

THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

... Father ... Son ... Holy Spirit ...



CHURCH OF ST. MARY

Closter, New Jersey

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, MAY 26 –

Dt. 4: 32-34, 39-40; Rom 8: 14-17; Mt. 28:16-20

5:00 PM Marie Vecchio / req. by the Bertelloni Family

SUNDAY, MAY 27 – THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

Dt. 4: 32-34, 39-40; Rom 8: 14-17; Mt. 28:16-20

7:30 AM All Parishioners – Living and Deceased

9:30 AM Michael Conmy
req. by Deepening the Journey

12:00 PM Frank DeSantis
req. by Vinny and Teresa Russo

MONDAY, MAY 28 – WEEKDAY

1 Pt. 1: 3-9; Mk. 10: 17-27

8:00 AM For All Veterans – Living and Deceased

TUESDAY, MAY 29 – WEEKDAY

1 Pt. 1: 10-16; Mk. 10: 28-31

8:00 AM Joseph Sekerak / req. by Margaret Sekerak

WEDNESDAY, MAY 30 – WEEKDAY

1 Pt. 1: 18-25; Mk. 10: 32-45

8:00 AM Violet Drobinko / req. by the Ditzel Family

THURSDAY, MAY 31 –

THE VISITATION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

Zep. 3: 14-18a or Rom. 12: 9-16; Lk. 1: 39-56

8:00 AM Dick Flammer
req. by George and Florence Mertz

FRIDAY, JUNE 1 – ST. JUSTIN, MARTYR

1 Pt. 4: 7-13; Mk. 11: 11-26

8:00 AM Marietta Piezas
req. by Roy and Espie Landrito

8:00 PM Healing of All Present Here

SATURDAY, JUNE 2 –

STS. MARCELLINUS AND PETER, MARTYRS

Jude 17, 20b-25; Mk. 11: 27-33

8:00 AM Orlando Tobia / req. by Mona Grbic

5:00 PM Mary Mayers / req. by the Corrigan Family

SUNDAY, JUNE 3 –

THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

Ex. 24: 3-8; Heb. 9: 11-15; Mk. 14: 12-16, 22-26

7:30 AM All Parishioners – Living and Deceased

9:30 AM Christopher Shevock
req. by Marie and Arthur Battaglia

12:00 PM Pierto and Teresa DePlacio
req. by Pat and Angela Conte



THIS WEEK'S SPECIAL OFFERINGS

Altar Bread – In memory of Kathleen and Joseph Mann.
Flowers for Mary – In memory of Mary Brautigan, Barbara Westervelt, Ellen Brautigan and Helen Brautigan, req. by Joan Westervelt.

FROM THE PASTOR

Dear Parishioners,

Happy Memorial Day weekend and welcome to the unofficial start of summer!

On Monday, May 28th, we remember and honor all those who have died in the service of our country. It is a day set aside each year, whereas, as a nation, to pause and reflect and to honor all those who have served in our military, particularly those who died in battle or from wounds sustained in battle.

As many will head to the shores, lakes, or mountains during the weekend, attend or participate in a parade, visit a cemetery, enjoy a BBQ with friends and family, or just stay home for the day, please take a few moments from the day and think about all those who have served and died so that we may have the many freedoms we enjoy today as a nation.

Because of the celebration of Memorial Day this coming Monday, our Novena, adoration, and Benediction will be held on Tuesday evening, May 29th at 7:00 PM. Please join us.

Next Sunday, June 3rd, Bishop Manuel Cruz, will be the principle celebrant at our noon Mass, during which he will minister the sacrament of Confirmation upon 31 young men and women of our parish. Please keep them in your prayers as they receive the seven-fold gifts of the Holy Spirit.

Sincerely in the Lord,

Fr. Joe



PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Irene Abad, Paula Bertelloni, Christian Brueck, Dolores Collier, Patrick Corrigan, Lee Ann Davito, Desiderio Fernandes, Frank Forte, Chris Gerabedian, Lillian Guyt, Ed Koch, Sr. Dominic Marie McDonnell, Carol Munkins, David O'Hanlon, John Pagano, Alicia Parent, Joan Pinto, Richard Pinto, Jim Walsh

ANNOUNCED SPECIAL INTENTIONS

Weekly offerings of: Altar Bread, Altar Wine, Blessed Virgin Mary Candle and Sanctuary Candle are available throughout 2018.

THIS WEEK AT ST. MARY PARISH

5/27 – SUNDAY

No – LWC – on summer break

5/28 – MONDAY

All Parish Offices Closed

No – Prayer Shawl Ministry

No – Exposition of the Most Blessed Sacrament * (see details below)

No – Deepening the Journey

5/29 – TUESDAY

7:00 PM – 8:00 PM – Exposition of the Most Blessed Sacrament * (see details below)

5/30 – WEDNESDAY

9:30 AM – 11:00 AM – Morning Scripture Study – Parish Life Room

7:00 PM – 8:30 PM – Evening Scripture Study – Center for Spiritual Development

5/31 – THURSDAY

5:30 PM – 8:00 PM – Confirmation Rehearsal – Church

N0 – Marian / Eucharistic Holy Hour

6/1 – FRIDAY

7:30 PM – 8:00 PM – Confessions and Holy Rosary

8:00 PM – Healing Mass followed by Priest's Blessing

6/2 – SATURDAY

4:15 PM – 4:45 PM – Reconciliation

6/3 – SUNDAY

11:00 AM – Parish Choir Call

12:00 PM – Parish Choir at Mass

12:00 PM – Confirmation at Mass

*** TO HONOR OUR BLESSED MOTHER**

During the month of May, our Eucharistic holy hour on Monday evenings will include the Adoration, the Miraculous Medal Novena, the Rosary, and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. What a beautiful way to honor our patroness, our Blessed Mother, by spending one hour each week during the month of May, a month which we honor all our Mothers, and especially our Blessed Mother. Please join us each Monday, with the exception of Memorial Day, when our holy hour will be moved to **Tuesday evening, May 29th**.

LITURGY WITH CHILDREN

Please note that LWC is now on break until the Fall.

SECOND COLLECTION

Next weekend, June 2nd and 3rd the second collection is for the Archdiocesan Assessment.

LOST AND FOUND

There is a basket of Lost and Found located in the North Vestibule of the Church.

JOIN US

Please join Fr. Joe and the staff on Tuesday, **June 12th** at 7:30 PM in the Fr. Roger Troy Hall for a meeting to discuss and plan events for the rest of this year and next year. The St. Patrick Day Party was a huge success. So this is a perfect time to get more Parish events on the calendar.

ST. MARY PARISH IS A PARISH THAT PRACTICES STEWARDSHIP

SPIRITUAL REFLECTIONS ON STEWARDSHIP

"The Spirit itself bears witness with our spirit that we are children of God, and if children then heirs, heirs of God and joint heirs with Christ . . ." – Romans – 8: 16-17

If we are heirs to the kingdom of God, shouldn't we work to build up His kingdom? Shouldn't we be good stewards of our inheritance, using our time in prayer, our talent in charitable works and our treasure to care for the Church that God has left to us: Our Church is a treasured heirloom from God. Do we treat it that way?

FAMILY PROMISE WALK IN DINNER PROGRAM

THANK YOU VOLUNTEERS

Thanks again for your continued support of the Walk-in Dinner Program through Family Promise held on May 9th. Thanks to your generosity and kindness we served 105 people, who were extremely grateful for the delicious variety of food which you all provided.

Please mark your calendars for our next walk-in dinner which is Wednesday, August 1st.

QUEEN OF PEACE COUNCIL 3679



Thank you for returning the *Baby Bottles* we started collecting on Mother's Day however more than 30 bottles are still missing. To date we have collected \$1,500 towards our goal to exceed last year's \$2,100 donation to Several Sources Shelters. If you have not returned the bottle please do so by leaving it in one of the Church vestibules. If you have not yet donated there is still time. Checks may be made payable to **QUEEN OF PEACE COUNCIL #3679**. Any amount is appreciated. Remember to return the *Baby Bottle* so we can wash and reuse them next year. Thank you on behalf of Several Sources Shelters and the Knights of Council #3679. For further information please contact Grand Knight John Hernandez at 201-768-8871 or email jah21344@aol.com.

SACRAMENT CERTIFICATE REQUESTS

For various reasons there are times when one needs to obtain a new current Baptism, First Eucharist, Confirmation, or Marriage Certificate. When doing so please allow the office **at least two weeks time**. Thank you.

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