





*Happy Mother's Day!*

**Mass for the Sixth Sunday of Easter**  
**May 9, 2021**

**Saturday May 8**

5:30 pm Gerald Duerr, John Schmatzenbach  
and our Mothers

**Sunday May 9 Sixth Sunday of Easter**

7:30 am Maureen Scholten, Our Parishioners  
and our Mothers

9:30 am Dorothy and Anthony Santino,  
Marc Robert Licciardi, Linda Rodriguez  
and our Mothers

11:30 am Carlos Ribeiro, Francis M. Kelleher,  
Int. of Jarod Smith and our Mothers

**Monday May 10**

6:45 am Private Intention

12:00 pm Allen Feehan

**Tuesday May 11**

6:45 am George Johnson

12:00 pm Ignazio Tatulli

**Wednesday May 12**

6:45 am Private Intention

12:00 pm Chick Maute and the Schmidt Family

**Thursday May 13**

6:45 am Private Intention

12:00 pm Alfred Peterson

**Friday May 14 St. Matthias, Apostle**

6:45 am Private Intention

12:00 pm Mary Tschan

**Saturday May 15**

8:00 am Private Intention

5:30 pm Rosemary Croker and  
Benilda B. Calma

**Sunday May 16 The Ascension of the Lord**

7:30 am Lucille McCormack and  
Our Parishioners

9:30 am Chick Maute

11:30 am Mary Murphy and Int. of Jarod Smith

**Pray for the Sick**

Please remember in your prayers those who are ill,  
especially Jackie and Addison Erb, baby Jack Boyle,  
Chris Kuhl, Kathy Smith, Sr. Mary Stanislaus  
Surgoft, Frank Razzano, Heather Glenn, and all  
those suffering extended illness.

**Stewardship**

May 2, 2021

Envelopes \$ 5,559

ParishPay 3,415

\$ 8,974

Mass attendance 583

Diocesan Assessment \$ 1,555



**First Reading: Acts 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48**

Peter preaches to the Gentiles for the first time in the  
house of Cornelius. Peter realized that God would  
accept any person who acted uprightly, regardless  
of his or her heritage. Then the Holy Spirit  
descended on the Gentiles and Peter allowed them  
to be baptized in the name of Jesus.

**Second Reading: 1 John 4:7-10**

John advises all believers to love one another, for  
love is a gift from God. The person without love does  
not know God, whose love for us is so great he sent  
his only son so that we might have life through him.

**Gospel: John 15:9-17**

Jesus asks his disciples to live on in his love and to  
"Love one another as I have loved you." He explains  
that he chose them to follow him, and promises if  
they keep his commandments they will have  
anything that they ask for in his name.

**Ascension Thursday**

The Bishops of the Ecclesiastical Province of  
Newark have transferred the Solemnity of the  
Ascension of the Lord from Thursday, May 13 to  
Sunday, May 16, replacing the 7<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter.  
This change is for this year only.

**May 15/16 Celebrant Schedule**

5:30 pm Fr. Michael Parisi

7:30 am Fr. Michal Rybinski

9:30 am Fr. Michael Parisi

11:30 am Fr. Michal Rybinski

If there is anyone at home or in the hospital who  
cannot get to Mass and the Sacraments because of  
illness or advanced age, please inform one of the  
priests or contact the office to arrange for a visit.

**Help needed streaming Masses and events**

Training will be provided. Please see Paul Argen  
after Mass or email [pargen@icloud.com](mailto:pargen@icloud.com)

### Monday Scripture Study Group

The Monday Scripture Study group completed its seven-month study, *The Biblical Foundations of the Mass*, at the beginning of Holy Week. Meeting via Zoom or outdoors, weather-permitting, the group is now studying, *Isaiah*. Please contact Debra Dewing [debra@dewing5.net](mailto:debra@dewing5.net) with interest or questions about this peer-led, participatory ministry.

### Wednesday Prayer Group

On Wednesdays at 1:00 pm, the St. Catherine Prayer Group is reading and praying with "*Fratelli Tutti*", the encyclical on social justice by Pope Francis. The book is available from Amazon or can be downloaded from the Vatican website. Please call Lee Maute for more information, 973-590-7820. All are welcome!

### Nourish.NJ VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Throughout the COVID-19 pandemic, nourish.NJ has continued its mission of offering food, housing, medical and educational services to its many guests 365 days a year. There are currently four volunteer opportunities to help support nourish.NJ. These can be found at <https://nourishnj.org>. Click on How To Help/Volunteer/Individual.

**Breakfast Bag Program:** Every 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of the month, St. Catherine's volunteers fill and deliver 150 breakfast bags to nourish.NJ in Morristown. If you are interested in participating, please contact Carol Kennedy @ [cckenn11@aol.com](mailto:cckenn11@aol.com)

**Purple Apron Kits Program:** Individual volunteers purchase and bag recipe ingredients for simple meals that nourish.NJ guests can then cook at home.

**Purposeful Acts of Kindness (PAKS):** Individual volunteers purchase and deliver personal care items that are most often asked for by nourish.NJ guests. These are items that can't be purchased with Food Stamps. Visit the nourish.NJ website to see their most current needs list and fulfill what you can.

### Ushers / Usherettes Needed

Ushers place Beacons and bulletins in pews, greet folks arriving for Mass, help them find a socially-distanced seat, disinfect the seat backs after Mass, and, until we resume taking up collections, keep an eye on the offering basket. Young people are welcome to volunteer. If you can help us out, please see Fr. Parisi or Fr. Michal.

### Food Collection for the Fr. English Food Pantry

We continue to collect non-perishable food items and diapers every third weekend of the month. Please leave your donations in the vestibule **only** on these specified weekends.

**Next food collection: May 15 - 16**

We welcome our recently baptized new members to the church and our parish community.

**Elsie Palmer Campanaro**  
daughter of Lewis and Heather

and

**Tyler Edward Krasnomowitz**  
son of Steven and Lori Beth

### Project Kind

Some of our parishioners are helping Project Kind, a local homeless outreach organization, by knitting hats, scarves, and blankets for those in need. These are distributed to the homeless in Morris and surrounding counties. If you would like to participate or have yarn you would like to donate, please contact Leslie Rosser 973-334-5096 or Ginny DeLalla 973-886-8324.

**Assumption College for Sisters  
is offering in person courses to the public!**

**SUMMER SESSION: May 24 - July 2**

**Th201 The Church: Its Nature and History**  
**Sr. Carol Schuyler, SCC 3 credits**

This course is a survey of the theology and history of the Church from the Apostolic Period to the 21<sup>st</sup> century, including doctrinal, institutional, and spiritual developments, and the significance of Vatican Council II on contemporary Christianity.  
**Mon & Fri 9:00 – 11:45 am; Wed 12:45 – 3:30 pm**

**Th203 Fundamental Moral Theology**  
**Rev. Jared Brogan 3 credits**

This course is based on fundamental philosophical and theological principles. It treats such topics as the human person, natural law, conscience, the principle of double effect, freedom, sin, and God's love. Contemporary moral issues are evaluated in light of these principles and of magisterial teachings  
**Tues, Wed, Thurs. 9:00 – 11:45 am**

*For information or to register:*

973-957-0188 ext 106; [academicdean@acs350.org](mailto:academicdean@acs350.org)  
[www.acs350.org](http://www.acs350.org)



### **Eucharistic Adoration at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel**

Adoration takes place every Friday  
from 9:00 am until Saturday morning at 7:45 am.

Weekly adorers are needed. Those interested in a weekly time to adore or to be on a substitute adorer list can contact Cathy Robben at (908) 268-2171.

### **Bishop Robert Barron's daily Gospel Reflection**

Visit [www.dailycatholicgospel.com](http://www.dailycatholicgospel.com) and sign up for free. You'll receive a brief email each morning with a link to that day's Gospel passage, so you can read the Scripture. That will be followed by a brief reflection on the passage from Bishop Robert Barron. It's short, simple, but extremely powerful.

### **LifeLine Screening at St. Catherine's**

LifeLine Screening, a leading provider of community-based preventive health screenings, will host their affordable, non-invasive health screenings in the gym at St. Catherine's on **Thurs, June 17**. Five screenings will be offered: Carotid Artery Screening (plaque), Heart Rhythm Screening (Atrial Fibrillation), Abdominal Aortic Aneurysm Screening, Peripheral Arterial Disease Screening, and Osteoporosis Risk Assessment. The five screenings are offered for \$149 and take 60-90 minutes to complete. Call today and receive a \$10 discount.

For questions and registration: **888-653-6450** or [www.lifelinescreening.com/community-partners](http://www.lifelinescreening.com/community-partners)

As our community struggles with the ongoing challenges of the pandemic, the need for help and support is greater than ever. **The Mental Health Association of Essex and Morris** is available to provide that support free of charge to anyone who may need it. If you or someone you know is struggling mentally or emotionally, please reach out to us at 973-509-9777, via our website at [www.mhaessexmorris.org](http://www.mhaessexmorris.org), or by text 973-380-0507.

### **Year of St. Joseph**

St. Joseph is a wonderful model to husbands and fathers, a patron saint of workers and the Universal Church, and a powerful intercessor for Christians.

Pope Francis has proclaimed 2021 a Year of St. Joseph. A variety of ways to venerate this saint and to enrich our spiritual lives can be found at <https://insidethewalls.org/year-of-st-joseph>

### **Stay Informed!**

If you have not yet signed up for Flocknote, please take a moment to do so. It's easy and free! Just text SienaML to 84576 or subscribe online by visiting [flocknote.com/SienaML](http://flocknote.com/SienaML).

Bishop Emeritus Arthur Serratelli has published a book titled, ***The Parables of Jesus: Invitations to Grace***. The book draws on Bishop Serratelli's gifts as a scripture scholar and preacher of the word to provide an insightful and prayerful guide to the parables of Jesus. The book can be purchased online at [catholicbookpublishing.com/product/1548](http://catholicbookpublishing.com/product/1548)

### **SCC Virtual Run for a Nun!**

Join the Sisters of Christian Charity in Mendham for a **Virtual 5K and 1 Mile Fun Run** this spring. You can participate anywhere and anytime by June 1.



All proceeds benefit the education of the young women in Initial Formation. Sponsorship opportunities are available! Visit the SCC website at [www.scceast.org/runforanun](http://www.scceast.org/runforanun) to register or for more information. You can also contact the Office of Mission Advancement at [dev.director@scceast.org](mailto:dev.director@scceast.org) or 973-230-5355.

### **JUMP INTO IRISH DANCE**

Register now to try a **FREE MONTH**  
**May 17 – June 14**

Mondays in Ledgewood, Tuesdays in Denville  
[Wick-hegarty.com/freetrial](http://Wick-hegarty.com/freetrial)  
Boys & Girls ages 4 and up  
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**Wick-Hegarty School of Irish Dance**

### **DePaul Catholic High School, Wayne Sport Camps (grades 3 – 9)**

**Session I July 5 – 8**

Football I, Boys Basketball I

**Session II July 12 -15**

Girls Volleyball, Baseball

**Session III July 19 – 22**

Boys Basketball II, Football II

**Session IV July 26 – July 29**

Boys Lacrosse, Girls Lacrosse

Questions? [merrittb@dpchs.org](mailto:merrittb@dpchs.org)

### **Villa Walsh Academy Summer Camp**

will offer sports, art and drama for grades 3-12

**Session 1: June 28-July 2,**

**Session 2: July 12- July 16**

[www.summercamp@villawalsh.org](http://www.summercamp@villawalsh.org)

Shannon Graziani [summercamp@villawalsh.org](mailto:summercamp@villawalsh.org)



## *First Holy Communion*

We congratulate the children who received their First Holy Communion this May. We welcome them to a lifetime of being nourished at the table of the Lord. We pray for them and their families and promise our continued support. May this be the first of many, many times that they receive Jesus. It has been a privilege and an honor to journey with them.

-- *Fr. Parisi, Fr. Michal, and Lisa Gervasio*

*Charlee Babula*

*Blair Ballinger*

*Brandon Bednar*

*Matthew Barbarisi*

*Carter Bronzini*

*Charlotte Byszewski*

*Rowan Campanaro*

*Lora Coppola*

*Jake Davi*

*Nicholas Deones*

*Peter Diaz*

*Connor Fallon*

*Connor Ferrera*

*Lauren Festa*

*Veronica Fugere*

*Brady Golden*

*Lucy Gorman*

*Keira Henke*

*Sean Hunt*

*Charlotte Keyt*

*Ashlee Krasnomowitz*

*Luke Lambe*

*Evan Lukin*

*Helena Mathis*

*Antonia Ragucci*

*Michael Rebuli*

*Maguire Richardson*

*Michael Saldutti*

*Liam Samson*

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