

## Parish Ministries

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## Parish Services

**Parish Office:** Open Monday through Thursday 9 AM-4 PM

(closed 12-1:30 PM for lunch).

Closed Fridays during summer.

**Parish Center and Chapel of the Nativity:**

124 East Second Street

**Church:** Mountain Avenue and East High Street

**Parish Office:** (732) 356-0027

**Parish Fax:** (732) 356-8092

**Emergencies Only:** (732) 356-8936

**Website:** www.sjcbb.net

## Sacraments

**Baptism: English Baptisms will be officiated on the 2nd and 4th Sunday of the month at 1:30 PM** in the Church.

Spanish Baptisms will be officiated on the 1st and 3rd Sunday of the month at 1:30 PM in the Church.

Contact the Parish Office to schedule.

Attendance at Baptism class is mandatory. The Baptism must be scheduled before you attend Baptism class.

**Marriage:** Weddings celebrated Saturdays and Friday evenings, but not Sundays. You must contact a priest 9 months before the planned date, and reservation of a wedding time is suggested even earlier.

**Confirmation, First Eucharist, First**

**Penance:** Though immediate preparation is given before receiving these sacraments, children are expected to receive a Catholic upbringing in their families. This includes formal religious education classes and regular Sunday worship in the years prior to and following the reception of these Sacraments.

## Devotions

**Marian Novena:** Saturdays following 8:15 AM Mass in the Chapel.

**Eucharistic Adoration:** First and Second Friday, Adoration following 8:30 AM Mass; Benediction: 1st Friday in English; 2nd Friday in Spanish, 1:00 PM in the Chapel.

## In the Hospital?

If you or someone you know is sick in the hospital or nursing home for an extended stay, please contact the parish office. We will do our best to have someone make a pastoral visit and bring communion. Please note that the Hospitals or Nursing Homes do not notify us, and we rely on the family to inform us of this information. Thank you for your assistance.

## New Parishioners

New Parishioners are asked to come to the Parish Office and fill out a Census Form. Individuals and families must be registered and practicing here for at least six months before applying for sponsorship. **If you have changed your address** or other information, please contact the Parish Office at (732) 356-0027 so that we can update our records.

## Sponsorship Eligibility

**To be or not to be . . . A Sponsor for Baptism or Confirmation**

The opportunity to walk with another in Faith, whether a child or an adult is an awesome privilege. It is cause for serious consideration on the part of those who ask another to witness with their lives to what it means to be a Catholic, and for those who accept this responsibility. It is important to think carefully about your selection and decision. The person to be considered a Sponsor must be at least 14 years of age and have themselves completed the Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, Eucharist, Confirmation), and are leading a life in harmony with the Faith and Tradition they are called to witness. A Godparent/Sponsor cannot be the mother or father of the one to be baptized. If married, their marriage must be recognized as "valid" by the Catholic Church. They must be attending Mass regularly, that is, every Sunday and Holy Day of Obligation.

**They will need to obtain a Certificate of Eligibility signed by their pastor.**

Being properly registered at one's parish is an important first step. Consider carefully your invitation and response. There is more involved to this than simply standing at the Baptismal Font. It is a lifelong commitment. If you have questions, speak with one of the parish priests who can guide you correctly. Call the Parish Office EARLY, even before your child's birth to obtain information that will help you in selecting suitable godparents.

## Holy Savior Academy

*The Middlebrook Deanery  
Catholic School*

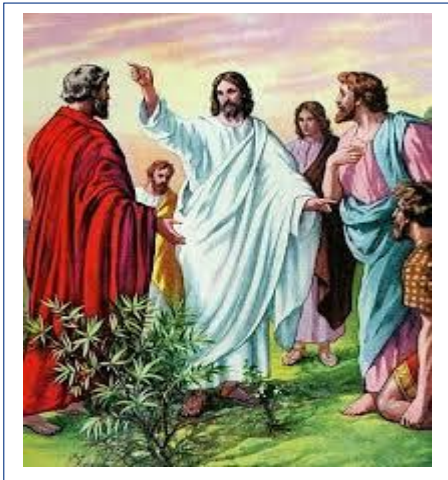
(Grades Pre-K through 8)  
149 South Plainfield Avenue  
South Plainfield, NJ 07080  
(908) 822-5890

www.holysavioracademy.com  
Mrs. Melinda Hanlon, Principal



# Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday, July 12, 2015



**Today's Gospel:** Calling the Twelve to him, he began to send them out two by two and gave them authority over impure spirits.

## Masses/Penance for the Week

### Monday, July 13, 2015

8:30 AM Marie Giarretta  
request of Jim and Elaine Schiavone

### Tuesday, July 14, 2015

8:30 AM J. Michael Rose  
request of Maggie and Bob Buchanan

### Wednesday, July 15, 2015

8:30 AM Ann Flynn, request of Carmel Orlando  
6:30 PM Penance  
7:30 PM Joseph Lucariello  
request of Jim and Mary Lynn Tolomeo

### Thursday, July 16, 2015

8:30 AM Thomas Yanchuk  
request of Maureen and Scott Lawson  
6:00 PM Spanish Penance  
7:00 PM Irma Rojas, request of Ana Campos

### Friday, July 17, 2015

8:30 AM Robert Resuta, request of the Padillo family

### Saturday, July 18, 2015

8:30 AM People of the Parish  
9:00 AM Penance  
5:00 PM Robert A. Colombaroni  
request of Felice, Marlene and Grandchildren  
7:00 PM Leobijilda Herrera, request of her daughters

### Sunday, July 19, 2015

8:00 AM Michelle Colalillo, request of Mom and Dad  
10:00 AM Alice Day, request of Maria Yanetta  
12:00 PM For Mr. Jose and all the souls in purgatory  
Request of Luz Gonzalez

## Next Sunday's Readings Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Reading 1:** Jeremiah 23:1-6  
I will gather the remnant of my flock and appoint shepherds for them.

**Reading 2:** Ephesians 2:13-18  
Christ is our peace who made both one.

**Gospel:** Mark 6:30-34  
They were like sheep without a shepherd.

## This Week

### Wednesday, July 15, 2015

8:00 PM Retreat Committee in the Library

### Thursday, July 16, 2015

7:00-8:30 PM Vacation Bible School Meeting  
in the Community Room

7:00-9:00 PM Spanish Men's Prayer Group in the  
Library

7:30 PM Divine Mercy in the Chapel

### Saturday, July 18, 2015

6:00-9:30 PM Spanish Prayer Group in the Chapel.

### Sunday, July 19, 2015

3:00 PM Vacation Bible School Meeting  
in the Church

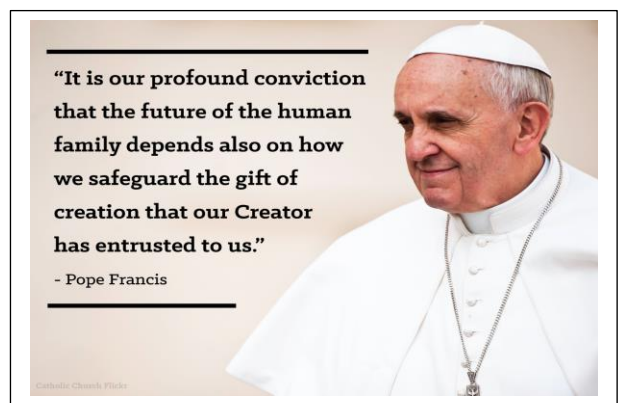
## Prayer for Our Service Men and Women

Queen of the Holy Rosary, we implore you to bless our military forces at home and abroad. Guide their steps into the way of peace. Amen.

## Question of the Week

**"He instructed them to take nothing for the journey but a walking stick – no food, no sack, no money in their belts." (MARK 6:8)**

How different we are from the Apostles who took nothing when they ventured out to serve God. Today, we make our journey through life more difficult because of all the material baggage that we drag along. Yet, the more we can let go of, the freer we are to serve God with love and joy.



## Help Us Make Vacation Bible School a Success

First - Pray for a Beautiful Week!

Then - Check out the VBS display in the Narthex. You will find lots of tags, each containing an item we need for VBS. Choose a slip of something you can donate and bring it to the parish office by July 13. Thank you for your help!



## Vacation Bible School July 20 - 24

It's adventure time! Come have fun learning that our God is mighty and no matter the challenge, God is always with us. Children ages 4-10 (grades completed pre-k to fourth) are invited to register for this summer program

sponsored by the Office of Religious Education. Your kids will love the games, crafts, music and skits!



Activities will take place in our air-conditioned Main Church or outdoors (weather permitting). The day will begin at 9:00 AM and end at 12:00 noon. Dress for the week is casual and comfortable. Children will be welcomed and dismissed from the Main Church. Fees: One Child - \$35, two children - \$50, three or more children - \$75. Please register by July 1. Place check made payable to St. Joseph Church along with the registration form below in an envelope and either drop in the collection basket, bring to the parish office or mail to:

St. Joseph Religious Education Office  
PO Box 72  
Bound Brook, NJ 08805

Please be sure to clearly mark the envelope Vacation Bible School. If you have any questions, call us at (732) 356-0645.

### VBS Registration Form

Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade In Sept.: \_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_ T-shirt size: \_\_\_\_

Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade In Sept.: \_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_ T-shirt size: \_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you available to help with our program?

Group Leader    Assistant Arts and Crafts

Bible Stories    Music    Snack Server

I am available: Each Day or

Monday - Tuesday - Wednesday - Thursday – Friday ONLY

## Requiescat in Pace

We offer our sincere sympathies to the families of **R. Patrick Gleason** and **Thomas McMenemy** who recently passed away. May their souls and the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace.

## Communion and Confirmation Photographs

The Communion and Confirmation photographs have been delivered. If you placed an order, please stop by the Parish Office to pick them up.

## Missionaries – The Redemptionists Working in Russia

Fr. Andrzej Makowski, Redemptionist, will speak on behalf of the Redemptionist ministries in Russia, Belarus, Ukraine and Kazakhstan on July 18-19, 2015.

Among many religious Congregations participating in the time of renewal for the Catholic Church in Russia, there are also Redemptionists, who have immediately started their apostolic activities in the territory of Belarus, Ukraine, Russia and Kazakhstan. At the moment, there are 26 Polish Redemptionists working there.

We are planning to build a church and a parish pastoral center in Togliatti (Central Russia). Almost one million people live there, and there is still no Catholic Church in this city. The Congregation of the Most Holy Redeemer (C.Ss.R.) was founded in Scala near Naples, Italy in 1732 by St. Alphonsus Liguori. At present there are 5,300 Redemptionists serving people across the world in 78 countries. The motto of our Congregation "Copiosa Apud Eum Redemption" means: "With Him there is Plentiful Redemption." Like St. Alphonsus, we follow Jesus the Redeemer in preaching this Good News to the Poor.

## McAuley Hall Health Care Center Sub Acute and Long Term Care

McAuley Hall Health Care Center is a skilled nursing facility conveniently located off Highway 22 West (across from Sears, same property as Mount Saint Mary High School) in New Jersey's picturesque Watchung Mountains. Our facility has all private rooms. There is ample closet and storage space.

We provide our residents/patients with skilled nursing, physical, occupational, restorative, and speech therapies. We have a varied activities schedule as well as individual counseling services. We are a faith centered facility offering Catholic Mass six days per week (all denominations welcomed). We accept Commercial and Private pay as well as Medicare and Medicaid programs. If you are interested, please call our Admissions Department at (908) 754-3663 and we will be happy to speak with you, schedule a tour or send you further information.

## Open Maintenance Positions

Day Maintenance Mechanic / Evening Maintenance Mechanic

(2 positions – same job description, different shifts)

Office of Property and Facilities Management  
Diocese of Metuchen

Presently, the Office of Property and Facilities management seeks a Maintenance Mechanic to:

- Perform routine tasks such as painting, plumbing, electrical wiring and other related activities
- Maintain facilities, grounds and equipment in a clean, safe and orderly condition
- Cut lawns using a power mower, trim and edge around walks, flower beds and walls
- Assist in snow removal by shoveling walkways and driveways
- Assist with other projects as needed

The ideal candidate must be able to regularly lift and/or move up to 50 pounds, work outdoors, and be able to work occasional weekend schedule.

Interested candidates should forward their resume to [hr@diometuchen.org](mailto:hr@diometuchen.org). When applying please indicate Day Maintenance Mechanic or Evening Maintenance Mechanic.

Please note that due to the anticipated high volume of responses, only those candidates who we are interested in interviewing will be contacted. NO PHONE CALLS PLEASE.

## Daily Mass

Daily Mass for the week of July 20 will be held at **8:00 AM** in the Main Church.

## Travel to Italy and Switzerland

Travel with Fr. Alfonso Condorson to Italy Wide and Switzerland - Low Season Trip. Fr. Alfonso Condorson will be Chaplain.

**Where:** Sorrento, Capri, Amalfi Coast, Pompei, Rome, Assisi, Tuscany, Florence, Venice, Milan, Lake Como, Switzerland

**Dates:** July 23 – August 4, 2015

**Cost:** \$3,899 Airfare and All-included

To register, please contact Proximo Travel at (855) 842-8001 or (508) 340-9370.

You can also register online at [www.proximotravel.com](http://www.proximotravel.com).

## Pope Francis Visit to the U.S.A. Pilgrimage to Philadelphia

The Diocese of Metuchen invites you to participate in a pilgrimage to Philadelphia for the Mass to be celebrated by Pope Francis on September 27, 2015. The Papal Mass is scheduled for 4:00 pm on Benjamin Franklin Boulevard, Philadelphia. The round trip bus reservation and pilgrimage package will be \$55 per person. Each participant is responsible for their own meal costs on that day and also any train/shuttle expenses from the parking lot to the event site and back. Pilgrims should be physically fit and prepared to walk several miles. Reservations will be accepted on a "first-come first-served" basis. For those interested in reserving a bus seat, you may do so starting on July 8, 2015 using the preferred online method by visiting [www.diometuchen.org/WMOF](http://www.diometuchen.org/WMOF). You may also register via phone by calling 732-562-1990 ext. 1543 during the hours of 10:00 AM – 1:00 PM Monday thru Friday starting on July 8, 2015. Please pick up the purple sheet of paper located in the back of the church which contains more detailed information. This information is also available on our website.

### A Message from Fr. Al

*First of all, I want to thank all those who were involved in decorating, donating food, and setting up Saint Mary's Annex cafeteria. The place looked very nice and many people came to wish Sister Lucia a wonderful farewell. There was so much food that it had to be given away at the end.*

*I am very grateful to have met Sister Lucia and very thankful to have been able to work with her. Sister's work ethic is an example for all of us to follow.*

*Sister Lucia, we are going to miss you very much, and our loss will definitely be someone else's gain. May God give you many blessings as you move on in your ministry and carry out the work of the Lord somewhere else.*

*May God Bless you,  
Fr. Al*

## Lecturas para el Próximo Domingo

### Décimo Sexto Domingo Ordinario

#### Primera Lectura Jeremías 23: 1 -6

Yo mismo reuniré al resto de mis ovejas, y las volveré a traer a sus pastores.

#### Segunda Lectura Efesios 2: 13 - 18

Unos y otros podemos acercarnos al Padre, por la acción de un mismo Espíritu.

#### Evangelio Marcos 6: 30 -34

Jesús se compadeció de una multitud que lo esperaban, y se puso a enseñarles muchas cosas.

## Avisos a la Comunidad

### CONFESIONES

Las confesiones se realizan en inglés y español los siguientes días:

**Sábados** de 9:00 a 10:00 AM en la Capilla.

**Miércoles** de 6:30 a 7:00 PM en la Capilla.

**Jueves** de 6:00 a 6:45 PM en la Capilla (solo español)

Para confesarse en otro momento debe hacer una cita previa llamando al (732) 356-0027.

### FAMILIARES HOSPITALIZADOS

Si tiene algún familiar hospitalizado, y desea visita pastoral y Eucaristía, por favor infórmelo a la parroquia, llamando al teléfono (732) 356-0027.

### VIRGEN PEREGRINA

Las familias que deseen la visita de la Virgen Peregrina en sus hogares, comunicarse con Oscar e Ivania Rios al (908) 986-8977- (908) 986-8978.

### AYUDA A TU IGLESIA

Ayude a su Iglesia, adquiriendo los certificados de compra (Gift certificate) de su supermercado favorito ShopRite, A&P y Pathmark, sin que a usted le cueste un centavo adicional. Así la Iglesia gana el 5 % por certificado. Se venden a la salida de la Misa los domingos o en la semana en la oficina Parroquial de 9:00 AM a 4:00 PM.

## Tome Nota

- El Padre Edwin Baños atiende en la oficina Parroquial, lunes de 3-5 PM, martes de 4-7 PM, jueves de 3- 5 PM. Para quienes deseen consultarle. Pueden llamarle para citas o para obtener dirección espiritual al teléfono (732) 356-0027. También pueden escribirle a su correo electrónico fr.edwin@sjcbb.net.
- El Diácono Gustavo Sandoval, está disponible para aquellas personas que necesiten alguna ayuda espiritual. Para comunicarse con él, favor llamarle al teléfono (732) 317-8544 o a su correo deacon.gustavo@sjcbb.net.
- La Sra. Martha atiende en la oficina Parroquial (donde está la Capilla) todo lo relacionado con Misas, bautismos, registros parroquiales y certificados. Ella atiende en la oficina todos los martes y jueves de 6:30 a 8:30 PM y vía telefónica llamando al (732) 356-0027 ext 6.

## Durante Esta Semana

### DIVINA MISERICORDIA

Todos los jueves después de la Misa de las 7:00 PM se reúnen en la Capilla el grupo de la Divina Misericordia. Para más información llamar a Jorge Romero al (732)900-4315.

### CIRCULO DE ORACIÓN

Todos los sábados a las 6:30 PM se reúne el círculo de oración en la Capilla. Para más información pueden llamar a Gabriela Alpizar al (908) 342-0780 o Maribel Alfaro al (908) 450-7110 **¡Los esperamos!**

## Clases de Educación Religiosa

### 2015-2016 Registro en Persona

Formularios disponibles en el sitio web de la parroquia

(www.sjcbb.net), Oficina Parroquial, de lunes a jueves de 9:00 AM a 12:00

PM y 1:30 a 4:00 PM y martes y

jueves de 6:30 a 8:30 PM. Registros nuevos favor de traer

una copia del Certificado de Bautismo y Primera

Comunión si no se realizó en el Iglesia de San José. La matrícula se puede pagar en efectivo o en cheque.

Cheques escritos a la Iglesia de San José. Si tiene dificultades financieras por favor hable con nosotros sobre ellas.



## Visita del Papa Francisco a U.S.A

### Peregrinación a Filadelfia

La Diócesis de Metuchen invita a participar en una peregrinación a Filadelfia para la misa que se celebrará por el Papa Francisco el 27 de septiembre, 2015. No se requieren entradas para la misa. No habrá asientos designados. La Misa es un evento de pie. La Diócesis ha hecho arreglos para el transporte en autobús desde distintos lugares de la diócesis. La misa papal está programada tentativamente para las 4:00 PM. El horario exacto no está disponible todavía, por los organizadores del evento en Filadelfia, pero anticipamos que el horario de salida sera muy temprano. La reservación del paquete el viaje en autobús y la peregrinación será de aproximadamente \$ 55 por persona.

**Más información detallada, está también disponible en nuestro sitio web.**

## Fotografías de Comunión y Confirmación

Las fotografías de primera Comunión y Confirmación ya las han entregado. Si usted puso una orden, por favor pase por la Oficina Parroquial a recogerlas.

## Papa Francisco

Cada día, el Papa Francisco celebra la Eucaristía, en la **Capilla de la Casa Santa Marta, donde vive con varios sacerdotes, obispos y cardenales de diferentes partes del mundo.**

**En todas las Eucaristías**, el Papa hace una pequeña homilía sobre las lecturas litúrgicas correspondientes, siempre en lenguaje sencillo y coloquial. Estas homilías son verdaderas catequesis en las que va dándonos a conocer su concepción de la fe, madurada en la oración y la reflexión, a lo largo de su vida sacerdotal, y la orientación que quiere darle a la Iglesia en esta hora crucial.

De todas estas catequesis he entresacado algunas frases que me parecen muy claras y dicentes para nosotros hoy, porque nos hacen pensar muy seriamente, en la manera cómo tenemos qué vivir personalmente nuestra fe en Jesús resucitado, en el mundo y en el tiempo que nos ha correspondido vivir.

Quienes estén interesados en conocer más profundamente estas Homilías diarias del Papa, pueden encontrarlas en el sitio:

[www.news.va/es/sites/homilias](http://www.news.va/es/sites/homilias).

**“Jesús es el amor de Dios en persona”.**

**“Es siempre y sólo el amor de Cristo el que genera la fe y el que impulsa hacia adelante la Iglesia”.**

**“El Señor siempre nos perdona, el Señor tiene misericordia, es misericordioso, tiene un corazón misericordioso y nos espera siempre”.**

**“Dejémonos conquistar por Cristo. Por la misericordia de Cristo”.**

**“Nosotros los cristianos hemos sido llamados en singular. ¡Ninguno de nosotros es cristiano por pura casualidad! ¡Ninguno!”**

**“Ser cristiano es una llamada de amor, de amistad; una llamada a convertirme en hijo de Dios, hermano de Jesús; a volverme fecundo en la transmisión a los otros, de esta llamada; a convertirme en instrumento de esta llamada”.**

**“El Señor nos invita hoy a construir nuestra vida cristiana sobre Él, la roca, el que nos da la libertad, el que nos envía el Espíritu, el que nos hace ir hacia adelante siempre con alegría, por su camino, firmes en sus propuestas”.**

## Pelegrinación

El Grupo de la Misericordia esta organizando una pelegrinación al Santuario de La Divina Misericordia en Massachusetts, el sábado 8 de Agosto, 2015. Los interesados deben anotarse para reservar su asiento en el bus con Jorge Romero al (732) 900-4315 o escriba a su correo [Jorge.Romero@sjcbb.net](mailto:Jorge.Romero@sjcbb.net). Adultos mayores de 13 años \$40.00, niños de 4 a 12 años \$20.00, menores de 4 años gratis.



### Mensaje del Padre Alfonso

*En primer lugar, quiero agradecer a todos aquellos que se involucraron en la decoración de la cafetería anexo de St. Mary y su donación de comida. El lugar quedo muy bonito y mucha gente fue a darle una despedida maravillosa a la Hermana Lucia. Hubo cantidad de comida y hasta regalamos al final.*

*Estoy muy agradecido de haber conocido a la Hermana Lucia y me alegro de haber podido trabajar con ella. Su ética de trabajo fue un gran ejemplo para nosotros.*

*Vamos a extrañarle mucho. Nuestra perdida definitivamente será una ganancia para otros. Que Dios le de muchas bendiciones en su Ministerio, siguiendo adelante la obra del Señor en otro lugar.*

*Que Dios le bendiga,*

*Padre Al.*