

**MASS INTENTIONS
NOVEMBER 3-10, 2024**

Vigil of the 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:00 pm † Josephine & Michael Szczomak
† Bette Beagin
† Salvatore Recupero (One Month Mass)

Sunday, November 3rd

31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 am † Jerry Giamonco
† Connie Nocera
9:30 am † Jack Pricken
11:30 am † Frank Galletta
† Al Placa
† Alexis Morere
† Thomas Pascalli
5:30 pm Misa en español

Monday, November 4th St. Charles Borromeo

11:30 am † Frank O'Byrne

Tuesday, November 5th

11:30 am † Janet Chidiac

Wednesday, November 6th

11:30 am † Fr. Neil Padden, O.F.M.
(24th Anniversary)



Thursday, November 7th

11:30 am † John Trommelen

Friday, November 8th

11:30 am † Joan Healy

Saturday, November 9th

Dedication of the Lateran basilica
11:30 am † Charles & Kay Tedeschi
4:00 pm For Our Living & Deceased
Parishioners

Sunday, November 10th

32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 am † Dawn Cardone
9:30 am † Cosmo & Rose Sciancalepore
11:30 am † Glen Bartman
† Gaetano & Providenza Turdo
† Eugenio Geracitano
5:30 pm Misa en español

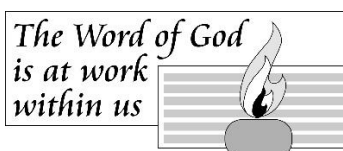
✙ pray for the deceased ✙



*SANCTUARY LAMP will burn
this week in Memory of
Len Kientz*



*EUCCHARISTIC GIFTS
of Bread & Wine are offered
this week in Memory of
Br. Juniper Capece, O.F.M.
(12th Anniversary)*



Teresa Olivo 1934 - 2024

Terry was born to Italian immigrants and was a proud graduate of Central High School. She was a lifelong resident of Woodland Park. Terry had a successful career as a talented hairdresser. She touched many lives through her dedicated service as Commissioner of Passaic County Camp Hope, President of the Municipal Drug Alliance, President of the Woodland Park Board of Health and as a member of the Passaic County Senior Advisory Board. Her active involvement in the West Paterson/Woodland Park Senior Club, the Young at Heart Club, and the Woodland Park Democratic County Committee reflected her commitment to her community. Terry was an active member of St. Bonaventure for over 70 years. She was predeceased by her husband, Vince of over 67 years. She is survived by her son James, his wife Sharon, several nieces, and nephews.

May she rest peacefully in the Lord.

Religious Formation Schedule

Classes Begin with 9:30 AM Mass followed by instruction in Bishop Manning Hall. All students are required to sign in before Mass.

November 3	10:30 – 11:30 am – All Grades
November 10	NO CLASSES -VETERANS DAY (Attend Mass with your family)
November 17	10:30 – 11:30 am – All Grades
November 24	10:30 – 11:30 am – All Grades



Sr. Jean Amore, S.M.I.C., David D'Arco, James Dean, Ann Dorning, Luca Favia, Kelly Fleming, Sasha Gibbons, Rick & Carol Ann Gigli, Gregory Hodkinson, Lisa Guarente-Hogan, Mohammad Muslih, Grace Olivo, Joseph Pezzano, Ronald & Nana Piazza, Richard Prospero, Richard Ruggiero, Alyssa Stepneski, John Szczomak, Jean Trommelen

If you would like to add a name of a sick person to this prayer list, please call the Parish Office.



**CONFESSION
EVERY SATURDAY 1-2 pm**

**CONFESIONES TODOS LOS SABADOS
DESDE LA 1 HASTA LAS 2 pm**

COLLECTION

Sunday, October 20th \$ 2,392.35
World Mission Sunday \$ 920.00
Sunday, October 27th \$ 2,428.35

Thank you for your continued support.



**There will be one baptism
next Sunday at 11:30 am mass**



**WEEK 3 OF OUR CHRISTMAS NOVENA TO ST.
ANTHONY NOVEMBER 5TH AT 11:30 am**



**"Coffee &..."
Today!
in the Church Hall after all Masses.**

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL #240

**Annual Beefsteak Dinner and Tricky Tray
November 16, 2024, at 6:00 pm**

Bishop Manning Hall.

Tickets are \$50.00 per person.

**Please contact Grand Knight Patrick Murray
at 973-296-3793 for tickets. They will also be
sold after all masses
and in the parish office.**

**No tickets will be sold at the door the night
of the event.**



**THE PARISH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED
MONDAY, NOVEMBER 11TH IN OBSERVANCE
OF VETERANS DAY.**



Movimiento Sacerdotal Mariano – El Cenáculo de N.J.

Todos los miércoles a las 7:00 pm se celebrará el Cenáculo en la iglesia. Unid a este movimiento sacerdotal Mariano. Habrá Misa el último miércoles de cada mes a las 7:00 pm.



GIVING TREE

Each year the Ministry of Social Concerns sponsors "The Giving Tree." The goal of this activity is to collect gift cards for children from infants to eighteen years of age for Christmas. A tree will be set up in the back of the church and decorated with tags. If you take a tag, please return a gift card he or she requested on the tag. If you do not have the time to purchase a gift card, you can leave a monetary offering at the Parish Office or place it in an envelope marked "Giving Tree" in the collection basket.

**Our tree will be up on Saturday,
November 23rd. Gifts MUST be back
before Sunday, December 15th.**

Thank you, Jeanne Beagin

Cada año, el Ministerio de Asuntos Sociales patrocina "El árbol de la generosidad". El objetivo de esta actividad es recolectar tarjetas de regalo para niños desde bebés hasta dieciocho años de edad para Navidad. Se instalará un árbol en la parte trasera de la iglesia y se decorará con etiquetas. Si lleva una etiqueta, devuelva una tarjeta de regalo que la persona solicitó en la etiqueta. Si no tiene tiempo para comprar una tarjeta de regalo, puede dejar una ofrenda monetaria en la Oficina Parroquial o colocarla en un sobre marcado "Árbol de la generosidad" en la canasta de la colecta.

**Nuestro árbol estará listo el sábado 23 de
noviembre. Los regalos DEBEN ESTAR DE
VUELTA antes del domingo 15 de diciembre.**

Gracias, Jeanne Beagin

FEEDING THE POOR AND HUNGRY

Once again, our St. Bonaventure's community generously supported the Father English Center food collection on Saturday, October, 19th by contributing:

39 frozen dinners, 55 lbs. of frozen chicken parts, 14 bags of groceries, 13 bags of used clothing, 24 cartons of canned goods, 2 crocheted baby blankets, \$410 in donations.

These totals include a \$350 donation to the Community Food Bank of New Jersey for the account of the Fr. English Food Pantry made by our Francis J. O'Byrne Knights of Columbus Council #240, as well as \$60 in donations to the same account made by several generous parishioners.

Also, as the Food Pantry is not currently accepting used clothing, it was donated to Martin De Porres Village in Paterson in support of their fundraising efforts.

As we look forward to our next collection, please reflect on the prayer of St. Teresa of Avila :

Christ has no body now but yours, no hands, no feet on earth but yours.

Yours are the eyes with which he looks compassionately on this world.

Christ has no body now on earth but yours.

In ministering to people who don't have enough to eat this Thanksgiving, you are, in reality, doing the work of Christ.

Please, as we go about our lives this month, continue to remember the poor and hungry in our midst and prepare for our next collection of groceries, frozen dinners and clothing on Saturday, November 16th.

Our Schedule for November is as follows:

FROZEN DINNER PANS

Saturday & Sunday, November 9/10

Available after all Masses in the rear of the church

FROZEN DINNER PICKUP

Saturday, November 16th – 8:15 to 9:45 AM

In front of Bishop Manning Hall

NON-PERISHABLE GROCERIES

May be dropped off at the same time or any time before November 16th in the rear of the church or the Parish Office.



***DON'T BE ALONE
ON THANKSGIVING***

Thursday, November 28, 2024

***Our Lady of Holy Angles Church
Cordially Invites You to
THANKSGIVING DINNER***

***In St. Francis Hall
465 Main Street
Little Falls, NJ***

***Dinner served at 1:00pm
Arrival between Noon & 12:45 pm***

***RSVP by November 22, 2024 to
Agnes Czaplinski 973.321.8821 or
aczaplinsk@aol.com***

(Subject line: Thanksgiving 2024)

ST. BONAVENTURE PRAYER GROUP

St. Bon's Prayer Group has been meeting since 1992. Many parishioners have joined us through the years, and some have stayed steadfastly since the beginning. We meet each Tuesday morning in the Tailor Shop.

We start at 10:00 AM and end with Mass at 11:30. Each week we will do morning prayer, read the Gospel for the up-coming Sunday, and discuss how it can relate to our everyday lives.

This is an invitation to please consider joining us. There is no obligation to attend every week – you can join us whenever it is convenient.

Please let us know if you are interested or have any questions. We hope to see you there.

Marge and Joe Balough – 973-278-6152 or
mjbalough921@gmail.com

**Articles for the November 10th bulletin
are due in the parish office by Friday,
November 1st.**

***2024 Diocesan Ministries Appeal
"United In Faith, Hope, Love"***

One of the important programs that receives funding from the Diocesan Ministries Appeal is Nazareth Village, our home for retired diocesan priests. The priests who live at Nazareth Village have faithfully served our diocese for many years, and many continue to celebrate Mass at local parishes. In addition, the Appeal helps fund the formation of our seminarians as they prepare for a lifetime of service to our parishioners now and for generations to come. Please join us in gratitude by recognizing those priests who have dedicated years of service to our families and those who will begin their service to the Lord and his Church. Please make a donation to the 2024 Diocesan Ministries Appeal today.

**Campaña para los ministerios diocesanos
2024 "Unidos en fe, esperanza y amor"**

Uno de los importantes programas que recibe fondos de la Campaña para los ministerios diocesanos es Nazareth Village, la Casa de retiro diocesana para nuestros sacerdotes jubilados. Los sacerdotes que viven en Nazareth Village han servido fielmente a nuestra diócesis durante muchos años, y muchos continúan celebrando Misa en parroquias locales. Además, la Campaña ayuda a financiar la formación de nuestros seminaristas mientras ellos se preparan para una vida entera de servicio a nuestros parroquianos ahora y por las generaciones venideras. Por favor únete a nosotros en gratitud reconociendo a aquellos sacerdotes que han dedicado años de servicio a nuestras familias y a aquellos que empezarán su servicio ministerial para el Señor y su Iglesia. Por favor considera hacer una donación a la Campaña para los ministerios diocesanos. Visita www.2024appeal.org para hacer un donativo hoy.

From the Desk of Fr. Alex.....

As we move from October into November, a time when the beauty of fall transitions us into the quiet reflection of winter, I want to express my deepest gratitude to all of you who have generously contributed to the Diocesan Ministries Appeal (DMA). Your support goes beyond the boundaries of our parish and touches the lives of many throughout the Diocese of Paterson. This appeal strengthens not only our local community but also helps us reach those in need across the diocese, in ways we may not even see directly.

Being Catholic is a call to evangelize beyond our own comfort zones and beyond the walls of our parish. We are called to share Christ's love with others, especially those who are most vulnerable. Your participation in the DMA is a concrete way we fulfill this mission. The funds raised help our diocese provide essential services such as Catholic Charities, seminarian formation, and support for retired priests. Together, we are making a difference far beyond the limits of our parish community.

Evangelization today extends far beyond traditional means like Church bulletins or homilies. In this digital age, much of our outreach is online. To ensure we are prepared for this, we've worked with Preferred Business Systems (PBS), our trusted partner for over 20 years for copying needs. Now, they are also providing us with managed IT services and digital phone services. I would also like to extend a special thank you to Luis Castillo, a parishioner and former musician for our Spanish Mass, who generously donated his time and expertise to run all of our Ethernet cables. His dedication to this project has been a true blessing for our parish community.

Thanks to Rich Campbell, CEO of PBS, and a personal friend, we were able to secure a great deal, and our office staff now has access to a dedicated tech support line, ensuring they can focus on their important work without interruption. Additionally, we've installed a new firewall to protect our digital assets and strengthened the parish's Wi-Fi. This will be crucial as we expand our adult faith programs

that rely on online videos or other digital evangelization tools such as Alpha.

These technological upgrades are not just about keeping up with the times—they are about expanding the reach of the Gospel while ensuring the safety of our parishioners online. We have a deep commitment to keeping all of our people safe, especially our young people who use the internet for Religious Formation. Every improvement we make, every connection we strengthen, is done with the hope that we can better serve our mission of bringing Christ to more people, whether they are with us in person or engaging with us online.

Mientras que pasamos de octubre a noviembre, una época en la que la belleza del otoño nos transforma en la reflexión tranquila del invierno, quiero expresar mi más profundo agradecimiento a todos los que han contribuido generosamente a la Campaña de los Ministerios Diocesanos (CMD). Su apoyo va más allá de los límites de nuestra parroquia y toca las vidas de muchas personas en toda la Diócesis de Paterson. Esta campaña no solo fortalece a nuestra comunidad local, sino que también nos ayuda a llegar a los necesitados en toda la diócesis, de maneras que quizás ni siquiera veamos directamente.

Ser católico es un llamado a evangelizar más allá de nuestras propias zonas de confort y más allá de los muros de nuestra parroquia. Estamos llamados a compartir el amor de Cristo con los demás, especialmente con los más vulnerables. Su participación en la CMD es una forma concreta de cumplir esta misión. Los fondos recaudados ayudan a nuestra diócesis a brindar servicios esenciales como Caridades Católicas, formación de seminaristas y apoyo a sacerdotes jubilados. Juntos, estamos haciendo una diferencia mucho más allá de los límites de nuestra comunidad parroquial.

La evangelización hoy se extiende mucho más allá de los medios tradicionales como los boletines de la Iglesia o las homilías. En esta época digital, gran parte de nuestro trabajo de difusión se realiza en línea. Para asegurarnos de estar preparados para esto, hemos trabajado con Preferred Business Systems (PBS), nuestro socio de confianza durante más de 20 años para las necesidades de copiar. Ahora, también nos

brindan servicios de TI administrados y servicios de telefonía digital. También me gustaría extender un agradecimiento especial a Luis Castillo, un feligrés y ex músico de nuestra Misa en español, quien generosamente donó su tiempo y experiencia para instalar todos nuestros cables Ethernet. Su dedicación a este proyecto ha sido una verdadera bendición para nuestra comunidad parroquial.

Gracias a Rich Campbell, director ejecutivo de PBS y amigo personal. Pudimos asegurar un gran trato, y nuestro personal de oficina ahora tiene acceso a una línea de soporte técnico dedicada, lo que garantiza que puedan concentrarse en su trabajo importante sin interrupciones. Además, hemos instalado un nuevo cortafuegos para proteger nuestros activos digitales y fortalecer el Wi-Fi de la parroquia. Esto será crucial mientras que expandimos nuestros programas de fe para adultos que dependen de videos en línea u otras herramientas de evangelización digital como Alpha.

Estas mejoras tecnológicas no solo tienen como objetivo estar a la altura de los tiempos, sino también ampliar el alcance del Evangelio y garantizar la seguridad de nuestros feligreses en línea. Tenemos el profundo compromiso de mantener a salvo a toda nuestra gente, especialmente a nuestros jóvenes que usan Internet para su formación religiosa. Cada mejoría que hacemos, cada conexión que fortalecemos se hace con la esperanza de que podamos cumplir mejor nuestra misión de llevar a Cristo a más personas, ya sea que estén con nosotros en persona o interactuando con nosotros en línea.

