Cathedral of St. Francis of Assisi

32 Elm Avenue  Metuchen, NJ  08840

Most Rev. James F. Checchio, JCD, MBA
Bishop of Metuchen

Most Rev. Paul G. Bootkoski, D.D.
Bishop Emeritus

Rev. Msgr. Robert J. Zamorski, Rector
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Rev. John Werner  Parochial Vicar
Rev. Msgr. Joseph Celano,  In Residence

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Deacon Rick Fortune
Deacon Emeritus Frank J. Cammarano
Deacon Emeritus Paul G. Licameli
Deacon Emeritus Guido J. Brossoni
Deacon Emeritus Ed Olegario, M.D.

WEEKEND MASSES
Saturday Vigil  5:00 and 7:00 pm
Sunday        7:30, 9:00, 10:30 am; 12:00 noon

HOLY DAY MASSES
Vigil          5:00 pm
Feast Day      7:00, 8:00 am; 12:10, 7:00 pm

WEEKDAY MASSES
Monday-Friday  7:00, 8:00 am;
               12:10 pm (Rosary 11:45 am)
Thursday       7:30 pm Communion Serv. monthly
Saturday       8:00 am

MORNING PRAYER  Monday-Friday 7:40 am

Eucharistic Adoration  7:00 am—11:00 pm
                        (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.
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: 1:30 pm by appointment only (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 necessary for sponsorship certificates and, possibly, the administration of some sacraments.

- Advocates for Disabled: Jane Conlon & Janet Onufer Michael (548-0100)
- Lectors: Jerry LaPointe - pandj57@aol.com
- Ushers: Tom Hansen (548-0100)

- Adult Acolytes: John Grigo (548-0100)
- Body of Christ Prayer Group: Pam Gendlek-pzgendlek@comcast.net
- Cathedral Choirs: Folk - Steve Kirbos - steve@kirbos.net; Thom DeLessio:548-0100 x 235
- Eucharistic Adoration: Marie D’Amico - dghmad@aol.com
- Evangelization: Ralph Quaglia-rquaglia19@gmail.com
- Filipino/American Families: Gil Vendiola & Helen Vendiola (548-0100)
- Greeters: Robert/Susan Riolo (548-0100)
- Home School Assn. Co-Presidents: Angela Kelly/Brooke Garcia - HSA@stfranciscathedralschool.org
- Knights of Columbus: KofC3272.webs.com
- Legion of Mary: Wed. 7:00 pm - Rod Altz (548-0100)
- Marriage Encounter: Russ and Janet Baker - jnrbaker@optonline.net
- Marriage Prep: Pam Schleck-schleckfamily@gmail.com
- Mens’ Group: Tom Thomas-sfc.mensgroup@gmail.com
- MOMS Group: Sandra Spinelli (548-0100)
- Parish Historical Guild: Rod Altz (548-0100)
- Parish Prayer Tree: Belinda Coakes-sfprayertree@msn.com
- Rosary Altar Society: Carmela Guarnera (548-0100)
- Scripture Study: Pat Morgan - (548-0100)
- Widows/Widowers: naunijud@hotmail.com
Masses For The Week...

SUNDAY, August 27 - Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time
7:30am - Anastasia Lanning r/o Verna & Lori Sandbeck
9:00am - Carmine DiMeglio r/o Carol & Lenny
10:30am - Pablo Labao & Ernesto Almeda r/o Ernie & Nenet Almeda
Noon - Thomas McEvoy r/o Alisa Stephens

MONDAY, August 28 - Saint Augustine
7:00am - Anna May Moisewicz r/o Daughter Janet
8:00am - Brendan Ignatius Burke r/o Mom, Dad & Brian Xavier
12:10pm - Mary Kreiger r/o Kara Kwiatkowski & Family

TUESDAY, August 29 - Passion of Saint John the Baptist
7:00am - Ann Hopkins r/o Pat & Chris
8:00am - Dolores Washakowski r/o Suzanne Kover
12:10pm - Dr. Loleta Marfori r/o Deacon Ed & Amy Olegario

WEDNESDAY, August 30
7:00am - Eleanor Bordieri r/o Donna & Kathy Duncan
8:00am - Ann Burke Denes r/o Children
12:10pm - Peggyann Tuma r/o Adenau Family

THURSDAY, August 31
7:00am - Angela Quigley r/o Pat Walsh
8:00am - Michael Mauro r/o Noel & John Quinn
12:10pm - Anna Malfada de Bonis r/o Margaret Manza

FRIDAY, September 1 - First Friday
7:00am - Maryann Carlowicz r/o Scannelli Family
8:00am - Tom Salagaj r/o Wife
12:10pm - Gregg Luna r/o Norma Luna

SATURDAY, September 2
8:00am - (Liv.) Int. Joyce Gutierrez r/o Dad
5:00pm - Janet Watson r/o Popino Family
7:00pm - In Thanksgiving to St. Anthony r/o Evita & Lloydon Desa

SUNDAY, September 3 - Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time
7:30am - Bob Irizarry r/o Kathy Crusco
9:00am - Francis Domin r/o Christine Suchanek
10:30am - Halina Nowakowski r/o Husband Marian
Noon - Rose Lydia Cruz r/o Michelle Buffa

The Sanctuary Candle for this week
has been donated
in honor of
Jayne DeWitt
by Anne O’Leary
(in the Cathedral)
SERVING OVERSEAS: In Korea: Ryan McCadden; and for all those serving in Covert Operations

SICK: Marilyn Burlington, Georgean Pichalski, Elizabeth Savner Janice Grigo, Amy Olegario Kathy Byram, Joyce Martin, Kathleen Lorence, Vittoria Hillis, Geraldine Yavor, Joe & Ellie Markano, Patricia Wakeman

DECEASED: Jeremiah O’Sullivan, Husband of Debra Blaha, Mother of Judi Monteleone, Jerry Young, John Witkowski, Mother-in-Law of Theresa Lambertucci, Viola Skeba

...and all those recommended in the Book of Intentions

GOD’S PLAN FOR GIVING

Tithing

Bulletin was published before tithing amounts were received.

e-Giving: Please consider using our parish e-Giving program. Sign up at:

http://www.stfranciscathedral.org/faithdirect/

Donate Your Vehicle

Please donate your vehicle to Catholic Charities, Diocese of Metuchen. Funds from the sale of donated vehicles support our programs for the poor in need across Middlesex, Somerset, Hunterdon and Warren counties.

• Donated vehicles are tax deductible
• Free pick-up is available
• Vehicles do not need to be running

Visit www.ccdom.org/cars/1-877-999-8322 to get started.

FYI: Immaculate Conception Church, Somerville, is hosting REBOOT LIVE! a life-changing event with internationally acclaimed speaker/author Chris Stefanik on November 7, 2017 from 7:00 - 9:30pm. Ticket Cost:20. Info: www.reallifecatholic.com/REBOOT or call 908-725-1112.

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 the Rectory for details and availability.)

—Sanctuary Candles: available weekly in The Cathedral and The Lady Chapel. (Donation: $20. Enclose in envelope with information and place in collection basket or mail 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.

—The Cathedral Music Ministry Fund: Memorial gifts in the name of loved ones may be made to support the Cathedral music ministry and choirs. Memorialize a Hymnal at a cost of $20 per book. Please inquire at the parish office.

If you are interested in any of these opportunities, please phone the Rectory at 732-548-0100 x210.

Keep up with Bishop Checchio around the diocese

The Bishop’s schedule and more can be found on our diocesan website: http://diometuchen.org/bishop/

Catholic Center at Rutgers, New Brunswick

The Catholic Center at Rutgers strives to help students feel welcome and supported in an environment which is diverse, questioning and sometimes challenging to their faith. It is a home away from home where students can relax and enjoy friends, discuss issues, study and pray. The Catholic Center is located next to St. Peter’s Church at 94 Somerset Street, New Brunswick. Bishop Emeritus Paul Bootkoski referred to St. Peter Catholic Church as “the University parish for the Catholic Community at Rutgers.”

The Church is undergoing interior renovations, so all weekend Masses will be celebrated in the Parish Hall. There is a 5:00pm Saturday Vigil Mass. Sunday Masses are at 7:00, 9:00, 11:00am. The 8:00pm Student Mass will change to 6:00pm beginning Sept. 3. Daily Mass in the Catholic Center is at 7:30am Mondays through Fridays and 12:15pm Mondays through Thursdays. Reconciliation is on Saturday from 11:00am - noon or by appointment.

--Office for Persons with Disabilities has a 24-hour Prayer Line for those who desire prayer for special needs. Email: catholicswithdisabilities@gmail.com or call 732-765-6431.
Parish Notes...

Rectory Summer Hours
Throughout the summer, the Rectory Office will be open Mondays through Thursdays from 9:00am - 5:00pm; on Fridays from 9:00am - noon.

–SFCSchool faculty and staff will have In-Service days on Wednesday and Thursday. Please consult the school calendar on page 8 for further information.

–THIS WEEKEND: Tickets will be available for the Philippine Madrigal Singers’ concert, Instruments of Peace, which will be held in the Cathedral on Sunday, September 24 at 4:00pm. Admission Cost: $30. First come, first seated. A reception in the Community Room will follow the concert.

–TUESDAY: A Prayer Group meets at 1:00pm in the Joseph Room.

–THURSDAY: The Body of Christ Prayer Group meets at 7:30pm in the Cathedral Community Room.

–FRIDAY: Members of the Legion of Mary meet at 11:00am in the JPII Room; Rectory Office closes at noon.

–SUNDAY: Farewell Reception for Fr. John Kavas following noon Mass (see next column).

Registration Forms for Middle School Youth Group and High School Youth Group are in the pamphlet racks at the Cathedral entrances. Registration will be accepted from June through the end of October. No Registrations will be accepted after October 31, 2017. Thank you, parents, for all your support!

–Sister Maria Lan

Advance Notice: The civil observance of Labor Day will take place on Monday, September 4. One Mass will be celebrated in the Cathedral at 9:00am. The Rectory Office will be closed.

FYI: Scout troop leaders must email Mrs. Kara Kwiatkowski at kkwiatkowski@stfranciscathedral.org their requests for using Parish facilities for the upcoming school year. Troop leaders must submit their room requests to: SFCYOCordinator@gmail.com. Having met on a certain day/time last year does not guarantee the same day/time for next year.

A Fond Farewell
Father John Kavas will leave for India on September 11th. In order to express our gratitude to Father John for his years of service and friendship at our Cathedral parish, a Farewell Reception will be given for him on Sunday, September 3rd. The reception will take place in the Cathedral Community Room following Noon Mass. We hope that many parishioners will come out to wish Father John well and Godspeed on his journey.

Give Our Catholic Schools A Try
Catholic Schools in the Diocese of Metuchen link living our faith with academic excellence. It’s a proven formula that leads to success in the classroom and in life. If you are new to this area or desire a faith-filled school experience for your child, we invite you to learn more about the Catholic school advantage. In the Diocese of Metuchen, we are proud to offer 23 Catholic elementary schools and four Catholic high schools located throughout Middlesex, Somerset, Hunterdon and Warren counties. Enrollment is available for students in Pre-k through Grade 12. Learn more and find a complete list at: http://diometuchen.org/schools.
If you are looking for a quality Pre School Program for your 3 or 4 year old, look no further than St. Francis Cathedral School! We offer a two half-day program for 3 year olds and three and five full-day programs for 4 year olds. Please call our school office at 732-548-3107.

Golden/Silver Wedding Anniversaries
Couples observing 25th or 50th Wedding Anniversaries are cordially invited to celebrate with the Church of Metuchen. Renew your marriage vows at a special Evening Prayer Service celebrated by Bishop James Checchio here in the Cathedral on Sunday, September 17, 2017 at 4:00 p.m. Application forms may be secured by contacting your parish office or by logging on to the diocesan website: http://diometuchen.org/marriage-enrichment/. Kindly note that this form can be typed on and printed out but cannot be forwarded. If you wish to keep the information, it must be SAVED AS a word document in your computer.
Forms must be signed by your priest, pastoral minister or deacon and returned to the Family Life Office by the Parish Office. Application forms will be accepted by the Family Life Office until the deadline for registration, Friday, September 1st. A confirmation letter with further details will be sent once your application has been processed. For additional information, please call the Family Life Office (732-562-1990 x4573)/ mfonseca@diometuchen.org.
Protecting God’s Children
Our parish offers opportunities to attend the “Protecting God’s Children” workshop which is designed for anyone who has significant contact with children. Therefore, new faculty, CCD Teachers, Coaches, Scout Leaders and all other new volunteers must register for one Protecting God’s Children session. Participants are asked to register online at www.virtus.org, then follow the directions to register. You may also phone 732-767-0415 with questions about registering. Upcoming Cathedral Sessions, all of which will be in the Solarium:
   - Wednesday, Sept. 6 from 7:00 -10:00pm
   - Saturday, Sept. 9 from 9:00 - 12:00pm
   - Saturday, Sept. 16 from 9:00am - 12:00pm

St. Francis Cathedral Parish Picnic
Sunday - September 17
1:00pm - 5:00pm
Grounds of St. Joseph High School

All parishioners are invited to an afternoon of good food, fellowship, music and fun for all ages. Lots of games and activities for children. The Parish Picnic is always a great day of camaraderie among our parish family. Join us.

Marriage Encounter
With summer winding down, why not consider treating yourselves to the special gift of a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend? This weekend will give you the time and tools to revitalize romance, deepen communication, and nourish the spirituality in your marriage. The next WWMEW will be held October 13 - 15. Early registration is advisable as space is limited. Phone 1-732-904-9636 or visit www.aweekendforyourmarriage.org for information.

Classic/Custom Cruise Night
Our Lady of Peace Church, Fords, is sponsoring a “Classic/Custom Cruise Night” on Saturday, September 16 at the Parish Center parking lot from 5:00 - 9:00pm. Admission is free and there will be great food, a DJ, and vendors in addition to beautiful autos. Call 732-738-7940 x27 with questions.

Catholic Rural Life Mass
Bishop Checchio will offer Mass for all those engaged in farming and agricultural related businesses today, Sunday, August 27 at 5:00pm at St. Ann Parish, 6 Church Street, Hampton. Coordinator of the newly created Catholic Rural Life Ministry is Fr. Michael Saharic, pastor of St. Ann Parish. Families and individuals who are involved in all aspects of agricultural production and services, such as tree farmers and nursery, horticultural, landscapers and lawn care service providers and home or community gardeners and bee keepers are invited to attend. Fellowship and light reception will follow Mass.

Sisters of Mercy Golf Classic
The 23rd annual Sisters of Mercy Golf Classic will take place on Tuesday, September 26 at beautiful Spring Lake Golf Club. “Fore” all the details on this event, which benefits our retired Sisters, please call Linda Cavallo at 908-756-0994 x4006 or email: lcavallo@mercymidlantic.org.

NEEDED: IDENTIFICATION
In today’s Gospel, Jesus asks His disciples “Who do you say that I am?” Do you know someone who is trying to find an answer to that question—and other questions about God, Jesus or the Catholic Church? Bring them to an Inquiry Session, held every Wednesday evening, 7:30 – 8:30pm. Participation in a session does not require a commitment to belong to the Catholic Faith Family. Anyone who is unbaptized, baptized into a non-Catholic Christian denomination, or baptized Catholic but never received First Eucharist and Confirmation, is invited to come and inquire about the God to whom we can entrust our burdens and the Catholic faith community who can help us to develop a relationship with God. For more information call Sara at RCIA – 732-562-1990 x 1633

Religious Education News
The Religious Education Office has moved. Although it is still in the Parish Center, its location has changed. Please access the Religious Ed Office through the main entrance on Library Place.

Religious Education needs volunteer catechists to help share our faith with students. Catechist training will be provided. If you are available to assist us on Monday or Thursday from 4:00 - 5:05pm, or once a month at our Family Centered on Sunday morning, call Religious Education Office at 732-548-0100 x226.
"Whatever you bind on earth shall be bound in heaven; and whatever you loose on earth shall be loosed in heaven."

-- Matthew 16:19

THE ROCK

Peter was Jesus' choice to lead the fragile band of Apostles. In today's Gospel, Simon is given a new name--Peter, the "rock." In John's Gospel, Peter is called to be a shepherd. He is expected to lay down his life for his sheep. And tradition tells us that he did just that. But today we think about the durable rocklike quality that Jesus needed in a leader.

Peter was appointed to his leadership position for reasons we are not able to fathom. God knows, and Jesus knew well, that Peter was flawed. We cannot mistake his enthusiasms, though, his manifest love, and his great, exuberant faith. Those virtues saw him through. They are durable, tough, beautiful virtues. They make Peter a sympathetic and lovable person. They provide us with the balance and humor that we need as we consider our own roles in the universal church.

BE A ROCK

Peter's history as a follower or friend of Jesus is a bit spotty. It might be natural to wonder if Jesus, in giving him the keys to the kingdom, didn't feel a bit like a parent giving a teenager the keys to the family car. But it was at the moment when God’s power and presence broke through everything else to raise up Peter’s great profession of faith in Christ as Messiah that Jesus chose to establish the bond between the loving, forgiving mercy of heaven and our vocation to be witnesses of that love, mercy, and forgiveness on earth.

Like any parent, Jesus no doubt foresaw the failings, the irresponsible maneuvers or impaired senses, the collisions that the church would be headed for. But, most importantly, He also saw us at that moment as God prefers to see us: capable of manifesting great faith, with a willingness to remain at the feet of Christ to understand what it truly means to be Messiah and Christ. As the letter to the Romans points out to us today, we have not known the mind or the wisdom of God, but God knows us and still chooses to manifest the reign of justice, joy, beauty, and peace through us. Let this be our vocation. Let us always strive to be solid ground on which the church of Jesus Christ can be founded and on which it can continue to be built.
Life In The Spirit

“Remember that the Church was born on Pentecost”

–Pope Francis

What will your personal Pentecost do? It can bring the scriptures to life for you, teach you how to love and forgive others as Jesus does, and help you possess the grace and courage to share the Good News. You can learn how to be filled with the Holy Spirit through a Life in the Spirit Seminar. It takes place on Thursday evenings at 7:30pm in the Cathedral Community Room beginning September 14 and going through October 26. Contact Tom Mockoviak at 732-549-4740 or mockofam@optonline.net for more information.

Remember, Pope Francis directs us to “share with everyone in the Church the grace of baptism in the Holy Spirit.”

Diocese of Metuchen Catholic Cemeteries invites you to the Dedication Mass of the Mausoleum of the Holy Spirit on Saturday, September 9 at 10:00am at Resurrection Cemetery, Piscataway. Most Rev. James Checchio, Bishop of the Diocese of Metuchen, will be the presider. Refreshments will be served following Mass. Call 800-943-8400.

Keep Jesus Company and help keep Eucharistic Adoration on-going at SFC. There are several hours lacking committed adorers. Emboldened hours are especially critical. Can you commit to one hour per week?

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Contact Marie D’Amico: dghmad@aol.com/732-906-6537

Spirituality of Knitting Retreat

Come explore how the work of your hands is also the work of our Creator’s hands! Through shared prayer services, presentations, daily Mass and plenty of time to craft in community, we will explore the Spirituality of Knitting at Marianist Family Retreat Center in Cape May on September 12 - 15 (3 nights mid-week). All who knit, crochet or needlecraft with some experience are welcome. Cost of $150 includes program, lodging and meals. Register online at www.capemaymarianists.org or call 609-884-3829.

St. Francis Cathedral School

Tentative Calendar 2017 - 2018

Please Note School Hours: 7:50 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.

30, 31 AUGUST - In Service - No School

SEPTEMBER

4 Labor Day - No School
5 School Opens for 1st - 8th grades. Noon dismissal
6 1st day Pre-K & K; Full Day Pre-K - 8th grades
6 Hot Lunch Program begins
8 Noon dismissal
13 Middle School Back-to-School Night - 7 pm
20 K - 5 Back to School Night - 7pm

OCTOBER

NOVEMBER

21 Noon dismissal
22 Noon dismissal
23-24 Thanksgiving Holiday - No School

DECEMBER

8 Immaculate Conception - No School
22 Noon dismissal
25-29 Christmas Holiday - No School

JANUARY

FEBRUARY

1 No School
2 School Re-opens
5 Noon dismissal
15 M.L. King, Jr. - No School
19 President’s Day - No School

MARCH

2 Noon dismissal
28 Student Spirituality Day - Noon dismissal
29-30 School Closed

APRIL

2-6 Easter Holiday - No School
13 Noon dismissal

MAY

4 Noon dismissal
25 Professional Day - No School
28 Memorial Day - No School

JUNE

7 8th Grade Graduation
8 K Graduation; Pre-K 4 Yr. Formal Promotion
11 New K & Pre-K Orientation
12 DARE Graduation
13-14 Noon dismissal
15 Last Day - 10:30am dismissal

Please Note: Some Noon dismissals are on Fridays
School Backpacks are requested for our annual distribution to children and families in need. Backpacks may be filled with some of the following: binders, filler paper, folders, notebooks, day planners, pencils, pens, colored pencils, markers, highlighters, glue sticks, scissors, erasers. Please drop off at Social Concerns in the Parish Center (548-0100 x225). Your generosity to this effort every year is very much appreciated.

Help Support Catholic Charities: Please support our local poverty relief services by donating gently used clothing, bedding, shoes, small household items and small appliances. A Drop Box is located in our CYO parking lot and at Edison Family Service Center, 26 Safran Avenue, Edison. Contact 1-877-343-3651.

Journey Though Grief Step II: A program that addresses the second phase of grieving a loss. It is a once-a-month program that helps people redefine their lives after loss. First Meeting of the New Season: Tuesday, September 12 at 7:00pm in the Solarium. Jessie Flynn (732-895-2563)/Jo Flanigan:548-0100x225.

JOB BANK: Pick up students from school and watch them from 3:00 - 6:00pm, Monday - Friday, call 732-672-6405. Part-time after school child care, North Edison, 201-207-5184. Certified Nurse’s Assistant seeking morning home care, call Social Concerns (732-548-0100 X225); woman seeking position as live-in, call Social Concerns. Diocesan Position: Administrative Position in Office of Worship, assisting the director in preparing diocesan liturgical celebrations. The ideal candidate will be a practicing Catholic with communications/organizational skills and computer proficiency. Cover letter/resume: HR@diometuchen.org.

Misc.: Woman seeking home in 2-family house with private entrance and cooking facilities, Soc. Con.:732-548-0100 x225

St. Joseph Retreat
Join us at Mount Alvernia Retreat Center, Wappingers Falls, NY on September 1, 2 & 3 for the annual St. Joseph Retreat. Come away and spend some time with Jesus. Weekend is full of activity and reflective time. There will be talks by Franciscan Friars, Group reflection, Eucharistic Adoration and Celebration, Faith Sharing, etc. $180 pp includes bus transportation, meals, private room/bath and activities. Facility is fully air conditioned and handicap accessible. For questions call 732-356-0027 or Edith Brizzi at 908-581-3545.

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W-E-E-K-A-T-A GLANCE

This Weekend: Madrigal Singers Concert Tickets
TUE - Prayer Group, 1:00pm, JR
THU - Body of Christ Prayer Group, 7:30pm, CCR
FRI - Legion of Mary, 11:00am, JPII
- Rectory closes at noon
SUN - Farewell Reception for Fr. John Kavas, 1:00pm
Advance Notice: Labor Day, Monday, September 4
Rectory Closed, one Mass at 9:00am

Eucharistic Ministers: Sept. 2/3
5:00pm C. Coleman, L. Dalton, S. Francis, D. Reilly, C. Saggese, S. Tamasco, J. Franklin, J. Onufer
7:00pm J. Pasquale, J.G-Campbell, M.&W. Manza, N. Davis, J. Bundoc
7:30am S. Riolo, J.K. Burke, C. Kozak, D. Monek, J. Carey, R. Dowdy,
9:00am P. Zensky, R. Altz, R. Quaglia, L. Moriarty, P. John, A. Cirilelli, T./N. Rossi
10:30am F. Belmont, S./A. Silva, D. Pappalardo, M. Garni, R. & R. Coquia, A. Bianchini
12:00pm E. Swan, P. Morgan, S. Fernandez, J. M. Hernandez, R. Cron, M. Kolomatis, D. Rossi

Lectors: Sept. 2/3
5:00pm: Al & Judy Kendzia/7:00: Jerry LaPointe
7:30am: Kathleen Burke/9:00am: Russell Lawyer
10:30am: Michael McCunney/12:00pm: Joachim Licameli

Altar Servers - Sept. 2/3
5:00pm Team 23 7:00pm Team 24
7:30am Team 25 9:00am Team 26
10:30am Team 27 12:00pm Team 28

Mother Seton Gala Evening
Mother Seton Regional High School, Clark announces the 2017 Gala Evening of Celebration and Recognition. Alumnae, family and friends are invited to attend. The festivities will include cocktail hour, hors d’oeuvres, a pasta station and carving station. A Silent Auction is also planned. The event will be held on Friday evening, September 22 from 6:30 - 10:30pm at The Westwood in Garwood. For info or to purchase tickets, contact school at 732-382-1952 x175 or email: Gala@motherseton.org.

Rent-A-Team-Of-Teens: A volunteer program to help with 4-season indoor/outdoor clean-ups. It can be used for helping with summer or fall cleaning or whatever chores you need accomplished. No cost to you but donations gladly accepted. Contact Sr. Maria Lan: 732-770-2506.