

SUNDAY, JULY 5 2015

14<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

5:00PM Sottile & Sariti Families  
8:00AM Veronica Sohn  
10:00AM Maria Martire  
12:00PM Michael Belfi

MONDAY, JULY 6

ST. MARIA GORETTI  
8:00AM Gloria Manganelli  
11:30AM Vincent Libero –Wed. Anniv.

TUESDAY, JULY 7

8:00AM Hilda & John Dondero  
11:30AM Catherine & James Scotti

WEDNESDAY, JULY 8

8:00AM John Lynch  
11:30AM Maria Morin - Birth/Anniv.

THURSDAY, JULY 9

ST. AUGUSTINE SHAO RONG & COMPANIONS

8:00AM Nadala Picinic  
11:30AM Martin & Maria Morin

FRIDAY, JULY 10

8:00AM Norman Wallen  
11:30AM Giovanna Piccinich

SATURDAY, JULY 11

ST. BENEDICT  
11:30AM Eleanor Fallotico  
Margaret Rossi  
Celia Gandara

5:00PM Palma Sileo

SUNDAY, JULY 12

15<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

8:00AM Vincenzo Venice  
10:00AM Andrew Iannaccone  
12:00PM Dec'd Mbrs. Mosca & Romano Family

ALTAR BREAD

In Memory of  
Mary Barrett

ALTAR WINE

In Memory of  
Mayor Gerald Calabrese

SANCTUARY LAMP

In Memory of  
Camille Missale Birth.

MASS CANDLES

In Memory of  
Cuomo Family

PREPARING FOR MASS

The readings for next Sunday are:

**Amos 7:12-15**

Amos is sent by prophesy to Israel.

**Psalm 85**

Lord, let us see your kindness.

**Eph 1:3-14**

Christ leads God's new people, the church.

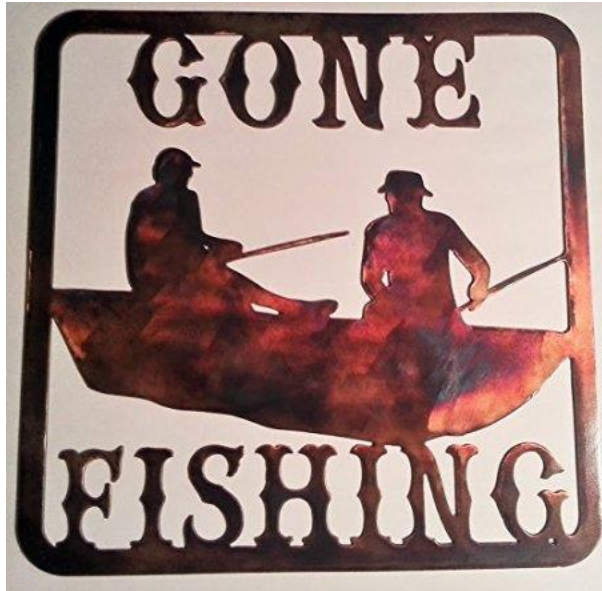
**Mark 6:7-13**

The Twelve are sent out two by two to continue Jesus' mission.



FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

Dear Parishioners:



God bless,  
Fr. Ken

HIS WORD TODAY

...“As the Lord spoke to me, the spirit entered in to me and set me on my feet, and I heard the one who was speaking say to me: Son of man, I am sending you to the Israelites, rebels have rebelled against me; they and their ancestors have revolted against me to this very day. Hard of face and obstinate of heart are they to whom I am sending you...they shall know that a prophet has been among them.”...“A prophet is not without honor except in his native place.”

We receive information from countless sources – internet, texts, twitter, TV, radio. We are most receptive to positive, pleasing news, things which make us feel good and uplifted. Sometimes we receive the results of a medical test, reports on a condition, that is neither reassuring or satisfying. But the information is important, so that a condition may be addressed.

... Ezekiel had a unique responsibility to “tell it like it is.” He knew those to whom he was sent were hard and rebellious. He had a mission. A prophet in scripture is a spokesperson for God. Ezekiel called his people back to the Lord. Jesus’ hometown people took offense at His teaching. They didn’t want to hear the challenge He proposed.

...The church today needs prophet voices. Pope Francis’ messages are pleasing to most, yet he corrects and directs. Archbishop Romero’s voice was silenced by an assassin’s bullet. Blessed Teresa of Calcutta, spoke through kindness and compassion.

...May we all learn to hear and listen to the voice of God directing us through the Spirit.

PARISH SUPPORT

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

June 28<sup>th</sup>

Sunday Collection

\$ 4843.60

“As the Lord spoke to me, the spirit entered me and set me on my feet, and I heard the one who was speaking say to me, ‘Son of man, I am sending you...’” – Ezekiel 2:2-3

God asks each of us to do some special work for Him. He gives us the resources we need to do His work. However, do we listen to God when He calls? Do we get up on our feet and give our talent to do the work He asks of us? Remember, God doesn't call the equipped, he equips the called.

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.

### GOOD-BYE & GOOD LUCK

**Only about eight days left to make reservations!** 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 18<sup>th</sup> 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 14<sup>th</sup> 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.

### FOOD PANTRY IN DIRE NEED

During the summer months, the food pantry experiences a sharp decrease in the number of incoming donations. This is extremely problematic, being that the demand for food in the summer is just as high as the demand for food in the winter. As such, the food pantry is currently in **DIRE NEED** of non-perishable food items. As always, thank you very much for your generosity and continued support of the Epiphany Community Food Pantry!

### BLOOD DRIVE

On Sunday, July 12<sup>th</sup> 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.

### 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.

### CLIFFSIDE PARK SENIOR ACTIVITY CENTER

The Cliffside Park Senior Activity Center will present Music Al Fresco on the Senior Center Patio on July 10<sup>th</sup> (Jazz Band Bronco Suave) and August 14<sup>th</sup> (Opera with Irina Petrik) at 7:00PM. Free music and refreshments will be brought to you by the Cliffside Mayor & Council and the Housing Authority. There will be a Magic Show Luncheon with Joe Appleton on July 21<sup>st</sup> at 11:00AM. Make reservations by July 11<sup>th</sup> (\$5.00). Also, there will be a trip to Newport, Rhode Island from September 30 - October 2, which includes Mansion Tours, 2 dinner, 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 100<sup>th</sup> 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](mailto:epiphanycp@juno.com) For more information, contact Nicholas Sertich at 201-943-7320. Deadline to receive photos: July 31<sup>st</sup>.

### 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, 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 Smithword, Rose Scardigno, Bill Kraus, Zendko Matesic, Antonia Picinic.*

### PLEASE PRAY FOR THE DECEASED OF THE PARISH

*Rev. Henry Ferrazoli, Manoel Antonio da Cunha, Caterina Vlacci.*

**“YOU SAY: ‘I’M ALWAYS  
WORRIED AND FRUSTRATED.’  
GOD SAYS: ‘CAST ALL YOU  
CARES ON ME!’”**

