

Mass Intentions



MONDAY, JANUARY 30

8:30 am Francis Stiner, Nettie Razzo
12:00 pm Helene Carroll, Robert Bearden

TUESDAY, JANUARY 31

8:30 am Donal Stiner, Joseph Macri,
Jake DeGuzman (Special Intention)
12:00 pm Pietro & Carolina Allocca

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 1

8:30 am Jake De Guzman (Special Intention)
12:00 pm Bridget Sweeney, Joseph Beetar,
Frances DaVanzo Kostins

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 2

8:30 am Vincent Gisoldi, Louise Zincone
12:00 pm Thomas Calvanese, Daniel Mulholland

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 3

8:30 am Theresa Kenworthy,
Marie D'Amico (Special Intention)
12:00 pm For the people of the parish

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 4

8:30 am For the people of the parish
5:00 pm Verna F. Jarkiewicz, Nancy Sodano,
Edward Milano, Jr., Sebastian Sottile
7:00 pm For the people of the parish

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 5

7:15 am Jerry Troianello
9:00 am Michael Slavic, Christina C. Boss,
Anne Cox, Judy Sepko
10:30 am Vicky & Tony Martell, John Mara,
James Cucco, Donal Stiner
12:00 pm Joseph DeMarzo, Marianne Sawicki,
Thomas O'Brien, Nancy Sodano

FINANCIAL BLESSINGS

The weekend collection for Saturday/Sunday, January 21/22 amounted to \$23,145.00. Your generosity to our Church is gratefully appreciated.

CHILDREN'S COLLECTION

Our children's collection for Catholic Extension for the weekend of January 21/22 amounted to \$82.00. Thank you girls and boys for helping.

Sacraments



Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing in the name of the Father and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them

to observe all that I have commanded you.

(Matthew 28: 19-20)

Mia Grace Cecala,
Zoey Lou Leib,
Grace Mae Murphy

who were baptized January 22, 2017



For the reason a man shall leave his father and mother and be joined to his wife, and the two shall become one flesh. So they are no longer two, but one flesh.

Therefore, what God has joined together, no human being must separate.

(Matthew 19:5-6)

We welcome you to celebrate the Sacraments with our Parish Family.
Please contact our Parish Secretary to arrange for any Baptism or Wedding.

Please Pray for the Sick of the Parish

Fr. Ron Sordillo, Benjamin Ohlweiler, Jacob Shaw, Mikey Nichols, Judy Artiglere, Michael Lo Bosco, Joe Gero, Charlotte McVeigh, Alexa Amandolare, Tim Sweeney, Jim Carroll, Drew Malato, Bill Prentiss, Donna Di Maggio, Anna McLaughlin

PRAY FOR THOSE WHO HAVE GONE HOME TO THE LORD:

Antonio Battista, Diane Cole

Lord for your faithful people life is changed not ended. When the body of our earthly dwelling lies in death we gain an everlasting dwelling place in heaven.

(Roman Missal, Preface of Christian Death)

Father George's 8th Anniversary as Pastor

On Feb. 2, 2017 we will celebrate the 8th Anniversary of Father George as our Pastor. Please remember him in your prayers. Our parish is blessed to be shepherded by Father George!

May God continue to bless Father George, our Pilgrim.



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Stewardship Corner



The stewardship journey brings me into an awareness of following Christ's lead on a daily basis for my family, church or community. For example, sharing the blessings of my life ultimately makes faith a **living part of my life**. Simply said, the journey has taught me that prayer and stewardship go together. It's a new level of faith fulfilled, a responsibility and a broader path to follow in sharing the love of Christ.

Following are excerpts taken from the writings of Blessed Miriam Teresa, a role model in stewardship, as she offered advice to her community that confirms the stewardship message of today:

Don't think that prayer is something reserved for the chapel. The lights we get before the altar are to be translated into action, otherwise we are not one bit better for our prayer.

Good works multiplied equal love, equal God.
Toni De Rosa

FEAST OF THE PURIFICATION OF THE LORD - THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 2

The practice of blessing candles on this day is rooted in the life of Jesus. Forty days after his birth, Jesus was blessed by the priest in the temple (Luke 2:22-40). The candles represent Jesus as the true light to the nations and honor his sacrifice for us. The blessed beeswax candles are blessed and used on the feast day of St. Blaise, for the blessing of throats. We invite you to participate by bringing a candle from home to be blessed at the beginning of Mass then lit throughout the year as a reminder of the light of Christ which burns in our hearts and home.

FEAST OF ST. BLAISE - FEBRUARY 3 BLESSING OF THROATS

Throats will be blessed after each of the Masses at St. Paul Inside the Walls at 8:30 a.m. and 12:00 Noon. Throats will also be blessed after each of the weekend Masses.



You are cordially invited to attend
the dedication of the addition
to Saint Vincent Martyr School
Most Reverend Arthur J. Serratelli, Bishop of Paterson presiding
on
Sunday, February, 12th at 2:00PM
in
The Saint Vincent Martyr School Gymnasium
followed by a light reception

RSVP: Mrs. Barbara Doyle 973 377 6940 barbaraoscar@optonline.net

LOWER CHURCH SET UP TEAMS STILL NEEDED



We still need your help with our weekly Set Up and Take Down during March and April. The commitment is about 3 hours each weekend for 2 weekends – about 6 hrs. total and those 6 hours of help transform a gym into our Church!

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c084eaead2aa6f94-auditorium>

Sign up at Sign Up Genius or contact Jan at
Jan.Figenshu@svmnj.org or ext. 253.

Can you lend a hand?

ONLINE GIVING OPTIONS FOR WEEKLY AND ONE TIME GIFTS

Enrolling in Faith Direct today is a great way to ensure your gifts to St. Vincent Martyr are received even while you are traveling.

Visit www.faithdirect.net and use our church code: NJ740. Thank you for your continued support of our parish family!

Prayer

**“ Rejoice and be glad, for your reward
will be great in heaven.”**

Matthew 5:12

In our daily comings and goings at Saint Vincent Martyr School we strive to integrate the teachings of Jesus into everything that we do. The Beatitudes encapsulate for us the true life lessons that God wants us to learn. He wants us to point our lives toward heaven by working to build His Kingdom here among us.

Jesus personifies for us the teachings of the Beatitudes. As a catholic school we hope to guide our students to be like Jesus, to live like Jesus and to do what he would do. We strive to immerse them not only in prayer experiences but also in activities that assist them to touch into their souls - that deep well within them that will allow them to be who they really are in God. It is where true peace and harmony are found.

Tomorrow our students from PreK3 through 8th grade will connect with agencies that provide outreach to the poor and needy. The middle school will go out to Newark, Hillside and Cedar Knolls. The other children will engage in activities onsite. These experiences will enable them to not only donate goods but also provide them with experiences that will touch their hearts and teach them lessons in empathy beyond the textbooks.

It is a privilege to belong to a school where our pastor Fr. George is so deeply involved and where the faculty and staff give their all to bring out the best in each student. As we celebrate Catholic Schools week this coming week I would like to thank you, our parishioners, for all of your support and prayers. Be assured of the promise of our prayers and may God continue to bless this parish in abundance.

Sr. Noreen Holly SC
Principal

SVMS REGISTRATION OPEN

**Saint Vincent Martyr School - Faith Based Education
Pre-K through 8th Grade.**

**Call Mary Brooks at 973-377-1104, ext. 203 for more
information and to schedule a tour.**

25TH, 50TH, 60TH AND 75TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

Our celebration of couples celebrating “special” anniversaries this year will take place on to Sunday, April 23 at the 10:30 AM Mass. If you or someone in your family is celebrating a special wedding anniversary in 2017, please let us know. Contact Jan at jan.figenshu@svmnj.org or ext 253.

Education

WINTER BIBLE STUDY



If you want to know how to respond to God's invitation to follow Him as a disciple, the natural place to begin is the Bible.

Our Winter 5-week session, ***On the Way to the Promised Land***, starts in late January. Classes meet on Tuesday at 7:15 PM, Wednesday at 9:15 AM, and Sunday at 6 PM. Each 90 minute class will give you the opportunity to read the Scriptures, to discuss the passage from **Exodus** with your group and to reflect on how to incorporate **GOD'S WORD** into your life.

First Class Dates: January 29 at 6 PM and January 31 at 7:15 PM. All are welcome! Contact Jan to register. jan.figenshu@svmnj.org or ext. 253.

YOUTH NEWS



- 1.) Alpha follow-ups begin for the last round this Sunday, January 29 from 7:15 - 8:45 p.m. in the Youth Center. Please use the direct entrance as you enter the driveway of the Ministry Center. It is the basement entrance on the right side.
- 2.) Sprantioch team meets Wednesday, February 1 at 7:00 p.m. in the Youth Center.
- 3.) Appalachia 2017 registration is underway for adults of the parish and any teens who have an adult accompanying them. All details are on our website under Youth Ministry and then to the service drop down. Appalachia is open to all current 10th graders and older Youth Ministry teens.



Religious Education

CHRISTIAN FORMATION

Children's Liturgy of the Word - 9:00 am
Mass for children in K-2 weekly, will be called out at Mass.

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd - 3-5 year olds for Level 1 in the rectory basement for the duration of 9:00 am Mass. Level 2 and 3 families please follow your assigned schedules.

Moms with Little Ones - Join us if you have babies or young toddlers for this play group on Tuesdays from 10:00 - 11:30 am in the St. Peter's Room (lower level of the ministry center). For more information and to RSVP for weekly gatherings to Jennifer Nolan at mussi@fordham.edu

God's Rainbow - Special needs program will meet at 9:00 am on Sunday, February 5. If you have a child between K-8th grades please RSVP to Maureen Dorney at maureenpdorney@gmail.com

Faith Formation Program Schedule:

All programs meet in the Community Room. Please enter through the Green Village Road doors near the rose stained glass window.

Traditional Monday Program- January 30 from 3:30 - 5:00 pm. We will be collecting for Oasis and hosting the 5th grade ACRE assessment.

Family Sunday - Hope meets on January 29 from 10:00 - 11:45 am. **Faith** will meet on February 5 from 10:00 - 11:45 am.

Junior High Ministry - 7th grade meets on January 29 from 1:00- 2:30 pm. We will be collecting toiletries for Oasis in Paterson.

6th grade meets on February 5 from 1:00 - 2:30 pm.

Decision Point- Grade 8 with Father George will meet on February 5 from at a **new time just for this month from 3:00 - 4:30 pm.**

Facilitators Preparatory Meeting will be held on Wednesday, February 1 at 7:30 pm at the rectory.

A special thank you to all of our First Communicants and their respective families for such a wonderful and reverent response to our First Reconciliation Workshop. Thank you to: Phyllis Pollucci, Alanna Leon, Mary Anderson, Josephine Allocca, Maryann Palladino and Diane Sullivan for assisting in the morning.

First Reconciliation will be celebrated in the lower church at 7:00 pm on both February 3 and February 10. Please continue to keep all of the children in your prayers as they prepare for the sacrament of penance.

Ministry

END HUNGER VOLUNTEER REGISTRATION

March 18. Please visit the Rotary website and register for team St. Vincent Martyr. Let's all help the Rotary with this worthy cause.

Social Justice Outreach Committee Meeting

Good and loving God, we pray that with Your help and through our work this world will be a better place.

The next meeting of the Social Justice Outreach Committee will take place on:

Thursday, February 2, 2017 – 7:00PM

Ministry Center - **St. Peter Room**

At this meeting we will be reviewing the recently completed and the regularly scheduled outreach programs and hear about the upcoming St. Vincent's Stewardship program.

If there are questions or you cannot attend the meeting but would like to provide your thoughts, please contact Gene Cracovia at genecracovia@msn.com or 973-301-9139.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

"Men Interested in The Knights of Columbus: The Knights of Columbus is an organization of and for Catholic men.

On Monday, January 30th at 7:00 p.m., the Knights will be holding an informational session at St. Vincent Martyr Parish, 26 Green Village Road, Madison NJ. We will meet in the St. Christopher Room (lower level) of the Parish Center. Any men who are interested in the Knights of Columbus, our organization, our history, the work we do, are invited to attend. There will be discussion, a short film, a Q & A, light refreshments, and you will get a chance to meet some of the men of our Council. There is no commitment to join, but we do believe you will find the evening very interesting. You don't have to sign up to come, but we would appreciate your letting us know if you plan on intending to come in order that we may plan ahead. For more information or to let us know you would like to join us, please contact Jim Costello by phone at: 973-214-5886, or email at: denangle@optonline.net

FAMILY PROMISE HOST WEEK

We Need You: 20 Somethings, Singles, Family Groups, and Empty Nesters

We are looking to expand our volunteer base in 2017 as we shelter homeless families in the Community Room of the Ministry Center during the Host Week beginning February 19. Volunteer sign-up sheets are on the gym bulletin board. **St. Vincent is responsible for several nights and volunteers** are needed to serve as welcoming hosts and to assist with set-up, clean-up, meals, and laundry of linens at the end of the week. For more information about **the program or volunteer opportunities, please call Nancy Romain, 973-605-5970 or 973-865-8346 (cell), or e-mail nerdmr@optonline.net.**

COLUMBARIUM



St Vincent's Cemetery has created an option to be considered for the interment of our departed loved ones. For those who choose cremation the parish has transformed a section of the Cemetery hillside into a beautiful Columbarium. This space has been lovingly and handsomely reconfigured into 162 Niches with beautiful accent pieces including a Crucifix that had formally hung in the Dodge Estate and a memorial votive candle stand. The Niches have glass and marble fronts and come in varying widths. There is a patio outside where the burial service takes place. You can visit the Columbarium any day from 9:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. Brochures containing pricing and other important information are available inside. You will be proud of this marvelous addition to our cemetery.

SAVE THE DATE!!

BREAKFAST WITH FR. GEORGE

Mark your calendar for April 30, 2017 at the Wyndham Conference Center, Florham Park. Anyone wishing to volunteer on this committee please email Marie Toto at totomarie5@gmail.com.

LADIES NIGHT

Ladies Night is hosting a Paint Nite event to raise money for St. Vincent Martyr School and all are invited!

At Paint Nite, a local artist will assist and inspire us - all the while we socialize for a great cause. We will end up painting fond memories and a priceless masterpiece. No art experience needed!

Paint Nite will donate a portion of ticket sales to SVMS. Let's get together and get painting - please RSVP and register now at this website:

paintnite.com/pages/events/view/northeastnj/1129436. Any questions you may contact Barbara McKenna at 973-822-3862 or barbstevemckenna@verizon.net.

CATHOLIC PRESENCE IN MADISON

Anyone wishing to find out more about our Catholic Presence in Madison and how they can volunteer some of their time to this ministry, please email Marie Toto at totomarie5@gmail.com.



SNOW POLICY/INCLEMENT WEATHER FOR DAILY MASS

Due to the limited maintenance staff at St. Paul Inside the Walls, the site for our daily Masses, when there is a school closing due to inclement weather, we will cancel BOTH the 8:30 AM and Noon Masses that day. When there is a delayed opening, the 8:30 AM Mass will be cancelled but the Noon Mass will be celebrated.

If bad weather occurs on a Saturday or holiday, please check our website to see if the 8:30 Mass will be celebrated. When mass is cancelled the Mass Intentions will be moved to another suitable day. our website will have a notation about Mass Cancellations. We are sorry for any inconvenience that may occur but we are most concerned for your safety. All weekend Masses on the SVM Campus will always be celebrated regardless of weather. Please use your own best judgment in deciding if safety permits you to attend Weekend Liturgy.

How Can I Stay Informed?

VISIT OUR PARISH WEBSITE – www.svmnj.org

You can stay up to date with what is happening at St. Vincent's even if you are traveling or south for the winter, by visiting our site. You can read the bulletin, check the calendar or events and see the latest news of the parish.

SIGN UP FOR FLOCKNOTE

FLOCKNOTE is the communication tool we are using as a parish to keep our members informed of weekly, events, holydays and schedules, construction alerts, renovation updates and much much more. It is easy to sign up and to date we communicate with over 700 parishioners by text and email weekly through Flocknote. You can **control which ministries you want to receive info** from and you can unsubscribe at any time.

To sign up: text SVMNJ to 84576 or visit our church at www.flocknote.com/stvincentmartyr.

LIKE US ON FACE BOOK

Follow us on Face book to see what is happening in the life of our Parish.

READ THE BULLETIN

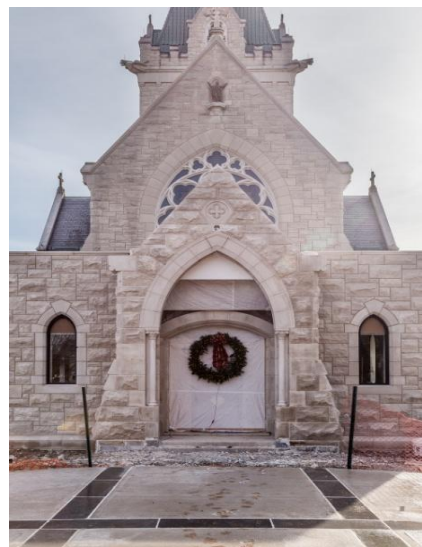
If you have gotten this far, then you ARE reading the bulletin. Each week many of the events and activities of our parish are highlighted or detailed in the bulletin. Schedules for our Youth Ministry and Christian Formation families can also be checked via the bulletin. Our Stewardship Team will be sharing their insights during the next few months with their fellow parishioners.

A Family Perspective

It is in our family where we learn to be merciful and comforting to others. The Beatitudes of the Kingdom of God begin at home and depend on you. Parents lead the way.

The Future Unfolds

Sunday, January 29 at 2:30 PM
St. Vincent Martyr Gym



What will happen that day?

- Learn about the continuing progress with our Renovation
- Watch the video with Fr. George updating us on finishes and detailing
- See the *full color sketches* of the new Stain Glass Windows
- Learn about the making of our mosaics for the outdoor shrine
- and More



Experiencia Hispana

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IV Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

Primera Lectura: Sof. 2, 3, 12-13

Sofonías es un profeta que realiza su misión evangelizadora en el reino de Judá, en tiempos del rey Josías (640-609). En la siguiente lectura Sofonías invita a los pobres del país a buscar a Yavé, porque Él es el refugio y el defensor de los débiles e indefensos.

Segunda Lectura: 1Co 1, 26-31

Los que formaban la comunidad cristiana de Corinto eran gente sencilla y humilde. Pablo declara que precisamente este es el tipo de persona escogida por Dios para ser los primeros destinatarios y los protagonistas de su mensaje de salvación.

Evangelio: San Mateo 5, 1-12ª

El evangelista Mateo nos presenta las bienaventuranzas como el programa de vida de todo seguidor de Jesús. Estas se presentan como las condiciones fundamentales que debe vivir el discípulo para involucrarse en el Proyecto de Dios.

Tiempo Ordinario: Un caminar con Jesús

El que no crece, se estanca, se enferma y muere. Debemos crecer en nuestras tareas

ordinarias: matrimonio, en la vida espiritual, en la vida profesional, en el trabajo, en el estudio, en las relaciones humanas. Debemos crecer también en medio de nuestros sufrimientos, éxitos, fracasos. ¡Cuántas virtudes podemos ejercitar en todo esto! El Tiempo Ordinario se convierte así en un gimnasio auténtico para encontrar a Dios en los acontecimientos diarios, ejercitarnos en virtudes, crecer en santidad...y todo se convierte en tiempo de salvación, en tiempo de gracia de Dios. ¡Todo es gracia para quien está atento y tiene fe y amor! El espíritu del Tiempo Ordinario queda bien descrito en el prefacio VI dominical de la misa: "En ti vivimos, nos movemos y existimos; y todavía peregrinos en este mundo, no sólo experimentamos las pruebas cotidianas de tu amor, sino que poseemos ya en prenda la vida futura, pues esperamos gozar de la Pascua eterna, porque tenemos las primicias del Espíritu por el que resucitaste a Jesús de entre los muertos". Continuamos la próxima semana.

**La colecta del Pasado 21 de
Enero fue de 237 dólares.**

**Dios multiplique su
generosidad.**

Los Sacramentos

Reconciliación (Confesiones): Todos los Sábados a las 4:00pm o haciendo una cita con uno de los sacerdotes, ya sea llamando a la oficina o hablando con ellos directamente o antes de la Misa en Español.

Unción de los Enfermos:

Para las personas que están gravemente enfermas, hospitalizadas o preparándose para una cirugía, al igual que las personas de edad avanzada un asilo para la tercera edad. Para administrar este Sacramento; Favor de llamar a la oficina de la parroquia para que uno de los sacerdotes administre la Unción de los enfermos.

Cursillo Pre-Bautismal en español: Llamando a la oficina y planear una cita con el sacerdote.

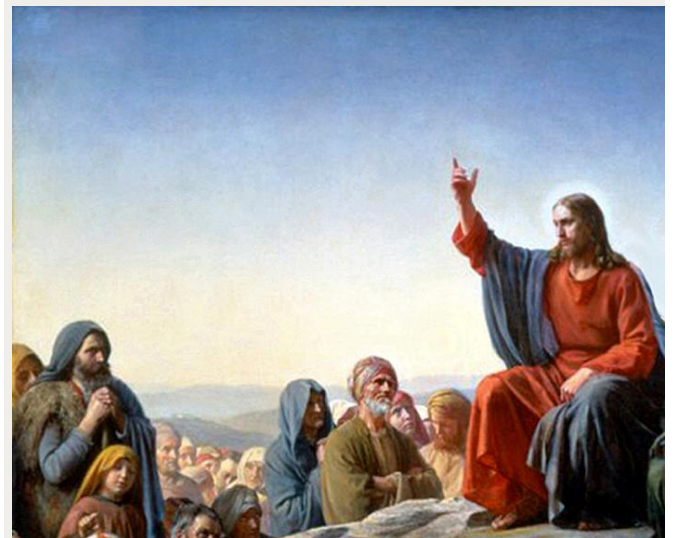
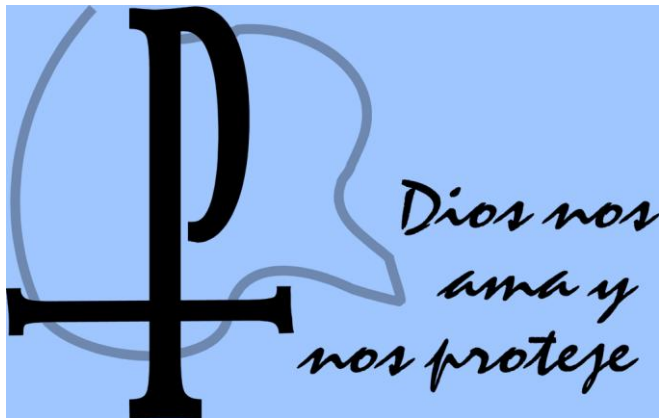
PARA TENER EN CUENTA...

CLASES DE INGLÉS COMO SEGUNDA LENGUA

Se ofrecerá clases de inglés como segunda lengua para todos aquellos que quieran aprender y fortalecer este idioma. Las clases se dictaron los sábados de 4 pm a 4:55 pm. Las clases comenzarían oficialmente el 7 de enero. Por favor, si usted está interesado, véame al comienzo o al final de la misa de español o llamar al 973-377-4000 ext. 102.

Como comunidad hispana tendríamos un retiro espiritual en preparación para la Semana Mayor, la Semana Santa.

Tendríamos una persona que dirigirá el retiro. El retiro espiritual se llevará a cabo el día 8 de Abril de 10 am hasta la 1 pm en nuestra parroquia. Más adela



nte se les dará más información.