



June 26, 2016

40 Jackson Road, Medford, New Jersey 08055



Parish Website

Parish Website: www.smlparish.org
Parish Email Address: email@smlparish.org



School Website

MASS SCHEDULE

Monday—Friday: 7:15 a.m., 9:00 a.m.
Saturday: 9:00 a.m., 5:30 p.m.
Sunday: 7:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 10:30 a.m., 12:00 p.m., 6:00 p.m.

OUR COMMUNITY IS SERVED BY

Reverend Daniel F. Swift, Pastor, father_dan@smlparish.org
Reverend Carlos A. Florez, Parochial Vicar, cflorez@smlparish.org
Deacon Ken Motylinski
Deacon Timothy R. Collins
Deacon Joseph Tedeschi
Susan B. Kraemer, Business Administrator
Christine Brandt, Pastoral Associate
Jean E. Hoover, School Principal
MaryPat Scordato, Director of Religious Education
Sister Regina McCalla, SSJ, Liturgy/Music Coordinator
Linda Xerri, Parish Youth Minister
Georgiana Francisco, Minister of Marketing and Evangelization
Nancy Finan, Candace Corrado, Administrative Assistants
William P. Kiernan, Michael Maher, Parish Trustees

OFFICE HOURS

Monday—Friday: 9:00 a.m.- 4:00 p.m.

ST. MARY OF THE LAKES ONLINE

Website Address: <http://www.smlparish.org>
Email Address: email@smlparish.org
Facebook: www.facebook.com/smlparish
School Website: <http://www.smlschool.org>
Knights of Columbus: <http://www.Medfordknights.org>

LOCATION, TELEPHONE NUMBERS

Parish Office	40 Jackson Road	654-8208 Ext.110
Parish Health Ministry		654-8208 Ext.610
St. Mary of the Lakes School	196 Route 70	654-2546 Ext.210
Parish Religious Education	196 Route 70	654-2546 Ext.310
Parish Youth Minister	40 Jackson Road	654-2546 Ext.111
St. Vincent de Paul	1 Jones Road	953-0021

PARISH REGISTRATION: ALL ARE WELCOME "God is rich in mercy, because of His boundless love for us." Ephesians 2:4 tells us God's love knows no boundaries and neither does St. Mary of the Lakes. New parishioners, regardless of where they live, are welcome and encouraged to register at our parish. Registration forms are available at the doors of the church, in the parish office, and on our website at smlparish.org. (Click on contact us/registration.)

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION Confessions are heard Saturdays after 9:00 a.m. Mass and from 4:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. You may also call the parish office to make an appointment for a different time.

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK Please call the parish office anytime or speak to one of the priests after Mass.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM Baptisms are celebrated on the second and fourth Sundays of the month. Parents must attend a Baptism Preparation Session prior to their child's Baptism. Sponsors also are encouraged to attend. Call the parish office (609) 654-8208, Ext. 110 as early as possible to make the necessary arrangements.

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY Congratulations to our engaged couples. Call (609) 654-8208, Ext. 117 to make arrangements for your wedding. We suggest you call at least a year in advance.

BECOMING CATHOLIC (RCIA) If you or someone you know is considering becoming a Catholic Christian or if you were baptized Catholic but never received the Eucharist and/or Confirmation, call (609) 654-8208, Ext.113. There are no tests to pass or fail. There is only faith to give and share.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION Every Thursday after 9:00 a.m. Mass, concluding with Benediction at 7:00 p.m.

MINISTERIAL VISITS The Sacraments are available to anyone confined to home or institution. Please contact the parish office if you know anyone who is unable to get to church.

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Intentions

Sunday	June 26
7:30 a.m.	For Our Parishioners
9:00 a.m.	James Beckett, Jr.—Brian and Donna Beckett
10:30 a.m.	Frank Cappetta—Sal and Peg Benigno
12:00 p.m.	Nancy Swift—Dcn. and Mrs. Sean McMahon
6:00 p.m.	Owen A. Chang, MD—Ron and Rosemarie Lyczak
Monday	June 27
7:15 a.m.	Alice Lynch Kennedy—Joe and Maureen Sokolowski
9:00 a.m.	Patricia McGugan—Clergy, Staff, and Parishioners of SML Church and School Nicholas Lacovara—The Gommel Family
Tuesday	June 28
7:15 a.m.	Stephen Schmitt-SML PREP
9:00 a.m.	Joanne Marinelli—Paul and Kathy Hellberg John Hartman, Jr.—Marilyn Crawford
Wednesday	June 29
7:15 a.m.	Elizabeth and Ed Sanson—Family
9:00 a.m.	Brenda Zucchi—Marlene Lattanzi Walter A. Wronty—Lucille and Richard Meyer
Thursday	June 30
7:15 a.m.	James Walls—Karen Prokopus
9:00 a.m.	Al Tumolillo—Amanda Myers-Ramirez Deacon Norbert Klimaszewski—Knights of Columbus Council 6520
Friday	July 1
7:15 a.m.	Frances Kennedy Farrell—Joe and Maureen Sokolowski
9:00 a.m.	Reverend Carlos Florez (living) Special Intentions—Chase and Abby Reuter
Saturday	July 2
9:00 a.m.	Jim Beckett—Christine Brandt and Family Jeanne Matthews—The Simalchik Family
5:30 p.m.	Mary A. Quigley—Society of St. Vincent de Paul
Sunday	July 3
7:30 a.m.	For Our Parishioners
9:00 a.m.	Deceased Members of Knights of Columbus Council 6520
10:30 a.m.	Clifford Piontkowski—Rose and Johnny
12:00 p.m.	Nancy Swift—Knights of Columbus Council 6520
6:00 p.m.	Jim Beckett—Ron and Rosemarie Lyczak

Please pray for the soul of
Mary Hamilton
and keep her family in your prayers.



Prayer requests over a year old will be placed in a category called **Long Term Prayer Requests**.

They will not be individually published, but will be prayed for at each Mass.

Long Term Prayer Requests and the following:

Cathryn Byrne, Jean Harley, Thomas Hanley, Jean Newland, Joseph Ranaldo, Terry McKenna, Tyson Aromando French, Robert Rogers, Patricia Thomas, Louis Tedeski, Colin Yearly, Joanne Kojeski, Cathryn Roberts, Jennifer Kenderdine, Frank Parker, Morgan Kelly, Florence DeRenzis, Jeffrey Edwards, Anne Flinn, Norman Rebel, Pam Poling, Bruce Bunning, Joseph Rowan, Kristin Hurley, Camille Smith, Manuel Pernas, Ron Lyczak, Kimberly Shifflett, Ron Sabo, Maureen Layman, Alyson Long, Margaret Lane, Elizabeth Murphy, John Orio, Dick Uth, Alex Roggio, Brooke Conklin, Michael Josephs, James Zuratt, Reily Gardner, Andrew Lee, Leslie Brown, Alexander Jennings, Colleen Patton DeSantis, Carol Santos, Jacques Crochet, Marguerite Fenimore, AJ Russo, Michael Delissio, Barbara Zanna, Jane Branin, Sally DiBella, Susan Janice, Nicholas Meola, Donna Burtis, Carrollanne Piazza, Anita Platania, Helen Rotyiano, Michael Codianni, Elaine Boshko, Jamie Westphal and David Jennison



LTJG Kevin Hickey, Ensign Sean Hickey, Lt. William Hock, USAF; Private John Anderson, C1C Kyle Brandt, USA; Captain Matthew Sturgis, USA, Spc. Nicholas Graham; 1st Lt. Erin Corcoran, USA; 1st LT Katherine Collins, USA; Lt. Matthew Knepper, USN, LTJG Jeremy Griffin, USN; Pvt. Nicholas Lawrence, USA; GM3 David Lewis, USN; Brigadier General Steve Gilland, US Army

Thank you for your service to our country!

Stewardship

June 19 —1st Collection: \$25,163
2nd Collection: \$3,922

We Welcome...



Abigail Ann Lurie, Jack Kelly Meyer, Angelina Cynthia Nowenter, Bryan Jay Roberts, Joseph Riley Ruiz, Sloane Culver Sedacca, and Timothy Christopher Rocca, who will be baptized this weekend.

Help the Needy Week of July 10th

As a member of the Interfaith Hospitality Network, our parish is blessed to have our next week of caring for homeless families from Sunday, July 10th to Sunday, July 17th in the Emmaus Center.

Everyone is invited to help care for these unfortunate families in any way that you possibly can. The sign-up lists from which you can select assignments will be available after Mass on the weekends of June 25/26 and July 2/3 at the Jackson Road entrance. Volunteers and families are welcome.



Volunteer duties for which we need assistance include:

- ♦ Providing dinner at Emmaus Center
- ♦ Picking up or donating food, various lunch items
- ♦ Being an evening host 5:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.
- ♦ Socializing, dining with families
- ♦ Hosting overnight from 9:00 p.m. to 6:30 a.m.
- ♦ Driving families from Emmaus Center to Moorestown Day Center at 6:30 a.m.
- ♦ Driving them from day center to Emmaus Center at 5:00 p.m.
- ♦ Setting up/taking down facilities
- ♦ Laundering bed linens

For information, call Marie at (609) 280-3625 or Bill at (609) 280-3624.

Altar Flowers, Prayer Requests

If you would like to donate \$130 to adorn the altar with flowers to honor a loved one or to make a special prayer request, call the parish office, (609) 654-8208.



I Have Never Seen a U-Haul Attached to a Hearse.

In his book *Ordering Your Private World*, Gordon MacDonald makes the distinction between people who are “driven” and people who are “called.” Driven people spend most of their time defending what they own—their ideas, relationships, possessions, etc.

On the other hand, called people live by the philosophy that everything is on loan. They contend that they come into this world with nothing, and they leave with nothing. I agree, with one exception. I think that when all is said and done, all we can take with us is the love we feel toward others and the love they have sent our way.

Rabbi Harold Kushner, author of *When Bad Things Happen to Good People*, said, “I’ve never heard someone on their deathbed say, ‘I wish I’d gone to the office more.’ They say something like, ‘I wish I’d cared more.’ ‘I wish I’d loved more.’ ‘I wish I’d reached out to others more.’ It is both a sobering thought and a call to action.

VBS 2016: Kids Go on a Cave Quest

This year’s Vacation Bible School should be a cave blast as children learn about Jesus and the Bible with *CaveQuest: Following Jesus, the Light of the World*. They will play “Spelunker” sports/games (A spelunker is a cave bug or one who explores caves for a hobby.), meander through a Deep Bible Quest, watch KidVid Cinema, dance to Kid/Play Rock and explore the Bible through an Imagination Station. And there’s a Cavern Café for snacks.

Register your children now — ages four to those starting 5th grade in September—for this very Catholic program, August 1st to August 5th. Registration forms are on the parish website (smlparish.org), via mail (196 Route 70, Medford), or the PREP Office. Payment is due upon registration. (\$40 for the first child, \$30 for each additional child.) Space is limited. Questions? Call the PREP Office, (609) 654-254, Ext. 310.



St. Mary of the Lakes

SCHOOL

On Tuesday, June 14th, a Baccalaureate Mass was held in honor of the 47 members of St. Mary of the Lakes Class of 2016. The Mass, celebrated by Father Dan and assisted by Monsignor Dubell, attended by family and friends, also included the presentation of scholarships and awards to the following recipients:



Sister Justina Award & Scholarship (\$1,750)
Bernice Pasquarello Award & Scholarship (\$2,000)
Stephanie Bader Memorial Scholarship (\$1,000)
Leadership Award
Principles and Values of SML Award
I Care Award
School Spirit Award
Highest GPA 5th-8th Grade

Kathryn Bjorklund, Zachary Morrison
Addison Malady
Donya Kowalski
Rachel Orr, Addison Malady
Hayden Peterson, Amanda McNally
Mia Fornito
Mia Fornito
Donya Kowalski, Giavonna Gaw (tie)

Additional school-specific scholarships were awarded to the following students:

Holy Cross

Catholic Fellowship Scholarship (\$2000 per year for 4 years)	Sean Russell
Finsen Family Foundation Scholarship (\$3000 for 4 Years)	Alexandra Mongrandi
Finsen Family Foundation Scholarship (\$3000 for 4 Years)	Nice Woodham-Simpson

Camden Catholic

Alma Mater Award - Freshman Year Books	Giavanna Gaw
Performing Arts/Dance Scholarship (\$750 for 4 years)	Giavonna Gaw
Fine Arts Scholarship (\$750 for 4 years)	Amanda McNally

Total scholarships awarded to the Class of 2016: \$42,750

SMLS graduates will be attending the following high schools in the fall:

Bishop Eustace Preparatory School (10)
St. Joseph Preparatory School (6)
Holy Cross Academy (6)
Camden Catholic High School (3)
Shawnee High School (14)
Seneca High School (4)
Lenape High School (2)
St. Augustine Preparatory School (2)



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

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Summer Bowling

The Knights are hosting a bowling night for men and women on July 21st and August 18th at 6:30 p.m. at Medford Lanes, 665 Stokes Road. The \$20 per-person/night fee includes three games, shoe rental, and pizza. Bring your own beverage and have fun, socialize with fellow parishioners. Our Fall bowling league starts September 14th. Contact Bill Mazzio, (609) 458-0704 or williammazzio@yahoo.com.

Wednesday Night Horseshoe League in Action



Society of St. Vincent de Paul Vehicle Donation Program: Simple, Fast, Easy



Donating your car, truck, van, motorcycle, boat, RV or trailer to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul will help a family in our area. Proceeds from your vehicle can provide:

- ♦ A twin bed with a frame for two children
- ♦ A month's rent for a family
- ♦ A crib, crib mattress for two babies
- ♦ Several months' utilities payments
- ♦ More than two years' generic drugs for an elderly person
- ♦ Food for a month for a family of five
- ♦ Critical nutrition for an infant for four months

Donating is easy. Call (609) 953-0021 or (800) 322-8284. We will tow your vehicle at no cost to you. You will get a tax deductible receipt. Please do not drop off your vehicle at the Caring Center on Jones Road.

Ninth Annual Golf Tournament Helps the Homeless, Hungry, Others in Need

It was a beautiful spring day for St. Mary of the Lakes Knights of Columbus Council 6520 upon hosting its ninth annual charity golf tournament on Monday, June 13th, at the Medford Village Country Club. All proceeds benefited Medford's Society of St. Vincent de Paul and the Interfaith Hospitality Network of Burlington County--two organizations that provide critical services, such as food, shelter, clothing and financial assistance, to the needy. Both men and women golfers came out swinging to support these vital organizations. More on this story in next week's bulletin.



Team Y.E.S. 2016 Departs for Baltimore to do God's Work

On Tuesday, June 21st, forty two members of Team Y.E.S. 2016 at last departed for Baltimore, Maryland where they will partner with Habitat for Humanity of the Chesapeake to help reconstruct homes for the needy. After a special blessing service, the travelers received a crucifix and a send-off lunch of hoagies, salads, and soft drinks. We wish them many graces during this exciting adventure and look forward to hearing about their trip when they return on June 27th. Thank you to all our parishioners and volunteers who made their trip possible!



Parish Youth Minister Linda Xerri imparts a few last minute instructions prior to departure.



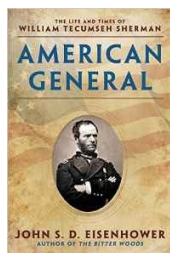
Father Dan offers words of encouragement and praise for the work Y.E.S. members are about to undertake on behalf of others.



Father Carlos delivered a special blessing to all participants prior to their receiving a special cross for their work.



Literary Guild Meets June 30th



Our June meeting takes place at 1:00 p.m. in the parish conference room. The book this month is *American General: The Life and Times of William Tecumseh Sherman* by noted historian John S. D. Eisenhower, a surprising portrait of the Civil War general whose path of destruction cut the Confederacy in two, broke the will of the Southern population, and earned him a place in history as “the first modern general.” Yet behind his reputation as a fierce warrior was a sympathetic man of complex character. For information, call Ann Minnium (609) 654 5672.

Rediscover Jesus Author Offers Six-Week Twilight Book Study

If there is one person we should get to know personally, it is Jesus. In his book, *Rediscover Jesus*, Matthew Kelly, best-selling Catholic author takes you on a six-week spiritual journey to encounter Jesus—the friend who helps answer life’s tough questions. No purchase necessary, no fee. Location: Sacred Heart Church Hall, 751 Main Ave, Bay Head at 7:00 p.m. on the following dates: Monday, June 27; Tuesday, July 5; Monday, July 11, 18, and 25; and Monday August 1. Contact Dawn Rusinko at 732-899-1398 or DawnRusinko@yahoo.com.

Next Prayer Shawl Meeting: Tuesday, June 28th

The Prayer Shawl Ministry will meet on Tuesday, June 28th, at 10:30 a.m. in the Emmaus Center. (Last week’s bulletin was in error—apologies to our Prayer Shawl Ministry members.) Come to discuss our mission over coffee and light refreshments. If you enjoy knitting or crocheting, or if you want to learn how, consider joining The Prayer Shawl Ministry. We knit and crochet attractive shawls while praying in the privacy of our home, then offer them as a gift to this sick and/or infirm. If you have any questions, call ministry leader Rosemary Peters, (856) 574-4098 or the parish office if you want a shawl for a loved one, friend, or someone who is experiencing an illness, cancer treatment, or other condition.

Healing Mass at St. John Neumann Last Friday of Every Month

St. John Neumann parish in Mt. Laurel will hold a healing Mass on the last Friday of each month. Holy Hour is from 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. with prayers to the Sacred Heart, Recitation of The Chaplet of Divine Mercy, and the Rosary. Mass begins at 8:00 p.m. with Rev. Pelagio Calamba Pateno, JR.S.V.D. Confessions will be heard before Mass. For information, call Raul at (856) 304-8783.



Mark Your Calendars!

**Saturday, September 17th
Noon to 3:30 p.m.**

If you can set up, serve up, clean up, stand up, we need you!

Contact

Millie Linett (609) 668-1673/mlinett@verizon.net or

Dar MacDonald (609) 859-0311

Fathers Day: Prayer, Thanksgiving, and...Torpedoed T-Shirts!

The fathers of our parish were celebrated at all Masses on Father's Day with a special blessing and a gift of a phone wallet stamped with the new SMLCCS logo. In addition, Father Dan gave out fifty \$5.00 gift certificates to Home Depot to the fathers who gave correct responses to such questions as, "Is there a father here who has 25 grandchildren?" Or, "Do we have an expectant father at Mass today?" Further, and to everyone's surprise, Father Dan "torpedoed" a number of *St. Mary of the Lakes Catholic Church and School PROUD* T-shirts to parishioners who, for the most part, had no difficulty in catching them, and proving that Father Dan's next career should be—except for 6:00 p.m. Mass—a quarterback for the Eagles!



Father Dan readies to torpedo a few T-shirts at 6:00 p.m. Mass, but one, meant for the choir loft, misfired into the light and parachuted down, much to parishioners' delight.



Not quite sure what happened there...

Home Depot Gift Cards were a home run for parish fathers.

Kidney Donor Needed—Can You Help?

One of our parishioners long has been in need of a kidney. With the family's consent, we are offering the following links at University of Pennsylvania Hospital should you have an interest in being a donor and/or to receive the forms for one who has the qualifications of being a donor:

www.pennmedicine.org/~media/Documents%20and%20Audio/Patient%20Forms/Transplant/LivingKidneyDonorApplication

www.pennmedicine.org/for-patients-and-visitors/find-a-program-or-service/transplant-institute/living-kidney-donor-transplant/treatments-and-procedures/types-of-kidney-donations

Weekly Calendar

Sunday, June 26, 2016 to Sunday, July 3, 2016

Sunday, June 26	Masses	7:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 10:30 a.m., 12:00 p.m., 6:00 p.m.—Church
Monday, June 27	Masses Redemption Music Group Rehearsal	7:15 a.m., 9:00 a.m.—Church 7:00 p.m.—Church
Tuesday, June 28	Masses Prayer Shawl Ministry Meeting Glory To God Prayer Group	7:15 a.m., 9:00 a.m.—Church 10:00 a.m.—Emmaus Center 7:30 p.m.—Emmaus Center
Wednesday, June 29	Masses Legion of Mary Bible Study Knights of Columbus Horseshoe League Young Adult Ministry	7:15 a.m., 9:00 a.m.—Church 9:30 a.m.—Conference Room 10:15 a.m.—Emmaus Center 7:00 p.m.—Backyard 7:00 p.m.—Emmaus Center
Thursday, June 30	Masses Adoration Benediction	7:15 a.m., 9:00 a.m.—Church 9:30 a.m.—Church 7:00 p.m.—Church
Friday, July 1	Masses Knights of Columbus	7:15 a.m., 9:00 a.m.—Church 5:00 p.m.—Parish Meeting Room
Saturday, July 2	Masses Confessions	9:00 a.m., 5:30 p.m.—Church After the 9:00 a.m. Mass and at 4:30 p.m.—Church
Sunday, July 3	Masses Patriotic Prayer Service Redemption Music Group Rehearsal	7:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 10:30 a.m., 12:00 p.m., 6:00 p.m.—Church Following 9:00 a.m. Mass—Church 4:30 p.m.—Church