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August 3, 2014

eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Weekly Planner

SUNDAY 8/3 ● 18th Sunday In Ordinary Time

MONDAY 8/4

TUESDAY 8/5

NO BINGO

WEDNESDAY 8/6

THURSDAY 8/7

FRIDAY 8/8

NO BINGO

SATURDAY 8/9

SUNDAY 8/10 ● 19th Sunday In Ordinary Time

Celebration Of The Eucharist in Church

Saturday Evening	English 5:30 PM
(anticipating Sunday)	Misa Español 7 PM
Sunday	8 AM, 10 AM, 12 Noon

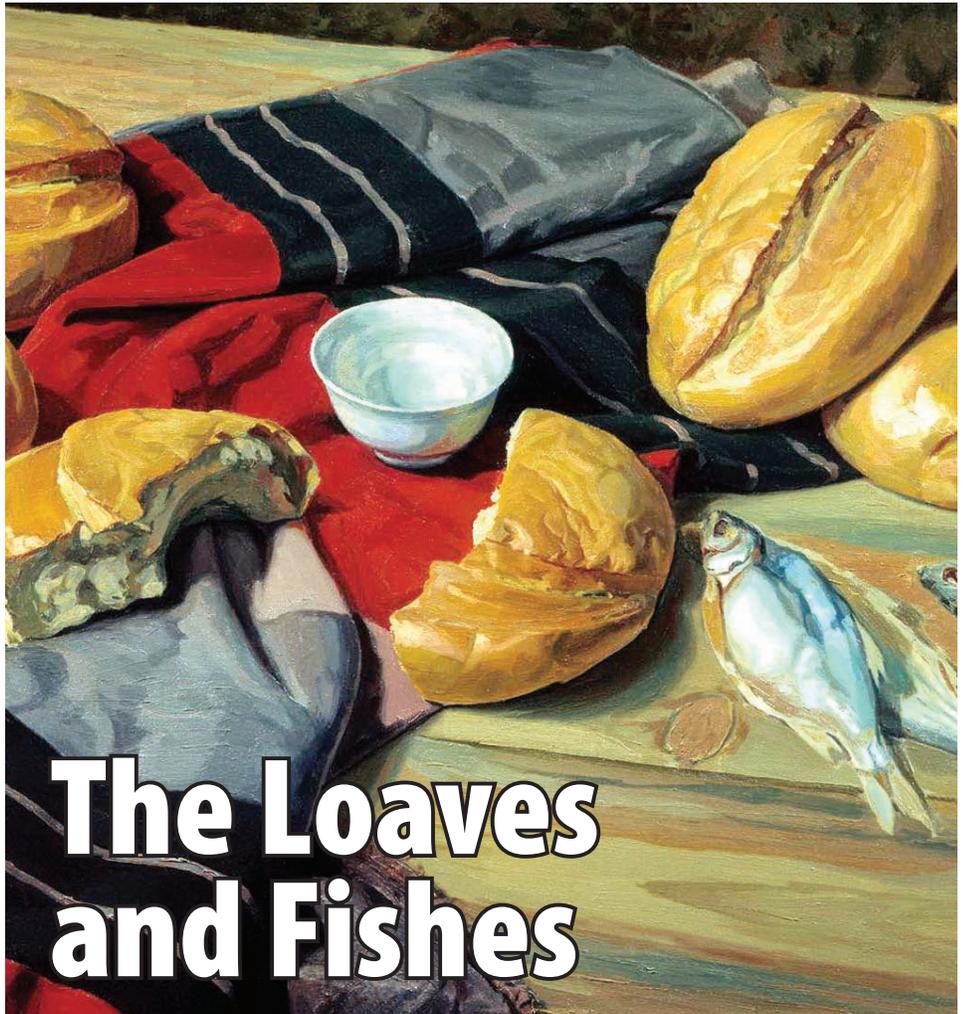
Celebration Of The Eucharist in the Convent

Monday ► Friday: Communion Service	7 AM
Monday ► Saturday: Mass	9 AM
Wednesday: Mass	7 PM

Holy Hour in convent will be suspended for the months of JULY & AUGUST.

Sacrament of Penance

Saturdays in Church 5 PM
or by Appointment



The Loaves and Fishes

Where does the multiplication of the loaves come from? The answer lies in Jesus' request to the disciples: "You give them..." "to give", to share. What do the disciples share? The little they have: five loaves and two fish. However it is those very loaves and fish in the Lord's hands that feed the entire crowd. And it is the disciples themselves, bewildered as they face the insufficiency of their means, the poverty of what they are able to make available, who get the people to sit down and who — trusting in Jesus' words — distribute the loaves and fish that satisfy the crowd. And this tells us that in the Church, but also in society, a key word of which we must not be frightened is "solidarity", that is, the ability to make what we have, our humble capacities, available to God, for only in sharing, in giving, will our life be fruitful. Solidarity is a word seen badly by the spirit of the world!

Homily Of Holy Father Francis

Basilica of St John Lateran, Thursday, 30 May 2013

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Today's Readings

First Reading: Isaiah 55:1-3
Second Reading: Romans 8:35, 37-39
Gospel: Matthew 14:13-21

Prayer Intentions of the Holy Father for the month of August

General intention: That refugees, forced by violence to abandon their homes, may find a generous welcome and the protection of their rights.

Missionary intention: That Christians in Oceania may joyfully announce the faith to all the people of that region.

Weekday readings

Monday *St John Vianney*
 Jer 28:1-17 / Mat 14:22-36

Tuesday *Dedication of the Basilica of St Mary Major*
 Jer 30:1-2, 12-15, 18-22 /
 Mat 14:22-36

Wednesday *Transfiguration of the Lord*
 Dan 7:9-10, 13-14 / 2 Pet 1:16-19 /
 Mat 17:1-9

Thursday *St Sixtus II and Companions St Cajetan*
 Jer 31:31-34 / Mat 16:13-23

Friday *St Dominic*
 Nah 2:1, 3; 3:1-3, 6-7 / Mat 16:24-28

Saturday *St Teresa Benedicta of the Cross*
 Hab 1:12-2:4 / Mat 17:14-20

Novena of Masses – August 2014

Requested for	Requested by
† Pastor Gonzales, Sr.	Gonzales Family
Diana Paparella	Frances & Family
Lawrence Shin	Shin Family
† Teodoro Ducusin	Parish Intention
1 st Anniversary in Heaven	
† Roy F. Maglori	Parish Intention
1 st Anniversary in Heaven	
† Eduardo Malto	Gus Villanueva & Family
† Thomas J. Engelhardt	
† Roy Maglori	Clare Maglori & Family
† Elizabeth Marano	Lisette Ruiz & Family
† Elizabeth Marano	Amanda M. Kearns

Pope Francis:

“No to every type of drug. It's as simple as that!”

When speaking to the International Drug Enforcement Conference on June 20 of this year, Pope Francis issued a comprehensive rejection of all recreational drug use, emphasizing that all addiction, especially addictions to drugs, are often symptoms of a life with no hope. The Pope said, “Let me state this in the clearest terms possible: the problem of drug use is not solved with drugs! Drug addiction is an evil, and with evil there can be no yielding or compromise.” Pope Francis told the International Drug Enforcement Conference that attempts to legalize recreational drugs, like marijuana were not only questionable from a legislative standpoint, but also failed to achieve the desired results. He emphasized that legalizing and substituting one recreational drug for a harder drug was merely surrendering to the problem, not solving it. Having said this, the Pope as-

serted that addressing the drug abuse problem requires that we say “yes” to life and to loving others. This means finding solutions for other problems like unemployment and poverty that lead people, especially young adults, to drug use as a means of dealing with a sense of hopelessness. Francis claims that the Catholic Church, “in fidelity to Jesus’ command to go out to all those places where people suffer, thirst, hunger and are imprisoned, does not abandon those who have fallen into the trap of drug addiction, but goes out to meet them with creative love. It takes them by the hand...helps them to rediscover their dignity and to revive those inner strengths, those personal talents, which drug use had buried but can never obliterate, since every man and woman is created in the image and likeness of God.”

Essentially, Francis says the Church, in fidelity to the Gospel, must embrace and



attempt to help own drug addicts recognize their inner strength and inherent human dignity. He calls for more emphasis to be placed on the prevention of addiction instead of on rehabilitation alone.

Finally, Pope Francis asks the international community to continue fighting against drug trafficking. Acknowledging the fact that the illegal drug trade is one of the most profitable businesses on earth and the fact that it continues to spread throughout the world, he says “the dangers for young adults and adolescents continues to grow. In the face of this phenomenon, I feel the need to express my pain and my concern.”

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: _____

Celebration of 25 Years of Priesthood

Father Joemarie Parcon
 will be celebrating
 “25 years in the Priesthood”
 with a 4:00 PM Mass on
Sunday, August 31, 2014.

This “milestone” occasion will be celebrated at Saint John Church, 94 Ridge Street in Orange, New Jersey.

Father Parcon is cordially inviting all present and past parishioners of Saint Anne's Church.

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ANNULMENT INFORMATION

An Annulment Information Evening is scheduled for Wednesday, September 10, 2014, Archdiocesan Center, 171 Clifton Avenue, Newark. A staff member of the Tribunal of the Archdiocese of Newark will provide basic information about annulments; the requirements for annulments and how to begin the process of petitioning for an annulment. There will be an opportunity for questions at the end of the session. *Pre-registration is not necessary, but for directions, please call the Tribunal Office at 973-497-4145*

RACHEL'S VINEYARD RETREAT

Are you suffering from an abortion experience? Do you have feelings of guilt and anxiety? Do you suffer from depression? There is Hope! Rachel's Vineyard Retreats offer hope and healing for post-abortion syndrome. This retreat is sponsored by The Newark Archdiocese Respect Life Office. Taking place on September 26-28, 2014 at the Archdiocesan Youth Retreat Center, 499 Belgrove Drive in Kearny, the retreat costs \$150 which includes all retreat materials and meals. *For more information contact the Respect Life Office: Cheryl Riley at 973-497-4350 or rileyche@rcan.org. All calls and e-mails are confidential.*

ST NICHOLAS SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE

On Thursday, August 7 from 7 PM until 9 PM, St Nicholas School (118 Ferry St, JC) will hold an open house and register students from Pre-K3 to Grade 8. With full-day 3- and 4-yo programs, after care, academic excellence, technology and art classes from Pre-K3 to Grade 8, smart-boards in all classrooms, experienced, certified teachers, Spanish, Music, Art, Technology and Gym classes, values-based education in a Catholic environment. Middle States accredited. *For more information: www.snsjc.org or principal@snsjc.org*

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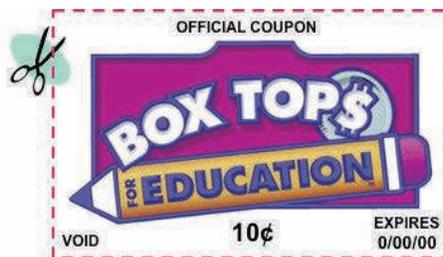
How to Make Intentional Discipleship the Norm in Your Parish? Join others from parishes throughout the Archdiocese of Newark as we read, study and discuss the important book *Forming Intentional Disciples: The Path to Knowing and Following Jesus* by Sherry A Weddell over the course of six Thursdays: October 2, 9, 23 & 30 and November 6 & 20. The sessions run from 7 PM to 9 PM at the Archdiocesan Center, 171 Clifton Avenue in Newark. Cost: \$10 *Please purchase the book from online retailers like <http://amzn.com/1612785905>*

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The Archdiocese Has Long Recognized the Pain of Child Sexual Abuse

Since his arrival in 2001 and his participation in the drafting of the Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People, Archbishop Myers has on many occasions either individually or with bishops in the United States, with the Holy Father, and with clergy throughout the world, acknowledged publicly the pain that sexual offenders inside the Church have inflicted on the innocent. At Chrism Masses before the entire presbyterate and parish representatives of the Archdiocese, in media interviews, in statements issued by the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops, and in essays and columns, Archbishop Myers has stated that “a Church which spends the largest portion of its resources and the largest portion of its personnel in serving children, can never, and will never, condone anything which

harms those children...We also extend our apology and our assurance of support and help to those who have been harmed and who are seeking healing and support.”

Beyond words, however, are actions. Assistance to victims, training and background checks of staff and volunteers, reporting accusations to civil authorities, removing clergy with substantiated accusations – these are clear indications that the Archbishop and the Archdiocese abhor child abuse.

What's more, 20 years ago, the Archdiocese was one of the first dioceses in the country to establish a formal Review Board of experts with legal, law enforcement, clinical and investigative background to examine allegations of abuse and recommend to the Archbishop action under Church law.



Mass intentions

Monday, August 4, 2014

9 AM Novena

Tuesday, August 5, 2014

9 AM Novena

Wednesday, August 6, 2014

9 AM Novena

7 PM Special Intention

(Our Lady of Perpetual Help Group)

Thursday, August 7, 2014

9 AM Novena

Friday, August 8, 2014

9 AM Novena

Saturday, August 9, 2014

9 AM Novena

5:30 PM † Pastor Gonzales Sr.

(Gonzales Family)

7:00 PM Misa al divino Niño Jesus en acción de gracias

(Betty Benabedes)

Sunday, August 10, 2014

8 AM † Estella & Louise

Spath Kakowski *(James)*

10 AM † Frances Muzikar

(Frances & Angela)

12 PM † Pastor Gonzales Sr.

(Gonzales Family)

Sanctuary Gifts

For the week of August 3rd — 9th 2014 the gifts are offered in honor of:

Altar Wine **Nancy Sangiorgi**
(Carmela D'Alessandro)

Altar Bread **Nancy Sangiorgi**
(Carmela D'Alessandro)

Sanctuary Lamp **Billy Edwards**
(Stella Family)

Altar Candles **Claire Weir**
(Parish intention)

Praying for the Sick

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

John McVey ● Antoinette Maddi ● Carol Jordan ● Anthony Biggio ● Sammy DeLeon ● Shane Quinn ● Alice Daly ● Sadie Krieger ● Emilie Jaworowski ● Dolores DelMonte ● Dianne O'Sullivan ● Carl Carlson ● Larry Bello ● Miyuki Campbell ● Dennis Reilly ● Diane Albert ● Joseph Callandrillo ● Julia Annicchiarico ● Marie Carlson ● Meghan Connaughton ● Tina DelGiodice

Religious Education News

- **The Religious Education Office** is located in St. Anne's Rectory - 3545 Kennedy Blvd.
- **Summer Office Hours:** Monday thru Wednesday - 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM
- **Registration** for St. Anne's Religious Education Program is processed every year; if your child attended our Program this past year, you **must re-register now** for 2014-15. Please come to the rectory during Office Hours: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday between the hours of 9:00 am to 5:00 PM. Registration takes place **before September** to allow time to order books! Thank you.
- **New registrants** – If your child needs the Sacraments of Baptism, First Holy Communion and/or Confirmation, please bring a copy of your child's baptismal certificate at time of registration.

According to a national survey, a whopping 97% of teachers frequently dip into their own pockets to purchase necessary classroom supplies. With that said, the Chancery will be collecting school supplies from July 1 to July 31 for our Catholic grammar schools. By holding a School Supply Drive we ensure that students start school with the supplies needed to participate fully in the learning process. Please help if you can. Following is a partial list of the supplies requested: Number 2 pencils ● Scissors ● Folders ● Erasers ● Protractors ● Crayons ● Filler paper ● Markers ● Backpacks ● Calculators ● Glue sticks ● Binders ● Rulers ● Composition notebooks ● Construction paper ● Index cards ● Tab dividers ● Spiral notebooks ● Pencil pouches ● Highlighters ● Dictionaries ● Tape ● Book covers ● Pens

The supplies can be dropped off at the Development Office, care of Tatiana Paredes, whose contact information is as follows: 973-497-4046 or paredeta@rcan.org.

CONGRATULATIONS!

St. Anne's Festival 50/50 Raffle collected **\$9,389.00.**

The winning ticket number is 07865;

the winner is

Virginia Bobe

who will receive **\$4,694.50** (before taxes).

RESPECT LIFE DIRECTORS ENRICHMENT HALF DAY

Current Respect Life Directors and those who are interested in becoming one are invited to a free Enrichment Day on September 13, 2014 at 171 Clifton Ave in Newark 9AM—12PM. **For more information: 973-497-4350 or rileyche@rcan.org**

YOUNG ADULTS SEEKERS' RETREAT

All Young Adults in their 20s and 30s are invited to embark on a spiritual journey. You will hear stories from others in their 20s and 30s about their own faith experiences and how their lives have been impacted. Pray together, small group sharing, time for silence reflection or spiritual direction, visit with old friends, meet new ones and celebrate in this opportunity to look at where faith has brought you so far and where you can go next. All sessions will take place at the Loyola Jesuit Center, 161 James St, Morristown, NJ from 2 PM to 7 PM:



The Jesuit Retreat Center in Morristown

- **Knowing Ourselves** — Sunday, September 21
 - **Prayer and discernment** — Sunday, November 16
 - **Suffering, Healing and Hope** — Sunday, January 25, 2015
 - **Our Deepest Desires** — Sunday April 12, 2015
- Gatherings will be offered in English and Spanish. They include Mass and dinner. A free will (suggested offering \$10) donation will be collected.

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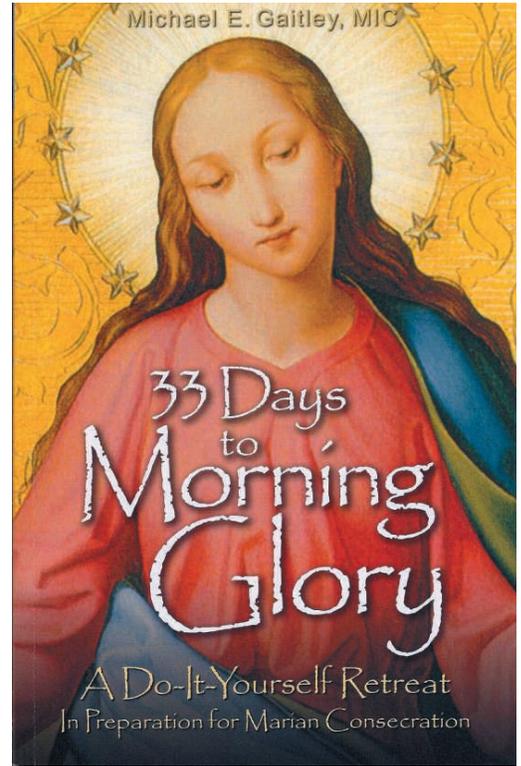
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Young Adults

33 Days to Morning Glory

The Office of Youth and Young Adult Ministry of the Archdiocese of Newark invites all Young Adults to participate in a Retreat of consecration to Jesus through Mary. There are 2 ways to participate: at the parish level through your local Young Adults Ministry, where available, or at the Archdiocesan Youth Retreat Center in Kearny with other Young Adults Ministries. The weekly sessions will begin on August 11 (or as planned locally). All participants are asked to attend the Consecration Mass with Archbishop Hebda on September 13 at the Archdiocesan Youth Center at 7 PM.

The retreat of Marian Consecration is structured around around the book *33 Days to Morning Glory* by Fr Michael E Gaitley, MIC, author of the bestselling book *Consoling the Heart of Jesus*. It is a 33-day journey with four giants of Marian spirituality: St Louis de Montfort, St Maximilian Kolbe, Blessed Teresa of Calcutta, and Saint John Paul II. **For more information or to register, contact Fr Bismarck Chau at 551-655-6027 or chaubism@rcan.org. The first 150 people to register will receive a free retreat book!**



Children's Corner

Loaves and Fishes

Over 25 words are hidden in this grid (see list to the left). Can you find them all?

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