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**MONDAY — MONDAY NOVEMBER 22, 2021**

(St. Cecilia)

8:30am -THE HOLY FAMILY

TUESDAY — NOVEMBER 23, 2021

(St. Clement I; St. Columban)

8:30am +FRANK MAZZA

WEDNESDAY — NOVEMBER 24, 2021

(St. Andrew Dung Lac & Companions)

8:30am -PRO POPULO

THURSDAY — NOVEMBER 25, 2021

(Thanksgiving Day)

(St. Catherine of Alexandria)

9:00am -THE PEOPLE OF ST. CLARE

FRIDAY — NOVEMBER 26, 2021

8:30am -PRO POPULO

SATURDAY — NOVEMBER 27, 2021

4:00pm +JOHN ZAREN

-ST. CLARE CHURCH

SUNDAY — NOVEMBER 28, 2021

(First Sunday of Advent)

9:00am +NICOLE S. MARTIN

+JAMES RAMBONE

-+SABEL LOZANO

11:00am

+FLORENTINA M. NAEL

-MONETT NAEL-SANTOS

(Birthday)

-HART ESTERO

(Birthday)

*Thanksgiving Day Mass
9am in the Church*

BULLETIN DEADLINE

We have been notified by our bulletin company that due to volume in shipping via FEDEX that our weekly "due-by date" has been moved up. This is effective immediately through mid January. Please be assured that all mass intentions requested will be mentioned at the appropriate mass even though they may not appear in the bulletin.

Year of St Joseph Candles are still available. The Year of St. Joseph ends on December 8th. Please consider memorializing a candle.

The cost per candle is \$15.00.

**Memorials for the Week****Altar Bread & Wine**

-PRO POPULO

Altar Candles

-PRO POPULO

Sanctuary/Divine Mercy Candle

-PRO POPULO

St. Clare Candle

+FRANK MAZZA

St. Francis Candle

-PRO POPULO

St. Joseph Candle

+ANTHONY MINGO

Memorial Opportunities are available :**Contact the Office at 973-777-9313****Altar Bread & Wine: \$20 donation****All Candles: \$15 donation each**



October 30/31	\$ 3,891.00
November 6/7	\$ 3,557.00

God Bless You for your generosity



Thank you for your contribution to our 2022 Breaking Bread Missal. We have collected to date: **\$611.00**. Please consider a donation if you haven't already done so. We are less than half way (excluding the protective cover).

NOVEMBER ENVELOPE SCHEDULE

November 21- -Regular Collection
-Catholic Home Missions Appeal
November 25- -Thanksgiving Offering
November 28- -Regular Collection
-Maintenance and Repairs

Christmas Flower Donations may be given at any week.

Our weekly bulletin is also posted on our webpage

www.SaintClareNJ.com

REKINDLING EUCHARISTIC AMAZEMENT

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MONDAY - WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 13-15, 7 PM

MONDAY, DEC 13:

"ST. FRANCIS & THE EUCHARIST"
ADORATION & BENEDICTION

TUESDAY, DEC 14:

"EUCHARISTIC CONVERSION"
ADORATION & CONFESSION

WEDNESDAY, DEC 15:

"OUR LADY & THE EUCHARIST"
CLOSING MASS

PRESENTED BY THE FRANCISCAN
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GIVING TREE

It's that time of year again when we ask you to give a gift for the underprivileged children of our Diocese and other Christian organizations. We ask that you mark your gift male or female and deliver it to the cry room no later than December 19th.

God Bless you for your generosity

MINISTRY SCHEDULE—November 27/28

	4:00 PM	9:00 AM	11:00 AM
EUCHARISTIC MINISTER (H)	Suspended Until Further Notice	Suspended Until Further Notice	Suspended Until Further Notice
LECTOR	John Neubauer	Elizabeth Acevedo	Michael Larosa
ALTAR SERVERS	Suspended Until Further Notice	Suspended Until Further Notice	Suspended Until Further Notice



*Hail, Guardian of the Redeemer,
Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary.
To you God entrusted his only Son;
in you Mary placed her trust;
with you Christ became man.*

*Blessed Joseph, to us too,
show yourself a father
and guide us in the path of life.
Obtain for us grace, mercy and courage,
and defend us from every evil. Amen.*



Synod Prayer

We stand before You, Holy Spirit, as we gather together in Your name.
With You alone to guide us, make Yourself at home in our hearts;
Teach us the way we must go and how we are to pursue it.
We are weak and sinful; do not let us promote disorder.
Do not let ignorance lead us down the wrong path
nor partiality influence our actions.
Let us find in You our unity so that we may journey together to eternal life
and not stray from the way of truth and what is right.
All this we ask of You, who are at work in every place and time,
in the communion of the Father and the Son, forever and ever.
Amen.

Advent 2021

We would like to co-sponsor an Advent Candle. The dedication or names will be listed in the bulletin the week of choice. The Cost is \$25 per name/Family name: **(Choose one Week).**

_____ Week One Advent Candle

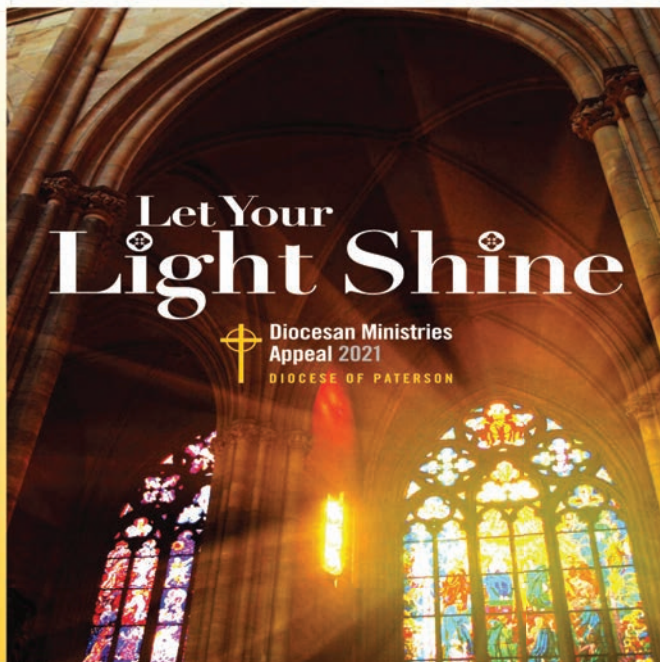
_____ Week Two Advent Candle

_____ Week Three Advent Candle

_____ Week Four Advent Candle

Name or person dedicated for (PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY!):

Parishioner Name: _____



For your convenience, you can make an online gift or pledge at:

www.2021appeal.org

Thanksgiving Prayer

*Heavenly Creator,
In this season of gratitude and abundance, we
give You thanks for our many blessings as we
pray for all who struggle with hunger and want.
Be with them in the dark of night, when all hope
seems lost. Keep their faith strong as they await
relief. Let Your goodness flow throughout our
hearts and hands as we reach out to one another
in the full, true joy of Thanksgiving in Christ.*

Amen



On the evening of her wedding day with the music of the marriage hymn ringing in her ears, Cecilia, a rich, beautiful, and noble Roman maiden, renewed the vow by which she had consecrated her virginity to God. "Pure be my heart and undefiled my flesh; for I have a spouse you know not of; and angel of my Lord." The heart of her young husband Valerian was moved by her words; he received Baptism, and within a few days he and his brother Tiburitus, who had been brought by him to a knowledge of the faith, sealed their confession with their blood, Cecilia only remained.

"Do you not know?" was her answer to the threats of the perfect, "that I am the bride of my Lord Jesus Christ?" The death appointed for her was suffocation, and she remained a day and a night in a hot-air bath, heated seven times. But "the flames had no power over her body, neither was a hair of her hair singed." The lector sent to dispose of her struck with hand the three blows which the law allowed, and left her still alive.

For two days and nights Cecilia lay with her head half severed on the pavement of her bath, full sensible, and joyfully waiting for her crown; on the third day the agony was over, and in 177 AD the virgin Saint gave back her pure spirit to Christ.

Feast Day: November 22

Patron Saint of: Music, Musicians, Composers, Poets, Singers and Organ Makers.

2022 MASS BOOK NOW OPEN

You can email your intentions to: office@saintclarenj.com. When submitting your intentions please write the name(s) clearly. Also include your name and phone number. The offering (stipend) will remain the same, \$20.00 per mass.



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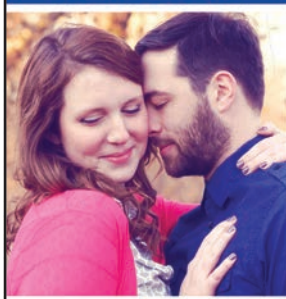
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