

PARISH STAFF

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ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Monday through Friday
7:30 A.M. to 10:00 P.M. - New Church Chapel

MIRACULOUS MEDAL NOVENA

Monday - 7:30 P.M. - Stone Church

NOCTURNAL ADORATION

Third Monday of the Month
8:00 to 10:00 P.M. - New Church Chapel

PRAYER GROUP

Thursday - 8:00 P.M. - Parish Center Meeting Room

EARLY BEREAVEMENT GROUP

Tuesday - 6:00 P.M. - Parish Center Library

PARISH COUNCIL

4th Monday of the Month - 8:15 P.M. - Parish Center

ST. PATRICK'S LIBRARY

Parish Center
Sunday 10:15 to 12:30
Tuesday 9:30 to 11:00 a.m.

THE TRINITY GIFT SHOP

Parish Center
Weekdays - 9:30 to 12:00 noon
Saturdays - 9:30 to noon
Sundays 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

GABRIEL PREGNANCY RESOURCE CENTER

1500 Front St. - Suite D - Yorktown - 962-8337

COLLECTION FOR AUGUST 20, 2006

Tithing Last Year	\$21,090.00
Tithing This Year	\$21,265.00
Children's Last Year	\$202.00
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**Mass Intentions
For the Week**

Monday – August 28-*Augustine, bp., doctor*

6:55 John Fanning
9:00 Robin Risi

Tuesday – August 29-*Martyrdom of John the Baptist*

6:55 Deceased Members of Patrissi & Panzarino Families.
9:00 Joseph Rampino

Wednesday – August 30

6:55 John Peter Ereno
9:00 Paul Perdick

Thursday – August 31

6:55 Stanley & Bella DiMaggio
9:00 George Ryder

Friday – September 1

6:55 Deceased Members of the Laudadio Family
9:00 Joey Uebbing

Saturday – September 2

9:00 Pietro Randazzo
5:15 Lenore Close

Sunday – September 3

7:45 Christopher Lasser & Jean Marie Piracci
9:00 Gladys Sivatory
9:15 Martin F. Duane, Jr.
10:30 Mr. Mrs. John Tesoro
11:00 The People of St. Patrick's
12:30 Jean Mante
5:00 Joan Fealy

CELEBRANTS

Saturday – September 2

Fr. Bisignano

Sunday – September 3

7:45 Fr. Herb 11:00 Fr. Bernie Smith
9:00 Fr. Jim 12:30 Fr. Bernie Smith
9:15 Fr. Herb 5:00 Fr. Bisignano
10:30 Fr. Jim

Confessions – August 26

Fr. Herb-Fr. Jim

WEEKLY READINGS

Monday: 2 Thes 1: 1-5, 11-12/Mt 23: 13-22
Tuesday: Jer 1: 17-19/Mk 23: 13-22
Wednesday: 2 Thes 3: 6-10, 16-18/Mt 23: 27-32
Thursday 1 Cor 1: 1-9/Mt 24: 42-51
Friday 1 Cor 1: 17-25//Mt 25: 1-13
Saturday: 1 Cor 1: 26-31/Mt 25: 14-30
Sunday: Dt 4: 1-2, 6-8/Jas 1: 17-18, 21b-22, 27/Mk 7: 1-8,14-15, 21-23



Banns of Marriage

Jill Flanagan & Frederick Wiebke
Christine Lamb & Patrick Achten
Carrie Fowlds & Kenneth Shelley

Weddings

No Weddings This Week

Midnight Run is in need of men's light and medium weight jackets, men's sneakers and jeans. Donations may be left in the vestibule of the New Church marked "For Midnight Run" thank you for supporting this ministry generously.

He's Baaaaaack!

Fr. Bernard Smith, OFM Cap. has once again been assigned to a non-parochial assignment. This allows him the freedom to help out at our parish for the weekends. He will be returning to us beginning Sunday, September 3, 2006.

Attention, Parents! The summer is almost over. Have your children enjoyed some inspiring and entertaining videos recently? Your parish library has 137 films especially for children, from Veggie Tales and McGee and Me stories to lives of the saints, animated Bible stories, and more. You can borrow these videos for a full week, free of charge. View our list on the St. Patrick website. Better yet, bring the children in to browse. You'll be glad you did!

Food Store Gift Cards are available for purchase in the vestibule of the Church before and after all Masses. 5% of the values of your purchase are returned to St. Patrick's. Please use this easy way of supporting our Parish.

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The Altar Bread and Wine used in the Stone Church this week was donated by Fran Little in memory of:

Anna DiFiore

The Altar of Bread and Wine used in the New Church this week was donated by John & Elizabeth Griffen in memory of:

Costazino Crecco

The Sanctuary Lamp burning in the New Church this week was donated by The Androsko Family in memory of:

Alexander Rakas

The Sanctuary Lamp burning in the New Church Chapel Church this week was donated by The Parrell Family in memory of:

Deceased Members of the Parrell Family

UNANNOUNCED MASSES: Deceased: Christopher Hughes, Sheila Joyce, Ada Anarino, Ann Tutoni, Peter Healey(2), Eileen & Charlie, Chuck & Louise Dumser, Alice Adamski, Mary Mazzella, John Vaccaro, Trudy Tuffarelli, Calogera Zasonte, Nicola Pertelesi, Constantine M. Anthony, Gregory Keating, The Deceased Members of the Parrell Family. **Special Intention:** Henry Sammon, F.M.S., Lin Goodwin, Ruby Tillie.

SDRC-St. Patrick's support group for separated or divorced men and women meets this Monday, April 10th, at 7-8:30PM in room 109 of the Family Education Center. You don't have to go through this alone! For info, call Terry 962-4303 or Pat 245-8257.

Singers Grades 3-8: St. Patrick's Choristers, our choir for young people, has openings for the 2006-2007 season. Rehearsals for grades 5-8 are on Monday from 4:45 to 5:30. The Choristers sing at the monthly 9:15AM Family Mass and at special parish events. For registration information contact Kathey Lewis, Director of Music Ministries, at 962-5050.



Baptisms

August 20, 2006

Lucas Manuel Arbelaez.....

Son of Manuel & Lisa Arbelaez

Grace Emma Floryshak....

Daughter of Joseph & Claudia Floryshak

Emily Lynn Henning.....

Daughter of Timothy & Michele Henning

Michael Ciaran Keane

Son of Michael John & Elizabeth Keane

St. Patrick School is now accepting registration for Grades: K, 1, 4, and 6. For more information please call 962-2211.

We are in need of Catechists for this year in the St. Patrick's Religious Education Program. We have classes available on weekdays from 4:30 to 6:00 pm and 6:30 to 8:00 pm. A teacher guide and other resource materials will be provided to assist you. If you would like more information on the different ways you can help pass on the faith to our young people, please call Susan Wallace at 962-5586.

Annual St. Patrick's Dinner Dance: Come and join us Sunday October 22, 2006 when the Parish Council will be sponsoring the annual St. Patrick's Dinner Dance and Social in celebration of our pastor's 25th anniversary. There will be great food, cash bar and a 6 member band called The Metro Orchestra all at Sinapi's Ceola Manor in Jefferson Valley. Attendance is \$65 per person, and we plan to sell tickets after Masses the weekend of September 10th. A perfect way to celebrate the beautiful autumn season!

**Registration For Religious Education Classes
For New St. Patrick's Parishioners:**

Tuesday September 5th through Thursday
September 7th

9:30am – 11:30am & 1:00pm – 7:30pm

**Baptismal Certificates are required at time of
Registration for 1st graders Baptismal,
Reconciliation and First Eucharist Certificates
for older children.**

St. Patrick's Widow & Widowers Support Club

will meet Tuesday September 5th, 2006 at 7pm.

This next meeting will consist of a Funeral Mass for departed spouses. Cake and coffee will be served after Mass. For more information please call 845-628-4279.

Marriage Encounter

“This is a great mystery, but I speak in reference to Christ and the church.” Come to a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend and learn more about how important your marriage/holy orders is to the Church. The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend is September 22-24, 2006. For more information please call 914-524-7088.

“Please Consider having your child participate in the School Band. Instrumental music is an important part of education. Students will bring home information sheets in September. Band is available to all St. Patrick School Students grades 3-8.”

A Weekend Retreat for Separated or Divorced

will be given on September 15, 16, 17, 2006 in Newton, NJ. By a Franciscan Retreat Team. For more information call Fr. Tom Kelly, OFM (973) 985-9736 or Deacon Milt (973)271-5097.

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R.C.I.A. means Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults. The R.C.I.A. is the Church's way to initiate new adult members. RCIA is a process which is concerned with the total formation of the person. It involves doctrinal formation (believing with the Church community); practical formation (living with the Church community); liturgical formation (praying with the Church community), and apostolic formation (service with the Church community). Topics discussed include Scripture, the Mass, God the Father, Son and Holy Spirit, Church history and structure, Mary and the Saints, sin and Reconciliation, conscience and moral decision-making, Baptism, Confirmation, Eucharist, Anointing of the Sick, Marriage, Holy Orders, ministry, and social justice.

Who may participate in R.C.I.A.?

- Adults who have never been baptized;
- Adults baptized in another Christian faith tradition who are interested in the Catholic tradition;
- Baptized adult Catholics who wish to prepare to receive First Eucharist and Confirmation.

Others who may be interested in the R.C.I.A. are:

- Non-Catholics who want to learn more about Catholic Christianity;
- Catholics who may have been away from the Church for a period of time.

SOME FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS:

- "If I begin the R.C.I.A. process, am I obligated to become a Catholic?"

There is no obligation to make any kind of commitment, nor will anyone be pressured to become a Catholic. Each person's decision is respected. RCIA shares information about the Catholic Church, but the decision to join the Catholic Church is made through personal discernment.

- "How long is the process?"

We meet once a week from September 2006 through the 2007 Easter season.

If you are interested, please complete the form below and return it to the parish office at your earliest convenience.

Name _____

Address _____

Telephone (home) _____ (work) _____

Have you ever been baptized? _____ Have you been baptized Catholic? _____

Have you received the sacraments of First Eucharist and Confirmation? _____

Please return this form to the parish office.