



MONDAY, NOVEMBER 12

8:00AM -TERESITA LUIS
-r/o The Villa Family

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 13

8:00AM -MR. & MRS. ANTONIO BUSSANICH
-60th Wedding Anniversary
-r/o Family

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 14

8:00AM -MICHAEL DE ANGELIS
-r/o Mr. & Mrs. Dominik Buonpane

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 16

8:00AM -DIANE BOUFFARD
-r/o The DeSimone Family

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 17

9:00AM -KEVIN MENDES
-r/o Laurie Olsen
5:00PM -ANTHONY & ANTOINETTE DE BENEDICTUS
-r/o The DeBenedictus Family

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 18

8:00AM -ANTHONY SCARDINO
-r/o Alice Scardino & Family
10:00AM -ELSIE MONIZ
-r/o Beulah Remedios
11:30AM -DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE
MANTLE FAMILY
-r/o The Mantle Family

**VOTIVE LIGHTS
IN MEMORY OF**

Muriel, Leslie & Anna Roberts Virginia DeLillo
Juan Antonio "Tony" Medina Jack DeLillo
Rosalie & Frank Moscarello Michael Kelsall
Peter & Susan Colombo Jimmy DiCarlo
Carmela & Arthur Gizzarelli Ellen DiCarlo
Mary Spinelli

SPECIAL INTENTIONS

Good Health for my Family Special Intention
Watch over our daughter Please help my son
Thank you for all our blessings All personal intentions
Help & guidance for Michael & Jonathan
Help & guidance for Carolyn
Strength & healing for Michele & her dad, Edward
Prayers & strength for Cathy
Prayers & healing for our brother and Uncle Marcello



PARISH UPCOMING EVENTS

- Blood Drive, Thursday, November 29th, 2:00 – 8:00 p.m. in Desmond Hall.
- Cookies with Santa, December 15th after 5:00 p.m. Mass and December 16th after 10:00 and 11:30 a.m. Masses in Desmond Hall.

WEB PAGE

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

HOLY NAME SOCIETY



Mass – 3rd Sunday of every month
Next Mass – November 18th at 8:00 a.m.
Meeting following the Mass.

TABERNACLE LIGHT



Tabernacle candle in the Church burns this week in loving memory of Robert Remedios r/o Beulah Remedios

Tabernacle candle in the Chapel burns this week in loving memory of the Parents of the Jarrach and Leputa Families r/o George & JoAnn Jarrach

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, 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 Ciezka, Betty Pulido, Charley Goldsmith, Louis Martinez, Joel Rivera, Margaret Podolsky, Ida Morales, Tommy Brown, Philip Genchi and Joan Zipp.

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.



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

If you have a family member who is an active-duty member of the military and wish to have their name added to the Military Prayer list, please call the parish office at 732-566-9334.



PARISH COFFEE SUNDAY
Sunday, November 18th

Please join us on November 18th after the 8:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m. Masses in Desmond Hall for coffee and fellowship. We look forward to seeing you there



BAPTISM

We wish to welcome into the family of God and the parish community of Most Holy Redeemer the following children who were baptized here on the weekend of November 4th:

JORDAN SCOTT DYSON JONES
 Son of Donald and Brooke
SOPHIA ROSE SILVERIO
 Daughter of Edward and Ingrid

We pray that their 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.



CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS EVE MASS

Practices will begin for the Annual **5:00 p.m. Children's Christmas Eve Mass.** If you are in 2nd grade and up, and you would like to make a "Joyful Sound" on Christmas Eve, please come on Sundays after the 11:30 a.m. Mass **beginning November 11th.** If you have any questions, please call 732-566-2937 and ask for Mrs. Keaveney. Practices last about one hour. Hope to see many of our young people there.



STEWARDS OF OUR TREASURE

Weekend of November 3/4, 2018: \$7780
Weekend of November 4/5, 2017: \$8330
All Saints Day Collection: \$1188
All Souls Day Collection: \$212



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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.

St. Lawrence Food Pantry opens on Saturdays and Mondays from 8:30 – 10:00 a.m.



BLOOD DRIVE

New Jersey Blood Services will be conducting a blood drive, **Thursday, November 29th, at 2:00 – 8:00 p.m. in Desmond Hall.** At this time, the blood supply is critically low – **PLEASE HELP.** We will need volunteers to help on that day – register and serve juice and other miscellaneous chores. Please call the parish office at **732-566-9334** to volunteer. Also, those wishing to donate blood, call to set up appointment times.



PRE-BAPTISM CLASS

Please call the Parish Office to register. **The next Pre-Baptism class will be held Wednesday, December 12th at 8:00 p.m. in the Chapel.**



BOXED ENVELOPES

We will soon be in the process of preparing our year 2019 **boxed envelopes for registered parishioners.** You must be registered to receive envelopes. If you did not use your 2018 envelopes a minimum of 10 times during the past year, envelopes will not be reissued to you. Besides assisting with the regular financial support of your parish, your usage of envelopes also helps record your Mass attendance. This, in turn, helps the pastor to better verify your level of commitment to the parish when requesting sponsorship certificates. Participation in the envelope system is also necessary for the parish office to be able to issue statements for IRS purposes.



SPECIAL COLLECTION



This weekend's second collection will be for the St. Vincent de Paul Society. **Please make checks payable to: St. Vincent de Paul Society.** Your generosity helps the Society help others.



PARISH COAT DRIVE
Share the Warmth



It's that time of the year for our annual coat drive on behalf of Jersey Cares. This marks our 5th year benefitting our fellow community members throughout the state of New Jersey. Please donate gently used warm coats from newborn to adult sizes. Due to the size of the collection, we can ONLY accept COATS, not sweatshirts or other warm items. Collection boxes are located in both vestibules from now until December 8th. For more information, please feel free to reach out to Christine Alfano at 732-801-3471 or 732-241-8266. Thank you in advance for your generosity.



GIVING TREE

The Giving Tree will be ready for the weekend of November 24/25. Gifts are due back on the weekend of December 8/9.



COOKIES WITH SANTA

The Holy Name will be having "Cookies with Santa" the weekend of December 15th after the 5:00 p.m. and December 16th after all 10:00 and 11:30 a.m. Masses in Desmond Hall. Have your picture taken with Santa. Donations of cookies will be greatly appreciated.



MOST HOLY REDEEMER PRAYER GROUP

Most Holy Redeemer Prayer Group will meet on Friday, November 30th 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.



Let LUKE'S GOSPEL Prepare You for a Most HOLY Holiday – A Parish Spiritual Retreat for Getting the Most Out of ADVENT and CHRISTMAS. Paulist Father James DiLuzio offers reflections and tools to apply the infancy Narratives of Luke Chapters 1 and 2 directly to your life and relationships over three consecutive evenings meant to assist you in maximizing *the Season's Prayerful Positives*. Fr. James will offer his dramatic proclamation of Luke's Gospel from memory with Song, Meditations and reflections for everyday life. **Fr. James will preach at all Masses the weekend of December 1st and 2nd. The Retreat will be held on Monday, December 3rd, Tuesday, December 4th, and Wednesday, December 5th at 7:30 p.m.** (A special CCD presentation for children and parents will be held on December 4th and 5th at 4:30PM.) *Please consider a Free-Will Offering for The Paulist Fathers at the Retreat.*



TREATING THE PAIN OF SEPARATION



Among loved ones, perhaps no word contains more sadness than the word "separation." When someone we love is away, we begin to miss that person almost immediately. Even death is the final separation. Jesus came to tell us that, in him, any painful situation is temporary and will pass away but the joy and security found in God are eternal. He calls us to entrust ourselves to God to bring together all the fragments of friendships and separations of our lives. If you, or someone you know would like to hear more about Jesus and about the promises he extends to us, we invite you to join us at an Inquiry Session. Inquiry Sessions DO NOT assume a commitment to join the Catholic Faith family. Inquiry Sessions are opportunities to ask questions about God, Jesus, the Catholic Faith Family. All who are unbaptized, baptized into another faith denomination, or baptized Catholic but have not received Eucharist or Confirmation, are invited. Inquiry Sessions are for those who wish to inquire, explore and search for ways to grow in relationship with God. For more information call Pat Corbitt, RCIA, at 732-566-9334.



IN GOD'S IMAGE

In God's Image, the Catholic Faith Sharing Group for gay, lesbian, bisexual and transgender people at Sacred Heart Church, South Plainfield, meets the 2nd Wednesday of every month at 7:00 p.m. in the Annex Building. Our next meeting is November 14th. The group is open to LGBT adults, 18 and over, and their families. All are welcome for faith sharing, prayer, conversation and support. For more information, contact Father John at 908-756-0633, ext. 125, or the group may be reached by contacting 908-822-5895 or email: sacredheartigi@gmail.com.

BOY SCOUTS



Scout Troop 129 will be offering their hand-decorated wreaths for sale as a fundraiser on the weekends of November 24/25 and December 1/2 after all Masses. Wreaths are available decorated in several different color schemes to match your décor. Wreaths will be \$17, Kissing Balls, \$20 and Grave Blankets are \$40. The members of our troop are thankful for the blessing of your ongoing support. Tell your friends!



OLD BRIDGE INTERFAITH THANKSGIVING SERVICE

Join in a community celebration of thanksgiving with Ahmadiyya Muslim Community of Central Jersey; Congregation Beth Ohr; Simpson United Methodist Church; St. Thomas the Apostle Catholic Church, on Tuesday, November 20th, 7:00 p.m. at St. Thomas Church, Route 18 South in OB.

All are welcome. Please bring donations of non-perishable food for the Old Bridge Food Pantry.

HOW TO REPORT SEXUAL ABUSE



If you were sexually abused by a member of the clergy or anyone representing the Catholic Church, or you know of someone who was, you are encouraged to report that abuse to law enforcement and/or by contacting the Diocesan Response Officer at 908-930-4558 (24 hours/7 days a week). For more information on how to report abuse, visit our diocesan website at <https://diometuchen.org/report-a-suspected-abuse>.



CHRISTMAS BREAKFAST



Under the direction of Father Alphonse Stephenson, tickets are now available for **Sunday, November 25th at 3:00 p.m.**

**Church of the Sacred Heart
149 South Plainfield Avenue
South Plainfield, NJ 07080**

Advanced Ticket Sales, General Admission: \$30.00
Seniors (62+) \$25.00; Students under 17 \$15.00

For ticket purchase, please call

Mary Ann Ronzo at 908-757-7298

Grace Bertucci at 732-756-0633,

Parish Center at 908-756-0633, ext. 110 or stop by the Parish Center, 200 Randolph Ave., South Plainfield, Monday-Thursday 8:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m., and Friday 8:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.

MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

Thanksgiving



In this season of Thanksgiving, why not celebrate your marriage and its many blessings by attending a Marriage Encounter Weekend?

A Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend gives you the time and tools to revitalize romance, deepen communication, and nourish the spirituality in your marriage.

The Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend will be held January 25 - 27, 2019.

Early registration is advisable as space is limited. Please call 732-904-9636 for registration and information. Visit us at www.aweekendforyourmarriage.org for more information.

PILGRIMAGE TO HOLY LAND & JORDAN



Please join Fr. Gerardo from St. Thomas the Apostle in Old Bridge, NJ on a Pilgrimage to the Holy Land and Jordan - January 14-25, 2019. Price is \$3,400 per person, double occupancy. Health care is included. For more info, contact Fr. Gerardo at 732-251-4000, or e-mail gpaderson@gmail.com, or call Deacon Tom at 732-610-5434.