May 5, 2024

THIS IS MY COMMANDMENT

LOVE ONE ANOTHER AS I LOVE YOU

John 15:12



St. Mark's Catholic Church

Fr. Míguel Vírella, SVD, Pastor Fr. Carlos Castílla, Parochíal Vícar Deacon Míchael Keary

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) Devotions and Novenas Miraculous Medal Novena after daily Masses on Wednesdays Eucharistic Adoration on Fridays after 7:30 AM Mass. Benediction at 10:45 AM 1st Fridays Spanish Adoration beginning at 7 PM.

Sacrament of Reconciliation Saturdays 3:30 PM to 4:15 PM and Thursdays after the 7:30 AM and 11 AM Masses

Rectory Office 732-449-6364

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Altar Rosary Society	732-528-6948
Bereavement Ministry	718-637-1162
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Music Ministry	908-415-0212
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Please pray for our sick: Thomas Weeks, Jan Soriano, Tom Ort, Nadine Piccolo, Patti & John Hillenbrand, Raymond Burghart, Henry Bossett, Robert Coogan, Donovan Leso, Kirra Gibson, Paul Shea, Patrick Esposito, Mary McCarthy, Kevin Hamilton,

Laurie Langell Syby, Vivian Wilson, Joan Cantley, Marybeth Richards, Millie Abraham, Brian Nall, Marilyn Woerner, Nancy O'Neill, Steven VanWickle, Steve Adcox, Lester Wolf, Jeremy Pavlich, Joan Langlois, Linda Ryan, Danny Suskenich, Teresa Corcoran, John Cinciarelli, Erik Rofi, Dr. William Burns, Robert Czech, Janet Thomas, Edward Morea, Rosalie Renda, Alice Healy, Benjamin Ohlweiler, Robert MacPherson, Jake Gilbert, Bill Lesniak, Bruce Bogan, Sr.

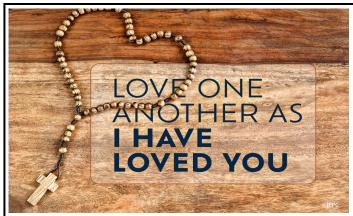
Please Note: Names will remain on the sick list read at mass for 4 weeks and then removed unless the requester calls to remain on the list for another 4 weeks. To ensure the consent of the person whose name appears here, the pastor's policy requires that only they or a family member may request a name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

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.

†Genevieve Becht †Jerome Zoufaly

May the angels lead you into paradise.



Readings for the Week May 5, 2024

Monday Acts 16:11-15 Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a, 9b Jn 15:26 – 16:4a

Tuesday Acts 16:22-34 Ps 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 7c-8 Jn 16:5-11 **Wednesday** Acts 17:15, 22 – 18:1 Ps 148:1-2, 11-12, 13, 14 Jn 16:12-15

Thursday Acts 1:1-11 Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9 Eph 1:17-23 or Eph 4:1-13 or 4:1-7, 11-13 Mk 16:15-20

Friday Acts 18:9-18 Ps 47:2-3, 4-5, 6-7 Jn 16:20-23 Saturday Acts 18:23-28 Ps 47:2-3, 8-9, 10 Jn 16:23b-28 Sunday Acts 1:15-17, 20a, 20c-26 Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20 1 Jn 4:11-16 Jn 17:11b-19.



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. The collection total for April 27/28, 2024 is \$9,604.



The Altar Rosary Society will meet Monday, May 6th at the 11:00 AM Mass

After mass, we will crown the blessed mother and recite the Rosary. Father Miguel will be reading the meditations. Music will be provided by Lisa Marie Yavarone. Luncheon to follow.

+ This Week's Mass Intentions

Monday, May 6 7:30 AM

⁺ Anne Macenczak by Estate
⁺ Lorraine Ciemniecki by Irene & Leo Hurley
⁺ Michael Sheridan by Clarence & Julie Kehoe **11:00 AM**⁺ Barbara Barry by The Graves Family
⁺ Living & Deceased Members of
St. Mark's Altar Rosary Society
⁺ Jerry Zoufaly by Peggy Whelan

Tuesday, 7

7:30 AM

+ Helen G. Malloy by Family
+ Larry Fell by Christa Gorman
11:00 AM
+ Norah Bruther by Mom & Dad

⁺ Krug & Walsh Families by Jerry Flynn

Wednesday, 8

7:30 AM + Barbara Heindle by Estate + Lois Russo by Ed & Judy Blaha + Lorraine Ciemniecki by Annette Sudowsky

11:00 AM

+ Bob Phillips by Pat Phillips
+ Joseph Arthur Conte by Bart & Kathy Falciani
+ Michael Sheridan by Mr. & Mrs. Anthony P. Randazzo, Jr.

<u>Thursday, 9</u>

7:30 AM † Anne Hart by Estate † Michael Sheridan by Irene & Leo Hurley † Michael Gabler by Bill & Mary Reilly Family

11:AM

[†] Madeline Cunningham by Margaret Cunningham[†] Rev. Michael Keane by Maura & Jack McGuinness

Friday, 10

7:30 AM

[†] Joan Enright by Estate
[†] Maureen Campbell Richard by Irene & Leo Hurley **11:00 AM**[†] Frank Conti by the Bohacik Family
[†] Eileen Tague by Paulette McCormack

<u>Saturday, 11</u> 7:30 AM

+ William Russo by Ed & Judy Blaha
+ Angelo Domenick by Clarence & Julie Kehoe

4:30 PM

+ James Francis Bogan by Barbara & Fred Willick
 + Grace O'Boyle-Swab by Kathleen Derella & Mary Dwyer

Sunday, 12 8:00 AM

⁺ Nora Leibman by William Travers

10:00 AM

+ Jillian Ludwig by the Cortese Family

+ Marian Hobbie by the Babbitt Family+ Jack Forlenza by Dr. & Mrs. Robert Belott

12 Noon

People of the Parish

5:00 PM

+ Maria Garcia Audelo by Erika Garcia+ Lorraine Ciemniecki by St. Mark's Spanish Ministry



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!



Next Weekend's Ministry Schedule May 11/12, 2024				
	Saturday 4:30 PM	Sunday 8:00 AM	Sunday 10:00 AM	Sunday 12 Noon
Celebrant	Fr. Carlos	Fr. Carlos	Fr. Miguel	Fr. Carlos
Readers	Tom Malloy	Marie Behnken	Robert Cavazini	Dan Finn
Eucharistic Ministers	Anthony Granato Lynn Jelliff Mariane Schobel	Gary Cademartori Pat Cademartori Glenn Skola	Robert Cavazini Jay Lorenzo Jim Sheridan	Debbie Dunn Dan Finn Helen Hopkins
Altar Servers	Elizabeth Nixon Katy Nixon Madilynn Willms	Nick Walsifer	Cross Carhart	Stephen Bird Vivian Collins
Ushers	Anthony Granato, Walter Henry, Joe Walsh	Pat Ahern, Leo Hurley, Bob O'Neill, Glenn Skola	Rich Siderko, Jim Sheridan	Richard DeGroote, Howard Flood

It is with Praise and Thanksgiving to Almighty God that we celebrate the call to Ordination of **Dr. Joseph V. Stillo**

to the

Permanent Diaconate, Diocese of Trenton, NJ by receipt of the Sacrament of Holy Orders at the Bishop's hands

Saturday, May 18, 2024, 10:00 AM Mass Cathedral of Saint Mary of the Assumption 151 North Warren St., Trenton, NJ live stream: <u>https://www.youtube.com/user/trentondiocese</u>



First Mass Service & HOMILY

Sunday, May 19, 2024, 10:00 Saint Mark's R.C. Church 215 Crescent Pkwy, Sea Girt, NJ live stream: https://player2.streamspot.com/?playerId=7d00d653 or https://stmarkseagirt.com/

Joe humbly requests that you refrain from posting any reference whatsoever regarding his diaconate formation on any social media platform.

Thank you.

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.

IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

May 6: The Altar Rosary Society will meet at the 11 AM Mass. After mass, we will crown the Blessed Mother and recite the Rosary. See page 2.

May 11/12: Mary's Child Pro-Life Ministry Annual Mother's Day Rose Sale. Roses are \$3 each. All proceeds will be donated to pro-life charities that we regularly support. See page 5.

May 12: The Ascension of the Lord

May 19: Pentecost Sunday

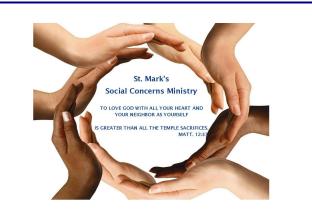
May 14: Social Concerns Meeting at 12 Noon. All are welcome! See page 4.

May 15: Red Cross Blood Drive. 2-6PM. See page 3.

May 16: St. Mark's Altar Rosary Society Spring Luncheon. See page 7.

May 26: the Most Holy Trinity

May 27: Memorial Day. Rectory Office Closed.



Our Social Concerns Meeting will be on **Tuesday, May 14th at 12 noon in Fr. Child Hall.** Light snacks will be served. All are welcome!

MOTHER'S DAY ROSE SALE



Mary's Child Pro-Life Ministry is holding its annual Rose Sale on Mother's Day Weekend, May 11/12. Roses are \$3 each. All proceeds will be donated to pro-life charities that we regularly support. Below are three of the local organizations that will benefit from the sale and your donation:

Good Counsel Homes - founded in 1985 is a nationally recognized nonprofit leader and innovator in creating supportive residential care and community-based services for homeless, expectant, and new mothers and their children in the context of the Catholic social tradition. Pregnant and expectant mothers, with or without other born children, including mothers with mental health or addiction challenges, from any location, can receive help in a Good

Counsel home. Since its beginning it has assisted 8,000 homeless women in building brighter futures for themselves and their children. For more information go to <u>Good Counsel Homes</u>.

The Madonna House - founded in 1987 is in Neptune, New Jersey. Madonna House is dedicated to serving infants, children, and women by providing clothing, juvenile furnishings, toys, infant formula, diapers, small household items, and other life necessities to impoverished and needy families – *free of charge*. For more information go to <u>The Madonna House</u>.

Domestic Church Media (DCM) – was founded in 2003 with the intent of using the various means of communications to promote the cause of marriage and family life, and the teachings of the Catholic Church. DCM radio stations include WFJS 1260 AM in Trenton, WFJS 89.3FM in Freehold (<u>our local station</u>), WGYM 1580 AM in Hammonton, and WSMJ 91.9 FM in Cape May. DCM an important pro- life voice in Central and South Jersey, dedicated to proclaiming Jesus Christ in the New Springtime of the Church. For more information go to <u>Domestic Church Media</u>.

Buy A Rose! Help a Mom! Support Life!

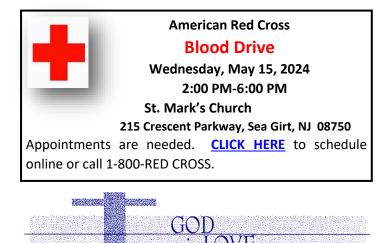


Saint Leo the Great

Bereavement Ministry A Way Forward

For anyone suffering from the loss of a loved one, we are offering 6 weeks of guided grief

sessions for adults June 5, 12, 19, 26 July 3, 10 at 11am or 6pm (the early session on July 10th will be at 1pm) in the Parish Center, 50 Hurleys Lane Registration required. stleothegreat.com/bereavement





Mothers' Memorial Mass

A special Mass will be celebrated for all Mothers and their families who have suffered the loss of a child of any age (before birth, stillbirth, infancy, childhood, or adult children). The Mass will be on *Tuesday, May 14, 2024, 7:00 PM* at

Saint Dominic Church, 250 Old Squan Road, Brick. The names of children being honored and remembered will be collected when families arrive and will be read during this special Mass. Come to honor & remember these children through a special celebration of the Eucharist. *No RSVP necessary...All are welcome*! Sponsored by the Elizabeth Ministries of the Churches of St. Denis and St. Dominic. Questions, please contact Rachel Hendricks at thehendricks7@gmail.com

Save the Date:

Monday, September 9, 2024 @ 9AM Knights of Columbus Charity Golf Classic Pebble Creek Golf Club, Colts Neck KofC Council #3231 (St Marks & St. Dennis) For more info contact Glenn Skola (732-299-0438) or Mike Penkethman (484-269-0379).

CYO NEWS by Mary Reilly



"If your actions inspire others to dream more, learn more, do more and become more, you are a leader." John Quincy Adams

Last Sunday we focused a lot on true leaders: Moses, David, Daniel, Noah...also a young boy named Tarcisius who was martyred while trying to bring Holy Communion to early Christians who were imprisoned and awaiting their own martydoms.

"The task of leadership is not to put greatness into people, but to elicit it, for the greatness is already there." John Buchan

In our leadership play we found another young boy(age 6) who was already understanding that a true leader listens, has a vision, exemplifies courage, does what is right even when he or she is alone, sticks up for others, is a servant of others, avoids procrastination, challenges people to think and act, is decisive and not afraid to make decisions, leads by example rather than by command.....most importantly he or she is not discouraged by criticism, and is always willing to go the extra mile.

We also learned about a teen age girl whose heart had been broken but sought out Jesus Who helped her to mend it. As in Genesis Chapter 3, all of us are tempted by the serpents of life. No matter how hard we fall, Jesus lovingly and forgivingly awaits us to bring us back onto the right path.



David was another very young and courageous leader who did not allow himself to be scared off by a giant.

Every CYO member shared the words that he or she would give the world if given a few seconds to relay a message to everyone everywhere. Most of the messages were about being kind to each other, living in peace with another and taking care of those who cannot take care of themselves. I hope our CYO angels and others like them become the future leaders in our world!!!!!!

This coming Sunday we will have our ice cream party. Please bring outdoor games like spike ball, Frisbee, flag football, corn hole etc. Also bring a favorite ice cream topping. Thx!!!



Saint Mark's CYO Presents:

Fourth Annual Emily Walker Memorial Day Walk for Hunger

Monday, May 27th at 7:00 AM

Meet at the North End Pavilion in Spring Lake

Collect \$5 from 5 people (\$25 total)

Proceeds go to Manasquan Food Pantry, Fulfill, Missionaries of Charity Meals for the Homeless

Jersey Shore Rescue Mission, Metanoia Manor and World Villages for Children

(Permission slips are required for CYO members.)

Contact Mary Reilly at mary33angels@aol.com to sign up.

We hope to see you there!

If inclement weather is expected, the event will be moved to May 26th.

Parishioners may donate by mailing a check made out to St. Mark's to the rectory. Thx!

Where Flowers Bloom	ST. MARK'S ALTAR ROSARY SOCIET Spring Luncheon Thursday, May 16, 2024 • 11:30-3:30 THE SPRING LAKE MANOR 415 Highway 71, Spring Lake, NJ 07762 50/50 • Cash Bar • Raffle Prizes	
So Does Hope Lady Bird Johnson	Penne Vodka Chicken Francaise Stuffed Filet of Sole	CONTACT: Peggy Cleary 732-974-1038 Helen Hopkins
Tickets \$60.00 per person * includes meal & 1 glass of complimentary wine	All served with seasonal vegetables ఈ starch	732-974-8226 to make your reservation today!

Guitarists John Heiserman and Frank Banafato

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Limit 10 per table	Please note	your choice of entr	ee on your check.

Send forms and checks made payable to the St. Mark's Church Altar Rosary Society to:

Helen Hopkins 1301 Laurel Avenue, Sea Girt, NJ 08750 or Peggy Cleary 2570 Heathrow Lane, Manasquan, NJ 08736 Reservation Forms and Checks due by May 8, 2024



2024 Bishop's Anniversary Blessing

The Department of Evangelization and Family Life is pleased to announce the 2024 Bishop's Anniversary Blessing for all couples celebrating a milestone anniversary of their Catholic Marriage. All couples celebrating their 1st, 25th or 50th (or more) anniversary in the 2024 calendar year are invited to attend. Anniversary couples must be validly married in the Catholic Church and registered members of a parish in the Diocese of Trenton.

The Bishop's Anniversary Blessing Mass for Monmouth County Parishes will be held on Sunday, October 6, 2024 at 3 pm at the Co-Cathedral of St. Robert Bellarmine in Freehold. The deadline for registrations is September 15, 2024.

All Bishop's Anniversary Blessing instructions, registration information and promotional materials for parishes can be found at <u>www.dioceseoftrenton.org/anniversary-blessing-parishes</u>.

General information about the 2024 Bishop's Anniversary Blessing events including online registration for anniversary couples can be found at <u>www.dioceseoftrenton.org/bishopsanniversary-blessing</u>. As with last year, couples will be able to register themselves online, and will need to provide their Catholic wedding date along with the name and city of their wedding parish. Couples will also be asked to verify that they are officially registered for their listed home parish; if not registered they will be instructed to contact their local parish office to register.





The 2024 Diocese of Trenton Pilgrimage Eucharistic Miracles of Italy.

The National Eucharistic Revival has been a time that aims to inspire, educate, and unite the faithful in a more intimate relationship with Jesus in the Eucharist. With the close of the Year of Parish Revival, we move towards the final phase of 'Going Out on Mission'. This Diocesan Pilgrimage will give, those who wish, an opportunity to deepen their knowledge and devotion of the Holy Eucharist as we enter the universal Church's jubilee year in 2025.

The direct link will the full itinerary and registration is www.JourneyofFaithTours.com/Trenton24.

If you are a parishioner who has not been able to attend Mass and would like to have a Eucharistic Minister bring Holy Communion to you, please contact the **Rectory**, $732-449-6364 \times 100$.

PROMISE TO THE DIOCESE OF TRENTON is committed to the initiatives outlined in the U.S. Bishops' Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People and to its own policies and

guidelines in regard to the reporting and investigation of sexual abuse allegations involving minors.

If you have been sexually abused as a minor by a member of the clergy or anyone representing the Catholic Church, or if you know of someone who was, you can report that abuse through the diocesan ABUSE HOTLINE: 1-888-296-2965 or e-mail <u>abuseline@dioceseoftrenton.org</u>.

Social Concerns Programs

Feeding the Hungry



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 notfor-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.



THE MERCY CENTER IS NO LONGER ACCEPTING CLOTHING DONATIONS

Needed are:

Diapers, sizes 3 and up, and Baby wipes Coffee/Tea • Mayo Mustard • Ketchup • Deodorant • Toothpaste Toothbrushes•Soap.

Containers are located at Church entrances Thank you for your continued generosity.

Collecting Travel Size Toiletries



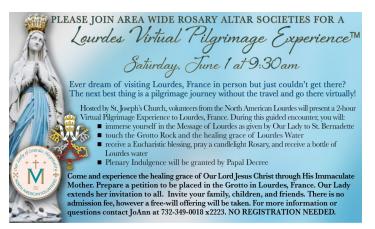
St. Mark's Social Concerns Committee is collecting travel size toiletry items (soap, shampoos, toothpaste, toothbrushes, combs etc.) for delivery by volunteers to those in need in the Asbury Park area.

Containers are located at Church entrances. Thank you!

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.

For programs or to register call Trenton Diocesan Spiritual Center and Retreat House 609-877-0509 or <u>FHOP@verizon.net</u> or <u>CLICK HERE</u>.

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 at www.sjbsea.org or <u>CLICK HERE</u>.



Join Fr. Bob Kaeding on an Adventure for The Center

Join us on a fabulous trip to Southern Italy and Sicily, March 31, 2025- April 12, 2025 and help raise funds for The Center in Asbury Park.

13 Days • 20 Meals: 11 Breakfasts, 2 Lunches, 7 Dinners HIGHLIGHTS... Palermo, Monreale, Cefalù, Agrigento, Valley of the Temples, Piazza Armerina, Giardini Naxos, Taormina, Winery Tour & Tasting, Matera, Sorrento, Positano, Pompeii. For more information and details of the trip go to <u>https://gateway.gocollette.com/</u> <u>link/1236485</u> Or call Susan Surat – Travel trends by Sue -201-485 -8751 ;or <u>suesurat@cruiseplanners.com</u>

We will be having a Presentation on the trips to answer questions and get more details on the trip at The Church of St. Anselm, 1028 Wayside Rd, Tinton Falls, **Tuesday**, **May 7th at 6pm**. Sue Surat, from Travel Trends will be presenting the trip. Light refreshments will be served. Please RSVP to <u>suesurat@cruiseplanners.com</u>. or 201-485-8751

Iglesia de "San Marcos" Apostolado Hispano Misa Dominical: Domingo 5:00 p.m.

Fr. Carlos Castilla, Vicario Parroquial

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MAS INFORMATION



