The Catholic Church of St. Mary

2001 Springdale Rd, Cherry Hill, NJ 08003 Parish Center/Rectory phone: (856) 424-1454 Parish Center Hours 8:30am - 4:00pm Monday-Friday Email: stmarycherryhill@gmail.com



28TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

POSSIBLE

Jesus looked at them and said, "For human beings it is impossible, but not for God. All things are possible for God." - Mk 10:27



PASTORAL STAFF Rev. Paul Olszewski, Pastor Rev. Dominic Bottino (in-residence) Rev. James King (in-residence) Deacon Jim Smith Deacon Bob Scarpa Patricia Galie, Rel Ed Coordinator (856) 424-2679 stmaryreligiouseducation@verizon.net Stan Thompson Family Faith Formation Facilitator Jim Rabic, Dir. of Music Ministries Sharon Richards, Office Manager Safe Environment Coordinator Joan Weinhofer, Bookkeeper

OUR SACRAMENTAL LIFE

Daily Mass - Mon-Fri: 8:00am Weekend Masses - 5:00pm (Sat.), 8:00am, 10:00am, 11:30am Korean Mass - 5:00pm (Sunday) First Saturday Devotion: First Saturday of each month at 8:00am in Church Children's Liturgy of the Word September - May 5:00pm (Sat) & 10:00am (Sun) Sacrament of Penance

Saturday: 8:30am & 4:00- 4:45pm or by appointment

PRAYER LINE MINISTRY

Do you have a special prayer request? Please call or email us and we will forward your request to our Prayer Line Ministry!

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass @2001, 1998, 1970 CCD.

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MASS INTENTIONS

Monday 8:00am Tuesday 8:00am Wednesday	October 15, 2018 Apolonia Cruz r/b the family October 16, 2018 Emilie Altomari r/b Chris & Leslie Gray October 17, 2018	We, the Catholic community of St. Mary, a Baptism, guided by the Gospel and nourished serve the People of God through active parti and ministry of the Church. We are commit compassionate living out of the Gospel in our PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR MILITA
8:00am Thursday 8:00am <u>Friday</u> 8:00am <u>Saturday</u> 5:00pm <u>29th Sunday in</u> 8:00am	Intentions of the Rueppelfamilyr/b Gail DwyerOctober 18, 2018Sam Richardsr/b Walter GrigalOctober 19, 2018Thomas Bantivoglior/b Marie BantivoglioRustico Polutanr/b Elizabeth PolutanMarie Pasternakr/b Jack ByrneOctober 20, 2018Peg Flynnr/b Joanne LaulettaOrdinary Time October 21, 2018Joan Vogelr/b husband, Jack	US Army: Lieutenant Holly Harrington, USCG: Petty Officer Tim Edwards USAF S Airman Kris Knaup or our parishioners & serve in the military & in the cause of peace. Our sick: Catherine & Baby John (Jack) W & Ruben N. Alvarez, Lou Amoriello, Bantivoglio, Judith Battista, Elizabeth Belli, C., Fr. Jeffrey Cesarone, Mark Celijewski Alexis Clarke, Jimmy Contento, Janemari Julie Davis, Ricardo Domingo, Catherine I Christine Hallinan, Arlene Harvey, Elinor H Angie Johnson, Fr. Overton Jones, Christir Carmen, Allen & Jacqueline Lamboy, F Markiewicz, Linda Melograna, Anthony & Olson, Massimo P., Fr. Martin Padovani, Sta Peralta, Josephine & Deborah Penna, Sue R Patty & Dan Ruebeck, Agnes Rufo, Gloria S Grace Smith, Meg Smith, Rose Tartamosa,
10:00am 11:30am	Apolonia Cruz r/b the family Greg Rueppel r/b Dean & Anita Bowser Robert Daniel Shute r/b Ted & Trish Eleazar Intentions of Ann Wall r/b the Bowen family Peg Flynn r/b Joanne Lauletta	Thomas, Jack Vogel, Jr., Jean Vogt, Ann parishioners & loved ones who are sick. Congratula Louis Barbieri & Ca who were unit Sacrament of Holy October 5, 2018 at St <i>God bless you in your</i>

STEWARDSHIP

10/7 Reg. Collection \$8,268 190 envelopes ProLife Collection \$1,455 80 envelopes 10/7 Online Giving \$420 12 families (Weekly Operating Expenses \$19,357.27) God bless your generosity!

WELCOME TO ST. MARY

We hope that you will experience the grace & love of Christ as you worship with us! If you haven't already, registration forms can be found in the Gathering Space of the Church, in the Parish Hall, at the Parish Office, or on our website.

Opening (Collect) Prayer: October 20/21

Almighty ever-living God, grant that we may always conform our will to yours and serve your majesty in sincerity of heart. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

MISSION STATEMENT

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October is the Month of the Holy Rosary

Please join with others and honor our Blessed Mother by saying the Rosary on Thursday mornings, after the 8:00am Mass. We will be praying for the intentions of peace in the world & the unborn. We hope to see you there!





House of Charity 2018 Congratulations St. Mary! You did it!

Congratulations St. Mary parishioners! You have superseded our goal of \$106, 047. Our current total is \$107,550! We can't thank everyone enough for your amazing generosity! The campaign is still going on. If you wish to contribute there is still time to do so. Pledge cards can be found in the church Gathering Space. If you have any questions, please give us a call at (856) 424-1454.



Understanding the Scriptures

Christian author C.S. Lewis once wrote that Christianity is not so much about being nice people but in being "new men." We see this contrast in today's Gospel. "Good teacher, what must I do to inherit eternal life?" Jesus first answers in the predictable way. Follow the commandments! "Teacher, all of these I have observed from my youth." Perhaps for some of us it's easy to answer this way. "I'm a good person!" he seems to reply. Does he truly follow all the commandments he professes to follow? Does he -- in word and deed --

check off all the boxes of the moral law? Perhaps. Whether he's being honest or fudging the truth, Jesus accepts his answer at face value with compassion. "Jesus, looking at him, loved him."

But he's not done yet! Jesus wants to remind us that this attitude alone is not enough. "Go, sell what you have then come, follow me." Jesus' invitation to the young man is radical. Abandon everything that gives you any sense of security. Give it all up for an unknown future with a wandering preacher.

The Christian life is not easy. "How hard it is to enter the kingdom of God!" It's easier, Jesus says, for a gigantic camel to squeeze itself through a tiny needle's eye. But the God of the universe creates out of nothing, breaks the bars of hell, and raises the dead to life. Is a needle's eye really such an obstacle? Jesus' invitation is always bigger than our own limitations. This week, what do we need to offer up? How is Jesus inviting us to follow him? (*LPi, Inc.*)

A warm welcome to our new Family Faith Formation Facilitator, Stan Thompson, III





Recognizing God in Ordinary Moments

I often times say in prayer, "Grant me the wisdom to see Your will for my life and the courage to follow that will." It is a request for true discernment to see that God's will is always more important and fruitful than my own will. It is easy to fall into the trap of thinking happiness and fulfillment lie in doing what I want to do and following my own wants and desires. Our entire secular culture is filled with that message. However, that road has led too many to a place of emptiness and regret. I must pray to keep in the forefront of my mind that God created me on purpose and for a purpose. Being wise enough to see that purpose is the key to true satisfaction in this world.

Giving of our gifts and talents in only ways we want to means that we become deaf and blind to the numerous

times Jesus Christ calls us to give. We also easily avoid any form of real sacrifice, which often leads us to give only from our excess. Wisdom allows us to see where we are being called, even if we are unsure what increase will result from our investment. Our trust is no longer in the gift given but instead in the One who is calling us to give. When our lives of generosity and compassion are ordered in this way, it is hard for anything to steal our joy away. Our purpose is found, our aim is true, and our desire is fulfilled. *-Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS*



Veteran's Mass Friday, November 9th 7:00pm in the Church

This year again, we will honor our Veterans with a special Mass at St. Mary. This Mass is to include all of our Veterans, those living, deceased, killed or missing in action. If you have someone who you would like to honor, please contact the Parish Office at (856) 424-1454 by Monday, November 5th. Thank you!

The Catholic Church of St. Mary Youth KGroup

Saturday, October 20, 2018 After 5:00pm Mass BONFIRE—COOKOUT Grades 6 and up C'mon out and join us for some faith and fun! There will be hotdogs, s'mores and a lot of fun! Bring a friend!



COMMEMORATION of all the FAITHFUL DEPARTED

ST. MARY "ALL SOULS" REMEMBRANCES

Special Remembrance Mass

This year's annual Remembrance Mass will be celebrated on Friday, November 2nd, at 7:00pm. This special Mass is for all of the members of our parish family, who have died this past year. During the Mass, we will mention each person's name and light a candle in his/her memory. *If you would like to include someone, please contact the Parish Office, as soon as possible.*

Parish Remembrance Book

Our Remembrance Book is in place in the Gathering Space. We invite you to list there the names of your deceased loved ones who died this year, whether from St. Mary, or not. Every person listed will be especially remembered in the intentions at the weekend Masses at St. Mary.

All Souls: General Intercessions

Those loved ones listed on our All Souls envelopes will be read in the General Intercessions at each Mass, a few at a time. Due to a large number of names we anticipate, we will not be able to tell you exactly which Mass your loved one's name will be said, but you will know that sometime in the month, at either a daily or Sunday Mass, their name will be said aloud in the General Intercessions. Extra envelopes are available in the Gathering Space. For more information, please contact the Parish Office at (856) 424-1454 or stmarycherryhill@gmail.com.



to see a priest or receive the Anointing of the Sick. Holy Communion is also available to those who are homebound.

PARISH CALENDAR

St. Mary Prayer Shawl Ministry

Thursday, October 18th at 1:00pm in Room 103 (Hall) Members spend enjoyable time together making prayer shawls, baby blankets and other items, offering their work and talent as prayer. Their finished products are then blessed and given, representing the prayer and concern of our parishioners, to those in need. Don't know how to knit or crochet? Don't worry, they'll teach you! See you there!

St. Mary Fitness Class

C'mon down to St. Mary Parish Hall, every Thursday from 1:00 – 2:00pm & get into great shape! This hour of cardio activity, strength building, balance work & meditative relaxation is a fun experience! All activities can be done with or without the support of a chair. A free will donation is accepted. Questions? Call Karen Young, at (609) 707-4989.

Christian Yoga Tuesdays 1:00-2:00pm in Rooms 105/106.... geared for those struggling with loved ones who have addictions. Reconnect with our Lord God, the Father, Son, & Holy Spirit, as you find strength in postures, breathing, and meditation. Bring a mat, towel, or blanket. Questions? Lorraine at (215) 397-7562.

JOIN WEDNESDAY'S CARD SHARKS! Got some free time on a Wednesday afternoon? Come on down and enjoy some pleasant company in the Parish Hall at 1:00pm. Games are chosen by those attending. We have a men's and women's group.

PARISH INFORMATION

Sacrament of Baptism: Celebrated the 3rd Sunday at 12:30pm all year round. During the Easter season, Baptisms may be celebrated any Sunday during the 11:30am Mass. Parents are required to attend a preparatory session. Please make arrangements through the Parish Office.

Visitation & Anointing of the Sick: Please call the Parish Office if you or a family member is seriously ill, facing/recovering from surgery and would like to see a priest or receive the Anointing of the Sick. Holy Communion is also available to those who are homebound.

Marriage: Couples planning to marry will attend a marriage preparation program. Please contact the Parish Office one year in advance of the wedding date.

Funerals: The proper form of burial for a baptized Catholic is the Mass of Christian Burial. The Mass is the greatest prayer of the Church. Your Funeral Director will assist you by making the necessary arrangements with St. Mary.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA): The RCIA is a process of formation for full initiation into the Catholic Church. It is open to those never baptized, those baptized in another faith, and Catholics who have not received First Communion and Confirmation. Please contact the Parish Office for more information.

Liturgy Committee: Anyone interested in learning more about our Sacred Liturgy is invited to attend the meeting the 2nd Tuesday of each month.

Finance Council: The Finance council meets throughout the year and on an "as needed" basis, to assist the Pastor in the temporal needs of the Parish. Besides generating a yearly working budget, it offers the Pastor recommendations in ways of maintaining the temporal goods of the parish. As a matter of transparency, it also presents parishioners with periodic statements to ensure its financial stability

Parish Pastoral Council This council, composed of elected & appointed parishioners, meets throughout the year as an advisory board to the Pastor. Its main purpose is to address pastoral needs, implement plans, & evaluate pastoral possibilities.

Resurrection Catholic School: 402 N. Kings Highway, Cherry Hill. (856) 667-3034.

THIS WEEKEND OCT 13/14	Children's Liturgy of the Word 5:00pm & 10:00am Masses Sun: 8:50am Religious Education
TUES OCT 16	1:00pm Christian Yoga (105-6) 4:30pm Rel Education Classes 6:30pm Rel Education Classes
WED OCT 17	1:00pm Card Sharks 7:30pm Adult Choir (Church)
THURS OCT 18	1:00pm Exercise Class 1:00pm Prayer Shawl 7:00pm Pastoral Council (Mtg. Rm)
	World Mission Collection

NEXT
WEEKEND
OCT 20/21World Mission Collection
Fair Trade Sales after all Masses
BP Readings after 8:00 &
10:00am MassesOCT 20/21Children's Liturgy of the Word
5:00pm & 10:00am Masses
Sun: 8:50am Religious Education

Ministry Schedule October 20/21

Eucharistic Minister: 5:00pm: R. Whitty, M. & R. Von Stetina, T. Sullivan 8:00am A. Domingo, M. & B. Maiore, K. Young, K. Sheerin 10:00am C. Desrochers, L. Durso, P. Galie, C. Lamboy, L. Kosyla, G. Borucki, L. Ciccone 11:30am: T. Alonzo, E. & V. Ventura, B. Coen

Altar Servers 5:00pm A. Aguelo, J. Lynch, A. Dalumpines 8:00am M. Dell 10:00am F. Cero, B. Sullivan, N. Dacanay 11:30am J. Gitzes, B. Mc Cann, A. Langmuir

Lectors: 5:00pm M. Scaramella, E. Yoo 8:00am J. Gorman, T. Clerici 10:00am F. & M.A. De Angelis, 11:30am F. Baratta, M. DiTore

Attention: Eucharistic Ministers

Schedules are now being made for Eucharistic Ministers for November and December 2018 and January 2019. Please contact Liz Ciccone with any preferences that you may have by Monday, October 15th. (856) 669-7424 or Liz.Ciccone33@gmail.com



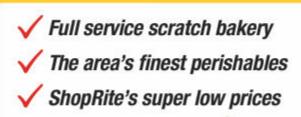
Voter Registration applications and Application for Vote By Mail Ballots are available in the Gathering Space in Church for both Camden and Burlington counties. Voter Registrations must be received by your county clerk by October 16th. Mail Ballot Applications must be received by your county clerk by October 30th.



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