

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
July 17, 2022



St. Mark's Catholic Church

Rev. Msgr. Sean P. Flynn, Pastor
Deacon Michael Keary

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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 11 AM Mass.

Benediction at 1:45 PM

1st Fridays Spanish Adoration beginning at 7 PM.

Rectory Office 732-449-6364

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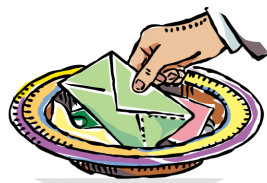
Ministries

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 its 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.

July 10, 2022 Sunday Collection Total \$10,824.



Pray FOR THE SICK

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.

Caroline Viggiano, Nick Costantini, Teresa Corcoran, Bob Patrignelli, Kaitlin Wason, Baby Mac Simonson, Gerry Barron, John Cinciarelli, Michael Sheridan, Erik Rofi, Jim & Andrea Trischitta, Mary Jane Lorenzo, Erin Rubas, Dr. William Burns, Robert Czech, Janet Thomas, Edward Morea, Rosalie Renda, Alice Healy, Benjamin Ohlweiler, Jeremy Pavlick, Christine Frauenheim, Robert MacPherson, Jake Gilbert, Bill Lesniak, Jim Bogan, Bruce Bogan, Sr., Alexandra Gavilanes, Sarah Gallagher, Jimmy Azzollini, Vivian Wilson, Ken Hauck, Dorothy Waugh, Patricia Cavanaugh, Rose Courtney, Grace Philhower, Maria Valdez.

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

† Eileen Fell

† Bevin Badenhausen King

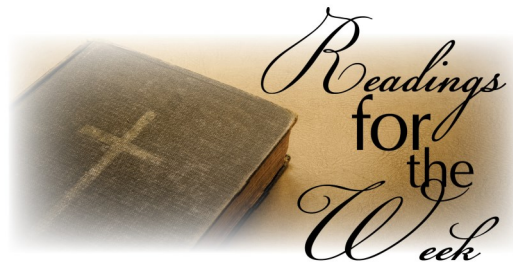
† Tim Ragan

† Joseph Santangelo

† Madeline Pantaleo

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

May the angels lead you into paradise



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Monday: Mi 6:1-4, 6-8; Ps 50:5-6, 8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23; Mt 12:38-42

Tuesday: Mi 7:14-15, 18-20; Ps 85:2-4, 5-6, 7-8; Mt 12:46-50

Wednesday: Jer 1:1, 4-10; Ps 71:1-2, 3-4a, 5-6ab, 15 and 17; Mt 13:1-9

Thursday: Jer 2:1-3, 7-8, 12-13; Ps 36:6-7ab, 8-9, 10-11; Mt 13:10-17

Friday: Sgs 3:1-4b or 2 Cor 5:14-17; Ps 63:2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9; Jn 20:1-2, 11-18

Saturday: Jer 7:1-11; Ps 84:3, 4, 5-6a and 8a, 11; Mt 13:24-30

Sunday: Gn 18:20-32; Ps 138:1-2, 2-3, 6-7, 7-8; Col 2:12-14; Lk 11:1-13



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Lectionary: 108

Reading 1

Gn 18:1-10a

The LORD appeared to Abraham by the terebinth of Mamre, as he sat in the entrance of his tent, while the day was growing hot. Looking up, Abraham saw three men standing nearby. When he saw them, he ran from the entrance of the tent to greet them; and bowing to the ground, he said: "Sir, if I may ask you this favor, please do not go on past your servant. Let some water be brought, that you may bathe your feet, and then rest yourselves under the tree. Now that you have come this close to your servant, let me bring you a little food, that you may refresh yourselves; and afterward you may go on your way." The men replied, "Very well, do as you have said."

Abraham hastened into the tent and told Sarah, "Quick, three measures of fine flour! Knead it and make rolls." He ran to the herd, picked out a tender, choice steer, and gave it to a servant, who quickly prepared it. Then Abraham got some curds and milk, as well as the steer that had been prepared, and set these before the three men; and he waited on them under the tree while they ate.

They asked Abraham, "Where is your wife Sarah?" He replied, "There in the tent." One of them said, "I will surely return to you about this time next year, and Sarah will then have a son."

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 15:2-3, 3-4, 5

R. (1a) He who does justice will live in the presence of the Lord.

One who walks blamelessly and does justice; who thinks the truth in his heart and slanders not with his tongue.

R. He who does justice will live in the presence of the Lord.

Who harms not his fellow man, nor takes up a reproach against his neighbor; by whom the reprobate is despised, while he honors those who fear the LORD.

R. He who does justice will live in the presence of the Lord.

Who lends not his money at usury and accepts no bribe against the innocent. One who does these things shall never be disturbed.

R. He who does justice will live in the presence of the Lord.

Reading 2

Col 1:24-28

Brothers and sisters: Now I rejoice in my sufferings for your sake, and in my flesh I am filling up what is lacking in the afflictions of Christ on behalf of his body, which is the church, of which I am a minister in accordance with God's stewardship given to me to bring to completion for you the word of God, the mystery hidden from ages and from generations past. But now it has been manifested to his holy ones, to whom God chose to make known the riches of the glory of this mystery among the Gentiles; it is Christ in you, the hope for glory. It is he whom we proclaim, admonishing everyone and teaching everyone with all wisdom, that we may present everyone perfect in Christ.

Alleluia

Cf. Lk 8:15

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

Blessed are they who have kept the word with a generous heart and yield a harvest through perseverance.

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

Gospel

Lk 10:38-42

Jesus entered a village where a woman whose name was Martha welcomed him. She had a sister named Mary who sat beside the Lord at his feet listening to him speak. Martha, burdened with much serving, came to him and said, "Lord, do you not care that my sister has left me by myself to do the serving? Tell her to help me." The Lord said to her in reply, "Martha, Martha, you are anxious and worried about many things. There is need of only one thing. Mary has chosen the better part and it will not be taken from her."

† This Week's Mass Intentions

Monday, July 18

7:30 AM

- † Walter Range by Adele Range Byrne
- † Mark Zusi by Rosemary Heine
- † Eileen Grimm by The Fell Family

11:00 AM

- † Emilie & Frank Puzio by Fred & Lissa McGrath
- † Joan Gilmore by Forrester Family

Tuesday, July 19

7:30 AM

- † Buonocore & Hoblitzell Families by Family
- † Mary Jean Frefco by Angela Culver

11:00 AM

- † Arthur Villarosa by Carole Kehoe
- † Kevin Boehler by Meg Livingood
- Peter McHugh by Eilleen & Maureen McHugh

Wednesday, July 20

7:30 AM

- † Mark Zusi by The Fell Family
- Michael & Joseph White by Family

11:00 AM

- † Lynch & Flarity Family by Sara Lynch
- † Alex Teves, 10th Anniversary by Lenny & Lori Savino
- † Gregg White by Steve & Bella Lowry

Thursday, July 21

7:30 PM

- † Donald Healy by Cynthia Healy
- † Griffith X. Clarke by Family
- † Eileen Fell by Zusi Family

11:00 AM

- † Nancy Zawicki by Linda & Pat Cavanaugh

Friday, July 22

7:30 AM

- † Julia Buonocore by Family
- † George Shustowicz by Family
- † Sister Jean McLoughlin, SSND, 1st Anniversary by Peggy Hardiman

11:00 AM

- † Tommy Zarro by Bernadette Taylor

Saturday, July 23

7:30 AM

- † Carol Treger by Estate
- † Nancy La Monica by Robert & Rose Ann Ferguson

4:30 PM

- † William Hutton by Irene Rinaldi
- † Dennis Maloney by Joe & Marybeth Walsh
- † Hernando Rincon by Ric & Gerri Venino

Sunday, July 24

8:00 AM

- † Gerald Highberger by Dave Babbitt
- † Mark Zusi by Saint Mark's Parish Family
- † Evelyn Tahan by Family

10:00 AM

- † Mary Jane Beshar by Wayne and Denise Dreyer
- † Charlotte Miles by Todd & Jaime Leonhardt
- † Thomas Conniff by Nora & J.P. Connellan

12 Noon

People of the Parish

5:00 PM

- † Paula Rojas by Julia Alvarado



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!



We are very happy to see that more people are beginning to return to Church each weekend. We can expect more visitors and vacationers to join us for Mass over the summer months.

We would ask everyone to show respect for the Holy Eucharist by wearing appropriate dress to church. Jesus always showed great respect for his "Father's House" and we should do likewise.

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.

Next Weekend's Ministry Schedule

July 23/24, 2022

	Saturday 4:30 PM	Sunday 8:00 AM	Sunday 10:00 AM	Sunday 12 Noon
Readers	Tom Malloy	Rose Crimmins	Lori Savino	Bob Cicenía
Eucharistic Ministers	Maria Checton Joan Wypler Pat Holt	Dan Crimmins Pam Zusi Barbara King	Jim Sheridan Marianne Sheridan Michael or Tara Malia	Marge Loenser Helen Hopkins Nancy Schatzman
Ushers	Joe Walsh Walter Henry Anthony Granato	Bob O'Neill, Leo Hurley, Pat Ahern, Glenn Skola	Rich Siderko Jim Sheridan	Howard Flood Richard DeGroote

Saint Mark's Rosary Makers



We are happy to report that Saint Mark's Rosary Makers mailed out over 5,500 Rosaries to various ministries since September! Although we won't meet again until **Monday, September 26th**, we will be busy making Rosaries over the summer.

To clarify, we make rosary beads at our own pace and in our homes. At monthly meetings (September to June) we drop off the Rosaries we made, replenish necessary supplies (e.g., beads, string, crosses), and prepare boxes for mailing. That is, we don't make Rosary beads at the meetings. The average volunteer makes approximately 55 rosaries (ranging from 0 - 150) per month.

Making Rosaries is easy, relaxing, and very rewarding. We are in need of additional Rosary makers. Please consider volunteering for this important ministry.

"The Rosary is a priceless treasure inspired by God."
Saint Louis De Montfort

For more information please contact Maria Checton (732) 245-8405 or mgchection@gmail.com.

WORD OF LIFE

July 17, 2022

"Because of our belief and hope in the Resurrection, we can face death not with fear, but with preparation. We prepare for eternal life by choosing to love and follow God now, in our daily lives and decisions." Read more at www.respectlife.org/end-of-life-considerations.

USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities "Catholic Considerations for Our Earthly Passing"

**Called to the Joy of Love
Natural Family Planning
Supporting God's gifts of love and life in marriage
Celebrate and reverence
God's vision of human sexuality
July 24 - 30, 2022**

Natural Family Planning Awareness Week is a national educational campaign. The Natural Family Planning Program of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops develops a poster each year with basic supportive materials. It is the individual dioceses, however, that offer a variety of educational formats in the local church to focus attention on Natural Family Planning methods and Church teachings that support their use in marriage.

The dates of Natural Family Planning Awareness Week highlight the anniversary of the papal encyclical *Humanae Vitae* (July 25) which articulates Catholic beliefs about human sexuality, conjugal love, and responsible parenthood. The dates also mark the feast of Saints Joachim and Anne (July 26), the parents of the Blessed Mother. Pope Francis has designated that feast as World Grandparents Day, a fitting commemoration during National NFP Awareness Week! For further information, contact nfp@usccb.org.

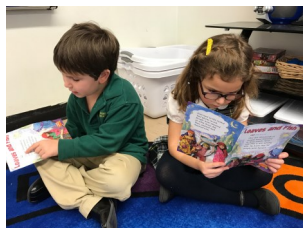
Eucharistic Devotion



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 11 AM Mass for Adoration. Benediction begins at 1:45 PM. It will also be broadcast on livestream @ stmarkseagirt.com. Come spend some quiet time with the Lord.



NOTICE



This weekend, July 16/17, Sister Pat Klemm, OSF will speak on behalf of St. Elizabeth Mission Society, which supports the ministry of the Franciscan Sisters of

Allegany to those who are poor in Brazil, Bolivia, Jamaica, Mozambique and the United States.

Sister Pat Klemm, OSF is a native of NJ and has been a Franciscan Sister of Allegany for 58 years. Pat has ministered in education (including a year teaching high school math in Highgate, Jamaica, West Indies), parish ministry, formation ministry, healthcare, and most recently for 5 years in Congregational Leadership. Pat is the General Treasurer for the Franciscan Sisters of Allegany.



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.

The Red Bank Catholic High School Class of 1972 is holding our 50th reunion on the weekend September 23, 24 and 25 with various events including a Mass at Saint James and a luncheon with class photo in the high school. We are looking for approximately 80 lost classmates. If any parishioner is, or knows members of the Classmates of 1972, please have them reach out to the following reunion members:

Barbara Lastella Chachko barbstar54@gmail.com
732-978-0913

Kathy McHugh Lacko Kathy.lacko@gmail.com

To Our Parishioners,

Through the generous donations of our wonderful Parishioners, St. Mark's Social Concerns Ministry was able to continue to provide immediate support to all the emergency appeals we received as the Pandemic continued during much of this past year. No one with a legitimate need was turned away. Food, shelter and other types of necessary support were provided to a number of individuals and families throughout southern Monmouth County to help stabilize their lives, as they regained the ability to support themselves independently again.

We were able to provide a new stove at Valentine House, made car repairs for an individual who couldn't work without a car, made donations to Interfaith Neighbors, Covenant House, Madonna House, and Catholic Relief Services – Emergency Relief for Haiti. We continued to support some of the various needs at Our Lady of Mount Carmel School in Asbury Park including school supplies, food cards on occasion for some of the families and tuition help for a few of their students. We also provided tuition assistance for a student from a low-income family at St. Rose School in Belmar. We've also provided gas cards to those in desperate need for transportation.

We continued to support our Giving Tree activities for Christmas. We're committed to helping children, families and certain non-profit organizations in our area that provide food, shelter and other services to people with special needs.

You should feel blessed that your donations are making a difference in so many people's lives. Thank you so much for your support this past year. Your help with this year's Social Concerns collection is most appreciated and put to good use. We're always looking for new members and additional ways to help others.

Thank you to all who were so generous in their contributions. We cannot continue our work without you!

Connie Duffy and Pat Gibbs

Catholic Charities News

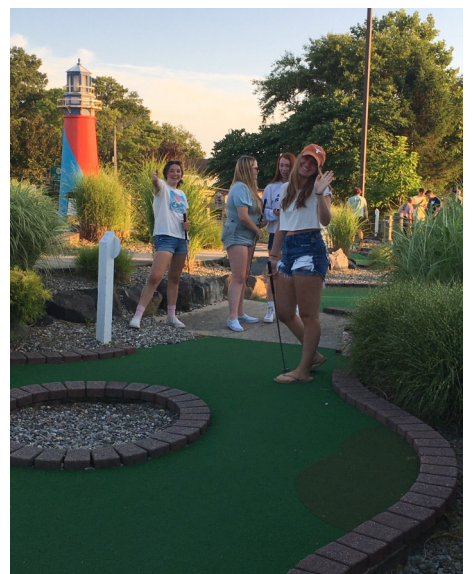
Catholic Charities, Diocese of Trenton and Recycle-America have joined forces to provide a new service. Now, some one will come to your door to collect your clothing and shoes. All items will be donated to those in need in our local community. Pickups in Monmouth County are made on Wednesdays. To schedule a pickup, please call 609-906-0004 or email racworld2015@gmail.com. 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 or call 800-360-7711.

CYO News by Mary Reilly

The CYO had a wonderful Miniature Golf Night on July 10th at Pier Nine with St. Teresa of Calcutta youth! It was especially great to have one more night with our senior graduates (eight of them joined us). We will always miss them and wish them well in the next chapter of their lives!!!!!! The advice I always gave my own kids when they were beginning a new journey: "Go with Jesus. Go with love and joy in your hearts and spread that love and joy to others!"





UPDATE!

Mercy Center is in need of diapers (all sizes). Keep us in mind if your child/grandchild has outgrown a particular size. The packages need not be complete. We break them down anyway.

Also needed: pasta, shampoo, laundry detergent, soap, toothpaste/toothbrushes, toilet paper/paper towels, mayo, mustard and ketchup. The Dollar Tree is a great place to purchase these items.

Thank you for your continued generosity.



September 20, 2022 – FRIENDS OF BILL W. – An Evening for Women in AA – Dinner and speaker. This event will occur once a month. For information and to register contact Pat A. (732) 232-4346. Arrival: 5:30 p.m./Departure: 8:00 p.m. Cost: \$20

September 9-15, 2022 - BREATH OF GOD: A SILENT RETREAT - Encounter your God in the silent atmosphere of a private or directed retreat. Eucharistic Liturgy and Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will be included. Supper will be served on Friday, September 9 at 5:30 p.m. Arrival: Friday, 4:00-5:00 p.m./Departure: Thursday, 11:00 a.m. (Presenters: Staff and Visiting Directors) Cost: \$600

CURRENT BROCHURE CAN BE FOUND ON OUR WEBSITE – www.sjbsea.org.

Join us for a special evening with Fr. Pio Mandato FMHJ

Healing Service & Talk at St. Pio Church in Lavallette on Rt 35 N on Wednesday, August 10th. We will begin with confessions and prayers at 5:30 pm. At 6:30 Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. Then Fr. Pio will talk on "The Lord Invites Us, Into His Healing Power". After the talk, he will have individual prayer with St. Padre Pio's bloodstained glove. All are invited to attend and bring your family and friends with you for this once-in-a-lifetime opportunity. A love offering will be collected for Fr. Pio. **For further info, please contact DawnRusinko@yahoo.com.**

World day for elderly to include support for "treasure" of retired, infirm priests



Bishop O'Connell has announced a special collection to be taken up next weekend, **July 23/24**, at all the Masses to benefit retired, elderly and infirm priests.

The Diocese of Trenton

MISSION: Jersey

4 Service Days Locations:
9:30am-5pm

Monmouth County
July 26, 2022
St. Gabriel's Church, Marlboro, NJ

Mercer County
July 28, 2022
St. Gregory the Great Church, Hamilton, NJ

Ocean County
August 2, 2022
St. Barnabas' Church, Bayville, NJ

Burlington County
August 4, 2022
Church of the Holy Eucharist Tabernacle, NJ

8-12th grade teens invited!
\$10 donation per person to help with the cost of project materials

Register at www.dotyouth.org/missionjersey

Questions? Contact us at (609) 403-7182
dotyouth@diocesoftrenton.org

Photo courtesy of The Monitor/Jeff Bruno

BULLETINS: Please submit all bulletin announcements by **Monday before 2 PM.**

Bulletin drafts are submitted to Msgr. Flynn for review.
Email submissions to cindy@stmarkseagirt.com.

Catholic Charities News

Eight months have passed since Catholic Charities Trenton appealed to parishes for donations to aid the 13,000 Afghan refugees housed at the Joint Base McGuire-Dix-Lakehurst. Since then, our donors and parishioners have contributed over \$100,000 used to create recreational centers, theatres, barber shops and salons as well as supply medical needs like glasses and wheelchairs. Additionally, the community rallied with donations of clothes, games and toys delivered directly to the base. A big thank you to everyone who helped sustain these refugees who fled their country with only the clothes on their back.

Approximately 500 of our Afghan guests have now settled in NJ. The others have relocated through resettlement centers around the country.

Catholic Charities provides assistance with food, housing, crises counseling, drug addiction, domestic violence, and immigration services. If you know a parishioner needing help, please contact us at www.catholiccharitiestrenton.org or call 800 -360-7711



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.

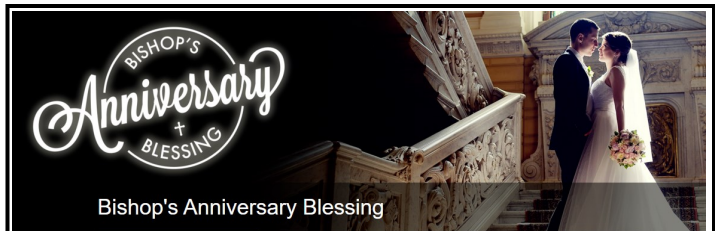
The process is simple! Here's what to do:

- 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.



2022 Bishop's Anniversary Blessing October 9th Ocean/Monmouth Counties

All couples celebrating their 1st, 25th or 50+ wedding anniversary during 2022 calendar year are invited to share the Eucharist, reaffirm your sacred wedding vows, and receive Bishop O'Connell's Episcopal Blessing. Anniversary Couples from Burlington and Mercer Counties may attend the Mass and Blessing on Sunday, October 2, 2022 at 3:00 pm at St. Mary Cathedral in Trenton. Couples from Ocean and Monmouth Counties may attend the Mass and reception at the Co-Cathedral of St. Robert Bellarmine in Freehold on Sunday, October 9, 2022 at 3 pm. For more information and to register for this event online visit us at www.dioceseoftrenton.org/bishops-anniversary-blessing, or call your local parish office. The registration deadline for all anniversary couples is September 15, 2022.

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!



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://SaintMark'sCatholicChurch.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.](http://StMarkChurch.com)



NOTICE

Please excuse our appearance as we make ongoing repairs on the church.

CCD

Registration

2022-2023

LINK FOR ONLINE REGISTRATION IS AVAILABLE
ON OUR WEBSITE WWW.STMARKSEAGIRT.COM



LEARN



LIVE



GROW

All families must be registered at St. Mark's in order to register for Religious Education.

We will honor requests for specific days, on a first-come basis, classes fill up quickly, so register early. Registration Fee is \$105 per child. For students in 2nd & 8th grades please include a \$40 sacramental fee per student.

When registering online, you can sign up your children, select classes, update information and make payments via Parish Giving. At the end of the registration, you will be directed to pay for Religious Education. No registration will be processed unless payments is made.

Grades K-8

IN PERSON CLASSES / SPACE IS LIMITED

If you need assistance or have trouble registering, please call to the office on Monday to Thursday from 9:30 am to 3:00 pm or email at any time.
diana@stmarkseagirt.com

(732) 449-6364 ext. 105

RETROUVAILLE - REDISCOVER THE LOVE IN YOUR MARRIAGE: Tens of thousands of couples have healed their marriages through Retrouvaille (pronounced Retro-vy). If you know anyone who could benefit from this program, please pass this on. Couples learn to build communication skills and to increase intimacy. It provides help for marriage problems, difficulties or crises. The next program begins August 19 - 21 and October 14 - 16 at the Family Life Center in Malvern, PA. **For more information, or to register, visit www.HelpOurMarriage.org or call 215-766-3944 or 800-470-2230. All inquiries are strictly confidential.**

The Carmel Connection Foundation

Our Lady of Mount Carmel School was established in 1923 to serve immigrant students and families in Asbury Park and the surrounding communities. As a result of the work of many dedicated educators, graduates have become doctors, nurses, engineers, educators, religious women, priests, etc.

Today there are about 200 well-motivated students in K - 8th grades, from low-income, hard-working families. Unfortunately, most families cannot afford the full tuition, and with each year comes a financial challenge to offset the resulting operating deficit. Fund-raisers like bingo, the Adopt-A-Student program, etc. are ongoing, but typically not enough.

The Carmel Connection Foundation (CCF) was established to develop an independent, dedicated multi-million-dollar endowment fund by the end of the 2023 school year, the school's 100th anniversary. The income from this fund would be sufficient to offset the school's annual operating deficit. Beyond that, additional funds will continue to be raised for future requirements of the school. **More information is available at [<ccf40lmc.org>](http://ccf40lmc.org).**

We would appreciate any help the parishioners of St. Mark's could provide to support and increase awareness of our Foundation. And please remember us in your prayers.

The Carmel Connection Foundation
401 Atlantic Avenue, Point Pleasant Beach, NJ 08742
732-513-4496. ccf@olmcapnj.org

Grandparents

Are your grieving the loss of a grandchild?

If you would like support and encouragement
in your journey, please join us on

Tuesday, August 2nd at 6:30pm
Manasquan Presbyterian Church
16 Virginia Avenue, Manasquan

To Register, please contact:

Christy of Love, Loss & Living
at beachbums.sl@verizon.net



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 or e-mail: office@theupper-room.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.

Please check or click on 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 for more information.

Joseph's vocation was to be the **protector** and **provider** of the Holy Family of Nazareth, **husband** of the Blessed Virgin Mary and **legal father** of Jesus. His **intercession** can assist in the **protection** of men, women, and children; fathers, mothers and all family members. And especially the dying. Come meet the saints who were inspired by **the father of Jesus**: St. Andre Bessette, St. Teresa of Avila, St. Alphonse Liguori, St Francis de Sales, St Josemaria Escriva, St Therese of Lisieux, St Pope John XXIII, St. John Paul II. Join us for a five week study of *St. Joseph* similar to the 33 Days of Morning Glory we did last summer. We will be using the book of Fr. Donald Calloway, MIC.

We will be meeting on Monday mornings in Duffy Hall, St Margaret Church at 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM beginning on Monday, July 18 until our Consecration on August 20. Please contact Ruthie Wagner at ruthier2@comcast.net or Shore Catholics at skenny17@mac.com.

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 x100.**



St. Mark's Confirmation class is kicking off their season of service projects by collecting new toys for the Madonna House & new baby and mommy supplies for the Good Counsel Home.

Good Counsel:

- \$25 Gifts cards: Target, Walmart, Burlington, Amazon, etc.
- Diapers: newborn to 12 months
- Diaper bags
- Baby clothing: newborn to 12 months
- Mommy wear: robes, pajamas, slippers, socks, (S, M, L, XL, XXL)
- Baby care products: shampoos, wash, lotions, etc.
- Baby toys and sensory items

Madonna House:

- New Toys for Christmas ages 0 to 12 years

Pick up tags at our Christmas tree located at the main entrance.
Drop off all items with tags to bins located at the entrances of the Church.

For more information please contact Diana Zuna at: (732) 449-6364 ext. 105 or
Mary Lyons at 732 685-3163



Julio 17, 2022

Décimosexto Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

Primera lectura: Gen 18, 1-10^a.

Un día, el Señor se le apareció a Abraham en el encinar de Mambré. Abraham estaba sentado en la entrada de su tienda, a la hora del calor más fuerte. Levantando la vista, vio de pronto a tres hombres que estaban de pie ante él. Al verlos, se dirigió a ellos rápidamente desde la puerta de la tienda, y postrado en tierra, dijo: "Señor mío, si he hallado gracia a tus ojos, te ruego que no pases junto a mí sin detenerte. Haré que traigan un poco de agua para que se laven los pies y descansen a la sombra de estos árboles; traeré pan para que recobren las fuerzas y después continuarán su camino, pues sin duda para eso han pasado junto a su siervo". Ellos le contestaron: "Está bien. Haz lo que dices". Abraham entró rápidamente en la tienda donde estaba Sara y le dijo: "Date prisa, toma tres medidas de harina, amásalas y cuece unos panes". Luego Abraham fue corriendo al establo, escogió un ternero y se lo dio a un criado para que lo matara y lo preparara. Cuando el ternero estuvo asado, tomó requesón y leche y lo sirvió todo a los forasteros. Él permaneció de pie junto a ellos, bajo el árbol, mientras comían. Ellos le preguntaron: "¿Dónde está Sara, tu mujer?" Él respondió: "Allá, en la tienda". Uno de ellos le dijo: "Dentro de un año volveré sin falta a visitarte por estas fechas; para entonces, Sara, tu mujer, habrá tenido un hijo".

Salmo Responsorial: Salmo 14, 2-3ab. 3cd-4ab. 5

¿Quién será grato a tus ojos, Señor?

El hombre que procede honradamente
y obra con justicia;
el que es sincero en sus palabras
y con su lengua a nadie desprestigia.

¿Quién será grato a tus ojos, Señor?

Quien no hace mal al prójimo
ni difama al vecino;
quien no ve con aprecio a los malvados
pero honra a quienes temen al Altísimo.

¿Quién será grato a tus ojos, Señor?

Quien presta sin usura
y quien no acepta soborno en perjuicio de inocentes.
Quienes vivan así
serán gratos a Dios eternamente.

¿Quién será grato a tus ojos, Señor?

Segunda lectura: Col 1, 24-28.

Hermanos: Ahora me alegro de sufrir por ustedes, porque así completo lo que falta a la pasión de Cristo en mí, por el bien de su cuerpo, que es la Iglesia. Por disposición de Dios, yo he sido constituido ministro de esta Iglesia para predicarles por entero su mensaje, o sea el designio secreto que Dios ha mantenido oculto desde siglos y generaciones y que ahora ha revelado a su pueblo santo. Dios ha querido dar a conocer a los suyos la gloria y riqueza que este designio encierra para los paganos, es decir, que Cristo vive en ustedes y es la esperanza de la gloria. Ese mismo Cristo es el que nosotros predicamos cuando corregimos a los hombres y los instruimos con todos los recursos de la sabiduría, a fin de que todos sean cristianos perfectos.

Aclamación antes del Evangelio: Cfr Lc 8, 15

R. Aleluya, aleluya.

Dichosos los que cumplen la palabra del Señor
con un corazón bueno y sincero,
y perseveran hasta dar fruto.

R. Aleluya.

Evangelio: Lk 10, 38-42.

En aquel tiempo, entró Jesús en un poblado, y una mujer, llamada Marta, lo recibió en su casa. Ella tenía una hermana, llamada María, la cual se sentó a los pies de Jesús y se puso a escuchar su palabra. Marta, entre tanto, se afanaba en diversos quehaceres, hasta que, acercándose a Jesús, le dijo: "Señor, ¿no te has dado cuenta de que mi hermana me ha dejado sola con todo el quehacer? Dile que me ayude". El Señor le respondió: "Marta, Marta, muchas cosas te preocupan y te inquietan, siendo así que una sola es necesaria. María escogió la mejor parte y nadie se la quitará".

Registración 2022-2023

Clases de Religión

Atención padres de familia, las registraciones para clases de Religión para niños y adultos estarán disponibles a partir del 20 de Junio. Podrán venir a la oficina los días lunes a jueves de 9:30-3:00 p.m. para registración en persona; por favor llamar para hacer cita. También tendremos 2 fechas disponibles durante el verano, en donde podrá registrar su familia los domingos después de la Misa en el sótano de la Iglesia.

AGOSTO 7

SEPTIEMBRE 11

REQUISITOS:

- Estar registrados en nuestra parroquia.
- Tener un correo electrónico activo.
- Costo de registración por cada estudiante \$35 (efectivo o cheque). Para familias nuevas +\$25
- Cuota sacramental: grados 2nd & 8th: \$40
- Grados 1st & 2nd: Hoja de registración de la escuela a donde el niño (a) asiste, para familias nuevas.
- Grados: 3rd - 8th copia del certificado de Bautismo y Primera Comunión si no recibieron estos sacramentos en nuestra parroquia.

Para más información llamar a Diana Zuna Nieves a:

(732) 449-6364 ext. 105 los días lunes a jueves de 9:30- 3:00 p.m.

Días de Clases (escojer una opcion)

Domingo- Grados: Pre-K, 1er & 2do 3:30 -4:45 p.m.

Domingo- Grados: 3ro - 8th 6:05 -7:15 p.m.

Domingo- Grados: 1er - 8th 8:45 - 9:45 a.m.

Lunes- Grados: 6th, 7th & 8th 7:00 - 8:00 p.m.

Lunes- Grados: 1er - 5th 4:00 - 5:00 p.m.

Martes- Grados: K, 1er - 6th 4:00 - 5:00 p.m.

Preparación sacramental de 2 años

1st & 2nd Primera Comunión

7th & 8th Confirmación

RICA- jóvenes y adultos mayores de 11 años

