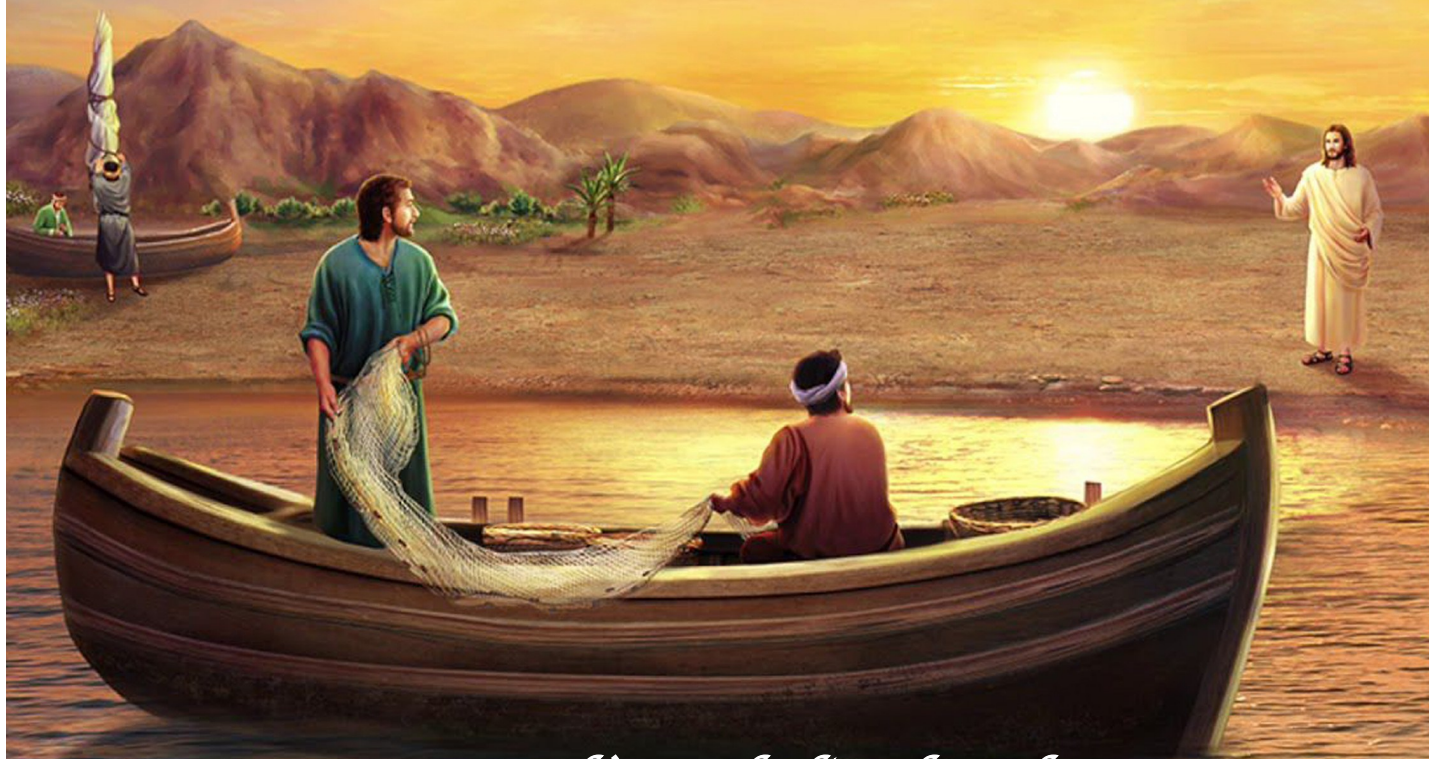


Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

January 22, 2023

*Come*  
AFTER ME &  
*I will make you*  
FISHERS  
*of Men.*

MATTHEW 4:19



*St. Mark's Catholic Church*

*Rev. Msgr. Sean P. Flynn, Pastor*  
*Fr. Carlos Castilla, Parochial Vicar*  
*Deacon Michael Keary*



### Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Lectionary: 67

#### Reading 1

**Is 8:23—9:3**

First the Lord degraded the land of Zebulun and the land of Naphtali; but in the end he has glorified the seaward road, the land west of the Jordan, the District of the Gentiles.

Anguish has taken wing, dispelled is darkness:  
for there is no gloom where but now there was distress.  
The people who walked in darkness  
have seen a great light;  
upon those who dwelt in the land of gloom  
a light has shone.  
You have brought them abundant joy  
and great rejoicing,  
as they rejoice before you as at the harvest,  
as people make merry when dividing spoils.  
For the yoke that burdened them,  
the pole on their shoulder,  
and the rod of their taskmaster  
you have smashed, as on the day of Midian.

#### Responsorial Psalm

**Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14**

R. (1a) The Lord is my light and my salvation.

The LORD is my light and my salvation;  
whom should I fear?  
The LORD is my life's refuge;  
of whom should I be afraid?  
R. The Lord is my light and my salvation.  
One thing I ask of the LORD;  
this I seek:  
To dwell in the house of the LORD  
all the days of my life,

That I may gaze on the loveliness of the LORD  
and contemplate his temple.  
R. The Lord is my light and my salvation.  
I believe that I shall see the bounty of the LORD  
in the land of the living.  
Wait for the LORD with courage;  
be stouthearted, and wait for the LORD.  
R. The Lord is my light and my salvation.

#### Reading 2

**1 Cor 1:10-13, 17**

I urge you, brothers and sisters, in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ,  
that all of you agree in what you say,  
and that there be no divisions among you,  
but that you be united in the same mind and in the same purpose.  
For it has been reported to me about you, my brothers and sisters,  
by Chloe's people, that there are rivalries among you.  
I mean that each of you is saying,  
"I belong to Paul," or "I belong to Apollos,"  
or "I belong to Cephas," or "I belong to Christ."  
Is Christ divided?  
Was Paul crucified for you?  
Or were you baptized in the name of Paul?  
For Christ did not send me to baptize but to preach the gospel,  
and not with the wisdom of human eloquence,  
so that the cross of Christ might not be emptied of its meaning.

#### Alleluia

**Mt 4:23**

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

Jesus proclaimed the Gospel of the kingdom  
and cured every disease among the people.  
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#### Gospel

**Mt 4:12-23 or 4:12-17**

When Jesus heard that John had been arrested, he withdrew to Galilee.

He left Nazareth and went to live in Capernaum by the sea,  
in the region of Zebulun and Naphtali, that what had been  
said through Isaiah the prophet might be fulfilled:

*Land of Zebulun and land of Naphtali,  
the way to the sea, beyond the Jordan,  
Galilee of the Gentiles,  
the people who sit in darkness have seen a great light,  
on those dwelling in a land overshadowed by death  
light has arisen.*

From that time on, Jesus began to preach and say, "Repent,  
for the kingdom of heaven is at hand."

As he was walking by the Sea of Galilee, he saw two brothers, Simon who is called Peter, and his brother Andrew, casting a net into the sea; they were fishermen. He said to them, "Come after me, and I will make you fishers of men." At once they left their nets and followed him. He walked along from there and saw two other brothers, James, the son of Zebedee, and his brother John. They were in a boat, with their father Zebedee, mending their nets. He called them, and immediately they left their boat and their father and followed him. He went around all of Galilee, teaching in their synagogues, proclaiming the gospel of the kingdom, and curing every disease and illness among the people.





### Rectory Hours

Monday-Friday 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM

### Weekend Masses

Saturday 4:30 PM

Sunday 8 AM, 10 AM, and 12 Noon  
5PM in Spanish

### Daily Masses

**Holy Rosary and Divine Mercy Chaplet after Daily Masses**

Monday-Friday at 7:30 AM and 11 AM

Saturday 7:30 AM Only (No 11 AM Mass on Saturdays)

### Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays 3:30 PM to 4:15 PM and

Thursdays after the 7:30 AM and 11 AM Masses

### Devotions and Novenas

**Miraculous Medal Novena** after daily Masses on Wednesdays

**Eucharistic Adoration** on Fridays after 7:30 AM Mass.

**Benediction** at 10:45 PM

**1st Fridays Spanish Adoration** beginning at 7 PM.

### Rectory Office 732-449-6364

**Bulletin** Ext. 114

**Pastoral Council** Ext. 116

**Religious Education** Ext. 105

**Social Concerns** Ext. 108

**Spanish Ministry** Ext. 105

**Weddings** Ext. 100

### Ministries

**Altar Rosary Society** 732-282-1244

**Bereavement Ministry** 718-637-1162

**CYO** 732-685-6011

**Music Ministry** 908-415-0212

**Rosary Makers** 732-245-8405

**Thank You!** We are so grateful to all those who financially sacrifice each week to support our parish and it's ministries!

We would especially like to thank all of those who faithfully use their weekly parish contribution envelopes and those who give online through the Parish Giving Program.

**January 15, 2023 Sunday Collection Total \$10,247.**



**Please Note:** Names will remain on the sick list read at mass for 4 weeks and then removed unless the requester calls to remain on the list for another 4 weeks. To ensure the consent of the person whose name appears here, the pastor's policy requires that only they or a family member may request a name be added to this list. Names will remain in the bulletin until the person or family request it be removed.

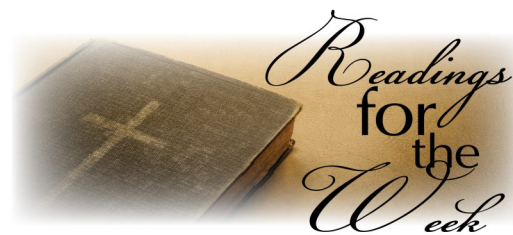
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Eternal Rest grant onto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them.

*Please remember in your prayers those of our diocese, parish, friends, and family members who have recently died.*

† Joseph J. Moran, Jr.

May the angels lead you into paradise.



### January 22, 2023

**Monday:** Heb 9:15, 24-28; Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4, 5-6; Mk 3:22-30, or any of a number of readings for the Day of Prayer

**Tuesday:** Heb 10:1-10; Ps 40:2, 4ab, 7-8a, 10, 11; Mk 3:31-35

**Wednesday:** Acts 22:3-16 or Acts 9:1-22; Ps 117:1bc, 2; Mk 16:15-18

**Thursday:** 2 Tm 1:1-8 or Ti 1:1-5; Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 7-8a, 10; Mk 4:21-25

**Friday:** Heb 10:32-39; Ps 37:3-4, 5-6, 23-24, 39-40; Mk 4:26-34

**Saturday:** Heb 11:1-2, 8-19; Lk 1:69-70, 71-72, 73-75; Mk 4:35-41

**Sunday:** Zep 2:3; 3:12-13; Ps 146:6-7, 8-9, 9-10; 1 Cor 1:26-31; Mt 5:1-12a

## † This Week's Mass Intentions

### Monday, January 23

**7:30 AM**

† Barbara Heidle by Estate

**11:00 AM**

† Lawrence W. Keary by Deacon Mike & Sandra Keary

### Tuesday, January 24

**7:30 AM**

† Julia Buonocore by Family

† Anne Macenczak by Estate

**11:00 AM**

† Margaret Mary Checton by Marie & John Checton

† Joan Garetano by Mr. and Mrs. Anthony P. Randazzo, Jr.

### Wednesday, January 25

**7:30 AM**

† Carol Treger by Estate

† Joan Enright by Estate

† Kathryn McGovern by Leo and Irene Hurley

**11:00 AM**

† Joe Turchyn by John and Maria Checton

† Jim Kemper by Marybeth & Joe Walsh

### Thursday, January 26

**7:30 AM**

† Dorothy Wright by Family

† Rita Regenye by Jack Regenye

**11:00 AM**

† Anne Keary by Deacon Mike & Sandra Keary

Marlene Marturano by Jeanne Vecchione

### Friday, January 27

**7:30 AM**

† Colette Casey by Estate

† Loretta Jordan by Estate

**11:00 AM**

† Donald Valentine by Pat and Joe Gallagher

James Cashman by Laraine Cashman

### Saturday, January 28

**7:30 AM**

† Joseph J. Moran, Jr. by Saint Mark's Parish Family

**4:30 PM**

† Andy Burt by Jim and Joleen Lemke & Family

† Lydia Schwartz by Janet Doliner

† William Sitty by Marianne Schobel

### Sunday, January 29

**8:00 AM**

People of the Parish

**10:00 AM**

† Thomas Albin Sr. by Kathleen & Tom Albin

† Tina Fennan by Terri and Joe O'Connor and Family

† Mary Jane Lorenzo by Marianne and Jim Sheridan

**12 Noon**

† Antonia "Nina" DiStefano by Family

† Jimmy Azzollini by Jack Cancalosi

† Steven Vitale by Catherine & John Luthin

**5:00 PM**

† Isidro Perez by Family

† Edith Garcia Gutierrez by Avila- Baltazar Family

† Alberto Espinoza by Espinoza Family



**DIOCESAN YOUTH CONFERENCE**

"then your light shall break forth like the dawn."  
Isaiah 60:1-2

**SATURDAY  
02.04.23**

DONOVAN CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL  
711 HOOPER AVE, TOMS RIVER, NJ 08753  
**10AM-6PM**

Advanced Registration \$25  
ENDS 1/30 (TO GUARANTEE A FREE T-SHIRT REGISTER BY 1/23)

Walk-in Registration \$35

REGISTRATION & MORE INFO AT  
[WWW.DOTYOUTH.ORG/DYC](http://WWW.DOTYOUTH.ORG/DYC)

"The Diocesan Youth Conference is a gathering for ALL teens in the 8 - 12th grades of the Diocese of Trenton. It is an exciting day filled with great music, powerful talks, fun service projects and more! Most importantly it is a chance to connect with other Catholics teens beyond your parish or school and grow in your faith!

Please contact Mrs. Diana Zuna for more information.  
[diana@stmarkseagirt.com](mailto:diana@stmarkseagirt.com)  
(732) 449-6364 ext. 105

## Next Weekend's Ministry Schedule

**January 28/29, 2023**

	<b>Saturday 4:30 PM</b>	<b>Sunday 8:00 AM</b>	<b>Sunday 10:00 AM</b>	<b>Sunday 12 Noon</b>
<b>Celebrant</b>	Msgr. Flynn	Msgr. Flynn	Msgr. Flynn	Fr. Jose
<b>Readers</b>	Colleen Rivera	Peggy Hardiman	Robert Cavazini	Bob Cicenla
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	Maria Checton Pat Holt	Anna Nuzzi Pat Scatuorchio	Dolores Linqinto Eileen Sugrue	Marge Loenser Helen Hopkins
<b>Ushers</b>	Joe Walsh Walter Henry Anthony Granato	Bob O'Neill, Leo Hurley, Pat Ahern, Glenn Skola	Rich Siderko Jim Sheridan	Howard Flood Richard DeGroote



**St. Mark's Bereavement Ministry:** Our Bereavement Ministry helps those who are grieving the loss of a loved one during their most difficult times. They meet on Wednesdays at 11 AM at St. Mark's.

**Please call Sue Nolan at 718-637-1162 for more information.** All are welcome!

**Rosary Makers** will meet on **Monday, January 23rd** at **1 PM** in Fr. Child's Hall (St. Mark's basement). As always, we welcome anyone interested in making rosaries as well as our faithful rosary makers.

*"With the Rosary, we continually raise a song of love from earth. In the excessive materialism of our life, it is a bright cloud of spirituality, rising from every home and every heart".* Servant of God, Fr. Dolindo Ruotolo (1882-1970).

**Questions? Contact Maria Checton at 732-245-8405) or [mgchection@gmail.com](mailto:mgchection@gmail.com).**

**St. Marks Altar Rosary Society** will be praying the **Rosary for Life on Monday, January 23rd** after the **11 AM Mass** in Thanksgiving for the overturning of Roe versus Wade and for the continued defense of the unborn. **Please join us As we continue to pray for life.**



**Retrouvaille**  
... a lifeline for Marriages

### **Retrouvaille and Marriage Encounter Weekend February 3 – 5, 2023**

**Stress In Your Marriage?**

- Do you feel lost, alone or bored in your marriage?
- Are you frustrated, hurt or angry with your spouse?
- Have you thought about separation or divorce?
- Does talking about it only make it worse?

RETROUVAILLE consists of a weekend experience for married couples (no group discussions) with six follow-up sessions. All inquiries are confidential. For more information, **contact Rich Colasuonno 732-236-0671 or Annette Colasuonno 732-672-0748 or email [3024@helpourmarriage.org](mailto:3024@helpourmarriage.org).**

## PLEASE NOTE:

# Eucharistic



# Adoration

**The Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament on Friday now begins immediately following the 7:30 AM Mass and concludes with Benediction at 10:45 AM before the 11 AM Mass.**

The importance of Eucharistic Adoration is shown in the fact that the Church has a ritual that regulates it: the Rite of Eucharistic Exposition and Benediction. This is an extension of the adoration of the Blessed Sacrament which occurs in every Mass: "Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the world. Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb." Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament flows from the sacrifice of the Mass and serves to deepen our hunger for Communion with Christ and the rest of the Church. The Rite concludes with the ordained minister blessing the faithful with the Blessed Sacrament.

Please join us on Friday's immediately after the 7:30 AM Mass for Adoration. Benediction begins at 10:45 AM. It will also be broadcast on livestream @ [stmarkseagirt.com](https://stmarkseagirt.com). Come spend some quiet time with the Lord.



## Feeding the Hungry



### Frozen Meals Program Resumes!

Are you looking for an easy way to help those in need? Here's one way you can make a difference. St. Mark's Social Concerns Ministry is resuming the Frozen Meals Program for the Center in Asbury Park which was discontinued due to the Covid pandemic. The Center in Asbury Park, Inc., is a volunteer-based New Jersey not-for-profit service organization, providing support services for people living with HIV/AIDS and their caregivers since 1992.

The process is simple! Here's what to do:

- Pick up food trays and lids next to the kitchen refrigerator in Fr. Child's Hall (St. Mark's Church basement)
- Fill the trays with generous portions of food
- Label the tray lids with the contents and date of preparation
- Return the meals to the freezer compartment of the refrigerator in Fr. Child's Hall.

**Please use only the trays provided.**

St Mark's volunteers will deliver the meals to The Center for distribution to their clients.

**Please contact Marybeth or Joe Walsh at 732 449-5656 with any questions. Your participation is greatly appreciated.**

### Collecting Travel Size Toiletries

St. Mark's Social Concerns Committee is collecting travel size toiletry items (soap, shampoos, toothpaste, toothbrushes, combs etc.) for delivery by volunteers to those in need in the Asbury Park area. Containers are located at Church entrances. **Thank you!**



### IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

**January 22: CYO meeting at 7:30 PM.**

**January 23: St. Marks Altar Rosary Society will be praying the Rosary for Life after the 11 AM Mass.**

**January 23: Rosary Makers will meet at 1 PM in Fr. Child's Hall, St. Mark's basement.**



**IF ONE MEMBER SUFFERS,  
ALL THE MEMBERS SUFFER WITH IT;  
IF ONE MEMBER IS HONORED,  
ALL THE MEMBERS SHARE ITS JOY.**



**MEALS ON WHEELS**  
MONMOUTH COUNTY  
TOGETHER, WE CAN DELIVER.

Homebound seniors can remain comfortably at home with the dignity of independence and the security of having someone visit once a day with a nutritious meal. Also, the warm smile of one of our wonderful volunteers or caring meals-on-wheels drivers is important to them and often serves as a wellness check.

**If you would like more information, please call Meals on Wheels 732-502-3277 or Barbara Anderson 848-444-3123.**



**Mercy Center**

Empower • Enrich • Educate

### UPDATE!

**Canned fruit • Cereal • Juices • Diapers and Wipes  
Coffee and Tea Condiments • Toilet Paper Toiletries  
(The Dollar Tree is a great source for these).**

**Thank you for your continued generosity.**

## Spring Fundraiser In Support of Food Justice at Trinity's Saturday Soup Community Meal



**When:** Friday, February 3rd at 6:30pm

**Where:** Spring Lake Community House Theater  
300 Madison Ave, Spring Lake, NJ 07762

**What:** The Theater donates all their seats to Food Justice at Trinity, which currently serves 40,000 meals a year, provides case workers to work with our community, and does community organizing for justice in Asbury Park. Tickets are a minimum donation of \$30, but people are welcome to donate more per ticket.

**Raffle and Coffee Desert Reception:** Starting at 6:30pm.

There will be a raffle of great gift certificates and food from your favorite establishments.

For Tickets contact Diana Zuna: (732) 449-6364 ext. 105

A SPECIAL INVITATION FOR ANYONE INVOLVED IN MUSIC MINISTRY  
Choirs, Cantors, Music Directors, Music Ministers,  
Band Directors, Musicians, etc.

AN EVENING WITH  
**STEVE ANGRISANO**  
[WWW.STEVEANGRISANO.COM](http://WWW.STEVEANGRISANO.COM)

**MUSIC MINISTRY  
WORKSHOP**

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 3RD, 2023  
St. Joseph Roman Catholic Church  
685 Hooper Ave  
Toms River, NJ 08753  
(in the Church)

7:00 PM – 7:30 PM  
Meet & Greet with Steve

7:30 PM – 8:50 PM  
Talk/Music/Teaching




Registration is free!

**REGISTER HERE**

Questions? [dsilva@dioceseoftrenton.org](mailto:dsilva@dioceseoftrenton.org)  
ANYONE WHO REGISTERS BEFORE JAN 29 2023  
WILL BE ENTERED INTO A PRIZE DRAWING!





[dioceseoftrenton.org/evening-with-angrisano](http://dioceseoftrenton.org/evening-with-angrisano)



**UPPER ROOM  
Spiritual Center**  
A Center for Companioning Others

The Upper Room is a spiritual and educational center rooted in a contemplative and holistic approach that supports and nourishes the spiritual growth of laity, religious, and clergy. Sponsored by the Diocese of Trenton, the Upper Room serves women and men within and outside the diocese through on-site and outreach programs. The For information on programs, please visit [www.theupper-room.org](http://www.theupper-room.org) or e-mail:

**St. Joseph By the Sea**—Our programs are offered to enrich, renew and deepen one's interior communication with the Lord in an atmosphere of prayer, quiet and solitude. The scenic environment of the Atlantic Ocean and Barnegat Bay provides additional contemplative opportunity. **Current brochure can be found on our website – [www.sjbsea.org](http://www.sjbsea.org).**

**Offerings at Francis House of Prayer**  
Spiritual direction, a one-on-one conversation with a spiritual director about God in your life, is always available. We offer the Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius on a monthly and weekly basis, many opportunities to learn and practice contemplative prayer, reading programs on St. John of the Cross and other Carmelite Saints, and contemporary writers such as James Martin, Thomas Keating, Richard Rohr, Thomas Merton and special one-time programs.  
**Trenton Diocesan Spiritual Center and Retreat House**  
**609-877-0509 or [FHOP@verizon.net](mailto:FHOP@verizon.net).**  
Please check or click on [www.FHOP.org](http://www.FHOP.org) for programs and registration.

**Northern New Jersey Alcoholics Anonymous** provides information on AA as a resource for anyone who thinks they may have drinking problem, as well as to answer any questions that professionals or community members may have about Alcoholics Anonymous. Please visit [www.nnjaa.org](http://www.nnjaa.org) for more information.

**Catholic Charities, Diocese of Trenton and Recycle-America** have joined forces to provide a new service. Now, someone will come to your door to collect your clothing and shoes. All items will be donated to those in need in our local community. Pickups in Monmouth County are made on Wednesdays. To schedule a pickup, please call 609-906-0004 or email [racworld2015@gmail.com](mailto:racworld2015@gmail.com). Please call or email three days prior to pick up day. Thank you.

Catholic Charities provides assistance with food, housing, drug addiction, domestic violence, and immigration services. **If you know a parishioner needing help, please contact us at [www.catholiccharitiestrenton.org](http://www.catholiccharitiestrenton.org) or call 800-360-7711.**

While everyone is not yet able to participate in person at Masses, you can watch them online by visiting our parish website: **Saint Mark's Catholic Church – 215 Crescent Pkwy, Sea Girt, New Jersey 08750 ([stmarkseagirt.com](http://stmarkseagirt.com))** and click on the Livestream logo or highlight the link below then right click and click open Hyperlink **St. Mark Church Streaming Player | Powered by StreamSpot.**



### Parish Mission Statement

We, the Parish Family of St. Mark's in our quest to follow the Gospel of Jesus Christ, are building a faith-based community that assists all people in life's journey to be open to God's love and to share His joy. We are further **committed to address the spiritual, physical, emotional and social needs of all people through service to individuals, families, parish and the greater community.** As responsible stewards using our individual gifts, we promise to celebrate, renew and strengthen our faith, and to live our lives as a reflection of Christ's love for others. St. Mark's is designated as a Center for Hispanic Ministry in the Diocese of Trenton.



## Free as a Bee

### First Grade Project & Family Gathering

On January 10th, our first-grade class participated in their special grade project “Free as a Bee”.

The theme for this project represents freedom and love. For centuries bees, busy as they are known to be, they have a huge impact on people and our planet. Just like bees, our first-grade class have been buzzing preparing for their project in class and at home. The Bible calls us to be workers of the Lord. The body of Christ, God’s church, is a lot like a beehive. God calls us to be workers in our homes and communities, being “bees”, doing our part to make life sweeter for those around us. And no matter what our job is, we are all working as bees in the beehive of the Lord. When we taste the goodness of the Lord, we should share it with the rest of our hive. Bees love to share the good news, and so do our little first grades!

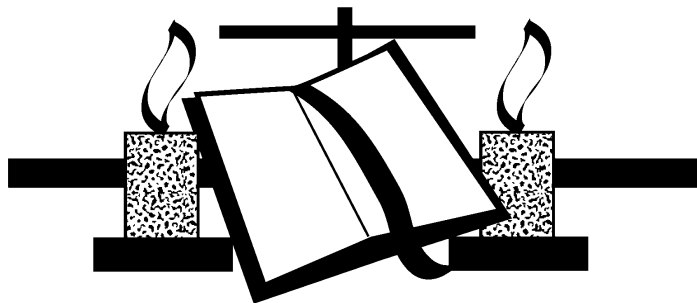
Thank you to all the children, parents, Catechists and all who attended our special service!















### **St. Catharine School, Spring Lake**

#### **Admission Information for the 2023 – 2024 School Year**

For the weekend of January 22<sup>nd</sup>

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Mrs. White, principal of St. Catharine School, would like to cordially invite anyone interested in having their children attend St. Catharine School for September 2023 enrollment to join us for the following events.

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St. Catharine School is a National Blue Ribbon School. We offer a faith-based education with strong academics. Please visit our website: <https://stcatharineschool.net> for detailed information on our admission procedure. Applications for all grades, Pre-Kindergarten 3 Program to 8th, will be accepted through Wednesday, February 15<sup>th</sup>.

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# CATHOLIC MEN FOR JESUS CHRIST

## SAVE THE DATE

*26th Annual*

## CATHOLIC MEN FOR JESUS CHRIST CONFERENCE

**SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 2023 | 8 AM - 3 PM**

St. Gregory the Great Parish | 4620 Nottingham Way | Hamilton Square,  
NJ

**[CLICK TO REGISTER FOR THE 2023 CONFERENCE TODAY](#)**



Iglesia de "San Marcos" Apostolado Hispano

Misa Dominical: Domingo 5:00 p.m.

Fr. Carlos Castilla, Vicario Parroquial

frcarlos@stmarkseagirt.com

Teléfono: (732) 449-6364 ext. 122.

Fax: (732) 449-1646



Directora del Ministerio de Religión

Diana Zuna Nieves

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Teléfono: (732) 449-6364 ext. 105



22 de enero del 2023

Tercer Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

**Primera lectura: Is 8, 23b–9, 3.**

En otro tiempo, el Señor humilló al país de Zabulón y al país de Neftalí; pero en el futuro llenará de gloria el camino del mar, más allá del Jordán, en la región de los paganos. El pueblo que habitaba en tinieblas vio una gran luz; sobre los que vivían en tierra de sombras, una luz resplandeció. Engrandeciste a tu pueblo e hiciste grande su alegría. Se gozan en tu presencia como gozan al cosechar, como se alegran al repartirse el botín. Porque tú quebrantaste su pesado yugo, la barra que oprimía sus hombros y el cetro de su tirano, como en el día de Madián.

**Salmo Responsorial: Salmo 26, 1. 4. 13-14.**

**El Señor es mi luz y mi salvación.**

El Señor es mi luz y mi salvación,  
¿a quién voy a tenerle miedo?  
El Señor es la defensa de mi vida,  
¿quién podrá hacerme temblar?

**El Señor es mi luz y mi salvación.**

Lo único que pido, lo único que busco  
es vivir en la casa del Señor toda mi vida,  
para disfrutar las bondades del Señor  
y estar continuamente en su presencia.

**El Señor es mi luz y mi salvación.**

La bondad del Señor espero ver  
en esta misma vida.  
Ármate de valor y fortaleza  
y en el Señor confía.

**El Señor es mi luz y mi salvación.**

**Segunda lectura: 1 Co 1, 10-13. 17.**

Hermanos: Los exhorto, en nombre de nuestro Señor Jesucristo, a que todos vivan en concordia y no haya divisiones entre ustedes, a que estén perfectamente unidos en un mismo sentir y en un mismo pensar. Me he enterado, hermanos, por algunos servidores de Cloe, de que hay discordia entre ustedes. Les digo esto, porque cada uno de ustedes ha tomado partido, diciendo: "Yo soy de Pablo, yo de Apolo, yo de Pedro, yo de Cristo". ¿Acaso Cristo está dividido? ¿Es que Pablo fue crucificado por ustedes? ¿O han sido bautizados ustedes en nombre de Pablo? Por lo demás, no me envió Cristo a bautizar, sino a predicar el Evangelio, y eso, no con sabiduría de palabras, para no hacer ineficaz la cruz de Cristo.

**Aclamación antes del Evangelio: Mt 4, 23**

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Jesús predicaba la buena nueva del Reino  
y curaba las enfermedades y dolencias del pueblo.

R. Aleluya.

**Evangelio: Mt 4, 12-23.**

Al enterarse Jesús de que Juan había sido arrestado, se retiró a Galilea, y dejando el pueblo de Nazaret, se fue a vivir a Cafarnaúm, junto al lago, en territorio de Zabulón y Neftalí, para que así se cumpliera lo que había anunciado el profeta Isaías: Tierra de Zabulón y Neftalí, camino del mar, al otro lado del Jordán, Galilea de los paganos. El pueblo que habitaba en tinieblas vio una gran luz. Sobre los que vivían en tierra de sombras una luz resplandeció. Desde entonces comenzó Jesús a predicar, diciendo: "Conviértanse, porque ya está cerca el Reino de los cielos". Una vez que Jesús caminaba por la ribera del mar de Galilea, vio a dos hermanos, Simón, llamado después Pedro, y Andrés, los cuales estaban echando las redes al mar, porque eran pescadores. Jesús les dijo: "Síguenme y los haré pescadores de hombres". Ellos inmediatamente dejaron las redes y lo siguieron. Pasando más adelante, vio a otros dos hermanos, Santiago y Juan, hijos de Zebedeo, que estaban con su padre en la barca, remendando las redes, y los llamó también. Ellos, dejando enseguida la barca y a su padre, lo siguieron. Andaba por toda Galilea, enseñando en las sinagogas y proclamando la buena nueva del Reino de Dios y curando a la gente de toda enfermedad y dolencia.

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"entonces tu luz brillará  
como el alba".  
Isaías 58:8-12

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