

Lord, when your glory appears, my joy will be full.

November 6, 2016

Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time



Saturday, November 5

10:45 am Mass at Heath Village
5:30 pm For Bertha Van Sickle by Skoczylas Family

Sunday, November 6

8:00 am For Deacon John Meyer by Zimmerman Family
9:30 am For Mary Darter by Zimmerman Family
11:00 am For Anthony F. Fania & Carmen Fania by Fania Family

Monday, November 7

8:45 am For Deacon John Meyer & Family by Eileen Moore

Tuesday, November 8

8:45 am For Mark McCabe by Dondero Family

Wednesday, November 9

8:45 am For the sick

Thursday, November 10

10:45 am Mass at Heath Village

Saturday, November 12

5:30 pm For Emily Albano by Lennon Family

Sunday, November 13

8:00 am For Deacon John Meyer by Clark Family
9:30 am For Alfred Stepien by McGrath Family
11:00 am For James Lynch by Mangiaracina Family

**MINISTRY SCHEDULE
November 12, 13, 2016**

Saturday, 5:30 pm

Celebrant: Rev. Slawomir Tomaszewski
Greeter: Help Needed
Lector: Tom Morley
Eucharistic Ministers: Mike & Nancy Lennon, Barbara Burke
Altar Servers: Help Needed

Sunday, 8:00 am

Celebrant: Rev. Slawomir Tomaszewski
Greeter: Help Needed
Lector: Tony Cretella
Eucharistic Ministers: Rick Gebbia, Mark Vetterl
Altar Servers: Help Needed

Sunday 9:30 am

Celebrant: Rev. Slawomir Tomaszewski
Greeter: Help Needed
Lector: Katie Van Woert
Eucharistic Minister: Eric Woelfel, Tony & Paige Piombino
Altar Servers: Lily Alai

Sunday 11:00 am

Celebrant: Msgr. Joseph Goode
Greeter: Help Needed
Lector: Tori & Darcy Caracciolo
Eucharistic Ministers: Lorraine Fleming, Andrew Marley, Saige Mitchell
Altar Servers: Help Needed

FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER

Altar Breads & Wine – In loving memory of Patsy & Philip Marchese by Marchese family.
Sanctuary Lamp – In loving memory of Vito and Marie Benardone by Corry and Benardone families.
Mass Candles: For Harmony in the World by Skoczylas Family,

OUR LADY OF THE MOUNTAIN PARISH

Saturday, November 12

5:00 pm Celebrant: Msgr. Ray Lopatesky
7:00 pm Celebrant: Msgr. Ray Lopatesky

Sunday, November 13

7:45 am Celebrant: Msgr. Peter McHugh
9:15 am Celebrant: Msgr. Joseph Goode
10:45 am Celebrant: Rev. Slawomir Tomaszewski
12:15 pm Celebrant: Msgr. Joseph Goode

**ST. MARK'S NEEDS \$5,280 PER WEEK TO MEET
OUR FINANCIAL OBLIGATION**

Current Year	Last Year 2015
October 30, 2016: \$2,651 Envelopes used: 58	November 1, 2015: \$2,998 Envelopes used: 66
Supermarket Gift Cards October 30, 2016 Sales: \$2,790 Profit: \$139.50 YTD Total: \$5,546.50 # of families: 16	St. Mark's Faith Direct Church Code is NJ484

FAITH DIRECT...

With the busy times of Thanksgiving and the Season of Advent coming up, enrolling in Faith Direct today is a great way to ensure your gifts to St. Mark the Evangelist are received even while you are traveling for the holidays. Already using Faith Direct? Don't forget to add your Christmas or End-of-Year contributions to your account this fall. Visit www.faithdirect.net and use our church code: NJ484
Thank you for your continued support of our parish family!
God Bless You, Fr. Joe

FOOD PANTRY...THANKSGIVING

Yes, it's early to be thinking about Thanksgiving! However, if you have something to be thankful for (and don't we all?), here's a great way to show your appreciation. Go to the supermarket gift card table in the Gathering Space and donate gift cards (or cash) for the Thanksgiving Baskets to be distributed by the Long Valley Food Pantry. These donations will be collected after all weekend masses from October 15th through November 6th (or in the office any time during normal office hours). Even though it seems early, the Food Pantry volunteers need time to do the shopping and distribute the baskets in time for holiday cooking. Non-perishable items can also be placed in the Food Pantry bins as usual (canned yams, pie filling, flour, sugar, stuffing mix – or other traditional items). With the holidays coming up, you know you need supermarket gift cards for yourself, so while you're there.

As always, thank you for your continued generosity.



NOVEMBER...

Over the years I remember writing about the month of November. It is not everyone's favorite month. It is not mine either but I find it signals for me a definite turn of the season as the leaves already changed are beginning to fade and being swept away by the November winds. Already prognosticators of the weather are offering their opinions on how bad a winter we might have in NJ. We will honor Veterans and have our Feast of Thanksgiving too so maybe November is really not that bad of a month.

From a spiritual point of view it is a great month because we begin by celebrating All Saints Day and All Souls Day. These two feast days remind us of the central mystery of our faith and the reason we can hope. Just like the seasons we too are only passing through this life. However Jesus through his death and resurrection assured us that we will make it to an eternal spring time in his kingdom. This is the reason for our hopefulness in times of darkness and doubt. So never give up being faith-filled and hopeful people – Jesus doesn't forget us --- there is no season to Jesus love...it is always here...Fr. Joe.

“BE RICH IN GOOD WORKS” – Annual Bishop's Appeal for our diocesan needs...

I wish to thank all of our parishioners who have responded to the Bishop's request to help fund the daily operation of so many good works with our diocese. Some of you responded early to his letter, many of you made your pledges on Commitment weekend in October. May I ask those of you who have not yet make a pledge to consider doing so before Thanksgiving? Your pledges will help us make our assigned goal of \$10,000 but it will also help us at St. Mark's in our planning because 50% of the above pledge monies come back to the parish and knowing how much we might go over our goal is very helpful in our budgeting.

It goes without saying for those of you who have been long time parishioners but for those of you who have recently joined that St. Mark's relies upon each family to help us financially because we are such a small parish community. Your regular Sunday offering in church or through electronic giving are very important for the parish.

Please help our Bishop's Appeal and help St. Mark's through your gift. On line gifts go to www.2016appeal.org. Thank you. Fr. Joe

ELECTION DAY – THIS WEEK ...

During the past weeks I have presented Quotes from the United States Bishops' document "Faithful citizenship" - This document was written in 2000 and it serves as a guide for Catholics to help learn more about the issues that we are asked to make choices on in each election.

The time has come for all our citizens to cast their votes for president and others in our nation. The bitterness of the campaign only echoes the divisiveness that has characterized the political process in our country over the past many years. Let us not only cast our votes but also pray that people of good will come together to work together to resolve some of the major issues that face our country and our world. Catholics who have not always enjoyed religious freedom and many still who do not today are called upon to be witnesses that when we think of the good of everyone without prejudice change can happen.

WHY WE ARE CATHOLIC...

We are Catholic because we believe: Those who die in God's grace and friendship and are perfectly purified live forever with Christ. They are like God for ever, for they "see him as he is," face to face. This perfect life with the Most Holy Trinity - this communion of life and love with the Trinity, with the Virgin Mary, the angels and all the blessed - is called "heaven". Heaven is the ultimate end and fulfillment of the deepest human longings, the state of supreme, definitive happiness. By his death and Resurrection, Jesus Christ has "opened" heaven to us.

The Catechism of the Catholic Church 1023-1026

JUBILEE YEAR OF MERCY...

Pope Francis called upon Catholics and all people of Good will to enter into a Jubilee Year of Mercy last year in order for us to appreciate the great gift of God's mercy in our life and to extend that gift in all that we do. The Jubilee Year ends on November 20 – the Feast of Christ the King which also marks the end of our liturgical year in the church. You might remember that the Holy Door of St. Peter's in Rome was opened and a great many people from the countries of the world walked through them as a sign of our desire to experience the Lord's mercy and be renewed in God's love. I was privileged to be among them.

The Pope also did something unique when he allowed each diocese to have some churches designated as Holy Door churches. In our diocese the two churches are St. Margaret's in Morristown and Holy Rosary in Passaic. The Holy Door in each church throughout the world will be solemnly closed next Sunday November 13th. Pope Francis will close the Holy Door of St. Peter's on November 20th formally proclaiming an end of the Jubilee year.

I would like to share with you the last paragraph of an article written by Brian Caulfield in this month's edition of the Columbia a magazine of the Knights of Columbus. I found it succinctly puts forth the challenge to us ahead. *"This Jubilee year will have done little good if we do not embrace its message by making mercy a habit of life, a lens through which we view the world and our relationships. We may not be well-versed in the language of mercy; we may need time, practice and patience as we grow in virtue. Start by recalling how often mercy has been shown to you by parents, teachers, others in authority – and most of all by God. Finally, take to heart Jesus' mandate: "Be merciful, just as your Father is merciful." (Luke 6:36)"*

BISHOP'S MASS FOR RESPECT LIFE...

Bishop Serratelli writes: I will celebrate the Respect Life Mass (formerly called the Unborn Mass) on Saturday, November 19, 2016 at 10:00 AM. This year, the Mass will be celebrated at Saint Margaret of Scotland Parish, Morristown. This Mass is sponsored by the Paterson Federation Knights of Columbus Councils. All clergy, deacons, staff, parishioners, friends and families are encouraged to attend. Please share this information with all. Following the Mass, there will be light refreshments.

PRAYERS FOR THE UNBORN...

"Can you come to pray for me for my LIFE for one hour?" Every Friday, 9-10 am at Planned Parenthood, 66 Washington St., Washington, NJ.



GLUTEN HOSTS...

In both St. Mark's and OLM we offer the use of Gluten free hosts for those who need them. The process that we follow in both parishes is that the person who needs such a host goes to where they are kept and puts it into a separate golden container called a PYX and places it on the offertory table and it is brought up to the altar. The priest takes the PYX along with the other hosts when he goes down to distribute communion. I mention this now because there might be someone who could benefit from the Gluten free host and also for those of you who use the hosts I would ask you to introduce yourself to Fr. Slawek a couple of times until he gets to recognize you on the communion line.

OUR LADY OF FATIMA STATUE....

On Wednesday, November 16, from 6:00-8:30 pm Our Lady Star of the Sea parish in Lake Hopatcong is hosting the **U.N. Pilgrim Statue of Our Lady of Fatima**. The Centennial anniversary of the apparition of the Blessed Virgin Mary to the three children at Fatima will be celebrated in 2017. Fatima is in Portugal and remains a favorite Marian Shrine one hundred years later. This statue has been touring the dioceses across the United States and will be in the Paterson diocese for just one week, November 14-20 We will celebrate the Rosary and Benediction and have Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and other devotions during this special time.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS CHARITY AUCTION...

The Long Valley Knights of Columbus announce our 25th annual "Share the Season" charity auction, to be held Saturday, December 3, at St. Luke's Parish. To donate, or for information about tickets, please call auction chair Mike Lennon at (908) 246-3188

SAVE THE DATE....

Mark your calendar for Saturday, December 3, 2016. Save this date for a one day holiday fundraiser that doubles your gift giving potential this Christmas season. Details coming soon!!

COMMUNITY NEWS

"BEREAVEMENT DURING THE HOLIDAYS"...

At St. Luke's.. An informal session on Sunday, November 13. 12:30-2:00 pm in the Chapel.

ST. LUKE PARISH, FALL RETREAT...

"CHURCH AS A FIELD HOSPITAL"...What does this mean for us? Come reflect on this question with our retreat presenter, Rev. Margaret Otteburn, Rector - Church of the Messiah Episcopal, Chester. Sunday, November 13 2-4pm. Hospitality following. All are welcome.

HOLIDAY EXTRAVAGANZA 2016...

Saturday, November 12th 10 a.m. - 3 p.m. Community Presbyterian Church Main St. Chester, NJ Decorations and gifts, Christmas and nearly new items, handmade crafts, baked goods, silent auction, soups to go and much more.

W.T.THANKSGIVING LUNCHEON...Monday, November 14, 11:00 am. Catering by Tony's Luncheonette and Valley Restaurant. Cost is a non-refundable fee of \$10 for residents and \$11.50 for non-residents. Payment due by **November 7th**.

W.T. SENIOR HOLIDAY PARTY...

Monday, December 12 11 am-3:00 pm Minebrook Golf Club, 500 Schooley's Mt. Rd. Long Valley. Delicious menu and the featured entertainment is the famous Joey Arminio and "The Family", and the Long Valley Middle School Orchestra. Non-refundable fee of \$17 for residents and \$23 for non-residents due before **December 5th**. To register send check payable to WT Rec to W.T. Recreation, 50 Rock Road, Long Valley NJ, 07853 or call (908) 876-5941

ALL YOU CAN EAT PANCAKE BREAKFAST...

Schooley's Mountain Firehouse, 231 Schooley's Mountain Rd. Sunday, November 6, 8 am-12:00 pm. Children ages 4-10: \$4, Senior Citizens: \$6, Adults: \$8

POSITION AVAILABLE....

Villa Walsh Academy, located in Morristown, is looking for part-time school bus drivers. Interested candidates must possess a CDL with both the passenger (P) and school bus (S) endorsements. Most trips are late afternoon/early evening. There are also some weekend trips available. Please contact Jen Fleury, Athletic Director at fleuryj@villawalsh.org or call 973-538-3680 Ext. 145



All- powerful and ever-living God the lasting health of all who believe in you, hear us as we ask your loving help for the sick; restore their health, that they may again offer joyful thanks in your church.

Randi Alloway, Richard Alvarez, John Andaloro, Tony Atkins, Charlie, Baby Natalie Rose Bassett, Kenneth Bernisky, Luz Bracero, Paul Buckley, John Callaghan, Arlene Cichlar, Hannah Clark, Emily Condit, Kaitlin Cross, Natalia Danilczuk, Krish Dharia, Ellen Eichler, Connie Elliott, Rick & Nicholas Fania, Larry Fine, Tracey F, Elaina Grace Gaffin, Ann Geary, Barbara Gotterdam, Louie Gutierrez, Helen Greenly, Harper Lynn Granito, Regina Hague, William Heimsly, Bob Hodiern, Maria Dougherty Jante, Donna Jennings, Laurel Jilek, Claudia Kallmeyer, Kevin Kay, Russell H. Keller, Mary Koenig, Jean Koenig, Mara Lak, Christina Lanaris, Lenore, Margaret Leon, Maryann Litori, Ann Loughney, Helene Mackie, Wayne Marks, Anthony Marino, Norman Milz, Marie Molloy, Irene Madelyn S., Maruggi, Raymond McCarthy Jr., Jonathon McClelland, Harold & Mary McKay, Kathy Minichini, Robert Neilson, Sr., Maryanne & Jack Newell, Girard Nolte, Jr., Jim Owens, Dennis Paradise, Arlene Parikh, Nicky Piloni, Clifford Reynolds, Jim Robinson, Ryan, Jillian Elizabeth Sayer, Rhonda Soto, Jeff Schpiner, Judy Stone, William Thompson, Mary Travisano, Debbie Trepkau, Anne Walsh, Robert Ron Werner, Marie Zimbile

ALL SOULS DAY REMEMBRANCES

Stanley Guzek, Sr, Mr. Mrs T. Guzek, Mr. & Mrs. L. Lafebre, Muriel McRae, Richard & Pearl, Lefebre, Thomas & Irene Walsh, Mary Walsh, Agnes & Joseph Dondero, Mark McCabe, ruth McCabe, Gertrude Ducey, all deceased members of the Walsh/Dondero Family, John & Aloysia Betz, Marie Betz, James & Mary June Sullivan, Charles Eichler, Jean Redmond, Jean Schleppey, Charles Schleppey, Frank Pinto, Alice & Raymond Korpanty, Anna & Stanley Solecki, Purdy Family, Jute Family, Scott family, Miller family, Draghi Family, Hanifin Family, Bill & Mary Kuhl, Johnny & Margaret Burke