



PARISH UPCOMING EVENTS

- Life Line Screening, Tuesday, May 14th, Desmond Hall

WEB PAGE

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

MONDAY, MAY 13

8:00AM -ROSE PEPITONE
-r/o The Rubino Family

TUESDAY, MAY 14

8:00AM -JOHN WILLIAM KEARNS
-r/o Anne Kearns

WEDNESDAY, MAY 15

8:00AM -MICHAEL DE SIMONE
-r/o The DeSimone Family

FRIDAY, MAY 17

8:00AM -CHUCK CIRBUS
-r/o Karen Russell

SATURDAY, MAY 18

9:00AM -MARY SCIAULINO
-r/o Guy &Carolynn Smoljan
5:00PM -LUCILLE & STEPHEN TIMKO, SR.
-r/o The Whitehead Family

SUNDAY, MAY 19

8:00AM -CHUCK CIRBUS
-r/o Sheila & Jessica Bernstein
10:00AM -AGNES & JOSEPH CICCONE
-r/o Lucy Ciccone
11:30AM -ANTHONY FRANCO
-r/o The Dunn Family

HOLY NAME SOCIETY

Mass – 3rd Sunday of every month
Next Mass – May 19th at 8:00 a.m. Meeting following the Mass.



TABERNACLE LIGHT

Tabernacle Candle in the Church burns this week in loving memory of Giuseppa Felletti
r/o Anna Coluccio



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, Philip Genchi, Joan & Richard Zipp, Karen Brown, Jackie Lombardi, Mario Buongiovanni and Pat Corbitt.

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, June 5, 2019 at 8:00 p.m. in the Chapel.**

VOTIVE LIGHTS

IN MEMORY OF

Muriel, Leslie & Anna Roberts Mary Spinelli
Juan Antonio "Tony" Medina Lee Esposito
Carmela & Arthur Gizzarelli Linda LaBatto
Rosalie & Frank Moscarello Joseph L. Esposito
Francisco & Victoria Grajales Theresa F. Whalen
Peter & Susan Colombo Michael Kelsall

SPECIAL INTENTIONS

Help & guidance for Jonathan
Carolyn will seek guidance in her lifestyle
Help & guidance for Michael & Carly
Lord, watch over the Amendola Children

PRAYER GARDEN PAVERS



If you are interested in donating a paver for our prayer garden in memory of a loved one, please pick up an order form in the vestibules of the church or stop by the parish office.



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 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.

MOTHER'S DAY CARDS



All submitted intentions for Mother's Day are remembered by the priest at Sunday Mass for the month of May. The written intentions are being kept by the statue of the Blessed Virgin Mary during the month of May.

MOTHER'S DAY PRAYER ROSES



As we prepare for Mother's Day, you have the opportunity to purchase a beautiful prayer rose to carry on the desire of Our Blessed Mother that we should continue to pray to her Son and to show your own mother your gratitude for the love, nurturing and faith that she has shown to you.

Purchasing this rose will help our church's Respect Life Committee to provide handmade rosaries and family prayer roses for each new child we welcome into the light of faith on the day of their Baptism. The cost of each rose is \$5.00 and we thank you for your help with this important project. The prayer roses will be on sale this weekend after all Masses.

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 COFFEE SUNDAY



Please join us next Sunday, May 19th 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.

STEWARDS OF OUR TREASURE



Weekend of May 4/5, 2019: \$6394
Weekend of May 5/6, 2018: \$7639
Additional Easter Collection: \$70

OFFICE STAFF EMAILS



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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.

MONTH OF MARY



During May, the month traditionally devoted to the Blessed Virgin Mary, the members of our Holy Name Society will lead us in the recitation of the Rosary beginning 20 minutes before the 5:00 p.m. Saturday Mass. All are welcome.

BLOOD DRIVE



New Jersey Blood Services will be conducting a blood drive, **Thursday, July 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.



LIFE LINE SCREENING

Life Line Screening, a leading provider of community-based preventive health screenings, is pleased to offer a preventive health event at

Most Holy Redeemer Roman Catholic Church on May 14, 2019. Five screenings will be offered that scan for potential health problems related to: blocked arteries which is a leading cause of stroke; abdominal aortic aneurysms which can lead to a ruptured aorta; hardening of the arteries in the legs which is a strong predictor of heart disease; atrial fibrillation or irregular heart beat which is closely tied to stroke risk; and a bone density screening, for men and women, used to assess the risk of osteoporosis. Register for a Wellness Package which includes four vascular tests and osteoporosis screening from \$149 (\$139 with our member discount). All five screenings take 60-90 minutes to complete.

There are three ways to register for this event and to receive a \$10 discount off any package priced above \$129, call toll-free 1-888-653-6441 or visit <http://lifelinescreening.com/communitycircle> or text the word circle to 797979.

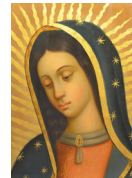
SPECIAL COLLECTION



Next week, we will take up the Collection for the Development of the People (Catholic Home Missions Appeal). Right now, over 40 percent of dioceses in the United States are considered home mission territory because they are unable to fund the essential pastoral work needed in their communities. Your support of this appeal helps ease the struggles of these dioceses. Please prayerfully consider how you can support this appeal. More information can be found at www.usccb.org/home-missions.



OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE PRAYER KITS



Get ready for an extraordinary prayer experience. We have openings for the balance of the year through December for the Guadalupe prayer kit. Those who have had the prayer kit have had such wonderful experiences. Sign-up sheets are in the vestibules. We start the new rotation in a week or two so don't delay.



SOCIETY OF ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA



The Society of Saint Anthony of Padua of Most Holy Redeemer Church will celebrate a Mass in Honor of St. Anthony, on Thursday, June 13th at 7:30 p.m.

Blessing and distribution of St. Anthony bread will take place after the Mass. Veneration with relic of St. Anthony will take place during Mass. Refreshments will follow after Mass.



Dear MHR Parishioners!



Thank you so much for your generosity and support of our Baby Bottle Blessings Fundraiser. Your parish family raised \$2,909.00!

These funds will go a long way in saving babies' lives from abortion and transforming the hearts and minds of their parents. Your gifts enable us to continue serving them by providing practical, emotional, and spiritual support, along with a compassionate hand of hope and friendship in difficult times. God loves them all, and so do we!

Together we share in the joy of every baby saved. You remain in our prayers of thanksgiving.

Your friends at Life Choices Resource Center
www.LifeChoicesRC.com



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

Open Registration will be on Tuesday, May 21st at 7:00 p.m. in Desmond Hall. The fee is \$100 for one child, \$150 for two children, and \$200 for a family of three or more, plus a \$150 work bond. A copy of the child's Baptismal Certificate is required.

A late fee applies to all registrations received after May 22nd. If you have any questions call our office at 732-566-5630.

VIRTUS TRAINING



Most Holy Redeemer will be conducting a VIRTUS Training on Tuesday, June 4th in Desmond Hall promptly beginning at 7:30 p.m. To register, go to www.diometuchen.org. At the bottom right of the home page click SIGN UP FOR VIRTUS SESSIONS. Next click START REGISTRATION and follow instructions.

THANK YOU



Many thanks to our Religious Education Office for organizing the donation of 48 Easter baskets to Ozanam Family Shelter run by the Diocese of Metuchen.



**PRAYER SERVICE FOR THOSE
TOUCHED BY THE PAIN OF
ADDICTION**

May 14, 2019

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 Prayer Service for Those Touched by the Pain of Addiction will be held on Tuesday, May 14th at 7:00 p.m. at St. Helena Parish, 950 Grove Avenue, Edison, 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. Call 732-243-4574 for more information.



**24TH ANNUAL NJ CATHOLIC
YOUTH RALLY**

Great Adventure

Sunday, May 19, 2019

8:30 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.

The rally is open to scouts, junior high and high school students, young adult ministry and parish/school athletic programs. The day will include entrance to the park, Mass and a concert by Matt Maher. Admission is \$50 for park access and food. Food only is \$20 if you have a season pass. For tickets and details, email jglynn@diometuchen.org or visit: www.diometuchen.org/nj-youth-rally.



**THE POETRY OF THE HOME AND THE
RESTORATION OF CHRISTIAN
CULTURE**

Calling all mothers, young women discerning the vocation to married life, grandmothers, etc. join us for tea and delicious treats on May 18, 2019, 1:00 - 4:00 p.m. at St. Vincent de Paul Church, 250 Bebout Avenue, Stirling, NJ as guest speaker, Mr. Robert Gil, husband of the late Rosie Gil (a mother who exalted the vocation of motherhood) speaks about what we can do in the home to restore a Christian society for our children and our grandchildren. Please RSVP to <https://www.stvincentschurch.org/christian-culture>. A free will donation will be taken up.



Festa di San Antonio

Good Shepherd Parish at Our Lady of the Most Holy Rosary Church, 625 Florida Grove Rd., in the Hopelawn section of Woodbridge will be hosting its annual Festa di San Antonio honoring St. Anthony on Saturday,

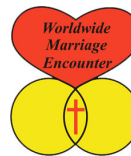
June 15th from 12 noon to 7:00 p.m. in Msgr. Gambino Hall. The day will include Italian food and desserts (eat in/take out), raffles, activities, music, vendors, games for children and more. Elevator service is available. Festa-goers are asked to bring a non-perishable food item for donation to the parish food pantry. For information, call 732-826-4859 or visit us at: www.goodshepherdpanj.org.



**MEMORIAL DAY MASS AT
DIOCESAN CEMETERIES**

Rev. Msgr. Joseph Celano, will celebrate an outdoor Memorial Day Mass at 10:00 a.m. May 28th rain or shine, on the grounds of Resurrection Cemetery, Hoes Lane and Park Ave., Piscataway. At the same time, Rev. Msgr. John Fell, will celebrate Mass at Holy Cross Cemetery, 840 Cranbury South River Road, Jamesburg. A wreath laying ceremony will also be held.

All are welcome. For more information, contact the Cemeteries Office at 800-943-8400 or cemeteries@diometuchen.org or visit the website at www.diometuchen.org/cemeteries.



As I have loved you

MOTHER'S DAY GIFT

With Mother's Day fast approaching, why not give your wife the special gift of 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 next **Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend** will be held **July 26 - 28**

Early registration is advisable as space is limited. Phone 732-904-9636 for registration and information. For further information visit: www.aweekendforyourmarriage.org.