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(Under the patronage of St. Vincent de Paul)

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 Christine Battagliotti, Marsha Byron, Marc Kollar
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 Elijah's Promise Soup Kitchen
 Barbara Corio 297-8287
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 Giving Tree/Lenten Charity Ministry
 Janine Rosamilia 422-2351
 Hospital Ministry
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 Lazarus Ministry
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 Ministry to the Sick
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 Mother's Circle
 Helen Rivera 422-1611
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 Deacon James Tesoriero 821-8351
 Outreach Ministry
 Marlene Scanlon, Director 297-9713
 Parish Breakfast
 Ken Gaglione, Head Chef & family
 Parish Family Ministry/ Parish Prayer Link
 Elizabeth DeLuca 821-7889
 Respect Life Ministry
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 Sanctuary Guild
 Lena Siegler, Chairperson 742-5068
 Separated/Divorced Ministry
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 Welcoming Ministry
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CFM (Christian Family Movement)
 Mary Gifford 297-3541
 Children of Light Charismatic Prayer Group
 Julie & Joe Ferraro 297-2765
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Lectors
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 Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist
 Joseph Scanlon 398-2704
 Choir Director
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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
 Patricia Burke, President 355-0562
 Home School Association
 Kathleen Borowick, President 438-6566
 Knights of Columbus
 Paul Ruffe, Grand Knight 297-5723
 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 26th, 2011

MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

SATURDAY

5:00 p.m. Nicholas & Florence DeMarchi: req. Ann DeMarchi Corwin

SUNDAY MOST HOLY BODY & BLOOD OF CHRIST

7:30 a.m. John T. Taikina: req. The Taikina Family
9:00 a.m. Florence DeMarchi: req. Ann DeMarchi Corwin
10:30 a.m. Ambrosius Kpodzo: req. Dr. Elias Kpodzo
12:00 Noon Rose Loffredo: req. Barbara Corio
5:00 p.m. All Living & Deceased Parishioners of St. A's

MONDAY St. Cyril of Alexandria

9:00 a.m. Sylvia Sevilla: req. Tina & Joe Karcz

TUESDAY St. Irenaeus

9:00 a.m. Joseph Francis Lynam

WEDNESDAY St. Peter & St. Paul (Relic may be venerated after Mass)

9:00 a.m. Mary & Dan McCarron: req. Deacon Rich & Sue McCarron

THURSDAY The Most Holy Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church)

9:00 a.m. Elizabeth Muscatiello: req. The Muscatiello Family

FRIDAY First Friday

9:00 a.m. Purgatorial Society

SATURDAY First Saturday

9:00 a.m. Special Intentions of Parishioners of St. A's
5:00 p.m. Leonard DiMenna: req. Laura DiMenna

SUNDAY 14TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

7:30 a.m. All Living & Deceased Parishioners of St. A's
9:00 a.m. Katie Bluhm: req. Evelyn Shea
10:30 a.m. Lewis Pearce: req. Maryann Lynch & Family
12:00 Noon Jim McIntyre III, : req. Elizabeth Watkins & Kathleen Michalski
5:00 p.m. Margaret Corallo: req. Joseph Corallo

SPIRITUAL REMEMBRANCE



TABERNACLE CANDLES
DONATED BY
THE PREVITE FAMILY
IN MEMORY OF MICHAEL LOMBARDI



ALTAR FLOWERS
DONATED BY THE FAMILY
IN MEMORY OF ELIZABETH MUSCATIELLO

FATIMA STATUE

This week the statue of Our Lady of Fatima is being honored in the home of Mary Karcz.

2 PART-TIME JANITORIAL POSITIONS OPENING AT SAINT AUGUSTINE SCHOOL

We are very proud of our school facility and so many visitors comment on its cleanliness and beauty. Beginning sometime in August, 2 part-time positions will become available. The 2 shifts we need to fill are (1) 6 am - 10 am and (2) 1 pm - 5 pm. The area to be cleaned will be the Middle School building which contains grades 6 - 8, cafeteria, gym, library and offices. Both shifts will periodically take care of the parish center. We are looking for 2 people that will continue to keep our school in "perfect condition." If interested, please contact the parish center or send a letter to Father Bob.

DAILY SCRIPTURES TO PRAY OVER

Monday Genesis 18:16-33; Matthew 8:18-22
Tuesday Genesis 19:15-29; Matthew 8:23-27
Wednesday Acts 12:1-11; 2 Timothy 4:6-8, 17-18; Matthew 16:13-19
Thursday Genesis 22:1b-19; Matthew 9:1-8
Friday Deuteronomy 7:6-11; 1 John 4:7-16; Matthew 11:25-30
Saturday Genesis 27:1-5, 15-29; Luke 2:41-51
Sunday Zechariah 9:9-10; Romans 8:9, 11-13; Matthew 11:25-30

MEDITATION FOR JUNE 26th

Jesus is the Bread of Life.

God provided the Israelites with manna from heaven to sustain them during their journey through the desert. We are provided with a greater gift, the Eucharist. It is greater because Jesus is truly present in the Eucharist. This means every time we receive Holy Communion we are nourished by Jesus so we can grow in faith and holiness of life.

The reading from Deuteronomy recalls that God provided the Israelites with manna to sustain them during their journey through the desert. The second reading reminds us that Jesus is truly and really present in the Eucharist. In the Gospel, Jesus teaches that eating His body and drinking His blood are necessary for entering eternal life.

Stewardship - A Way of Life

"Do not forget the Lord, your God...who brought forth water for you from the flinty rock and fed you in the desert with manna." - Deuteronomy 8: 14-16

It takes great trust to follow the Lord in a life of stewardship. Yet, just as He provided for the Israelites, God will provide us with all that we need. We in turn must be willing to hold our many gifts - not with a clenched fist - but rather with an open hand, ready and willing to share.

OUR SACRIFICIAL OFFERINGS:

June 19th **\$21,085.35**

**THERE WILL BE NO COUNTING TEAM FOR
JULY 3RD**

EVENING PARISH CENTER HOURS

DURING THE SUMMER MONTHS OF JULY AND AUGUST, THE PARISH CENTER WILL BE OPEN MONDAY TO WEDNESDAY EVENINGS FROM 7 PM TO 9 PM.

THIS WEEKS CALENDAR

- June 26** Cornerstone Planning: 7 pm (McGivney Hall)
June 27 A.A. Meeting: 8 pm (Cafeteria)
Outreach Min. Mtg.: 8 pm (Social Min. Office)
June 28 K/C Council Mtg.: 7:30 pm (McGivney Hall)
Parish Family Min. Mtg.: 7:30 pm (Augustine Rm.)
June 29 Archivists & Historians: 7 pm (Augustine Rm.)
July 01 Purgatorial Society Mass: 9 am (Church)
July 02 Confessions: 11:30 am (Chapel)

SOMETHING TO PONDER

Commenting on the shocking discoveries at a Philadelphia abortion mill, Rich Lowry of National Review Online observed, "Legal abortion was supposed to end 'back alley abortions,' both their dangers and their entanglements with shady characters. But the practice and the mores of the back alley are with us still, tolerated by people for whom the ready provision of abortion trumps all else." (NRL Online, 2/4/11)

We pray for all who work to protect unborn life in pregnancy centers.

FLOWERS BENEATH THE RELIC OF BLESSED JOHN PAUL II

SUNDAY, June 26th

**In Memory of: Federico Gabaldon
Donated by: Ramon & Janet Palces**



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.

SAVE THE DATE DEDICATION CONCERT FOR THE NEW ORGAN

All are invited to attend this special event on the Feast of the Queenship of Mary, **Monday, August 22, 2011, 7:30 pm.** A dedication Organ Concert featuring members of the St. Augustine Parish Choir, the Diocesan Festival Choir and choir members from around the diocese with St. Augustine's Organist, William Berg.

HEALING THROUGH GRIEF

Look back every few months and see what you have accomplished. Grief is a journey that takes a very long time. Remember no matter how small your steps are, they are still moving forward!

PARISH PICNIC / SAVE THE DATE

Mark your calendars now for the Parish Picnic on **September 18, 2011**, from 2- 7 p.m. on the parish grounds. Ticket sales begin in August – watch the bulletin for dates and volunteer opportunities. Join the outdoor parish party on **September 18.**

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.sanalfonsoretreats.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.



Rest in the Lord

**MICHAEL DUNCAN
Brother of Patricia Holliday
17 Starling Road
Kendall Park, NJ 08824**

OUTREACH MINISTRY



"Preparation may be defined in three words: leave nothing undone." (George Allen) Helping others may mean spending some extra time in preparation. (Envelopes are in the gathering area of the Church.)



**PURGATORIAL
SOCIETY
ENROLLMENTS
FOR JUNE**

In Memory of:

Catherine Taylor
Joseph Luprek
Joseph Luprek
Eufrocina Labuni
Norma Conroy
James Fadgen
Antonio Stefani
Ann Duffee
Benny Pana
Antonio Stefani
Matilda Kishel
Edward Scott, Jr.
Guadalupe S. Porras
Barbara Brower
Barbara Brower
Edward Scott, Jr.
Barbara Brower
Michael Duncan
Anne Paternoster

Requested by:

Sheila & David Murphy
Deacon Jim Tesoriero
Our Parish Family
Jeannette Dimaano
Deacon Jim Tesoriero
Our Parish Family
Our Parish Family
Our Parish Family
The Jimenez Family
The Klimczak Family
Our Parish Family
Our Parish Family
George & Gina
Our Parish Family
Parishioners of St. Augustine
Deacon Jim & Nicole Tesoriero
Deacon Jim Tesoriero
Our Parish Family
Patricia Jensen

UNANNOUNCED MISSION MASSES

In Memory of:

Caryl Zabilowicz
Isaac Renteria
Anthony VanAken
Paulo Pappa
Edward Scott, Jr.
Richard Adrain

Requested by:

Rosalie & Joe Giorno
The Ospina Family
Robert Praskach
Lisa & Scott Findley
St. A's Athletic Association
Jonothan Pitt

Intentions of:

Kevin Funsch
Rita & Scott Daly

Requested by:

His Mom
Marie Funsch

FIRST SATURDAY—

MASS INTENTIONS FOR JULY

In Memory of:

Dorothy Lynam
Thomas Berkery
Allen Smith
Elizabeth Muscietello
Elaine Meszaros
Evelyn Quinn
Richard Karcz
Joseph Luprek
William Gallant
Mark Salko
Antonio Stefani
Samuel Davis
Maria Russo
Richard Karcz
Edward Scott, Jr.
Frances Sinicropi
Kevin L. Mason & Family
Samuel Christian

Requested by:

Kay & Ken Jacobson
Francene & Lou
Sophie Benzinger
The Family
Adam & Peg Ksiazak
The Levenfus Family
Bob & Sue Taureck & Family
Marie Hala
The Dominguez Family
The Dominguez Family
The Cannon Family
Sr. Domenica & Sisters
Sr. Domenica
Dorothy Wiley
The Guillermo Family
Her Children & Grandchildren
Haroldyne Hargrave
Michael Casale & Family

FIRST SATURDAY—

Intentions of:

Kevin Funsch

Requested by:

His Mom

**SAVE THE DATE – DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO THE
NATIONAL SHRINE**

On Saturday, November 19, 2011, Bishop Bootkoski will lead a pilgrimage to the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in Washington, D.C., to celebrate the Diocese's Thirtieth Anniversary. Details about the cost of the pilgrimage and how to register will appear in the bulletin in coming weeks.

**LETTER FROM YOUR SPIRITUALLY ADOPTED
BABY**

I am now three months old and I weigh one ounce. I am tiny but I already make facial expressions resembling those of my parents. My movements are vigorous but graceful. I have vocal chords and can open my mouth and press my lips tightly together. I am have lots of fun kicking, curling and fanning my toes, moving my thumbs, bending my wrists and turning my head. Life is great! I have learned the most wondrous thing...I can smile. I cannot wait to meet my mommy and daddy so I can smile to show I love them. Thanks for your prayers-you are my angel on earth!

**GOD'S GRACE A WORK
"GOD SPEAKS THROUGH US"**

Dear Father Bob,

I hope that this note finds you well.

I wanted to send you a brief note, as my wife and I recently moved away from the area. We spent the last five years in Franklin Park, the first five of our marriage. I wanted to tell you what a wonderful Parish you have...amazing participation, very welcoming people, and a great group of Priests that say Mass. But I also wanted to say thank you to you directly.

Over the last five years I have heard you discuss/push (haha) people to the Sacrament of Reconciliation. Upon my arrival I heard you discuss this many times. So my first Christmas there I went to confession...the first time since I was 16, at least! I was about to turn 26. I had also not received Communion since approximately 18 years old. Not only did I go to confession then and also a second time there, but multiple times in NYC at St. Pat's since that first Christmas, as I work in the city during the week. For that, bringing me back to communion, and for your Parish, I want to say thank you from the bottom of my heart.

I also wanted to say thank you for staying true to the core beliefs of our faith and every Sunday helping to strengthen mine. I have a very good friend who is a Catholic Priest and he talks about not only going to the gym for our physical muscles, but also to pray and go to church for our spiritual muscles. He calls them our spiritual pushups, along with frequent reading of the Gospel.

I apologize for the longwinded note, but did want to say thank you especially in a time of our Church when I don't think those who work in the Church are thanked enough. I hope to see you again and will be sure to stop in sometime in the future. I know that the Lord introduces us to people for many reasons...I think I have learned why he introduced me to you.



St. Augustine Columbiettes celebrated their 10th Anniversary of Caring, Commitment and Charity at the noon Mass on June 5, 2011. It was followed by a reception at Pierre's Restaurant in Dayton. Over 50 Columbiettes attended this event. If you would like more information on the Columbiettes, please call Mimi Haagen @ 732-940-3225. Missing from the photo was Dorothy Wiley and Jean Zahodnick.

MEMORIAL PLAQUE FOR NEW ORGAN AND PIPE CHAMBERS

For those who made a donation towards the new organ and pipe chambers, the Memorial plaques are located in the Church behind the organ. Thank you for enriching our Church with a beautiful instrument which allows us to praise our God as we lift our voices in song!

HAPPY 50TH ANNIVERSARY IMMACULATA

During the 2012-3 school year Immaculata will celebrate its 50th anniversary. Our first initiative is to find alumni; please contact Terry Lavin Kuboski'69 at kuboski@immaculatahighschool.org or (908) 722-0200 ext. 128 with current info. More details on the celebrations will follow

THANK YOU

Dear Father Bob:

Thank you so much for the three huge boxes of baby food, Similac, Minute Maid drinks, diapers, clothes and toys which you graciously provided for the young mothers and their children whom we serve.

God love and bless you and your dear parishioners for your continuing support of the girls and their babies whom we serve.

I continue to beg your blessing and prayers for the young mothers and their children whom we serve.

Thank you too for all the beautiful material you send us concerning you dear family and Pope John Paul II.

Please be assured of our grateful prayers.

Sincerely,

Sr. Diane Prusinski, S.M.
President
Rosalie Hall, Bronx, New York

CHRISTMAS IN JULY COLLECTION

On Monday, June 26 the special Christmas in July envelope will be mailed to all registered parishioners in a special appeal to help defray the \$45,000 unexpected and necessary cost of the removal of the 2 – 20 ton HVAC units and the installation of the new units which supplies Air Conditioning and Heat to the main body of the Church. The Christmas in July collection will take place the weekend of July 9/10.

Many parishioners along the Jersey shore do a similar collection while the faithful are vacationing and Mass attendance increases to help their parishes financially throughout the year. This became the inspiration for the name for “our special collection.” If you should be on vacation the weekend of July 9/10, please place your special envelope in the collection the weekend before or after, and thank you for your continued support for your parish!

SEEING IS BELIEVING



Heavy equipment needed for this job



Out with the old



In with the new



Ah! Warm winters & cool summers

UNEXPECTED MAJOR EXPENSE FOR PARISH!

June 14, 2011

Dear Parishioners:

Just after Memorial Day weekend, we encountered major problems with the HVAC units on top of the Church which provide heat and air conditioning to the main body of the Church. Those who attended the vigil Mass for the Feast of the Ascension felt the difference in the temperature of the Church. The week of June 5th we encountered the extremely high temperatures which felt like 100 degrees. On Wednesday, June 8th we had graduation in the Church and by the end of the ceremony the temperature of the air coming out of the vents on the “choir side” of the Church was 82 degrees. The next morning we shut that system down. There by the grace of God, the HVAC unit on the “baptismal side” of the Church, and with the cooler temperatures the weekend of June 11/12, the Church was comfortably kept at 70 degrees. This unit is about to go out on us any day.

The HVAC units are the original from ones when the Church was built in 1989, so they are 22 years old. We have a yearly maintenance contract for all the units on the Church premises. Confronted with this emergency situation to replace both units, I informed the Bishop that after getting a few bids I was going to sign a contract to replace them. Normally I would have to go before the Diocesan College of Consultants for permission. The Chancery understood the severity of the situation and supported my decision.

At my Masses the weekend of June 11/12, I shared that the cost to replace these two units is \$45,000. The cost covers the removal the existing (2) 20 ton rooftop units and install (2) Lennox 20 ton gas heat and electrical cooling units which are also equipped with economizers, enthalpy controls, low ambient kits and return air duct detectors. They will have to fabricate and install (2) curb adapters to adapt the new units to the existing roof curbs. Thanks be to God no roofing is required. They will have to reconnect and extend the gas piping as needed and all new gas piping on the roof will be painted as per our local codes. The company will furnish the lifting and rigging crane to complete the replacement.

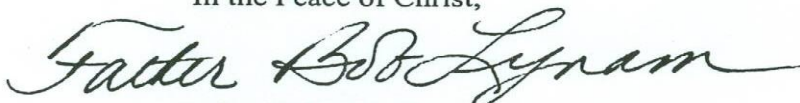
As you can imagine this emergency situation and major capital expense has caught the parish by surprise. I have negotiated with the company a 60 day payment of this bill – (2 payments). The new fiscal year begins on July 1st and the parish will experience a major loss of funds. When I appealed to you to help with the unusually harsh winter and high snow removal bills, once again through your generosity we collected \$20,487, which was a great blessing!

As a parish family we come together in times of need. With this in mind I proposed to the parish Pastoral Board to have a “Christmas in July” collection to help with the \$45,000 expense to replace the 2 HVAC units and they also felt the parishioners would support this special appeal. God willing the new units will be installed on Thursday, June 16th and when you come to Church on June 18/19 we will be back to “normal.”

Therefore on the
WEEKEND OF JULY 9/10
we will have a
CHRISTMAS IN JULY COLLECTION

to help with this major unexpected capital expense. I will be sending all registered parishioners a special envelope for this collection. The weekend of July 9/10 there will be only ONE COLLECTION so place this envelope in the regular collection. If you will be away on vacation either place this envelope the week before or after. I ask you to be as generous as you can, according to your means, with this special appeal. Once again, thank you for your continued support for your parish through your time, talent, and treasure! I remain,

In the Peace of Christ,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Father Robert G. Lynam". The signature is fluid and elegant, with a long, sweeping tail on the final letter.

Father Robert G. Lynam
Pastor