

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

April 23, 2017

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

Saturday – April 22

- 8:30 a.m. Parishioners
5:00 p.m. Catherine A. Jugan (Anna Elekes)
Buddy & Fanny Esposito (M/M. A.
LaForgia & Family)
Daniel Bell

Sunday – April 23

- 8:30 a.m. Frank Ferguson (Anne Armstrong)
10:30 a.m. Dorothy Galdon-30th Anniv. Of Death
(Bob & Pat)
Paula Liuzza (M/M G. Verhoest)

Monday – April 24

- 6:00 p.m. Msgr. James J. Rugel- 13th Anniv. Of
Death (Parish)

Tuesday – April 25

- 8:30 a.m. Deceased Parishioners

Wednesday – April 26

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

Thursday – April 27

- 8:30 a.m. Juanita Galluzzi (Louise Carter)

Friday – April 28

- 8:30 a.m. Souls in Purgatory

Saturday – April 29

- 8:30 a.m. Unborn Children
5:00 p.m. Joan Day-5th Anniv. Of Death
(M/M J. Perna)
Stephen G. Dickerson- (M/M A.
LaForgia & Family)
Catherine A. Jugan (Anna Elekes)
Daniel Bell

Sunday – April 30

- 8:30 a.m. Catherine D. Lyons (M/M J. Salmon)
10:30 a.m. Marjorie Kennedy (M/M P. Waldek)
Joshua Rivas (Sousa Family)
Nicholas Nassan (Evelyn Romano)

MASS SERVERS

April 29 & 30

Saturday

- 5:00 p.m. Celia O'Toole
Ashley Yeager

Sunday

- 8:30 a.m. Ayden Gomez
Ivan Gomez
10:30 a.m. James Johnson
Gabiella Perna

VOLUNTEER BINGO WORKERS

April 27 – Team #3

- CAPTAIN: Annette Rossi
TEAM: Liz Bender, Marcie Bender, Joe
Salmon, Ginny Salmon, Karen
Grieco, Allwyn Pereira

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

Monday

Religious Education Classes Gr 1-8-4:00-5:15pm
Girl Scout Troop 5128- 7:00-8:15pm (Room 2/4)

Tuesday

Cub Scouts – 6:30pm-8:00pm (Gym)
Choir – 7:30pm (Church)

Wednesday

Boy Scouts – 7:30pm-9:00pm (Room 2/4)
Confirmation Practice

Thursday

Bingo – 5:30pm-11:00pm (Connery Hall)

Friday

Confirmation – 7:30pm (Church)
Girl Scout Troop 306-6-8:30pm (Room 2/4)
Friday Night Positive Group –8:15pm (Rms 2/4)

Saturday

Baptism – 11am (Gathering Area)
Scrip on Sale – After Mass
Saturday Night Positive Step Mtg-8:15pm (Rm 2/4)

Sunday

Scrip on Sale -After Mass
Religious Education Classes Gr 1-6 – 9:00am-
10:30am (Connery Hall)
Girl Scout Troop 4360- 4:00-6:00pm (Room 2/4)

PLEASE REMEMBER THE SICK & SUFFERING IN YOUR PRAYERS

Especially, *Jose Baez, John Bedell, Kevin Bellini, Gary Bomely, Barbara Ciaffone, Marion DiVincent, Eileen Durborow, Frances Ferrara, Gene Kalyan, Anna Kostyk, Susan Lehner, Eric Lemke, Beth O'Meara Mckie, Walter Maguire, Joseph Martino, Daniel Mulhaul, Joseph Nadeau, Kelly Nigro, Kathy Noble, Joe Patrino, Patricia Pirmor, Marie Ritzer, Mary Shea, Jay Silver, Sarah Theil, Michaela Winnans, George Zeman.*

BREAD AND WINE

The Bread and Wine offered this weekend is donated in loving memory of **Albert Lusardi** by Hirma & Irela Ros.

WELCOME VISITORS

We hope you enjoyed celebrating Mass with us. Please come again. If you live in the area and are not part of any worshipping community, we invite you to join us. Our Sunday Liturgies are:

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.

Sunday: 8:30 a.m. 10:30 a.m.

FR. RICK'S CORNER

DIVINE MERCY

In 1930, Sister Faustina received a message of mercy from Our Lord and was told to spread it throughout the world.

She was asked to become the apostolate and secretary of God's mercy, a model of how to be merciful to others and an instrument for reemphasizing God's plan of mercy.

God asked St. Faustina to encourage all to recite the chaplet of mercy and said that whoever recites this chaplet at the hour of their death will receive great mercy from Him.

He also added that when people say this chaplet in the presence of the dying, He will stand between the Father and the dying person – not as judge, but as a merciful Savior and priests should recommend this chaplet to sinners as their last hope of salvation.

Jesus ends with the fact that he will grant unimaginable graces to those souls who trust in His mercy and that through the chaplet, we will obtain everything of what we ask for if it is compatible with His will.

In closing, it was 1933 when God gave Sister Faustina a striking vision of His mercy and Sister tells us:

"I saw a great light, with God the Father in the midst of it. Between this light and the earth I saw Jesus nailed to the cross and in such a way that God, wanting to look upon the earth, had to look through Our Lord's wounds and I understood that God blessed the earth for the sake of Jesus."

We should be forever thankful for God's mercy.

*God Bless,
Father Rick*



DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY APRIL 23rd



We will be celebrating **Divine Mercy Sunday** on **April 23, 2017**. Devotions will begin at **3:00pm** in the Church. There will be benediction and recitation of the Chaplet of Divine Mercy. A plenary indulgence can be attained by attending this service and receiving Holy Communion at one of the Sunday masses or the Vigil Mass on Saturday at 5:00pm.

EVA'S KITCHEN

Deacon Harry is in need of volunteers to serve the food at Eva's Kitchen on May 7, as well as cook elbow macaroni and chop onions. If you are interested in volunteering, there are sign-up sheets on the table in the Gathering Area. If you have any questions, please call Deacon Harry, 973-668-5001.

CONFIRMATION

APRIL 28 AT 7:30 P.M.

Friday evening, April 28, Bishop Arthur J. Serratelli will be here to celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation with our students and families. You are welcome to join us for this holy and joyous occasion. Please keep our students and families in your prayers.

Confirmed in Christ

BAPTISM

Our Parish Family welcomes through the Sacrament of Baptism **Aidan Robert Capuano** to our Parish community. We extend our congratulations to his parents and Godparents, and promise our prayerful support.



EASTER FLOWERS



The following parishioners donated towards the Easter Flowers:.

Donated by

M/M F. DeAngelis
M/M J. DiDonato

M/M A. Jacko
Angela Cavalli
Dorothy Mathews
M/M P. Samuels

In Memory of/ Special Intention

DiDonato & McGowan
Family

Jacko & LaRocca Family
Jamie Suters

CAMP VERITAS 2017

Camp Veritas is a one-week play-and-pray sleep away summer camp for teens going into 7th to 12th grades. It will be held at three USA locations in 2017; **July 16-22 at Mount Saint Mary College in Newburgh, NY, July 23-29 at Summit Lake Camp in Emmitsburg, MD and August 13-19 at Camp Lakota in Wurtsboro, NY.** Enrollment opens 1/1/17 and the enrollment price for each week is \$450 per camper. There is no additional charge for the dance and basketball program options (at Mount Saint Mary College only). Volunteers (must be over 18 years old) are needed and free! **More details can be found at www.campveritas.com.**

ATTENTION PARENTS OF STUDENTS ENTERING GRADE 1

Do you have a child who will be attending **first grade** in September? In order for your child to receive First Eucharist in second grade, the **Diocese requires that he/she attend a two year program for sacramental preparation.** Please register your child for Grade 1 in the St. Clement Religious Education program so that he/she will be prepared to receive the Lord Jesus. **If you have any questions, please call 973-366-7547.**

Thank you!



Divine Mercy
Jesus, I trust in You

BAPTISM

Parents are urged to begin preparation for the celebration of the Sacrament during the time of pregnancy. If this is your first child being baptized, you must attend a **Baptismal Prep Class**. Please call or email the Parish Office to set-up an appointment.

Baptism is celebrated on the second Sunday of the month. Please contact the Parish Office to make arrangements.

THANK YOU! CRS RICE BOWL

Our community changed lives this Lent, and CRS Rice Bowl wants to say thank you! Don't forget to turn in your CRS Rice Bowl.



PILGRIMAGE TO FATIMA AND SOUTHERN SPAIN

Bishop Serratelli will be the Spiritual Director of a trip this summer to *Fatima and Southern Spain*. The Pilgrimage will celebrate the 100th Anniversary of the Apparitions in Fatima and then continue on to Spain. The Pilgrimage will be from July 16 to 24.

For more information or to make reservations, please contact Great Experiences at 201-825-3725 or email them at.

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

Check out our website at

www.stclement-rtwp.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.

VOCATIONS DISCERNMENT FOR YOUNG MEN 15-25.

“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 will include prayer, Mass, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, Liturgy of the Hours, Rosary, games, sports, talks, great food, and discussions. It is a time to share our faith and meet other young men seeking God's will. Quo Vadis Days will be held June 27- 29, 2017 at the Sacred Heart Retreat Center in Newton, New Jersey. There is no cost. **For more information and/or registration, contact the coordinators Fr. Edgar Rivera and Fr. Luis Hernandez in the Vocations Office at (973) 7778818, ext. #711, by email: fredgar@patersondiocese.org.**

NEW CATHOLIC TELEVISION PROGRAM

Be inspired by a new Catholic television program for every day living that will motivate you to achieve your hopes and dreams as you live a life of power, freedom and purpose. It provides practical ways of living life to the fullest and helping you make faith a part of your daily life. Bruce Downs *The Catholic Guy* Television program is seen by millions of people whose lives have been changed by his down-to-earth approach. Direct TV Ch 371, DISH Ch 258, AT&TU-Verse Ch 565, Verizon Fios Ch 288 8:30am. For more info go to BruceDownesTheCatholicGuy.com where you can watch the program daily.

ST. PAUL'S INSIDE THE WALLS

Catholicism from Scratch—Making Sense: Questions about the Eucharist A course in basic Catholicism for those who need a brush-up, those who missed it the first time around, or those who never heard it before. Fr. Paul Manning, presenter. **Madison, Saturday, April 29 from 10:00 a.m.-noon**

Being Single, Being Faithful (35+) Whether single by choice or by circumstance, we must live every “single” day to the fullest. We can find fulfillment in Christ and his Church by embracing the opportunities in the Church for spiritual growth, meaningful service and a sense of community.

Madison, Saturday, May 13 from 10:00 a.m.-noon

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 OF EASTER



First Reading: Acts 2:14, 22-33

After the Holy Spirit descends upon the apostles, Peter preaches with great enthusiasm to both Jews and Christians. He recalls for them in vivid terms the miracles and wonders that Jesus performed.

Second Reading: 1 Peter 1:17-21

Peter makes reference to the Passover, when the Jews escaped from Egypt because the blood of the paschal lamb was shed. Now they are being saved from sin by the blood of Christ, the Lamb of the New Testament.

Gospel: Luke 24:13-35

Jesus reveals Himself to two disciples on the way to Emmaus. After explaining to them the passages in Scripture which referred to Him, Christ “took bread, broke it, and distributed it to them.” Then they recognized Christ and their “hearts burned within them.”