

Mass Intentions

SATURDAY, January 14, 2012

- 8:00 am + Earl Bennett, Req. Family
- + Joanne Petrizzo, Req. Family
- 5:00 pm + Jennie & Carmine Grecco, Req. Daughter
Mary Ann
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Mary Ann

SUNDAY, January 15, 2012

- 7:30 am + Thomas C. Morrison, Req. Wife
- + Isabella DiSanto, Req. Sharon Brabant
- 9:00 am + Living & Deceased Members of the
Holy Name Society
- + Harry Bateman, Req. The Bennett Family
- 11:00 am + People of the Parish
- + Joanne Nixon, Req. Florence & Angelo Garaffa
- 5:00 pm + Allen M. Zetka, Req. Christine & Darren Zetka
- + Maureen Pinho, Req. Parasolle Family

MONDAY, January 16, 2012

- 8:00 am + Purgatorial Society
- + Victor Buccino, Req. The Bryson Family

TUESDAY, January 17, 2012

- 8:00 am + Mary Francese, Req. Albert & Ann Marie Fuchs
- + James Groom, Req. Kelleher Family

WEDNESDAY, January 18, 2012

- 8:00 am + Angelina Lidia Roncace, Req. Ruth & Jim
Vignapiano
- + Helen Kiley, Req. Fran Banks

THURSDAY, January 19, 2012

- 8:00 am + Eulalia Alvarado, Req. Angela Santos-Arroyo
- + Vincent Raine Sr., Req. Raine Family

FRIDAY, January 20, 2012

- 8:00 am + William Armenti, Req. Aunt Linda & Uncle Fred
- + Ann & Edward Shanley, Req. Raine Family

SATURDAY, January 21, 2012

- 8:00 am + Unborn
- + Helen Kiley, Req. St. Vincent de Paul Society
- 5:00 pm + Ellen Alwell, Req. Pat
- + Rachel Sappio Stryker, Req. Debra & Thomas
Sauickie

SUNDAY, January 22, 2012

- 7:30 am + Fred Steffens, Req. Bob & Pat McCarthy
- + Helen Kiley, Req. Mr. & Mrs. George Valania
& Family
- 9:00 am + Antoinette Mustilli, Req. Alex & Nilda Mustilli
- + Harry Bateman, Req. Bob & Pat McCarthy
- 11:00 am + Joanne Nixon, Req. Richard & Mary Frost
- + Maureen Pinho, Req. Bennett Family
- 5:00 pm + People of the Parish
- + Stella Migdalski, Req. Family

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES

Tues. and Wed. (Grades 1-5) 4:30 to 5:45 PM. Wed. (Grades 6-8) 7:00 to 8:15 PM. Classes from September to May. Contact Patricia McCarthy, CRE, at 732-264-7043. Office hours during classes: 9:30 -2:30 pm Mon. & Thurs., 12:30 -5:30 pm Tues. & Wed. Website: www.holyfamily.us. E-mail: hfreliouse@comcast.net. Fax: 732-335-9605.

ALTAR AND ROSARY SOCIETY

Monthly meeting is the fourth Thursday of the month Sept. - June at 7:00 PM in Memorial Hall. All women of the parish are welcome to attend. Communion Sunday is the first Sunday of the month at 9:00 AM. Questions contact President Marianne Bennett at 732-335-9301

HOLY NAME SOCIETY

Monthly meeting is the second Thursday of the month at 8 PM in Memorial Hall. All men of the parish are invited to attend. Communion Sunday is the Sunday following the Holy Name meeting. Questions contact President Sam Fortino at 732-739-2442.

HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH MINISTRY

All high school teens are invited to join the youth ministry. Meetings are held Sunday evenings from Sept. thru June from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. in Memorial Hall. Activities include: Mass, service to the poor, youth conference, fundraising, and much more! Contact Adele Wright for more information at 732-721-5558.

READERS

Parishioners who have received Confirmation are invited to participate in the reader ministry. Please contact Pastoral Associate Sr. Gloria Jean Bateman at 732-264-1484.

ALTAR SERVERS

Any child third grade or older is welcome to become an altar server. Please contact the parish office at 732-264-1484.

USHER MINISTRY

For more information on the usher ministry, please contact Craig Tonks at 732-290-1329.

GOLDEN AGE GROUP

Meeting every Monday in Memorial Hall 10 A.M. to 2 PM. Questions please contact Richard Bryson at 732-264-0008.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE DECEASED

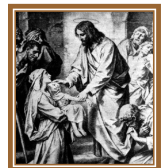


Frank Fortino
Helen Kiley
Rocco Dellosso



Please Remember to Pray for the Sick

Patrick Alwell, Irene Crotty, Frank Fusco, Christine DeAngelo, Jackie Kraus, Nicholas Schulmeister, Rita Ricard.



RECENTLY ILL: Karl Spangler, Olivia Bobber, Caeden Stoll, Margaret Sutter, Joyce Freddo, Jack Wegman, Rosemarie Sacharanski and son Robert, Karen Stralkus.



Altar Flower
Intentions
This Week



Richard Bryson

Richard Bryson



Dear Parishioners,

Back in 1960 the population of the United States stood at about 180 million and 23% of the population was Roman Catholic. Regular church attendance among Catholics stood at about 70%, priests numbered some 41,000, and women religious, both vowed Sisters and nuns, at roughly 120,000.

In 2010 there were some 72 million American Catholics among a population of 302 million citizens, not to mention millions of illegal residents, most of whom are Catholic, at least in name. About 20% of American Catholics regularly participate in Mass on a weekly basis nowadays with some 29,000 diocesan and 14,000 religious priests to serve them; 12% of the more-or-less 10,000 registered parishioners of our parish attend Mass regularly. Three out of every ten diocesan priests in the country are classified as retired, sick, or on leave. Vowed women religious, nuns and Sisters, number some 71,000. In 1960 there were no permanent deacons, or once-ordained clergy, in the United States. Today the number of deacons stands at about 14,000. Men train and are educated as deacons for years before they are ordained as such, and they are empowered to assist as clergy the same as priests except for offering Mass, being able to sacramentally absolve sins, or sacramentally anoint the sick and dying. Of the 196 archdioceses and dioceses in the United States, our Diocese of Trenton is among the top three for the number of deacons it has, active, semi-active, inactive, retired, or incapacitated. Deacons tend to serve the parishes within whose boundaries they live. Deacons are or can be an invaluable human and spiritual asset to the parish and the parishioners they serve.

Fr. Mark

Mater Dei Prep's



Presents:

The Musical Adventures of FLAT STANLEY
 Friday Jan. 20 and Saturday Jan. 21 - 7:00 pm
 Sunday Jan. 22 - 2:00 pm
 At the Middletown Arts Center
 All Tickets \$10

Call 732 671 9100 ext. 49 for Tickets and Info.

CHARISMATIC HEALING MASS
 St. Catherine's Church, Middletown
 January 18 at 6:45 P.M.

St. Catherine's Church located on Bray Avenue in Middletown invites you to a charismatic healing Mass on Wednesday January 18 beginning at 6:45 with praise and worship.

HOLIDAY CLOSING

The Parish Offices will be closed on Monday January 16 in honor of Martin Luther King's birthday.

Ministry Schedule
WEEKEND OF JANUARY 21 & 22, 2012

Serving at the Altar

5:00 PM	7:30 AM	9:00 AM
Brian Healey Madison Seelinger	Andrea Connors Sean Knoll	Jillian Johnson Christopher Zeller
11:00 AM	5:00 P.M.	
Michaela McCarthy Samantha McCarthy	Adam Bryant Dan Wagner	

**Readers and
 Extraordinary Ministers of
 Holy Communion**

5:00 PM	F. Verbovsky	I. Hallard-Dickinson, T. Healey
7:30 AM	B. Picardi	M. Celestino, K. Duffy
9:00 AM	Religious Education	R. Janasz-Nagle, L. Robinson
11:00 AM	A. Leite	M. Leite, P. McCarthy
5:00 PM	R. Rubiato	T. Aiken, L. Lonnay

Tarscisius Ministry
9:00 A.M. Mass

J. Breen, J. Chasey, P. DelPopolo, M. DelPopolo, K. Mullaney

OUR WEEKLY OFFERING

Last Week – January 8, 2012

1st Collection – Weekly \$8113
 2nd Collection – Diocesan Assessment \$1768

This Week – January 15, 2012

1st Collection – Weekly
 2nd Collection – Programs & Facilities

Next Week – January 22, 2012

1st Collection – Weekly
 2nd Collection – Latin America

THANK YOU!

From The Altar & Rosary Society

The Altar & Rosary Society thanks all those who participated in our Poinsettia Memorial Plant Sale. Not only were your loved ones remembered at Mass on Christmas Day, but you contributed to the beauty of the “wander and awe” of our Savior’s birth!

HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH MINISTRY NEWS

ALL HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH - GRADES 9 - 12
MEETINGS EVERY SUNDAY 6:30 P.M.

Any student in grade 9th through 12 is invited to join our High School Youth Ministry. Meetings are every Sunday in Memorial Hall from 6:30 p.m to 8:30 p.m. Hope to see you there! Questions call Adele Wright 732-721-5558.

January 29th

Sunday January 29th NCYC reunion 2 pm till 5 pm. All members invited.

ADORATION
EVERY WEDNESDAY

Come and visit Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament every Wednesday in the Chapel from 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m.

P.R.E.P. NEWS
(PARISH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM)
RESPECT LIFE POSTER, ESSAY, AND VIDEO
CONTEST GR. K – 8 – Entries Due Jan. 25th

P.R.E.P. NEWS Cont.
FIRST HOLY COMMUNION CHILDREN

Please pick a prayer angel this week from our board in front of the Holy Family Statues and keep this child in your prayers as they prepare for their First Holy Communion Day on May 5, 2012.

MOTHER TERESA REGIONAL
SCHOOL NEWS

MTRS Reaches Higher

MTRS is proud of our students who consistently reach higher utilizing their gifts and talents. We congratulate Gabriela Compagni, Shane Dolan, and Christina Noll for achieving honors distinction on the John Hopkins Talent Search tests. We congratulate our newly formed debate team on having 6 students in the top 12 and their second place finish in their first debate. We congratulate our Stars Challenge Science Team on their first place win. We believe that each student can reach higher and achieve greatness in many ways and we work as a faculty and staff to make that possible for every child in our care. Come and see the excellent education we can offer your child on Sunday, January 29th at our Open House. Take a minute to see our display in the back of the church or visit the school website mtregional.com.

CALLING ALL MATER DEI ALUMNI
CLASS OF '72!

Mark your 2012 Calendars now for our 40th Reunion on Saturday, April 28 at the Sheraton Eatontown. For further information, please contact Ellen Poole, epoole@comcast.net or Mike Colman, michaelfcoleman@gmail.com. Updates will be posted on the high school website and sent to alumni with current address information, so spread the good news to classmates who may be out of touch. Cheers!

RESPECT LIFE NEWS

MASS & ROSARY FOR THE UNBORN
Saturday January 21

Respect Life Reps invite all our parishioners and friends to join us at the 8 a.m. Mass for the intention of the unborn followed by the Rosary for the Unborn.

NEW JERSEY RIGHT TO LIFE RALLY, TRENTON
MONDAY, JANUARY 23, 2012

A Mass of Giving Thanks to God for the Gift of Human Life will begin at 10:00 a.m. at the Cathedral of St. Mary of the Assumption, Trenton, followed by walk to the NJRTL Rally from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. on the NJ State House steps which is just a short walk from the Cathedral. Questions contact 609-403-7192 or email respectlife@dioceseoftrenton.org for additional information.

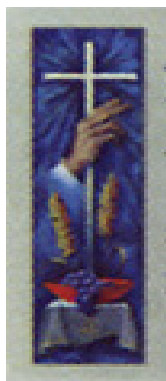
MARCH FOR LIFE WASHINGTON, D. C.
LOCAL TRANSPORTATION INFO. – JAN.23

Please consider joining members of Saint Mary's Community on Monday, January 23rd, to participate in the 39th annual MARCH FOR LIFE. The March begins on the Mall and concludes at the United States Supreme Court Building (approximately 1/2 hour walk). It is an extremely exhilarating and prayerful day! The MARCH FOR LIFE is the collective effort of grassroots pro-life Americans to assure that our laws protect the right to life of each human being. I urge you to attend and experience a proactive, holy, and spirit-filled day. Cost is \$15 per person. Call John Lovasz 732-787-2794 for reservations.



All children in our Religious Education Program were given registration forms and encouraged to enter this year's Respect Life Poster, Essay, and Video Contest sponsored by the Diocese of Trenton. Parish Respect Life Representatives Eileen Cassidy and Donna Valania were invited by Director Pat McCarthy to speak to our Parish Religious Education Students. Here at Holy Family winning entries in each grade will be awarded a pair of movie tickets. Those winners will then go on to the diocesan level for an opportunity for cash prizes to be acknowledged and awarded by Bishop David O'Connell at St. Anthony's Church in Red Bank. All entries are due back to the Religious Education Office no later than January 25th.

First Penance



*Peace I
 Leave
 With
 You*

*My
 Peace
 I give
 To you.*

Holy Family Parish
First Penance Service
1:00 P.M.
Sat., January 21, 2012
 Tuesday Religious
 Education Class &
 Mother Teresa
Sat., January 28, 2012
 Wednesday Religious
 Education Class

HOLY CHILDHOOD ADVENT MITE BOXES
Special Thanks to our Students!

We would like to thank all the students who donated their earnings to their Advent Mite Boxes by helping others. Your generous contribution of \$ 683.37 was sent to the Holy Childhood Association to help them make the joyous presence of Christ a reality in the lives of needy people worldwide who contend with poverty, suffering, and uncertainty on a daily basis. Through your sacrifice and prayers you help spread the "Good News" of your belief in Jesus Christ to the world's poor.