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**PARISH CENTER
OFFICE HOURS**

Daytime Hours

**Monday –Thursday
9:00AM-4:00 PM**

Friday 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM

Saturday.....9:00 AM-12 PM

Evening Hours

**CLOSED UNTIL FURTHER
NOTICE**



TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME - September 8, 2019



Welcome

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.

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.

WORSHIP



MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, September 8

8:00 am John Toale - Dotty Voorhis
 10:30 am Michelle Mullen - Wendrychowicz Family
 12:15 pm Maria Venezia & Pat Gramuglia - Family
 7:00 pm Orlando David Martinez - Josephina Martinez

Monday, September 9

9:00 am Rose & Anthony Fleres - Marge Marchisi

Tuesday, September 10

9:00 am Cindy Smith - Don

Wednesday, September 11

9:00 am For all the Victims of the 9/11 Tragedy

Thursday, September 12

9:00 am Jake Voorhis - Wife

Friday, September 13

9:00 am Marijan Gasparic - Gasparic Family

Saturday, September 14

9:00 am Daniel Alcor - Anna Alcor
 5:00 pm Justin Field - Roem Family

Sunday, September 15

8:00 am Frank Bonanno - "Family"
 10:30 am Marianne DeDea - The Becker Family
 12:15 pm Francis A. Durkin - Johnston Family
 7:00 pm Marcelino Salinas - Ana Salinas

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.



NEXT WEEK'S READINGS SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 15

1ST READING: Exodus 32:7-11, 13-14

2ND READING: 1 Timothy 1:12-17

GOSPEL: Luke 15:1-32

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

SUNDAY, September 8

Family Based Gathering.....8:30 AM (Gym)
 Family Based Gathering Mass...10:30 AM (Church)
 Family Based Gathering.....11:30 AM (Gym)
 Baptism.....2:00 PM (Church)
 Apostles of the Word.....8:00 PM (CH)

MONDAY, September 9

Prayer Group.....7:45 PM (MPR)

TUESDAY, September 10

First Reconciliation Workshop.....3:45 PM (Church)
 Choir Practice.....7:30 PM (Church)

WEDNESDAY, September 11

First Reconciliation Workshop.....3:45 PM (Church)
 Spanish Prayer Group.....7:00 PM (Chapel)
 ESL Registration.....7:15 PM (3rd Fl)

THURSDAY, September 12

Eucharistic Adoration 9:30 AM-3:00 PM (Chapel)
 Rosary & Holy Hour.....7:00 PM (Chapel)
 Food Pantry 7:30 PM (CH)

FRIDAY, September 13

Spanish Youth Group.....6:30 PM (MPR)

SATURDAY, September 14

Men's Cursillo.....8:00 AM (Conf)
 AA Meeting10:30 AM (CH)
 Reconciliation.....4:00 PM (Church, carport entrance)
 Spanish Prayer Group.....6:00 PM (Church)

SUNDAY, September 15

Apostles of the Word.....8:00 PM (CH)



FOR THE RIDE HOME

*Twenty-third Sunday
in Ordinary Time*

GOSPEL: LUKE 14:25-33

Adult's Question: How do you try to discover what God is asking of you?

Child's Question: When is it hard for you to know the right thing to do? Who helps you know? Why or why not?



ST. ANDREW'S FOOD PANTRY

ITEMS OF THE WEEK:

Soap, shampoo
 Supermarket gift cards are always welcome



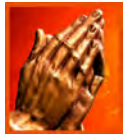
WEEKLY REFLECTION
A FRESH PERSPECTIVE
 by Rev. William J. Reilly

“Who can know God’s counsel, or who can conceive what the Lord intends? For the deliberations of mortals are timid, and unsure are our plans....Or who can ever know your counsel, except you have given wisdom and sent your holy spirit from on high. And thus were the paths of those on earth made straight.”

The book of wisdom asks vital questions, which we often overlook or avoid. These few lines lead us to a most valuable consideration – discernment. The God who reveals Himself to us in the scriptures, the Jesus who revealed Himself by His becoming one with us, the church which reflects the compassionate heart of Jesus, wishes that we be firm in our faith and assured of God’s never ending unconditional love.

Reflection concerning who God is for us, thinking about my relationship with the Lord, allows me to approach that loving God with great confidence and gratitude. As I wrestle with these thoughts I am not unsure and my path is straight.

PLEASE PRAY FOR...



“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, Leonora Paul, Lee Ann Fernino, Gilda Gilmartin, Barbara & Dave Stewart, , Bob Tropila, Michael Bodtman, Cathy Wojcick, Paul L. Clark, Helen Stipo, D.E., Kay Vanderhoof, Vinny Ficarra, Fr. Ward Moore, Diane Mariconti, Vinnie Covello, Jean Neary, Craig Carosella, Lillian Moore, Joe Koppinger, Sean Cresci, John McLaughlin, Lombardi Family, Ed Marlow, McLean Ambrogio, Carmina Sclafani, Mary Kenny, Brian Fitzpatrick, Anna Grisoni, Louise Pacos, Diane Pirerra, Robert Sottolano, Douglas Enrique Valladares, Salvatore Cavera, Juliana Ingoclinera, Therese Najarian, Kathy Gacheny, Carolyn Keating, Christine Hubinger, Peter Reganato, Elaine DeRobertis, Kelly Kenny, John McNeill, Stacy Rotolo, Stephen Pulver

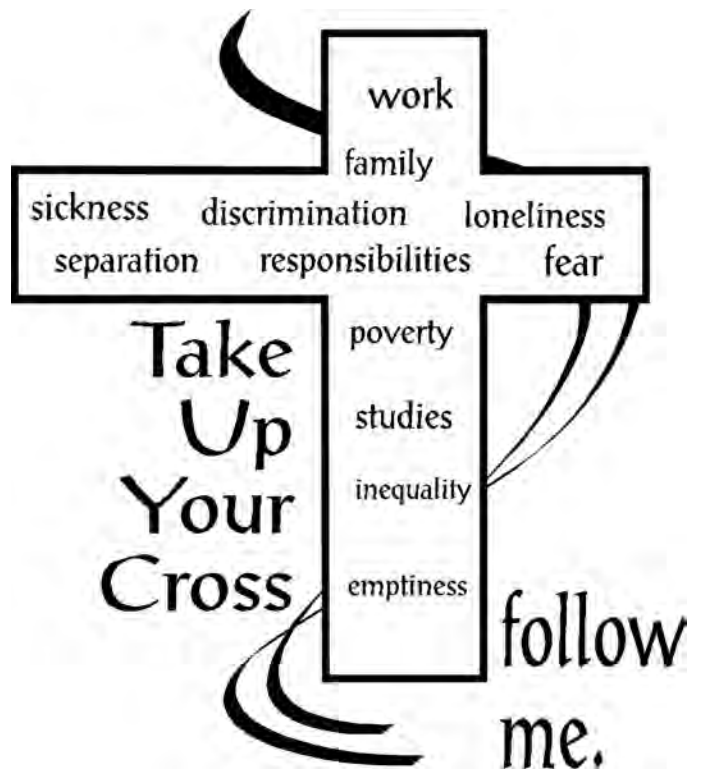
“A time for peace”

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



STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION
“Everyone of you who does not renounce all his possessions cannot be my disciple.”
(Luke 14:33)

When we first hear this statement, it seems that Jesus is making an unrealistic demand upon us. How can we renounce all of our possessions? We need them to live. However, what we must renounce is the belief that they belong to us. Everything that we have belongs to God alone. All of our resources are entrusted to us not only for our own use, but also so that we can help others.

Collection Weekend Aug. 31-Sept. 1

Collection.....	\$6,547.00
Repairs.....	\$10.00
Electronic.....	\$ 642.00
TOTAL.....	\$7,199.00
Mission Collection.....	\$2,432.00

English as a Second Language Classes

Classes begin on Sept 11th and will meet weekly in the Parish Center from 7:15 PM-8:45 PM. For more information contact Margaret Breen at maggieb@att.net or (201)265-9470



Our Family Based Religious Education program begins!

Our Family Based Religious Education program begins on Saturday, September 8th beginning with the 5 pm mass and then 6 – 8 in the gym OR Sunday, September 9th beginning with our 8:30 – 10:30 session followed by 10:30 mass OR 10:30 Mass followed by our 11:30 – 1:30 session. Check your e-mail. We hope you all enjoyed your summer and we look forward to seeing you all.

7th & 8th Grade Large Group Gatherings

Our first Large Group Session meets Wednesday, September 12th for 7th grade and Tuesday, September 18th for 8th grade. We meet at 6 pm in the gym. These gatherings are for all 7th and 8th graders (from Family Based and Summer Option). Pizza will be served! We look forward to seeing you all again.

First Eucharist Workshop

All children preparing to receive their First Eucharist in 2019 should attend the Reconciliation Workshop on either September 12th (for families with the last name beginning with A – L) or 13th (for children with the last name beginning with M – Z) at 3:45 in the Church. Completed Reconciliation books are due back at this time.

Monday Religious Education

Our Monday after school program begins Monday, September 17th. We begin promptly at 3:45 in the Gym of the Parish Center. If you have not yet registered, please see Maura or Lori in the Religious Education Office as soon as possible.

Children’s Bulletins are now available at the church’s entrance.

OPEN HOUSE EVENTS

Bergen Catholic High School- Open House for prospective students on September 22 from 1:00-3:00. Registration is on the Bergen Catholic website.

St. Joseph’s Regional High School- Open House Sept 29. 11:00 am-2:00 pm. Tours will begin at 11:15 & 12:15. Call (201)391-3300 or register at www.sjrnj.org



KNIGHTS KORNER

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Where: 40 Crest Street, Westwood, NJ

When: Saturday, September 21 from 7-11PM

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For tickets call Mike Malloy (516)241-3023

Frank Mariconti (551)579-1123

5th Annual Community Walk for Life

Date: Saturday, September 21, 2019

Time: 10:00 AM – 12:00 PM

Where: St. Andrew’s Church

We will gather at 10:00 AM in the lower parking lot behind the church. The walk will commence at 10:30 AM from St. Andrew’s to St. John the Baptist in Hillsdale. It will conclude with prayers at St. John’s.

Snacks and cold beverages will be available at St. John’s. New Hope, Inc., an outreach organization for single mothers and their babies, is hosting the Walk for Life.

St. Thomas More KofC Council 2188 will lead the walk.

Seminar On Defending the Faith With Dr. Paul L. Maier

Date: Saturday, September 21, 2019

Place: Zion Lutheran Church, 155 Second Ave

Time: 9:00 AM-3:00 PM with breaks and lunch hour

Cost: \$10 includes refreshments and lunch

More details on www.ZIONWESTWOODNJ.org or call (201)664-1325

Bereavement Ministry Support Training Course

Saturday Morning Series: 9:30am-12:00pm

Sept 28, Oct 5, 12, 19, 26 & Nov 2 ,9 &16

Must attend ALL above dates

at the Archdiocesan Center, Newark, NJ

Fee: \$175 per participant

Participants become Support Group Facilitators for the Archdiocese of Newark. To register contact Lauren Tamara at (973)497-4327 or Lauren.Egan@rcan.org

St.John’s Academy

St. John’s is looking to hire a Part-Time Nurse. If interested, please contact the school office at (201)664-6364.

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2-3 person Relays: \$105 thru 6/19
Race Day Registration: Individual \$100
Relay Team: \$120 • Cash or Check only

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