

Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
September 23, 2018
LITURGY SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS

Sunday, September 23- Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00 p.m. – MaryAnn Hopler req. by Mike & Donna Lucas

8:30 a.m. – Louis Donald Brillantes req. by Fojas family (Edwin, baby, Crissy, Tina & Jorge)

10:00 a.m. – William McCue req. by the Shaffer family

Monday, September 24- Weekday

12:00p.m. – Aldo Vukosa

Tuesday, September 25- Weekday

12:00 p.m. – Gloria Paculdo req. by Mariam Cristina Gallardo

Wednesday, September 26- Saints Cosmas & Damian, Martyrs

12:00 p.m. – Mary Wahal

Thursday, September 27- Saint Vincent de Paul, Priest

12:00 p.m. – Frank Wach

Friday, September 28- Saint Wenceslaus, Martyr, Saint Lawrence Ruiz & Companions, Martyrs

12:00 p.m. –Peter Chipko

Sunday, September 30- Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00 p.m. – Deceased members of the Kobylar family req. by Fr. Zig

8:30 a.m. – Al McMinn req. by Anne Reilly & Jim Duplese

10:00 a.m. – William Galbo req. by the Plateroti family

*This week the
Sanctuary
Candle*

burns in memory of ... Ethel Gorman

Requested by: friends at W.H. Anderson Inc.

Collection for September 15 & 16: \$2961.50

On Line Giving: \$2726.12 (August)

Collection from last year: \$2436.00

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR PARISHIONERS IN THE

MILITARY: LCpl Aleksandr Killeen, Airman 1st :

Nicholas DelCore, Air Force Captain Jessica L. Rotile-Rudo,

Kenneth Rudo: Warrant Officer 1, Justin D. Gosden PVT 2

Nick Lisa PFC, USMC

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS: Irene

Schreiber, Doug Bansch, Maria Acevedo, TJ Schoudel, Capt.

Adam Cowan, USA, Julio Soto, Ben Marvilla, Michelle

Monslave, Amelia Marie Cayea, Mary Therese Loftus,

Sharon Bauer, Mary Davenport, Jose Prado, Arlene Berlin,

Robert Nielsen, Marge Vogel, Efrain Gonzalez, Amanda

Villarubia, Mary & Pat Skelly, John Skutka, William

McBurney, Anne Riordan, D.M. Lynch, Linda Hoffman,,

Mike Izzo, Edward Frame, Adam Hayward, Carol Centonze,

James Boyle, Carol Ann Boyle, Jessica Gorman, John Krause, Ethan Chandra, Jim McNamara, Dorothy Murray, Louise Kelly, Tom Gorman, Carlos Carbajal, Miguel Fojas, Victoria Santana, Mary Merz, Joe Maulbeck, George Chalissery, Joyce Turner.

PARISH POLICY -PLEASE NOTE: All Catholic families living within the parish boundaries are encouraged to register as members. Registration has many benefits, and in particular, facilitates any arrangements for baptisms, marriages, sponsors, etc. Please contact the rectory at 973-627-0422

Divine Mercy Academy Tricky Tray is Saturday, October 13th at Morris Catholic High School.

Doors open at 5 pm; calling starts 7:00 pm

Admission is \$25. This is an adult-only, "bring your own food & beverage" event. For more information

or to purchase tickets call 973-723-8282, or email

lmlor33@hotmail.com

2018 Bishop's Annual Appeal: Here I Am, Lord!

While there are many ways to give to the Bishop's Annual Appeal, there is a particularly beneficial opportunity if you are 70 ½ or over and have an IRA. If you are in this category, the IRS requires you to take a required minimum distribution from your IRA each year. As a result, this distribution is added to your taxable income and increases the amount of taxes owed to the government. However, instead of taking your required minimum distribution, you can instruct your IRA investment manager to donate this distribution to a charity such as the Bishop's Annual Appeal and this automatically omits this amount from your adjusted gross income. This tax benefit can be realized by all qualifying individuals, whether you take the standard deduction or itemize your deductions. This can be a significant benefit to you and a great way to support the work of the Bishop's Annual Appeal. If you are considering making a charitable donation using your IRA required minimum distribution, please be sure to first discuss this with your financial or tax advisor to make sure it is right for you.

5TH SUNDAY ROSARY: You are invited to Sacred Heart of Jesus Church next Sunday, September 30th, for the 5th Sunday of the month rosary which will begin at 3:00 pm.

My dear parishioners,

Today's Gospel narrates the second announcement of the Passion, death and Resurrection of Jesus. Like the first announcement (Mk 8:27-38), the disciples were terrified and afraid. They do not understand the words about the cross, because they are not capable of understanding or accepting a Messiah who becomes the servant of his brothers. They continue to dream of a glorious Messiah, and besides that, they show a great incoherence. When Jesus announces His Passion and Death, they discuss who among them will be the greatest. Jesus wants to serve, yet they only think of commanding! Ambition leads them to promote themselves at the cost of Jesus. Even to the present time, this same desire of self-promotion exists in our communities.

Jesus wants to lower Himself and serve. The disciples want to ascend and to dominate. What is my motivation in life? Does it match with all of my actions? Is it consistent with the instructions from Jesus?

Do I follow Jesus and be with Him twenty-four hours a day, and allow His way of living to become my way of living and of living together with others?

God bless you,
Father Pawel

PLEASE JOIN US AND HELP OUR PARISH : we are in need of volunteers who can serve as Lector and/or Minister of Communion. Our Church is requesting your assistance in this very important matter. All new Lectors and Ministers of Holy Communion will undergo onsite training. This training should only take about 15 minutes and can be accomplished after the mass. Once trained, your involvement will be incorporated into the mass.

If you would like to be a Lector, please contact Lyle Ryder at (201) 506-1976 or contact Elmer Maximo at (973) 664-1949 to become a Minister of Holy Communion. You can also see Fr. Pawel or please call the rectory at (973) 627-0422. THANK YOU and MAY GOD BLESS US ALL.

SAINT ANTHONY OF PADUA COMES TO ROCKAWAY – The relics of Saint Anthony of Padua will come to Sacred Heart of Jesus Church on Sunday, October 14th. The relics of this 13th century Franciscan saint will come from his shrine in Padua, Italy and will be accompanied by Father Mario Conti, a Friar from the shrine. Holy Mass will be celebrated at 3 o'clock followed by veneration until 7pm, of the two and precious relics from the Pontifical Basilica in Padua, Italy.

St. Anthony Social for Families: Mass followed by dinner & movie on the life of St. Anthony, games and St Anthony Scavenger Hunt for Family Prize. **When:** Saturday, September 29th 5pm-8pm **Where:** Sacred Heart of Jesus Parish, 63 East Main St. **Please RSVP** to Jennifer at kolbeskrew@gmail.com for food ordering purposes.

SILVER AND GOLD WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS: Couples were you married in 1968 or 1993? The Diocese of Paterson invites you to celebrate your 25th or 50th wedding anniversary during a special Mass to be offered at the Cathedral of St. John the Baptist in Paterson, NJ. Bishop Serratelli will serve as main celebrant on this joyful occasion to be held: **Sunday, November 4, 2018 at 3:30pm**. Arrangements can be made by contacting the rectory. The deadline to register is Monday, October 15, 2018. You will receive additional information from the Office of Family Life once your registration has been processed. Congratulations on this joyous occasion!

BLESSING OF PETS – Our parish will join with Sacred Heart of Jesus Parish on East Main Street for this year's blessing of pets which will be held on Saturday, October 6th. The blessing service will take place in the backyard of Sacred Heart of Jesus Church beginning at 12 Noon. Father Pawel and Father Matt will preside at this blessing held in honor of the feast of Saint Francis of Assisi whose memory is celebrated on October 4th.

There will be a SPECIAL HEALING MISSION, conducted by Paul Rymniak, on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, October 22nd, 23rd and 24th, 2018 at St. Cecilia Church. All 3 evenings will begin at 7:00 pm.

The thrust of all of these evening will be FORGIVENESS and HEALING. There will be PRIESTS available for CONFESSION also...Healing starts in the Confessional with the Sacrament of Reconciliation, you might want to consider this option during this time. Healing is NOT just for the Physically Impaired. Mental and Emotional stresses and strains can take a heavier toll on our lives, even more than the worst of diseases. So if you or your family is in need of HEALING in these areas, come and experience the Lord, and what He can do for you. Come and enjoy Jesus by Worshipping Him. Come and see what Our Lord has for you. Come and be healed.

Please be advised that all the "Senior Events" are open to everyone 55 and over from St. Cecilia & Sacred Heart Parishes!

Tuesday, September 25- Regular Meeting 11a.m. set up, 12-1 p.m. social hour, coffee & cake, 1-2 pm meeting, Bingo and cards afterwards.

Tuesday, October 9- Sands Casino- Price \$25.00- Slot Play \$20.00- Food-\$5.00 For more info call Lorraine at 973-366-6871.

Thursday, October 18- Hunterdon Hills Day Trip for full course meal and play- "Run For Your Wife" Price \$65.00 for members and \$70.00 for non-members. For more information call Carol 973-537-5529

Don't forget about the St. Cecilia Seniors Adventure of The Seas on May 17, 2019

For more info: Call Alice Koller @ 973-627-8558

Morris Catholic High School is pleased to host its annual College Night on Thursday, September 27, 2018 from 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. in the school cafeteria and library. Many wonderful colleges and universities (over 110 at this time) will be present to give you information and answer your questions. Interested students and parents from high schools throughout the area are invited to attend and take advantage of this excellent opportunity affecting their future.

Free Grief Support Group: You are not alone! Grief is difficult! Learn about your grief and how to cope: Wednesday evenings October 3 to December 5—Facilitator: Heidi O'Donnell, LCSW from 7:00—8:00 pm. To reserve a spot call 973-747-7478 or email riseuprockaway@gmail.com The meetings will be at Prince of Peace Lutheran Church 10 Knoll Dr. Rockaway (across from Morris Knolls High School).

All are invited to the second annual Latin Mass Pilgrimage on Saturday, October 13, 2018 at the Cathedral of St. John the Baptist in Paterson. Bishop Serratelli will celebrate a pontifical solemn high mass in the extraordinary form at 9:30 AM. A reception with the Bishop will follow the mass in the Rodimer Center. Free parking is available in the garage on Grand Street. For more information, contact Dr. Joseph Daly at (973) 464-2954.

Can you do something beautiful for God? Please consider joining us in a peaceful prayerful vigil for one hour a week or so during 40 Days for Life fall campaign which runs from Sept 26th through November 4th. To sign up go to 40daysforlife.com and search for a location near you, or contact: Morristown: Frances Spilman: 44lifeus@gmail.com Montclair: Lisa Hart: lisahartpt@yahoo.com - Babies lives depend on your prayers!

Birth Haven: The agency provides a safe and nurturing environment in which to carry an unexpected pregnancy to term, while additionally helping the resident learn the tools necessary to achieve greater self-sufficiency. Individuals served by the organization include both those who intend to raise their child after delivery and those who opt for adoption placement. Most residents stay at Birth Haven throughout their pregnancy and up until 6 weeks after the baby's birth, exceptions are made when it is in the best interest of the mother and infant. Birth Haven • 4 Academy Street Newton, New Jersey 07860 973-579-7979 * <http://www.BirthHaven.org>

