

Thirty Third Sunday in Ordinary Time November 15th , 2015

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY NOV. 14TH

8:00 AM PEOPLE OF THE PARISH

5:00 PM PATRICK DIMICCO

SUNDAY NOV. 15TH

8:00 AM GREGORY MCNELIS

(HIS WIFE)

9:30 AM FLORENCE A PATZER

(JASON & HOLLY KEARNEY)

11:00 AM ROSE VESPER

(GRACE HAGERMAN)

MONDAY

8:00 AM ROSE DIMICCO

TUESDAY

8:00 AM RUDY TOMCHUK

WEDNESDAY

8:00 AM REV. SALVATORE IOVINO

(HIS FAMILY)

THURSDAY

8:00 AM ROBERT HAGERMAN

(HIS MOM GRACE)

FRIDAY

8:00 AM CHARLES HAUTAU

SATURDAY NOV. 21ST

8:00 AM PEOPLE OF THE PARISH

5:00 PM TERESA NUGENT

(PATTI NUGENT)

SUNDAY NOV. 22ND

8:00 AM JOSEPH W. STOBER

9:30 AM DEACON JAMES A BIGGINS

(THE DIMIERI FAMILY)

11:00 AM ROBERT SISCO

(MARY DUNLEAVY)

Memorials



The week of
Nov. 15th the Sanctuary Lamp Burns for:

Gregory McNelis

Collections

Nov. 7th & 8th \$4,206

Actual Weekly Cost: \$6,500

Envelopes Mailed: 219

Envelopes Received: 133

*If you are not already doing so, please use your envelopes each week. Only contributions in your numbered envelope are recorded for documentation required by the IRS. Please contact the parish office if you are not receiving envelopes.

Second Collection

The Catholic Home Missions Appeal will take place next week. One way that this appeal works to strengthen home mission dioceses in the United States is by funding seminarian formation in poor dioceses. The blessing of seminarians places a financial burden on these dioceses, where educating each seminarian costs \$35-40K per year. Your support is needed for these young men so that they might go back and serve their parishes. Please **strengthen the Church at home** by making a generous gift to next week's appeal.

Calendar Events

Mon. 11/16 Eucharistic Adoration /Benediction 7:30pm

Thurs. 11/19 Healing Mass 7pm

Sat.. 11/21 Rel. Ed Classes & Confirmation 8:30am

Mon. 11/23 Eucharistic Adoration /Benediction 7:30pm

Thurs. 11/27 Thanksgiving Day Mass 9:00am

Mon. 11/30 Eucharistic Adoration /Benediction 7:30pm



Please remember in your prayers all the sick of the parish and of our families.

From the Desk of Father Ed:

Dear Parishioners,

Two of our readings this Sunday point to the end time where *"Heaven and earth will pass away..."* In Mark's Gospel, Jesus warned the generation of his time, that is the 1st century Jewish leaders, that, *"In those days after that tribulation the sun will be darkened, and the moon will not give its light, and the stars will be falling from the sky, and the powers of heaven will be shaken."* Jesus used the language of the Old Testament prophets to foretell of a world-shaking event, namely the condemnation and destruction of Jerusalem and the Temple. The Temple was indeed destroyed in the year 70 AD and never again rebuilt. This was the punishment for not recognizing the coming of the Messiah and committing the greatest evil of humanity by putting to death the Son of God.

The readings not only address the destruction of Jerusalem and the Temple but point beyond to the end time when the world will end as we know it and there will be a new Heaven and a new earth. The Church gives us these readings and jarring message to remind us to be prepared because, *"that day or hour, no one knows, neither the angels in heaven, nor the Son, but only the Father."* They are given to us today to awaken in us a longing for the new life that awaits those who remain faithful.

The Church gives us these readings of the end time to also coincide with the end of the liturgical year. As the Church year ends and we move from Ordinary Time into the new year she begins with the season of grace upon grace known as Advent. With the Season of Advent, beginning in about two weeks, we are reminded to prepare ourselves to enter into this sacred time of the Church. During the Season of Advent there is an emphasis on two aspects of Jesus' life, his second coming and his birth at Christmas. Advent is a time where God wants to pour out his abundant grace upon us; He wants to help us grow in holiness and to become more like His Beloved Son. Let us continue our journey towards this joyful season and this time filled with God's grace by preparing our hearts and minds. Let us bring to the Lord in prayer all the areas of our lives that need to be transformed asking for his amazing grace that empties us of the things of the world and fills us with heavenly joy and peace.

Our Lady Queen of Peace pray for us,

Father Ed

Administrator

Parish Life:

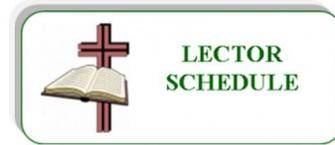
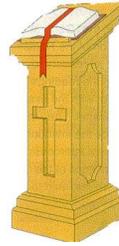
Please come and join us on Thanksgiving Day at 9:00 AM in the Church to celebrate the Eucharist, which comes from the Greek word meaning thanksgiving. Together let us thank the Lord as we gather around his table with our brother and sisters. I invite you to bring some food item from your table so that it can be blessed at the Mass and also to bring a food item that can be donated to our food pantry to help someone in need.

In the vestibule of the Church is a beautiful new kiosk that holds a large variety of inspiring CDs, best selling Catholic books, informative booklets, and more! All the items in the kiosk are available to help us grow in our faith. Feel free to take home any of the inspiring media for yourself or pass it along to a family member or friend. The suggested donation for each CD is \$3.00.



Children's Choir

We are pleased to announce that we are starting a children's choir. For any child who loves to sing and would like to share their talent with our parish. Please see Margaret Moeckel after Mass or email her at MargaretWM@olqpbranchville.org, with any questions or to sign up. Come join this new exciting part of our Music Ministry.



Nov. 14th-Nov. 15th

5:00 PM Ruth Tauriello
8:00 AM Mary Dunleavy
9:30 AM Lori Optiz
11:00 AM Tom Lapinski

Nov. 21st- Nov. 22nd

5:00 PM Robert Mayer
8:00 AM John Iacopelli
9:30 AM Geralyn Boyce
11:00 AM Patricia Pfeil



Altar Server Schedule

Nov. 14th—Nov. 15th

5:00 PM Tim Mitchell
8:00 AM Jon-Paul Devetori
9:30 AM Xavier Munoz
11:00 AM Brian O'Connor

Nov. 21st –22nd

5:00 PM Chris Pirello
8:00 AM Remy Hautau
9:30 AM Madeline Teitsma
11:00 AM DJ Kelleher



Eucharistic Adoration

7:30 pm – 8:30 pm Monday
and 8:30 am -9:30 am Friday
(after the 8:00 am Mass)

Come join us and spend some quiet time in prayer before the Lord.



We are pleased to announce that Our Lady Queen of Peace will be opening the doors to our new food pantry. Donations of non perishable items are needed to make this new ministry a success! Food can be left in the hall after all Masses and week days during office hours. Suggested items for the food pantry are the following: canned meats (tuna, Dinty Moore beef stew, Spam, chicken, etc.), soups, instant potatoes, vegetables, peanut butter and jelly, snack items, spaghetti sauce, pasta, coffee, tea, juices, laundry detergent, personal care items (shampoo, soap, razors, etc.) Thank you.

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The Men's Club will be sponsoring a free Bus trip to Washington DC for the March for Life. Come and experience the largest peaceful march on Capitol Hill. Join hundreds of thousands of Enthusiastic people

who give witness to the great gift of life. For more information and to sign up call the office. 973-948-3185

2015 Bishop's Annual Appeal *Serving Christ Among Us*

The Eucharist is the summit and source of the Church's life (Lumen Gentium, 11) At the Last Supper, Jesus not only gave us this great gift, but he instituted the priesthood so that, in every age and in every place, the Eucharist could be celebrated. The Bishop's Annual Appeal helps fund the education of our seminarians. With the blessing of increased vocations to the priesthood in our Diocese, comes the obligation to prepare these men who will one day serve our parishes. Your participation in the Appeal helps to make that happen. Please make a pledge to the 2015 Bishop's Annual Appeal today! For your convenience, you can make an online gift at www.2015appeal.org.

SHOP-RITE, WEIS, STOP & SHOP GIFTCARDS

Cards in \$25, \$50 & \$100 denominations are available. Please support this worthwhile fundraiser

PARISH CRUISE

Panama Canal – March 4-14, 2016 – Reserve now and save!!! Contact Regina @ UNIGLOBE Travel Partners (973)810-8025



Thanksgiving Food Baskets

If you are in need or know of someone who is in need and would like to receive a Thanksgiving Day Food Basket, please contact Jenn (973)-948-3185.



Lighthouse Catholic Media

We are proud to present a new evangelization opportunity here at Our Lady Queen of Peace. Lighthouse Catholic Media offers a practical and effective program to help Catholics know

their Faith, keep their Faith, and share their Faith! We all have friends or family members who have fallen away from the Church, or loved ones who are searching for answers about their Faith and want to increase their knowledge and understanding but don't know where to begin. Now you can reach out to them by offering a wonderful learning tool - a Lighthouse CD. Whether in the car or at home, people can deepen their understanding of the Catholic Faith when they listen to inspiring talks given by some of the best Catholic speakers in the world. In the back of the church, you will see a display offering nine different CD titles and three different pamphlets. We ask for a donation of \$3.00 per CD and \$.50 per pamphlet so that we may continue this program. Won't you reach out and help bring someone home?



Script gift cards order sheets for your Christmas shopping are available at the entrance of the

Church and in the parish hall. Forms are due back with a check made out to Our Lady Queen of Peace next weekend Nov. 14 & 15th, please drop them off in the parish hall. Pick up for your orders will be Nov. 21st & 22nd in the hall. Next order date will be the weekend of Dec 5th & 6th.

Joseph Regional School Annual Christmas Bazaar



Saturday, December 5, 2015
St. Joseph Community Center
20 Jefferson Street, Newton, NJ
10:00 am to 4:00 pm

Vendors and crafters will be selling beautiful gifts including jewelry, candles, soaps, books, kitchen items and Christmas decorations.

All Homemade Bake Table, Hot Lunch will be available. The day will include a SJRS School Choir Performance

Please join us for this cherished tradition!



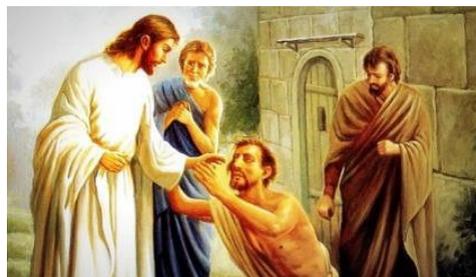
Christmas Tree Sale

Our Men's Club will have trees on the church grounds on Friday 11/27, Saturday 11/28 and Sunday 11/29 from 9am to

6pm. The trees will also be sold on Saturday 12/5 & Sunday 12/6 from 9am to 6pm. Trees will range in size from 5ft and up; \$40.00 per tree is a suggested donation which will benefit our parish. Thank you for your support.

Healing Mass

The Mass will be celebrated on Thursday Nov. 19th at 7:30



PM in the Church. The healing service will take place immediately after Mass; Father Ed will be celebrating the Mass. Light

refreshments will be served in the parish hall at the completion of the healing service. Healing has always been a part of the Church. Jesus healed the blind man, the deaf man, and the leper. We find in Sacred Scripture physical healings, healing of relationships, psychological healing, financial healing, and spiritual healing. Come with expectant faith and join us, and experience the Lord's healing power.