

October 11, 2015

28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

MASSES for the WEEK

"It is a holy and wholesome thing to pray for the living and the dead." (II Mac. 12:46)

Sunday, October 11, 2015

7:00 AM Henry Przychodzki
Req. Wife, Rose
8:30 AM Virginia DeGeorge
Req. Husband, Nick
10:00 AM Antonia & Salvatore Cassone
Req. The Cassone Family
11:30 AM Joseph LoVerde
Req. Wife, Julia
1:00 PM Joseph & Marie Marino
Req. Daughter, Corinne

Monday, October 12, 2015

7:00 AM Bill Craig
Req. Mother
8:30 AM Jean Kirkowski
Req. Daughter, Chris

9:30 AM Multiple Intention Mass

Tuesday, October 13, 2015

7:00 AM Virginia DeGeorge
Req. Daughter, Donna Incovoais
8:30 AM Dec'd. Mbrs. of Kendra Family
Req. Stephanie Koczur

Wednesday, October 14, 2015

7:00 AM Ralph Mei
Req. Wife, Susan
8:30 AM Virginia Wladich
Req. Husband, Michael

Thursday, October 15, 2015

7:00 AM Norman Russo, Loving Husband,
Req. Wife, Claire
8:30 AM Catherine Soltes
Req. Daughter, Kay Pignataro

Friday, October 16, 2015

7:00 AM Lilibeth Odchigue
Req. Emma Amora
8:30 AM The Wladich & Testa Families
Req. Michael Wladich

Saturday, October 17, 2015

7:00 AM Marie Vispucci
Req. Family
8:30 AM John C. and Arthur Klein
Req. Marion Gerace

4:00 PM Dec'd. Mbrs. O'Hara & Conway Fams.
Req. The O'Hara Family
5:30 PM Lilibeth Odchigue (1st Anniversary)
Req. The Odchigue Family

Sunday, October 18, 2015

7:00 AM Margaret Symonds Seebeck
Req. Dorothy Hoagland
8:30 AM James Roselle (Birthday)
Req. Wife, Carolyn
10:00 AM Lillian Zappone
Req. Son and Daughter
11:30 AM Matthew Bargone
Req. Mom and Dad
1:00 PM Corrato D'Amico
Req. Family

**Multiple Mass Intention
Monday at 9:30 AM
October 12, 2015**

In Memory of: Rev. Francis E. Santitoro
 The Santitoro Family (*Living & Deceased*)
 Rev. Frank Porazzo, & Porazzo Family
 Kathleen & Anthony Jackomin
 Joseph P. Flaherty
 Steven Kilianski (*Speedy Recovery*),
Req. Grandmother
 Henry Przychodski, *Req. Wife, Rose*
 Brother Robert Petersen CFA,
Req. Lucille Wefer, Sister
 Eugene Wefer, *Req. Wife, Lucille*
 John Maddalena, *Req. Wife, Linda*
 Fred Kustowski, *Req. Wife, Mary*
 Harry Kent, *Req. Wife, Catherine*
 Lucille Rhode (*Living*),
Req. Daughters
 Edward Gubernat, *Req. Wife,*
 Emily
 Jack Morgan, *Req. Wife, Anna*
 Frank Irilli, *Req. Zenon & Alina*
 Kowalski
 Emma Konicki, *Req. Bill and Robin*
 Tuzin
 Carolyn and Vito Quagliero,
Req. Joseph & Mary Ellen Quagliero
 Helen Dabros, *Req. Marie & Frank*
 Competiello Family
 Sister Marie, *Req. Patricia Williams*
 Observe the Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary,
Req. Kristine

Dominick Perrone, *Req. Pat & Tom*
 Srsich
 Mickey Regenburg, *Req. Red Hats Shore*
 Birds
 James Cucco, *Req. Wife, Ada*
 Adele Zieniewicz, *Req. Sophie Klarzuk*
 Silvio Forte, *Req. Cousin, Jennie and*
 Children
 James & Angelo Salvatoriello,
Req. Ann Iacullo
 Diana Holz, *Req. John, Rosalie & John G.*
 Cuccinello
 To Our Lady for Prayers Answered,
Req. Alma Carlson
 Janet McGlinch, *Req. Mark Weed*
 MaryBeth & Tom Gannon,
Req. Mom & Dad
 Else Sweeney, *Req. Maureen and Mike*
 Jerry J. Femano, *Req. Marion & Walter*
 Kowalski
 Aurelio Charterina, *Req. Pat DeRisi, Sr.*
 Rose Lang, *Req. Dorothy & Neil*
 Benson
 Rita Abbott, *Req. Margaret Hutman*
 Sophie Czachorowski, *Req. Diane*
 Price
 Gerhard Blenke, *Req. Paula Limpert*
 Fred Schmelter, *Req. Mary Britske*
 Jerry Femano, *Req. Marie DiGenio*

SPECIAL INTENTIONS – WEEK of October 10, 2015 to October 16, 2015

Bread & Wine – Church
 Frank Albanese, *Req. Wife, Virginia*

Bread & Wine – Chapel
 Trudy Daidone, *Req. Husband, Gene*

Altar Candles – Church
 Palma Certo, *Req. Ann & Angie Abbruzzese*

Sanctuary Candles – Church & Chapel
 Rev. Francis E. Santitoro & Marie Santitoro, *Sister,*
Req. Andre & Ann Santitoro- Vispetti

PARISH NEWS

ALTAR ROSARY SOCIETY

Our Rosary meeting will be held on Wednesday, October 21, 2015 at 1:00 PM.

We will have a special meeting as we will have the Installation of New Members officiated by Father Steve in the Chapel.

We ask that all new members and old please attend. A special cake for all will be held at 12:30 PM in the parish hall, then our business meeting and following, we will go to the chapel at 1:45 PM for the installation program and the rosary.

Looking forward to seeing you all there and Welcome to all our new members.

HOLY NAME SOCIETY

Welcome New Members to the Holy Name Society.

Our next meeting will be held on Wednesday, November 4th at 12:30 PM. Hopefully, we will have our Sandwich Party at that time. The cost is \$3.00 per person. If you are interested in attending call:

Bob Colello (732) 818-9270

LEGION OF MARY

Our meetings take place on Mondays from 9:30 AM to 11:00 AM.

The Legion of Mary is pleased to offer a weekly visitation of the Blessed Mother's statue to homes within the Parish community.

If you are sick or homebound and would like to say the Rosary with someone, kindly call:

Jean Hanna (732) 473-9755

Father Max's Smile Corner

It was Sunday and Dudley's uncle, Father John had a very busy week. He decided to call out sick to his Pastor, skip Mass and go to a Country Club for a game of golf.

Father John went out of the area as he didn't want to meet any of his parishioners. The first stroke with his golf club he shot a Hole in One. At that moment, St. Peter said to God, did you see what Father John did.... God said, "Now who is Father John going to tell?"

PARISH NEWS

ATLANTIC CITY TRIP TO RESORTS

Date: November 2, 2015

Cost: \$23.00 Coins: \$25.00

Tickets are sold by the Parish Auditorium on Tuesdays from 9:00 A.M. to 11:00 A.M. or call: Mr. Sandy Monda (732) 349-0143

The bus leaves for Atlantic City from St. Maximilian Kolbe Church promptly at 9:15 A.M.

Note: All Cancellations are non-refundable.

ADORATION

The Adoration devotion is to join the Holy Father in praying for the unborn and for the special intentions of our families. The Adoration is held every Friday in the Chapel from: 12:00 Noon to 3:00 PM

HOLY HOUR FOR VOCATIONS

The Diocese of Trenton Office of Vocations invites you to the Ocean County Holy Hour for Vocations. The Holy Hour will consist of Scripture reading, reflection, recitation of the Rosary, meditation and closing Benediction.

Wednesday, October 28, 2015

St. Dominic Parish

250 Old Squan Rd. Brick, NJ 08724

7:00 PM to 8:00 PM

Trivia (Answers on Page 9)

Catholic Questions

1. What is the definition of the word "Bible?"
2. Name the first book of the New Testament?
3. What physically denotes the border between Vatican City and Italy?
4. Name the parish church of Vatican City?
5. Where can you find the Bernini Colonnade?
6. What is the name for the period of time between the death of a Pope and the election of his successor?
7. What do the "Dolors" commemorate in the Seven Dolors of Mary?

"JOY IS A NEST OF LOVE BY WHICH YOU CAN CATCH SOULS."
MOTHER TERESA

BINGO...BINGO... BINGO

Bingo is held on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons in the Parish Hall auditorium. Doors open at 10:00A.M. and the games begin at 12:00 Noon.

Food is also available for purchase.

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ARTS & CRAFTS

The group is continuing to meet on Mondays, from 9:30 AM to 11:00 AM. Come join us and bring some of your ideas.

The Arts and Crafts group is hosting their craft show on the weekend of October 24th and October 25th. Stop by and see all the homemade items for sale.

WEEKLY DEVOTIONS

The weekly devotions of Bread and Wine; Altar Candles, Sanctuary Candles and Flowers are available for 2015 for the Church and Chapel.

Stop by the Parish Office during our business hours to request your special week.

COLLECTION

The second collection this weekend for Parish Development and Maintenance.

OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY

October is the month of the Rosary. The Rosary in the Middle Ages was a substitute for the Divine Office for the religious and laity who could not read the psalms.

On a ring of beads they would pray 150 "Our Fathers" which by the twelve century were "Hail Mary's" Dominican friars divided the prayers into decades, each one eventually recalling events in the history of salvation.

The Rosary is a Christ centered prayer. Pope Paul VI in his encyclical "Marialis Cultis" called the Rosary a type of contemplation and wrote, "By its nature, the recitation of the Rosary calls for a quiet rhythm and a lingering pace, helping the individual to meditate on the mysteries of the Lord's life as seen through the eyes of Mary who was closest to the Lord."

Liturgical Publications

OGLEBAY & WHEELING CHRISTMAS SPECTACULAR

November 16 to November 19, 2015

- Featuring Oglebay's Wilson Lodge and the enchanting Festival of Lights. Plus Casino
 - Senior Tours escort on board bus hosting complimentary cocktails, soft drinks and snacks.
 - Fun, and games with Yuletide good cheer.
 - Incomparable "Festival of Lights" one of the largest Christmas illumination displays.
 - Christmas Mansion Tour, Glass Museum and Holiday dinner.
 - Lodging for three nights at Cambria Suites with indoor pool, hot and cold breakfast daily.
 - \$100. 00 deposit to hold seat. Refundable up until final payment October 15th.
 - \$699.00 Double Per Person
\$799.00 Single Per Person
\$646.00 Triple Per Person
- + Contact: Barbara Kwiatek (848) 227- 3963

MASS FOR THE FEAST OF ALL SOULS

It is said that one of the greatest gifts that God has bestowed on us is the gift of memories. Recalling memories can be comforting to us at times when we feel at our lowest.

The Timothy Ryan Funeral Home has arranged a special memorial Mass for All Souls with Father Steve and the Ryan Family..

Father John will celebrate this Mass on Wednesday, 12:00 Noon , November 4, 2015.

Father Steve and the Ryan Family hope you can join us to remember and give thanks for the lives of those who have gone before us.

If you will be attending, please call the Ryan Family at (732) 505-1900 so they will have an idea about how many will be in attendance.

*"The one thing I do, is to forget what is behind me and do my best to reach what is ahead."
(Philippians 3:13)*

LIVES OF THE SAINTS

May the wisdom of the saints inspire us in our daily lives.

- October 11 St. Bruno the Great
- October 12 St. Wilfrid, Bishop
- October 13 St. Edward the Confessor
- October 14 St. Callistus I, Pope
- October 15 St. Teresa of Avila
- October 16 St. Margaret Mary Alacoque
- October 16 St. Gerard Majella
- October 17 St. Ignatius of Antioch, Bishop

THE PARISH OF ST. PIO

The Altar Rosary Society of the parish of St. Pio of Pietrelcina, in Lavallette is having an afternoon of Fun and Games this Friday, October 16, 2015.

Have lunch, play games, bring cards, Board games and Mahjong.

Doors open at 11:30 AM

Donation: \$12.00 Per Person

No tickets sold at the door. For tickets call:

Johanna (732) 202-6055

BEATITUDES FOR FRIENDS

- Blessed are they who looked away when my coffee spilled at the table today.
- Blessed are they who know that my ears today must strain to catch the things we say.
- Blessed are they with a cheery smile who stop to chat for a little while.
- Blessed are they who never say, "You've told that story twice today."
- Blessed are they who know the ways to bring back memories of yesterday.
- Blessed are they who make it known that I am loved, respected and not alone.
- Blessed are they who ease the days on my journey Home in loving ways.
- Blessed are they who seem to know that my eyes are dim and my wits are slow.
- Blessed are they.....
(Prayers and Poems)

TRANQUILITY

Everything that's needed
 Is given us each day,
 Reflected in still waters,
 And grasses by the way.
 Our souls are guided daily
 By an unseen welcome hand,
 Leading ever onward
 To some peaceful land.
 There is no fear of evil
 Or death or shades of gloom,
 Constant is our comfort
 Even beyond the tomb.
 Goodness will always follow,
 Forever and a day
 So all may live in paradise,
 With no need to repay.

Poetry offers the highest, most creative expression of humankind. Most of us are too busy these days to read a book on self-improvement or an essay on "doing good."

A poem that captures the essence of ten self-improvement books will lift anyone's spirit.
(Sunrise in Your Hearts)

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Volunteers are needed to help our parish deliver the 2016 Collection Envelopes and yearly raffle tickets to our parish community.

If you have the time, and would like to deliver a specific street or possibly sections of the area which you live in, please leave your name and phone number at the Parish Office.

(732) 914-0300

POLISH AMERICAN CLUB OF NJ

The Polish American Club of New Jersey will celebrate their annual Mass for the living and deceased members at our Church on Wednesday, October 28, 2015 at 10:00 AM.

Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

PARISH OFFICE NEWS

The Parish Office will be closed on Monday, October 12, 2015 in honor of Columbus Day.

Also, the Arts and Crafts group will not meet on Monday, October 12th.

The Life of Jesus

Matthew 10: 17-23, 24; Mark 13; Luke 21: 5-36

WATCH AND PRAY

After His reprimand to the Scribes and Pharisees, Jesus and His disciples went out of the Temple. As they were leaving the Temple the disciples took note, seemingly for the first time of the grandeur of the building. They were impressed, perhaps, not so much by the beauty of the Temple as by its massiveness.

Its vast corridors seemed endless and its heavy walls, incorporating blocks of stone over twenty feet long, appeared as unshakeable as the firmament. One of the disciples turned enthusiastically to Jesus and said:

“Master, look what wonderful stones and buildings.”

But the mind of Jesus was on other things. Without intending to dampen their enthusiasm, He replied with a somewhat sobering comment:

“Dost thou see all these great buildings? There will not be left one stone upon another that will not be thrown down.”

The disciples were disturbed by these words of Jesus. Later, as they sat on a slope of the hill, opposite the Temple, Peter, James, John and Andrew questioned Him. They asked when this destruction would take place, and also by what sign they could anticipate the second coming of Christ and the end of the world.

In reply, Jesus addressed to the disciples a long prophetic discourse, treating both of the destruction of the Temple, Jerusalem and the end of the time. He told them the signs and omens which would accompany these catastrophes. He sketched the two events on a single canvas, picturing the one in the background with such foreshortening of perspective that no none could certainly say what distance separated the events. Speaking in the style of the prophets using their own words He said:

“Take care that no one leads you astray. For many will come in My name, saying, ‘I am he’ and they will lead many astray. But when you hear of wars and rumors of wars, do not be alarmed, for they must come to pass, but the end is not yet. Nations will rise against nations and kingdoms against kingdoms. There will be earthquakes in various places, and famines. These things are the beginning of sorrows.

Be on your guard. For they will deliver you up to councils, and you will be beaten in synagogues. Thou will stand before governors and kings for My sake as a witness to them. When they lead you away to deliver you up, do not be anxious before you speak. But speak whatever is given you in that hour. For it is not you who is speaking but the Holy Spirit.

Brother will hand over brother to death and children will rise up against their parents and put them to death. You will be hated by all for My name's sake. But he who has persevered to the end will be saved.

That day or hour no one knows, neither the angels in heaven, nor the Son, but only the father. Take heed, watch and pray for you do not know when the time is to come. Just as a man when he leaves home to journey abroad, puts his servants in charge and gives orders to the person to keep watch.

Watch, therefore, for you do not know when the master of the house is coming in the evening or at midnight or early in the morning. What I say to you, Watch.”

The Life of Christ
Catholic Press

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LIVES OF THE SAINTS

Occasionally in this space will appear a short article covering the lives of the saints, especially with reference to those saints whose likeness appear on the stained glass windows in the church and chapel, or whose statue is present in the chapel area or the candle room area.

SAINT TERESA OF AVILA

Patron of Headache Sufferers

Teresa was born in the small city of Avila. As a young girl she struggled to balance a love for God with a need for friends and fun. As a teenager she was more interested in boys than in religion.

When Teresa was sixteen, her father sent her to a convent which she hated at first. Eventually she began to feel closer to God. Even after Teresa committed herself to a religious life, it wasn't easy for her to give up worldly pleasures. She enjoyed having visitors in the convent and found it hard to stay focused on God

As Teresa grew deeper into her faith, she realized that she could help other nuns overcome the challenges she had faced. She founded a new Order the Discalced Carmelites that focused on a return to simplicity and mental prayer.

Teresa didn't advocate mere prayer. She taught the nuns in her Order that asking God for the ability to actually do good was more important than simply saying prayers. Even those that express gratitude to the Lord.

Like many saints Teresa was an ordinary woman who rose to greatness as a teacher and a writer. She was named a Doctor of the Church.

Prayer

Lord Jesus Christ,

You raised up Saint Teresa to be a guide in the ways of prayer and contemplation.

Give us the grace to follow her example with fidelity and generosity. Lead me and refresh my Spirit.

May we sing of Your mercies and be set aflame with the fire of Your love. Amen

(Traditional Carmelite Prayer)

ST. IGNATIUS OF ANTIOCH

Bishop of Antioch

It is believed that when Ignatius reached adulthood he was converted by either Peter, Paul or John.

During Christian persecutions, Ignatius was arrested and brought to trial. Because he refused to deny his faith and worship Rome's gods, he was sentenced to death. On the way to Rome, under Roman guard, Ignatius wrote seven letters to Christians urging unity. These letters have survived.

Ignatius welcomed his martyrdom knowing that it would bring him closer to God. He wrote:

"I am corresponding with all the churches and bidding them that I am voluntarily dying for God. Do not interfere, I plead with you. Let me be the fodder for wild beasts, that is how I can get to God. I am God's wheat and I am being ground by the teeth of wild beasts to make a pure loaf for Christ." (Ignatius letter to the Romans 4:1)

Ignatius wishes were respected and he was martyred in the Coliseum at Rome.

ST. GERARD MAJELLA

Patron of Mothers, Unborn Children

Gerard Majella tried to join the Capuchin Franciscan Order but was rejected because of his frail health. So Gerard took a position in a religious household as a servant of the Bishop. Unfortunately, the bishop had a bad temper and mistreated Gerard.

Gerard worked as a tailor but gave away about two thirds of his wages to help care for the poor and to have Masses said for the souls in purgatory. He decided to become a Redemptorist lay brother and the founder shortened his novitiate and Gerard was professed. He was named spiritual director for nuns which was an unusual appointment for a layman. Gerard was only twenty nine years old when he died.

Our Faith

PROVERBS

Proverbs played a major teaching in both the Old and New Testaments. They offered spiritual guidance, advice and warnings. Jesus recognized the power of proverbs using them when He preached.

The proverbs are often easily remembered and are insightful on human and religious behaviors. The following are just a few you might enjoy reading.

"A rich man has to use his money to save his life, but no one threatens a poor man."

"The Lord sees what happens everywhere, he is watching us whether we do good or evil."

"Long life is the reward of the righteous, gray hair is a glorious crown."

"You may make your plans, but God directs your actions."

"Everyone talks about how loyal and faithful he or she is, but just try to find someone who really is."

"If you want to stay out of trouble, be careful what you say."

"People who promise things that they never give, are like clouds and wind that bring no rain."

"Gossip is so tasty, but how we love to swallow it."

"The righteous have enough to eat, but the wicked are always hungry."

"If thou lose hope being weary in the day of distress, thy strength shall be diminished."

"He that does evil shall be called a fool"

"As the cold of snow in the time of harvest, so is a faithful messenger to him that sent him, for he refreshes his soul."

"A man that holds false witness against his neighbor is like a dart and a sword."

"If thy enemy be hungry, give him to eat. If he thirst, give him water to drink. For the Lord will reward thee."

"Ointment and perfumes rejoice the heart and the good counsels of a friend are sweet to the soul."

"Have confidence in the Lord with all thy heart, and lean not upon thy own prudence."

"In all ways think of Him and He will direct your steps."

"Honor the Lord with thy substance and give Him of the first of all fruits, and thy barns shall be filled with abundance."

"He shall understand a parable; the interpretation, the words and their mysterious sayings. The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom."

The Book of Proverbs

"If you want to grow in perfection, you cannot advance by yourselves, you need a guide. Hence, when you go to God, go through Mary and with Mary."

St. Maximilian Kolbe

Trivia (Answers from Page 4)

1. A Collection of Books
2. Gospel of Matthew
3. White line on the pavement.
4. Saint Anne's
5. Saint Peter's Square
6. The Vatican Seat
7. The Sorrows of Mary