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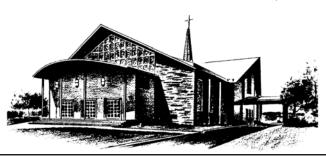
MINISTRY TO THE SICK

Those who are sick, homebound or in the hospital are a vital part of our parish family. Please call the Parish Center to arrange for reception of the Eucharist and Anointing of the Sick.



TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - OCTOBER 2, 2016







The Saint Andrew's Roman Catholic Church mission is to spread the love of Jesus Christ through active ministry, inclusive worship and charitable works for our community and the

world. We invite all who live in our area to join our parish community by calling the Parish Center or by seeing one of the priests.

COME WORSHIP WITH US

On the Lord's Day
Saturday
Sunday
7:00 PM (Spanish Mass)
Last Sunday of Each Month 4:30 PM (Filipino Mass)
Daily
Monday - Saturday
Sacrament of Reconciliation
Saturday
Devotions
Eucharistic Adoration Thursdays 9:30 AM—3:00 PM (Chapel)
Rosary and Holy Hour Thursdays @ 7:10 PM (Chapel)
Rosary Saturdays 6:00 PM (Spanish)
Monday-Saturday 9:45 AM (Chapel)

OUR PARISH FAMILY

New parishioners may register by calling the Parish Center. Current parishioners should notify us of any changes in their status such as births, deaths, marriages, change of address, etc. Registration is a prerequisite for receiving the Sacraments.

OUR NEW AND IMPROVED WEBSITE

Our website has been updated and contains a link to our Facebook page. Go to www.standrewcc.com St Andrew's Church (Facebook).

YOU CAN ALSO VIEW THE SUNDAY BULLETIN ON OUR WEBSITE.

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

Monday, October 3

9:00 AM Colombo & Palmeri Families — Their Families

Tuesday, October 4

9:00 AM Bob Robert Simpson - Jean, Alan, and Families

Wednesday, October 5

9:00 AM Cahill Family - The Family

Thursday, October 6

9:00 AM John McKiernan - Brian Silvia

Friday, October 7

9:00 AM Mary & John Oh - The Francisco Family

Saturday, October 8

9:00 AM Ye-Sun Park - David Oh

5:00 PM Lama Family - The Grandchildren

Sunday, October 9

8:00 AM Ann Cunningham - Ann Badach

10:30 AM Robert Lambert - His Family

12:15 PM Anthony Mascia - His Family

7:00 PM Ricky Wojcicki (Living Special Intention)—His Mom

Those who have pre-arranged a Mass intention, are invited to present the gifts of bread and wine during that celebration. On the Lord's Day and Holy Days, please inform the usher.

Please help us update our prayers for the sick list. If there is anyone you would like to add /remove, please call the Parish Center at 201-666-1100.

"To everything there is a season, and a time for every purpose under heaven." Ecclesiastes 3:11

"A time to be healed"

For those who are ill, especially: Msgr. Thomas McCarthy, Gilda Gilmartin, Barbara Stewart, Chris Napoli, John Spellman, Robert Lebron, Craig Carosella, Leonora Paul, Rosemary Giordano, Michael Bodtman, Olivia Lifrieri, Cathy Wojcicki, Corey Rooney, Naomi Barbaretti, Ralph Gigante, Lee Ann Fernino, Daniel Swift, David Nowacki, Deyanira Pineda, Michael Cucco, Grace Skuches, Mary Pulver, Christopher P. Marra, Ada Binder, Elizabeth Krone, Patricia Massey, William Quinn, Nancy DeMeola, Terry Rekow, Pauline Olds, Vincent Ficarra, Kay Vanderhoof, Stephen Pulver, Susan McShane, Mclean Ambrogio, Anna Meehan, Ed Marlow, Carol Petrucelli, Lia A., Richard Mastrangelo, Marguarite O'Brien. Judy Murtagh, Frank Sakosits, Fr. Ward Moore, Denise Robertson, Diane Mariconti, Lucrezia, Joseph & Amelia G. Luongo, Jim Ferris, Theresa Anne Hauser, Jorge Barquest, Joan Casey, Lois Re, Barquest Family, Lurdes Salazar, Roselaine Fernino.

"A time for peace"

For those serving in the Armed Forces, especially: Alma & Michael Baffa, Dillon Heyliger and Jeffrey Gum.

"If today, you hear his voice..."

For those studying for the priesthood, especially:

Pedro Soriano, our parishioner.

Paul Zeller, our parishioner, Deaconate candidate.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Monday, October 3 Bereavement Mtg
Tuesday, October 4 Choir Practice 7:30 PM (Church)
Wednesday, October 5 50 Plus Club Mtg 1:00 PM (Gym) Human Concerns Open House 6:30 PM Church Hall) Year I Interviews 7:00 PM (Gym) ESL
Thursday, October 6 Eucharistic Adoration 9:30 AM - 3:00 PM (Chapel) Spanish Women's Group 6:00 PM (MPR) Rosary and Holy Hour
Friday, October 7 Spanish Youth Grp 6:30—9:00 PM (3rd Floor & MPR) NO FRIDAY NIGHT DINNERS UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE
Saturday, October 8
Men's Cursillo 8:00 AM (MPR)
AA Meeting 10:30 AM (Church Hall)
Baptisms
Reconciliation
(Carport Entrance) First Eucharistic Enrollment 5:00 PM (Church)
Sunday, October 9 Religious Ed

MEMORIALS DURING THE WEEK OF OCTOBER 3 update



CHURCH HOSTS

In loving memory of Louise Cristaldi by Laura Cristaldi

HELP WANTED - ST. ANDREW'S MUSIC DIRECTOR/KEYBOARDIST

We are seeking a part-time Music Director/Keyboardist. If you know of someone who would be interested in this position, please contact Fr. Alex or the Parish Center at 201-666-1100.

SAVE THE DATE - UPCOMING PARISH EVENTS

RESPECT FOR LIFE WALK - will take place on Saturday, October 8. All are welcome to join in the walk starting at 10:30 AM at St. John's in Hillsdale and ending at St. Andrew's.

PARISH PICNIC - will be held on Sunday, October 9, after the 12:15 PM Mass on the Parish grounds. Tickets are on sale at the back of the Church.

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS FOR SUNDAY, OCTOBER 11:

Reading I: 2 Kings 5: 14-17 Reading II: 2 Timothy 2:8-13 Gospel: Luke 17:11-19

Pastor's Letter

Dear Parish Family,

The month of October is dedicated to the Blessed Virgin Mary, the Queen of the Holy Rosary. In memory of the triumphant victory at the battle of Lepanto, the Feast of the Rosary was established on October 7. This month is a good time to commit ourselves to praying the Rosary daily as it will bring peace and holiness into your life. It is a powerful instrument for conversion and an excellent way of honoring Mary. I invite all of you to pray the Rosary every day after Mass. Come and join our "prayer warriors."

This Sunday is Respect Life Sunday. We recognize the inherent dignity of every person in every circumstance and at every stage of life from conception to death. I would like to suggest the following:

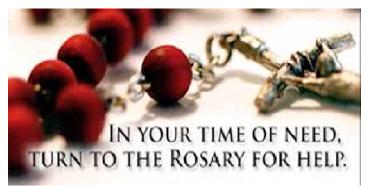
- Pray for the respect and protection of each person and his or her life.
- Reflect upon God, our relationship with Him, and our role in His loving plan.
- Make sacrifices for violations to the dignity of the human person.
- Keep informed about life issues that affect daily life.
- Build up a culture of life through prayer and other concrete actions.

We are re-introducing the Bereavement Ministry in our parish. The Bereavement Ministry is an important ministry which provides liturgical, spiritual and practical support for those who have suffered the loss of a loved one. It provides a support group to help the grieving cope with and understand the many aspects of the grief they are experiencing so they are not alone in their journey to healing. This Monday, October 3, we are having our first Bereavement meeting in the Parish Center from 2:00 to 3:30 PM. All who have suffered the loss of a loved one are invited to attend.

May God continue to bless our Parish Family

Sincerely in Christ,

Fr. Alex



The month of October is devoted to the Rosary. Please pray the Rosary daily for world peace. All are welcome to participate in a public recitation of the Rosary following 9:00 AM Mass in the Chapel.

Friday, October 7 is the First Friday of the month. All are welcome to join the 9:00 AM Mass in the Chapel to keep the devotion to the Sacred Heart.

MINISTRY CORNER

BEREAVEMENT MINISTRY

If you or someone you know has suffered the loss of a family member or friend, we invite you and your loved ones to join us as we re-introduce our Bereavement Ministry. We have scheduled our first meeting for Monday, October 3, beginning at 2:00 PM, in our Parish Center. This is an informal meeting to support those who are grieving the loss of a loved one.

50 PLUS CLUB NEWS AND SPECIAL EVENTS

The next meeting is on **Wednesday**, October 5 at 1:00 PM in the gym. We will have a guest speaker from the Westwood Library and, in keeping with the latest coloring book craze, we will do some seasonal coloring. Come join the fun and bring your non-perishable items, if you have not done so already, for the food pantry. Any questions, please call Elaine at 201-664-7037.

ALL FUTURE MEETINGS ARE ON WEDNESDAYS.

TROPICANA (ATLANTIC CITY) HOLIDAY SHOW

Date: Tuesday, Nov. 29. Cost: \$49.00 per person. The price includes bus leaving from K-Mart at 9:00 AM and return by 9:00 PM, \$15 free slot play, buffet, show ticket, bus driver gratuity. Reservations are on first-come basis, payment due by Oct. 13. Make checks payable to St. Andrew's/50 Plus Club and mail to Hilda Gonzalez, 314 Kinderkamack Rd., Emerson, NJ 07630 or call 201-265-5257.

PARISH PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY DOORS IN PARK RIDGE

Our parish pilgrimage will be on Saturday, October 15 at Noon, celebrating the Jubilee Year of Mercy. We will drive our cars from our parking lot to Our Lady of Mercy Church, 2 Fremont Avenue, Park Ridge. We will come together to process outside around the church, enter through the Holy Doors into the church for a prayer service led by Fr. Alex. Registration is necessary in the event of a last minute cancellation due to a funeral at OLM. Please contact Fran Yates at 201-664-7592 and leave a message with your name, phone number, and how many people will attend. If you need a ride, indicate it in your message for Fran. The pilgrimage will proceed rain or shine.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS PROGRAM Unbaptized adults, as well as anyone who has been baptized in another Christian faith community, or anyone

who was baptized a Catholic but has not received First Eucharist and/or Confirmation, are invited to come and explore membership in the Catholic Church. The R.C.I.A. program will begin in October. If you or someone you know is interested, there are forms at the back of the Church. The forms can be left there or at the Parish Center.

THE TEN COMMANDMENTS OF LIFE

- 9. When you pray for others, God listens to you and blesses them; sometimes, when you are safe and happy, remember that someone has prayed for you.
- 10. Worrying does not take away tomorrow's troubles, it takes away today's peace.

Church Stewardship

Our stewardship commitment to support the work of the parish and its ministries shows our appreciation to God for the gifts we have been provided and our willingness to share those gifts.

COLLECTION FOR THE WEEKEND OF: SEPTEMBER 17-18				
Envelopes: 172	\$	7,087.00		
Non-Envelopes	\$	1,357.00		
In-Church Total	\$	8,444.00		
Electronic Giving	\$	978.00		
General Repairs	\$	1,317.00		

HUMAN CONCERNS ITEM OF THE WEEK: CANNED FRUIT



ADDITIONAL FOOD PANTRY ITEMS: toilet paper, toiletries, crackers, tuna, juice, tomato sauce, pancake mix.

SUPERMARKET GIFT CARDS ARE ALSO WELCOME.

CLOTHING BIN OPEN: We ask that clean, ready-to-use clothing, shoes, towels and bed-linens **ONLY** be placed in it. **Do not leave any items outside the bin or the Church garage doors.** Due to limited space, we are **ONLY** able to accept clothing, small toys, children's books, kitchen, and baby items at the garage on Mondays from 6:30-8:00 PM and Tuesdays from 1:00-2:30 PM.

WANTED: Volunteers are needed on Mondays, 6:30 - 8:00 PM and Tuesdays, 1:00 – 2:30 PM.

FOR THE RIDE HOME TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

1st Reading: Habakkuk 1:2-3; 2:2-4 **2nd Reading:** 2 Timothy 1:6-8,13-14

Gospel: Luke 17:5-10



Adult Question: Being "in Christ" means living as Christ teaches. What signs do you see in your life of generosity, forgiveness, hospitality, or any other of Jesus' teachings?

Child's Question: Jesus teaches us that our faith is powerful and with it, we can do great things. We can forgive, love, and share with others. Which of these do you do most often?

SAVE THE DATE: LIFE IN THE SPIRIT SEMINAR - Nov.12 & 13

The Seminar will be hosted by the Church of the Annunciation Prayer Group at the Windsor Prep School gymnasium (adjacent to the Church of the Annunciation), 50 W. Midland Ave., Paramus. Free registration, free meals, free Bible. To register, call Ninette at 201-734-3453 or Nina at 201-788-9867.

Y.H. C.--

TEENS

Interviews for Year I candidates will be conducted this week on Wednesday, October 5. If you are scheduled for an interview, you will receive an email.

SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE EVENTS

IMMACULATE HEART ACADEMY - Sunday, October 16, 11 AM-2 PM and Thursday, November 3 at 6:30 PM. Online registration requested at www.ihanj.com. Information, call 201-445-6800. IHA is located at 500 Van Emburgh Ave., Township of Washington.

PARAMUS CATHOLIC - Wednesday, October 19, 7-9 PM. 6th, 7th and 8th graders and their parents are invited to attend at 425 Paramus Rd., Paramus. For information, call the Admissions Office at 201-445-4466, ext 104.

St. John's Academy News

Our new school year is in full session now and we welcome two new teachers: Ms. Noelle Mastrangelo for the second grade and Mr. Joseph Strepparava for the fifth grade.

Box Tops For Education - There are collection boxes located in our sponsoring parishes for "Box Tops for Education". Please clip and drop Box Tops from General Mills, Pillsbury, Hefty and Kimberly Clark products. Each one is worth \$.10 to our school. Many thanks for your generosity.

OPENING SCHOOL LITURGY was held on Monday, September 12.

WHAT'S HAPPENING IN OUR LOCAL AREA?

OUR LADY OF MERCY PARISH MINISTRY OF ELDER CARE CAREGIVER SUPPORT GROUP ON WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 5

This ministry offers support/education to individuals, families and caregivers dealing with aging issues/concerns. The group meets the first Wednesday of each month from 7:00-8:00 PM at OLM Parish Center, 50 Pascack Rd, Park Ridge. The group is led by Bonnie Costabile, CMC and John Rokoszak, MS. To attend, RSVP, by October 3, to the OLM Rectory Office at 201-391-5315.

ADORNO FATHERS FAIR - SUNDAY, OCTOBER 9, 10:00 AM-5:00 PM The Country Fair will be held on the grounds of St. Michael's Seminary, 575 Darlington Ave., Ramsey. There will be 150+ booths with antiques, jewelry, paintings, crafts, handmade goods, etc. Kids can have fun in the play area with new rides. For information, call 291-327-7375. NO PETS PLEASE.

ST. ANTHONY'S TRICKY TRAY FUNDRAISER THURSDAY, OCTOBER 13, 6:30 TO 10:30 PM

Come join us at The Rockleigh, 26 Paris Avenue, Rockleigh. The \$60.00 per person cost includes the cocktail hour, dinner, beer, wine, soda, coffee and dessert with a special performance by Laura Roth. There will be Raffle Baskets, 50/50, Super Prizes. Ticket purchases by cash or check, payable to St. Anthony's Church only. RSVP by 10/3/16. Questions? Call Mary or Christa at the Rectory at 201-768-1177.

"THE EVER CHANGING MEDICARE SYSTEM" PRESENTATION THURSDAY, OCTOBER 20, 1:00 – 3:00 PM

You are invited to this free presentation given by Tim Hodges which will be held at Care One at the Cupola, W. 100 Ridgewood Ave., Paramus. This presentation is co-sponsored by Aronsoncare. For further information, contact Bonnie Costabile, CMC at 201-784-1914. Please make reservations at Idaly@care-one.com or call 201-444-8200. Light lunch will be served.

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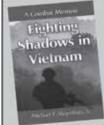
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