

Mass Intentions

SATURDAY, February 25, 2012

- 8:00 am + Patrick Alwell, Req. Holy Family
Religious Education Teachers and Students
+ Jackie Kraus, Req., the Bennett Family
- 5:00 pm + Russ Payne, Req. Family
+ Harry Bateman, Req. Bridget
Filomeno & Family

1st SUNDAY OF LENT, February 26, 2012

- 7:30 am + Frank Fortino, Req. Diane & James Larsen
+ Frank Fortino, Req. Richard & Phyllis King
- 9:00 am + Deceased Members Brozowski Family
+ Barbara Keys, Req. Jim & Florence Cozzati
- 11:00 am + William Mueller, Req. Martha Ferraro
+ Maureen Pinho, In Loving Memory the
Woodrow Family
- 5:00 pm + People of the Parish
+ Helen, Hank, & Thomas Kiley, Req. Family

MONDAY, February 27, 2012

- 8:00 am + Purgatorial Society
+ Marguerite Sutter, Req. Ruth Sutter
- 7:00 pm + Harry Bateman, Req. Mr. & Mrs.
Nicholas DeCaprio
+ Ludette Agura, Req. Agura Family

TUESDAY, February 28, 2012

- 8:00 am + Leonard Schramm, Req. Family
- 7:00 pm + Jacqueline Kraus, Req. Mother Teresa Regional
Board of Limited Jurisdiction

WEDNESDAY, February 29, 2012

- 8:00 am + Frank Fortino, Req. Kathleen McConnell

- 7:00 pm + Jackie Kraus, Req. Robert & Patricia McCarthy

THURSDAY, March 1, 2012

- 8:00 am + Vincent Raine Sr., Req. Raine Family
+ Pat Sitty, Req. Husband & Family

- 7:00 pm + Patrick Alwell, Req. Jack & Terry Corcoran

FRIDAY, March 2, 2012

- 8:00 am + Patrick Alwell, Req. The Miller Family

- 7:00 pm + Dru Faulkner, Req. Jack & Terry Corcoran

SATURDAY, March 3, 2012

- 8:00 am + John Byrne, Req. Byrne Family
+ Jackie Kraus, Req. Sharon Brabant

- 5:00 pm + Genevieve Rose Salvoski, Req. Family
+ Patrick Alwell, Req. The Soscia Family

SUNDAY, March 4, 2012

- 7:30 am + Rev. Patrick G. Fitzpatrick,
Req. Bill & Marlene Kelly

- + Frank Fortino, Req. Bill & Marlene Kelly

- 9:00 am + Thomas & John Dugan, Req. Dougan Family
+ Joseph Falzon, Req. Lalima Family

- 11:00 am + Ethel Logan, Req. Family
+ William Mueller, Req. Grace & Hank Wojcik

- 5:00 pm + People of the Parish
+ Helen Kiley, Req. Pat Armusewicz

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: hfreliouged@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. Questions 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 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.

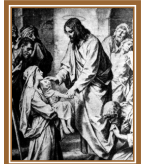
GOLDEN AGE GROUP

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

Please Remember to Pray for the Sick

Barbara Lucas, Virginia Schellato, Christopher Lackner, Madeline Draper, Katie Spangler, John Lacari, Lucille Fahey, Fred Nemeth, Richard Bryson.

RECENTLY ILL: Irene Crotty, Frank Fusco, Christine DeAngelo, Nicholas Schulmeister, Rita Ricard, Karl Spangler, Olivia Bobber, Caeden Stoll, Margaret Sutter, Joyce Freddo, Jack Wegman, Rosemarie Sacharanski and son Robert, Karen Stralkus.



ADORATION

EVERY WED. 8:30 – 3:00 P.M.

IN THE CHAPEL



Eucharistic Adoration is the adoration of Jesus Christ present in the Holy Eucharist. The Eucharist is displayed in a special holder called a monstrance, and people come to pray and worship Jesus. Christ's great love for us was shown when he was crucified on the cross to pay the penalty for our sins and give us eternal life. He loves us without limit, and offers Himself to us in the Holy sacrament of the Eucharist. Can we not give Jesus a few minutes of love and adoration in return?

Dear Parishioners,



Before Vatican Council II in the early 1960s, Catholics weren't allowed to eat meat on any Friday of the year, and the large majority of Catholics observed this directive. They also had to fast on all the weekdays during Lent. But the ill, pregnant or nursing mothers, and those who worked in hard labor jobs, as well as those in the military during wartime, were dispensed.

Going back even farther into Church history, Catholics weren't allowed to eat meat, eggs, cheese, or dairy products at all during Lent. Since Vatican II, however, the obligation is to abstain from meat on Ash Wednesday and every Friday of Lent and to fast on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday.

Even though the U.S. bishops received a dispensation (i.e., relaxation of rule for legitimate reason) from Rome for American Catholics to refrain from abstinence on every Friday, and not just during Lent, Catholics are strongly encouraged to do some form of penance, mortification, work of charity, or exercises of piety on all Fridays outside of Lent -- to show respect and honor for the Lord. This isn't often mentioned when the revised rules are explained, but it's mentioned in canons 1252 and 1253 of the 1983 Code of Canon Law. Recently, many bishops and pastors have been suggesting that Catholics abstain from meat on every Friday of the year in reparation for the sin of abortion and to pray for the defense of human life in all its stages and conditions.

Fr. Mark

GIRL SCOUT COOKIE TIME!

Natalina Leite and Kayla Rose, parishioners of Holy Family and students at Mother Teresa Regional School, will be selling Girl Scout cookies after all masses next week (3/3-3/4). Cookies are \$4 per box. Please consider donating a box as a "Gift of Caring." Donated boxes will go to a local food pantry or soldiers overseas. Thank you for supporting Girl Scouts.

**Gertrude Hawk Easter Candy Sale
Sponsored by the Altar & Rosary Society**

Need to find chocolate bunnies and jelly beans for Easter? We've got the answer! The Holy Family Altar & Rosary Society is sponsoring a Candy Sale featuring Gertrude Hawk chocolates and novelties now through March 7th. Order Forms are available at the church entrances and the parish office. All orders, including payment, must be returned by March 7th. Place order and check payable to the Altar & Rosary Society in an envelope and mark it to the attention of the Altar & Rosary Easter Candy Sale, place in the collection basket, drop off at the parish office, or mail to: Holy Family Altar & Rosary Soc., P.O. Box 56, Keyport, NJ 07735. Candy will be available for pick-up at the Holy Family School Bldg. on March 27 & 28th. Questions contact Blanche Sweeney at 732-264-0665. Thank you for your support.

**Ministry Schedule
WEEKEND OF MARCH 3 & 4, 2012**

Serving at the Altar

5:00 PM	7:30 AM	9:00 AM
Deryn Albrecht Madison Seelinger	Nicholas Gates Thomas Rodgers	Jillian Johnson Concetta LaLima
11:00 AM	5:00 P.M.	7:00 PM 3/9 Mass & Stations
Emily Arroyo Daniel Wagner	Michaela McCarthy Lorenzo Valente	Stephanie Abrams Kyle Mulvey

Readers and

**Extraordinary Ministers of
Holy Communion**

5:00 PM	T. Corcoran	J. Bavaro, J. Corcoran, F. Cozzati, S. Donnelly
7:30 AM	B. Picardi	J. Fortino, S. Fortino, A. Gallo, L. Robinson
9:00 AM	M. Hanna	F. Byrne, O. Byrne, G. DeCaprio, K. McConnell
11:00 AM	P. Witzig	A. Genovese, I. Hallard- Dickinson, D. Javins, M. Oquendo
5:00 PM	J. Neubauer	T. Aiken, J. Keenan, E. Keenan, J. Tonks

OUR WEEKLY OFFERING

Last Week – February 19

1st Collection – Weekly \$6904
2nd Collection - The Monitor \$1329

Ash Wednesday

This Week – February 26

1st Collection – Weekly
2nd Collection – Black & Indian Missions

Next Week – March 4

1st Collection – Weekly
2nd Collection – Diocesan Assessment

Crosses and Sauces

St. Joseph's Church Health Ministry is sponsoring a Pasta & Meatball Dinner on Saturday March 10 from 4 to 9 p.m. in the St. Joseph's Parish Center Auditorium, 376 Maple Pl., Keyport. Adults/Seniors \$10, Children 12 and under \$5, and take out will be available. Raffle drawings of gift baskets, live DJ, and 50/50. All proceeds benefit St. Joseph's Health Ministry's faith community outreach projects. For more info. call Wendy 732-739-4075.

**ENCOUNTERING JESUS
Ten Week Bible Study**

Holy Family Church is offering a ten week Bible Study entitled "Encountering Jesus." Classes will be held beginning Friday February 24th from 9:00 a.m. to 10:15 am. in Memorial Hall. Please contact Lee to register at 732-856-1291. Study materials will be provided.

**An Irish Evening – Saturday March 10
St. Mary's Chapel Hall**

Beginning at 6:30 p.m. with "St. Patrick His Life & Times" an engaging historical lecture presented by noted Irish speaker Michael O'Maille. Next at 8 p.m. you will enjoy "Blackwater" in concert traditional Irish Music led by Sean Hessessy. Then at 9 p.m. "An Seisun" an open session for musicians of all ages and skills. Come join the fun. Tickets \$20 pp or \$15 in advance. Call 732-915-2191.

**TAKE NOTICE
ACCEPTING BIDS – ROOF REPAIR**

Holy Family church is presently accepting bids on the repair of the roof of the parish building located on the corner of Route 36 & Fr. Fitzpatrick Way. If you are a licensed and insured contractor and wish to bid on this project, please contact Grace Fagan at the Church Business Office at 732-264-1484.

HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH MINISTRY NEWS

**ALL HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH - GRADES 9 - 12
MEETINGS EVERY SUNDAY 6:00 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 p.m. to 8 p.m. Hope to see you there! Questions call Adele Wright 732-721-5558.

**YELLOW ROSE DINER – FUNDRAISER
MONTH OF FEBRUARY**

Every Monday in February from 4-9 P.M. the Yellow Rose Diner located at 41 Hwy. 36, Keyport, will donate 15% of your check to the Holy Family High School Youth Ministry. Please clip out and present coupon at time of ordering.



**HOLY FAMILY YOUTH MINISTRY
FUNDRAISER COUPON**

Every Mon. in Feb. from 4-9pm

Coupon must be presented at time of ordering. Please present this coupon at The Yellow Rose Diner for Holy Family Youth Ministry to receive 15%

donation. (Not to be combined with any other coupon.)
Thank you for your support!

**SAVE THE DATE - SUNDAY APRIL 1ST
HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH MINISTRY SPONSORING
EASTER EGG HUNT
AGES 1 THROUGH 8**

**CHARISMATIC HEALING MASSES
ALL WELCOMED TO ATTEND**

Monday February 27th

Holy Cross Church, Ward Ave. & Rumson Rd., Rumson. Mass 8:00 p.m. Celebrant is Fr. Peter Kochery.

Thursday March 1st

St. Catharine's Church, 108 Middletown Rd., Holmdel. Mass 7:30 p.m. Celebrant is Fr. John Campoli, I.V.Dei.

MARCH SINGLES DANCE

The March Dance for Singles & Couples will be on Saturday, March 10, from 7:00 to 10:30 p.m. in Holy Family Church Memorial Hall, Hwy. 36 & Seagate Ave., Union Beach. The donation is \$10 and includes light refreshments and DJ. Questions contact Gale 732-345-0212 or Joan 732-241-7159.

CBA CRAFT SHOW

You are cordially invited to attend the 17th Annual CBA Craft Show (over 100 juried crafters) on Saturday, March 3, 2012, at 850 Newman Springs Rd., Lincroft, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. (\$1.00 off with this bulletin advertisement).

LENTEN SCHEDULE 2012

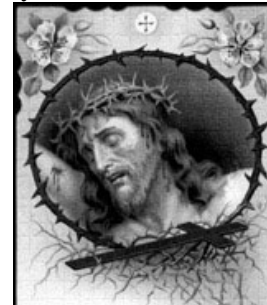


LENTEN WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday through Friday
All Masses held in Main Church during Lent
8:00 A.M. and 7:00 P.M.
Saturday – 8:00 A.M.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Fridays – After 7:00 P.M. Mass



RECONCILIATION (CONFESSION)

Saturdays 3:30 to 4:30 P.M.

PENANCE SERVICE

Wednesday, March 14
Following 7:00 P.M. Mass

2012 LENTEN REGULATIONS

The days of fast (only one full meal) and abstinence (no meat) are Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. All other Fridays of Lent are days of abstinence (no meat). Those between the ages of 18 and 59 are obliged to fast (only one full meal). From the age of 14, people are also obliged to abstain (no meat: this obligation prohibits the eating of meat, but not eggs, milk products or condiments of any kind, even though made from animal fat).

The obligation to observe the laws of fast and abstinence is a serious one for Catholics. Failure to observe one penitential day in itself is not considered a serious sin. It is the failure to observe any penitential days at all, or a substantial number of days, which must be considered serious.

The obligation, the privilege really, of receiving the Eucharist at least once a year—often called “Easter duty”—for those in the state of grace should still be fulfilled during the period from the First Sunday of Lent, February 26th to Trinity Sunday, June 3rd. However, the Church’s law does permit this precept to be fulfilled at another time during the year when there is a just cause.

Catholics are encouraged to go to confession and to make use of the sacrifices and traditions that have always been part of our Lenten practices in the Church.