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TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – SEPTEMBER 30, 2018



*W*elcome

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.

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PARISH CENTER
OFFICE HOURS

MONDAY, WEDNESDAY
9:00 AM to 4:00 PM
6:30 PM to 8:30 PM

TUESDAY, THURSDAY
9:00 AM to 4:00 PM

FRIDAY 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM

SATURDAY 9:00 AM to NOON

COME WORSHIP WITH US

ON THE LORD'S DAY - IN THE CHURCH

SATURDAY 5:00 PM

SUNDAY 8:00 AM, 10:30 AM, 12:15 PM
7:00 PM (SPANISH MASS)

DAILY - IN THE CHAPEL

MONDAY - SATURDAY 9:00 AM

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

SATURDAY 4:00 - 4:30 PM

DEVOTIONS

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION THURSDAYS 9:30 AM - 3:00 PM (CHAPEL)

ROSARY AND HOLY HOUR THURSDAYS 7:00 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 members should notify us of changes in their status such as births, deaths, marriages, change of address, etc. Registration is required for receiving the Sacraments.

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.

OUR PARISH WEBSITE AND FACEBOOK PAGE

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.

SAINTE ANDREW CHURCH, WESTWOOD

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

MONDAY, October 1
 9:00 AM Frances Fisher - Helen & Peter Cerrati

TUESDAY, October 2
 9:00 AM John McLaughlin - The Sok Family

WEDNESDAY, October 3
 9:00 AM The Cahill Family - The Family

THURSDAY, October 4
 9:00 AM Carmella Stazzone - The Miller Family

FRIDAY, October 5 FIRST FRIDAY
 9:00 AM Victoria Tay - Helen & Peter Cerrati

SATURDAY, October 6 FIRST SATURDAY
 9:00 AM Deceased Members of the 50 Plus Club
 5:00 PM Marilyn Potente - The Mores Family

SUNDAY, October 7
 8:00 AM Sal DiCocco - His Family
 10:30 AM Lena Amodeo - Jimmy Callaghan & Family
 12:15 PM Robert (Bob) Lambert - His Family
 7:00 PM Elena Rivera - Elvia Tapia

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

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

MONDAY, October 1
 Religious Ed 3:45 PM (Parish Center)
 Prayer Group 7:45 PM (MPR)

TUESDAY, October 2
 Parish Prayer Service 7:00 PM (Church)


WEDNESDAY, October 3
 Little Angels 9:30 AM (Gym)
 50 Plus Club Mtg. 1:00 PM (Gym)
 Human Concerns Open House 6:30 PM (Church Hall)
 Spanish Prayer Group 7:00 PM (Church)
 ESL 7:15 PM (3rd Fl)
 Catholicism Series 7:00 PM (MPR)

THURSDAY, October 4
 Eucharistic Adoration 9:30 AM-3:00 PM (Chapel)
 Rosary & Holy Hour 7:00 PM (Chapel)
 Food Pantry 7:30 PM (Church Hall)

FRIDAY, October 5 FIRST FRIDAY
 Catholicism Series 10:00 AM (MPR)
 Spanish Youth Group 6:30-9:00 PM (MPR)

SATURDAY, October 6 FIRST SATURDAY
 Men's Cursillo 8:00 AM (MPR)
 AA Meeting 10:30 AM (Church Hall)
 Reconciliation 4:00 PM (Church)
 (Carport Entrance)
 Family Mass 5:00 PM (Church)
 Family Based Religious Ed. 6:00 PM (Gym)
 Spanish Prayer Group 6:30 PM (Chapel)

SUNDAY, October 7
 Family Based Religious Ed. 8:30 AM & 11:30 AM (Gym)
 Family Mass 10:30 AM (Church)
 Apostles of the Word 8:00 PM (Church Hall)

<p>MEMORIALS DURING THE WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 30</p>	
<p>CHURCH WINE In loving memory of RICARDO MATTESSICH by MARIA CIVIDINI</p> <p>CHAPEL HOSTS In loving memory of MARIANO VILLARAZA by THE LIBRINCA FAMILY</p>	

"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: Joan Shaw, Lee Ann Fernino, Gilda Gilmartin, Barbara & Dave Stewart, Leonora Paul, Bob Tropila, Michael Bodtman, Cathy Wojcicki, Octavio Galvez, Paul L. Clark, Helen Stipo, D.E., Kay Vanderhoof, Vinny Ficarra, Fr. Ward Moore, Diane Mariconti, Vinnie Covelio, Elaine DeRobertis, Mary Kenny, Craig Carosella, Terry Rekow, Ron & Joe Koppinger, Sean Cresci, John McLaughlin, Jean Neary, Mary & Lou Pulver, Lombardi Family, McLean Ambrogio, Carmina Sciafani, Brian Fitzpatrick, Ed Marlow, Shannon Simester, Gerry Voorhis, Anna Grisoni, Ina McNeely, Diane Pirerra, Louise Pacos, Robert Sottolano.


"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 our parishioners studying for the priesthood/diaconate: Pedro Soriano, Seminarian. Paul Zeller, Diaconate candidate.

	<p>NEXT WEEK'S READINGS - SUNDAY, OCTOBER 7</p> <p>1ST READING: GENESIS 2:18-24 2ND READING: HEBREW 2:9-11 GOSPEL: MARK 10:2-6</p>
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ST. ANDREW'S CREATION CARE CLUB	
<p>CREATION CARE CLUB - WAYS TO CARE FOR OUR WORLD:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Instead of paper products, use cloth napkins and towels. ◆ Instead of parchment paper, use reusable silicone mats. ◆ Use vacuum sealers to help cut down on food waste/spoilage. <p style="text-align: center;">Please call Scott Loverich at 201-615-3494 or email at stloveirch@gmail.com for more information about this ministry.</p>	
	<p>PRAY EACH DAY THAT NEWBORNS, THEIR PARENTS AND FAMILIES, WILL WALK BEFORE THE LORD AND SAY "YES" TO HIS CALL.</p>



The Spirit

came to rest on them



TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

REFLECTION FOR THE WEEK

JUDGE GENTLY

Pray, don't find fault with the man who limps or stumbles along the road. Unless you have worn the shoes he wears or struggled beneath his load. There may be tacks in his shoes that hurt, though hidden away from view. Or, the burden he bears, placed on your back, might cause you to stumble, too. Don't sneer at the man who's down today, unless you have felt the blow That caused his fall or felt the shame that only the fallen know. You may be strong, but still the blows that were his, if dealt to you In the selfsame way, at the selfsame time, might cause you to stagger too. Don't be too harsh with the man who sins or pelt him with word or stone Unless you are sure - yea, doubly sure - that you have no sins of your own. For you know, perhaps, if the tempter's voice should whisper as softly to you As it did to him when he went astray, it might cause you to stumble too.

- - Author Unknown - -



**FEAST OF THE HOLY GUARDIAN ANGELS
OCTOBER 2**



“All are invited to participate in an Evening Prayer Service

to bring our Parish family together as one body in Christ.

Tuesday, October 2
7:00 PM
in the Church.



LOCAL AREA EVENTS

CHURCH OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION - SIP, EAT AND PAINT
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 20, 6:30-9:00 PM. Canvas to paint, drink to sip, food and fun for all! The \$30.00 cost per person includes materials, wine and dinner. Reservations/tickets available by calling the Rectory (201-768-1600) or emailing immaculateconception@iccnorwood.org.

St. Joseph's, Oradell has a **Separated/Divorced Healing Ministry** for those who need support. Novena is at 7:00 PM in the Lower Church (Harrison St. entrance) immediately followed by meetings on the following dates: Oct. 15, 29; Nov. 5, 19; Dec. 3, 17. Go down the stairs and first room on the left (Jackson Room). Time: 7:30-9:30 PM. Pre-registration not required. The workbook fee is \$20. If you cannot afford this, you will receive it without cost. Come experience God's unconditional love. For info, contact Annette Ziegler at aziggy314@gmail.com. Men and women are welcome.



MEMORIAL OPPORTUNITIES

We have had a very positive response to our memorial fund which allows people to donate any amount in memory of a loved one (living or deceased) in commemorating special events in their lives (births, baptisms, marriages, weddings, anniversaries, ordinations, special birthdays, in thanksgiving or other milestones). We have been able to purchase and pay for new vestments and stoles – before we had no matching vestments or concelebrant stole - and new flagons (pitchers) for the consecration of the Precious Blood of Christ. The Paschal Candle was donated through a generous donation to the fund. Not everyone can afford to buy a single item so it is nice to be able to contribute towards it. An acknowledgement is sent to those who are being remembered or honored as well as a personal thank you to those who contribute. Please contact the Parish Center at 201-666-1100 for more information or to contribute to the memorial fund.

CATHOLICISM SERIES:

**THIS WEEK - WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 3, 7:00-8:30 PM OR
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 5, 10:00-11:30 AM
IN THE PARISH CENTER, MULTI-PURPOSE ROOM.**

LESSON: THE FIRE OF HIS LOVE: PRAYER AND THE LIFE OF THE SPIRIT.



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On October 7, after the 12:15 Mass, K of C St. Thomas More Council 2188 will install their officers. It is a beautiful ceremony. Social will follow. All are welcome.



**COLUMBUS DAY DINNER/DANCE
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 13, 7:00-11:00 PM**

K OF C HALL at 40 Crest St., Westwood.
Food by The Estate at Florentine Gardens.



Cost of \$50.00 per person includes live music, beer, wine, soda. Door prizes, raffles available. All are welcome to attend.

Flyers are available in the Parish Center.

For reservations, call or email Grand Knight Frank Mariconti Sr. at 551-579-1123 or at fms12250@aol.com.

ST. ANDREW'S FOOD PANTRY
ITEMS OF THE WEEK:
SOAP & SHAMPOO



WE ARE ALWAYS IN NEED OF: peanut butter/jelly, pasta/tomato sauce, soup, juice, cereal, pancake mix/syrup, tuna, soap, shampoo, mac & cheese, canned vegetables, toilet paper.

SUPERMARKET GIFT CARDS ARE ALSO WELCOME.

CLOTHING BIN OPEN: We ask for clean, ready-to-use shoes, clothing, 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 baby & kitchen items, clothing, and small toys at the garage on Mondays, 6:30-8:00 PM and Tuesdays, 1:00-2:30 PM.

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

WE THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY AND SUPPORT OF OUR MINISTRY.

Our Stewardship Commitment

COLLECTION-WEEKEND OF SEPTEMBER 22-23

Envelopes: 156	\$ 4,745.00
Non-Envelopes	\$ 2,660.00
In-Church Total	\$ 7,405.00
General Repairs	\$ 363.00

50 Plus Club News

NEXT MONTHLY MEETING, Wednesday, October 3 at 1:00 PM in the Gym. The Westwood Police will be making an important presentation on "Scams". Questions, call Elaine 201-664-7037. **Please remember to bring 1 or 2 items for the Food Pantry.**

TROPICANA/ATLANTIC CITY TRIP, TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 27. Cost: \$55. includes R/T Transport, \$15.00 Slot Play, Buffet Voucher, Ticket to "A Magical Holiday Spectacular", bus driver gratuity. **Payment due before October 29.** Questions, call Hilda 201-265-5257. Forms are in the Church and Chapel.

CHRISTMAS LUNCHEON, Wednesday, December 5, The Estate at Florentine Gardens. Cost: \$38.00 members/ \$43.00 non-members. **Payment due: November 10.** Questions, call Angie 201-666-3888.

New Year's Celebration, Saturday, December 29, Stony Hill Inn, Hackensack. Cost: \$67.00 includes gratuity. **Payment due by November 2.** Questions, call Hilda 201-265-5257.

CRUISE TO BERMUDA, JUNE 1-6, 2019, Royal Caribbean's Anthem of the Seas. Per person prices based on double occupancy includes port taxes and fees: Balcony: \$1,127.06, Ocean View: \$1,041.06, Inside: \$941.06, Inside Quad: \$816.31, Triple Inside: \$895.06 **Deposit of \$200.00 per person** will secure your cabin. **Final payment due February 19.** Questions call Hilda 201-483-8424.

We often take for granted the very things that most deserve our gratitude. -
 Cynthia Ozick

Weekly Collection - Online Giving

Instead of using the envelope system, you can make your donations online directly from your checking account or credit/debit card. Visit our website at <https://standrewcc.com>. Scroll to "Links", click on "Electronic Giving", linked onto the Liturgical Publications (LPI) site. Any questions, contact Fran Borg at frances.m.borg@gmail.com.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION / YOUTH GROUP NEWS

FAMILY BASED RELIGIOUS EDUCATION will be held:
 Saturday, Oct. 6, 5:00 PM Mass; gym 6:00-8:00 PM.
 Sunday: Oct. 7:, 8:30-10:30 AM gym; 10:30 AM Mass or 10:30 AM Mass; 11:30 AM -1:30 PM gym. Check your email.

Monday After-School Religious Education Program has begun. Sessions are at 3:45 PM in the Parish Center. If you have not registered, contact Maura/Lori, 201-664-6777 as soon as possible.

LITTLE ANGELS - FIRST MEETING ON WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 3
MOMS/CAREGIVERS OF INFANTS TO KINDERGARTENERS are welcome to join us in the Gym every Wednesday morning from 9:30-11:00. Our fun includes crafts, Bible stories, playtime and snacks. Registration is available on the first day. Any questions, call Maura or Lori at 201-664-6777.

FOR THE RIDE HOME
26TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



GOSPEL: Mark 9:38-43, 45, 47-48
ADULT QUESTION: What are the three most important values motivating your daily decisions?
CHILD'S QUESTION: Could a poor person who is wise be richer in a way than a foolish person who has many things? Why?

1ST EUCHARIST ENROLLMENT - SATURDAY, OCTOBER 13, 5:00 PM MASS OR SUNDAY, OCTOBER 14, 12:15 PM MASS.

Teens - Youth Group 7:00-8:30 PM in the Gym
Monday, October 1 Wednesday, October 3

This week's group meeting is for Year II candidates only.
 It is the first session of the required Confirmation Preparation Sessions.

St. John's Academy News

The **PRE K3-8 GRADES ARE SETTLING INTO THEIR NEW SCHEDULES.** We hope our students will be passionate learners who live Christ-centered lives.

GOOD NEWS - SJA's students will be participating in the National Catholic Educational Assn. STREAM convention in June 2019.

CONGRATULATIONS TO MRS. SHARON GALLAGHER for her 20 years of service at Saint John's Academy,

Open House Events: 6th, 7th, 8th Graders

PARAMUS CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL: Wed. Oct. 17, 7:00-9:00 PM. Admissions Office: 201-445-4466 ext. 104.

IMMACULATE HEART ACADEMY: Sun., Oct.14, 11:00 AM-2:00 PM & Thurs., Oct. 25, 6:30-8:30 PM. www.ihanj.com or 201-445-6800.

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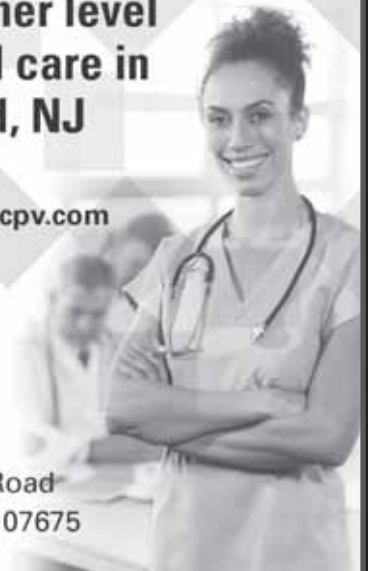
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