

Saint Anne's Church
3545 Kennedy Blvd., Jersey City

Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

El Cuerpo y la Sangre de Cristo



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Novena of Masses
FOR MONTH OF JUNE 2013



<i>Requested for</i>	<i>Requested by</i>
Raymond Caroselli III	Family
Peter Piscotta	Family
Concetta Piscotta	Family
Steve Piscotta	Family
Madeline Wasko	Fran & Steve Kearns
Ladislao Cruz	Villanueva Family
Grace Sista	
Parishioners of 7:00 AM Mass in convent	
Parishioners of 9:00 AM Mass in convent	
Margaret Franco	Mildred Bombich
Jack O'Donnell	John & Debby Faherty
Anthony Lizzio, Sr.	John & Debby Faherty
Angelo Ratto	Lorraine Proscia
Angelo Ratto	Susan & Gary Coleman & Family
Angelo Ratto	Connie & John Bolger & Family
Alex Malawka	John Malawka
(Liv) June Gittins	Marie Van Beuren
Zelda Maxwell	Head Start Family
Ben Iacovelli	Pagnano Family
Barbara Madonna Lewis	Warren Lewis
Lilibeth Revilla	Mary Stewart

<i>Schedule of Masses June 3rd-9th, 2013</i>			
<i>Day</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Requested for</i>	<i>Requested by</i>
Mon 6/3	7 AM	Jesus Hamas	Lucila Samson
	9 AM	Novena	
Tues 6/4	7 AM	Alfred & Cora Bennett	Bequeath
	9 AM	Novena	
Wed 6/5	7 AM	Carmella Reich	Family
	9 AM	Novena	
	7 PM	Special Intention	Our Lady of Perpetual Help Group
Thurs 6/6	7 AM	Maria DiSalvo	Manzo Family
	9 AM	Novena	
Fri 6/7	7 AM	Filomena Chiara	Theresa Fusco
	9 AM	Novena	
Sat 6/8	9 AM	(Liv) Lawrence Shin	Shin Family
	5:30 PM	Novena Margaret McNamara	Claire Seborowski
	7 PM	All Living & Deceased Members of Jesus & Mary Prayer Group	
Sun 6/9	7:30 AM	Novena	
	9 AM	Jose Mallari	Lucila Samson
	10:30 AM	(Liv) Dianna & Jack Papparrella	Frances Spazian
	12 noon	Herminia & Jose Fernandez	Begonia & John Jensen

Celebration Of The Eucharist in Church
Saturday Evening: (anticipating Sunday) 5:30 PM (Eng)
 7:00 PM (Misa Dominical)
Sunday: 7:30 AM, 9:00 AM, 10:30 AM, 12:00 Noon

Celebration Of The Eucharist in Convent
 Monday thru Friday 7:00 AM & 9:00 AM Mass;
 Saturday 9:00 AM Mass; Wednesday 7:00 PM Mass-

Sacrament of Penance:
 2 by Appointment or Saturdays 1:00-1:30 PM in Church

Our Parish is Served by:

Very Rev. Nigel R. Mohammed, VF - Parish Priest
 Rev. John Ranieri - Pastoral Associate
 Sr. Alberta Manzo - Parish Catechetical Leader
 Ms. Begonia Jensen - Adult Education (RCIA)
 Mrs. Cristina Pardo - Adult Education (RICA Spanish)
 Mrs. Georgene DeBenedetto - Administrative Assistant

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 Mrs. Judith Waddleton

Sanctuary Gifts June 2nd-8th, 2013

Gift	In Memory of	Requested By
Altar Wine	Harold Lenahan	Holy Name Society
Altar Bread	Harold Lenahan	Holy Name Society
Sanctuary	Harold Lenahan	Holy Name Society
Altar	Harold Lenahan	Holy Name Society



Let Us Pray For The Sick

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

Angelina Giacaline, Faith McCauley, Marie Portelli, Michael Panas, Anthony Biggio, Miyuki Campbell, Salomon Rios, Isabel Gonzalez, Sammy DeLeon, Julieta Cernero, June Gittins, Roy Maglori, Shane Quinn, Alice Daly, Sadie Krieger, Madeline Gerrity, Emilie Jaworowski, Dolores DelMonte, Bill Waddleton Sr., Di-
 anne O'Sullivan, Carl Carlson, Carol Jordan

*Farewell
 Celebration*

You are cordially invited to a

**Mass of Thanksgiving
 Sunday, June 23rd
 12:00 noon**

**Main Celebrant:
 Most Rev. Thomas Donato**

*Reception in Centennial Hall
 immediately following Mass!*

**Please RSVP to rectory
 by June 15th –
 201-360-0838 !**

**Honorees:
 Sister Alberta Manzo
 Sister Dominic Piscotta**

*Sister Alberta will be
 Retiring as our Parish
 Catechetical Leader, after
 many dedicated years of
 service. She and Sister
 Dominic will be returning
 to their community -
 The Franciscan Sisters of
 Philadelphia*

School Registration

**ST. ALOYSIUS ELEMENTARY ACADEMY,
 721 WEST SIDE AVENUE, JERSEY CITY**

**Enrollment is underway for the
 2013-2014 school year!**

Classes are filling up quickly but seats are still available for our Preschool Program, as well as for grades K-8.

For registration materials or to find out all that St. Aloysius has to offer your child, visit our website www.stalselem.org or contact the Academy's office at 201-433-4270.

Growing in FAITH™

Discovering hope and joy in the Catholic faith.

June 2013

One Minute Meditations

St. Marianne Cope

The Year of Faith saint for June is St. Marianne Cope who began religious life as an educator in NY schools. In 1870, she made a significant ministry change and became a nurse-administrator at St. Joseph's hospital in Syracuse, NY, where she was known for accepting social "outcasts" as patients. In 1883, "Mother" Marianne embraced the chance to serve more "outcasts" in the isolated leper colonies of Hawaii. She took on the work of St. Damien de Veuster after his death.

Alone at last

Every moment of our lives are lived in God's presence whether we are aware of him or not. Take advantage of it and be alone with him as often as possible. Soon you will be able to see him everywhere you are.

Evangelize

While we are all to tell others about God, we aren't all gifted preachers. The best way to spread God's love is to live it.



Wanted: Bridge builders

In Jesus' day, the accustomed action for people who didn't conform to usual standards of behavior was to turn them into outcasts. Jesus showed us another way. He didn't expel sinners but forgave them. In fact, many of his healings helped restore people to their communities. By commanding us to love our enemies, Jesus demanded that we become bridge builders and refuse to recognize anyone as an enemy. As his followers, he wants us to build bridges, not walls.

Listen without talking. Building bridges requires understanding others' needs. Listening well is key but can be hard to do. Try starting a conversation and practice just listening. Maintain eye contact and don't plan your response

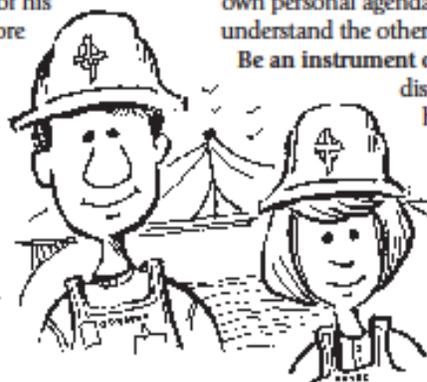
until the other person has finished speaking.

Empathize. Empathy is the ability to understand and share the feelings of another. It means setting aside your own personal agenda so you can fully understand the other person's needs.

Be an instrument of peace. A disagreement doesn't

have to become a conflict. We gain nothing by being nasty or obnoxious. Instead, stick to the facts and be firm but friendly.

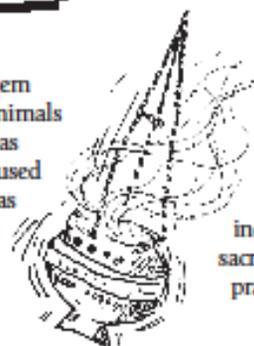
Avoid gossip and gossips. This is the most obvious tip but talking about others behind their backs leads to trouble for others and for you. If you are asked about someone else, always find something positive to say.



Why Do Catholics Do That?

Why do we use incense during Mass?

In the temple in Jerusalem in Old Testament days, animals were offered on the altar as sacrifices to God. Priests used incense around the altar as a visual cue to symbolize their prayers rising to Heaven.



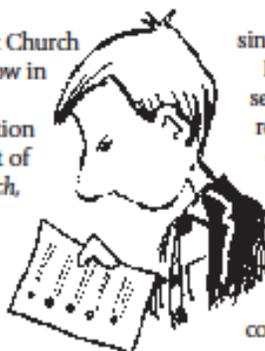
The Mass is the sacrifice of Jesus for our sins. The incense reminds us that our prayers are heard by God in heaven. As we watch the smoke of the incense rise, it symbolizes that sacrifice and the rising of our prayers to God.

Precepts of the Church: a Catholic job description

To help us give God our very best, the Catholic Church has outlined responsibilities that will help us grow in love of God and each other.

Keep every Sunday holy. "The Sunday celebration of the Lord's Day and his Eucharist is at the heart of the Church's life" (*Catechism of the Catholic Church*, 2177). It's vital that we worship God at Mass each Sunday and Holy Day of Obligation (unless unavoidably prevented).

Confess at least once a year. Few humans can go an entire year without committing a serious



sin. Turn to the Sacrament of Reconciliation.

Receive Communion at least during the Easter season. Prepared by the Sacrament of Reconciliation, receive the Eucharist as often as possible but especially during the Easter season.

Fast and abstain. To help us control appetites of all kinds, the Church established times of penance when fasting and abstinence help us focus on God.

Provide for the Church. To keep our Church healthy and strong, we each must care for her and contribute what we can.

from Scripture

Luke 9:51-62, the cost of discipleship

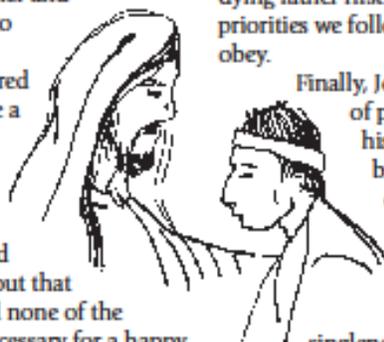
Jesus' listeners often got swept up by his charismatic manner and professed eagerness to follow him. But they weren't always prepared for what it took to be a true disciple.

In this Gospel passage, a young man asked to follow Jesus but was deflated when Jesus pointed out that he had no home and none of the things considered necessary for a happy life. So it wouldn't always be comfortable to follow him.

The timing wasn't right for the second man. He promised to follow Jesus but

said he needed to fulfill his duty to his dying father first. In truth, Jesus sets the priorities we follow. Our duty is to obey.

Finally, Jesus used the example of plowing a field to make his point. If you look back while plowing it can ruin the job. He used that example to help the third man understand that we need to have a singleness of purpose to be his disciple. We will have to make sacrifices to follow Jesus. But he promises us that the rewards will be worth much more.



Q & A Is it okay to skip Mass once in a while?

If we remember that Jesus is truly present during Mass – as present as he was to his apostles during the Last

Supper – we would never want to miss Mass. Unless absence is unavoidable, we have the command of God and the command of the Church to attend Mass each Sunday and Holy Day of Obligation.

The command of God: The Third Commandment says, "Remember the Sabbath day—keep it holy" (Exodus 20:8). Jesus instituted Mass at the Last Supper when he took the bread and wine and turned it into his body and blood and said, "Do this in memory of me" (Luke 22:19).

The command of the Church: "And so I say to you, you are Peter, and upon this rock I will build my church" (Matthew 16:18). Jesus made Peter the first pope and the head of the Church. The pope speaks for Christ, and the Church through the Catechism of the Catholic Church (#2180) requires that we attend Mass every Sunday.

When Jesus and the Church tell us to do something, we really should do it.

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Feasts & Celebrations

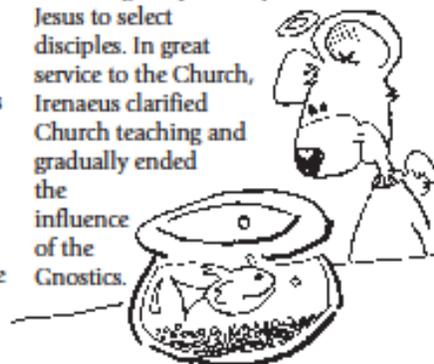
June 7 - Sacred Heart of Jesus. The image of Jesus with his heart exposed in unquenchable flame is a reminder of his intense and eternal love for us.

June 8 - Immaculate Heart of Mary (1945). In response to the request made by Our Lady of Fatima, Pope Pius XII consecrated the world to Mary's gentle and devout Immaculate Heart in 1942, and initiated this feast in 1945.

June 21 - St. Aloysius Gonzaga (1591). St. Aloysius prayed vigorously and fasted from age 7. Upon joining the Society of Jesus, he was ordered to reduce the severity of his penance in order to study and spend time with

other students. He died at the age of 23 while nursing the sick.

June 28 - St. Irenaeus (220). As bishop of Lyons, Irenaeus investigated and disproved assertions of the Gnostics who claimed secret knowledge imparted by Jesus to select disciples. In great service to the Church, Irenaeus clarified Church teaching and gradually ended the influence of the Gnostics.



Feast of Saint Anthony



The St. Padre Pio Prayer Group will honor our beloved St. Anthony by celebrating His Feast Day on **June 13th**.

There will be a 7 p.m. Prayer Service in St. Anne's Convent with distribution of 'Blessed Bread'. All are welcome to come and spend some spiritual and happy time together.

Ticket donation of \$3.00 can be acquired at the rectory; **NO Tickets will be sold at the door.**

For more information, contact Fran Spazian at 201-653-1318.

Festival 2013 - The Sweet Life Booth



We're celebrating a **SWEET LIFE** at this year's candy booth by **featuring candy from around the world**. Get ready to take your taste buds on a delicious worldwide tour.



As in previous years it is *your* help and generosity that will make our booth truly successful. Your monetary donations would be greatly appreciated to allow us to purchase the "sweets and extra treats"; please mark donation envelopes "*Festival Sweet Life Booth*". They can be dropped off at the rectory or given to a festival committee member.

For questions please contact Debby DeVenezia or John Faherty at 201-222-3475
ddevenezia@hotmail.com

Thank you in advance for your contribution.

First Friday Healing Mass with Fr. Bill

Everyone is invited to our monthly First Friday Healing Mass.

Fr. Bill Halbing, Liaison of the Catholic Charismatic Renewal of the Archdiocese of Newark is coming to St. Anne's on **June 7, 2013**, There will be Confession, Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Benediction, Holy Mass and Healing Service. Confession starts at 7:00 PM. For more information contact: Tina [\(201\) 653-4785](tel:201-653-4785). or Chira [1-\(718\)-974-7601](tel:1-718-974-7601).



All Masses on Father's Day have been set aside and are offered as a Novena of Thanksgiving for all living and deceased Fathers.

Spiritual Bouquets are available in the back of church. Each comes with a special Father's Day card.

Blue & white carnations will be added to St. Joseph's altar for each father.

Please place your offering in the Sunday collection basket or drop off at the rectory.

St. Anne's Festival 2013

There will be a Festival Meeting on June 11th at 7:00 PM in Centennial Hall for planning St. Anne's Festival 2013. All are welcome to attend!



Weekly Planner



SUNDAY 6/2

MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

10:30 AM Rosary Scty Comm Brnch-Cent Hall

MONDAY 6/3

3:00 PM Legion of Mary-Rectory

TUESDAY 6/4

12:15 Bingo-Cent Hall

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

WEDNESDAY 6/5

6:00 PM-8:00 PM Daisy/Brow/Jr Mtg-Cent Hall

7:30 PM Adult Choir Pract (Span)-Church

THURSDAY 6/6

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

FRIDAY 6/7

SACRED HEART

12:15 PM Bingo-Cent Hall

7:00 PM J&M Healing Mass-Church ONLY

SATURDAY 6/8

2:00 PM-4:00 PM Padre Pio Mass/Mtg-Ch/CentHa

6:00 PM-11:00 PM Fil-Am Hawaiian Party-CenHa

SUNDAY 6/9

10TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

10:30 AM-1:00 PM H.N.S. Mass/Mtg-Ch/Cent Hall

1:00 PM-3:00 PM Fil-Am Mtg-Cent Hall

MONDAY 6/10

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

3:00 PM Legion of Mary-Rectory

TUESDAY 6/11

12:15 Bingo-Cent Hall

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

7:00 PM Festival Meeting-Cent Hall

WEDNESDAY 6/12

7:30 PM Adult Choir Pract (Span)-Church

THURSDAY 6/13

ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA

7:00 PM Feast of St. Anthony Celebration-Convent/CentHall

7:00 PM OL Guadalupe Mtg

FRIDAY 6/14

FLAG DAY

12:15 PM Bingo-Cent Hall

8:00 PM J&M Prayer Mtg-Cent Hall

SATURDAY 6/15

7:00 PM OL Guadalupe Social-Cent Hall

Parish Membership: *Our Parish Family invites all of its members to participate fully in our spiritual and social life. Every family moving into the Parish is requested to register at the Rectory. Please notify the Rectory of any address change.* **Please fill out form below to become a parishioner of Saint Anne's Parish:**

Name: _____ Email Address: _____

Full Mailing Address _____

Phone: _____

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