Cathedral of St. Francis of Assisi

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SCHOOL  528 Main Street, Metuchen, NJ 08840
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Ann Major, Principal (732-548-3107)
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WEEKEND MASSES
Saturday Vigil  5:00 and 7:00 pm
Sunday  7:30, 9:00, 10:30 am; 12:00 noon

WEEKDAY MASSES
Monday-Friday  7:00, 8:00 am; 12:10pm
(Rosary 11:45 am)
Saturday  8:00 am

MORNING PRAYER Monday-Friday 7:40 am

EUCARISTIC ADORATION  7:00am—11:00pm
(Monday—Friday) Lady Chapel - Parish Center

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION (Penance)
Saturdays  1:00-2:00 pm and 6:00-6:30 pm
or by appointment.

RECTORY  32 Elm Avenue, Metuchen, NJ 08840
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Francis McGinley 1982
NEW PARISHIONERS are welcome to register by completing a form available in our Parish Office as soon as possible after moving to the area.

EUCHARIST FOR SICK/HOMEBOUND: Phone Rectory (548-0100) and arrangements will be made.

BAPTISM: 1:30pm by appointment only (celebrated on most Sundays)

Baptismal Seminar: Pre-registration is required. Attendance during pregnancy is preferable. 7:45 pm, Rectory Meeting Room.

MARRIAGE: Registered parishioner(s) preparing for marriage should contact the rectory one year in advance.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES: Mon, Thurs: 4:00 - 5:05 pm.; Tuesday evening: (8th grade) 6:30-7:35 pm.

MARIAN NOVENA/ROSARY: Saturdays after 8:00 am Mass.

R.C.I.A. (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) - Those wishing to learn more about/be received into the Catholic Faith - please phone 548-0100. (Sara Sharlow).

SPONSORSHIP: Active practice of the faith, together with registration, is needed for sponsorship certificates and, possibly, the administration of some sacraments.
Masses For The Week...

**SUNDAY, January 6 - The Epiphany of the Lord**
7:30am - Marianne Martin r/o Bobko Family
9:00am - Cynthia Fayečik r/o Pat Walsh
10:30am - Henia Bomanska r/o Peter & Christine Farbaniec
Noon - Leon Natkie r/o Urso, Long, Natkie & Bridgeman Families

**MONDAY, January 7 - Saint Raymond of Penafort**
7:00am - Marie Cassidy r/o David & Kathleen Kleman
8:00am - Rene & Carmen Cordero r/o Rene
12:10pm - Donald Anselona r/o Monteleone Family

**TUESDAY, January 8**
7:00am - Matthew Wernock r/o Sr. M. Michaelita
8:00am - Arnoldo & Martha Morales r/o Rene Cordero
12:10pm - Eileen Schreck r/o Andreana Gerardi & Family

**WEDNESDAY, January 9**
7:00am - Catherine Smith r/o Kathleen & Peter Freis
8:00am - (Liv.) Int. Isabella Gutierrez r/o Mom & Dad
12:10pm - Barbara Hayden r/o Her Sister

**THURSDAY, January 10**
7:00am - Regina Licameli r/o Licameli Family
8:00am - Angelina Laterza r/o Popino Family
12:10pm - Mary & Andrew Piatek r/o Family

**FRIDAY, January 11**
7:00am - Caterina & Francesco Pontoriero r/o Mr. & Mrs. Pasquale Calello
8:00am - Catheline Fortuna r/o Raymond Fortuna, Sr. & Family
12:10pm - Anna Bonanni r/o Teresa Bonanni

**SATURDAY, January 12**
8:00am - Rose Alessi r/o Joe Momot & Lucille Tagie
5:00pm - Anthony Aliberti r/o Sandy & Family
7:00pm - Maureen Murphy-Handerhan r/o Mom & Dad

**SUNDAY, January 13 - The Baptism of the Lord**
7:30am - Margaret Burke r/o Manza Family
9:00am - Ben Landel r/o Lombardi Family
10:30am - Deacon Neil Smoyak r/o Shirley
Noon - Stewart Family r/o Daughter Elaine

The Sanctuary Candled for this week have been donated
in loving memory of
*Anthony Tempesta*
by *Mary Smith*
(in the Cathedral)

in loving memory of
*Maureen Murphy-Handerhan*
by *Mom & Dad*
(in The Lady Chapel)
SERVING OVERSEAS: In Middle East: Jamie Lewandowski, Walker Luck; for all those serving in Covert Operations

SICK: Evelyn Alleman, Jeannette Bertha, Baby Genevieve Bonk, Kathy Byram, Kathleen Cremona, Rita Cuppari, John Ehling, Colin Gaven, Mary Anne Hale, niece of Tom & Andrea Hansen, Maria Harrison, Matthew Hohmann, David Kleman, Patricia LaPointe, Rebecca Lapoint, Richard Levandoski, RoseMary Lyons, Sister Maureen Mahan, Frances McClean, Raymond Muska, Keith Pahira Baby Lorelai Pepin, Theodore Pichalski, Nadia Ruiz, Ted Saggese, Edmund Scataglia, Margaret Smith, Kevin Speckin, Lucille Steiger, Helen Timko, Kathy Werner, Joseph Wejnerowski

DECEASED: Rocco Caposino, John Co, Miguel Cruz, Melanie Farrell, Joyce Martin, Jane Boris Keane, Charles McDevitt, George O’Kane, Marcos Ortiz, Thom Romeo, Charles Seddio, Peggy Tesoriero

... all those recommended in the Book of Intentions

Opportunities For Memorials
Did you know that in addition to Mass intentions for your loved ones you may remember them through the following memorial opportunities:

—Altar Flowers: Available weekly in the Cathedral at the High Altar for memorials, weddings and other occasions. Please contact Rectory Office for details.

—Sanctuary Candles: Available weekly in the Cathedral and The Lady Chapel. Donation: $20. Please enclose in an envelope with information and put in collection basket or mail or bring to Rectory.

—Msgr. Behl St. Francis School Endowment and The St. Francis Scholarship Fund: Memorial gifts may be made to either of these funds which are used to enhance the academic excellence of the parish school and offer tuition assistance. Please inquire at the parish or school office for further information.

How To Report Sexual Abuse: If you were sexually abused by a member of the clergy or anyone representing the Catholic Church, or you know of someone who was, you are encouraged to report that abuse to law enforcement, and/or by contacting the Diocesan Response Officer at 908-930-4558 (24 hours/7 days a week). For more information on how to report abuse, visit our diocesan website: https://diometuchen.org/report-a-suspected-abuse.

Third Order Franciscans
The Order of Franciscans Secular (Third Order) is not an organization or a club but an Order. Our Fraternity meets the second Sunday of each month at 2:00pm in Saint John Vianney Church, 420 Inman Avenue, Colonia. Is God calling you to walk in the footsteps of St. Francis of Assisi? Do you want to deepen your relationship with the Lord and give witness to the Kingdom of God? Come visit with us. Call Dolores Jules (908-756-3659).

In God’s Image, the Catholic faith sharing group for gay, lesbian, bisexual and transgender people, will meet on Wed., January 9 at 7:00pm in Sacred Heart Church Annex, So. Plainfield. 908-756-0633 x125.
Parish Notes...

--SUNDAY: National Migration Week 2019 begins today; after attending 10:30am Mass, Rosary Altar Society members gather in the Solarium for their monthly meeting; Annual Christmas Concert, 5:00pm in Cathedral; MSYG, 6:30 - 8:30pm, CYO.

--THIS WEEKEND: You will have the opportunity to give something back to God by contributing to the annual Together in Charity Collection. This collection funds our Catholic Charities' Emergency Assistance Program which aids parishes when individuals/families are faced with urgent financial, housing or medical needs beyond a parish’s capacity to meet. In the last year, approximately 66% of our parishes turned to Catholic Charities for emergency assistance. Hundreds of households, consisting of adults and children, were helped by those who gave to the Together in Charity Collection. Please give generously.

--MONDAY: Traditional CCD classes resume at 4pm.

--TUESDAY: Our weekly Prayer Group meets at 1:00pm in the Joseph Room; Journey Though Grief Step II meets at 7:00pm in the Solarium.

--WEDNESDAY: The MOMS’ Group meets at 9:30 am in the Mary Room/St. Francis Room.

--THURSDAY: Bible Study continues The Story of Salvation at 1:00pm in Joseph Room and 7:15pm in JP II Room; Confirmation Practice, Groups 1&2, 4:00 - 6:00pm, CCR/Church; Catechist Training at 7:00pm in the Joseph Room; Body of Christ Prayer Group at 8:00pm in the Community Room.

--FRIDAY: Legion of Mary, 11:00am, JP II Room; Family Painting Night from 6:00 - 8:00pm in the Community Room, sponsored by our Youth Groups.

--SUNDAY: Family Centered Religious Education at 9:15am in the Community Room; Catholic Scouts BSA Meeting at 1:30pm in the Solarium; HSY Group Meeting at 6:30 - 8:00pm in SJB Room.

---Memorializing a Hymnal is a great Christmastime present. It honors the person memorialized and brings joy to recipient. It is a gift that keeps on giving. Contact the Rectory (548-0100).

FYI: Anyone wishing to bring up the gifts at the Offertory of Mass, especially if the Mass is for a family member, should speak to one of the Ushers beforehand.

Lighting Hearts On Fire
Diocesan Marian Consecration Preparation Year
Bishop Checchio will consecrate the Diocese of Metuchen to Our Lady of Guadalupe in 2019. There will be a year-long preparation process which was launched December 12, the feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe, with Evening Prayer at the Cathedral. We implore Our Lady’s never-failing intercession by praying the following:

God Our Loving Father,
We lift up our hearts in gratitude for sending Our Virgin Mother of Guadalupe to set hearts on fire in the “New World” with the saving message of the Gospel.
She is our compassionate Mother and she desires to remedy our troubles, miseries and pain by bringing us into a saving friendship with her Son Jesus Christ.
We turn again with renewed confidence and outstretched arms to our Virgin Mother of Guadalupe to set our hearts on fire in our Diocese of Metuchen as we prepare to be consecrated to her maternal care.
Give to each one of us a desire to be a missionary disciple - - so that the world may come to know the transformative love of Christ through us.
Mother of the Americas and Star of the New Evangelization, Pray for us.

Cathedral Christmas Concert
Looking for a joyful way to begin the New Year by sharing in an experience that draws the family a little closer in love, values and faith? Hear the angelic harmonies of the St. Francis Cathedral adult, youth, children and handbell choirs at their annual Christmas Concert today, Sunday, January 6 at 5:00pm. Join in singing favorite Christmas carols accompanied by brass and our newly restored pipe organ, and expect the whole family to feel their hearts warmed and spirits lifted. No tickets are required, but a free will offering will be taken. Information: stfranciscathedral.org/732-548-0100 x235 or on Facebook: St. Francis Cathedral Concerts.

Share The Journey
Global Migration Campaign
In honor of National Migration Week, all clergy, religious and faithful of the Diocese of Metuchen are invited to attend a Prayer Service on Wednesday, January 9 at 7:00pm at St. Joseph Parish, Hillsborough. We ask members of our local church to gather with our migrant brothers and sisters in prayer and solidarity. Info: Suzanne Kral - skral@stjosephsparish.com
Our Beloved Departed...

As one civil year ends and another begins, we remember our Parishioners who died during 2018. May they be enjoying fullness of life with Christ, our reigning Lord.


Pro Life Corner: MAKE PLANS NOW

Pro-Life advocates from around the country will gather in Washington, D.C. to seek change for the right to human life on the 46th anniversary of the Supreme Court’s decision on Roe v. Wade.

Friday, January 18, 2018
March for Life, Washington, D.C.
Elaine Yunker: 732-754-3692
Accepting Reservations at this time
Please sign up NOW.
Spaces fill up quickly and bus is on a ‘first come, first served’ basis.

Rally for Life

The Diocese of Metuchen’s Respect for Life office will be running a bus trip to Trenton for the Rally for Life on Tuesday, January 22, 2019. This event is for those whose schedules do not permit an entire day in Washington, D.C. for the March for Life on Friday, January 18. Passengers must reserve their seats for the bus ride which is free of charge. Travelers will board the bus at the Diocesan Center, 146 Metlars Lane, Piscataway at 9:30am. The Rally at the NJ State House begins at 11am and ends at 1:00pm. The bus will bring everyone back to the Diocesan Center between 2:00 and 2:30pm. If you have any questions please email amarshall@diometuchen.org or call 732-562-1990 x1543 or x1629.

Scout News: Two programs for Scouts BSA will be starting in January. The purpose is to help Catholic Scouts to more fully develop a Christian way of life within a Christian community. Ad Altare Dei is for Scouts who have completed sixth grade. Pope Pius XII is for Scouts who have started ninth grade. Scouts in the parish are encouraged to participate by attending the first Meeting: Sunday, Jan. 13, 1:30 - 6:00pm in the Solarium. Info: Nancy Comroy: 732-549-7010.

Marriage Encounter

In this season of giving, why not give your spouse the perfect New Year’s gift of a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend? It gives you the time and tools to revitalize romance, deepen communication and nourish the spirituality in your marriage. The Next WWMEW is January 25 - 27, 2019. Phone 732-904-9636 or visit www.aweekendforyourmarriage.org.

Thanks from Social Ministry

St. Francis Social Concerns Ministry strives in a variety of ways to help those who are in need and less fortunate. We are blessed to have numerous volunteers who aid us in aiding others. We wish to acknowledge those who donate food for the hungry, be it at Christmastime or year-round. We are grateful to those loyal volunteers who deliver the breads at Thanksgiving and the poinsettias at Christmas to those who are sick, grieving or lonely. And we are so thankful to all who participated in any way in our recent Advent Bread & Soup Dinner. Whether you donated a pot of soup or helped clean up or added to the lively conversation, your presence at the event is appreciated. Special thanks to Pat Bixel, Kara Kwiatkowski and Maureen Varley for their extraordinary contribution to the Bread&Soup, and to LaBonbonniere Bakery which donated all the breads and desserts, making it an evening enjoyed by all.
“Rise up in splendor, Jerusalem! Your light has come, the glory of the Lord shines upon you.”

–Isaiah 60:1

RISE UP IN SPLENDOR

This great feast of the Epiphany of the Lord opens with these words: "Rise up in splendor, Jerusalem! Your light has come, the glory of the Lord shines upon you" (Isaiah 60:1). That reading goes on to describe a world covered with darkness. Even in that world, the prophet announces that the glory of the Lord will shine on Jerusalem. Many would agree that our world is covered with darkness--the darkness that war, terrorism, and famine bring. Today we announce that even in today's world, the Lord can scatter that darkness, if only we would welcome Epiphany's light. As we remember the visit of the magi to the manger, let us pray that one day our weary world will rise up in splendor--the splendor of peace and justice.

FINDING GOD

The splendid magi, all sparkle and dash and solemnity, march right up off the pages of Matthew's Gospel and into our churches today. Matthew alone tells us this grand and seductive story so that we might see the light and know that the child these magi visited is the fulfillment of prophecy, the king of the world that stretches to the magi's home country and beyond, right down the ages to us.

We too see and understand anew. Like the magi, our patron saints for this day, we see in the newborn child the king of the universe and light of the world. Like the magi, we find in ourselves a new faith and a new life. Like them, we return to our home by a new route.

We are asked to come away from this festive season ourselves renewed and awake to the presence of God among us. We are asked to find God where God is to be found, to be attentive and surprised and ready to bow down in adoration and to offer our gifts.
GIFTS AND TALENTS NEEDED

The pagan magi followed a magical star that led them to the newborn Christ child. On this feast of Epiphany, which means God's self-revelation, we are called to join them in bringing our gifts and talents to Jesus in the hope that He will use them for the common good, the kingdom of God. Those of us who have accepted Jesus as the light must also accept discipleship which means carrying that light to others...being the magical "star" that leads others to Christ. If you know someone who wishes to walk out of that darkness, invite him/her to a RCIA inquiry session. Inquiry sessions do not assume a commitment to join the Catholic faith family. Inquiry sessions are opportunities to ask questions about God, Jesus, the Catholic faith family. All who are unbaptized, baptized into another faith denomination, or baptized Catholic but have not received Eucharist or Confirmation, are invited. Inquiry sessions are for those who wish to inquire, explore, and search for ways to grow in relationship with God. For more information, call RCIA at 732-562-1990 X 1633.

10 Day Pilgrimage to Ireland
June 22 - July 1, 2019

Sister Maria Lan will host this trip to the Emerald Isle. It will include visits to religious sites, as well as well-known towns and sights throughout Ireland. Visit Clonmacnoise, Galway Cathedral, the Knock Shrine, St. Mary’s Cathedral in Limerick, Bunratty Castle in Clare, Killarney, Ring of Kerry, Blarney Castle, Kilkenny, Dublin with its Trinity College and Book of Kells, along with O’Connell Street, Grafton Street (live street entertainment and shopping), St. Stephen’s Green, Merrion Square, St. Patrick’s Cathedral, Glendalough and St. Aidan’s Monastery, and so much more. Cost of $3,298 includes r/t air, daily breakfast, 6 dinners, English-speaking Guide, transportation to and from Newark airport by bus. In addition, an optional 3-day extension to London is included at an additional cost of $1,168. Interested travelers should contact Sr. Maria Lan for an application form at smlochid@hotmail.com. A $300 per person deposit is due with your application.

GOOD NEWS: Middlesex County College is now offering free tuition to eligible students. MCC was selected as a pilot college to implement a free community college program by applying Grant Awards to eligible students. Spring semester registration is now open and classes begin Jan. 23, 2019. For more info about the MCC Opportunity Grant Program, call 732-906-2509 or Enroll@middlesexcc.edu.

Respect Life Mass & Pro Vita Awards

All are welcome to attend the Annual Diocesan Respect Life Mass on Sunday, January 20 at 12 Noon in the Cathedral. Bishop Checchio will present the 2019 Pro-Vita awards at this time, to defenders of human rights. This year’s recipients are Patricia Daly of Immaculate Conception Church in Annandale who is being recognized for her dedication to promoting the sanctity of human life in the parish and local community; and to Carolyn Glodek, a parishioner of St. John Vianney in Colonia who is very involved with Life Choices Resource Center in Metuchen, helping women facing unplanned pregnancies to choose life; and to William Tevald, a parishioner at Immaculate Conception Church in Annandale, who is heavily involved with setting up the St. Anne’s Center in Phillipsburg, a home for women who are pregnant and homeless. Please plan to attend as a show of support for these pro-life champions!

Immediately following Mass, a small reception will take place in the Community Room downstairs. Please call 732-562-1990 x1629 or x1543/t www.diometuchen.org.

8-Day Pilgrimage To France
July 7 - 14, 2019

Normandy, Lisieux, Mont-St.-Michel, Paris. There are 20 spots open for a July 7 - 14, 2019 pilgrimage to France hosted by the Cathedral Choir. No singing necessary. Just enjoy the tour. The cost is approximately $3,445 per person double occupancy, which includes round-trip economy class transportation Newark - Paris, accommodations at a first-class hotel (4 stars European standard), Masses at well known churches, entrance fees to all sights, tour guides, daily breakfast and some dinners, plus all ground transportation. RSVP to Choir@StFrancisCathedral.org.

World Youth Day

The Diocese of Metuchen invites all 8th - 12th graders to spend the day with youth from our diocese on Saturday, January 26, 2019 from 3:00 - 9:00 pm at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish, Three Bridges. They will be celebrating locally, as youth across the world observe World Youth Day in Panama. Bishop James F. Checchio will preside at a Mass, where he will recognize the recipients of the St. Timothy and St. Teresa Service Awards. This is a wonderful opportunity to meet youth from other parishes! Join us for this fun-filled day of food, music, prayer and reflection. Cost includes bus, admission, food, etc. and is non-refundable. Cost before Jan. 10: $25. Cost after Jan. 10: $30. (No Cost for Timothy Award Applicant). Permission slip necessary. Contact Sr. Maria Lan: sml@stfranciscathedral.org.
2018 Christmas Flower Donations
We are grateful to so many parishioners who have contributed to this year’s Christmas Flowers

In Memory Of
Joseph & Helen Buckewicz
Robert T. Donnenwirth, Jr.
Robert & Anne Hoffman
Paul & Nina Kozub
William & Mary Phillips
Phyllis Hoffmeister Grushewsky
Robert M. Kossick
George H. Perry
Gary J. Beyer
Ray Manzarek
Nicolas Perez
The Getty Family
Nicholas L. Santawasso
David Bixel
Anna Celmer
Koch, Erm & Switana Families
Yurkovic & Milan Families
Peter Trecolin
Tom Speckin
John J. & Dolores Swykowski
Tripod & Payne Families
Fernando Mendez
Ine Malinowski
Thomas Thompson
Burke & Sessa Families
Lenny Klein
The Bartnik Family
Maureen Scala
Frank & Adeline Adinolfe
Mae Leonard
Golian/Halasnik Families
Lynch/Toth Families
McHugh & Kabarec Families
The Burke Family
Msgr. Richard A. Behl
Nellie Lis
Bernard J. Lis
William Simms
Celia Simms
Pasquale “Pat” Sardone
Charles & Agnes Steuber
Evelyn & Joseph Sardone
Tyler Farris
Cynthia Faycik
Louis N. Del Vecchio
Ventrelli/DeCecco Family
Lucian Angelo Haid
Thomas Joseph Carey
John & Jeanette Pahira
Angeline & James Monek
Raffaele Marzella
Gaetana Polacco
Judith Sommerstein
Dorothy Mangieri
Tom Romeo
Viola & Clifford Conover
Lucille & Chester Grzankowski
John Dziombak
Clifford Conover, Jr.
Alexander Korch
Violet & Walter Palac
Josephine & Stanley Dziombak
John & Marie Salmosan
Grandparents of Louise Fowler
Bobby Bean
Maurice & Relatives
Yusup Noorbambang Boediono
Anna Maria Teresa Ratna - Dewi Tjahjaningsih
Al & Louise Serio
Tom Salagaj
Dooley/Fennessy/Clohessy/Ford Families
Willis P., Alice S., Mary ABrewer
John D. & Helen F. Fennessy
Barker/Savage Family
O’Connell/Gallagher Family
Charles A. Sr. & May F. Barker
Charles A. & Margaret O’C
Gallagher & Family

Eucharistic Ministers: Jan.12/13
5:00pm: K. Konick, P.John, L. Dalton,
E. Dick, N. Davis, E. Yunker, C.
Tomaro, K. Garner
7:00pm: M. Brosstoni, K. & R. Aiello,
F/M Firmanjshaj, D. Zensky, D. Reilly
7:30am: A. Pecht, A. McCadden,,
D. Monek, S&D Kovach, E. Lishinsky
9:00am: K. Kwiatkowski, A. Major,
R. Altz, J. Morrison, K. Schreck,
R. & M. A. Lawyer
10:30am: P. J. Bundoc, F. Corrente,
M. Garni, F. Belmont, R. M. Fuch,, R
Baran, R. Bonk, J. Grigo
12:00pm: F. Reyes, D. Rossi, C&C
Evangelista, L. Moriarty, A. Bautista,
J. & R. Baker

Lectors: January 12/13
5:00pm: Miriam DePasquale
7:00pm: Paul Zensky
7:30am: Ralph Quaglia
9:00am: James Dudley
10:30am: Mary & Mary Ellen
Malague
12:00pm: Catherine Murphy-Barron

Altar Servers: January 12/13
5:00pm Team 1
7:00pm Team 2
7:30am Team 3
9:00am Team 4
10:30am Team 5
12:00pm Team 6

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY:
Before setting the reception date,
contact Margaret Manza (732-548-
0100 x212) for initial information
about celebrating weddings at the
Cathedral. Proper preparation usually
requires one year advance planning.

FYI: If you are suffering after an
abortion, confidential, non-
judgmental help is available.
Experience God’s merciful love
and begin the healing journey:
Project Rachel -877-877-4300.