



MONDAY, JUNE 25

8:00AM -MARY FUSCO
-r/o Angelina Savarese

TUESDAY, JUNE 26

8:00AM -LOUISE SAVARESE, SR.
-r/o Angelina Savarese

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 27

8:00AM -LOUIS J. COPPOLA
-r/o Angelina Savarese

FRIDAY, JUNE 29

8:00AM -MARY GEFFKEN
-r/o Bill & Porter Keller

SATURDAY, JUNE 30

9:00AM -HENRY MULHOLLAND
-r/o Michael & Susanne DeSimone
5:00PM -VIRGINIA & JACK DE LILLO AND
JENNIE & AL IANDOLI
-r/o Laurie & Rich Iandoli

SUNDAY, JULY 1

8:00AM -NANCY ORTENZIO
-r/o Her Children
10:00AM -PATTY AST
-r/o Mr. & Mrs. Michael Murphy
11:30AM -PILAR SALARIA
-r/o Terry Motomal

**VOTIVE LIGHTS
IN MEMORY OF**

Muriel, Leslie & Anna Roberts Joseph L. Esposito
Juan Antonio "Tony" Medina Maria Dubicka
Frank & Rosalie Moscarello Wladyskaw Wojcicki
Peter & Susan Colombo Michael Kelsall
Angelina & Lorenzo Silecchio

SPECIAL INTENTIONS

Watch over our daughter Healing & Peace
Thank you for all our blessings Personal Intentions
A safe trip for Kristen
Help & guidance for Carolyn
Help & guidance for Michael & Jonathan
Lauren, Good Luck! Success, Love & happiness
always!
Matthew, Prayers & blessings for terrific Board
Scores!



HOLY NAME SOCIETY

There are no Masses during the summer. They will resume September 16th at 8:00 a.m.

No meetings during the summer. Will resume after the 8 a.m. Mass on September 16th.

WEB PAGE

For updated bulletin information, please go to www.mhr-parish.org.

TABERNACLE LIGHT



Tabernacle candle burns this week in honor of Betty & Dale Green
60th Wedding Anniversary (L)
r/o Patricia & Donald Schuck

PARISH SICK LIST



Rev. Edward J. Struzik, Shannon, Hayley & Brett Lawrence, Jacqueline Braniff, Christina Pulido, Sophie Wojtaszek, Janice Sanborn, Marie Velleneuve, Beth Morris, Renee Burke, Joseph Peabody, Veronica Balmore, Billy Sherwood, Jr., Peter Skujins, Cindy Junquet, Kenneth Kramer, Timothy McGravey, Beatriz Castillo, Dolores Nee, Michael Guariglia, Marieann Poplaski, Lucy Littlefield, Jean Marie Brigandi, Elena Coumo, Gabino & Maria Rodriguez, Alice Gorres, Johnny Gibbs, Barbara Celia, Maryann Hughes, Emilie Matlosz, Germaine Raimo, William Armstrong, Fr. Gregory Moore, Sandra Steinberger, Frank Roberts, Fred Morrone, Larry & Marie Fama, Lenny Gatti, Sumanta Chowdhuri, Nicole E. Montagna, Nico Oneto, Kathleen O'Brien, Alex Berg, Wendy Oates, Robert C. Pederson, Marie Scifo, Patrick Barry, Toni O'Rourke, William Sohor, Robert Pedersen, Robert Conte, Jose Pacheo, Kathleen Lau, Kimberly Perry, Jackson Christian Thomas, Miguel Ley, Marie Ciezбка, Betty Pulido, Charley Goldsmith, Louis Martinez, Joel Rivera, Salvatore San Pietro, Margaret Podolsky, Ida Morales and Tommy Brown.

We ask Almighty God and our Blessed Mother, Mary to comfort and heal the sick. If your loved one recovers and our prayers for them are no longer required, please call the parish office to have their name removed. Thank you.

PRE-BAPTISM CLASS




Please call the Parish Office to register. **The next Pre-Baptism class will be held Wednesday, August 1, 2018 at 8:00 p.m. in the Chapel.**



PLEASE PRAY FOR THE FOLLOWING MILITARY PERSONNEL SERVING OVERSEAS

Jason Del Duca, U.S. Air Force
Krystal L. Godowski, U.S. Army

Matthew B. Kaplan, U.S. Army
Michael Lanzafama, U.S. Army
Richard A. Lapp, U.S. Navy
Douglas Leo, U.S. Army
Michael J. Sanzone, U. S. Army
Mark G. Sieczkowski, U. S. Navy
Thomas Welch, U.S. Army



STEWARDS OF OUR TREASURE

Weekend of June 16/17, 2018: \$6541
Weekend of June 17/18, 2017: \$6891



OFFICE STAFF EMAILS


Irma Knox – Parish Secretary
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Adult Faith (LIFT) – Patrick Corbitt
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FATHER'S DAY CARDS


All submitted intentions for Father's Day are remembered by the priest at Sunday Mass for the month of June. The written intentions are being kept by the statue of Saint Joseph, foster father of Christ.





RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

Contact the Religious Education Office at 732-566-5630 to register your child (ren) for the 2018-2019 school year.



Teachers Needed

Join us as a catechist and share your faith with our children.

-Tuesday, 4:15 – 5:30 p.m.	-Grade 5
-Wednesday, 7:15 – 8:30 p.m.	-Grade 5




ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Our Most Holy Redeemer Conference exists primarily to help those in financial need. This is made possible by the generosity of our Parishioners each month; *thank you.*

If you or someone you know needs help, please call 732-566-9334. *Everything is completely confidential.*


Food Pantry
Groceries collected every weekend at Mass.
During the month of **May** the St. Lawrence Food Pantry helped **158** adults and **96** children. Thank you for your generosity.



MOST HOLY REDEEMER PRAYER GROUP

Most Holy Redeemer Prayer Group will meet on Friday, June 29th, in the daily Mass Chapel from 7:30 – 8:30 p.m. All parishioners are welcome. There will be exposition of the Blessed Sacrament concluding with Benediction.

The prayer program includes the Holy Rosary and a Scriptural reading. A short fellowship will follow after the prayers. All are welcome to join us as we gather together. For more information, please contact the parish office.



Recently Baptized

We wish to welcome into the family of God and the parish community of Most Holy Redeemer the following child who was baptized here the on June 17th:

VALENTINA MARIE BENNICI
Daughter of Victor and Olga

We pray that her parents will be examples of faith to inspire her to follow the Lord. We, as their family in faith, also accept the responsibility to help these parents in their duty to bring up their child in the practice of the Faith by our prayers and example.

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

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Special thanks to the St. Anthony of Padua Society of our parish for hosting the annual St. Anthony's Day Mass and reception. I wish to

John Kibbler has served as President of our Holy Name Society for ten years. He is now stepping down and we owe John a tremendous debt of thanks for

acknowledge Deacon Frank d'Auguste for taking care of all the arrangements as well as all those who volunteered with set-up and clean-up for both the Mass and the reception, especially the LIFT Team. A special "thank you" to Laura Jean Palma, our sacristan, Irma Knox, our secretary as well as Abbate's Bakery for the donation of the St. Anthony's Bread and pastries.

his faithful service and hardwork.

God bless!
Fr. Carina

Under his leadership new members have been added to the society and the parish community has enjoyed many fine parish socials such as: Oktoberfest, St. Patrick/St. Joseph Dinner and Cookies with Santa. I must not forget the great help the Holy Name Society continues to offer our parish picnic in the running of the raffles. John will also be stepping down from the parish finance council in which he has served admirably.

I know John will continue to offer himself to service in this parish which he loves so dearly. The commitment of both John and his wife Joan over the years has been and remains a blessing.

We welcome Lou Savarese, our head usher, as incoming President of the Holy Name Society. Like John, Lou is also a great guy and I have every confidence he will follow very nicely in John's footsteps.

I take this opportunity to both acknowledge and thank our Holy Name Society for their ongoing service to this parish.

God bless,
Father Carina

BLOOD DRIVE



Since last year blood donors at Most Holy Redeemer have saved the lives of almost 100 people. Blood donation are especially needed in summer months when high schools and colleges close and vacations mean fewer people are donating. Please come out to our blood drive with a friend and save a life!! Each of you can make a difference by just giving up an hour of your time.

Our summer blood drive will be on **Thursday, July 12th, at 2:00 - 8:00 p.m. in Desmond Hall.**

Donors must be 16 (with signed NJBS consent form) or older, weigh 110 lbs. or more, eat and drink at regular mealtimes and bring signature or picture ID.

Walk-ins are welcome. Appointments are encouraged.

CHOOSE LIFE



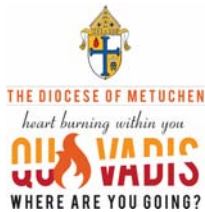
Noted euthanasia specialist Wesley J. Smith noted in a 1993 Newsweek article that eventually "medicalized killing/suicide would be conjoined with organ harvesting as a 'plum to society.'"

Critics termed this statement a "slippery slope argument" and "alarmist," but this prediction is now a reality in Belgium and the Netherlands where doctors kill disabled and mentally ill people and then harvest their organs (with the now dead patient's consent). This is justified by the argument that since these people want to die, society should benefit from their death. (National Review Online, 1/5/2015)

QUO VADIS DAYS

June 25-27, 2018

Young men ages 14-17!



You're invited to spend three days living, praying and interacting with priests, seminarians and faith-filled teens your own age. The days will include dynamic talks, a visit from Bishop Checchio, sports and activities, prayer, small group discussion and so much more.

For more information, visit www.diometuchen.org/QuoVadis or email quovadis@diometuchen.org.

VOCATIONS



Jesus called the disciples by name to leave what was familiar and to come follow Him and spread the Good News. Is Jesus calling you by name to follow Him in a special way as a priest, brother, or sister? If this is

possible call the Vocations Office at 732-562-2453 or email us at vocations@diometuchen.org. Or you can visit our website at www.diometuchen.org/vocations.

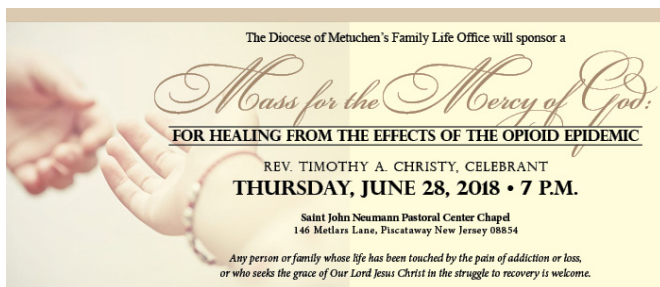
HILARIOUS RELIGIOUS JOKES

WHEN GOD ANSWERS PRAYER

After starting a new diet I altered my drive to work to avoid passing my favorite bakery. I accidentally drove by the bakery this morning and as I approached, there in the window were a host of chocolates, donuts and cheesecakes.

If felt this was no accident, so I prayed ..."Lord, it's up to You. If you want me to have any of those delicious goodies, create a parking place for me directly in front of the bakery."

And sure enough, on the eighth time around the block, there it was! God is so good!



MASS FOR THE MERCY OF GOD

Have you or a friend been affected in some personal way by the opioid crisis? Many of us struggle to comfort and support both those who have suffered as a result of this addiction or those who have lost a family member due to an overdose.

A special Mass for the Mercy of God will be celebrated on Thursday, June 28th at 7:00 p.m. at the Diocesan Center, Metlars Lane, in Piscataway. Pastoral ministers will be present during the fellowship following the Mass to listen to and speak with participants.

For directions to the Diocesan Pastoral Center call 732-562-1990 or to www.diometuchen.org.



POST-ABORTION HEALING RESOURCES

Are you suffering after an abortion? Help is available!

If you or someone you know is suffering after an abortion, **confidential, non-judgmental help is available!** Experience God's merciful

love and begin the journey of healing:

- Call Project Rachel's local toll-free helpline number: 877-877-4300 or visit **HopeAfterAbortion.org**. Spanish-speakers may visit **EsperanzaPosaborto.org**.
- Or call Sisters of Life at 866-575-0075 or email: hopeandhealing@sistersoflife.org.



DIOCESAN NEWS

From the Office of Persons with Disabilities

CHRISTMAS PARTY

Our Christmas Party (Sponsored by the Diocesan Office for Person with Disabilities) for children and young adults with special needs will take place on Saturday, December 15, 2018 (1:30 – 3:30 p.m.). More information to follow.

24 HOUR PRAYER LINE

Our Diocesan Office for Persons with Disabilities has a 24 hour prayer line for those who desire prayers for any need. If you, a family member or friend would like to be remembered in prayer temporarily or permanently, please call us and leave a detailed message at 732-765-6431 or send an email to our office: catholicswithdisabilities@gmail.com

APOSTLE OF PRAYER

Would you like to become an Apostle of Prayer? Our intercessory prayer ministry is open to anyone interested in joining their prayers to those of other members for the intentions of the thousands of people who request special prayers for their intentions. Please call 732-765-6432 or email us catholicswithdisabilities@gmail.com for more information.

FACEBOOK PAGE

Our Diocesan Office for Persons with Disabilities has a Facebook page that provides daily updates with short inspirational reflections for people with disabilities, family members and care givers. The site also provides endless resources for those with physical, emotional, cognitive, visual, auditory and other special challenges. To access our Facebook page (even if you are not a member of Facebook), type the following into your search engine: Diocese of Metuchen Office for Person with Disabilities.

BISHOP AHR BASKETBALL CAMP

Boys Basketball Camp

Grades 5 - 9

DATE: July 16 – 20

TIME: 9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

COST: \$150 – Payable to Bishop Ahr High School

PLACE: Bishop Ahr High School
One Tingley Lane
Edison, NJ 08820



Application can be found on Bishop Ahr High School's website under Athletics or contact Mike Wolfthal (Athletic Director) at 732-549-1108, ext. 606 or email: Mwolfthal@bgahs.org.