Cathedral of St. Francis of Assisi

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BLUE RIBBON SCHOOL

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www.StFrancisCathedralSchool.org

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  7:00am—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.
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 needed for sponsorship certificates and, possibly, the administration of some sacraments.

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Parish Contacts

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

- **PARISH GROUPS** -
  - Adult Acolytes: John Grigo (548-0100)
  - Body of Christ Prayer Group: PamGendlek-pzgendlek@comcast.net
  - Cathedral Choirs: Thom DeLessio: tdelessio@diometuchen.org, 548-0100 x 235 Folk - Steve Kirbos - steve@kirbos.net;
  - 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: Fri. 11:00 am - 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: sandra@spinelli.us
  - Parish Historical Guild: Rod Altz (548-0100)
  - Parish Prayer Tree: Belinda Coakes-sfprayermtree@msn.com
  - Rosary Altar Society: Carmela Guarnera (548-0100)
  - Scripture Study: Pat Morgan - (548-0100)
  - Widows/Widowers: naunijud@hotmail.com

- **SOCIAL MINISTRY - 548-0100 x 225**
  - Support Groups (as scheduled):
    - Bereavement: Separated/Divorced Caregivers: Prayer Shawl Ministry
  - Pro Life: contact Elaine Yunker - elbo1974@yahoo.com
  - Nat Fam Planning Hotline: 800-334-0699/562-1990 x1623
  - Ozanam (Provide-A-Meal) Committee
  - Friendly Visitors (Visit with elderly or homebound)
  - Elizabeth Ministry (Share sanctity of life with mothers/mothers-to-be)
  - Social Concerns Committee (Serves the poor confidentially)
  - Intrfaith Network of Care: Volunteers for homebound
  - Unemployment Support Group (Networking)
Masses For The Week...

SUNDAY, February 18 - First Sunday of Lent
7:30am  - Jim DeMary r/o Wife
9:00am  - Marianna Pugliese r/o Mr. & Mrs. Pasquale Calello
10:30am - Bill Zatorski - 10th Anniversary r/o Bea & Family
Noon   - Frank Zilinski r/o Family

MONDAY, February 19 - Civil Observance of President’s Day
*9:00am - Lenny Klein r/o Carol

TUESDAY, February 20
7:00am  - Living & Deceased St. Francis Parishioners
8:00am  - Mildred D’Aloisio r/o Bea Zatorski
12:10pm - Eric Malinowski r/o Mother & Family

WEDNESDAY, February 21 - Saint Peter Damian
7:00am  - Janet Winkler r/o Kurt Winkler
8:00am  - Angelo, Paula & Ronald Clericuzio r/o Frank & Naomi Clericuzio
12:10pm - Cuppari Family r/o Maria & Agostino Pugliese

THURSDAY, February 22 - The Chair of Saint Peter the Apostle
7:00am  -(Liv.) Int. Ben Chua r/o Cecelia Florentino & SP1O Adopted Daughters
8:00am  - Frank & Anna Gurovich r/o Family
12:10pm - Carrie Sales r/o K Family

FRIDAY, February 23 - Saint Polycarp
7:00am  - John Pirigyi r/o Williams Family
8:00am  - Fannie Tonzola r/o Nancy Steingart
12:10pm - Elizabeth Sequeira r/o Gregory Sequeira

SATURDAY, February 24
8:00am  - Peggy Phillips r/o Family
5:00pm  - Winifred & Michael Keavney r/o Bea Zatorski
7:00pm  - Stephen Fisco r/o Taxeras Family

SUNDAY, February 25 - Second Sunday of Lent
7:30am  - Bernardine Franklin r/o Son John Franklin, Jr.
9:00am  - Msgr. Richard A. Behl r/o Lombardi Family
10:30am - Mildred D’Aloisio r/o Napolitano Family
Noon   - James Wall r/o Family

The Sanctuary Candle for this week has been donated in loving memory of Mary Piderit by The Heyden Family (in the Cathedral)

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY: Before arranging the Reception, contact Margaret Manza (548-0100 x212) for initial information about celebrating weddings at the Cathedral. Proper preparation usually requires one year advance planning.
SERVING OVERSEAS: In Bulgaria: John Paul Moore II; and for all those serving in Covert Operations


...and 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:

–The Cathedral Pipe Organ Restoration Fund: Memorials in the name of loved ones may be made to support the restoration of the Cathedral pipe organ. Memorial pipes of various sizes are available for $ 100, $ 300, $500, or $ 1,000. Major gift opportunities also are available. Please inquire at the Rectory Office at 732-548-0100 x210.

–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 place in collection basket or mail or bring to the 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.

Bible Study -- David the King

David is the paradigmatic king in the Old Testament. His kingship recalls that of Adam in the Garden of Eden. Adam did not fulfill his kingly responsibility. Like Adam, David fell and his reign ushered in a succession of compromised kings. King David causes us to look back toward Adam’s kingship and forward to Christ the King, seeing Christ as the fulfillment of the Davidic line and the realization of the Kingdom of God on earth. Bishop Barron’s program helps us to understand this pivotal figure in light of the first king and the King of Kings. Come join us on Thursdays after the noon Mass or at 7:15pm in the downstairs meeting rooms of the Parish Center. Pat Morgan (732-5489-743) will lead afternoon sessions and Art Paltz (732-494-5221) will lead the evening sessions. An optional $25 workbook is available.

GOD’S PLAN FOR GIVING

Tithing

Thank you for your generosity the weekend of 2/11:
Envelopes & Loose Cash $17,994
Electronic Offerings $ 8,333
Total $26,327

e-Giving: Please consider using our parish e-Giving program. Sign up at: http://www.stfranciscathedral.org/FaithDirect/

Office for Persons with Disabilities: 24 Hour Prayer Line: Our Diocesan Office for Persons with Disabilities has a 24 hour Prayer Line for those who desire prayer for special needs. If you, a family member or friend would like to be remembered in prayer for a temporary or permanent illness, please call us and leave a detailed message at 732-765-6431.
Parish Notes...
--During the Lenten Season, the different Rites/Scrutinies of the RCIA process are being celebrated at various Masses. The Rite of Sending was celebrated at this weekend’s 5:00pm Mass.

--THIS WEEKEND: Scrip is available for purchase.

--Sunday at 3:00 p.m Bishop Checchio will celebrate the Rite of Election for Catechumens (persons preparing for Baptism) and the Rite of Calling Candidates to Continuing Conversion (those baptized persons preparing to be received into full communion with the Church). These Rites prepare them for receiving the Sacraments of Initiation at the Easter Vigil. A reception in the Community Room will follow.

--MONDAY: President’s Day is observed. Please pray for the leaders of our country, past and present. One Mass will be celebrated at 9:00am. The Rectory is closed, as is SFCSchool and there is no CCD.

--Tuesday: Prayer Group meets at 1:00pm in the JP II Room; SFC New Family Registration at 6:00 - 7:30pm in the Community Room; Men’s Group meets at 7:30pm in the Solarium.

--WEDNESDAY: MOMS’ Group meets at 9:15am in the Mary Room/SFR; Bereavement continues at 7:00pm in the Joseph Room; SFC presents a Patriotic Program at 7:00pm in the Community Room; Body of Christ Prayer Group Pastoral Team meets at 7:30pm in the JP II Room.

--THURSDAY: SFC School Tour at 9:00am; Bible Study of David the King continues in the JP II Room at 1:00pm or 7:15pm as you prefer; Body of Christ Prayer Group meets at 7:30pm in the Community Room.

--FRIDAY: Legion of Mary at 11:00am in the JP II Room; Stations of the Cross will be prayed at 12:50pm and 7:30pm. Join us as we journey with Christ to Calvary; SFC School Stations will be prayed at 1:30pm; the first of the meetings for YG Living Stations takes place at 5:00 - 7:00pm in SJB Room; children in Group 1 will receive First Penance in the Cathedral at 6:00pm.

--SATURDAY: Children in Group 2 will receive First Penance in the Cathedral at 11:00am.

--SUNDAY: MSYG Meeting, 6:30 - 8:00pm, CYO

Bishop James F. Checchio received a note of gratitude from John Garvey, president of The Catholic University of America. A special collection was taken up throughout every diocese to sustain this institution of higher learning, which is under the auspices of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops. The bishop was both pleased and grateful that you, the faithful of the Diocese of Metuchen, responded so generously, with a contribution amounting to $30, 670. On behalf on Bishop Checchio, thank you and God bless you all.

2018 Bishop’s Annual Appeal
Lighting a Fire in the Heart of Our World
By now you have received a letter from Bishop Checchio inviting your participation in the 2018 Bishop’s Annual Appeal. The diocesan ministries supported by the Appeal directly impact many of the parishioners here in St. Francis of Assisi Cathedral Parish. Your gift provides formation opportunities for our catechists, youth and young adults. Among other important ministries, your sacrificial gift supports our renewed efforts in Evangelization & Communication.

If you have yet to make your pledge to this year’s Bishop’s Annual Appeal, you will have the opportunity to do so next weekend, February 24/25, which has been assigned Bishop’s Annual Appeal In-Pew Weekend. Please prayerfully consider a gift to the Bishop’s Annual Appeal to help our parish reach its goal. If we can exceed our goal, 50% of the amount collected over goal will be returned to us in the form of a parish rebate. Just as important as our financial goal is our goal of reaching 100% participation. Every gift, no matter the size, is important and greatly appreciated. Thank you. St. Francis’ Parish Goal is $343,000.

You’re Invited to Life Choices Resource Center’s Annual Charity Banquet
“Visions of Love”
Sunday, February 25, 2018 (4pm-8pm)
Pines Manor, Edison, NJ
INSPIRATIONAL KEYNOTE SPEAKER:
Shari Richard of www.Unborn.com
Tickets are $65.00 per person
For more information call: (732) 516-0911
Or visit www.LifeChoicesRC.com
Catholic School 2018-2019 Tuition Assistance
Online Application Process OPEN

Families interested in applying for tuition assistance to attend an eligible Diocese of Metuchen Catholic elementary or high school may do so now. The application process is online through FACTS Grant & Aid Assessment. Online applications must be completed (including supporting documentation) by no later than Saturday, March 31, 2018. Applications are available in English & Spanish. Families that need assistance completing the online application, or need access to the technology to apply, may register for one of the two Application Workshops, which will be held in 2 locations in February www.diometuchen.org/tuition-assistance and follow the Workshops link.

Summer Camp 2018 Has Arrived! Camp will run for eight weeks beginning on June 18 and ending on August 10. Our program is open to all children ages 4 - 13. Campers will go on weekly trips, participate in daily activities and swim at the Metuchen Pool twice a week. They will also participate in arts & crafts, Gym, Computers and outdoor play. If you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Rizzo at 732-548-3107/RizzoM@stfranciscathedralschool.org. All forms available at www.stfranciscathedralschool.org under the parents/students tab, then go to summer camp.

RCIA
RITE OF ELECTION: On the first Sunday of Lent, in every diocese throughout the world, catechumens celebrate, with their Bishop, the Rite of Election and candidates celebrate, with their Bishop, the Rite of Calling Candidates to Continuing Conversion. Catechumen (unbaptized), Dana Abbey, from our parish will join candidates and catechumens from other parishes in the Diocese on Sunday afternoon at the Cathedral: Dana’s journey to Reception into the Catholic Church has been a gradual process which has taken place within this parish. The Rite of Election, for the Catechumens and the Rite of Calling Candidates To Continuing Conversion is one of the various steps in that process and it marks the end of the catechumenate phase and the beginning of the next phase, called purification and enlightenment; a more intense preparation for the sacraments which coincides with the Lenten Season. We, the entire parish community, have the primary responsibility for Dana’s preparation, through our prayers, our example and our participation in the various Rites. She cannot move into the next phase or be recognized for her progress by Bishop Checchio at The Rite of Election without our recommendation. Her catechists and sponsor have publicly declared that she is ready to live faithfully the commitment of the sacraments she will receive with us. Based on that discernment, we, her parish family send her today to the Rite of Election, and invite Dana to fuller participation in our parish: preaching the Good News, prayer, reconciliation, worship and service - for the life of the world. Dana, who will be baptized at the Easter Vigil, now known as a Catechumen, will, after the Rite of Election, be called an Elect.

Prayer Cards for Dana are at all of the entrances. If you did not take one last week, we invite you to take one now and become a spiritual sponsor for her. She needs our prayers, encouragement, support, etc., as she enters the final period of her preparation to receive the Sacraments of Initiation. A nice way to show your support is to drop her a note. Please put her name on the envelope, c/o RCIA, and drop it off at the Rectory, or in the collection basket.

Give The Gift of Faith: More and more Catholics are responding to the idea of giving a gift that perpetuates faith. Please consider remembering St. Francis Cathedral Parish in your will. By doing so, you establish a legacy of love for others by enabling our Parish to respond to the needs of our faith community through its many ministries. For information on naming St. Francis parish and/or the Diocese of Metuchen in your will, please call the diocesan Stewardship & Development Office at 732-562-2433.

LENTEN Opportunities

LENT has just begun. These six weeks are a time of preparation for Holy Week and the great Feast of the Resurrection. Take advantage of the many opportunities offered at the Cathedral for spiritual renewal.

Daily Mass: Monday - Friday, 7:00, 8:00am; 12:10pm; Saturdays at 8:00am.

Lenten Morning Prayer: Monday - Friday, 7:40am.
Rosary: Monday - Friday, 11:45am; Saturday, 8:45am, preceded by Novena to Our Lady.
Bible Study: Thursdays, 1:00pm & 7:15pm, JPII Room
Lenten Mission: March 19, 20 & 21 directed by Sister Miriam Heidland, SOLT. Sr. Miriam is a renowned speaker - - don’t miss your chance to hear her.
Eucharistic Adoration: Lady Chapel, Monday through Friday, 7:00am - 11:00pm.
Friday Stations of the Cross: 12:50pm and 7:30pm; March 23 at 7:30pm is Mary’s Way of the Cross.
Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturdays, 1:00 - 2:00pm & 6:00 - 6:30pm or by appointment; not on Holy Saturday, March 31.
Living Stations of the Cross: Presented by the Youth of the Cathedral Parish on Palm Sunday, March 25, 7:00pm
“Your ways, O Lord, make known to me; teach me your paths.” –Psalm 25:4

THE MEANING OF OUR BAPTISM
Lent is the time of year that we devote to scrutinizing our lives in the light of our baptism into the death and resurrection of Jesus. Today's readings are a nice shorthand catechism of what our baptized lives mean. As Noah passed through the waters of the flood to a covenant with God, so did we enter into a covenant, a promised relationship with God through our baptism. The psalm reminds us that if we truly keep the covenant, the way of life God expects us to follow will not be a burden, but a source of love and truth. Peter's letter gives one explanation of what our baptism means: it is an appeal that we make to God for a clear conscience. How do we obtain this clear conscience? The words that Jesus proclaims immediately following His temptation show us the way: "Repent and believe in the gospel." It might be a good spiritual exercise to keep these readings before us throughout the entire season of Lent, a means to help us return to a life lived in our baptismal promises.

PEOPLE OF THE COVENANT
If there is one word that stands out in today's readings, it is "covenant." God's faithfulness and goodness serve as examples to us of how to live. Genesis tells the story of Noah and of God's covenant not only with all people, but with all of nature. Never will the cleansing waters of the flood bring their destructive power to all the earth again. The sign, the reminder to both God and nature, is the rainbow in the heavens.

The psalm reminds us of this compassion of God, and begs God to remember us, not because of our goodness, but because of God's goodness and fidelity to the promise. God shows us how to be good, not by decree, but by example.
Respect Life Contests

All students in grades 1 - 8 are invited to participate in the Respect Life Poster Contest. High School students are invited to create a Youtube video by interviewing someone facing a challenge. Theme for both: How Can You Share Your Life With Another Person Who is Different From Yourself and is facing Challenges or Problems in Life? Contest is open to all Catholic School, Religious Education and Home Schooled children. First Place Winners receive a Cash Prize. For contest details, visit http://diometuchen.org or call 732-562-1990 x1543 or 1629.

Living Stations of the Cross

Middle School & High School Youth Group

Living Stations of the Cross will be presented on Palm Sunday, March 25 at 7:00pm in the Cathedral. Please encourage your children to participate in and be committed to this project. The Living Stations will give everyone a chance to pray, reflect and meditate on the love Jesus has for each of us as shown through His suffering and death on the cross. Initial meeting is Friday, February 23 at 5:00pm in the St. John Bosco Room of the Parish Center. Sister will talk to the children about the characters, and parts will be given out. A light supper will be provided for the children after each practice and parents are invited to volunteer to prepare a meal by giving name/phone # and date to Sister. Additional Practices, all from 5:00 - 7:00pm will be in the Church, will be on March 2, 9, 16 (dress rehearsal) and March 23 (dress rehearsal). On Sunday, March 25, meet in Church at 6:00pm. Parts available are: Veronica, readers, Mary of Jesus, Mary of Cleophas, Mary of James, weeping women, the crowds, witnesses, Simon, Barabbas, Pilate’s wife, good thief, bad thief, Chief soldier, soldiers, singer, 12 apostles or “I will do whatever Sister needs me to do.” Sr. Maria Lan at 732-770-2506/sml@stfranciscathedrals.org

The Catholic Spirit

The annual drive to support our diocesan newspaper, The Catholic Spirit, is taking place during the month of February, National Catholic Press Month. Please support its good work by using the envelope in your tithing packet or contribute through e-giving. Any amount you contribute will show your support for the ministry of The Catholic Spirit and will be greatly appreciated. And please remember to take home a copy of the paper - - it has a special role to play in your life as a practicing Catholic.

Men’s Group News: Come together with parish men of all ages to share and discuss topics pertinent to our Catholic faith. Old and new members are invited to our next meeting: Tuesday, Feb. 20 at 7:30pm in the Solarium. Information: Tom Thomas (732-692-4819) or on Facebook at SFC.MensGroup.

Saint Francis Cathedral School

Registration for 2018 - 2019

The information below is for “New Families” to our school - - Pre-kindergarten - 7th grades. Please share this information with interested families. This applies to our current pre-k families as well. Thank you.

Daytime Registration for New Families to our School took place on Friday, February 10, 2017. If you have missed the date and would like to register, Evening Registration is available:

EVENING REGISTRATION- Tuesday, Feb. 20
6:00 - 7:30pm  Pre-K - 7th Grades
Registration held in the Cafeteria - Community Room
NO SNOW DATE for Evening Registration

Religious Education News

Registration for 2018 - 2019 school year is currently open. Please make sure to re-register your child(ren) as soon as possible, especially if you need a certain program model. Registration forms are sent home with the students and can also be found online at the Parish website (www.stfranciscathedralschool.org). If you have any questions, please call the Office at 732-548-0100 x226 or email us at ReligiousEd@stfranciscathedrals.org.

SFCS Book Fair 2018

St. Francis Cathedral School will hold a Book Fair in the Community Room on Monday, February 26 from 2:30 - 4:30pm and on Wednesday, February 28 from 5:00 - 7:00pm. There will be hundreds of books for sale for all ages. Parishioners are invited and welcome. All proceeds to benefit our school. Come browse the shelves or visit the online Book Fair: http://www.scholastic.com/bf/stfranciscathedralschool.

Music At St. Mary’s (South Amboy) presents pianist Carolyn Enger today, Feb. 18, 4pm. Free Admission - free will offering Ms. Enger is critically acclaimed for interpreting the Masters.
Patriotic Program

On Wednesday, February 21, students of SFCS School will honor current and former servicemen and servicewomen at their Patriotic Assembly in the Community Room at 7:00pm. If you would like us to recognize your service, or that of a family member, please call Ms. Leila Toomey at the school office (732-548-3107) with information including your name, branch of service, rank and conflicts in which you served. We want to recognize service to our great country.

Social Concerns

45 Library Place - Metuchen 08840 - Parish Center
548-0100 x225

Thank you to all who regularly donate to keep our Food Pantry well stocked for the needy. Consider making this gift a part of your Lenten routine.

We are very grateful to parishioners who gave blood during our recent Blood Drive. Donations totaling 37 pints of the Gift of Life were collected and given to blood services.

Join us at the Lenten Bread and Soup Dinner Thursday, March 1
5:00 - 8:00 p.m., Cathedral Community Room

Come and enjoy a meal of delicious homemade soup and a bountiful assortment of bread. All Are Invited.

Free will offering for those in need.

Pots of Soup AND Volunteers WELCOME
Please contact Social Concerns 548-0100 x225


Eucharistic Ministers - Feb. 24/25

5:00pm M. Roth, N. Hamilton, D. Reilly, C. Tomaro, E. Munoz, J. Franklin, P. Bershak, K. Garner
7:00pm K. Konick, C. Saggese, R. & K. Aiello, E. Swan, J.M. Onufer
7:30am D. Kovach, D. Ulbrich, C.J. Donahue, S. Riolto, J.O’Mara
9:00am G. Monteleone, A. Cirelli, B. Zatorski, M. D’Amico, R. Quaglia, D. Heyden
10:30am M. Conroy, B. Coakes, R. Baran, F. Corrente, J. & J Grigo, D. Pappalardo, J. Bundoc, E. Beyers
12:00pm M. Licameli, M. & J. Hernandez, J. & R. Baker, K. Manchery

Lectors - February 24/25

5:00pm: Maria Tomaro
7:00pm: Kieran Esposito
7:30am: Mary Brossoni
9:00am: Marnie Jeney
10:30am: Sr. Bridget Harakal
12:00pm: Dawn Gomes

Altar Servers: February 24/25

5:00pm Team 1
7:00pm Team 2
7:30am Team 3
9:00am Team 4
10:30am Team 5
12:00pm Team 6

Nails in the Wall Gallery presents its new exhibit, “ANGELS, Wild and Winsome” which will be shown through May 15. Come to the gallery at St. Luke’s Episcopal Church, Metuchen for a contemporary view of winged spirits, sometimes fierce, sometimes gentle and nurturing, sometimes simply heavenly messengers.