

AUGUST 14, 2022

**20TH SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME**



Saturday, August 13

5:30PM Domenico Paccio – Rita LaFalce

Sunday, August 14

8:15AM No Intention Requested

11:00AM Mary Linacre– Marjorie & Mark Markowitz

Monday, August 15 - Feast of the Assumption

9:00AM Gjeto Dushaj – The Dushaj Family

Tuesday, August 16

9:00AM Gjeto Dushaj – The Dushaj Family

Wednesday, August 17

No Mass or Communion Service

Thursday, August 18

9:00AM Gjeto Dushaj – The Dushaj Family

Friday, August 19

9:00AM Gjeto Dushaj – The Dushaj Family

BIRTHDAY GREETINGS*

August 13

Caroline Castro, David Crandell, Colton Messina, Luke Edward Rowland

August 14

James Gordineer, Brooke Kellner, Summer McAllister

August 15

Emmanuel Ashong, Angelo Badami, Carlton Bates, Kimberley Papineau, William Valletta, Suzanne Vasti

August 16

Jeffrey Burns, Erin Peck, Alexandria Rossi, John Sava

August 17

Steve Bernardino, Alejandro Hernandez, James Jenkins, Amelia Jensen, Alexander Sturans

August 18

Maddox Carlo, Mia Marcano, Saundra Minholz, Gus Sinclair

August 19

Alice Carroll, Kenneth Carroll, Ray Horn, Maryann Walsh, Daniel Whiteley



**THE FEAST OF THE
ASSUMPTION**

Because the feast falls on a Monday, it is not a day of obligation. Mass for this Holy Day will be held on Monday, August 15 at 9:00am

**Eucharistic
Adoration**



Confessions will be heard on Wednesday evenings from 6:45 to 7:30PM in the Church. During that time, we will expose the Blessed Sacrament for Adoration. All are welcome



WHY, YOU MAY RIGHTLY ASK, DO WE KEEP MOVING THE CANDLE DISPLAY?

Last fall, in preparation for the feast of St. Stanislaus, our Start With Jesus committee invited parishioners to decorate a candle to symbolize the fact that our parish is made up of many different families and individuals, like each candle, and that we are really only a “parish” when we work together to do God's will. By themselves, each candle gives a little light, but together they produce a very powerful light. Over 150 candles were made for our Patron Saints feast day last November.

When we began to formulate this plan, we had expected that Covid “just had to be over by St. Stan's feast” and the idea was that we would light the candles and bring them out into the world so that our parish and parishioners would be a light to lead our community out of the darkness of Covid into a new and better world. We should have known better! Many of us, after all, were convinced that Covid would be over by Christmas of 2020...Many of us then thought that by summer of 2021 it had to be over... But in each case and in so many other cases, we realized that Covid had other ideas in mind for us. And so, our display has moved from the Icon of St. Stanislaus, to become part of our Advent, Christmas, Lent and Easter decorations and it was now time to move them again.

It is my hope that the move to the front of the altar will remind us that we, as a parish are strongest when we gather together... in prayer... as a community... at the table of the Lord. It is our hope that this move will be a symbol of what our MARTHA and MARY Project is all about—renewing a time of personal prayer each day, especially in our weekend gatherings at the Lord's table which is the foundation for our lives of service to God and his people. It is that connection that will change the light of our individual candles into a “lightshow” that our world will never forget: the light of Christ... shining in our world... through the words and actions of God's people...together, with Jesus...when he tells us that the time has come!!! For now, we concentrate on being ready for that day when it comes!

If you have not decorated a candle of your own, please see one of our ushers, after Mass to get a candle and join us in preparing to become a part of the biggest light show that our world will ever witness. Just don't wait too long!

Father Jay



ARCHDIOCESAN ADULT CONFIRMATION PROGRAM

Have you been baptized, made your First Communion, but never confirmed? This program may be for you! The Archdiocesan Adult Confirmation Program is designed for practicing adult (18+) Catholics seeking the sacrament of Confirmation, who have been baptized, have received their First Holy Communion, and have been educated in the Catholic faith through Catholic Schools or Religious Education programs. It will be held in Beacon, beginning October 6. Please call the Parish Office for more information.

HOLY LAND PILGRIMAGE

Rev. John Palatucci from Dover and Pawling is leading a Pilgrimage to The Holy Land on April 18-23, 2023. If you are interested, please make your reservations today by calling (800)653-0017 or visit canterburypilgrimages.com

The PVE Food Pantry is OPEN!!!

For more information, please call 845-454-7216 and leave a message. Someone will get back to you. Thank you!!

SOMETHING TO THINK ABOUT...

“Since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us rid ourselves of every burden and sin that clings to us and persevere in running the race that lies before us, while keeping our eyes fixed on Jesus, the leader and perfecter of faith. Consider how he endured such opposition from sinners, in order that you may not grow weary and lose heart.”

How many different words we use to describe our lives. At times we speak of a journey. The synod process is part of that journey. Today, Hebrews refers to the race in which we participate. How often we refer to the ‘rat race.’

Regardless of the terminology, the author reminds us where to fix our gaze, on the person of Jesus. He is only not our goal, but also our companion on the journey.

It is easy to become distracted by things which draw our attention away from Him. Each day as I open my weary eyes, I can resolve to make sure that my eyes, my focus, is on Jesus to lead, guide and protect me.

*From HIS WORD TODAY by Rev. William J. Reilly,
Most Holy Name Catholic Church, Garfield, NJ*



WINE AND CHEESE EVENING

Join us on Friday, August 19 from 6:30pm to 8:30pm in the Parish Hall for a wonderful evening. We will view a brief inspiration video as well as enjoy other fun activities. Childcare will be provided in the Faith Formation building. If you are planning to attend, please see the sign-up sheets at both doors of the Church. Come socialize, be inspired and have some fun!



*Let us pray each day
for peace in our
world, especially
Ukraine*

A LOOK AHEAD: READINGS FOR AUGUST 21, 2022

First Reading: Isaiah 66:18-21

Isaiah portrays a time when people from many nations will gather in Jerusalem and proclaim God's glory. God's messengers will teach many nations about God. Just as the Israelites bring offerings, these messengers will bring people from all nations to worship.

Second Reading: Hebrews 12:5-7, 11-13

The Hebrews are told that God disciplines those he loves. When a parent disciplines a child, the child usually learns what is expected of him. The Hebrews are encouraged to face life's trials as a form of discipline, and attempt to learn something from them.

Gospel: Luke 13:22-30

Jesus warns that the door to God's kingdom will be locked for those who ignored his wishes. Many people will come from all nations and take their place in God's kingdom. Others will not be recognized by God, and he will reject them.

RENEWING OUR MINISTRIES...

FOLK GROUP

The St. Stanislaus Kostka Folk Group and Saturday night Choir are actively seeking new members...adult and teen vocalists and instrumentalists who can commit to playing at the 11:00am Mass. If you are interested and available to be a part of this ministry, please contact the Parish Office at 845-635-1700 and leave your name, email address and phone number. Either Bill Markey or Marji Markowitz will return your call. *“He who sings, prays twice.”*

FORMED CATHOLIC FAITH ON DEMAND

FORMED Now-The Bible and the Virgin Mary: Episode 11: The Assumption. Examine the dogma of the Assumption of Mary. For more go to: <https://watch.formed.org/journey-through-scripture/season:1/videos/the-assumption>

Something for Kids: See the Wonderful World of Benjamin Cello-Season 2 as he leads his friend on song-filled adventures through the Land of the Baptized Imagination. For more go to: <https://watch.formed.org/the-wonderful-world-of-benjamin-cello-season-2>.