

## Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

January 22, 2017

# The Roman Catholic Community of

# SAINT LEO the CAREAT



#### **WEEKEND MASSES:**

Saturday, 5:30 p.m. Sunday, 7:00, 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 a.m.

#### **DAILY MASSES:**

Monday through Friday, 9:00 a.m. Saturday, 8:00 a.m.

Novena Prayers following 9:00 a.m. Mass

Monday - Miraculous Medal

Tuesday - Saint Anthony

Wednesday - Saint Jude

Thursday - Divine Mercy Chaplet

Friday - Sacred Heart

**HOLY DAY MASSES:** See Bulletin

#### **CONFESSIONS:**

Saturday, 4:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. or anytime on request



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#### PARISH CENTER OFFICE HOURS

MONDAY through THURSDAY

9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

**FRIDAY** 

9:00 a.m. to 12 Noon

**SATURDAY** 

9:00 a.m. to 12 Noon

SUNDAY

Office is closed

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#### Parish Statement of Vision & Purpose

With charity, joy and missionary enthusiasm the Roman Catholic Family of Saint Leo the Great, Lincroft, commits to giving ourselves unconditionally in service to the People of God in the Name of Jesus Christ our Lord and Savior

#### **Directory**

#### Pastoral Center

Parish Center 732-747-5466

Fax 732-219-5181

Email parish@stleothegreat.com

Website www.stleothegreat.com

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#### Pastoral Staff

Pastor Reverend John T. Folchetti, D.Min.

Weekend Assistant
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Reverend Rocco Cuomo
Reverend David X. Stump, S.J.

Deacon
Deacon
Deacon
Deacon Candidate
Pastoral Associate

Mr. Edward H. Wilson
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Saturday Receptionist Mrs. Joan Gittens

#### Parish Administration

Director Mr. Joseph A. Manzi Bursar & HR Director Mrs. Maureen Leach

Controller Mr. Carmine S. Giambrone, CPA

Bookkeeper Mrs. Sharon Kreft

#### Pastoral Ministries

Saint Leo the Great School School 732-741-3133

Website www.saintleothegreatschool.com

Principal Mr. Cornelius G. Begley, M.A.
Vice Principal Mrs. Deirdre Senkewicz, M.S.
PTA President Mrs. Roseann Leibrock

#### Office of Parish Faith Formation

Office 732-530-0717

Email FaithFormation@stleothegreat.com

Pastoral Associate
Coordinator
Assistant Coordinator
Administrative Assistant

Mr. Mark G. Russoniello, MAPT
Ms. Margaret J. Lang
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#### Worship & Liturgical Ministries

Acolytes, Extraordinary Ministers, Lectors

Moderator Deacon Edward Wilson
Sacred Music Mrs. Elvira Major, Director
Sacristan Mr. Michael Bosch

#### Catholic Youth Ministry

Director Mrs. Joan M. Kret

#### **Buildings & Grounds**

Manager Mr. Kevin Mocik
Custodian Mr. John Kersey

#### Evangelization & Spiritual Formation

Coordinator of R.C.I.A. Mrs. Janice Campbell
CLOW Mrs. Patricia Hicks
Reflection for Mothers' Mrs. Patricia Hicks
Senior Spirituality Sister Jeanne Belli, S.S.J.

#### Parish Council

Chairperson Wrs. Michele Massaro-Linzalone
Vice Chairperson Mr. John Senkewicz

#### Christian Service Ministries

Social Concerns
Lunch Break
Mr. John Senkewicz, Coordinator
Mr. Gary Krall, Coordinator

#### Parish Organizations

Carnival

General Manager Mr. Joseph A. Manzi

Holy Name Society
President
Vice President
Knights of Columbus
Saint Joseph's Society

Mr. Stephen Mercadante
Mr. Thomas Dogas
Mr. Donald Listing
Mr. Donald Listing

#### Community Outreach

Bereavement Support

Bereavement for Parents
Caregiving Friends
Mr. & Mrs. Paul Dwyer
Mrs. Mary Lee

AA - 8:30 a.m. Saturday

#### Parish Athletic Activities

Director & Coordinator Mr. Anthony Biancaniello SLG Athletic Association Mr. Christopher Montalvo

#### BAPTISMS:

Parents and Godparents are required to attend a Baptismal Preparation Class prior to the Baptism.

Baptisms are celebrated on the first and third Sundays of the month at 1:00 p.m.

Please call the Parish Center for information.

#### MARRIAGES:

Please call the Parish Center one year in advance PRIOR to making any other arrangements.

#### HOSPITAL & HOME COMMUNION CALLS:

Call the Parish Center

#### SPONSOR CERTIFICATES / LETTERS OF ELIGIBILITY:

Must be: a registered Parishioner, a faithfully practicing Roman Catholic, over the age of 16, if married, must be in a valid Catholic marriage, and have received the Sacraments of Baptism, Communion & Confirmation. (cf. Canon Law)



#### Saturday, January 21

5:30 p.m. -+Rose Laino, r/b Maria Acquavella +Eileen Faletti, r/b Holt Family

#### Sunday, January 22

7:00 a.m. -+Joseph Ciavarro, r/b Halstead Family +Barbara Turner, r/b Donna Bartucci

8:30 a.m. - The People of the Parish +Pauline Porpora, r/b Claudette Ford

10:00 a.m. -+Anne & Dominick Taddeo, r/b Family +William Wallace

11:30 a.m. -+Eileen Silo, r/b Keith & Colleen Esposito +Anthony Buffalano, r/b Espinoza Madriz Family

#### Monday, January 23

9:00 a.m. -+Edward Paul r/b Brian & Frances Dunn

#### Tuesday, January 24

9:00 a.m. -+Thomas Dorrian r/b Terry & Kevin Hayes +Tindaro Abrama r/b Cumbo Family

#### Wednesday, January 25

9:00 a.m. -+Eileen Lawrence r/b Margherita & Pat

In Memory of:

Judy Gallo

Requested by:

Anna Costanza

#### Thursday, January 26

9:00 a.m. -+Doris Noguerra r/b Ryan Family +John Rosati r/b Annarose Rosati

#### Friday, January 27

9:00 a.m. -+Mary Ann Lettieri r/b Madeline A. Normoyle

#### Saturday, January 28

8:00 a.m. -+Souls in Purgatory

5:30 p.m. -+Joseph Mauthe r/b Holt Family

+D. Helen Lumadue r/b Marilyn Maguire

#### Sunday, January 29

7:00 a.m. -+Laura Rumsby r/b Paula Bykowsky

+William Wood r/b Owens Family

8:30 a.m. -+Pauline Porpora r/b V. Ballone & C. Ryan

+Mike McGonegal r/b Rob & Maureen Doehner

10:00 a.m. - The People of the Parish

+John Horton r/b Kreft Family

11:30 a.m. --+William H. Frey r/b Ann Frey & Family

+William Wallace r/b Keith & Colleen Esposito

# Jabernacle Vigil Light & Church Week of January 23rd



Liturgical Assignments - January 28/29 Please arrive 15 minutes early.

#### **CLOW SCHEDULE**

January 29, 2017

4th Sunday in OT

#### 8:30 A.M.

- 1. C. Fitzgerald
- 2. T. Droughton
- 3. J. Hughes

#### 10:00 A.M.

- 1. J. Sharkey
- 2. A. Matthews
- 3. J. Paskiewsicz

If you are unable to serve at the time scheduled, it is your responsibility to find a substitute. Thank you!

Mass	Altar Servers	<u>Lectors</u>	<b>Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion</b>
5:30 p.m.	C. Holt, C/S Raineri	D. Conte	M. Potenziani, T. Gioia, N. Ricciardi, S. Tucker, R. DiStefano, E/R Almerini
7:00 a.m.	N. Hohenstein, G. D'Orsi	G. Marx	N/E Turkovic, R. Kochman, J. Manzi
8:30 a.m.	M. Battista, C. Fremer, A. Kwapniewski	J. Hall	J. Campbell, M. Russo, D. Senkewicz, P. Hicks, P. Eng,
10:00 a.m.	C/G Arias, L. Mason	E. Patterson	J. Gillen, M. Federico, J. Bornemann, N. Mercadante, P. Marzec, R. D'Antonio, M. DeGregorio
11:30 a.m.	D/M DeMasi, R. Matthews	J. Krall	J. Kret, P. Barber, J/T Waters, Mike Fallon, M. Lang, D. Listing

#### WEEK-AT-A-GLANCE

#### MONDAY, January 23

Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children

9:00 a.m. Mass w Novena / Chapel

#### TUESDAY, January 24

9:00 a.m. Mass w Novena / **Chapel** 4:15 p.m. Rel. Ed., K-6 / School

#### WEDNESDAY, January 25

9:00 a.m. Mass w Novena / Chapel

4:15 p.m. Rel. Ed., K-6 / School

#### THURSDAY, January 26

9:00 a.m. Mass w Novena / Chapel

10:00 a.m. Bible Study / P.C.

6:15 p.m. Rel. Ed., 8th / School

6:30 p.m. Rel. Ed., 7th / School

#### FRIDAY, January 27

9:00 a.m. Mass w Novena / Chapel

#### SATURDAY, January 28

8:00 a.m. Mass / Chapel

8:30 a.m. A.A. / P.C.

4:30 p.m. Confessions / Church

5:30 p.m. Mass / Church

#### CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK

SUNDAY, January 29

**Masses:** 7:00, \*8:30, \*10:00 & 11:30 am/**Church** \*8:30 & 10 a.m. Mass Children's Liturgy of the Word

GOOD NEWS...



the kingdom of heaven is at hand.

# AN ENGRAVED PAVER

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**ENGRAVED PAVER** that will be placed at the main entrance doors to the Church honoring your family, someone deceased, a special occasion (a birthday, anniversary, graduation), etc. Stop at the Parish Center for an order form or go to our website <u>stleothegreat.com</u>

#### Offertory

Thank you for your continued support! You may also donate electronically via <a href="https://www.ParishPay.com">www.ParishPay.com</a> or using your financial

institutions electronic bill pay.



#### Your Prayers Are Requested

Remember the Servicemen and Women

who are serving in the military overseas.

for their safe return and for their families

Remember Our Sick, especially Residents of Luftman Towers, The Pavilion & Sunrise Assisted Living, Carl price, Kathy Arnold

Remember Our Deceased, especially Harvey Rein

Remember Our New Parishioners and Their Families

WELCOME!!!



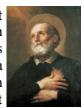
Please email us with your current email address - <u>Parish@stleothegreat.com</u>

If you have a **change of address**, please give us your past address as well as the new one, **phone number**, and **any other change** of information.

Many blessings in the New Year!

#### News Around the Diocese

YOUTH ORATORY: Saint Anthony's, Red Bank. An invitation for the youth of our Parishes, as well as their parents, to join in prayer and a social gathering. As an oratory in formation of Saint Philip Neri, the Priest



and Brothers are continuing the Youth Oratory established by Saint Philip himself. Come and experience communal prayer and the opportunity to meet new friends in the area. *Upcoming Events*. Sunday, January 22<sup>nd</sup>, Youth Oratory Night at St. Anthony's, 6 to 7:30pm. All youth (8<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade) and their families are invited!

Questions? Talk to Br. Nick or email Debbie Gaudino (deborahgaudino@gmail.com) or call Saint Anthony's Parish Office (732-747-0813).

CELTIC SPIRITUALITY RETREAT on March 10-12. During this weekend retreat, Carmel Boyle invites us to pray with Celtic themes through song and reflection. Led by the spirit of song, you will encounter the spirituality of the ancient Celts who were ever conscious of the immanence of God. This symbolic pilgrimage will visit the sacred places of your soul's journey in the company of the Trinity, Angels and Saints Patrick, Brigid and Brendan. Fee: \$175 (includes a \$40 non-refundable deposit) Please call 267-350-1830 for more information or to register by February 28th.

<u>CHARISMATIC HEALING MASS:</u> Holy Cross, Rumson. Monday, **January 23rd** at 8pm. Fr. Garry Koch, Celebrant, Pastor of Saint Benedict's Parish, Holmdel.

SJVHS - Vianney Institute of Learning, Line Rd., Holmdel. Register online at www.sjvhs.com click on Vianney Institute tab the go to Academic Prep Courses or Adult Enrichment Classes or contact pasquale@sjvhs.com



<u>SAT Prep Courses:</u> \$450 includes workbook January/February/March Class: Tuesday January 1/31 & Thursday, February 2/2, Tuesday, 2/7 & Wednesday 2/8, Tuesday, 2/14 & Thursday 2/16, Tuesday, 2/21 & Thursday, 2/23, Wednesday, 3/1 & Thursday, 3/2, and Tuesday, 3/7 & Thursday, 3/9. **Test on 3/11** 

Winter Zumba - Shed those holiday pounds in no

8 weeks \$70.00. Tuesday evenings 7-8:00pm SJV Health Room. Taught by Joanne Feaster - All Around Fitness. Dates: 1/10, 17, 24, 31, 2/7, 14, 21 & 28



## This year's theme is "The Power of One" Friday, January 27, 2017.

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#### **Schedule**

11:45 a.m. Musical Opening 12:00 p.m. Rally 1:00 p.m. March

3:00 p.m. (approx) Listen to Silent No More testimonies outside U.S. Supreme Court3:30 p.m. Visit your Representative or Senator to advocate for life

Saint Mary's, New Monmouth and other local Parishes will have a bus going to the March for

Life. Check for the schedule at www.dioceseoftrenton.org





#### OFFERED AT THE UPPER ROOM SPIRITUAL CENTER, NEPTUNE ` 732-922-0550

- ◆ PROFESSIONAL DAY: HEALING FROM SEXUAL ABUSE: THE ROLE OF SPIRITUAL DIRECTION AND PSYCHOTHERAPY. Presenter -John Collins, C.S.sR, LCSW A Redemptorist priest and licensed clinical social worker. Wednesday, January 25<sup>th</sup> 9:30am 4:00pm. Fee-\$75~\$100 (includes lunch)
- **♦ "BE** KNOW...!" STILL AND CRANIOSACRAL THERAPY FOR TOTAL WELL-BEING: This workshop will give you an overview of Cranial Sacral Therapy, discuss the many health benefits, demonstrate techniques and offer you a unique opportunity to experience the healing process in the context of a spirituallygrounded environment. Presenter: Maureen Conroy, RSM, D.Min. Co-director of the Upper Room, since Author, Craniosacral Therapist Saturday, **January 28th** (9:30 am  $\sim 5:30$  pm) Fee: \$100 (Continental Breakfast, beverages and snacks provided)

#### News from the Parish Staff

#### New From the Office of Faith Formation . . .



"Man cannot live without love. He remains a being that is incomprehensible for himself...if love is not revealed to him, if he does not encounter love, if he does

not experience it and make it his own, if he does not participate intimately in it. This is why Christ the Redeemer 'fully reveals man to himself'."

#### ~ Saint John Paul II (Redemptor Hominis)

- + This week, our Holy Father, Pope Francis, announced the theme for the 2018 Synod of Bishops will be "Young People, the Faith & Vocational Discernment". Watch this space for more information about the Synod. Please pray that all young people will hear and answer God's unique call to their lives, especially those who feel called to ordained and consecrated life.
- + Drop-off and pick-up instructions for the 8th Grade Confirmation Evening with Chris Stefanick are available on the Parish website. The event is Tuesday, **January 31st** at **Nativity Parish**. Doors open at 5:45 PM.
- + Confirmation Candidates must order their gown *immediately* and provide their height in inches. Please go to the Parish website, <a href="https://stleothegreat.com/confirmation-prep">https://stleothegreat.com/confirmation-prep</a> to complete the required information.
- + Please pray for all our children and RCIA candidates preparing to celebrate Sacraments of Initiation in 2017.

#### 9 DAYS FOR LIFE

The U.S. Bishops Annual Novena, 9 Days for Life, takes



place Saturday, January 21 – Sunday, January 29.

Pray for the respect and protection of all human life with new intentions, brief reflections, and more each day. Download the novena online, or participate through Facebook, email, text message or an app. Join at <a href="https://www.9daysforlife.com">www.9daysforlife.com</a>!

# young Disciples ign/te

Joan Kret, Youth Minister

Next Sunday, January 22nd, we will be participating in a Youth Oratory with other teens in the area. We will be meeting at Saint Anthony's in Red Bank from 6 until 7:30. A great opportunity!

Please visit <u>stleothegreat.com</u> for more information and to sign up for the weekend ski trip on Saturday, February 4th to Sunday, February 5th and for the Escape Room on Friday, February 10th.

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Questions? Email JoanKret@stleothegreat.com.

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- ⇒ Upcoming Events with Signup Capability
- ⇒ Monthly Ministry Spotlight
- ⇒ Inspirational Links like Father John's Sunday Homilies!
- ⇒ Virtual Tour
- ⇒ Meet Our Parishioners Monthly Spotlight

#### HIS WORD TODAY

"I beg you brothers in the name of Lord Jesus Christ, to agree on what you say. Let there be no factions; rather be united in mind and judgment... Christ did not send me to baptize but to preach the gospel – not with wordy 'wisdom' however, lest the cross of Christ be rendered void of its meaning.



From the early days of the church questions and disputes arose, as the communities were formed and began to grow. Two thousand years later, people continue to line up, choose a banner or are pasted with a label. The words of St. Paul should cause us to pause and think.

I hear many sermons, read many tracts, watch a variety of religious programs. All seem to have different perspectives. If they are credible, they should lead us to the cross of Jesus Christ. If they fail to do this, they are of little worth.

Did we not hear the scripture words "there is one Lord, one faith, one baptism, one God who is

Father?" May we learn to listen with a special ear, discern with a keen eye and discover the wisdom of Jesus Christ and the cross. Next time, don't listen for just what you want to hear, but what you need to hear.

#### FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME January 29, 2017

#### First Reading: Zephaniah 2:3, 3:12-13

Zephaniah prophesies that the Lord will punish wicked nations along with Jerusalem, but he will shelter from his anger those who practice justice and humility and do no wrong.

#### **Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 1:26-31**

Paul tells the Corinthians that God prefers the humble, the weak, the lowly of station — people like themselves. In Christ Jesus they will find wisdom, honor and justice.

#### Gospel: Matthew 5:1-12a

Jesus teaches the Beatitudes in his Sermon on the Mount. He extols those who are merciful, peaceful, lowly, poor in spirit and promises them that "the reign of God is theirs."

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#### **Daily Readings for the Week**

**Monday -** Heb 9:15, 24-28; Mk 3:22-30 **Tuesday -** Heb 10:1-10; Mk 3:31-35

Wednesday - Acts 22:3-16 or Acts 9:1-22; Mk 16:15-18

**Thursday -** 2 Tm 1:1-8 or Tit 1:1-5; Mk 4:21-25

Friday - Heb 10:32-39; Mk 4:26-34 Saturday - Heb 11:1-2, 8-19; Mk 4:35-41

#### A VOCATION VIEW . . .

After the time of his prayer and fasting in the desert, Jesus begins to call the Twelve. We must be students of prayer that we can hear the same call given to Peter, James and John.

(Matthew 4:20)



#### **Bible Study / Reflection**

Thursdays - 10:00 a.m.
Parish Center
All are welcome to attend

### Knights of Columbus Free Throw Championship

Father McGivney Council 6392 Council Level Competition

#### When:

Sunday, January 22nd

2:00 PM - 4:00 PM

Sign In/Walkup Registration

2:00 PM - 2:30 PM

Competition

2:30 PM - 4:00 PM)

Final Tie Breakers (if needed)

4:00 PM)

#### Where:

Saint Leo the Great AAC

# Age Specifications Competitive Groupings:

Boys and Girls ages 9 - 11

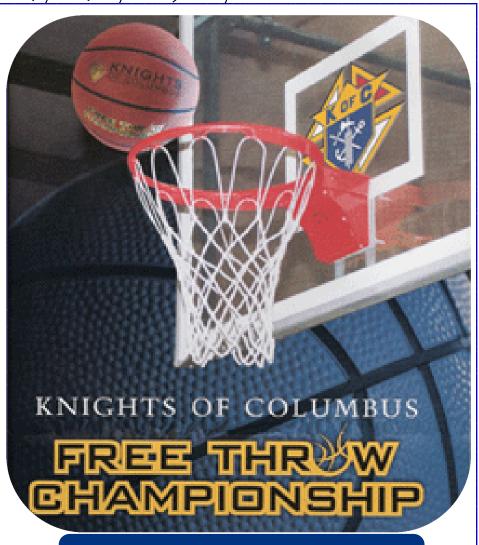
(12' foul line)

Girls ages 12 - 14

(15' foul line)

Boys Ages 12 - 14

(15' foul line)



Questions?

Contact Tony Dispirito at 732-832-1185

#### Entrance Requirements:

Complete Free Throw Championship Entry Form, including Parents/Guardians signature (for entrance forms to pre-register contact Tony DiSpirito, 732-832-1185 or sign up the day of the Competition); All Competitors Must present Proof of Age (Copy of Birth Certificate, etc. to be attached to Entry Form) at sign in on the day of the Competition

#### Rules:

- Competitors (grouped per above) given three (3) Free Throw practice shots immediately followed by 15 attempts to score.
- High scorer in each Grouping wins and moves on to the next Level of Competition.
- Ties to be broken via successive rounds of best of five (5) Free Throws.
- Normal Basketball Free Throw rules apply (e.g., no stepping on or over the foul line prior to the ball reaching the rim, etc.).

Winners announced, Winning Certificates awarded and details on next level of competition provided following the conclusion of the Competition.

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#### **Gospel Today**

Cycle A

#### Third Sunday in Ordinary Time | Matthew 4:12-23

Jesus began His ministry by the sea. There He called His first disciples, brothers Simon (Peter) and Andrew as they were casting their nets. Brothers James and John were fishing when Jesus called them next, saying, "Come after Me and I will make you fishers of men".

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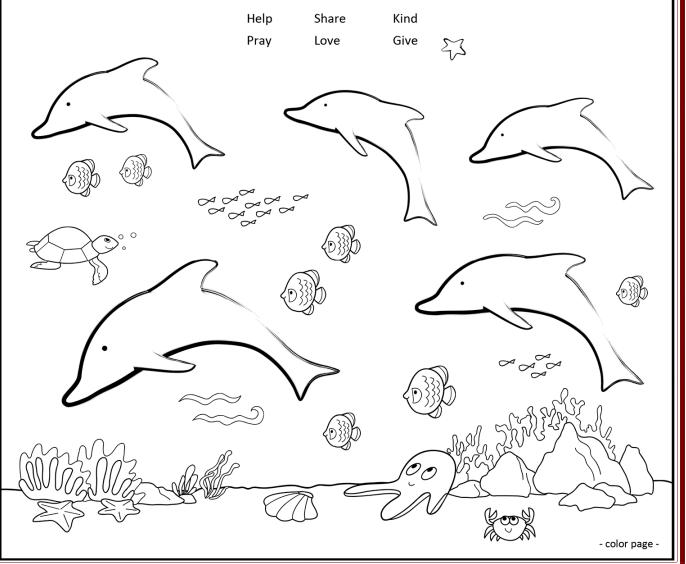
Jesus began to preach and say, "Repent, for the Kingdom of Heaven is at hand."

Matthew 4:17

## PORPOISE WITH A PURPOSE

This school of fish (porpoise) wants to help you be a good disciple and teach others about God's Good News. Write some ways of being a good Catholic on the fish below, as they swim along the sea, for all to see!

#### Use these words or write your own...



WINE TASTING: Saint John Vianney
High School, Holmdel - Saturday,
February 11th from 7-10pm. \$40 in
advance \$45 at the Door. Over 40
Distributors of Fine Wine, Spirits & Beers, Light Fare,
DJ. The evening includes a5 0/50 Raffle & a Gift
Basket Raffle. Visit <a href="https://www.sjvhs.com">www.sjvhs.com</a> - look under
announcements for more information or to purchase
tickets online or call 732-739-0800 ext. 135 for more
information. Adults Only: Must be 21+ to enter and
show valid picture ID

Tuesday's Children is an organization founded after 9/11 with the purpose of aiding families affected by the 9/11 disaster, and currently any other natural disasters, (Sandy etc.) Please visit their website for further information about their purpose and how you can help.

TuesdaysChildren.org or call 1-844-488-3732

#### Please Support Our Advertisers

Each week the businesses on the back pages of our bulletin sponsor the printing and production of the bulletin. Please become familiar with these businesses/people and in time of need consider patronizing them. Let them know that you appreciate their support of Saint Leo's and that you saw their ad in our bulletin. Thank you.

## SAINT LEO THE GREAT Automated Giving

An easier way to support our Parish
To enroll, go to www.parishpay.com.
Click on "Make a Donation", enter our zip
code 07738 - choose Saint Leo the Great. Enter
your monthly donation amount and fill in your
personal information. It's that easy!



# WOULD YOU LIKE TO ACCESS WHAT YOUR CHURCH DONATIONS ARE AND KEEP YOUR INFORMATION UP TO DATE?

ConnectNow – My Own Church Saint Leo's Church Database Advantages for Members

PLEASE NOTE:

Prior to signing up on ConnectNow, you must be a registered member of the Parish.

- ◆ Download your electronic contribution statement for the 2016 tax year
- ♦ Check your envelope and online giving history, any time
- ◆ Submit updates to your family and contact information (which helps us to keep your records more accurate)

If you would like to be able to update your families information, such as address, phone number, email address, view your donations to the Church, print out a yearly donation statement, please sign up!!!

# All information is confidential and only you will see the information.

1. To sign up, go to

https://connectnow.parishsoft.com/trenton

- 1. Choose New User
- 2. Organization is *Church of Saint Leo the Great*
- 3. Choose a *username*
- 4. Fill out **your information** and **email address** and **hit submit**.

After our office receives your request and it is approved, you will be sent a temporary password.

A Parishioner is . . . one who belongs to the Parish Family. As such, she/he is formally registered with us and is committed to the Parish through participation in the life of the Parish Community - spiritually, socially and financially. If you have not formally registered as a Parishioner, please do so at the Parish Center Office.

Please note - we will not be able to issue Sponsor Certificates or Letters of Eligibility for Baptisms or Confirmation if you are not a registered participating member of the Parish for at least six months.

NOTE: FEDERAL PRIVACY REGULATION - HIPAA (Health Insurance Portability & Accountability) prohibits all hospitals from informing churches of a patient's presence unless the patient gives permission for the hospital to do so. If you're admitted to a hospital and would like a visit from us, please notify the hospital or call the Parish Office

#### Remember Your Parish in Your Estate Planning

Bequests are ideal for remembering those who will come to St. Leo the Great Church after us—in our Catholic Christian Mission. Or, you may wish to name St. Leo's as a beneficiary of an insurance policy or other financial instrument. The designation would be: Church of St. Leo the Great, 50 Hurley's Lane, Lincroft, NJ 07738. If in doubt, please call us and we will be happy to work with your attorney or financial advisor. *Thank you for your consideration.* 

UNCONDITIONAL LOVE . . .

