CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

Saturday Evening (Vigil).............................5:30PM
Sunday ...................8:00AM, 10:00AM, 12:00PM, 5:00PM
(No 5:00PM Mass during July and August)
Monday through Saturday..........................9:00AM
Holy Days.............................................9:00AM, 7:00PM

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SPiritual Life

Reconciliation: Celebrated on Saturday from 4:00 – 5:00 PM, or by appointment with the priest. Parish Penance Services are celebrated during Advent and Lent.

Eucharistic Adoration: First Friday following the 9:00AM Mass until 6:30PM, followed by Benediction and Novena to St. Jude.

RCIA: The RCIA process is open to those who have never been baptized as well as those baptized into a different faith, and those needing to complete the sacraments of Eucharist and/or Confirmation. The group meets Tuesdays at 7:00PM. If interested, contact Deb for more information at RCIA@stjudeparish.org.

Anointing of the Sick: At any time, the sacrament of healing is available to all who are seriously ill, hospitalized or preparing for surgery, as well as those of advanced age. Please contact the parish office to make arrangements for administration of the sacrament. If there is an emergency, please call 973-691-1561 Ext 14.

Parish Registration: Is requested of all individual persons and families who worship regularly with us on Sundays and who intend to participate in the life of our parish with their time, talents, and treasure. For more information, call the Parish Office at 973-691-1561 or stop by the Information Office after any Mass on Saturday or Sunday. Registration is necessary for the issuing of sponsor certificates.

Matrimony: Contact the parish office at least six months before the prospective date.

Baptism: Baptism Preparation Class is held on the second Monday of every other month at 7:00PM in the church. Baptisms are held on Saturday at 12:00 Noon and Sunday at 2:00PM. Call the parish office to register for class and to schedule Baptism. Next Class: November 12th.

Divine Mercy Prayer Group: Meets on the First Friday of every month, and the second Sunday of every month at 3:00PM in the Daily Chapel.

Fellowship Prayer Group: Meets every Wednesday from 7:00 – 8:00PM in the Daily Chapel.
THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME
NOVEMBER 4, 2018

MASS INTENTIONS

Sat  5:30 p.m.  Mickey & Frank LoPresti
      Phyllis Brusca
Sun.  8:00 a.m.  Frank/Francesco DeVito
      Arthur Torrisi
      Michelena LoPesti, Rose Bernhard
      Lily Castelino, Adele Castellano
12:00 Noon  Michelena LoPresti
      5:00 p.m.  David Sanker
Mon  9:00 a.m.  Dorothy Martin
Tues  9:00 a.m.  Maria Coppola, Michelena LoPresti
Wed  9:00 a.m.  Rosa Calcerano
Thurs  9:00 a.m.  Dorothy Martin
Fri  9:00 a.m.  Cosima Rilli
Sat  9:00 a.m.  Dorothy Martin
Sat  5:30 p.m.  Mickey & Frank LoPresti
      Rosine Schroth
      For All Veterans
Sun  8:00 a.m.  Alfio Torrisi
      For All Veterans
      10:00 a.m.  Msgr. Patrick E. Brown
      Louis Cerrato, Josephine DeSolis
      For All Veterans
12:00 Noon  Frank LoPresti
      For All Veterans
      5:00 p.m.  Betty Maggipinto
      For All Veterans

FINANCIAL BLESSINGS
Sunday’s Collection
October 27th & 28th

Envelopes  209
Checks     $ 5,002.00
Cash       $ 2,316.01
Online Giving  $ 1,252.50
Total      $ 8,570.51
Maintenance Fund  $ 2,645.24

Thank you for responding with generosity to our financial needs. To give is an act of faith. We promise to be wise stewards with the funds that you entrust to us. God Bless You.

OPERATION CHILLOUT

2018-2019 Winter Homeless Outreach Campaign
Backpacks Available:  After any Mass on
November 10th & 11th in the Narthex.

What to Pack:
Please, only new and unused warm clothing.
Size Large or X-Large for Women & Large,
X-Large and XX-Large for Men.
(please remove purchase labels)
Knit Cap, Gloves - Waterproof Non-Leather Gore Tex
Wool/Nylon Blend Socks/Acrylic Heavy Socks
Insulated/Thermal Underwear Tops and Bottoms
Hooded Zippered Sweatshirt or Heavy Flannel Shirt
Heavy Flannel Shirt-Jac

All Filled Backpacks are due on or before
December 1st/2nd.
Please drop off in the Narthex before or after masses.

Want to know more about Operation Chillout?
Check  http://www.operationchillout.org/

2018 BISHOP’S ANNUAL APPEAL
Here I AM, Lord!

When you give to a charitable organization, it is important to be confident that the funds are used wisely. Please know that your gift to the Bishop’s Annual Appeal supports the following causes: our Catholic Charities agencies, seminarian education, our urban elementary schools and our priests’ retirement residence and priests’ extraordinary healthcare needs. In addition, 50% of all funds received over a parish’s goals is returned to the parish directly for its own needs. Appeal funds are used for no other purpose and serve only those who live in Morris, Passaic and Sussex Counties. You can make a pledge with confidence when you give to the Bishop’s Annual Appeal.

For your convenience, you can make an online gift or pledge at https://www.2018appeal.org.

Thank you!

Mass Schedule For November 10th & 11th
November 10th 5:30 PM  Fr. John Andrew
November 11th 8:00 AM  Fr. Antonio
           10:00 AM  Fr. Antonio
           12:00 Noon  Fr. Antonio
           5:00 PM  Fr. Ben

SAVE THE DATE
The 2019 “March for Life Bus Trip to Washington D.C.”
Will be held on Friday, January 18th. There is NO COST for the bus trip. Please consider joining us on this Knights of Columbus sponsored peaceful demonstration of our Respect Life Values. All parishioners are welcome!
ANNUAL RESPECT FOR LIFE MASS
Saturday, November 17, 2018
10:00 AM
St. John the Baptist Cathedral
Paterson, NJ
Mass is sponsored by the Paterson Federation
Knights of Columbus Councils
All are invited and encouraged to attend.

BINGO
BINGO AT ST. JUDE PARISH
The Knights of Columbus Fr. Joseph A. Cassidy
Council 6100 invites you to play BINGO Friday evenings in the Parish Center. This weekly fundraiser enables the Council to support a myriad of charitable donations including over $12,000 annually in support of the parish and parish activities. Bingo begins at 7:45 and usually completes by 10:45. You can play every game (1 board each game) for as little as $11.00 and our typical weekly payouts average over $2400. Come join the fun and bring a friend! For more information call: 973-446-0786 or go to: kofc6100.org

ST. PAUL INSIDE THE WALLS
205 Madison Avenue
Madison NJ
Catholicism from Scratch
A course in Basic Catholicism for those who need a brush-up, those who missed it the first time around, or those who never heard it before. Fall 2018 schedule:
November 13th: Saints in the Making
December 8th: The Handmaid’s Tale - Mary
For more information visit: https://insidethewalls.org/catholicism-from-scratch

MONTHLY FOOD COLLECTION
This weekend November 3rd & 4th is our Monthly Food Collection for Hope House, Dover and the Mt. Olive Food Pantry
The following items are being requested:
Canned Tuna/Chicken Soup & Broth
Canned Veggies Rice/Side Dishes
Boxed Cereals Oatmeal/Reg. & Instant
Mac N Cheese Oil (Vegetable)
Peanut Butter Jelly & Jam
Coffee & Tea Canned Fruit
Pasta Pasta Sauce
Crackers/Cookies Cake Mix/Frosting
Corn Muffin Mix Brownie Mix
Canned Stews Hot Chocolate Mix
Shampoo & Soap Tooth Paste
Paper Products Pancake Mix/Syrup
Cat & Dog Food - Canned/Dry: Bags no Larger 20 lbs.**

**Food Pantries are not permitted to purchase Pet Food. These donations will assist our companion animals from being abandoned at shelters.**

As always your generosity is greatly appreciated. Church Doors will remain open on Sunday, November 4th, until 6:00PM.

SAVE THE DATE
Sunday, December 2, 2018
2018 Diocesan Christmas Concert
The Cathedral of St. John the Baptist - 4:00 PM

ST. JOSEPH SCHOOL
Mendham, New Jersey
On Friday, November 9, 2018, prospective students in grades Kindergarten through 7th Grade and their parents are invited to spend the day at St. Joseph School. Attend classes, meet our staff and experience first hand the vibrant learning environment at SJS.
To register: call 973-543-7474 ext. 7
Or
Visit https://www.sjsmendham.org
Or
Follow Facebook and Instagram at sjsmendhamnj.
**ST. JUDE PARISH**

St. Jude Veterans will be honored at the 5:30 PM mass on November 10th. All Veterans of the Parish, families and friends are invited to attend the Mass followed by light refreshments in the Parish Center.

**VETERANS PICTURE BOARD**

We will again have a Veterans Board (Pictures). If you or a family member are a Veteran and would like to have a picture placed on the Veterans Board, please put a picture (no larger than 4” x 6”) with name, rank, time of service, and branch of service on the back of the picture or piece of paper (if possible submit a picture at the time of service). Place the picture and paper in an envelope marked “Veterans Mass” and drop in the collection basket no later than this weekend November 3/4. If you have had your picture on the board in the past you do not need to submit another one. If you will be attending the 5:30 PM Veterans Mass and reception, please sign up on the list in the vestibule so we know how many to prepare for.

**ST. JUDE ROSARY ALTAR SOCIETY**

**Monday November 5th**

Installation of New Members
7:00 p.m. in the Main Church
followed by an English Tea and Brief Meeting in the Parish Center.

Please bring any dessert that you signed up for.
Any women interested in joining the Rosary Society please contact Mel Kaufhold at 201-230-0955.

**THANK YOU**

The Knights of Columbus, Thomas C. DeLalla Squires, Circle 2192, would like to say “Thank You” to those individuals who supported their Annual Indoor Craft /Vendor Sale held on October 20, 2018. Thank You!!!!

**SPIRITUAL ADOPTION BABY DEVELOPMENT UPDATE**

An Amazing Journey! LIFE!

At the miraculous moment of fertilization – when the egg of a woman and the sperm of a man unite, a new human life begins. From this moment on, it will take approximately nine months for the baby to develop and be ready to be born.

Fertilization - the joining of the father's sperm and the mother's egg - this is when life begins. When fertilization occurs a new, unique human individual begins the journey of development. At the earliest stage, the new person is referred to as a zygote and is no larger than a single grain of sand. Cell division begins mere moments after fertilization. A function called implantation happens from five to nine days after fertilization. Implantation occurs when the new human nestles him or herself in the wall of the uterus (or womb) and begins to draw nutrition. Once he/she has implanted, your baby is called a blastocyst and is about 0.1 - 0.2 mm in diameter. This week the mother's body will experience a hormone reaction to the presence of the developing baby. Between weeks three and four (18 to 25 days after fertilization) the developing baby's heart begins to beat. Arm and leg buds form. The face – eyes, ears, nose and mouth – begin to take form.

**Amazing Fact:**

At fertilization, every bit of genetic information necessary for the child's development is present. The “program” for everything is there: hair and eye color, skin tone, height — even likely giftedness as a pianist, vocalist or computer programmer.

**HONORING ALL VETERANS ON VETERANS DAY**

NOVEMBER 11, 2018

We Thank You for your service and sacrifices. We are forever grateful!!
DOMINICAN COLLEGE

Information Sessions for Undergraduate and Graduate Degrees including Undergraduate Online programs is scheduled for:
Wednesday, November 7, 2018
5:30pm to 7:30pm
At the Prusmack Center
2 Campus Drive
Orangeburg, NY 10962

Opportunity to learn about the programs and meet the faculty and admissions counselors. Information about Financial Aid, Grants and Scholarships will be available.

To register for the next Info Session go to: https://www.dc.edu/rsvp/

I love you, Lord, my strength, my strength.

ALL SAINTS TRIDUUM

So, if we celebrate Halloween are we sinning? The formal name for Halloween is All-Hallows'-Eve which is the night before All-Saints'-Day. Halloween is the evening before the Christian All Hallows' Day (also known as All Saints' or Hallowmas) on 1 November followed by All Souls' Day on 2 November, thus giving the holiday on 31 October the full name of All Hallows' Eve (meaning the evening before All Hallows' Day). For many years, Halloween was a liturgical celebration in its own right as a vigil.

It is true, that there are references to pagan festivals that have strong similarities to Halloween, but if it is coincidence or modeling from these pagan celebrations, the church did choose to pause and “pray in” the Feast of All Saints.

Many people believe that this vigil has its roots in the ancient Celtic festival of Samhain, when people would light bonfires and wear costumes to ward off roaming ghosts. Samhain was a celebration of the end of the harvest season, meaning ‘summer’s end’.

It wasn’t until the ninth century that the Church appointed a November date for the feast of All Saints (it was originally celebrated in May), but it became even more special when Pope Sixtus IV in 1484 established November 1 as a holyday of obligation and gave it both a vigil (known today as “All Hallows’ Eve” or “Hallowe’en”) and an eight-day period or octave to celebrate the feast. Liturgically, we no longer celebrate the octave, but All Saints Day is followed by a day in honor of those whom we prayer are to soon be saints — calling it the feast of All Souls. Many theologians surmise that the church ascribed this time of the year to these feasts because for many (in the northern hemisphere) it is a time of barrenness on the earth. This feast was designed to stamp out pagan traditions and convert people to Christianity.

The day after Halloween, All Saints Day, November 1, became the important spiritual feast. In the United States, it is a solemnity, a holyday of obligation and the day that the Church honors all of God's saints, even those who have not been formally canonized by the Church. In our own families we can celebrate the memory of those family members (sharing with us in the Mystical Body, the doctrine of the Communion of Saints) now sharing eternal happiness in the presence of God.

Apparently how these three days were celebrated had to do with geographical location. In some areas of Western Europe, the night was solemn with no party atmosphere. There was a belief that the poor souls in Purgatory were free on this night to visit their old homes. During the middle of the night, the town crier would go about the streets ringing a bell warning residents that it was unwise to roam abroad at the time of returning souls. Ireland, Scotland and England celebrated All Hallows’ Eve with both a spiritual air as well as party merriment. Following the schism with Rome, Queen Elizabeth forbade all observances connected with All Souls' Day. In spite of those laws, many customs survived.

Begging at the door grew from an ancient English custom of knocking at doors to beg for a “soul cake” in return for which the beggars promised to pray for the dead of the household. This practice came to be in the 11th century. By the 19th century, this had evolved into a tradition where children would sing songs, tell jokes and read poems instead of prayers. The name ‘trick or treat’ was first used in America in 1929.

The formal vigil of All Saints, as well as the octave celebration was done away with in 1955 when the Christian calendar was amended.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS

EUCHARISTIC MINISTER OR LECTOR

Anyone who has been fully initiated as a Catholic (Baptized, Confirmed and received Eucharist) is invited to consider serving at Liturgy as a Reader or Minister of Holy Communion. Both ministries require a brief instruction and training period but are well worth the time and effort! If you are interested to be part of one or both ministries, please sign the book in the Narthex of the Church or call the office and give us your name.