

**SUNDAY, MAY 24, 2015**  
**PENTECOST SUNDAY**

5:00PM Mary Dooley & Barbara Miele  
8:00AM Rose Zilocchi  
10:00AM Antonia Busanic  
12:00PM Geraldine Fox Bartner

**MONDAY, MAY 25**

*STS. BEDE THE VENERABLE, GREGORY VI, MARY MAGDALENE DE PAZZI*

9:00AM Dinko Busanic

**TUESDAY, MAY 26**

*ST. PHILIP NERI*

8:00AM Assunta Pallotta  
11:30AM Catherine & James Scotti

**WEDNESDAY, MAY 27**

*ST. AUGUSTINE OF CANTERBURY*

8:00AM Maria Rici-Mattessich  
11:30AM Maria Garritano

**THURSDAY, MAY 28**

8:00AM Vecchione Family  
11:30AM Dominick Marino

**FRIDAY, MAY 29**

8:00AM Diego Leon  
11:30AM Filomena Pallotta

**SATURDAY, MAY 30**

11:30AM Barbara & Margaret Strof  
5:00PM Antonio & Grazia Marchesani

**SUNDAY, JUNE 1**

**THE MOST HOLY TRINITY**

8:00AM Dec'd Mbrs. Peter & Patti Fam.  
10:00AM Vincenzo Venice  
12:00PM Margaret Lencsak

**ALTAR BREAD**

*In Memory of*  
John Mattessich

**ALTAR WINE**

*In Memory of*  
John Mattessich

**SANCTUARY LAMP**

*In Memory of*  
Martin & Maria Morin

**MASS CANDLES**

*In Memory of*  
Antonia & Dinko Busanic

**ALTAR FLOWERS**

*In Memory of*  
Rose Magliato

**PREPARING FOR MASS**

*The readings for next Sunday are:*

**Deut 4:32-34, 39-40**

Moses proclaims one God to the Israelites.

**Psalms 33**

Blessed be the Lord who has chosen the people.

**Rom 8:14-17**

All are heirs of God through the Spirit.

**Matt 28:16-20**

Christ commissions the Eleven to make disciples of all nations.

**FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK**

**Dear Parishioners:**

...We celebrate Pentecost Sunday and we give thanks for the gift of the Holy Spirit in our lives. Jesus sends us the Spirit to inflame our hearts and to fill us with enthusiasm to live and share our faith. We are called to be witnesses to the presence of Jesus in the world. And the Spirit strengthens us so we will be able to answer that call. Wear your red proudly today and show the world that your heart is filled with the Spirit!!!

...Congratulations to the two young men who help us in the Rectory and who are graduating from High School. Congratulations and good luck in College to Victor Prieto and Chris Mihalenic.

...Also...Congratulations to Nicholas Sertich as he graduates with high honors from Seton Hall University... and good luck and God bless him as he enters Immaculate Conception Seminary on the Campus of Seton Hall to study for the priesthood here in the Archdiocese of Newark. Many thanks for all the good works you've done over the years to help the Church of the Epiphany thrive!!!

...Congrats, too...to all the graduates in our parish from high school, college, graduate school, grammar school, kindergarten, tech and vocational schools...To all the grads - ALL THE BEST!!!

...Monday is Memorial Day...We have just one Mass scheduled here at Epiphany at 9:00AM...as we remember in prayer those who have served our country and given their lives for our freedoms...During the six-month sabbatical I spent in Washington, DC...I was able to visit the Tomb of the Unknowns in Arlington National Cemetery...It's the place where the President goes to lay a wreath on Memorial Day...It's a very moving place to visit. It reminds us of the great human cost of the wars we've fought as a nation...and urges us to pray fervently for peace in our world.

...Let's remember - as well - all those who serve our country in the armed services and may find themselves in harm's way this Memorial Day...and let's remember *all* our dearly departed...I'll remember your intention as I join Bishop Flesey at a Mass on Memorial Day at Christ the King Cemetery in Franklin Lakes at 11:00AM.

**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.*

	<i>May 17<sup>th</sup></i>
<i>Sunday Collection</i>	<i>\$5,925.86</i>
<i>Ascension Collection</i>	<i>\$1,513.00</i>

*"There are different kinds of spiritual gifts but the same Spirit; there are different forms of service but the same Lord; there are different workings but the same God who produces all of them in everyone." - 1 Corinthians 12:4-6*

*By giving each of us different gifts, God made sure that the Church would have the right combination of time, talent and treasure that was needed to do His work. However, if one of us does not utilize our gifts, God's plan goes unfulfilled. Some important work is left undone.*

**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.

**MEMORIAL DAY**

Monday is Memorial Day. There will be only one Mass at 9:00AM and the Rectory Office will be closed.

**CONFRATERNITY OF CHRISTIAN WOMEN**

The final meeting of the season for the Confraternity of Christian Women will be on Thursday, June 11<sup>th</sup> beginning at 6:00PM. We will have a light supper. Please note change of day.

**“WHEN A BELIEVING PERSON PRAYS, GREAT THINGS HAPPEN!”**

### CHRIST THE TEACHER SCHOOL

Christ the Teacher School, Fort Lee, will be having an Open House on May 27<sup>th</sup>. Please come to visit the school from 9:00-11:00AM, 1:00-2:00PM or 7:00-8:00PM. We would love to show you what our school has to offer you and your child.

*Katharine Murphy, Principal*

### TD BANK AFFINITY PROGRAM

Our participation in the Affinity Program continues. Going forward, the Church will receive \$10 for every existing checking account included in the program and \$50 for every newly opened checking account included in the program. **Nothing is taken from your accounts.** In addition, the **Church** will receive 1/10 of 1% of the average balance of all savings accounts and CDs included in the program. To sign up, please visit the TD Bank at either the corner of Lafayette and Anderson or Lafayette and Palisade Avenues.

### FATHERS' DAY CARDS

Fathers' Day Cards are available at the Church doors. Please mark your intentions on the envelopes and return them with your donations to the rectory or in the collection basket by June 17<sup>th</sup>. Your intentions will be placed on the altar on Father's Day weekend.

### INCLUSIVE FAMILY MASS

The Inclusive Family Mass at St. Therese of Lisieux, 120 Monroe Avenue, Cresskill will be held on Sunday, May 31<sup>st</sup> at 1:30PM. Refreshments and fellowship will follow. This Mass will be held on the third Sunday of every month.

### 2015 WALK UNITED FOR LIFE

Join the Knights of Columbus on Saturday, June 6<sup>th</sup> in their Annual Local March for Life, which is our public witness as Catholics that we care, that every life is sacred and that we are not discouraged in our mission to protect life. March will begin at 12 Noon in front of Madonna Rectory, 340 Main Street, Fort Lee and ends at the Madonna Cemetery Church. While in route, the Rosary will be recited and the parade will be led by the Knights of Columbus Color Corps. This event will conclude with a Mass for the unborn. Light refreshments will be served by the sponsors: Coronation Council, Fort Lee, Benedict XV Council, Cliffside Park, and Unity Council, Coytesville, Fort Lee. Please be there by 11:30AM.

### CLIFFSIDE PARK SENIOR ACTIVITY CENTER

The Cliffside Park Senior Activity Center will present Music Al Fresco on the Senior Center Patio on June 12, 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 28<sup>th</sup> at 3:00PM. Tickets are \$7.00 and you must bring three gifts. Also, a Pot Luck will take place on July 12<sup>th</sup> at 3:00PM. Tickets are \$10 and one entrée. If interested in the last two events, call Barbara at 201-282-4090.

### MOZART'S SPLENDID FINALE

St. John the Baptist Church, 69 Valley Street, Hillsdale, presents Mozart's Splendid Finale, featuring the Requiem in D minor and Ave Verum Corpus, on Sunday, May 31<sup>st</sup> at 5:00PM. There will be a preconcert discussion at 4:00PM. Tickets are \$20 in advance and \$25 at the door. Children under 13 are free. For tickets: [www.arsmusica.org](http://www.arsmusica.org) Or [info@arsmusica.org](mailto:info@arsmusica.org)

### HOW TO REPORT ABUSE

The Archdiocese takes very seriously any and all allegations of sexual misconduct by members of the clergy, Religious and lay staff of the Archdiocese. We encourage anyone with knowledge of an act of sexual misconduct to inform us immediately so that we may take the appropriate action to protect others and provide support to victims of sexual abuse by calling 201-407-3256.

### EPIPHANY PARISH WEBSITE

[www.epiphanyrchurch.org](http://www.epiphanyrchurch.org)

Epiphany Church is proud to unveil our new and improved Parish Website! Visit us online for complete information about our parish including: bulletins, calendars, events/news, parish history, photo galleries, sacrament information, schedules, staff biographies, and much more! Come check us out! Invite your friends, too! Don't forget to also "Like" us on Facebook: [facebook.com/epiphanyrchurch](https://facebook.com/epiphanyrchurch). For more information about our website or Facebook page, contact Nicholas Sertich at 201-943-7320.

### AID FOR THE VICTIMS OF THE NEPAL EARTHQUAKE

The Archdiocese is asking those who can to send donations to aid the victims of the Nepal Earthquake. Please send your donations to:

Archdiocese of Newark – Nepal Earthquake Relief

% Office of Finance

P.O. Box 9500

Newark, NJ 07104-0500.

Thank you for your generosity at this critical time.

### MEMORIAL DAY CELEBRATION

American Legion Post #126 and the Borough of Cliffside Park invite all residents to attend the Memorial Day Service and Celebration on Monday, May 25<sup>th</sup> at 11:00AM at Memorial Park opposite the municipal building on Palisade Avenue. There will be free refreshments at the firehouse after the memorial service and everyone is welcome. Please bring a friend and meet your neighbors.

### SPRING AUCTION EVENT (TRICKY TRAY)

St. Nicholas Church, Palisades Park, will present a Spring Auction Event (Tricky Tray) to be held on Saturday, May 30<sup>th</sup>. Doors open at 7:00PM and the drawing starts at 8:30PM. Tickets are \$20 which includes: 25 tickets for the 1<sup>st</sup> level of prizes, plus sandwich, cookies, coffee and refreshments. Tickets are on sale at the rectory office or email them at [stnicholas07650@live.com](mailto:stnicholas07650@live.com)

### A DAY OF COMFORT AND HOPE

The Office of Family Life Ministries invites all parents who have suffered the loss of a child to attend "A Day of Comfort and Hope" on Saturday, June 6<sup>th</sup> at Notre Dame Church, 359 Central Avenue, North Caldwell. This full-day retreat affords bereaved parents the opportunity to join together in a caring, spiritual setting for prayer, meditation, discussion, presentations, fellowship and Holy Mass. Pre-registration is required by May 29<sup>th</sup>. Please call 973-497-4327.

### PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK OF THE PARISH

*Baby Arianna Diwitt, Matthew Dickman, Jean Schwartz, Gloria Masella, Marion Calabrese, Joseph Mangone, Robert Killen, Andree Degedrinsky, Senko Skific, Natalie Lopac, Chris Brown, Nancy Suarez, Maria Murphy, Louanne Mitchell, Brian Hone, Dr. Vito LaFerrera, Baby Sofia Gonzales, Cora Shaffer, Yanira Rivera, Kenneth Kelly, Max Federman, Virginia Clark Callahan, John & Maryjane Jaskolka, Mario Pajar, Anne Marie Crismale, Larry Chapman, Baby Carly, Marilyn Brenes, Angie Vigna, Mary Carberry, Linda Shiers, Ralph Cappola, Paula Banitez, Doris Portillo, Sid Berger, Angelica Colavito, Una O'Connor, Anne Lepis, Nadine Nasif, Sarah Farid, Alfonso Palazzolo, Sr., Lucy Palazzolo, Kevin O'Connor, Angela Kovacev, Martin Bussanich, Carl McManus, Anna Scardigno, Lydia Locurcio, Doris McCall, Lauren Basso, Corrado Gugliotta, Pietro Gugliotta, Marie Barchetto, Anthony Violante, Victor Sohm, Frank Gaetani, Kathleen Gleason, Bill DiSomma, Bobby Busanic, Alvino Masolotti, Cheryl Barbara, Helen Apsewicz, Richie Allen, Shannon Brenner, Dr. Richard Ming, Louis Curcio, Vincent Sariti, Hay Blou Htoo, Kevin Dougherty, Elaine Gratale, Dennis Mistretta, Jerry Liso.*

### PLEASE PRAY FOR THE DECEASED OF THE PARISH

Rita Goz.

