



MONDAY, MARCH 18

8:00AM -FRANCES WALSH
-r/o Scott Dyson

TUESDAY, MARCH 19

7:30PM -THANKSGIVING BLESSING
-r/o Mirlande Semexant

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 20

8:00AM -ANNE SLATE
-r/o Joe & Jackie Potts

FRIDAY, MARCH 22

8:00AM -RUBEN RODRIGUEZ
-r/o The Cirbus Family

SATURDAY, MARCH 23

9:00AM -HEALTH INTENTION FOR WILLIAM VALENCIA (L)
-r/o Zeida Losavio
5:00PM -PAUL & CARMELA STEFANELLI & THE CASSANO FAMILY
-r/o The DeBenedictus Family

SUNDAY, MARCH 24

8:00AM -CHUCK CIRBUS
-r/o The Passaretti Family
10:00AM -ESTHER GONZALEZ
-r/o The Gonzalez Family
11:30AM -LIZ FREGA
-r/o Roseann Chrzanowski

VOTIVE LIGHTS - IN MEMORY OF

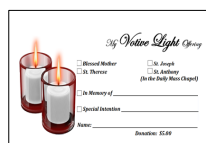
Muriel, Leslie & Anna Roberts Mary Spinelli
Juan Antonio "Tony" Medina Joseph Connolly
Carmela & Arthur Gizzarelli Joseph L. Esposito
Rosalie & Frank Moscarello Josephine Pospishil

SPECIAL INTENTIONS

Thank you for helping my son Watch over our daughter
Thank you for all our blessings All personal intentions
Help & guidance for Jonathan & Michael
Help & guidance for Carolyn

PLEASE TAKE NOTE
Votive Candles

The cost of the votive candles has been increased to \$5.00. This has been indicated in the new envelopes.



PARISH UPCOMING EVENTS



- Soup Suppers, March 26th and April 9th, 6:00 p.m., Desmond Hall
- Blood Drive, April 11th, 2:00 - 8:00 p.m., 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 - March 17th at 8:00 a.m.
Meeting following the Mass.

TABERNACLE LIGHT



Tabernacle Candle in the Church burns this week for My Personal Intentions
r/o Marie Scifo

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, 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, Joan & Richard Zipp, Karen Brown, Jackie Lombardi, Meredith Cierkowski, Mario Buongiovanni, and Lucy Ginsiorsky.

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**

Alex Barnhard, U.S. Navy
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
Robert C. McCann, U.S. Marines
Michael J. Sanzone, U.S. Army
Mark G. Sieczkowski, U.S. Navy
Thomas Welch, U.S. Army

If you a 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

Please join us on Sunday, March 17th 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.



SPECIAL COLLECTION

Next 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.

HELP A MOTHER CHOOSE LIFE!

From Life Choices Resource Center

Help us build a legacy of life! Over the past year, babies have been saved, hearts changed and lives transformed because of your support of our life saving ministry. Life Choices Resource Center (Metuchen) serves women and families in our area by providing FREE services such as pregnancy tests, ultrasounds, material aid, adoption referrals and abortion recovery support.

Most Holy Redeemer is once again graciously sponsoring a Baby Bottle Blessings Fundraiser benefitting Life Choices. Pick up a baby bottle before or after Mass this weekend. Fill it with your change, cash, or a check and return by April 6/7, Palm Sunday weekend.

Your gift will make a difference in the life of a mother and child! www.LifeChoicesRC.com.



STEWARDS OF OUR TREASURE

Weekend of March 9/10, 2019: \$5788

Weekend of March 10/11, 2018: \$7242



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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.



EASTER FLOWER COLLECTION

This weekend's second collection will be for the Easter Flowers. **Please print loved ones' names clearly and legibly so they may appear correctly in the bulletin.**



PRE-BAPTISM CLASS

Please call the Parish Office to register. **The next Pre-Baptism class will be held Wednesday, April 3, 2019 at 8:00 p.m. in the Chapel.**



8:00 a.m. - Monday-Wednesday-Friday
 Special Lenten Mass - Tuesdays of Lent at 7:30 p.m.
 9:00 a.m. - Saturday

STATIONS OF THE CROSS
 Friday Evenings - 7:30 p.m.

CONFESSION
 April 16 – after the 7:30 p.m. Mass - 9:00 p.m.
 April 17 - 7:00 - 9:00 p.m.
 April 19 - 11:00 a.m. - 12 noon
 N.B. No confessions will be heard on Holy Saturday

PALM SUNDAY – APRIL 14
 Palms will be blessed at each Mass

Masses:
 Saturday, 5:00 p.m.
 Sunday, 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m. and 11:30 a.m.

SACRED TRIDIUM
HOLY THURSDAY – APRIL 18
LITURGY OF THE LORD’S SUPPER

Mass - 7:30 p.m.
 The Church will remain open for Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until 10:00 p.m.

GOOD FRIDAY – APRIL 19
 Stations of the Cross - 3:00 p.m.
 Liturgy of the Lord’s Passion - 7:30 p.m.

HOLY SATURDAY – APRIL 20
 Blessing of food - 12:00 noon in the Chapel

SOLEMN EASTER VIGIL – APRIL 20
 8:00 p.m.

EASTER SUNDAY – APRIL 21
Masses:
 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m. and 11:30 a.m.



MOST HOLY REDEEMER PRAYER GROUP
 Most Holy Redeemer Prayer Group will meet on Friday, March 29th in the daily Mass Chapel after Stations of the Cross. 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.



FROM THE PASTOR’S DESK

Our Holy Name Society did a super job once again with our St. Patrick/St. Joseph Celebration last Saturday evening. My thanks to Society president, Lou Savarese, and all those who prepared food, slaved over a hot stove in the parish kitchen, decorated the hall, set-up and cleaned-up, served tables, sold raffle tickets and provided the entertainment. Special thanks to those who donated food and drink.

Everyone came together to honor these two wonderful saints and enjoy one another’s company. Thank you

Blessings,
 Father Chester Carina

- Cooking:** Don & Pat Schuck, John & Joan Kibbler, Jimmy Cueva, Teresa Motomal and Bill Keller
- Decorating:** Irene Troland & Linda McGovern
- Servers:** Linda McGovern, and Ann Saborido
- Music:** Guy Smoljan
- 50/50 Raffle:** Bill Stengle and Mike Murphy
- Purchasing:** Bill Keller and Frank Marcelonis
- Beverages:** James DeLamater
- Placemats & Youth Volunteers:** Debbie Dyson and Barbara Orsucci
- Donation of Vegetables:** John Hauser
- Religious Education Students:** Kyle Hughes, Carla & Deanna Saborido and Tyler Nannetti
- Other Volunteers:** Louis Savarese, Evelyn Green, Pat Corbitt and Midge Hauser



PARISH BLOOD DRIVE HELP NEEDED!

New Jersey Blood Services will be conducting a blood drive, **Thursday, April 11th, at 2:00 – 8:00 p.m. in Desmond Hall.** At this time, the blood supply is critically low – **PLEASE HELP.** Those wishing to donate blood, call to set up appointment times.



LENTEN SOUP SUPPER

All are welcome to join us for a variety of homemade soups on Tuesday, March 26th at 6:00 p.m. in Desmond Hall. If you would like to attend and/or contribute bread or dessert, sign-up sheets are located in both vestibules. **Please bring donations of size 4/5 pull ups to benefit Life Choices.**

HELP BUILD A CIVILIZATION OF LOVE
2019 Bishop's Annual Appeal



2019 BISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL

This weekend, parishes throughout the Diocese of Metuchen are celebrating Bishop's Annual Appeal In-Pew Weekend. Our goal is for every family to participate. Every gift, no matter the size, is important and greatly appreciated. Together, we are working to become kindling that is set aflame by the Holy Spirit, allowing God's love and power to burn more brightly here in the Diocese of Metuchen. Thank you for actively participating in this mission by your financial support.



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 March 10th:

EMILY MARIE FURBER

Daughter of Steven and Christine

NICOLETTE LINDA MOLINO

Daughter of James and Melissa

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

PASTORAL COUNCIL



The next pastoral council meeting will be on Monday, April 8th at 7:15 - 9:00 p.m. in Desmond Hall.



BISHOP GEORGE AHR HIGH SCHOOL

One Tingley Lane
Edison, NJ 08820

SPRING OPEN HOUSE

Tuesday, April 9, 2019
Program Begins at 7:00 p.m.

Meet our Faculty, tour our facility and hear about our technology. Learn about our Sports, Clubs and Organizations. Student Guides available. Brochures available. Refreshments served. All are Welcome! For more information or directions, please call Bishop Ahr High School at 732-549-1108, ext. 620 or visit us on our webpage: www.bgahs.org.

DESIGNER POCKETBOOK BINGO FUNDRAISER



Bishop Ahr High School is having its Annual Designer Pocketbook Bingo Fundraiser on Friday, May 10, 2019. The doors open at 6:00 p.m. and the games begin at 7:30 p.m. There is a limited number of tickets being sold, please don't wait until the last minute. Order forms can be found on the Bishop Ahr High School website www.bgahs.org. or by contacting Eileen Oldroyd at 908-405-0089.

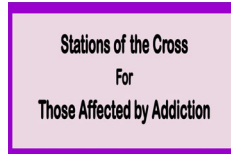
WORD OF LIFE



"Fatherhood has its origins in God, and so we pray to you, Father Almighty, for those men who have adopted a child. Give them a mind receptive to your guidance, a patient voice, and a loving heart."

USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities
"Novena of St. Joseph: For Those on the Path of Adoption"
www.usccb.org/adoption-novena

STATIONS OF THE CROSS FOR THOSE TOUCHED BY THE PAIN OF ADDICTION OR LOSS



March 29th

Many of us struggle to comfort and support our brothers and sisters who have suffered as a result of addiction and/or loss of a family member to an overdose. In an effort to offer spiritual support, a special Stations of the Cross Service will be held on Friday, March 29th at 7:00 p.m. at Immaculate Conception Parish, 18 South Street, Spotswood, NJ. Refreshments and fellowship to follow. Pastoral ministers will be present at the service to listen to and speak with participants and to offer healing resources. All are welcome. For more information, please call 732-243-4574.

PRAYER FOR AN END TO INFANTICIDE



Jesus, Lord of Life, transform the hearts of all elected leaders to recognize that infanticide is wrong and must not be tolerated. Open hearts and minds to recognize and defend the precious gift of every human life.

Note: To determine your Senators' votes on the Born-Alive Abortion Survivors Protection Act, go to: <http://www.usccb.org/about/pro-life-activities/born-alive-bill.cfm>