Holy Family Parish Union Beach, NJ

Mass Intentions

SATURDAY, November 24, 2012

8:00 am + Martin O'Toole, Req. Cantwell Family

5:00 pm + Elinor Tetro, Req. Family

+ Louis Crisitello Sr., Req. Cozzati Family

SUNDAY, November 25, 2012

7:30 am + Matthew Kerwin, Req. Kelly Family

+ People of the Parish

9:00 am + Deceased Members of the Fagan Family, Req. Family

+ John Donohue, Req. Wife

11:00 am + Donald Johansen, Req. Jackie Policastro & Family

+ Albert Hallard, Req. Wife & Children

5:00 pm + Joseph Tetro, Req. Family

+ Michael Cunningham, Req. Diane Masino

MONDAY, November 26, 2012

8:00 am + Purgatorial Society

+ Joseph Tetro, Req. Family

TUESDAY, November 27, 2012

8:00 am + Louis J. Basile, Req. Basile Family

WEDNESDAY, November 28, 2012

8:00 am + David Marasco, Req. Diane & Ward Javins

THURSDAY, November 29, 2012

8:00 am + Michael Sansevere,

Req. The Soscia Family

FRIDAY, November 30, 2012

8:00 am + Raymond Ottinger, Req. Wife and Family

SATURDAY, December 1, 2012

8:00 am + David Marasco, Reg. Kristin & Anthony Grasso

5:00 pm + Martin O'Toole, Req. Ellen & George Albrecht

+ Martin O'Toole, Req. Florence & Jim Cozzati

SUNDAY, December 2, 2012

7:30 am + Martin O'Toole, Req. Dan & Eileen Obermann

9:00 am + Helen, Hank, & Thomas Kiley, Req. Family

+ Louis Crisitello, Sr.,

Req. Peter & Maureen DelPopolo

11:00 am + Julia Christine DeAngelo,

Req. Bill & Marlene Kelly

+ Matthew Kerwin, Req. DelPopolo Family

5:00 pm + People of the Parish

+ Martin O'Toole,

Req. Mercer District Council of St. Vincent dePaul

FEAST OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION Holy Day of Obligation

The Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary in 2012 is celebrated on Saturday, December 8. As the Patronal Feastday of the U.S., this solemnity is always a holyday of obligation (except when transferred to Monday, December 9, as it will be in 2013). The obligation is fulfilled by attending a vigil Mass on Friday evening, December 7, or Mass during the day on Saturday morning. Here at Holy Family Mass will be Fri., Dec. 7 at 6 p.m. and Saturday Dec. 8th at 8 a.m. & 12 Noon.

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: 930 -2:30 pm Mon. & Thurs., 12:30 -5:30 pm Tues. & Wed. Website: www.holyfamily.us. E-mail: hfreligioused@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. 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. Ouestions contact President Sam Fortino at 732-739-2442.

HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH MINISTRY

All high school teens are invited to join the youth ministry. 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 call the parish office if you would like to become a reader 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

Meetings in Memorial Hall. Please contact Richard Bryson at 732-264-0008 for more information.



TABERNACLE CANDLE MEMORIAL



<u>Church</u> Amanda Stewart Chapel

Marge & Joe Menville



Altar Flower Intentions This Week



Filomena Mahinay

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Please Remember to Pray for the Sick

John Posterini, Parbati Wong, Lukas Ryan Coupland, Patricia Fagan, Tammy Johnson, Britton Schulmeister, Michelle Jacob.

RECENTLY ILL: Patricia Verbovsky, and Theresa Hargadon. Lisa Coughlin-Balette, David Tyter, Dorothy Donohue, Gloria Villani,



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Dear Parishioners & Visitors:



One of the ways our generous parishioners serve their God and his people through Holy Family Parish and the community at large is most notable in the ongoing, year-round work of the St. Vincent DePaul Society as well as our cadres of

Eucharistic ministers and bereavement ministers. They do indeed give of their time and talent to perform the Corporal Works of Mercy as defined by our Church: feeding the hungry; giving drink to the thirsty; clothing the naked; sheltering the homeless; visiting the sick; visiting the imprisoned; burying the dead.

More volunteers are welcome and definitely needed to join those who so quietly and humbly yet effectively prove their love of God through their support and efforts for the good of those less fortunate then themselves.

Fr. Mark

PATRIOTIC ROSARY-HOLY FAMILY EVERY SUNDAY – 3:30 P.M.

All are invited to come and pray the Patriotic Rosary at Holy Family every Sunday at 3:30 p.m. in the main church. Please join us in reciting the Patriotic Rosary for our country and our Holy Church for religious freedom during this crucial time. The Patriotic Rosary will continue every Sunday at 3:30 p.m. in the main church up to the inauguration in January.

BOY SCOUT CHRISTMAS WREATH PICK-UP Weekend of December 1 and 2

Just a reminder for those who ordered Christmas wreathes from the boy scouts they will be available for pick up next weekend after all Masses December 1st and 2nd.

Charismatic Healing Mass – Nov. 30 St. Mary's New Monmouth

The Mother of God Community will celebrate a "Charismatic Healing Mass" on Friday, November 30, 2012, at Mary, Mother of God Church, 19 Cherry Tree Farm Rd., Middletown. Fr. Jeff Kegley Pastor of St. Mary Church and Liaison to the Diocese of Trenton Charismatic Renewal will be the celebrant of the Mass. Praise and Worship led by Gez Ford will begin at 7:30 p.m. Holy Mass will begin at 8 p.m. All are welcome. For more information, please call the parish rectory at 732-671-0071.

Religious Education News

Gertrude Hawk Christmas Candy Pick-Up Information

Anyone who ordered Gertrude Hawk Christmas candy can pick up their orders on Tuesday December 4th from 3 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. and on Wednesday December 5th from 3 p.m. until 8:30 p.m. in the school cafeteria.

CLASSES RESUME

Religious Education Classes will resume this week Tuesday November 27 and Wednesday November 28.

Ministry Schedule Weekend of Dec. 1 & 2

Serving at the Altar

5:00 PM	7:30 AM	9:00 AM
Brian Healey	Andrea Connors	Gabriella Raad
Madison Seelinger	Charles Penszynski	Daniel Wagner
11:00 AM	5:00 PM	
Faith Reash	Angelina Christ	
Eddie Reash	Lorenzo Valente	

Readers and Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

5:00 PM	F. Verbovsky	I. Hallard-Dickinson, T.	
	_	Healey	
7:30 AM	B. Picardi	A. Gallo, L. Robinson	
9:00 AM	Religious	M. Gross, K. McConnell	
	Education		
11:00 AM	M. Hanna	P. Dannevig, J. Reash	
5:00 PM	R. Rubiato	J. Keenan, E. Keenan	

OUR WEEKLY OFFERING

Last Week - November 18

1st Collection – Weekly \$7734

2nd Collection – Campaign for Human Development \$1560

This Week - November 25

1st Collection - Weekly

2nd Collection – Programs and Facilities

Next Week - December 1

1st Collection – Weekly

2nd Collection – Diocesan Assessment

The Giving Tree...

Please remember the elderly at area Nursing Homes this Christmas...



Our Giving Tree Program has begun!

The "Giving Tree" is an annual program which provides gifts to the sick & elderly in area nursing homes at Christmas. If you'd like to purchase a gift, please take a card. The card will list the name of the person in the nursing home as well as their wish gift. After wrapping the gift, be sure to put the card on the package. (This is the only way that the nursing homes know to whom the gift belongs.) Please be sure to return the gift no later than Sun. Dec. 1st and 2nd our Giving Tree so that gifts can be distributed in time for Christmas. Thanks so much for your generosity!

Altar & Rosary Society Memorial Poinsettia Plants

The Altar & Rosary Society is sponsoring a program whereby families may purchase a Poinsettia plant to be placed on the Altar in memory of a loved one during the Christmas Season. Midnight Mass will be offered for those remembered in this special way. Envelopes can be found in the December envelope mailing or at any of the church entrances. The donation is \$10. Please drop the completed for in the offertory basket or at the parish office.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

UNION BEACH BOROUGH HALL Located 650 Poole Ave., Union Beach HURRICANE SANDY RECOVERY ASSISTANCE INFORMATION

CLOTHING PICK-UP

White Company Fire House, Union Avenue 7 Days Bar, Union Avenue Children's Warehouse, Route 35, Hazlet Dollar Store Route 36, Keyport, NJ (next to IHOP)

CLEAN-UP ITEMS NEEDED

The following items are needed as of November 12, 2012, are needed at Borough Hall: Shovels, rakes, gloves, and traffic vests.

FEMA DRC CENTER

The FEMA DRC Center is now located in the Union Beach Municipal Bldg. From 8 a.m. until 8 p.m. Monday through Sunday.

Donation Update: Sunday 11-18-2012

At this point, there is no longer need Food or Clothing. The Union Ave Firehouse, Memorial School, 7 Days, and Borough Hall are full of these items.

They are in need of storage trailers to house the inbound donated items. Please call 732-264-1133 if you have the ability to donate storage trailers for a few weeks.

If you want to donate smaller items to the Borough of Union Beach, they are in need of shovels, rakes, gloves and traffic vests for all of the wonderful volunteers that have made their presence known.

Those who wish to volunteer to assist in the clean up are to report to Borough Hall for their assignments at the front desk.

HOLY FAMILY ST. VINCENT DE PAUL - MONETARY DONATIONS

If you would like to make a monetary donation which will be used for those in our area who have been affected by Hurricane Sandy, please make your check payable to Holy Family St. Vincent de Paul Soc., and mail to: Holy Family Church, St. Vincent de Paul Society, P.O. Box 56, Keyport, NJ 07735.

NJ RIGHT TO LIFE CAR RAFFLE WINNERS

- Grand Prize Winner of a Volvo XC60 AWD SUV is Joel Colon of Middlesex County
- The 2nd Prize Winner of a Shoprite Gift Card valued at \$1,000 is Noncy Moskowitz of Freehold
- The 3rd Prize Winner of a Shoprite Gift Card valued at \$750 is K.A. Costello of Morris County
- The 4th Prize Winner of a Shoprite Gift Card valued at \$500 is Nicole Bursack of North Brunswick

Again, thank you to all who supported the gift of life by participating in this year's raffle.

SAVE THE DATE ADVENT PARISH PENANCE SERVICE December 12 at 7:00 P.M.

Join us on Wednesday, December 12th, beginning at 7:00 p.m. for our Parish Advent Penance Service.

DRIVE THROUGH "THE CHRISTMAS STORY"

Bible Stories of the Savior come to life as you drive through and experience them from the comfort of your car. See costumed live characters, animals, and unique scenes, while enjoying holiday music. The Drive Through the Christmas Story has become an annual event for many. Join us on November 30, Dec. 1, 2, 7, 8, and 9. Fridays from 7:30 p.m. until 9:30 p.m. and Saturday and Sundays from 5 p.m. until 9:30 p.m. Located at Sayre Woods Bible Church, Route 9 South, ¼ Mile North of Route 516 (across from Shoprite), Old Bridge, NJ. For more information call 732-679-5989. COMPLETELY FREE. Voluntary donations of canned food (no money) for the Bread of Life Ministry will be accepted.

NOVENA OF MASSES "Year of Faith"

Please join us as we devote this time in prayer...to "restoring God's presence in this world, and to giving man access to the faith, enabling him to entrust himself to the God who, in Jesus Christ, loved us to the end." (Pope Benedict, XVI).

The Novena of Masses in the Bayshore Deanery continues as follows:

- Jesus the Lord Dec. 1, 2012 10 a.m. 123 Broad St., Keyport
- St. Clement January 7, 2013 7:30 p.m. 172 Freneau Ave., Matawan
- St. Ann February 21, 2013 7:30 p.m. 311 Carr Ave., Keansburg
- St. Joseph March 21, 2013 7:30 p.m. 376 Maple Pl., Keyport
- St. Agnes April 16, 2013 7:00 p.m. 103 Center Ave., Atl. Highlands
- St. Benedict May 15, 2013 7:30 p.m. 165 Bethany Road, Holmdel
- Holy Family September 9, 2013 7:00
 p.m. 727 Hwy. 36 West, Union Beach
- St. Catherine October 14, 2013 7:00 p.m. 130 Bray Ave., Middletown