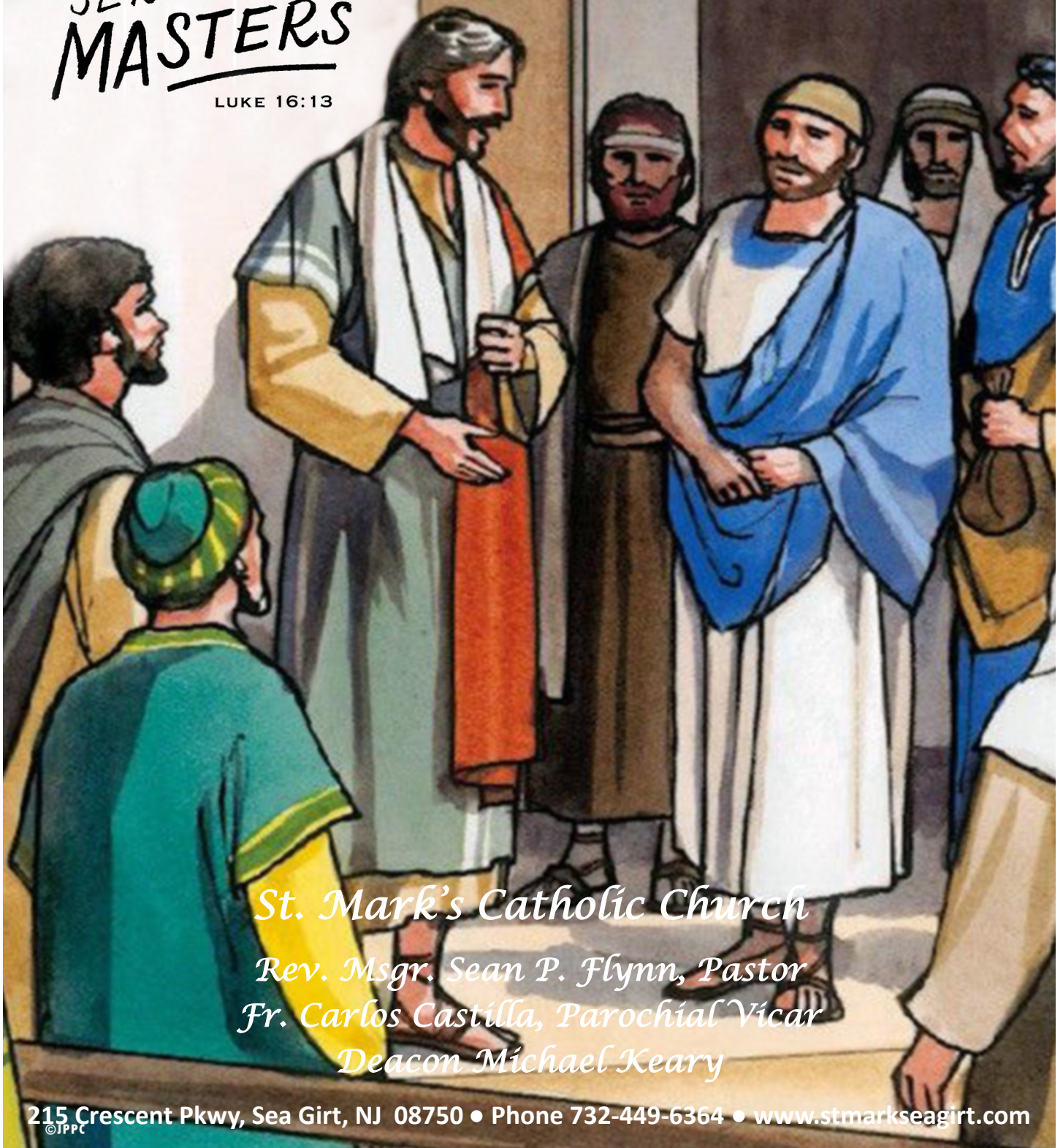


Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

September 18, 2022

**NO SERVANT
CAN
SERVE TWO
MASTERS**

LUKE 16:13



St. Mark's Catholic Church

Rev. Msgr. Sean P. Flynn, Pastor

Fr. Carlos Castilla, Parochial Vicar

Deacon Michael Keary

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Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Lectionary: 135

Reading 1

Amos 8:4-7

Hear this, you who trample upon the needy
and destroy the poor of the land!
"When will the new moon be over," you ask,
"that we may sell our grain,
and the sabbath, that we may display the wheat?
We will diminish the ephah,
add to the shekel,
and fix our scales for cheating!
We will buy the lowly for silver,
and the poor for a pair of sandals;
even the refuse of the wheat we will sell!"
The LORD has sworn by the pride of Jacob:
Never will I forget a thing they have done!

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 113:1-2, 4-6, 7-8

R. (cf. 1a, 7b) **Praise the Lord who lifts up the poor.**

or: R. **Alleluia.**

Praise, you servants of the LORD,
praise the name of the LORD.
Blessed be the name of the LORD
both now and forever.

R. **Praise the Lord who lifts up the poor.**

or:

R. **Alleluia.**

High above all nations is the LORD;
above the heavens is his glory.
Who is like the LORD, our God, who is enthroned on high
and looks upon the heavens and the earth below?

R. **Praise the Lord who lifts up the poor.**

or:

R. **Alleluia.**

He raises up the lowly from the dust;
from the dunghill he lifts up the poor
to seat them with princes,
with the princes of his own people.

R. **Praise the Lord who lifts up the poor.**

or:

R. **Alleluia.**

Reading 2

1 Tm 2:1-8

Beloved: First of all, I ask that supplications, prayers,
petitions, and thanksgivings be offered for everyone, for
kings and for all in authority, that we may lead a quiet and
tranquil life in all devotion and dignity. This is good and
pleasing to God our savior, who wills everyone to be
saved and to come to knowledge of the truth.

For there is one God.

There is also one mediator between God and men,
the man Christ Jesus,
who gave himself as ransom for all.

This was the testimony at the proper time. For this I was
appointed preacher and apostle — I am speaking the truth,
I am not lying —, teacher of the Gentiles in faith and
truth.

It is my wish, then, that in every place the men should
pray, lifting up holy hands, without anger or argument.

Alleluia

Cf. 2 Cor 8:9

R. **Alleluia, alleluia.**

Though our Lord Jesus Christ was rich, he became poor,
so that by his poverty you might become rich.

R. **Alleluia, alleluia.**

Gospel

Lk 16:1-13

Jesus said to his disciples, "A rich man had a steward who
was reported to him for squandering his property. He
summoned him and said, 'What is this I hear about you?
Prepare a full account of your stewardship, because you
can no longer be my steward.' The steward said to himself,
'What shall I do, now that my master is taking the position
of steward away from me? I am not strong enough to dig
and I am ashamed to beg. I know what I shall do so that,
when I am removed from the stewardship, they may
welcome me into their homes.' He called in his master's
debtors one by one. To the first he said, 'How much do
you owe my master?' He replied, 'One hundred measures
of olive oil.' He said to him, 'Here is your promissory note.
Sit down and quickly write one for fifty.' Then to another
the steward said, 'And you, how much do you owe?' He
replied, 'One hundred kors of wheat.' The steward said to
him, 'Here is your promissory note; write one for eighty.'
And the master commended that dishonest steward for
acting prudently.

"For the children of this world are more prudent in
dealing with their own generation than are the children of
light. I tell you, make friends for yourselves with
dishonest wealth, so that when it fails, you will be
welcomed into eternal dwellings. The person who is
trustworthy in very small matters is also trustworthy in
great ones; and the person who is dishonest in very small
matters is also dishonest in great ones. If, therefore, you
are not trustworthy with dishonest wealth, who will trust
you with true wealth? If you are not trustworthy with what
belongs to another, who will give you what is yours? No
servant can serve two masters. He will either hate one and
love the other, or be devoted to one and despise the other.
You cannot serve both God and mammon."



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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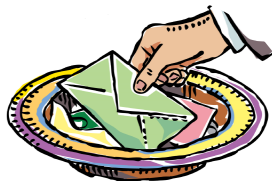
Ministries

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 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.

September 11, 2022 Sunday Collection Total \$10,020.



Pray FOR THE SICK

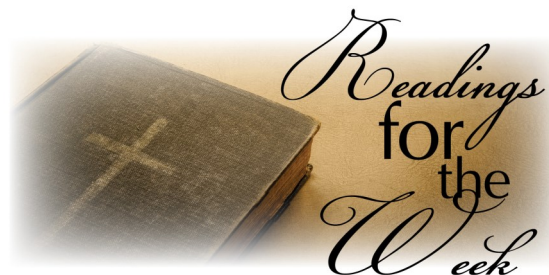
Please Note: Names will remain on the sick list read at mass for 4 weeks and then removed unless the requester calls to remain on the list for another 4 weeks. To ensure the consent of the person whose name appears here, the pastor's policy requires that only they or a family member may request a name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

Marilyn Woerner, Deacon Mike Keary, 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.

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



September 18, 2022

Monday: Prv 3:27-34; Ps 15:2-3a, 3bc-4ab, 5; Lk 8:16-18

Tuesday: Prv 21:1-6, 10-13; Ps 119:1, 27, 30, 34, 35, 44; Lk 8:19-21

Wednesday: Eph 4:1-7, 11-13; Ps 19:2-3, 4-5; Mt 9:9-13

Thursday: Eccl 1:2-11; Ps 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14 and 17bc; Lk 9:7-9

Friday: Eccl 3:1-11; Ps 144:1b and 2abc, 3-4; Lk 9:18-22

Saturday: Eccl 11:9—12:8; Ps 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14 and 17; Lk 9:43b-45

Sunday: Am 6:1a, 4-7; Ps 146:7, 8-9, 9-10; 1 Tm 6:11-16; Lk 16:19-31

† This Week's Mass Intentions

Monday, September 19

7:30 AM

† Bevin Badenhausen King by Saint Mark's Parish Family

11:00 AM

† William "Biff" Joule by Todd & Jamie Leonhardt

† Timothy Ragan by Ertle and Sullivan Family

† Sister Marlene Cunningham by Adele Byrne

Tuesday, September 20

7:30 AM

† Mark Zusi by MaryLou & Bob Gehring

11:00 AM

† Timothy Ragan by William Travers

† Janet Ferrante by Family

Wednesday, September 21

7:30 AM

† Lorette Jordan by Estate

† Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Butler by Family

11:00 AM

† Richard Connors by Brian & Debra Manning

Thursday, September 22

7:30 PM

† Julia Buonocore by Family

† Arthur and Mary Guterl by Liz and Jerry Eldridge

11:00 AM

† Timothy Ragan by Kathy, Kelly and Erin Gresh

† Allison Berry Wagner by J.P. & Nora Connellan

† Nancy Schade by Maureen & Bill Lynch

Friday, September 23

7:30 AM

† Carol Treger by Estate

† Ronald Ferrucci by Joaneileen and John Coughlan

11:00 AM

† Stephen Joseph Bohacik by Family

In Thanksgiving to St. Padre Pio by Jimmy Collis and Family

† Eugene Gaeta by Bill and Shirley Collis

Saturday, September 24

7:30 AM

† Elizabeth Leonhardt by Family

† Helen Murray by Family

4:30 PM

Bennett- Bailey Family by Friend

† Antonio Oliveira by Family

† Patrick Campbell by Family

Sunday, September 25

8:00 AM

† John T. Scarpari by Joseph and Georgeann Donatelli

† John McAvenue by Peggy and Ed Connelly

† Timothy Ragan by Gerry O'Connor-Greene & Family

10:00 AM

People of the Parish

12 Noon

† Joseph Santangelo by The Longo Family

† Frank Marinaro by John and Amy Longo

† Joseph Spezzacatena by John and Gail Monteleone

5:00 PM

† Vinny Rodriguez by Julia Alvarado

† Irene Cortez by Erika Garcia and Family

† Raul Cartagena by The Kesler Family



Feast of St. Francis of Assisi

The Catholic Church will be celebrating the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi on October 4th, commemorating the life of St. Francis, the Patron Saint of Animals. Coinciding with this day, Mrs. Luisi's and Mrs. Langeveld's 8th grade Confirmation Class will be completing a community service project to collect items for the Monmouth County SPCA. **Bins for donations**

will be available for the entire month of October.

Items can include toys, food, gently used towels and blankets and cleaning supplies. A bin will be placed in the foyer of the church for collection of the items.

Thank you for supporting our Confirmation Candidates in this project.



Monsignor Flynn will be blessing the animals in front of the Church on **Sunday, October 2nd at 2 PM.** Students will be collecting items at that time as well. Please bless a homeless animal with your donation while bringing your pet to be blessed.



Mary's Child Pro-Life Ministry

invites you To join us for the

31st Annual "Champion for Life" Award Dinner

Sunday, October 23, 2022 at The Shore Club 700 Hwy 71, Spring Lake Hts, NJ



Our Honorees are:

2022 Champion for Life
Reverend Dean Gaudio

Lifetime Achievement Award
For True Courage - Paul Garvey



Reception 5:00- 6:00 PM (cash bar) Buffet Dinner 6:00 PM Adult Dinner -\$65 Children's Dinner - \$35
Make checks payable to "Mary's Child Pro-Life Ministry and mail to: St Catharine/ St. Margaret Parish, 215 Essex Avenue, Spring Lake, NJ 07762. Kindly make reservations by October 10th. For further information please contact Michele McMahon @ 908-229-0503

Name(s): _____ Tel# _____
Email: _____ Parish _____

Number of Adult Dinners _____ Children's Dinners _____ If you wish to be seated with others, please list their names here or attach sheet.

We expect a large turnout of members of our high School CYO and youth ministries. Whether you attend the dinner or not, please consider sponsoring participation of our youth.

- I would like to sponsor a dinner for _____ youth group member(s) @ \$35 each.
- Platinum Level Sponsor of 10 Youth Group Members @ \$300 _____
- Silver Level Sponsor of 5 Youth Group Members @ \$150 _____

Advertisements for Awards Booklet are due by October 4, 2022- Contact Jim Sheridan at sheridan62j@gmail.com if you wish to email your ad OR mail advertisement with this form and payment to St. Catherine's rectory at above address.

- Full Page Ad – (6" X 7.5") -- \$500
- Half Page Ad – (6" X 3.75") -- \$250
- Quarter Page Ad -- \$125

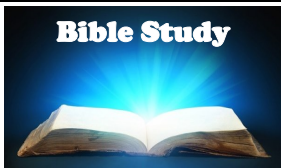
Next Weekend's Ministry Schedule September 24/25, 2022

	Saturday 4:30 PM	Sunday 8:00 AM	Sunday 10:00 AM	Sunday 12 Noon
Celebrant	Msgr. Flynn	Msgr. Flynn	Fr. Carlos	Msgr. Flynn
Readers	Lori Savino	Barbara King	Mary McLaughlin	Bob Cienia
Eucharistic Ministers	Pat Holt Lynn Jelliff	Robert Cavazini Pam Zusi	Don McLaughlin Richard Norris	Marge Loenser Helen Hopkins
Ushers	Joe Walsh, Walter Henry, Anthony Granato	Bob O'Neill, Leo Hurley, Pat Ahern, Glenn Skola	Rich Siderko, Jim Sheridan	Howard Flood, Richard DeGroote

On **Monday, October 3rd, St Marks Altar Rosary Society** Will be crowning the Blessed Mother as Queen of the Most Holy Rosary after the 11 AM mass. We will then recite the healing rosary with meditations read by Monsignor Flynn. Please bring your written petitions to be read during the Rosary. Thank you.

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!

Bible Study



This class is offered for 12 sessions, beginning Tuesday, September 20th from 9:30 AM-10:45 AM. This is not a lecture class. We will share our ideas, opinions, and questions.

Both the Old and New Testaments will be covered in the following books: Proverbs, Song of Songs, the Gospel of Luke, the Letters of Paul and John, and sections of the Book of Revelation.

The instructor will be John Snyder, Ph.D., who taught literature at The City University of New York for 32 years. After retirement, he was an instructor teaching senior citizens at The Life Long Learning Institute at the University of Delaware.

Class will be held in Fr. Child's Hall. If you have a Bible, please bring it with you. I will be using the Oxford Study Bible.

This informal gathering will teach us to better appreciate some of the great teachings in the Bible. All are welcome!

Please call 848-241-3531 for more information.

WORD OF LIFE

September 18, 2022

"Throughout salvation history, God has welcomed repentant sinners with special joy. Jesus concludes the parable of the lost sheep with these words: 'there will be more joy in heaven over one sinner who repents than over ninety-nine righteous people who have no need of repentance' (Lk 15:7)*."

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USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities

"Life Matters: Forgiveness and Healing after Abortion"

Visit our websites: dioceseoftrenton.org/respect-life-ministry **USCCB:** respectlife.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

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



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Parish Giving offers secure flexible online giving for our parishioners who would like to make their donations online using a credit card or bank transfer. You never have to bring cash or checks to church. Giving electronically also helps the church save money and plan the budget. Check out the website listed for benefits and details.

Sea Girt NJ 08750, 613 St. Mark



ST. MARK'S CYO ANNUAL

START OF THE YEAR MEET AND GREET!

Grow in faith, give to the needy,
and have a great time!

ST. MARK'S CHURCH BASEMENT
SEPTEMBER 18, 7:30-8:45 PM



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!**



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. 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.**

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-215CrescentPkwy,SeaGirt,NewJersey08750.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.](#)



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 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.**

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.**

Fall Bible Study

"Life lessons with the Book of James"



St. Pio Church Hall 103 Washington Ave., Lavallette

Fridays from 9:30-11:30am

Mark your calendars: Sept. 23, 30, Oct. 7, 14, 21, 28

Nov. 4, 11, 18

Registration Fee: \$10

Optional Items to bring: Bible, pen, and paper

All are welcome, light refreshments will be served, please spread the word. For more information or to register please contact DawnRusinko@yahoo.com.



INAUGURAL MERCY CLASSIC

Charity Golf & Pickleball
TOURNAMENTS



MONDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2022

HONORARY CO-CHAIRS

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CEO, Stillwell-Hansen

LARRY DOWNES
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HOLLYWOOD GOLF CLUB
DEAL, NJ



Mercy Center

Empower • Enrich • Educate

UPDATE!

Juices • Diapers • Coffee • Cereal • Peanut butter/Jelly
White rice • Toiletries (The Dollar Tree is a great source
for these)

Thank you for your continued generosity.



DRAWING TO BE PULLED
Monday, October 3, 2022 at 6 pm

At the Mercy Center Classic
Golf & Pickleball Tournaments
Hollywood Golf Club
Deal, NJ



CONTACT:

Elizabeth Downes

609-712-2994

elizabeth@mercycenternj.org
mercycenternj.org

Winners will divide half of the amount received as follows:
First Prize 25% • Second Prize 15% • Third Prize 10%



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.



CCD Classes begin
September 18th, 19th, 20th!



The Knights of Columbus #3231

(Manasquan/Sea Girt) wish to thank the good people of St. Mark's and St. Denis for their kind generosity in donating over \$4,400 to our recent charity drive for physically and mentally challenged citizens.

Top Ten Reasons

TO JOIN WALKING WITH PURPOSE

- 10 Walking with Purpose (WWP) is a Catholic Bible study for women.
- 9 WWP fits into your busy schedule.
- 8 No prior Scripture knowledge is required.
- 7 WWP is a no-judgment zone. We welcome anyone who is interested in studying God's Word.
- 6 We offer "rolling admission." Visit and join anytime.
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For more information, go to www.wwpnjshore.com or email: macchele1@gmail.com



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Our mission is to help every Catholic woman and girl in America encounter Jesus Christ through our Bible studies.

www.walkingwithpurpose.com



Trip to Portugal and Spain including Fatima on April 22, through May 3, 2023. It is a river boat, the Gil Evans, with Sr. Margaret Tierney and Father Leo Patalinghug. There will be a presentation on October 11th at 2PM in St. Margaret's Church Hall. For further information, please contact Sr. Margaret at srbeachcomb@yahoo.com or call at 732-449-5765, ext. 124.

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.

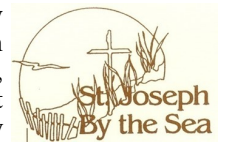
Please check or click on www.FHOP.org for programs and registration.



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.

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.



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.

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.



Accepting Donations for Spanish Ministry

St. Mark's will be accepting clothes for children and adults along with household items in good condition for our Spanish Ministry. Donations can be dropped off at the Church basement during the week from 9:00 to 3:00 p.m.

For more information, call
(732) 449-6364 ext. 105

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

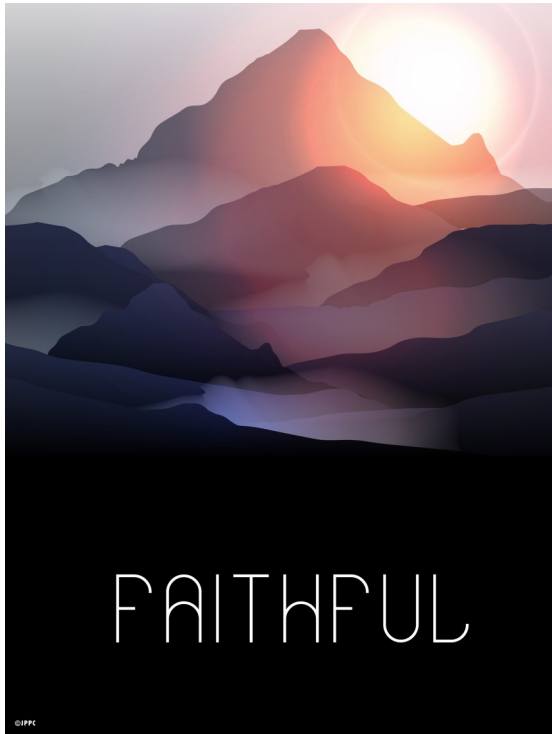


Directora del Ministerio de Religión

Diana Zuna Nieves

diana@stmarkseagirt.com

Teléfono: (732) 449-6364 ext. 105



Septiembre 18, 2022

Vigésimo Quinto Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

Primera Lectura: Am 8, 4-7.

Escuchen esto los que buscan al pobre sólo para arruinarlo y andan diciendo: "¿Cuándo pasará el descanso del primer día del mes para vender nuestro trigo, y el descanso del sábado para reabrir nuestros graneros?" Disminuyen las medidas, aumentan los precios, alteran las balanzas, obligan a los pobres a venderse; por un par de sandalias los compran y hasta venden el salvado como trigo. El Señor, gloria de Israel, lo ha jurado: "No olvidaré jamás ninguna de estas acciones".

Salmo Responsorial: Salmo 112, 1-2. 4-6. 7-8

Que alaben al Señor todos sus siervos.

Bendita sea el Señor,
alábenlo sus siervos.
Bendito sea el Señor,
desde ahora y para siempre.

Que alaben al Señor todos sus siervos.

Dios está sobre todas las naciones,
su gloria por encima de los cielos.
¿Quién hay como el Señor?
¿Quién iguala al Dios nuestro? .

Que alaben al Señor todos sus siervos.

El tiene en las alturas su morada
y sin embargo de esto,
bajar se digna su mirada
para ver tierra y cielo. R.

Que alaben al Señor todos sus siervos.

El levanta del polvo al desvalido
y saca al indigente del estiércol
para hacerlo sentar entre los grandes,
los jefes de su pueblo. R.

Que alaben al Señor todos sus siervos.

Segunda Lectura: 1 Tm 2, 1-8.

Te ruego, hermano, que ante todo se hagan oraciones, plegarias, súplicas y acciones de gracias por todos los hombres, y en particular, por los jefes de Estado y las demás autoridades, para que podamos llevar una vida tranquila y en paz, entregada a Dios y respetable en todo sentido. Esto es bueno y agradable a Dios, nuestro salvador, pues él quiere que todos los hombres se salven y todos lleguen al conocimiento de la verdad, porque no hay sino un solo Dios y un solo mediador entre Dios y los hombres, Cristo Jesús, hombre él también, que se entregó como rescate por todos. Él dio testimonio de esto a su debido tiempo y de esto yo he sido constituido, digo la verdad y no miento, pregonero y apóstol para enseñar la fe y la verdad. Quiero, pues, que los hombres, libres de odios y divisiones, hagan oración dondequiera que se encuentren, levantando al cielo sus manos puras.

Aclamación antes del Evangelio: 2 Cor 8, 9

R. Aleluya, aleluya.

Jesucristo, siendo rico, se hizo pobre,
para enriquecernos con su pobreza.

R. Aleluya

Evangelio: Lc 16, 1-13.

En aquel tiempo, Jesús dijo a sus discípulos: “Había una vez un hombre rico que tenía un administrador, el cual fue acusado ante él de haberle malgastado sus bienes. Lo llamó y le dijo: ‘¿Es cierto lo que me han dicho de ti? Dame cuenta de tu trabajo, porque en adelante ya no serás administrador’. Entonces el administrador se puso a pensar: ‘¿Que voy a hacer ahora que me quitan el trabajo? No tengo fuerzas para trabajar la tierra y me da vergüenza pedir limosna. Ya sé lo que voy a hacer, para tener a alguien que me reciba en su casa, cuando me despidan’. Entonces fue llamando uno por uno a los deudores de su amo. Al primero le preguntó: ‘¿Cuánto le debes a mi amo?’ El hombre respondió: ‘Cien barriles de aceite’. El administrador le dijo: ‘Toma tu recibo, date prisa y haz otro por cincuenta’. Luego preguntó al siguiente: ‘Y tú, ¿cuánto debes?’ Éste respondió: ‘Cien sacos de trigo’. El administrador le dijo: ‘Toma tu recibo y haz otro por ochenta’. El amo tuvo que reconocer que su mal administrador había procedido con habilidad. Pues los que pertenecen a este mundo son más hábiles en sus negocios, que los que pertenecen a la luz. Y yo les digo: Con el dinero, tan lleno de injusticias, gánense amigos que, cuando ustedes mueran, los reciban en el cielo. El que es fiel en las cosas pequeñas, también es fiel en las grandes; y el que es infiel en las cosas pequeñas, también es infiel en las grandes. Si ustedes no son fieles administradores del dinero, tan lleno de injusticias, ¿quién les confiará los bienes verdaderos? Y si no han sido fieles en lo que no es de ustedes, ¿quién les confiará lo que sí es de ustedes? No hay criado que pueda servir a dos amos, pues odiará a uno y amará al otro, o se apegará al primero y despreciará al segundo. En resumen, no pueden ustedes servir a Dios y al dinero”.



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