



**Church of the
Guardian Angel**
A STEWARDSHIP PARISH

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PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

We, the people of Guardian Angel Parish in the Archdiocese of Newark, are a community of Catholic Christians being formed by the Gospel of Jesus Christ. As a community open to the power and gifts of the Holy Spirit, we strive to work, share, and enjoy life as a witness to the true meaning of Christian Living.

We believe our mission is:

- To be a community of loving and caring people.
- To teach and witness the Good News of Jesus Christ.
- To celebrate that Good News in Sacraments and Prayer.
- To minister to all people in their spiritual and physical needs.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Please call Jo Ann Del Gatto at 201-981-7081 to arrange for infant baptism and parental instruction.

**SACRAMENT OF
CONFIRMATION**

Please contact Katie Cavazzini at 201-934-5554 for information about teen sacramental preparation.

**SACRAMENT OF EUCHARIST
The LORD'S DAY**

Saturday Eve - 5:30 p.m.
(Sunday Obligation)
Sunday - 7:30 a.m., 10:00 a.m., 11:30 a.m.
WEEKDAYS: Monday - Friday - 9:00 a.m.
(Rectory Chapel)
HOLY DAYS: schedule posted in bulletin.

**SACRAMENT OF
RECONCILIATION**

Saturday - 4:30 p.m. to 5 p.m. and by appointment.

SACRAMENTS FOR THE SICK

Please contact the Rectory for the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick and to request Communion for the homebound.

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

Please call the Rectory at least one year in advance.

SACRAMENT OF HOLY ORDERS

Please contact Father Charlie or the Archdiocesan Vocations Office at 973-497-4365.

***RCIA -The Rite of
Christian Initiation of Adults***

If you are an adult interested in becoming Catholic, or if you are a baptized Catholic who would like to receive the Sacrament of Eucharist and/or Confirmation, please call Fr. Charlie at 201-327-4359 or Susan Brown at 201-327-2360.

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Pastoral Council

Parish Pastoral Council meets in the Rectory on the second Monday of the month at 7:30 P.M.

Prayer Chain Ministry

Coordinator: Arlene Sabino (201) 934-8441

STEWARDSHIP OF TIME AND TALENT

Ministry of Worship

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<i>Readers of the Word (Lectors)</i>	
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Ministry of Faith Formation

<i>Baptismal Preparation Ministry</i>	
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<i>Catechetical Ministry (1-9)</i>	
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<i>Stewardship Committee</i>	Jean Escalona (201) 825-3817

Ministry of Community Building

<i>Carnival</i>	Irene Nayden (201) 327-4936
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Ministry of Youth Stewardship

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<i>Living Stations</i>	Andrew Monticello (201)-925-4756
<i>Youth Group (Grades 6-8, 9-12)</i>	
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<i>Youth Mass Music Ministry</i>	
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A Message from the Pastor

December 24, 2017
Fourth Sunday of Advent

A Blessed welcome to one and all!

Happy Fourth Sunday of Advent, and Merry Christmas! What a joy to come together to celebrate the Nativity of our Lord Jesus Christ! Jesus, the Word made Flesh, come to us in history! He comes to us in his Holy Word ... and he comes to us in the divine gift of His Body and Blood! How life-changing it is whenever we hear and respond to his call to “do this in remembrance of me.” How amazing to know and believe that our God loves us so deeply that He sends us His Son – that we might have eternal life. The infant we celebrate is the Jesus, the Light coming into the world.

If you are a visitor or newcomer, or if you are returning to Mass after having been absent, then I offer you a *special word of welcome!* Guardian Angel parish seeks to be your home in faith. We are a very neighborly church in the best sense of the word. Here you will find a place where each Sunday we gather for Mass to praise God as a community of faith and to be nourished in Word and Sacrament, and to be blessed and sent forth in service to Church, community and world! While any of us at times may experience a special feeling of faith in the moment, we know that it is the commitment to journey together with Christ each day that truly draws us to Him and our brothers and sisters ... and there is a place for you here!

We are always ready to accompany those who would like to inquire about the Catholic faith, or grow in your faith. We have a great group that meets with inquirers in a relaxed and informal setting to discuss what it means to have a relationship with Jesus Christ in the community of the Catholic Church. If you or someone you know (baptized or not) would like to learn more, please don't hesitate to contact me directly at 201-327-4359 x 201 or cpinyan@guardianangelchurch.org!

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Last Sunday evening's annual parish Festival of Carols was truly wonderful. Gaudete (Rejoice) Sunday was so inspiring and joyful! Thanks goes to our Director of Music Ministry Andrew Monticello and those who assisted him in bringing together the children's nativity pageant and choir, our parish choir, soloists and narrators, and our parish instrumentalists supplemented by a chamber orchestra. And we are also especially grateful to all who worked to help prepare and decorate our church and prepare the outdoor crèche.

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The service our parish provides to those in need (near and far!) is sometimes well known among parishioners and sometimes not. This is not something “extra,” but an essential part of the Christian life – serving Christ in our brothers and sisters. Through the generous sharing of time, talent and treasure of parishioners, here are just a few recent highlights:

- We hosted three homeless families in our Auditorium during Thanksgiving week, providing meals and comfort



SPECIAL MASS SCHEDULE FOR CHRISTMAS

Sunday, December 24

4 p.m. (*children's choir*), 6 p.m. and 8 p.m.

Monday, December 25

7:30 a.m., 10 a.m., 11:30 a.m.

In making your plans for Christmas Mass, please keep in mind:

- It is usually very crowded at the 4 p.m. Mass, but there is adequate seating at all other Masses.
- Whether you are here, or will be traveling, your generous sharing of your “stewardship of treasure” in the Guardian Angel Christmas collection is a vital and significant part of our annual parish funding of all of our ministries and facilities maintenance, and is deeply appreciated!

SCHEDULE FOR MARY, MOTHER OF GOD (NEW YEAR'S DAY)

NOT a Holy Day of Obligation in 2018, as the solemnity falls on a Monday. There will *not* be an evening vigil Mass on Sunday December 31st.

(The collection envelope mailing insert was incorrect.)

Monday, January 1 10 a.m. (Mass in church)

EPIPHANY “OPEN HOUSE” CELEBRATION in the RECTORY

A SHARING OF APPETIZERS AND DESSERTS

Sunday, January 7 Rectory 3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.



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- We collected more than 200 gifts through our “Giving Tree” which a team of parish volunteers then gave to children as we visited them at a school in Paterson
- We collected hundreds of dollars' worth of toiletries, coffee, tea and Ensure for local AIDS care residences
- And each week, our St. Anthony food cupboard receives your donations of non-perishable food for Bergen County families in economic distress.

May the celebration of Christmas Mass truly renew us in the joy of being children of God, brothers and sisters in Christ!

In Christ,

Father Charlie

Masses for the Week

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Saturday	December 23
5:30 pm	William Nayden
Sunday	December 24
7:30 am	Bartholomew O'Neil
10:00 am	Federici & Gutto Families
11:30 am	The Van Tassel Family
4:00 pm	People of the Parish
6:00 pm	People of the Parish
8:00 pm	People of the Parish
Monday	December 25
7:30 am	People of the Parish
10:00 am	People of the Parish
11:30 am	People of the Parish
Tuesday	December 26
9:00 am	Barbara Tryon
Wednesday	December 27
9:00 am	People of the Parish
Thursday	December 28
9:00 am	Herbert Haller
Friday	December 29
9:00 am	Marianna Zmarlicki
Saturday	December 30
5:30 pm	Al Haynes
Sunday	December 31
7:30 am	Joseph Job
10:00 am	Paul J. Epperlein
11:30 am	TJ Franzese

DAILY MASS IN CHURCH CHRISTMAS OCTAVE

Keeping with our parish custom, our 9 a.m. daily Mass will be celebrated in the church (instead of the rectory chapel) during the weekdays of the Christmas Octave. This year, that means the following dates: Tuesday, December 26th through Friday, December 29th. We return to the rectory chapel on Tuesday, January 2.

RECTORY OFFICE CLOSINGS

The rectory offices will be closed Monday, December, 25th and Friday, December 29th and Monday, January 1st.

CENTER FOR FOOD ACTION

DECEMBER ITEMS NEEDED

85 Boxes of Instant Potatoes per week
85 Bottles of Pancake Syrup per week

Donations can be dropped off at the St. Anthony Food Pantry in the back of the Church. Monetary donations are always welcome and can be placed in the orange bucket at the Food Pantry. Donations for the week ending December 17 included **26 Boxes of Instant Mashed Potatoes** and **29 Bottles of Pancake Syrup**. Please note that *Perishable Items Cannot Be Accepted*. If you have any questions or comments feel free to contact Sue Zitolo at 201-934-9372, szitolo@aol.com or John Lowe at 201-327-9397, john.lowejr@att.net.



GIVING TREE ~ THANK YOU!

On behalf of the children and staff of PS 28 in Paterson, thank you for the many gifts you donated to our annual Giving Tree. Special thanks to the McGill family who provided several helpers and the truck to transport the gifts and to Fr Charlie and the 'elves' (Marianne Brodeck, Sandra Merli and Toni) who helped Santa (Bill Taylor, Jr) distribute the presents to the children. The children were thrilled, but we definitely received more joy than we gave.
 Anna DiMiceli



CONSIDER BECOMING AN ALTAR SERVER!

We thank parishioner Michael Schmidt for speaking at all the Masses last weekend. As the coordinator of the altar server ministry, he would be happy to set up a time to train you for this important service to our parish. We welcome CHILDREN and TEENS 4th grade and older to serve at weekend Masses. We also are in need of ADULTS to serve at Sunday 7:30 a.m. Mass and ADULTS willing to serve occasionally at a FUNERAL Mass (usual time commitment is 9:30 a.m. to 11:15 a.m.). Please email Mike at mike.schmidt1210@gmail.com or call him at 201-934-3353.



READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday: 2 Sm 7:1-5, 8b-12, 14a, 16; Ps 89:2-5, 27, 29; Rom 16:25-27; Lk 1:26-38
 Monday: Vigil: Is 62:1-5; Ps 89:4-5, 16-17, 27-29; Acts 13:16-17, 22-25; Mt 1:1-25 [18-25]
 During the Night: Is 9:1-6; Ps 96:1-3, 11-13; Ti 2:11-14; Lk 2:1-14
 Dawn: Is 62:11-12; Ps 97:1, 6, 11-12; Ti 3:4-7; Lk 2:15-20
 Day: Is 52:7-10; Ps 98:1-6; Heb 1:1-6; Jn 1:1-18 [1-5, 9-14]
 Tuesday: Acts 6:8-10; 7:54-59; Ps 31:3cd-4, 6, 8ab, 16bc, 17; Mt 10:17-22
 Wednesday: 1 Jn 1:1-4; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 11-12; Jn 20:1a, 2-8
 Thursday: 1 Jn 1:5 -- 2:2; Ps 124:2-5, 7cd-8; Mt 2:13-18
 Friday: 1 Jn 2:3-11; Ps 96:1-3, 5b-6; Lk 2:22-35
 Saturday: 1 Jn 2:12-17; Ps 96:7-10; Lk 2:36-40
 Sunday: Sir 3:2-6, 12-14 or Gn 15:1-6; 21:1-3; Ps 128:1-5 or Ps 105:1-6, 8-9; Col 3:12-21 [12-17] or Hb 11:8, 11-12, 17-19; Lk 2:22-40 [22, 39-40]

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Guardian Angel is a tithing parish. Biblical tithing means 10% of gross income to God. We ask half of this, or 5%, for your Parish Church.

Weekly Offering

December 17th collection was \$9,136 with \$5,692 from the collection basket and \$3,444 from Faith Direct.

Don't forget to add your Christmas or End-of-Year contributions to your church. Place your gift in the collection basket or visit www.faithdirect.net and use our church code: **NJ513**. Thank you for your continued support of our parish family! Fr. Charlie

YOUTH MINISTRY

LARGE GROUP CATECHESIS

ALL Confirmation candidates are **required** to attend the four Large Group Catechesis sessions held on Tuesdays in January – January 2, January 9, January 16, and January 23. They will run from 7:30pm until 9:00pm in the Barn.

SPONSOR RETREAT

Sponsors of Confirmation candidates are **required** to attend a morning retreat **with the confirmandis**. Our final Sponsor Retreat is January 7, 2018 8:30am-12:30pm in the Barn and the Church. All Candidates and Sponsors who did not attend the October Sponsor Retreat, must attend this one.

The sponsor must be a confirmed, practicing Catholic who is able to be a Catholic-Christian role model/mentor for the candidate. The sponsor is also required to provide documentation in the form of a letter validated by his/her parish attesting to current participation in that parish by **February 1, 2018**.

LEADERSHIP RETREAT

Anyone interested in being a Peer Ministers for the Fall 2018 Confirmation Retreat is **STRONGLY** encouraged to attend the **Capuchin Youth Leadership Training Retreat** held at Capuchin Youth and Family Ministries (CYFM) Retreat Center in Garrison, NY the weekend of **Friday, January 19 – Sunday, January 21, 2018**. This leadership training retreat will allow peer ministers to grow in their faith while learning specific skills such as oral communication, collaborative skills, time management, leading discussions, group dynamics, Christ-like Leadership. CYFM's Leadership Training empowers teens with skills useful in school, youth group, parishes, and in life. This retreat is also a time of fun and spiritual growth for the peer ministers before being asked to lead others through a retreat. Guardian Angel will subsidize the cost of this vital training weekend. Contact Katie for more information.

COMING SOON...

Wednesday, Dec. 27	NO YOUTH GROUP
Tuesday, Jan. 2, 2018	Large Group Confirmation Prep 7:30pm Red Barn
Wednesday, Jan. 3	NO YOUTH GROUP
Sunday, Jan. 7	Sponsor Retreat 8:30am Red Barn Youth Mass 11:30am Church
Monday, Jan. 8	Pivotal Players 7:30pm Rectory
Tuesday, Jan. 9	Large Group Confirmation Prep 7:30pm Red Barn
Wednesday, Jan. 10	Youth Group 7:30pm Rectory
Tuesday, Jan. 16	Large Group Confirmation Prep 7:30pm Red Barn
Wednesday, Jan. 17	Youth Group 7:30pm Rectory
Friday, Jan. 19-21	Capuchin Youth Leadership Training Retreat
Tuesday, Jan. 23	Large Group Confirmation Prep 7:30pm Red Barn
Wednesday, Jan. 24	Youth Group 7:30pm Rectory

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Christmas is coming and we joyously anticipate the birth of our Savior. We in the Religious Education office wish you and your loved ones a joyous and blessed Christmas.

The Festival of Lights was hugely successful and everyone who attended thoroughly enjoyed the welcoming of the Christmas season by the prayers of our children raised in song. Remember singing is like praying twice! ;-)

On Sunday evening, Christmas Eve, the 4:00 Mass is especially for families with young children. We look forward to celebrating together with our Children's Choir. It is always so nice to see so many families there and at all of the Masses on Christmas.

Believe it or not Religious Ed registration for the 2018 – 2019 school year will be here before you know it! Registration begins on Tuesday January 16th at 10:30 AM. If you would like your family to participate in Summer Angel Wings, you must register by Tuesday March 6th. Registration will be held in the rectory during the regular Religious Ed office hours of Monday to Thursday 10:30 AM to 3:00 PM. On Tuesdays during January, we will be in the rectory from 7:30 PM until 9:00 PM for those who cannot make it during the day. Families who plan to attend Tuesday afternoon or Junior High School Tuesday evening programs are encouraged to register at these times too along with any Home School families. Keep an eye out for reminder e mails which will be sent out after the Christmas Holiday. If you have any questions please contact the Religious Ed office at 201-327-0352 or inayden@guardianangelchurch.org.

Children's Church has continued to be very popular this year and after a short break during the Christmas holidays will resume in January. This is an opportunity for young children to participate in a special liturgical experience created just for them.

- All children in grades K – 3 are invited to participate at 11:30 Mass on Sundays.
- The children come to Mass and sit with their families at the beginning of Mass.
- They are then called forward and process with the adult team to the vestibule.
- For the readings and homily, the children hear the same scripture as the older participants, but the language is on their level.
- Usually a question and answer period follows the Gospel reading.
- After a short closing prayer the children return to their families during the offertory to celebrate Mass together.

We hope that your children will participate in this on a regular basis. Since we understand that 11:30 Mass may not be the most convenient time for your family EVERY week, please know that participation in this program does not require a weekly commitment to this particular Mass. We are always looking for adult volunteers to help with this ministry. If this is something that might be of interest to you, please contact the Religious Ed office.

Tuesday, Jan. 30	Small Group Confirmation Prep 7:30pm Rectory
Wednesday, Jan. 31	Youth Group 7:30pm Rectory

Katie Cavazzini - Youth Minister
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Looking for religious goods online? Follow this link and designate Guardian Angel parish ... we'll get a donation with every purchase!

<http://www.clearlycatholic.com/index.html>

The Scholarship Fund for Inner-City Children – which provides partial tuition scholarships for low income students in grades K to 12 to attend Catholic schools – will hold its 15th annual High School Basketball Festival on Sunday, January 7, 2018 at Kean University in Union.

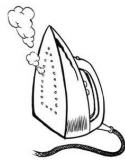


This year's line-up includes the following games; Girls: Oak Knoll vs. Roselle Catholic, Boys: St. Peter's Prep vs. St. Joseph, Hudson Catholic vs. St. Benedict's Prep, Roselle Catholic vs. St. Mary the Assumption, Immaculate Conception vs. Trenton Catholic and Bergen Catholic vs. Union Catholic.

For complete game times and information on ordering tickets, please visit www.sfchoops.com or call 973-497-4278

ALTAR LINENS MINISTRY

Please consider becoming part of the Altar Linen Ministry! The commitment is minor, only about four times a year. The duties include washing and ironing the linens used at daily and weekend masses. A few of our participants are retiring so we are looking to add some new members. Please contact Jean Borzilleri at 201-327-0352 or at jborzilleri@guardianangelchurch.org.



A Divine Child's birth gives hope – will you?



The birth of the infant Jesus represents hope for all humanity. Many people due to their impoverished conditions have difficulty finding hope in this joyous season. Please help Catholic Charities be a beacon of hope by giving items to our donation bin. We accept the following: In addition to all forms of used clothing, small appliances, shoes, linens, sheets, towels, stuffed animals, novels, and children's books are accepted. Thank you.

IMPORTANT CHURCH WEBSITES:

Church of the Guardian Angel Website:

www.guardianangelchurch.org

Facebook:

www.facebook.com/GuardianAngelChurchAllendale/

The Archdiocese of Newark

www.rcan.org

The Catholic Advocate

www.rcan.org/advocate

Away for the weekend? Go to: www.masstimes.org

New Energies PARISH PARTNERSHIP PROGRAM

St. Luke Church:

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Church of the Presentation:

Visit the website at www.churchofpresentation.org for more information, and the parish bulletin.

STEWARDSHIP WEEKLY REFLECTION

December 24, 2017 - 4th Sunday of Advent

"Hail, full of grace, the Lord is with you!" –

LUKE 1:28

Faith is a gift from God. Take time in silence and thank Him for all the gifts He has given you. Try to set aside any anger or resentment you have and really open your heart to receive the gift of God's mercy and forgiveness.

We can't give what we don't have. We need to receive God's mercy and forgiveness first before we can give it to others.



POSSIBILITIES

"What could happen?" That question affects each of us differently. Some of us are thrill-seekers, diving into unfamiliar territory with no regard for obstacles or dangers; others have learned from painful experience that the future may hold suffering or disaster. This last, brief Sunday of Advent emboldens us. Our readings remind us that our God is the God of possibilities. And while God's care does not guarantee that we will not encounter suffering, we can absolutely count on God's power to raise us to glory.

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