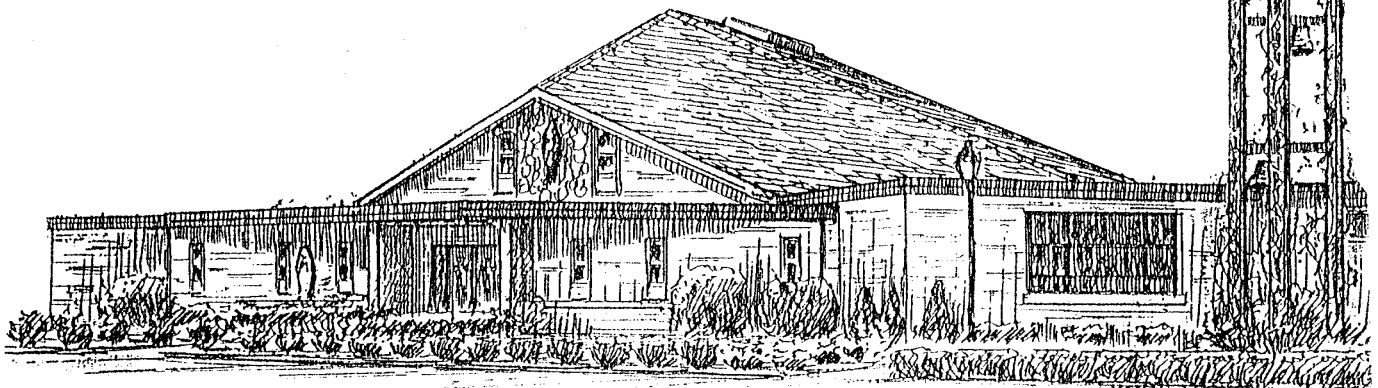


ST. JOHN'S R.C. CHURCH

619 Chestnut Street
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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Masses 4:00 PM and 7:00 PM
Sunday Masses 9:15 AM and 11:00 AM
Monday - Friday 8:00 AM
First Friday 8:00 AM and 11:00 AM
Adoration from 1:00 PM until 3:00PM in the
Parish Center Chapel ... Concluding with Benediction
Miraculous Medal
Mondays Following the 8:00 AM Mass
Confessions - Saturdays - 11 AM to 12 Noon

BAPTISMS

Preparation for first-time parents is required.

Baptisms take place on the 2nd and 4th Sundays of each month at 12:15 PM. Please contact the Parish Office for arrangements.

MARRIAGES

Arrangements are to be made in the Parish Office at least one year in advance.

GRADE SCHOOL OF RELIGION

Grades K, 1 & 2 - Sat. mornings 9 - 10:15 AM

Grades 3C, 4C, 5B & C, 6C & D, 7B & C, 8A, B & C - Wed. 7:15PM-8:30 PM

Grades 3A & B, 4A & B, 5A, 6A & B, 7-A and

C.C.F.C. I & II - Wed. 5:30PM - 6:45 PM

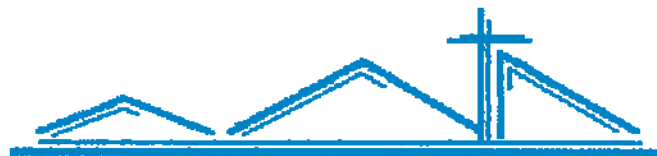
PARISH MINISTRIES

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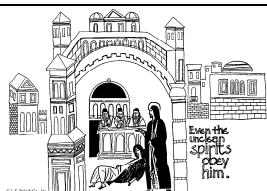
PARISH REGISTRATION - Families moving into or out of the parish are asked to call the Parish Office as soon as possible.

EMMAUS, our Bereavement Group, meets the 2nd and 3rd Thursdays of the month at 10:30AM in the Church coffee room.

Jan. 29th, 2012



ST. JOHN'S PARISH CENTER



FALSE PROPHETS, TRUE PROPHETS

In Deuteronomy today we hear that God’s very words will fill the mouth of a true prophet, but a false prophet will, in a manner of speaking, put mere mortal words into God’s mouth. In Mark’s Gospel, we see Jesus teaching and healing as a true prophet, one filled with the authority of God’s own voice, the Holy One of God.

The whole history of our church is filled with both true and false prophets. But in today’s Gospel we learn that Jesus’ fame spread because he taught with authority; he wasn’t an authority because he was popular or famous. We also learn from him, in his desert temptation confrontations with Satan, that anyone can quote scripture, even against God’s purposes. And today we hear that his authority was not like that of the scribes, who held the official positions of religious authority in his day. Our work is to do our best to discern the true prophets in our midst, and to be true prophets as well. The psalmist tells us how to do this: by not hardening our hearts when God speaks. If we truly listen to God, it will be God’s very words filling our mouths.

PLEASE PRAY for all our parishioners and friends who are serving in the Military.

Sgt. Vincent Borrero has returned home safely and would like to thank everyone for their prayers.



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S-O-U-P-E-R BOWL OF CARING

As in the past we have reached out to help the “Hurting and Hungry” people in various communities by supporting the Souper that’s S-O-U-P-E-R Bowl of Caring Organization.

Once again we are asking for you to donate a dollar to this needy cause that helps supply many soup kitchens with food.

As you are leaving Mass next weekend, **February 4th/5th,** won’t you please put your dollar in the basket at the door on your way out.

Today is Pledge Sunday for the **BISHOP’S ANNUAL APPEAL** in our parish. I would like to thank you in advance for the support you always give to our parish. May God continue to bless you and your families.
-Fr. Bernie-



FEAST OF ST. BLAISE, Friday, February 3rd—we will have blessing of throats at the 8 a.m. morning Mass.

FIRST FRIDAY, February 3rd, we will have Mass at 8 a.m. and 11 a.m. in the main church. At 12 Noon we will have **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament** in the Parish Center Chapel ending with Benediction at 2:45 p.m.. All are invited.

DIVINE MERCY, February 3rd, 2012

Friday of this week at 3 p.m. we will have the Divine Mercy Novena and prayers in the Parish Center Chapel. Please join us for this beautiful devotion.



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ROSARY ALTAR SOCIETY

Next Sunday, Feb. 5th, is Rosary Altar Sunday. All members are asked to attend the 9:15 a.m. Mass. Please wear your medals and sit in the reserved pews.

Our monthly meeting will be held on Monday, February 6th. We will attend the 11:00 a.m. Mass, preceded by recitation of the rosary. After Mass we will go into the church hall. Bring a sandwich, cake and coffee will be served.

ALTAR FLOWERS FOR THIS WEEK

*1st Anniversary Remembrance of
Frances Friolla req. by
The Famiglietti Family*

To order Altar flowers call Marie Angelella of the Rosary Altar Society at 732-408-1233.

There will be no flowers placed on the Altar during the season of Lent. We will resume in May.

RESPECT LIFE

Please help us protect life from beginning to end. Join us after the 11:00 a.m. Mass at the rear of the Church Hall on Sunday, **February 5th, 2012.** Any questions? Please call Paul or Jean Bestafka at 732-408-1372.

MULTIPLE INTENTION MASS**Monday, January 30th, 2012—11:00a.m.**

People of the Parish
 Frank DeGeiso req. Amelia DeGeiso
 Deceased Members of the Zawislak Family
 req. Amelia DeGeiso and Mary Zawislak
 Deceased Members of the DeGeiso Family
 req. Amelia DeGeiso
 Frank Pedini req. Margaret Sasso
 Carol Lyness req. Pat and Kevin Kinane
 Elizabeth DeLio req. Mickey and Mary Fink
 Reinaldo Nunez req. Richard and Irene Smith
 Dillon and Backus Families req. family
 Caroline and Harold Theobald
 req. Linda and John Schillari
 Gertrude and Frank Schillari
 req. Linda and John Schillari
 Vincent Reilly req. Sally and Tom Maloney
 Stanley Bojak III req. Ron and Grace Bojak
 Mary Ann Thwaites
 req. Dick Bodmer and Roanne Bradley
 Patricia Smalling req. husband, Ray
 Dorothy Herlihy req. Ray
 Antoinette Tireman (1st Ann.) req. grandchildren
 and great-grandchildren
 Schumacher req. Joe and Theresa Mauragas
 Vivian Mossberg req. The Dawson Family
 Mary L. Flanagan req.
 Jack and Mary Maher and Joan Murphy
 Otto Bruno (Ann. Rem.) req. wife, Ann
 Health of Marge Christianson
 req. June and Len Parszik
 Health of Robert Francesconi
 req. June and Len Parszik
 Helen and William Kunkel, Sr. req. family
 Helen Jacobellis req. Mickey and Mary Fink
 Anthony “Fitzzy” Fitzgerald req. Betty Christie
 Health of Gloria Weintraub
 req. Nick and Rose Cutillo
 Brother Kieran Cullen, SA req. Ann Rynn
 Michael (Bud) O’Shaughnessy
 req. The Pittaluga Family
 Health of Mary Frattini req. Thomas and Carol Ryan

Our 2013 MASS BOOK has opened. We ask that you come in to the Parish Center on Mondays, Wednesdays or Thursdays to book your Masses. We also ask that you limit your request to 6 Masses at this time. -Thank You-

WINGS AND A PRAYER, our Religious Article Shop, and our Parish Council would like to thank all our parishioners for their wonderful support this past year. It is a pleasure to be able to make all these religious articles available for your purchase. Our Store, located at the front entrance to our Church, will be open again after all weekend Masses on: February 11th/12th and 25th/26th.

 Dear Fellow Parishioners,

I would like to send a very special thank you for all the donations that were given to the coat drive here at St. John’s. We collected well over 1,000 coats for those in need.

We helped many people here in Ocean County. Coats went to Harbor House’s 2 shelters in Toms River and other families in need including people at soup kitchens, children’s homes, low-income housing, and the homeless as well as other churches.

A great number of the coats went to PROJECT H.O.M.E. in Philadelphia. This is a really awesome organization where many needs are filtered into one building. The coats there were desperately needed and were delivered to the homeless, hospice, a women’s shelter, and other families in need in transition housing, as well as their thrift store that is run to help fund the program.

A great amount of coats collected also went to Father McCormick who runs Martin House, an amazing organization helping many less fortunate people in the Trenton area.

Coats were also delivered to Lakewood Catholic Charities, and to a person who knew families in Tent City in Jackson, NJ. All the shelters were so gracious for the coats/new blankets/hats/and gloves they received.

Thank you for all your support and sacrifices in serving God. We brought a gift of warmth and comfort to others. This was the biggest collection of coats I have received since I started this service over 6 years ago to help Hurricane Katrina victims and it has grown into a beautiful ministry thanks to all the warm hearts of the people of Christ! God Bless you all. —With great appreciation, Vicki Bailey—

READINGS FOR SUNDAY, February 5th, 2012**1st Reading:** Job 7: 1-4, 6-7; **Psalm:** 147;**Second Reading:** 1 Corinthians 9: 16-19, 22-23;**Gospel:** Mark 1: 29-39.

MASSES Week of Jan. 30th—Feb. 5th, 2012

MONDAY, January 30th

8:00AM HEALTH of PETER CLIFFORD

req. mom

WILLIAM JAQUES

req. Irene Palella

11:00AM MULTIPLE INTENTION MASS

TUESDAY, January 31st

8:00AM NANCY GALLO

req. husband, Anthony

ROBERT SHAW

req. sister, Patricia

WEDNESDAY, February 1st

8:00AM BARBARA LEMBO

req. Mrs. Eda Bussanich

JOANNE VALENTINO

req. Norman and Dorothy Weiss

THURSDAY, February 2nd

8:00AM LORETTA WELSH

req. Evelyn and John Kelly

ANTONIA MORIN

req. Eda Bussanich

FIRST FRIDAY, February 3rd

8:00AM EDWARD BOHRER, JR.

(30th Ann.)

req. Lois and Ed Bohrer

CATHERINE HANUSCHUK

req. Marie Vuocolo

11:00AM LEO DONOUGHE

req. Lizzie Britton

CAROL LYNESS

req. Mary Lou and Daniel Oliverie

SATURDAY, February 4th

4:00PM PAT STANZIANO

req. Pat, Steve, Jenny Stephen & Kiersten

ROSE EDMONDS

(63rd Ann. Rem.)

req. daughter, Claire

7:00PM DENNIS FRANCAK

req. Mr. & Mrs. Zamorski

IRENE OSTAPIEC

req. The Spaloss Family

SUNDAY, February 5th, 2012

9:15AM JOSEPH MIELE

req. Joan and Jerry Nazzaro

RAYMOND VALENTE

req. Jackie and Hank Dobler

11:00AM CATHERINE T. DOWNES

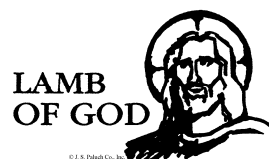
req. Vic and Mary Rizzuto

ROBERT RUFF, SR. and

CARRIE LOCASCIO

req. wife Jean, and Michael & JoAnn

Spallucci



Candles January 30th—February 5th, 2012

SANCTUARY CANDLE

For the Special Intentions of Kenny Hess req. mommy.

SACRED HEART CANDLE

In Loving Memory of Robert Shaw req. sister, Patricia.

SHRINE CANDLE

In Loving Memory of Cecilia Szymanski req. niece, Patricia.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK, especially:

Week 1: Mary Zawislak, Marjorie Thompson, Alfred Dzbenski, Dorothy McGrath, Steven Pirrotta, Arthur LaRosa, Matt Reed, Bernice Kutrone, Regina Melieto, Salvatore Montario, Baby McKenzie Leigh, Jennie Carfagno, Gloria Tamberino, Sadie Pesci, Gorden Keister, Rose Marie Rocchio, Frances O'Hara, Michael Catalonello, Mary Ann Stucker

Week 2: Baby Charles Fulkerson, Andy Moran, Thomas Maloney, Robert A. Morris, Barbara Sullivan, Anthony Lo Bello, Dorine Munzing, Frank Mooney, Marie Leone, Thomas Crone, Helen Walters, Lee Mahaffey, Norma Vasquez, Lorraine Schwartz

Week 3: Marge Christianson, Jayla Sorenson, Lu Ella Perhacs, Mary Meola, Helen Krazewski, Beatrice Cutrone, Gordon Keister, Christina Fodero, Kevin Madison, Lorraine Schwartz

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE DECEASED,

especially: Julia Heydenreich, Charles Streuli