

PARISH STAFF

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SOCIAL MINISTRIES

(Under the patronage of St. Vincent de Paul)

Archivists/Historians
 Christine Battagliotti, Marsha Byron, Marc Kollar
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 Len Riccardi 422-2232
 Elijah's Promise Soup Kitchen
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 Food Pantry
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 Janine Rosamilia 422-2351
 Hospital Ministry
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 Ministry to the Sick
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 Mother's Circle
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 Outreach Ministry
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 Parish Breakfast
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 Separated/Divorced Ministry
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 Mary Gifford 297-3541
 Children of Light Charismatic Prayer Group
 Julie & Joe Ferraro 297-2765
 Family Life Ministry
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Lectors
 Denise Avrutik 422-6692
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 Joseph Scanlon 398-2704
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 Folk Group
 John Seber 821-0257
 Ushers
 Lou Kozma 297-3742
 Altar Servers
 Ashley Machalany-Senior MC & Trainer 821-6067
 Scott Matuszewski - Scheduling 821-9244
 Matthew James 940-1431
 Stephanie Perkons 422-2374
 Jessica Klimczak 355-9344
 Aaron Laserna 329-3320
 Sacristans
 Lupe Limjuco, Barbara Corio, Liz DeLuca,
 Lia Gutierrez, Betty Lenart

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

Deacon Denis Mayer & the RCIA Team 297-3000

PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

Athletic Association
 Kathleen Lakarosky, Director 297-6042
 Columbiettes Council #6345
 Melicent Haagen, President 940-3225
 Home School Association
 Kathleen Borowick, President 438-6566
 Knights of Columbus
 Mark Kubian Grand Knight 422-2030
 Youth Ministry
 Dr. R. DeBari 297-3000

COMMUNITY GATHERINGS**Alcoholics Anonymous (AA) meetings on Monday**

Evenings at 8:30 p.m. in Fr. McGivney Hall
 Boy Scout Religious Emblems: Cookie Molina 940-9209

MINISTRY TO OUR "LITTLE ONES!"

God's Little Angels meets on the 1st, 2nd, and 4th Sundays of the month (Sept. - April) during the 9 am Mass in the school. Open to children 3-5. Registration takes place after Labor Day. **Children's Mass** is celebrated on the 3rd Sunday of the month at the 9 am Mass (Oct. - May)

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION—All children in grades first through eighth must be registered in our Religious Education Program or be attending our School. Call: **732-297-3011**.

OFFICE HOURS – Monday-Friday 9am - 12 Noon;
 1 pm – 4 pm
EVENING HOURS – Monday – Thursday 7 – 9 pm
PARISH: 732-297-3000 **SCHOOL:** 732-297-6042



Mass Intentions

June 5th, 2011

SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

SATURDAY

5:00 p.m. Deceased Family & Friends: req. Anne Villanova

SUNDAY SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

7:30 a.m. Leo Arcure: req. The Hess Boys
9:00 a.m. All Living & Deceased Parishioners
10:30 a.m. Anthony D'Anisi: req. Fischer & D'Anisi Families
12:00 Noon Deceased Members of St. A's Columbiettes: req. St. A's Columbiettes Council #6345
5:00 p.m. Carlo J. Canestri: req. Carlo, Nicki & the Kids

MONDAY St. Norbert

9:00 a.m. Joseph A. Gaffney: req. Margaret Kelly

TUESDAY

9:00 a.m. Deceased Members of Lejnar & Galecka Families: req. Katherine Lejnar

WEDNESDAY

9:00 a.m. Paul & Ilona Meszaros: req. The Family

THURSDAY St. Ephrem

9:00 a.m. Marion & Peter Cannata: req. Sophie Benzinger

FRIDAY

9:00 a.m. Anna Schurig: req. Son Robert

SATURDAY St. Barnabas (Relic may be venerated after the 9 am Mass)

9:00 a.m. Frank J. Ragany, Sr.: req. Elsie Ragany & Family
5:00 p.m. Marta Maria DeBari: req. Roseanne & Nicolo DeBari

SUNDAY PENTECOST SUNDAY

7:30 a.m. Therese B. Trenou & Agnes A. Kpodzo: req. Dr. Elias Kpodza
9:00 a.m. The Montuori Family: req. Josephine D'Amato
10:30 a.m. All Living & Deceased Parishioners
12:00 Noon Mario & Josephine DeLuca: req. Liz & Sal DeLuca
5:00 p.m. John Rath: req. Mr. & Mrs. Darin Rath

SPIRITUAL REMEMBRANCE



TABERNACLE CANDLES
DONATED BY
THE PREVITE FAMILY
IN MEMORY OF THOMAS BERKERY

ALTAR FLOWERS
DONATED BY DORIS WOSCYNIA &
GENE GRACE
IN CELEBRATION OF THEIR MARRIAGE



FATIMA STATUE

This week the statue of Our Lady of Fatima is being honored in the home of Michael & Loraine Ungano.

INTENTIONS OF OUR HOLY FATHER

We are invited to unite with our Holy Father, Pope Benedict XVI, for these intentions during the month of June.

General Intention: That priests, united to the Heart of Christ, may always be true witnesses to the caring and merciful love of God.

Mission Intention: That the Holy Spirit may bring forth from our communities many missionaries, ready to be fully consecrated to spreading the Kingdom of God.

DAILY SCRIPTURES TO PRAY OVER

Monday Acts 19:1-8; John 16:29-33
Tuesday Acts 20:17-27; John 17:1-11a
Wednesday Acts 20:28-38; John 17:11b-19
Thursday Acts 22:30; 23:6-11; John 17:20-26
Friday Acts 25:13b-21; John 21:15-19
Saturday Acts 11:21b-26; 13:1-3; John 21:20-25
Sunday Acts 2:1-11; 1 Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12-13; John 20:19-23

MEDITATION FOR JUNE 5th

Prayer brings us into deeper union with God, and fosters greater unity within the Church.

In daily prayer we open ourselves to God. When we allow God to transform, strengthen and guide us, our relationship with Him deepens. We grow to love more wholeheartedly. Just as the early Church acted in one accord through its prayer, communal prayer continues to foster greater unity in the Church today.

After the Ascension of Jesus into heaven, the Apostles return to Jerusalem and devote themselves to prayer as they await the coming of the Holy Spirit. The second reading teaches that those who suffer because of their faith give glory to God. In the Gospel, Jesus prays to His Father on behalf of all those who believe in Him.

Stewardship - A Way of Life

"But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes upon you" - Act 1:8

Through the Holy Spirit, God gives each of us the power to live as His stewards. The Holy Spirit gives us the grace to recognize the gifts that God has entrusted to our care. If we simply ask; the Spirit also will show us how God wants us to share our gifts.

OUR SACRIFICIAL OFFERINGS:

May 29th \$ 21,767.35
Odessey of the Mind \$ 4,943.00

COUNTING TEAM - TEAM # 13
Matthew Matuszewski/Men's League

THIS WEEKS CALENDAR

- June 5** RCIA: 8:30 am (Conference Room)
Parish Choir: 9:30 am (Conference Room)
Youth Grp. Mtg.: 6 pm (Cafeteria)
Cornerstone Planning: 7 pm (McGivney Hall)
- June 6** Cub Scouts Den 1 & 3 Mtgs.: 6 pm (Cafeteria)
Eucharistic Devotion: 7 pm (Church)
A.A. Meeting: 8 pm (McGivney Hall)
- June 7** K/C Council Mtgs.: 7:30 pm (McGivney Hall)
- June 8** Babysitting Club: 2 pm (Cafeteria)
Archivists & Historians: 7 pm (Augustine Rm.)
8th Grade Graduation: 7 pm (Church)
- June 9** Columbiettes Mtg.: 7 pm (McGivney Hall)
H.S.A. Bd. Mtg.: 7 pm (Library)
Adult Confirmation Class: 7:30 pm (Conf. Rm.)
Children of the Light Charismatic Prayer Mtg.: 8 pm (Chapel)
- June 10** Kindergarten Graduation: 6:30 pm (Gym)
- June 11** CPR Class: 9:30 am (Library)
Confessions: 11:30 am (Chapel)
- June 12** RCIA: 8:30 am (Conference Room)
Parish Choir: 9:30 am (Conference Room)
Columbiettes Followers of Christ Awards: 10:30 am (Church)
Youth Grp. Mtg.: 6 pm (Cafeteria)
Cornerstone Planning: 7 pm (McGivney Hall)

Disciples of the Most Holy Eucharist

Monthly Holy Hours of the Disciples of the Most Holy Eucharist will be held June 14 at 7:30 p.m. in the Church. We are an association dedicated to Jesus in the Most Blessed Sacrament. Come join us in contemplative prayer for families, vocations, the Church and the world. For information or a mission statement, call Deacon Denis or Peter Frein at 732-438-0322.

Children of the Light Charismatic Prayer Group

The June prayer group meeting will be held Thursdays, June 9 and June 23 at 8 p.m. in the Chapel. Our monthly social will follow the June 23 prayer meeting in the Augustine Room. All are welcome. Call Joe and Julie Ferrara 732-297-2765.



Rest in the Lord

JAMES FADGEN
Uncle of Lena Siegler
4 Wyckoff Place
Franklin Park, NJ 08902

JOSEPH LUPREK
Brother of Dan Luprek
6 Holder Road
Kendall Park, NJ 08824

ANTONIO STEFANI
Father of Clara Ballek
Grandfather of Kristina & Melissa
887 Linwood Place
No Brunswick, NJ 8902

HEALING THROUGH GRIEF

Allow yourself some bad times. Feeling the loss is much healthier than burying it in work or daily activities. Crying helps to release the pain and stress you are keeping inside.

SOMETHING TO PONDER

The argument for legalizing physician-assisted suicide rests on a false premise: Everyone knows that suffering from advanced disease is inevitable; therefore everyone should have the right to kill themselves, so as to avoid unbearable suffering. This is simply not true. What "everyone knows" is false. Our ability to relieve suffering and improve quality of life has never been more powerful. (Dr. Charles F. Von Gunten, San Diego Union Tribune, 5/3/09)

We pray for all those in public office that they may seek God's enlightenment on how they can help build the Culture of Life.

FLOWERS BENEATH THE RELIC OF BLESSED JOHN PAUL II



SUNDAY, June 5th

**For Special Intention
Donated by Angeleen & Charles Cannon**

Each Sunday during *The Year of Blessed John Paul II* flowers will be placed beneath the reliquary in our gathering area containing the papal Zucchetto he wore during Mass. The flowers will be yellow and white lilies representing the colors of the papal flag. These flowers may be donated:

For a special intention
In memory of

If you wish to donate these flowers (\$25.00), please contact the Parish Center and ask for Mary Ann or Liz.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION REGISTRATION

Families of St. Augustine Parish, who have a child entering grade one in public school, should register your child for Religious Education classes as soon as possible. Any child who needs to be registered for another grade can also do so now. Families with children in the Religious Education program must also be registered in the Parish.

Registration packets can be obtained in the Religious Education Office in the Parish Center.

FATHER'S DAY NOVENA

If you would like to have your father, living or deceased, remembered in a special Novena of Masses beginning on Father's Day, **JUNE 19th**, please bring the "special envelope" dated **JUNE 12th** in your tithing box and place it in the **regular collection**. There will be only one collection taken.

If you wish to add additional names, please feel free to write them on the back of the envelope. It is important to return this special envelope **JUNE 5th**, so all your intentions can be remembered in the Novena of Masses. There are special Father's Day Spiritual Bouquet cards available in the Gathering Area of the Church. All your intentions will be remembered in our special Novena.



Our Congratulations and Prayers go out to two of our Alumni Graduates from the Class of 2003. Christina Canvin went on to graduate from South Brunswick High School in 2007. Andrew Sheehy graduated from St. Joseph's High School the same year. Both entered the Coast Guard Academy in New London, Ct. graduating May 18, 2011. Christina, with a degree in Marine & Environmental Science will be stationed on the USCGC Valiant in Miami Beach, Florida and Andrew on the USCGC Dallas in Charleston, South Carolina with a degree in Mathematics.

We wish both our young parishioners many blessings as they start the next phase in their life.

God Bless both of them.



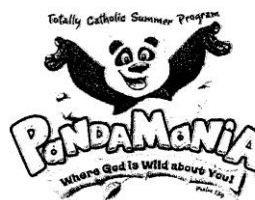
MASS INTENTIONS FOR 2012



On **TUESDAY, JUNE 21ST** we will begin taking intentions for the **2012 MASS BOOK.**

Additional information will follow in the next bulletin.

At this time, no Mass intentions will be taken for the Sunday, 7:30 am & 9:00 am Masses.



Ready for a Wild Adventure?

New friends . Amazing crafts,
Wild games . Lip-smacking
snacks . Wild Bible adventures .
Incredible music.

For ages 4 – 9

Location: St. Augustine of Canterbury School
Panda Mania: July 11th – 15th, 2011
Panda Mania Fun Begins at: 8:30 AM
Panda Mania Fun Ends at: 11:30 AM
Cost: First Child \$40. Additional family members \$20. each
Registration forms can be picked up at the Parish Office

FUNDRAISER

The Knights of Columbus (Council # 6345) is holding a Citizen for Development Disabilities fundraiser at Stop 'N Shop on Route 27 in South Brunswick. The fundraiser will be Sunday, June 12th, from 10 am to 2 pm.

Please come out and support the Knights in this worthy cause.

DAY OF PRAYER & DISCERNMENT

The Office of Vocations is sponsoring a Day of Discernment on Saturday, June 25, 2011 at the Catholic Center at Rutgers from 9 am to 6 pm. Lunch and dinner is provided.

While the day is geared for men and women ages 18-40, if you know of a high-school age person, please let us know.

Registration is required! Please contact Father Keith at 732-562-2457 or e-mail vocations@diometuchen.org.

DIOCESE OF METUCHEN

MASS FOR GOLD STAR FAMILIES

Date: Sunday, June 26, 2011
Time: Noon
Place: Our Lady of Lourdes Parish
233 North Main Street, Milltown
(Handicapped accessible)
Bishop Paul G. Bootkoski will be the principal celebrant and homilist

A Gold Star Family is one who has had a member in a U.S. military service who has been killed in action.

Light reception to follow at the American Legion
Joyce Kilmer Post #25, 4 JFKennedy Drive, Milltown

SEATING IS LIMITED

Call 732-562 1990 ext. 1305 by June 15 if you plan to attend

More Info: www.diometuchen.org

“CELEBRATE LIFE” – JUNE 24TH, 2011

SENIORS!!! You are invited to the Sixth Annual “Celebrate Life” day. This event is planned just for YOU! The day includes Mass, good food, entertainment and fellowship! Often we worry far too much about the future, failing to recognize God’s Presence in the moment... in the here and now. God’s gift to us is the present. Join us as we celebrate and savor life as God intended.

St. John Neumann Pastoral Center
146 Metlars Lane, Piscataway

Time: 11 am – 2 pm

The day begins with Mass in the Chapel with Bishop Edward T. Hughes, Celebrant and Homilist, followed by a delicious lunch, and musical entertainment provided by the “Framework Quartet” featuring Joseph Frame.

Registration fee \$25. includes hot luncheon, entertainment and door prizes. Make check payable to: Diocese of Metuchen. Call Family Life Office, 732-562-1990, ext. 1624 with any questions.

Divorced Catholics...are you hurt, angry or confused about Church annulments? The annulment process, frequently misunderstood, is often obscured by myths and untruths. The Offices of the Tribunal and Family Life/Diocese of Metuchen are sponsoring an Annulment Information Session. Why not attend this informative session and learn the real facts!

ANNULMENT INFORMATION SESSIONS

Wednesday, June 15, 2011
7:30 PM – 8:30 PM

St. John Neumann Conference Center
146 Metlars Lane, Piscataway

Pre-registration requested:
Call (732) 562-1990 Ext. 1624 or Ext. 1705 or e-mail:
tgahagan@diometuchen.org.



MASS OF THE ANOINTING OF THE SICK
WITH BISHOP PAUL G. BOOTKOSKI
BISHOP OF METUCHEN

Date: Saturday, June 25, 2011
Time: 10:00 AM
Place: St. Francis of Assisi Cathedral
32 Elm Avenue, Metuchen
(Handicapped accessible)
RSVP: June 11, 2011
732-548-0100, Ext. 210 (Phone)
732-549-1033 (Fax)

More Info: www.diometuchen.org

The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick will be administered during this special healing Mass to those baptized Catholics wishing to be anointed. In particular, we invite those who may be bearing the burden of physical, mental or emotional illness, those who may be facing surgery, and those experiencing the challenges of advancing age.

PRE-REGISTRATION IS REQUESTED By June 11.

Light reception to follow



OUTREACH MINISTRY

“In matters of style, swim with the currents. In matters of principle, stand like a rock.” (Thomas Jefferson) Our decisions are based

on that solid rock of Christian principles.
(Envelopes are in the gathering area of the Church.)

THANK YOU

Dear Father Bob, St. Augustine’s Knights of Columbus #6345 and the St. Augustine Parishioners:

On behalf of the St. Augustine’s Columbiettes, Council #6345, I wish to express our deepest appreciation and gratitude for your support over the past 10 years. Since April 2001, you have stood by us fostering our mission of Caring, Commitment and Charity in the name of Christ. Your support has enabled us to provide for many needs. By supporting our Annual Spaghetti Dinner, bake sales, yard sales, and our many other efforts, we have been able to help so many. Some of these include:

- Supporting Technology for St. Augustine’s School
- Back packs for Kids
- Support for seminarians and postulants
- Support for the Outreach Ministry
- Action Pregnancy
- Support for Children of our Soldiers serving overseas
- Support for Disabled Veterans

We have been able to foster our Catholic Faith in our children through such efforts as the Confirmation Award and Good Student Award and to all those we touch with our many other encounters.

As we pause to celebrate our tenth anniversary today, we want you to know how very important you are to us as we cannot do this without you. We look forward to many more years to come. Thank you.

God Bless,
Melicent Haagen, President, St. Augustine’s Columbiettes

DRIVERS NEEDED

Do you have a few hours a month to help deliver food to local people in need? We believe that no one should go without food. So, once again, we are calling upon you to reach out and help your neighbors. Along with the food, you will be delivering an ample supply of caring, fellowship and the love of Christ. Please call Helen Weachock at 732-297-9300.

THANK YOU

Dear Janine and Family Ministry:

The Easter Season is fast approaching its end and I would be remiss if I didn't write to again and again thank you for all you hard work with the Lenten donations.

Your caring and that of St. Augustine's Parish is amazing! The love you all show through your donations brings tears of joy and kudos to everyone.

The children of the Special Child Health Services were overwhelmed with their crayons, color books and reading books and the diapers were a wonderful compliment to the needy families.

The Child Health Programs were thrilled sharing the books. The many children we have often do not have stimulating resources and our program emphasizes the well-being of the entire child which includes health and growth and development.

The SANE (Sexual Assault Nurse Examiner) Program was able to refill its cupboard with snacks to be given following an exam for sexual assault. The towels provide the patients with something new and comforting when they shower which can assist them in their healing process.

Thank you, from all the Middlesex County programs you continue to support through your love, prayers and many substantial donations.

Yours Truly,
Danielle B. Peloquin, RN, FN-CSA
Supervisor of Nurses

LETTER FROM YOUR SPIRITUALLY ADOPTED CHILD

Wow! I have been growing so quickly and am now two months old. My fingerprints are being engraved and I am able to curl my fingers around an object touched to my palm. I can squint, swallow and even frown. If you touched my tummy I would wiggle in delight. All of my organs are in place and working...all I need to do now is keep on growing. I am quite an amazing little person. The best part is...I can now suck my thumb! Thanks for praying for me...you are my own angel on earth!

MEN'S RETREAT

Open to all men of the parish and their friends & relatives, 18 and older.

July 15-17, 2011

San Alfonso Retreat House, Long Beach, NJ

A weekend to relax and reflect on your life and your relationship with God. You will return to your home with a calm and sense of purpose that may not have been there when you left it.

San Alphonso Retreat House is located on the shore in Long Branch, NJ a 45 minute drive from South Brunswick. Check the website and see what a great place it is: www.sanalfonso retreats.org.

The program begins with dinner Friday night and ends with lunch on Sunday. **The cost is \$175. and includes room and six meals. Make checks payable to San Alphonso Retreat House and mail to Tom Lombardi by July 1, 2011 at 2 Kory Drive, Kendall Park, NJ 08824.** A \$50 deposit will hold your reservation or you can mail Tom the full amount. For additional information call Tom Lombardi 732-821-4846 or e-mail at tjlombardi@aol.com.

Retreat is organized by St. Augustine Knights of Columbus Council #6345.

GRADUATING CLASS 2003

Congratulations to all of our Graduates of St. Joseph High School. We are proud of your achievements.

Summa Cum Laude	Michael Brandes (4 yr. cumulative GPA >4.40)
Magna Cum Laude	Daniel Chedid (4 yr cumulative GPA >4.0) Christopher Golubiewski Kevin Mayce James SanMiguel W. Nicholas Stanghn Issa Sudah Suleiman Sudah
Cum Laude	Arjun Kapoor (4 yr cumulative GPA >3.5)
Poetry Award	Michael Brandes "AP Literature Montage"

2011 Greater Middlesex Conference Sportsmanship Award

Kevin Mayce

2011 Scholar Athlete Finalist

Kevin Mayce
W. Nicholas Straughn
Issa Sudah
Suleiman Sudah

Athletic Extracurricular Award

Basketball	Kevin Mayce
Baseball	Brandon Dolan
Lacrosse	Suleiman Sudah
Outdoor Track	W. Nicholas Straughn