

**SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**  
**January 15, 2017**

**LITURGICAL SCHEDULE**

**Saturday – January 14**

8:30 a.m. Unborn Children  
5:00 p.m. Catherine A. Jugan (Anna Elekes)  
Ann Pinckney (M/M C. Merrell)  
Carol Galvin (M/M P. Waldek)  
Daniel Bell

**Sunday – January 15**

8:30 a.m. Vito Liuzza (Fr. Rick)  
10:30 a.m. Frank Ferguson (M/M J. Perna)  
Rose Borchert (Toomb Family)  
Joseph Calabrese (Felicia Biase)

**Monday – January 16**

6:00 p.m. **No Liturgy**

**Tuesday – January 17**

8:30 a.m. Special Intention: Msgr. Joseph  
Ciampaglio-Happy Birthday!  
(Hirma & Irela Ros)

**Wednesday – January 18**

8:30 a.m. **No Liturgy**

**Thursday – January 19**

8:30 a.m. Deceased Parishioners

**Friday – January 20**

8:30 a.m. Parishioners

**Saturday – January 21**

8:30 a.m. Souls in Purgatory  
5:00 p.m. Catherine A. Jugan (Anna Elekes)  
Richard M. Biase (Felicia Biase)  
Frank L. Ferguson (Hirma & Irela Ros)  
Daniel Bell  
Special Intention: Georgina Martino

**Sunday – January 22**

8:30 a.m. Basil Karsko (Fr. Rick)  
10:30 a.m. Protection of Babies in the Womb and  
Their Families  
Jan Prus (Salabaj Family)  
Bertha Owens (Natasha Vega)

**MASS SERVERS**

**January 21 & 22**

**Saturday**

5:00 p.m. Aidan Flores  
Nicholas Sullivan

**Sunday**

8:30 a.m. James Johnson  
Celia O'Toole  
10:30 a.m. Gabriella Sanchez  
Ray Tomaszewski

**VOLUNTEER BINGO WORKERS**

**January 19 – Team #2**

**CAPTAIN:** Donald Hertel  
**TEAM:** Craig Barkhausen, Barbara Broadley,  
Maria Erdmann, Sophie Gryszkowiec,  
Maria Heveran, Bernie McGovern,  
Allwyn Pereira, Mary Ricco, Mary  
Swanick, Anne Wiedman

**THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR**

**Monday**

No Religious Education Classes  
Parish Office Closed  
No 6pm Mass

**Tuesday**

Choir – 7:00pm (Church)  
RCIA – 7pm (Meeting Room)  
CYO Basketball Practice – 6:00pm (Gym)

**Wednesday**

CYO Basketball Practice – 6:00pm (Gym)  
Boy Scouts – 7:30-9:00pm (Connery Hall, Rm 2/4 &  
Gym)

**Thursday**

Bingo – 7:30 – 11:00pm (Connery Hall)

**Friday**

CYO Basketball – 6:00pm (Gym)  
Girl Scout Troop 4360 – 6:00-8:00pm (Connery Hall  
Room 2/4)  
Girl Scout Troop 306- 7:00pm-8:15pm (Connery  
Hall Room 6)  
Friday Night Positive Group –8:15pm (Connery  
Hall, Rooms 2 & 4)

**Saturday**

Scrip on Sale  
CYO Basketball Practice - Gym  
Saturday Night Positive Step meeting – 8:15pm  
(Connery Hall, Rooms 2 & 4)

**Sunday**

Scrip on Sale  
Religious Ed Classes Gr 1-8-9:00am-12:45pm  
(Connery Hall)  
Confirmation Mass & Class-10:30am-12:45pm  
CYO Basketball – 2:00-6:00pm (Gym)  
Girl Scout Troop 320- 4:00-6:00pm (Connery Hall,  
Room 2/4)

**PARISH FINANCES**

The collection for last week was \$3,629.00.  
The collection for the same week last year was  
\$4,323.59.

*“Amen, I say to you, there is no one who has given up . . .  
for my sake and for the sake of the gospel who will not  
receive 100 times more now in this present age . . . and  
eternal life in the age to come.”*

*Mark 10:29,30*

**PLEASE REMEMBER THE SICK & SUFFERING  
IN YOUR PRAYERS**

*Especially, Jose Baez, John Bedell, Gary Bomely,  
Barbara Ciaffone, Deborah Radler, Marion DiVincent,  
Eileen Durborow, Charlie Fleming, Gene Kalyan,  
Anna Kostyk, Eric Lemke, Albert Lusardi, Beth  
O'Meara Mckie, Walter Maguire, Joseph Martino,  
Ernest Moore, Daniel Mulhaul, Kelly Nigro, Kathy  
Noble, Joe Patruno, Patricia Pirmor, Marie Ritzer,  
Mary Shea, Jay Silver, Michaela Winnans, George  
Zeman.*

## FR. RICK'S CORNER

It's hard to believe that the Christmas Season just ended and we are in ordinary time again. We will be in the "green" (vestments) for about 6 weeks and then Lent will begin on March 1<sup>st</sup>.

Time certainly moves quickly as the seasons seem to get shorter the older we get. We should learn to value and make the most out of every day that we can. During this ordinary time between Advent and Lent most of us feel it's time to take a breather between major seasons.

Nothing should be further from the truth. Notice I said "should be" not "could be." That is because we just finished a month or two of shopping for gifts and wrapping them - some being shipped across the country or even overseas. Sending Christmas cards to friends and relatives and attending dinners and parties all through the month, as well as decorating our houses both inside and out.

Let's do the same amount of preparation for the Easter season but in a different way. Let us prepare for Lent by reviewing the last year in honest contemplation. How much time did we spend in prayer? How much of our time was dedicated to helping others and visiting the sick and infirmed? Did we attend Mass every Sunday? Were we prayerful when we were at Mass? Were we kind and forgiving to all family members?

It's time to reflect on the year and prepare to reconcile with our loving Savior during this Lent so that we can have an Easter celebration that is meaningful to us and pleasing to our Lord.

*God Bless,  
Father Rick*



*God is my strength*

## WELCOME TO OUR NEW PARISHIONERS

*With joy we welcome the following new parishioner to our Parish Family. In the months and years ahead we look forward to sharing life and worship with her as we continue our journey of faith.*

**Karen DeMatteo**



## END OF THE YEAR STATEMENT

If you would like your total contribution statement for the end of the year 2016 for tax purposes, please call the Parish Office, 973-366-7095 and we will send it out.

## EVA'S KITCHEN

**Some strong arms are needed to serve stew at Eva's Kitchen on February 12.** In addition, we need people to brown the meat, peel and cut up the potatoes and vegetables. If you are interested in volunteering, **please call Deacon Harry at 973-668-5001.** Sign-up sheets will also be in the **Gathering Area.** Thank you for your help with this important ministry.

## SERVE THE LORD!

### BE A EUCHARISTIC MINISTER

St. Clement is in need of new Eucharistic Ministers. This ministry is open to all individuals who have been confirmed and are at least 16 years of age. Service is a parish commitment. You do not need to visit the hospitals or homebound, but may choose to make this part of your ministry. The schedule, including dates and Masses, can be customized to your needs. Training is just two 1-hour sessions and takes place at your convenience at St. Clement. Please give prayerful thought to serving the parish in this capacity. **If interested, please call Jack Ferguson, 973-361-5925 or the Parish Office, 973-366-7095.**

For information on Religious Education, mass times, events, ministry info, pictures and lots more...

Check out our website at

[www.stclement-rtwp.org](http://www.stclement-rtwp.org)



**ST. CLEMENT  
CYO BASKETBALL  
HOME GAME SCHEDULE**



1/15	2:00PM	JV Girls (B) vs St. Jude
	3:15PM	Varsity Girls (A) vs Holy Family
	4:45PM	JV Boys (A) vs St. Mark
1/22	2:00PM	JV Boys (A) vs Corpus Christi
	3:15PM	JV Girls (A) vs St. Mark
	4:30PM	JV Girls (B) vs Holy Family
1/29	2:00PM	JV Girls (A) OLL
	3:15PM	JV Girls (B) St. Luke
	4:30PM	Varsity Girls (A) St. Therese
	6:00PM	JV Boys (A) St. Peter

**PIZZA NIGHT WITH THE BISHOP**

If you are a young man in high school or college, or even older, come join Bishop Serratelli and priests from the Diocese of Paterson for adoration, reflection, fellowship...and of course, pizza. **The next Pizza Nights will be:**



- Morris Catholic High School, Denville on **Tuesday, January 24, 2017 at 7:00 p.m.**
- DePaul Catholic High School, Wayne on **Tuesday, March 28, 2017 at 7:00 p.m.**
- Quo Vadis Days of Discernment Retreat, Sacred Heart Spirituality Center, Newton from **Wednesday to Friday, June 28-30, 2017**

**2016 BISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL**

*Be Rich in Good Works*

If you have not yet responded to the 2016 Bishop's Annual Appeal, there is still time to do so as the 2016 Appeal funds are used to support ministries and programs through the end of the diocesan fiscal year on June 30, 2017. Your gift is a great blessing and valued so we can serve Christ by serving his people. For your convenience, you can make an online gift at [www.2016appeal.org](http://www.2016appeal.org).

**SCRIP GIFT CARDS ON SALE  
NEXT WEEKEND**



\$25 and \$100 Shop Rite Gift Cards will be on sale next weekend in the Gathering Area after all masses.

**GREETERS NEEDED**



**ARE YOU THE ONE WE NEED?? THERE ARE OTHERS WHO NEED YOU TOO.**

This is the opportunity to really make a difference. The chance to be someone who does more than talk the talk but one who walks the walk.

First impressions are often lasting impressions. When a person steps into a church for the first time, he or she evaluates the atmosphere. He asks himself: "Will they accept me? Will it be easy to make friends? Will my spiritual and personal needs be met? Will it be easy to find my way around? Will my family like it here?"

**Our Commitment:**

God gives gifts or charisms to each one of us to give to others, to build up the kingdom of God. A greeter has been given special abilities to make their ministry effective and build up the body of Christ.

The Greeters provide welcoming faces and points of contact for parishioners and visitors at all the Masses each weekend.

**Time & Training Required:**

Attend an initial 10 minute training. Volunteers are scheduled one to two times per month, (when scheduled: arrive 20 minutes before Mass begins)

**What We Do:**

Greet parishioners prior to services

**Helpful Attributes:**

Warm, friendly, and personable individuals who are committed to volunteering on their scheduled dates. This is a good ministry for families to participate in together.

**If you are interested in becoming a Greeter please contact Irene Byrne at 973-714-1941 or the Parish Office 973-366-7095.**

## RACHEL'S VINEYARD RETREAT

Rachel's Vineyard is a safe place to renew, rebuild, and redeem hearts broken by abortion. Weekend retreats offer a supportive, confidential, and non-judgmental environment where women and men can express, release, and reconcile painful post-abortive emotions and begin the process of restoration, renewal, and healing. A Rachel's Vineyard Retreat will be held from Friday evening, January 27 through Sunday afternoon, January 29, 2017 in the Stirling area. **To register or for more information, contact Marie at (973) 377-1004, ext. 425. All calls will be held in strictest confidence.**



**Come to our Open House on Sunday January 29<sup>th</sup>,  
from 10:15 AM to 12:30 PM**

Divine Mercy Academy in Rockaway is a Catholic elementary school offering a comprehensive Pre-K through 8th grade faith-based education. Our mission is to provide an academically excellent Catholic education, and to instill within our students the virtues of mercy and compassion, forming them as true disciples of Jesus Christ.

Registration for the 2017-2018 school year  
begins during Catholic Schools Week,  
**January 29-February 4<sup>th</sup>.**

## NJ CONSERVATORY BOONTON YOUTH DIVISION PRESENTS WINTER CONCERT

NJ Conservatory's Boonton Youth Choruses will present a winter concert, **Sunday, January 22, 2017, 6:00PM at Denville Community Church**, 190 Diamond Spring Rd., Denville, NJ. Ford Foster will conduct Intermediate Chorus (grades 3-5) and Advanced Chorus (grades 6-11). The adult Chamber Choir, conducted by Edwin Foster, will make a special appearance. Tickets: Adults/\$14, Students/\$7. A limited number of tickets will be available at the door. **Please call Conservatory at 973-402-2004.**

## BLOOD DRIVE

**The Saint Francis Residential Community**, 122 Diamond Spring Road, Denville, NJ; **Wednesday, January 18, 2017; from 1:00 PM to 7:00 PM**, sponsored by the Sunrise Rotary Club of Denville and New Jersey Blood Services

## NEW PARISHIONERS

We welcome all visitors to our parish. If you attend Mass on a regular basis and have not registered, please complete the form below and drop it in the collection basket. We will call to set up an appointment for you to meet with Fr. Rick. If you have a change of address or plan on moving, please complete the form as well.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Phone# (daytime phone #) \_\_\_\_\_

e-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Change of Address \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Moving \_\_\_\_\_

## NEXT WEEKEND'S READINGS

### THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



#### **First Reading: Isaiah 8:23—9:3**

The prophet Isaiah describes the anguish of a conquered people, but he promises that they will triumph and will see a great light as on the "day of Midian."

#### **Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 1:10—13, 17**

Paul speaks to the Corinthians with both anger and indignation because they are quarreling among themselves as to whom they should show allegiance. Some wish to follow Paul; some, Peter; others Apollos; others, Christ.

#### **Gospel: Matthew 4:12-23**

Jesus begins his mission by going to Capernaum, fulfilling the prophecy of Isaiah. He selects Peter, Andrew, James and John as his disciples, inviting them to be "fishers of men."