

St. Anne's Church

3545 Kennedy Blvd.,
Jersey City

COMMANDMENTS



PROCLAIM



TEMPLE



LENT

THIRD SUNDAY



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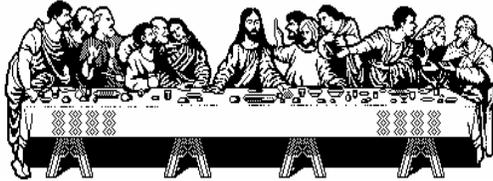
MARCH 15th, 2009

3rd SUNDAY OF LENT

Stations of the Cross



EVERY FRIDAY DURING LENT AT
1:00 PM AND 7:00 PM.



Schedule of Masses March 16th-22nd, 2009

| Day | Time | Requested for | Requested by |
|-----------------------------|---------|------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Mon. 3/16 | 7 AM | Erika Catorino | Roseann Azzarello |
| | 9 AM | Peter Maffei | Maffei Family |
| Tues. 3/17 | 7 AM | Dan & Patrick Kelly | Nora Browne |
| | 9 AM | Pietro Federico | Daughter |
| Wed. 3/18 | 7 AM | Joseph Gaita | Carpenter Family |
| | 9 AM | Lillian Koska | Albert Koska |
| | 7 PM | Peter Maffei | Maffei Family |
| Thurs 3/19 | 7 AM | Giuseppe Belfiore | Toni |
| | 9 AM | Rosemary Maffei | Michael Maffei |
| | 7 PM | St. Joseph | Frances Spazian |
| Fri. 3/20 | 7 AM | Jon Hendricks | Carina Moreno |
| | 9 AM | (Liv) Priests of St. Anne | St. Joseph Prayer Group |
| Sat. 3/21 | 9 AM | Vincenza Infante | Maria Russo |
| | 5:30 PM | Marie Marvin | Class of 2005 |
| | 7 PM | Selva Jimenez | Angela Jimenez |
| Sun. 3/22 | 7:30 AM | Raymond Kanievski | Fran & Michael Kutiak |
| | 9 AM | Victoria Bonifacio | Aniway Olaya |
| | 10:30AM | Anthony Siclari | Mr. & Mrs. Antonio D'Angelo & Family |
| | 12 noon | For The People Of The Parish | |

Sanctuary Gifts March 15th-21st, 2009

| Gift | In Memory | Requested By |
|-----------------------|-------------------|----------------------------|
| Altar Wine | Mary Fischer | Yvonne, Ann Marie & Family |
| Altar Bread | Mary Fischer | Yvonne, Ann Marie & Family |
| Sanctuary Lamp | Special Intention | |
| Altar Candles | Special Intention | |

LET US PRAY FOR THE SICK

People will remain on sick list for 2 weeks unless otherwise notified:



Danny Riccardi, George Pekar, Catherine Bowman, Margaret Franco, Clara Ortiz, Juan Ortiz, Giovanni Lopez, Diane Russo, Pat Sitty, Carl Carlson, Nina Kidney, Manuel Delgado, Hedy Mocar-ski, Joseph Greco, Sadie Krieger, Marian DiSanto, Dolores Becker

MONTHLY AVERAGE COMPARISONS:

| Month | 2008 | 2009 |
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| January | \$4,046. | \$3,475. |
| February | \$3,671. | \$3,916. |

Our Weekly Offering 2009



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| March 7/8 | \$ 2,562.00 |
| Mailed in, thank you | \$ 520.00 |
| Week's Total | \$ 3,082.00 |
| Month's Total | \$ 7,832.00 |
| Month's Average | \$ 3,916.00 |

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

MONDAY 2Kgs 5:1-15b; Ps 42:2-3;43:3-4; Lk 4:24-30

TUESDAY Dn 3:25,34-43; Ps 25:4-5b,6,7bc,8-9;

Mt 18:21-35

WEDNESDAY Dt 4:1,5-9; Ps 147:12-13,15-16,19-20;

Mt 5:17-19

THURSDAY 2Sm 7:4-5a,12-14a,16; Ps 89:2-5,27,29;

Rom 4:13,16-18,22; Mt 1:16,18-21,24a

FRIDAY Hos 14:2-10; Ps 81:6c-11b,14,17; Mk 12:28-34

SATURDAY Hos 6:1-6; Ps 51:3-4,18-21b; Lk 18:9-14

NEXT SUNDAY: 4th SUNDAY OF LENT

2Chr 36:14-16,19-23; Ps 137:1-6; Eph 2:4-10;

Jn 3:14-21



Every Tuesday, the Blessed Sacrament is exposed in the church from 3 to 4 p.m. It is an hour of prayer for the priests, religious men and women and an increase of vocations to the priesthood and the religious life of the Church.

We invite you to come and spend time with the Lord for these intentions and for your personal requests.

Holy Hour closes with Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.



Scriptural Reflections on Stewardship

The law liberates and leads us to freedom. It is to be trusted for it is a source of wisdom. Jesus speaks of the ultimate freedom to be won for us by his being raised up. He is the sign of the power and wisdom of God.

Religious Education News

from Sister Alberta



CCD Office Hours: September-June; Sunday 8 a.m. to 1 p.m.; Monday thru Wednesday 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.; CLOSED

THURSDAY, FRIDAY and SATURDAY. Please call before coming: Office 201-659-1794/Convent 201-963-0998.

- **March 17**– 6 p.m. Conf. candidates attend St. Nicholas
- **Communicants** need to bring in wallet size picture and \$25 communion fee.

- **Mite boxes for Lent** have been given out. Please make sure children use them and teach them how to share with others who are less fortunate than them. Advent boxes were poorly used; out of 100 children, only 25 were returned. Please make the effort to share and care.
- Six-week preparation for First Communion begins today. Lessons are to be brought to church every Sunday.

RETRouvaille

"Rediscovery" is a program of the Catholic Church designed to provide practical help and support to married couples in difficult or troubled relationships. The program, offered by the Office of Family Life Ministries of the Archdiocese of Newark, begins with a weekend experience on **March 20-22, 2009**. For program and fee information, please contact the Office of Family Life Ministries at 973-497-4327. RETROUvaille is a lifeline of hope and healing.

Bible Study



Father Titus Njoku offers a Bible Class to all parishioners and friends every Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. in the Rectory Basement. All are welcome; no fee. For information, please call the Rectory at (201) 656-2490 or (201) 653-4785.

SPANISH SECTION

Misa dominical: Los sábados a las 7:00 PM

Confesiones: los sábados de 1:00 PM a 1:30 PM o pedir cita en la rectoría

Bautismo: El último sábado de cada mes

Matrimonio: Llame a la oficina para registrarse y pedir una entrevista con el padre José Saltarin



ADORACIÓN AL SANTISIMO

Cada Martes de 3 a 4 de la tarde.

Para contar como miembro de la parroquia, no solo debes asistir a misa, sino también estar registrado, y utilizar los sobres que se te envían para la colecta. Las planillas están disponibles en el vestíbulo de la Iglesia a la salida de la misa. Si necesitas ayuda, representantes del grupo hispano estarán disponibles para ayudarte.

Les recordamos que el libro para las misas está abierto. Para anotar tu misa puedes pasar por la rectoría. Si es por una intención puedes anotarla quince minutos antes de la misa.

CIRCULO DE ORACION

Te invita a su Noche de Alabanza y Poder, cada martes a las 7:00pm en la IGLESIA



Radio Inmaculada 91.1 FM
Primera Radio Estación Católica Hispana en la Arquidiócesis de Newark, NJ, Te ofrece a través de su programación la oportunidad de descubrir a Cristo Vivo en Nuestra Santa Madre Iglesia Católica.

Puedes escucharla por radio sub carrier, o por internet a la siguiente dirección:
www.radioinmaculada.org.

Para ordenar tu radio puedes llamar al Sr. Antonio Macias al 201-988-5545, o a través del Circulo de Oración.

EVANGELIZATION CORNER.....

GOSPEL: JOHN 2:31-25

Reflection on Today's Gospel:

When the disciples in today's Gospel see Jesus drive money changers out of the temple area, they recall the words of scripture - "Zeal for your house will consume me" (psalm 69:10). We don't hear the word "zeal" very often today. If we have zeal for something, we have an intense interest or commitment to something; perhaps a project, a cause, an activity, a belief, even a person, and a zeal that consumes us is, well, very intense.

During this third week in the desert of Lent, we think about how important our faith is in our everyday lives; about how immensely committed we are to living as a Catholic Christian.

- The Archdiocese of Newark Office of Evangelization presents a workshop, **Evangelizing the Workplace**, Tuesday, April 28th 7 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. at St. Peter the Apostle Parish Center, 455 Fifth Avenue, River Edge. Registration is necessary (FREE), contact Liliana Soto-Cabrera at 973-497-4353; sotolili@rcan.org



St. Anne's Parish Pastoral Council Social

All are welcome to St. Anne's Parish monthly Parish Social sponsored by the "Community Service and Community Building Clusters" of our Parish Pastoral Council.

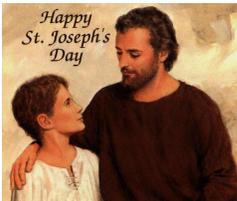
The next Social will be:

SUNDAY, MARCH 15TH
(After All **SUNDAY** Masses)



All are encouraged to visit Centennial Hall to enjoy friendly conversation and coffee/tea.

Feast of Saint Joseph



March 19th

Donation: \$5/person

St. Anne's Centennial Hall

Immediately following the 7:00 p.m. Mass

The Saint Padre Pio Prayer Group will sponsor this affair. We ask that those who come to the Mass, please bring two (2) cans of chicken soup. Both cans will be blessed – one will go to a local soup kitchen for the needy; the other you take home to share with your family along with bread that will be blessed by our priest for this special occasion.

See Frances Spazian for tickets. In order to assist in food ordering, no tickets will be available at the door.

Anointing Mass



Saturday, April 4th
St. Anne's Church-Centennial Hall



2 p.m. Mass and Anointing
of the Sick

Palms will be Blessed and distributed after Mass

- Come and allow the Lord to help heal the soul, mind and body
- Refreshments will be served
- Please contact rectory at 201-656-2490, if transportation is needed.



Parish Council

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL MEETING

REMINDER: There is a Pastoral Council Meeting every last Thursday of the month at 7:00 p.m. in Centennial Hall, except during the months of July, August and December! Next meeting will be **February 26th!**

Summer Institute for Family Spirituality

The new Catholic Center for Family Spirituality at Immaculate Conception Seminary School of Theology, Seton Hall University invites you to participate in the 2009 William J. Toth Summer Institute for Family Spirituality. The Center was developed in response to Pope John Paul II's challenge to create new institutes dedicated to theological and pastoral dimensions of family life. Summer Institute courses will be conducted at four locations: Ridgewood, Jersey City, Bayonne, and South Orange. Guided by expert faculty, students will examine the spiritual foundations of family life, reflecting on the family as the "Church in miniature" and exploring ways to meet the challenges and stresses attending

modern family life. All courses may be taken for credit towards a Certificate in Spirituality or Pastoral Ministry or towards a Master's Degree in Theology or Pastoral Ministry. Students may also choose to enroll on a non-matriculating basis. Fifty percent discounts and new student scholarships are available for those involved in paid or voluntary Church service. For further information about the Catholic Center, please contact Andy Saunders, Director, at saundean@shu.edu or 973-313-6335, or Kathy Childers, Secretary and Coordinator of Special Programs, at childeka@shu.edu.

Youth Service Volunteers

In the coming weeks, the Youth Office will be providing Volunteer Service Applications to begin a New Youth Project. This project will be to create an outlet for our Catholic Youth to serve just two hours a month, as well as, receive Community Service Credit that is required in many Jersey City Schools. We are looking to start performing Arts, Senior Citizen Outreach Support, and Youth Coffee House Program at our Youth Center located in the Star-Lite Building at 3487 Kennedy Blvd. Basic information on this project can be accessed by visiting our new Web Site: JCresident.com.

Weekly Planner

SUNDAY 3/15

3RD SUNDAY OF LENT

7:30 AM -3:00 PM Parish Commun Social-Cent.Hall

9:00 AM CCD Classes

9:00 AM -1:00 PM Liberty Cheerleaders-Star Lite

1:30 PM Baptism Classes - Rect.Mtg Rm

2:00 PM -6:00 PM Youth Group (Torres)-Star Lite

MONDAY 3/16

11:00 AM -1:00 PM School Lunch/Activities-Cent.Hall

6:00 PM -8:00 PM Liberty Cheerleaders-Star Lite

6:30 PM -8:30 PM Arya Dance Academy-Chapel Hall

6:30 PM -8:30 PM Cub Scouts-Cent.Hall

7:00 PM Legion of Mary-Rect. Library

TUESDAY 3/17

St. Patrick's Day

12:15 PM Bingo-Cent. Hall

3:00 PM -4:00 PM Holy Hour for Priests-Church

6:00 PM -8:00 PM Liberty Cheerleaders-Star Lite

6:30 PM -8:30 PM Arya Dance Academy-Chapel Hall

7:00 PM -8:30 PM OLG Prayer Group-Church

WEDNESDAY 3/18

11:00 AM -1:00 PM School Lunch/Activities-Cent.Hall

6:00 PM -8:00 PM Liberty Cheerleaders-Star Lite

6:30 PM -8:30 PM Arya Dance Academy-Chapel Hall

7:00 PM Bible Study-Church

7:30 PM Bible Study-Rect.Mtgrm

7:30 PM LFA/NJ Chap-Cent.Hall

THURSDAY 3/19

St. Joseph

11:00 AM -1:00 PM School Lunch/Activities-Cent.Hall

6:00 PM -9:00 PM Don & Rosita Dance-Chapel Hall

6:00 PM -7:30 PM G.S. Daisy/Brownie-Cent.Hall

6:00 PM -8:00 PM Liberty Cheerleaders-Star Lite

7:00 PM FEAST OF ST. JOSEPH Celebration-Church/
Cent.Hall

FRIDAY 3/20

12:15 PM Bingo-Cent. Hall

1:00 PM Stations of the Cross-Church

6:30 PM -8:30 PM Cub Scouts -Cent.Hall

7:00 PM Stations of the Cross-Church

7:30 PM J&M Prayer Group-Rect Mtgrm

SATURDAY 3/21

8:00 AM -5:30 PM J&MSeminar-Cent.Hall

10:00 AM -4:30 PM Don & Rosita Dance-Chapel Hall

2:00 PM -6:00 PM Youth Group (Torres)-Star Lite

SUNDAY 3/22

4TH SUNDAY OF LENT

9:00 AM CCD Classes

9:00 AM -2:00 PM Fil-Am Sunday Brunch-Cent.Hall

9:00 AM -1:00 PM Liberty Cheerleaders-Star Lite

1:00 PM -4:00 PM Fil-Am Dcng Lsns-Chapel Hall

1:30 PM Baptism-Church

2:00 PM -6:00 PM Youth Group (Torres)-Star Lite

3:00 PM Hollywood vs. Faith(TENT)-Church

MONDAY 3/23

11:00 AM -1:00 PM School Lunch/Activities-Cent.Hall

1:00 PM -4:00 PM St. Anne's Seniors - Cent.Hall

3:00 PM -4:30 PM Last Supper Practice-Chapel Hall

6:00 PM -8:00 PM G.S. Jr/Cadette-Cent. Hall

6:00 PM -8:00 PM Liberty Cheerleaders-Star Lite

6:30 PM -8:30 PM Arya Dance Academy-Chapel Hall

7:00 PM Legion of Mary-Rect. Library

TUESDAY 3/24

12:15 PM Bingo-Cent. Hall

3:00 PM -4:00 PM Holy Hour for Priests-Church

3:00 PM -4:30 PM Last Supper Practice-Chapel Hall

6:00 PM -8:00 PM Liberty Cheerleaders-Star Lite

6:30 PM -8:30 PM Arya Dance Academy-Chapel Hall

7:00 PM -8:30 PM OLG Prayer Group-Church

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