

THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

May 27, 2018

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

Saturday – May 26

- 8:30 a.m. Bob Mollahan-12th Anniv. Of Death (Mom)
5:00 p.m. Michael Baltés (M/M P. Waldek)
Daniel Bell
Michael LaRocca (M/M A. Jacko)

Sunday – May 27

- 8:30 a.m. Mr. & Mrs. John Maguire Anniversary
(M/M R. Maguire)
Grace & Harold Sellier (M/M Porretta)
10:30 a.m. Catherine A. Jugan (Anna Elekes)
Magdalena Lobe (M/M E. Hutter)
Marie Ritzer (Catholic Daughters
Court 881)

Monday – May 28

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

Tuesday – May 29

- 8:30 a.m. John O'Connell & Family (Dorothy
Mathews)

Wednesday – May 30

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

Thursday – May 31

- 8:30 a.m. Mary Ronan (Bingo Workers)

Friday – June 1

- 8:30 a.m. Maria Julia Silva (M/M G. DaSilva)
Francis Ferrara (Hirma & Irela Ros)

Saturday – June 2

- 8:30 a.m. Kathy LePore (Margaret McGinley)
5:00 p.m. Catherine A. Jugan (Anna Elekes)
Olivia Carifo (Beverly Insull)
Carmen Menio (Felicia Biase)

Sunday – June 3

- 8:30 a.m. Ellie & Max Posencheg Anniversary
(M/M R. Maguire)
Daniel Bell
10:30 a.m. Protection of Babies in the Womb &
Their Families (Carmen Liuzza)
Grace Marchese (Irene Byrne)

MASS SERVERS

June 2 & 3

Saturday

- 5:00 p.m. Kiara Lorenzo
Lucas Pallito

Sunday

- 8:30 a.m. Samantha Carroll
Lauren Delle
10:30 a.m. Mario DiSanza
Adam Yeager

VOLUNTEER BINGO WORKERS

May 31 – Team 2

CAPTAIN: Donald Hertel

TEAM: Craig Barkhausen, Barbara Broadley, Bernie
McGovern, Karen Grieco, Allwyn Pereira, Kathy
Tarr, Anne Wiedman

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

Monday

No 6pm Mass
Parish Office Closed

Tuesday

Cub Scouts: 6:30-8:00pm (Gym)

Wednesday

Boy Scouts: 7-9:15pm (Rooms 2,4,6)

Thursday

Bingo: 5:30-10pm (Gym)

Friday

Cub Scouts: 6:30-8pm (Rms 1,2,3,4,6)
NJ Fly Basketball: 7pm (Gym)
Friday Night Positive Group: 8:15pm (Rms 2/4)

Saturday

Corpus Christi Food Collection: After Mass
Unico Beefsteak Dinner: 6pm (Connery Hall)
Saturday Night Positive Step: 8:15pm (Rm 2/4)

Sunday

Wedding: 2pm (Church)

PARISH FINANCES

The collection for last week was \$4,627.00

The collection for last year at this time was \$3,575.00

"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, Kevin Bellini, Gary Bomely, Barbara Ciaffone, Maria Cicchino, Marion DiVincent, Eileen Durborow, Gene Kalyan, Fannie Karsai, Anna Kostyk, Susan Lehner, Eric Lemke, Carmen Liuzza, Jr., Beth O'Meara Mckie, Walter Maguire, Eden Malone, Joseph Martino, Dorothy Mathews, Daniel Mulhaul, Joseph Nadeau, Kelly Nigro, Kathy Noble, Mary O'Neil, Joe Patruno, Patricia Pirmor, Robert Schaefer, Mary Shea, Jay Silver, Sarah Theil, Michaela Winnans, George Zeman.*

PLEASE NOTE

There will be no 6:00pm Mass this Monday, May 28th and the Parish Office will be closed in observance of Memorial Day.

FATHER RICK'S CORNER

HOLY TRINITY SUNDAY

Today we contemplate the central mystery of our faith, the Blessed Trinity. It is the ineffable mystery of God's own inner life and the source of all gifts and graces.

In His infinitely wise providence, God gradually revealed His inmost being to all humankind. In the Old Testament, He makes known His oneness and His complete transcendence from the world as it's Creator and Lord. We learn that God, unlike the world, is uncreated. That is, He is not limited in space (He is immense) or in time (He is eternal) and that His power knows no limit (He is omnipotent.)

It is Christ who reveals to us the inner workings of the Trinitarian mystery in all its fullness and calls us to participate in it. It is He who speaks to us of the co-existence of the Holy Spirit with the Father, who sends the Spirit to all churches to sanctify them until the end of time; and it is He who reveals to us the perfect oneness of life in the Three Divine Persons.

The mystery of the Trinity is the starting point of all revealed truth and the fountain from which proceeds supernatural life. We are children of the Father, brothers and sister and co-heirs with the Son and continually sanctified by the Holy Spirit to make us resemble Christ more and more. As such, we are living temples of the Blessed Trinity.

Let us consider what J. Escriva in his book *The Forge* says about the 3 persons of the Trinity:

"God is my Father. If you meditate on it you will never let go of this consoling thought. Jesus is my dear friend (another thrilling discovery) who loves me with all the divine madness of His heart. The Holy Spirit is my counselor, who guides my every step along the road. Consider this often: you are God's and God is yours."

God Bless,
Father Rick



CORPUS CHRISTI FOOD DRIVE

June 2 & 3

Due to the unprecedented request for assistance from our Diocesan Catholic Charities' Food Pantries, and in order to fulfill our obligation to help the poor, the 5th Annual Corpus Christi Diocesan-wide Catholic Charities Food Collection will take place on the weekend of June 2 & 3, 2018.

Every parish in the Diocese is being asked to bring assorted food products on that day. **Saint Clement Parish has been asked to provide paper towels and any kind of beans (for example: wax beans, green beans, pork & beans, bags of beans).**

This collection, sponsored and managed by Catholic Charities, will directly assist those most in need by supplying Catholic Charities food pantries, as well as parish food pantries.

Monetary donations will also be accepted (Please make your checks payable to Saint Clement). You can drop off your donations on the weekend of June 2 & 3 in the Gathering Space when you come to Church. Members of the Caring & Sharing team will be there to assist you. Thank you for helping those in need.

Irene Byrne

EVA'S KITCHEN

Deacon Harry is in need of volunteers to serve the food at Eva's Kitchen on June 24th, as well as cook elbow macaroni. If you are interested in volunteering, there is a sign-up sheet on the table in the Gathering Area. If you have any questions, please call Deacon Harry, 973-668-5001.

SECOND COLLECTION NEXT WEEKEND

The second collection, which will be taken next weekend, June 2 & 3 for our Diocesan Assessment. We thank you for your generosity in this second collection.

THANK YOU!

Thank you all for your continued support of our monthly food collection. We support local food pantries as well as our local families each month. Your generosity helps make that possible and I thank you.

Special thanks to Bob Galdon who helps transport the food to the pantries. I also want to thank John and Chris O'Connor and Andy and Mary Ann Jacko for their continued help and dedication to this program. We are so blessed to have such a supportive and generous parish.

Irene Byrne

BAPTISM

Our Parish Family welcomes through the Sacrament of Baptism **Declyn Rian Fritts** and **Savannah Ramirez-Reyes** to our Parish community. We extend our congratulations to their parents and Godparents and promise our prayerful support.



SUMMER HOURS



The Parish Office will close at Noon on Fridays from June 1st through August 31st. Have a great Summer!

St. Clement Pope & Martyr Church is on Facebook!

Visit our website at www.stclement-rtwp.org and

click on the Facebook link at the top of the home page. "Like us" to receive updates on events, changes in the mass schedule, weather related information, Religious Education information and much more.



PROTECTING GOD'S CHILDREN

"If any person may have been abused by any priest, they should immediately contact their local County Prosecutor's Office and the Diocese's Victims Assistance Coordinator: Peggy Zanello at 973-879-1489. You may also be in touch with either of the Diocesan Response Officers: Rev. Msgr. James T. Mahoney, Vicar General and Moderator of the Curia, 973-777-8818 Ext. 205 or Sister Joan Daniel Healy, S.C.C., Chancellor/Delegate for Religious, 973-777-8818 Ext. 248.

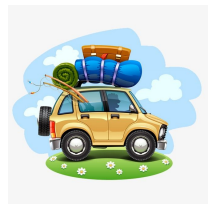
The entire text of the Policy of the Diocese of Paterson in Response to Complaints of Sexual Abuse is available on the diocesan Web site: www.patersondiocese.org."



Please consider spending some time with Our Lord. **St. Clement has Eucharistic Adoration on the First Friday of every month from 9am to 1pm.** Please come spend an hour or just come for a short visit. There is a sign-up sheet in the Gathering Area.

TRAVELING THIS SUMMER?

Visit www.MassTimes.org to get local Mass times. You can also get the Mass Times app for your I-Phone. Search: "Mass Times for Travel" in the App Store.



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

The St. Clement Religious Education Program is in need of catechists and assistants beginning in September on **Sundays from 9am-10:15am and Mondays from 4pm-5:15pm.**

Please contact the Religious Education office for more information. No experience necessary! Call: 973-366-7547 or dreparish@stclement-rtwp.org



VOCATIONS DISCERNMENT

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, 2018** at the Saint Mary's Abbey Retreat Center in Morristown, New Jersey. There is no cost. **For more information and/or registration, contact the coordinators Fr. Edgar Rivera and David Monteleone in the Vocations Office at (973) 777-8818, ext. #711, by email: revedgar@patersondiocese.org.**

RECOVERY MASS

The Shrine of Saint Joseph, 1050 Long Hill Road, Stirling, NJ, hosts a monthly Recovery Mass on the second Saturday of each month from 12:00-1:30 p.m. Following Mass, there is an Intercessory Prayer Session in the chapel where you can pray in community for loved ones still enslaved by addictions, and give thanks for those who have found recovery. For more information, call 973-370-DRUG (3784).

TOUR OF THE ALPINE COUNTRIES WITH BISHOP SERRATELLI

Bishop Serratelli will be the spiritual director for a tour of the Alpine countries of Switzerland, Austria and Germany from July 8 to 17, 2018. Reservations are limited. For a brochure and information, contact Great Experiences at 201-825-3725 or by email at Anne@greatexperiencesnj.com.

ST. MARY'S PREP - DENVILLE

When you want something more - come visit St. Mary's Prep in Denville. Registration is taking place for Grades Pre-K- Grade 8. Call 973-627-2602 to make an appointment to tour the school.

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:

THE MOST HOLY BODY & BLOOD OF CHRIST (Corpus Christi)



First Reading: Exodus 24:3-8

Moses explained to the people the commandments he had received from God. Upon hearing them, the entire community immediately agreed they would do as God had told them. Moses then sacrificed young bulls and sprinkled the people with their blood, calling it the blood of the covenant they had made.

Second Reading: Hebrews 9:11-15

Jesus did not offer God the blood of sacrifices, but instead he offered up his own blood to cleanse all people of the transgressions they had committed under the first covenant with God. Christ instead brought a new covenant, which, if kept, would lead to eternal life.

Gospel: Mark 14:12-16, 22-26

Jesus sent two of his disciples to prepare the Passover supper. During the meal he blessed bread and offered it to them saying, "This is my body." He then offered them wine and called it his blood, "the blood of the covenant, to be poured out