO Athletic Director. We are looking for someone to shadow him this year and assume responsibility beginning with the 2019/20 season. Any man or woman college age or older is invited to consider this position. Contact Mark for details.

DAME MARIE, HAITI SPONSORSHIP

Last year our sponsorship program for St. Catherine School in Dame Marie, Haiti was a huge success. Your support is the reason behind the wonderful progress and growth of the school. Thank you for all the sponsorships we have received so far this year! **We are halfway to meeting our goal of supporting 175 students! Please consider sponsoring a student.** The cost to sponsor a child for a year is \$300. Checks should be made payable to *St. Catherine of Siena* and put in an envelope marked *"Haiti Sponsorship"* and dropped in any weekend collection basket. Thank you for your continued support.

FLOCKNOTE: An Efficient Way To Communicate

As part of opening up the lines of communication in the parish, you are invited to subscribe to a service called *FLOCKNOTE*...like sending "notes" to the "flock." It is totally free for you to use and it is going to make it easy for you to stay plugged in to the activities of the parish via text message. *FLOCKNOTE* is very simple. Text the letters **SienaML** to the 5-digit phone number **84576**. Make sure your autocorrect on your phone does not mistakenly change the text. Once you send that in, *FLOCKNOTE* will send you back a confirmation message and a verification code with a link to enter the code. That's it! You can also subscribe online by visiting flocknote.com/SienaML.

CONTEMPORARY ISSUES SESSIONS

Assumption College for Sisters is excited to offer a new program open to the public:

Special Topics in Theology: Contemporary Issues

These classes offer a wide variety of current and relevant social topics and will be held Wednesday evenings from 6:30-9:15 pm beginning Aug 29 and continuing through Dec 12. You have the option to select only the sessions that interest you, or register for the full course. Please see the flyers in the vestibule for a complete schedule of topics and presenters.

MERCY AND MARY RETREAT

Take time to recharge and refocus as best-selling author and acclaimed speaker Fr. Michael Gaitley, MIC leads a *Mercy & Mary Retreat August 10-11* at St. Cecilia Parish in Rockaway. The retreat includes 5 conferences, lunch with the Marian Missionaries, Mass and Divine Mercy Chaplet, Adoration and Benediction, personal testimonies, book signing with Fr. Gaitley, and more. Cost is \$49.95 for adults, \$10 for ages 14-29, and free for priests and religious. Visit events.marianmissionaries.org or call 413-944-8500 xt 10 for more information or to register.

LEARN GOD'S WAYS OF HANDLING MONEY. BECOME DEBT FREE!

Are you overwhelmed by college debt, mortgage payments, insurance rates, retirement? John Corr Family Resources, a project of the Religious Teachers Filippini, is offering the Financial Peace University founded by Dave Ramsey. This isn't your typical "money class." Financial Peace University is practical, entertaining and fun! Whether you're struggling to make ends meet or you're a millionaire, FPU has something for you. FPU is based on scripture and is a proven plan that will work for you.

Date: July 9 – September 17 every Monday for 9 weeks (except July 23). Makeup classes available if you have to miss a week.

Time: 7:00 – 9:00 pm

Place: Villa Walsh, 455 Western Ave, Morristown

Cost: \$109. Scholarships available.

Register: online at www.daveramsey.com/fpu or contact Sr. Mary Beth at 916-202-6382, smelloyd@gmail.com

COMPASSIONATE FRIENDS

The Compassionate Friends, a self-help group for bereaved parents, siblings and grandparents, will be meeting on **Thursday, July 12** at St. Christopher Church, 1050 Littleton Rd. (Rt. 202), Parsippany at 7:30 pm in room 101. Program will be, "*When Is Professional Help Needed?*". For more information, please call Lily Capriglione at 973-568-4164

GENERAL INTEREST

Joey Bella Memorial Fund Events

Tricky Tray, Monday, July 2 at Gardner Field. Doors open at 6 pm and calling begins at 8. \$15 per person includes 1 sheet of tickets. Tickets sold at door only.

Band Beer Beefsteak with the Nerds, Tuesday, July 3 at Gardner Field. Doors open at 5:30 pm. \$60 pp all you can eat beefsteak, 16+ microbrew beers and music by the Nerds. Advance ticket sales only at www.joeybella.org

ST. PAUL INSIDE THE WALLS PROGRAMS

St. Paul Inside the Walls, 205 Madison Ave, Madison
www.insidethewalls.org 973-377-1004

Young Adult Group – Every Wednesday

Everyone in their 20s and 30s is welcome to attend! We meet every Wednesday at 7:30 pm and also have a young adult Mass every Sunday at 11:00 am. For a schedule of our upcoming events visit us on Facebook! www.facebook.com/stpaulyoungadults.

Scripture and the 12 Steps – Every Sunday from 9:30-10:30 am

Do you have a situation in your life that seems to resurface, even when willed away forever? If so, we welcome anyone who wants to live in a solution that includes God and people within recovery.

VOCATIONS DISCERNMENT

Quo Vadis – Where are you going? Where is the Spirit acting in your life? Where is the Lord encouraging you to go? Quo Vadis Days is a time of recreation, fellowship, and prayer to help you explore the Lord's call in your life. Activities include prayer, Mass, Adoration, games, sports, talks, great food and discussions. It's a time to share our faith and meet other young men seeking God's will. Quo Vadis Days will be held **June 27-29** at St. Mary's Abbey Retreat Center located at 230 Mendham Road in Morristown. There is no cost. For more information and/or registration, contact Fr. Edgar Rivera or Fr. David Monteleone in the Vocations office at 973-777-8818 xt 711 or revedgar@patersondiocese.org

CATHOLIC SCHOOL NEWS

St. Mary's Prep, Denville is accepting registration for Grades Pre-K3 through 8. SMP provides a full-circle learning environment whose mission is to support, motivate and prepare students spiritually, academically and socially. For more information or to tour the school, please contact the school office 973-627-2606 or visit www.stmarys-denville.org.

Our Lady of Mount Carmel, Boonton offers Montessori preschool and kindergarten and a classical education for grades 1-8. OLMC is conveniently located at 205 Oak St. in Boonton, where children from all over the region receive an authentically Catholic and academically excellent education. For more information or to apply, visit www.olmc.academy or call 973-334-2777.

Morris Catholic Baseball Camp

The Morris Catholic HS Baseball Team will host a summer camp for students entering grades 5-9. The camp will be held **July 17-19, 3:00-6:00 pm** at Morris Catholic. For details or to register, visit morriscatholic.org or contact Coach Nick Berg at nberg@morriscatholic.org.