



Saturday July 27
 5:30 pm Leon Rousseau and Dennis Borecki

Sunday July 28 *17th Sunday in Ordinary Time*
 7:30 am Lisa Calabrese and Our Parishioners
 9:30 am Bessie Mosellie and Mary Rolsing
 11:30 am Joseph and Suzanne McEvoy and Philip Clark

Monday July 29 *St. Martha*
 6:45 am William Pavlos

Tuesday July 30
 6:45 am Darren Viani

Wednesday July 31 *St. Ignatius of Loyola, Priest*
 6:45 am Rob Long

Thursday August 1 *St. Alphonsus Liguori, Bishop and Doctor of the Church*
 6:45 am Charles Spino

Friday August 2
 6:45 am Angela Commarato

Saturday August 3
 8:00 am Kenneth and Elizabeth Henderson and Angela Commarato
 5:30 pm Robert Halm and Mary Milbauer

Sunday August 4 *18th Sunday in Ordinary Time*
 7:30 am Our Parishioners
 9:30 am Joanne Maute, Gene Caulfield and Mary Ann Valente
 11:30 am Joseph Francis Berger and the Albarelli Family

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, Christa Fairclough, Ann Gerhardt, Pat Flannery, Pat Pongracz, Gus Mitchell, Rob Leavy, Carol Campbell, Winifred Pierce, Phil Cibiniak, Rachel Agzigian, Terry Chavelez, Tracy Tovo, Gary Marcello, Gerald Hoy, Barbara Dietrick, Kelly Ramirez, Peggy Hoff, Christian Ramirez, Thomas John, Lorraine Alicia, Mark Gerard, Dorothy McCoy, Robert Plucinsky, Sr., Stephen Mitchell, Kathy Covert, Alexander Scherman, Joyce Huebsch and Sr. Joan Phillips.

STEWARDSHIP

July 22, 2018 collection & PP	\$ 9,715
MASS ATTENDANCE	658
July 21, 2019	
Envelopes/Cash	\$ 7,050
ParishPay	1,297
Weekly total	\$ 8,347
MASS ATTENDANCE	566
Collection for Dame Marie, Haiti	\$ 4,778
Weekly operating expense	\$15,156

**Scripture Readings
 August 4, 2019
 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

First Reading: Ecclesiastes 1:2, 2:21-23

"Vanity of vanities." Sometimes we may work for wealth, wisdom and knowledge only to discover that it has been left for someone who did not toil for it. The offering of our work, fatigue and pain, if not for God, can also be a kind of vanity.

Second Reading: Colossians 3:1-5, 9-11

Paul urges us to seek what is good and from God, encouraging us to put our minds on the spiritual. He reminds us that, as Christians, we have died with Christ and are hidden with Christ until his glory is once again revealed. We are all one in Christ.

Gospel: Luke 12:13-21

On being requested to settle a question of inheritance, Jesus heeds us to beware of all covetousness because our life does not consist on the wealth of possessions. Through the lesson of a parable Jesus reinforces this teaching, explaining that those who store up the treasures of wealth and possessions are not the richest in God's eyes.

August 3/4 CELEBRANT SCHEDULE

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

There will be a second collection next weekend for the Missionary Cooperative Plan

Scripture Study Group

The Revelation of Saint John
 Mondays, 1:00-2:30 pm through July 29th, followed by August break.

Prayer for Vacation



We begin our family vacation with joy, excitement and expectation. Let us be aware that we are creating memories that will last a lifetime.

Lord God you have new places and new adventures awaiting us, and we thank you for this opportunity to be together to laugh, to play and to deepen our love for one another, away from the routines that sometimes distract us from each other.

Help us to receive all the gifts you give us during this vacation with gratitude and reverence.

We pray in the name of God the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit. Amen.

(Your Catholic Family by Jim Merhaut page 273)



*From the Desk of Fr.
Jared*

Trip to the Sight & Sound Theatre

On **Saturday, September 21**, the parish will be traveling to Lancaster, PA to see *Jesus*. This show is an action-packed musical stage adventure that takes you on a miraculous journey alongside Christ and the everyday people whose lives he changed forever. A bus will leave St. Catherine's at 7:30 am for an 11 am show. Following the 2 hour and 30 minute show, we will have a late lunch at *Good 'N Plenty Restaurant* and the bus will return to St. Catherine's at 6 pm. The cost of the trip is \$135 for adults (ages 13 & over) and \$80 for children. This includes transportation, show, and lunch. For tickets, contact Whitney DuBose at 973-586-2777 or email her at queendubose@aol.com.

Bulletin Bloopers (not from St. Catherine's)

The sermon this morning: Jesus Walks on the Water.
The sermon tonight: Searching for Jesus.

Ladies, don't forget the rummage sale. It's a chance to get rid of those things not worth keeping around the house. Bring your husbands.

Don't let worry kill you off - let the Church help.

For those of you who have children and don't know it, we have a nursery downstairs .

Next Thursday there will be tryouts for the choir. They need all the help they can get.

Eight new choir robes are currently needed due to the addition of several new members and to the deterioration of some older ones.

The church will host an evening of fine dining, super entertainment and gracious hostility.

Potluck supper Sunday at 5:00 PM - prayer and medication to follow.

This evening at 7 PM there will be a hymn singing in the park across from the Church. Bring a blanket and come prepared to sin.

Ladies Bible Study will be held Thursday morning at 10 AM. All ladies are invited to lunch in the Fellowship Hall after the BS is done.

The pastor would appreciate it if the ladies of the Congregation would lend him their electric girdles for the pancake breakfast next Sunday.

The eighth-graders will be presenting Shakespeare's Hamlet in the Church basement Friday at 7 PM . The congregation is invited to attend this tragedy.

Weight Watchers will meet at 7 PM at the First Presbyterian Church. Please use large double door at the side entrance.

The Associate Minister unveiled the church's new campaign slogan last Sunday:
"I Upped My Pledge - Up Yours."

Peace,
Fr. Jared



NEWS FROM THE RELIGIOUS EDUCATION OFFICE

Religious Education registration is open for 2019/20. Registration forms were **emailed home via Flocknote**. You can also print out the forms from our website.

In the upcoming 2019/20 school year, the 1st, 2nd and 3rd grades will be using the new format that we introduced with the 1st grade this year, "Class Attached to Mass". It will be offered on Sundays at the 9:30 and 11:30 Masses. This format allows families to make a connection from classroom catechesis to Mass. This year's first grade families said that they loved being at Mass with other families and becoming a part of the St. Catherine community. **I will hold a gathering on September 4 at 7:00 pm to review the format of the "class attached to Mass" for the 1st and 3rd grade parents.**

We look forward to a new year of getting to know our friend Jesus better and His great family.

THE WORK OF ANGELS



St. Catherine's is searching for people like you 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:**

Sunday: Class-Attached-to-Mass

9:30 am and 11:30 am

1st grade – 3 teachers

3rd grade – 4 teachers

Monday: 7:30 pm – 9:00 pm

7th grade – 2 teachers

8th grade – 3 teachers

Tuesday: 7:00 pm – 8:15 pm

6th grade – 1 teacher

Wednesday: 7:30 pm – 9:00 pm

9th grade – 1 teacher

“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 have any formal training to teach and I’ve never taught before.”

Have you ever shown someone else how to make one of your favorite recipes or use a computer program? Have you ever given someone else directions to a destination? If you can answer yes to questions like those, then guess what: you taught someone! Sure, not formally, but you taught them all the same. Our texts come with a variety of activities you can use in each lesson and they give you a hand with how to plan lessons.

I heard a priest once say, “God doesn’t call the qualified; He qualifies the called.” At our parish, we qualify those who are called to the ministry of catechesis by sending you to local workshops on how to teach religion and on the catechism. We often run these classes right here at our parish. You’re not out there on your own; we are here to help you in any way we can.

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

Thanks and God bless,

Lisa Gervasio

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DAME MARIE, HAITI SPONSORSHIP

Thank you for all the sponsorships we have received so far this year, and for your generous donations in last weekend’s special collection. If you would still like to participate in the sponsorship program this year, your \$300 will help support a designated class. Checks should be made payable to *St. Catherine of Siena* and sent to the parish office. **Please return by August 1.** Thank you all for your continued support.



**CYO 2019/20 Basketball Season
registration is OPEN.**

Deadline to register is July 31.

for all boys and girls entering grades 3-8

Registration fee is \$160.00. Forms are available on the parish website www.stcatherine-ml.org. All players new to the program must provide a copy of their birth and baptismal certificates. **Mail registration to Mark Langlois, 8 Magnolia Ln, Boonton Twp, NJ 07005-8808** or contact him @ 973-590-4984 or aspe26@optonline.net for additional information.

Volunteers Needed to help with scheduling, scoring, concessions, registration, and uniform & equipment distribution. Contact Mark for details.

COMPASSIONATE FRIENDS

The Compassionate Friends, a self-help group for bereaved parents, siblings and grandparents, will be meeting on **Thursday, August 8** at St. Christopher Church, 1050 Littleton Rd. (Rt. 202), Parsippany at 7:30 pm in room 101. Program will be, “*Sharing Good Deeds and Good Memories*” (pictures are always welcome). For more information, contact Lily Capriglione 973-568-4164, lilycap@optonline.net

CONTEMPORARY ISSUES SESSIONS

Assumption College for Sisters in Denville is excited to offer programs and courses 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 28 and continuing through Dec 11. **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.

The College is also accepting registration for fall semester Psychology, Theology, and Philosophy courses. Registration deadline is August 1.

Visit www.acs350.org or call 973-957-0188.

CALLING ALL GOLFERS!

Please join the Sisters of Christian Charity on Thursday, September 26 for their **6th Annual Golf Outing** at the beautiful Cedar Hill Golf & Country Club in Livingston. Golfers and sponsors can register online at www.sceast.org/golf-outing or contact Casey Dolan at dev.director@sceast.org or 973-230-5355.

Young Adult Pub Night on the Patio

St. Paul Inside the Walls, 205 Madison Ave, Madison
Wednesday, September 11, 7:30 – 9:00pm

All young adults in their 20’s or 30’s are welcome to attend and bring friends! Visit www.insidethewalls.org for details on this and other events.