

SUNDAY, JUNE 21, 2015

12TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

5:00PM Fathers, living & deceased
8:00AM Fathers, living & deceased
10:00AM Fathers, living & deceased
12:00PM Fathers, living & deceased

MONDAY, JUNE 22

STS. PAULINUS OF NOLA, JOHN FISHER & THOMAS MORE

8:00AM Mark & Flavio Zen
11:30AM Genevieve Marino

TUESDAY, JUNE 23

8:00AM Maria Tarabocchia
11:30AM Hipolito Claudio

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 24

NATIVITY OF ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST

8:00AM John J. Della Rosa, Sr.
11:30AM John Fedele

THURSDAY, JUNE 25

8:00AM John Mattessich
11:30AM Ints. Of Andy & Eileen Skrivanic

FRIDAY, JUNE 26

8:00AM Gloria Manganeli
11:30AM Catherine & James Scotti & James Bucco

SATURDAY, JUNE 27

ST. CYRIL OF ALEXANDRIA

11:30AM Marie Evers
Colette Coyne
Mayor Gerald Calabrese
5:00PM Matteo & Antonio Mattessich

SUNDAY, JUNE 28

13TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

8:00AM Andrew Kim
10:00AM Ints. of John & Marguerita Mattessich – Wed. Anniv.
12:00PM Dec'd Mbrs. Mosca & Romano Families

ALTAR BREAD

In Memory of
Diann Rice

ALTAR WINE

In Memory of
Mara Magnozzi

SANCTUARY LAMP

In Memory of
Diann Rice

MASS CANDLES

In Memory of
Dante Rivetti, Jr.

PREPARING FOR MASS

The readings for next Sunday are:

Wis 1:13-15, 2:23-24

God overcomes evil and death.

Psalm 30

Lord, you have rescued me.

2 Cor 8:7, 9, 21-43

Imitate Christ by giving generously of yourselves.

Mark 5:21-43

Jesus heals the hemorrhaging woman and raises Jairus' daughter.



FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

Dear Parishioners:

...So as you come to Church this weekend...please remember your dad- living or deceased- in your prayers...we place his name on the altar and remember what a challenging job he had...and we remember grand-dads, godfathers, fathers-in-law, uncles, and any man who provided a father's care for a child when dad was not present for whatever reason...God bless them all and Happy Father's Day!

...Have you been a part of the parish of the Epiphany for a long time? Do you have some interesting pictures of the area around the Church- maybe before it was so built-up? Do you have some pictures of the Church building...or the Rectory...or the school when they were under construction...or when they were being renovated? Maybe you have some of your parents or grandparents pictures in an old trunk in the attic- which go way back...We'd like to include these pictures in our *FOUNDER'S DAY* exhibition on the Feast of the Epiphany- 2-3 January 2016...which will mark the **beginning of our 100th Anniversary celebration**. We'd like you to loan these photos to us and we'll make sure you get them back. If you've got some great shots...please be in touch with the Rectory...

... I'd like you all to consider the RCIA-Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults...for September...We are once again looking for adults who were never baptized and who would like to explore the Catholic faith...

...We're also looking for those who were baptized into another Christian denomination- like Lutheran- and who now are interested in converting to the Catholic faith...

...and we are also looking for those baptized Catholics who for whatever reason never received the sacraments of Confirmation and Communion...and now would like to prepare for them as adults...

No commitments at this point...just good information. If you are one of these folks...or if you know one...please be in touch with Fr. Ken...And I invite everyone to pray- as a community of faith- for anyone who might be prayerfully considering the RCIA...

.....Our next **wish list items** for the *Heritage Fund* are:

1) Some Rectory Repairs...including the roof that connects the rectory to the Church...and also - the roof above the front door entrance to the Rectory...also about a dozen windows and frames that are rotting away and need replacing...and the gutter and down spout on the rear of the Rectory which detached and fell off during the winter...at an estimated cost of \$11,900.00.

2) The renovation of the bathroom in the Church next to the Daily Mass Chapel...which includes a new commode, a new vanity, new flooring, an exhaust fan, and a new paint job...at an estimated cost of \$4,000.00-\$5,000.00.

...If you'd like to contribute to these projects, please be in touch with the Rectory office.

**God bless,
Fr. Ken**

PARISH SUPPORT

Thank you for sharing the gift of your treasure so that we can continue to do God's work here.

June 14th

Sunday Collection \$ 5,543.25

Assessment \$ 2,044.00

"He said to them, 'Why are you afraid? Have you no faith?'" – Mark 4:40

Most of us like to be in control. Loss of control makes us fearful. Try changing your perspective, let God be the pilot! There's an old saying "do you want to make God laugh? Tell him your plans." Put your trust in God, He always has a better plan!

BINGO



Bring your friends along for a fantastic day at our weekly bingo games. We offer **jackpot prizes, progressive, specials and 50/50 bingo games**. **Doors open at 5:30PM on Tuesday and 10:00AM on Thursday**. Game play begins at 7:15PM on Tuesday, and on Thursday afternoon at 12:15PM.

"WISE PEOPLE THINK ALL THEY SAY; FOOLS SAY ALL THEY THINK!"

GOOD-BYE & GOOD LUCK

It's time to say good-bye to Nicholas Sertich. We would like to invite you to a good-bye and good luck party on Saturday, July 18th following the 5:00PM Mass in the Church Hall. We will be serving sandwiches, coffee and cake. If you are able to come, please call the rectory before July 14th and let us know so that we can plan accordingly.

HELP WANTED

The Rectory Office is looking for young men and women of the parish (14-18 years old) for part-time office work in our parish offices. Hours are weekdays from 4:00-8:00PM and weekends from 10:00AM-2:00PM. We have multiple openings available and work will begin later this summer. Anyone interested should contact Fr. Ken Evans and Nicholas Sertich at the Rectory Office at 201-943-7320.

ROSES FOR LIFE

After all of the Masses on the weekend of June 27/28, the Knights of Columbus Benedict XV Council will be selling Rose Lapel Pins in support of the Respect Life Movement. Free will offerings will be accepted for each Rose Lapel Pin (suggested donation of \$1.00 each). Council members will be selling these pins at each of the entrances to the Church at all of the Masses that weekend. All proceeds directly benefit the Church's Pro-Life Ministries. Why not show your support of the Catholic Pro-Life Movement by purchasing a Rose Lapel Pin? Thank you for your generosity!

BLOOD DRIVE

On Sunday, July 12th from 8:00AM-1:00PM, the Knights of Columbus Benedict XV Council will be sponsoring a Blood Drive to support the Community Blood Services of New Jersey. Blood will be taken in the "Blood Mobile" located in the Church Parking Lot and Free Refreshments will be served in the Church Hall. Donors must be in good general health and weigh at least 110lbs. Walk-Ins are always welcome. Why not come donate life-saving blood to someone in need? For more information, contact Nicholas Sertich at 201-943-7320.

THANK YOU

To: The Church of the Epiphany:

I would like to take this opportunity to express my gratefulness and appreciation for the Church of the Epiphany selecting me as recipient of the 2015 William H. Cron Scholarship. This scholarship will help my parents pay for my tuition to the Immaculate Conception High School in Lodi over the next four years. My receiving this scholarship has made me very proud of my accomplishments and inspired me to continue to put forth my best efforts at Immaculate Conception. Thank you again and I look forward to seeing you at Mass each Sunday!

Alyssa McCarthy (Epiphany Parishioner and Christ the Teacher School 2015 Graduate)

CLIFFSIDE PARK SENIOR ACTIVITY CENTER

The Cliffside Park Senior Activity Center will present Music Al Fresco on the Senior Center Patio on July 10 and August 14 at 7:00PM. Free music and refreshments will be brought to you by the Cliffside Mayor and Council and the Cliffside Park Housing Authority. Give and Take will take place on June 28th at 3:00PM. Tickets are \$7.00 and you must bring three gifts. Also, a Pot Luck will take place on July 12th at 3:00PM. Tickets are \$10 and one entrée. If interested in the last two events, call Barbara at 201-282-4090. Also, there will be a trip to Newport, Rhode Island from September 30-October 2, which includes Mansion Tours, 2 dinners, 2 breakfasts and more, 2 night stays at Trees Inn Foxwoods Casino for \$340 per person double occupancy. Call 201-943-3768 for more information.

PARISH CENSUS UPDATE

Epiphany is currently having a campaign to update our Parish Census File, which contains information on each registered parishioner household. First, a "Parish Census Form" will be printed in the bulletin, and copies are located at the doors of the church. Please complete the form and return it to the Rectory Office (by mail or in person) as soon as possible. Second, those who do not complete the form in writing will be contacted via telephone. In the coming weeks, you may receive a phone call from an authorized representative of Epiphany – this is not a solicitation, telemarketing, or otherwise suspicious phone call. **All of the information provided about each parishioner is kept completely confidential, is kept in the Rectory, and is only accessible to authorized personnel of the parish.** By taking a moment of your time to update your information, you are helping us better serve the needs of each parishioner and to help foster a thriving and vibrant parish community of faith. For more information, contact Nicholas Sertich at 201-943-7320.

SEND IN YOUR OLD PHOTOS

In anticipation for our celebration of our parish 100th Anniversary in 2016, we are looking for any old photographs of the church. We invite our parishioners to submit any old photos related to Epiphany that may have some historical significance to the parish. We do ask, however, that you do not submit strictly personal photos, such as First Communion, wedding, etc., photos – we will only be accepting ones that are of historical significance to the parish. Photos may be in color or black/white, and may be of any size. Anyone who sends in their photos will receive them back in the condition in which they were received. Although we will not be able to use all of the photos that are submitted, we invite all parishioners to participate. Any photos that we do not use will be credited with their donors. Submit all photos to the Rectory Office, Attention: Nicholas Sertich, or email them to epiphanycp@juno.com For more information, contact Nicholas Sertich at 201-943-7320. Deadline to receive photos: July 31st.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK OF THE PARISH

Matthew Dickman, Jean Schwartz, Marion Calabrese, Joseph Mangone, Robert Killen, Andree Degedrinsky, Senko Skific, Natalie Lopac, Nancy Suarez, Louanne Mitchell, Brian Hone, Baby Sofia Gonzales, Baby Carly, Linda Shiers, Ralph Cappola, Paula Banitez, Doris Portillo, Sid Berger, Angelica Colavito, Una O'Connor, Anne Lepis, Nadine Nasif, Sarah Farid, Carl McManus, Anna Scardigno, Doris McCall, Lauren Basso, Corrado Gugliotta, Pietro Gugliotta, Victor Sohm, Bill DiSomma, Bobby Busanic, Alvino Masolotti, Cheryl Barbara, Helen Apsewicz, Dr. Richard Ming, Louis Curcio, Vincent Sariti, Hay Blou Htoo, Kevin Dougherty, Dennis Mistretta, Minerva Lugones, Wilma Smithworth, Patricia Warren, .

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE DECEASED OF THE PARISH

Carmelo Gramuglia, Sheila King, Jack Novak

FATHER'S DAY PRAYER

Thank you friend Jesus, for my father who loves me, for my grandfather who cares for me, and for God, your father and mine, who made me and is always with me. How lucky I am!

