

The Parish Community of

Saint Kateri Tekakwitha

427 Stanhope Road, Sparta, New Jersey 07871

Welcome! Bienvenidos!

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

June 30, 2019

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The Schools of the Catholic Academy of Sussex County

973-729-6125 Ext. 225
Rev. George A. Brown School (Pre-K to Gr. 4)
Pope John XXIII Middle School (Gr. 5 to 7)
Pope John XXIII High School (Gr. 8 to 12)

Celebration of the Eucharist:

Saturday Evening: 5:00 PM
Sunday Morning: 8:00, 9:30, 11:30 AM and 6:00 PM
Daily Mass: Monday - Friday 8:15 AM

Holy Day: Vigil 7:30 PM; Holy Day - 8:15 AM and 12:00 PM
6:00 PM Mass will not be held on holiday weekends.
(including Super Bowl Sunday, Mother's Day and Father's Day)

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament every 1st Friday of the month at
3:00 pm. Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament / Divine Mercy Chaplet Prayer.
Evening prayer and Benediction 8:00 pm.

Sacrament of Reconciliation: (Penance) - Saturdays: 4:00-4:30
PM (Reconciliation Chapel) By appointment at any other time. Communal
Celebrations are held during Advent.

Spanish Mass: 7:00 PM every 1st and 4th Mondays of the month; a hospitality
dinner to follow the mass on the 4th Monday of the Month.
Sacrament of Reconciliation is celebrated before and after Mass.

Rosary Service

We pray the Rosary every Thursday after the 8:15 AM morning Mass. It is fol-
lowed by the Novena of the Miraculous Medal. All are welcome.

Sacraments

Baptism: Baptisms will be celebrated at the 11:30 AM Mass the first Sunday
of the month or the first and third Sunday of the month at 1:00 PM. Please call at
least 8 weeks in advance of the date of Baptism or e-mail jennd@saintkateri.org

Sacrament of Marriage: Arrangement should be made one year in
advance of the marriage date.

Friends of Bill W: Meetings held Tuesdays 7- 9 PM in the Comm. Rm.

Parish Center - 973-729-1682 - Fax: 973-729-0702

Office Hours: 8:30 AM to 3:00 PM Monday through Thursday.
Fridays - closed

www.saintkateri.org; office@saintkateri.org;  [saintkaterisparta](https://www.facebook.com/saintkaterisparta)

Religious Education & Youth Ministry - 973-729-0489

Monday - Thursday - 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM

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Jill Weiss, Youth Coordinator: skym@saintkateri.org

A FRESH PERSPECTIVE ON THE SUNDAY READINGS

HIS WORD TODAY by Rev. William J. Reilly

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“On the way they entered a Samaritan village, but they would not welcome him because the destination of his journey was Jerusalem... As they were proceeding on their journey someone said to him ‘I will follow you wherever you go... and to another He said ‘Follow me’”

Such great contrasts. No welcome, hesitation, and commitment, all within a few short verses. Today, we find rejection of the invitation, insecurity concerning discipleship, and complete dedication. I ask myself, where do I stand.

Our society and culture finds it difficult to meet the challenge of the gospel. At best there is indifference. Some begin, attracted to the person of Jesus and life in the church, but become lax, or are caught just in routine. Many are dedicated and enthusiastic, as the gospel gives meaning to their lives, enriches their families and brings great joy and peace.

As vacation time begins, it might be a good time to ask where discipleship is leading me and discover the potential I have and the call of the Lord for me in these summer months.

Prayers for the Sick: We pray for Tom Booth, Jim Hyland, Jason Duncan, Patrick Dillsworth, Devon Carberry, Brian Smith, Chris Auger, Margaret Brennan, Pam Madzy, Brittney Johnson, Catherine DeStefano, Dawn Devoil, James Risco, Anni Alliegro, Claudia Krynicky, Laura Ziegert, Candace Sullivan, Kathy Pellicani, Linda Ross, Thomas Eifler; James Kelly, Karen Rendina.

Mass Intentions

Having a Mass offered is a wonderful way to remember a deceased loved one, celebrate a birthday or anniversary, or for any special intention you may have. The customary donation is \$15.00 and Mass Cards can be obtained by visiting the Parish Office during normal business hours. Monday through Thursday 8:30 am to 3:00 pm.

The Second Envelope on July 07, 2019 will be for Parish Maintenance.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR STEWARDSHIP OF TIME, TALENT AND TREASURE

	Weekly	Month of June
Regular Collections		\$39,273
Week Ending 06/02/19	\$9,182	
Week Ending 06/09/19	\$9,930	
Week Ending 06/16/19	\$13,422	
Week Ending 06/23/19	\$6,740	
Budget Monthly Expenses (including Loan Payments)		\$62,500
Month Net Income/(Expense) as of 06/23/19	(\$23,227)	

If you would like to contribute electronically visit our safe and secure website at www.saintkateri.org/electronic-giving.

We are thankful for all those parishioners who contribute to the financial support of the church and who take stewardship so seriously.

Please consider Saint Kateri in your estate planning.

Mass Intentions



Monday, July 1: Weekday; St. Junipero Serra, Priest

8:15 AM Tom Walsh

Tuesday, July 2: Weekday

8:15 AM Rose Kardashian

Wednesday, July 3: Weekday; St. Thomas, Apostle

8:15 AM Parishioner of the Parish

Thursday, July 4: Weekday

8:15 AM Special Intention

Friday, July 5: First Friday; St. Anthony Zaccaria, Priest; St. Elizabeth of Portugal

8:15 AM Teresita Gonzales

Saturday, July 6: The Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00 PM Maureen Theobald

Sunday, July 7: The Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 AM Craig English

Bob Magarino

9:30 AM Frank Parkes

11:30 AM Tom Walsh

6:00 PM Theodore Vanderwerf

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday

Gn 18:16-33; Mt 8:18-22

Tuesday

Gn 19:15-29; Mt 8:23-27

Wednesday

Eph 2:19-22; Jn 20:24-29

Thursday

Gn 22:1b-19; Mt 9:1-8

First Friday

Gn 23:1-4, 19, 24:1-8, 62-67; Mt 9:9-13

First Saturday

Gn 27:1-5, 15-29; Mt 9:14-17

Sunday

Is 66:10-14c; Gal 6:14-18; Lk 10:1-12,
17-20 or 10:1-9



Parish News

Thank you to June's Blood donors and volunteers: we collected 69 units of blood. God Bless You~

We need Blood donations. NOW!

Be a Blood Donor at Saint Kateri's next Blood Drive on **Saturday, July 20** from **7:45 am to 1:45 pm**

Eligible blood donors are between the ages of 17 to 75, weigh a minimum of 110 pounds and in good health. To schedule an appointment: Tinyurl.com/GiveBloodNJBS Sponsor Code 15978 Walk-ins are always welcome. Call Mary Stanek at 973-349-9191 for more information.

Men's Silent and Reflective Retreat

Our annual Men's Retreat at Loyola House in Morristown, NJ will be **September 6th -8th**.

This is a guided retreat by a Jesuit retreat director. With talks, masses, outside stations of the cross, and free time to enjoy the grounds. Please do not be afraid of the silence-it is welcoming! Sign-up sheet is in the gathering space or e-mail Deacon Glen glenpmurphy@gmail.com or cell# 973-449-6095



Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

**First Friday, July 5th
3:00 to 8:00PM**



St. Kateri Knights of Columbus

Congratulations to St. Kateri Council #13677

On June 15, the Knights of Columbus Paterson Federation Chairman William Roberts presented the Chairman's Distinguished Council Award of 1st Place to St. Kateri Council #13677 in recognition of outstanding performance for the 2018 – 2019 Columbian year. St. Kateri earned 121 out of a maximum of 125 points. Congratulations to all of the Council's Brother Knights and their families for achieving this award of excellence.

Marian Devotion Hour for Persecuted Christians

Please join the Knights of Columbus and our parish for a special hour of devotion to our Blessed Mother to pray for persecuted Christians throughout the world. The Marian icon, prayer books, and cards will be present in our church on **Friday, July 5th from 6-7 PM** as a special part of our monthly Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. This icon and hourly prayer services have traveled throughout the diocese over the past year. Please join us. If you could please arrive ten minutes prior and remember that Adoration will be going on, so please be respectful.

Father Patrick Rice Scholarship

Congratulations to the winners of the 2019 Father Patrick Rice scholarship sponsored by the Knights of Columbus. This year's winners include Hunter Roggero, John Zoetjes, Grace Wyckoff, Juleanna Greene, and Jack Maldonado. Our parish wishes you continued success in the future.

Of Possible Interest...



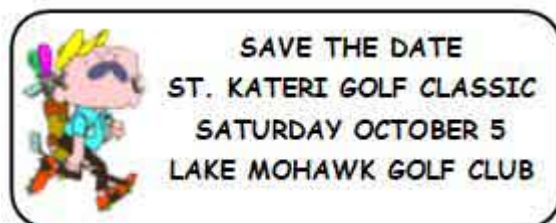
The 5th Annual Changing the Face of Addiction Walk is coming up! It will take place on Saturday, August 3rd 2019 at the Franklin Fireman's Pavilion. Last year we had over 500 participants and raised over \$55,000 for the Center for Prevention & Counseling to provide treatment and recovery support to those in need. Come be part of real change in Sussex County.

The walk will include a silent auction, face painting, fun family activities as well as great food, music and local resources! You also have the ability to create your own team and have your friends and family walk with you either in person or 'virtually'.

How can you get involved? It's easy, you can register to walk, create a team or become a sponsor. We are also taking donations for our silent auction. Please email Louie@centerforpreventi.on.org with any questions.

THANK YOU VERY MULCH!

A big thanks to Bob Medina who donated mulch and volunteers Squire Charlie Wyckoff & Brother Knights Mike Sawey, Mike Risco, Bill Holdsworth, Bob Medina, Jim Dowd, Andrei Caturla & Greg Risco. We Appreciate all your hard work.



Faith Formation Corner...

Confirmation Preparation - Questions?

We will hold Parent Information Meetings for parents of 8th, 9th and 10th graders in the next few weeks. Please attend ONE of these classes to receive information about your student's Confirmation and ask any questions you may have. All meetings will be in the John Bosco Room, downstairs in the church from **7:00 PM to 8:30 PM**.

Wed., July 10th - for 8th Grade Parents
Tues., July 9th - for 9th & 10th Grade Parents

Mark your calendars--bring your questions!

Youth Ministry



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School's Out ~ Let's volunteer!

It takes a Village...

Youth Ministry Adult Volunteers Wanted

We are looking for adult volunteers to assist at weekly Youth Group and special youth ministry events. Its super easy, basically you would be supervising. Help a little or help a lot, its up to you. If you are interested please reach out to Jill skym@saintkateri.org.



Check us out!

It was a community effort to fill 350+ reusable bags with extra lunch foods for children in need.

Let's all pray for the children and families that will be receiving these lunch kits.

Parish Ministries/Contact Persons:

Abortion Alternative: 1st Way Hotline: 800-848-5683

Adopt a Family
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Adoration Society
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Grace Davis 973-697-3853

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Mary Stanek 973-770-0429

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Ryan Dumpert
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Ecumenical Prayer Service Knoll View
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Wine & Divine
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Youth Coordinator (grades 9-12): Jill Weiss
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Youth Protection/Safe Environment Coordinator
Dawn Green
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Parish Events Calendar

Sunday, June 30, 2019
10:30 AM Baptism Prep Class

Monday, July 1, 2019
7:00 PM Spanish Mass
7:30 PM Wine & Divine

Tuesday, July 2, 2019
7:00 PM Bereavement Support
7:00 PM Friends of Bill W.

Wednesday, July 3, 2019
7:30 PM K of C Business Mtg

Friday, July 5, 2019
3:00 PM Adoration of the Blessed

Saturday, July 6, 2019
11:30 AM Ari Rottenstein Baptism

Sunday, July 7, 2019
9:30 AM Squires Monthly Meeting
11:30 AM Lyla Novak Baptism
1:00 PM Stephen Brown Baptism
1:00 PM Eleanor Masi Baptism
2:00 PM Elliott Milnor Baptism



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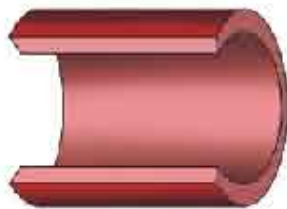
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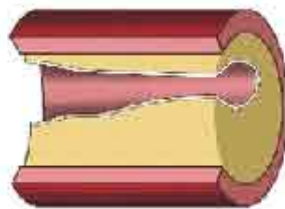
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