



***Church of the
Guardian Angel***
A STEWARDSHIP PARISH

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PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

We, the people of Guardian Angel Parish in the Archdiocese of Newark, are a community of Catholic Christians being formed by the Gospel of Jesus Christ. As a community open to the power and gifts of the Holy Spirit, we strive to work, share, and enjoy life as a witness to the true meaning of Christian Living.

We believe our mission is:

To be a community of loving and caring people.
To teach and witness the Good News of Jesus Christ.
To celebrate that Good News in Sacraments and Prayer.
To minister to all people in their spiritual and physical needs.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Please call Jo Ann Del Gatto at 201-981-7081 to arrange for infant baptism and parental instruction.

**SACRAMENT OF
CONFIRMATION**

Please contact Youth Ministry office at 201-934-5554 for information about teen sacramental preparation.

**SACRAMENT OF EUCHARIST
The LORD'S DAY**

Saturday Eve - 5:30 p.m.

(Sunday Obligation)

Sunday - 7:30 a.m., 10:00 a.m., 11:30 a.m.

WEEKDAYS: Monday - Friday - 9:00 a.m.
(Rectory Chapel)

HOLY DAYS: schedule posted in bulletin.

**SACRAMENT OF
RECONCILIATION**

Saturday - 4:30 p.m. to 5 p.m. and by appointment.

SACRAMENTS FOR THE SICK

Please contact the Rectory for the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick and to request Communion for the homebound.

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

Please call the Rectory at least one year in advance.

SACRAMENT OF HOLY ORDERS

Please contact Father Charlie or the Archdiocesan Vocations Office at 973-497-4365.

***RCIA -The Rite of
Christian Initiation of Adults***

If you are an adult interested in becoming Catholic, or if you are a baptized Catholic who would like to receive the Sacrament of Eucharist and/or Confirmation, please call Fr. Charlie at 201-327-4359 or Susan Brown at 201-327-2360.

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 Monday of the month at 7:30 P.M.

Prayer Chain Ministry

Coordinator: Arlene Sabino (201) 934-8441

STEWARDSHIP OF TIME AND TALENT**Ministry of Worship**

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 update your address by going to the About section and scroll
 down to Update Parish Information! Go to the calendar be a
 part of all the great things happening at Guardian Angel!



A Message from the Pastor

August 12, 2018
Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

During the school year our parish is assisted at weekend Mass by the Salesian priests from Don Bosco High School in Ramsey. From time to time, we share with you some spiritual reflections by one of their members, Father Steve Ryan. He is currently re-assigned to their ministries in New York.

The First 3 Commandments

By Fr. Steve Ryan, SDB

In the book of Exodus (Exodus 20:1-17), God gave Moses the Ten Commandments on Mount Sinai. God gives us His people these command duties that are part of our job description as human beings. It's interesting that the first three commandments clearly demand that we be intentional about responsibilities in our relationship with Him. They are given to Moses to guide us in regard to what God expects of us in our friendship with Him. Then there are seven other duties given to Moses for our guidelines that concern our relationship with others.

Here are the first three commandments:

- I. I am the LORD. I am your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, that place of slavery. You shall not have other gods besides me. You shall not carve idols for yourselves in the shape of anything in the sky above or on the earth below or in the waters beneath the earth; you shall not bow down before them or worship them. For I, the LORD, your God, am a jealous God, inflicting punishment for their fathers' wickedness on the children of those who hate me, down to the third and fourth generation; but bestowing mercy down to the thousandth generation on the children of those who love me and keep my commandments.
- II. You shall not take the name of the LORD, your God, in vain. For the LORD will not leave unpunished those who take his name in vain.
- III. Remember to keep holy the sabbath day. Six days you may labor and do all your work, but the seventh day is the sabbath of the LORD, your God. No work may be done then either by you, or your son or daughter, or your male or female slave, or your beast, or by the alien who lives with you. In six days the LORD made the heavens and the earth, the sea and all that is in them; but on the seventh day he rested. That is why the LORD has blessed the sabbath day and made it holy.

Gee, when you actually read these commands of God regarding His expectations of us human beings in regard to Him – it's really not overbearing! You just have to do three things.

ONE: Do not let false gods take over.

TWO: Do not mess with God or blame God or curse God when things don't go the way you want them to go.

And THREE: Worship Him! Pray and pray communally. Remember that you are not just a single individual on your journey of faith, but that we are all in this together. We need to come together to worship!

The first three commandments... they ain't too hard. Let's work on them!

Incoming 4TH AND 5TH GRADE STUDENTS

JOIN THE GUARDIAN ANGEL ALTAR SERVERS!

DID YOU KNOW that **YOU** are now old enough to become an **ALTAR SERVER** here at Guardian Angel parish?

Serving at weekend Mass is very special, and you have probably noticed we have many young people in this ministry – from 4th grade up through high school! It is an important responsibility, and a wonderful way to serve God and the Church! It's a great help for Father Don, our visiting priests and me!

Altar servers assist the priest with the celebration of the liturgy. They carry the candles for the procession, hold the book (Roman Missal) for the priest and help with setting up the altar for the Liturgy of the Eucharist.

All altar servers receive training so that you will be ready. The alb (white robe) you will wear at Mass is provided by the parish, so there is no cost involved. We just ask that you exercise this ministry reverently: with prayer and care.

There are two altar servers assigned at each Mass and servers are generally scheduled to serve once or twice a month.

The coordinator of altar server ministry, Mr. Michael Schmidt, will teach you about serving at weekend Mass. Please talk about this opportunity with your parents and have them contact Mr. Schmidt soon. He can be reached at mike.schmidt1210@gmail.com or (201) 934-3353. *I really appreciate your service!*

Fr. Charlie



Guardian Angel helps Family Promise as they provide overnight sleeping arrangements for families in Bergen County who are temporarily homeless. We provide compassion, sleepover volunteers and meals to the families who stay overnight at three Allendale Churches for one week at a time.

Sleepover volunteers usually arrive at about 6:30pm and stay till about 6:30am. We also need volunteers to prepare meals for the people sleeping over and the volunteers.

The dates are as follows:

September 11 & 13, 2018

November 20 & 22, 2018

January 1 & 3, 2019

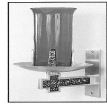
Sleepover volunteers can contact:
Tony Sabino at Tonys22466@aol.com and
Joe Zitolo at joe.zitolo@aol.com.

MASSSES for the Week

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Saturday	August 11
5:30 pm	Mario Terisi
Sunday	August 12
7:30 am	Dominick A. DeSenzo
10:00 am	Ann Regan
11:30 pm	People of the Parish
Monday	August 13
9:00 am	Jack Cappel
Tuesday	August 14
9:00 am	People of the Parish
Wednesday	August 15 - Assumption
9:00 am	People of the Parish
8:00 pm	Alfred Haynes
Thursday	August 16
9:00 am	Myrene Pfaff
Friday	August 17
9:00 am	People of the Parish
Saturday	August 18
5:30 pm	Mary Elizabeth Russell
Sunday	August 19
7:30 am	People of the Parish
10:00 am	Steven Velsor
11:30 am	Francine Lupo

The Sanctuary Lamp is lighted this week in memory of Jerry O'Toole



MISSIONARY COOPERATIVE APPEAL SECOND COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND

Please read the insert about the mission of the Little Servant Sisters of the Immaculate Conception.

SOUP KITCHEN COLLECTION

The monetary collection for the Soup Kitchen is this weekend. A basket for your donations is in the vestibule of the Church. Thank you for your generosity.



BAPTISMS

By Baptism we become members of the Church the Body of Christ.

Blessings to Rory Shay Downing, son of Bryan and Amy Downing who will be baptized in our parish this weekend. May he always find a welcome home at Guardian Angel.

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Guardian Angel is a tithing parish. Biblical tithing means 10% of gross income to God. We ask half of this, or 5%, for your Parish Church.

Weekly Offering

The **August 5th** collection was \$9,260 with \$5,467 from the collection basket and \$3,793 from Faith Direct. Thank you for your generosity.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK



Sunday:	1 Kgs 19:4-8; Ps 34:2-9; Eph 4:30 -- 5:2; Jn 6:41-51
Monday:	Ez 1:2-5, 24-28c; Ps 148:1-2, 11-14; Mt 17:22-27
Tuesday:	Ez 2:8 -- 3:4; Ps 119:14, 24, 72, 103, 111, 131; Mt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14
Wednesday:	Vigil: 1 Chr 15:3-4, 15-16; 16:1-2; Ps 132:6-7, 9-10, 13-14; 1 Cor 15:54b-57; Lk 11:27-28 Day: Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab; s 45:10-12, 16; 1 Cor 15:20-27; Lk 1:39-56
Thursday:	Ez 12:1-12; Ps 78:56-59, 61-62; Mt 18:21 -- 19:1
Friday:	Ez 16:1-15, 60, 63 or 16:59-63; Is 12:2-3, 4bcd-6; Mt 19:3-12
Saturday:	Ez 18:1-10, 13b, 30-32; Ps 51:12-15, 18-19; Mt 19:13-15
Sunday:	Prv 9:1-6; Ps 34:2-7; Eph 5:15-20; Jn 6:51-58

Marriage



Congratulations to David Talarico and Karen Nici, who were married this weekend at our parish. May the love and peace of Christ live always in their hearts and in their home.



Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

The Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary is observed on August 15th. In the United States, this is a Holy Day of Obligation.

How fitting it is to come to Mass on this special Marian day. The liturgy invites us to see in Mary raised to Heaven the image of the Church – and of all believers – on the way to the eternal glory reserved for them by God.

Our parish will celebrate Mass on Wednesday, August 15th in the Church at 9 a.m. and 8 p.m.

CENTER FOR FOOD ACTION

AUGUST NEEDED ITEMS

85 Cans of Ground Coffee per Week
85 Rolls of Toilet Paper per week



Donations can be dropped off at the St. Anthony Food Pantry at the entrance to the Church. Monetary donations are always welcome and can be placed in the orange bucket at the Food pantry. **If each Parish family donates at least one Can of Ground Coffee and one Roll of Toilet Paper on a weekly basis throughout August, we can meet our goal.** Please note that *Perishable Items Cannot Be Accepted*. If you have any questions or comments, feel free to contact Sue Zitolo at 201-934-9372, szitolo@aol.com or John Lowe at 201-327-9397, john.lowejr@att.net.

CFA Year-to-Date Update

As of July 29, the Guardian Angel parish has donated 174 bags and 48 boxes of food and personal items weighing 3325 lbs. as well as \$229.10 in monetary donations. July's donations included 95 cans of ground coffee and 148 bags of rice.

YOUTH MINISTRY

CONFIRMATION RETREAT PEER MINISTERS AND ADULT VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Youth Ministry is seeking **both teen and adult leaders** for the parish's Confirmation Retreat to be held September 14 – 16, 2018. Peer ministry includes all aspects of the leadership experience including the preparation, prayer, service, group reflection, true community life, and, of course, fun!

Meetings for Peer Ministers will be held on Wednesday nights starting Wednesday August 15th until the weekend of the retreat.

Adult Ministers may be asked to meet once or twice before the retreat, but they do not have a set schedule of meetings.

Please contact Youth Minister, Alex Capicchioni, if you are interested.

Contact information for Alex:

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DATES:

Confirmation Retreat - September 14-16, 2018

More information to be announced soon!

STEWARDSHIP WEEKLY REFLECTION

August 12, 2018 - 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

*"Get up and eat, else the journey will be too long for you!"
(1 KINGS 19:7)*

Jesus knows that our stewardship journey will be difficult; we are not designed to do it on our own. Fortunately, Jesus gave us the greatest gift of all – the gift of the Eucharist; His own body and blood. When we join our sacrifices with the sacrifice of the Mass, we find the strength and courage to be His joyful disciples.

ARCHDIOCESAN SUPPORT GROUPS

Many who hunger for God's consolation after the loss of a loved one, separation or divorce or other circumstance will find that faith based programs can offer them hope and comfort. A listing of parish support groups are now available on the Family Life Office webpage. Currently, the Archdiocese of Newark has over 60 different types of support groups ministering to an estimate of 1,200 people each year. The types of groups include: general bereavement, bereaved parents, separated & divorced, single parents & same sex attraction. To find a support group near you, please go to: www.rcan.org/about-parish-based-support-groups-0 and select the group type from the menu on the right. To make updates to our list please contact Lauren Egan at 973-497-4327 or Lauren.Egan@rcan.org.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

The Religious Education Office is closed for the month of August. Schedules have been e mailed. If you are registered for either the Tuesdays or Home School and have not received a schedule, please contact the Religious Ed office at inayden@guardianangelchurch.org. If you have not yet registered we cannot guarantee your child space in a class for next year. Tuesday classes will begin on October 2nd.

If you have registered for Home School classes and have not picked your materials, you may do so when the Religious Ed office re-opens on September 10th. Religious Ed office hours are from Monday to Thursday between the hours of 10:30 & 3:00. If those hours are not convenient for you, let us know in the Religious Ed office and we will be happy to make other arrangements. During August, I will be checking my email and can meet with you by appointment.

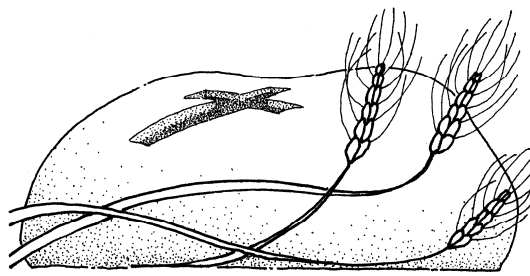
Summer is a great time to think about activities that your family might want to get involved in at Guardian Angel for next year. We always welcome any students from grade 4 and older to train to become an Altar Server. If you are interested or have any questions let us know.

For adults and older students (High School Seniors or older) we would love to have more volunteers for Children's Church, which continue at 11:30 Mass this fall. Contact the Religious Ed office for more information about this.

In the coming weeks we will continue to contact catechists for our Tuesday evening program. Several of our catechists in this program are not parents of students, but are happy to share their faith with our students. It is a great way to connect with the young people of our parish. If you think you would like to be a "guest speaker" for one Tuesday evening during the school year for either 6th, 7th or 8th grade, please let us know. We will be happy to go over the material with you and help you prepare in any way.

We continue to search for qualified catechists for our Tuesday afternoon program. These classes meet most Tuesdays from 3:30 until 5:00 between October and April. We desperately need catechists for grades 4 & 5. Please give prayerful consideration to helping out. For the past several years, we have had great success with High School juniors and seniors teaching. The kids love it and the teens get a lot out of it too!

If you have any questions you may contact the Religious Education Office at inayden@guardianangelchurch.org, jborzilleri@guardianangelchurch.org or 201-327-0352.



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Check us out at the College Ave. Involvement Fair on
Sept. 3rd!

Sunday Mass
12pm - Busch Student Center, RM 120AB
6pm - St. Peter's Church, 94 Somerset St.
(Next to Barnes & Noble)

Opening Activities
Monday, Sept. 3: Luau, 6pm at the Catholic Center
Wednesday, Sept 5: Spirit Night, 8pm, St. Peter's Parish
Hall
Friday, Sept. 7: Grill & Chill, 5pm on Livingston
Campus, Tillet Field

*Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
August 12, 2018*

*I am the living bread that came down from heaven;
whoever eats this bread will live forever.
-- John 6:51*

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www.facebook.com/GuardianAngelChurchAllendale/
The Archdiocese of Newark **www.rcan.org**
The Catholic Advocate **www.rcan.org/advocate**
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