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12 noon & 6:15 pm

Saturday: 9:00 am & 5:00 pm (Anticipated)

Weekday: 7:00 am & 9:00 am

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Dear brother and sisters,

It was great to be with you last weekend and to have the opportunity to preach the homily. After Mass, I was able to take more time to reflect on the topic of hypocrisy and what you and I can do better as Christians leading others back to Christ. We know that hypocrisy in the Church and among each of us turns people away. We should also know that humility is the best cure for overcoming hypocrisy.

Only when we open our hearts to Jesus, the divine physician, and allow Him to search out those evil things that truly defile us - unchastity, greed, adultery, envy - can we keep close to Him. Attending Mass regularly, developing a deep prayer life, performing Works of Mercy, and taking part in particular devotions are all wonderful things, but if we don't have humility, we may begin to look down on others as the Pharisees and scribes did.



As society begins to open back up and as the new school year gets underway, we are called to redouble our efforts to bring our separated brothers and sisters back home to our faith. Let us lead this effort with a deep humility and a true desire to share the Good News of the Gospel through our words and deeds. Let us invite our friends, family and coworkers to share in the life of this wonderful parish community!

Although I know it's farther down the road, I hope you will join me in preparing a little differently for our Christmas liturgies in December. How can we welcome our brothers and sisters, whom we miss all year, in a more special way? How can we help them have a special experience with the Church and the source and summit of Christian life, the Eucharist? And would that experience be enough to have them rejoin us and the Lord?

Although I am a little sad to see summer end, I am very excited to see our community come back together again. Have a safe holiday weekend!!

God bless, Deacon John

NEWS AND EVENTS



In honor of Labor Day there will be one Mass only on Monday, September 6 and the Parish Center will be closed.

Second Collection: Next weekend September 12/13, we will be taking up the National Collection for The Catholic University of America. Located in the heart of the nation's capital, Catholic University offers graduate and undergraduate courses in more than 180 academic programs. By giving to the National Collection, you will help support more than 6,000 students who are seeking a faith-filled education at an institution that supports cutting edge research in multiple fields. Your investment will enable the University to continue to support the Church and to advance its work of preparing the next generation of leadership, both religious and lay, of our Church and nation. It will also enable the continuance of The Catholic Project, a University initiative jumpstarted by philanthropy which aims to help bishops, priests, and the lay faithful develop a deeper understanding of the lay vocation and principles for effective action in the wake of the recent Church crisis. Through research, new academic programs, and dialogue, the project brings together the clergy and lay leaders to develop solutions to the issues facing our Church and bring about reforms. Thank you for your generosity. Learn more at: collection.catholic.edu.

Overnight Adoration will take place on the 2nd Friday of each month. The next Adoration will be on Friday, September 10, at 7:00pm and will end with Benediction prior to the 9:00am Mass, on Saturday, September 11. Participants will be asked to commit to a specific hour. If you are interested, please contact Pat Khanjian at 201-891-3262-ext 226 or at PatK@saintelizabeths.org.

Food bags: Brown bags will be available after all Masses this weekend. Please return you filled bag next weekend and place it in the food truck which will be parked in front of the Church.

COLLECTIONS FOR THE WEEK ENDING August 29 Offertory \$15,372 | Online \$9,044 | Total \$24,416

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, September 4 9:00 am Joann E. Langan 5:00 pm People of the Parish

Sunday, September 5
7:30 am Patrick Scorese
9:00 am Harry Hammond
10:30 am Nicholas Stathakis
12 noon Stella Napor
6:15 pm Joann E. Langan

Monday, September 6 9:00 am Barbara DeSantis

Tuesday, September 7 7:00 am Domenic Parisi 9:00 am Stephen C. Hurtz

Wednesday, September 8 7:00 am Scott Edward Mault 9:00 am Pierce & Hannah McManus

Thursday, September 9
7:00 am Gertrude Selleck
9:00 am Margaret & Harold Bell
Bonnie Bell Gerli

Friday, September 10 7:00 am James Rice 9:00 am Peter Cosenza

Saturday, September 11 9:00 am Charles M. Fisher III 5:00 pm Richard Todisco, 20th Anniversary

Sunday, September 12 7:30 am People of the Parish 9:00 am Anne O'Dwyer 10:30 am Mary Jane Sharpe 12 noon Ernie Carradori 6:15 pm Anne Marie Liqouri



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Seniors: Will have their first meeting on Monday, September 20th at 1 pm. Father Francis will be our guest speaker. At this, no lunch will be served. All seniors are welcome. Any questions please call Joanne Daloisio at 201-220-6846.

Prayer Chain: Become a link in our prayer chain! Once a month a list of those who would like to be remembered in prayer will be mailed to you. The praying is done at home with respect for the confidentiality of those seeking prayer. With prayer, all things are possible. If you would like to join our prayer chain, or have someone prayed for, please contact Lisa Tota at the Parish Center, 201-891-1122 ext. 212.

The fall Surviving Divorce Retreat will be held on Saturdays from 9am12pm at Our Lady of the Blessed Sacrament Parish Roseland. This 4 session retreat
will be held on September 11th, October 2nd, October 23rd, and November 20th. An
additional session for those seeking information on the annulment process will be
scheduled at a later time.

Each session features talks and videos that cover topics of shock, denial, anger, grief, guilt, forgiveness, and much more. The itinerary includes video presentations followed by small group discussions. Participants will hear personal testimonies of Catholic men and women who have experienced the breakdown of their families and who are witness to the healing power of Christ in their lives. This retreat experience can offer valuable insight and support.

A few open spaces remain for the retreat. For more information and to register, please visit https://www.rcan.org/healing-retreats-events or contact the Family Life Office at 973-497-4327 or familylife@rcan.org for more details.

Catholic High School Information Night will be held on Thursday, September 9, from 6PM - 8PM at Our Lady of Mount Carmel Parish Center (basement of the church), located at One Passaic Street Ridgewood. Over 20 Catholic high schools have been invited to attend this event. This is a great way for you to meet school representatives and learn about the benefits of a Catholic high school education. Questions please contact ndecan-dia@olmcridgewood.com.

"To everything there is a season and a time for every purpose under heaven."

Your loved one will be announced at Mass for two weeks, then included in the bulletin for six weeks. Call the Parish Center to let us know the names of those we should include in our prayers.

Healing prayers for: Baby Parker Jude, Lucina Foz, Glenn Personette, Christopher Walker

Memorials for the week of September 5

Altar Bread and Wine: In memory of James Rice, 1st Anniversary, donated by the Gene Gallagher and family

Candles on the Altar: In memory of Alicia & Bitsy Madigan donated by Tom & Mary Madigan

> Flowers for Holy Family Shrine: In memory of Stella Napor, 3rd Anniversary donated by Jayne Ramierez

Blessed Mother Statue: In memory of Cathy Bonner, donated by the Glotzbier family

Dedication of the new 9/11 Memorial Fountain



Saturday, September 11 at 4:30 PM

Please join us for a special dedication of our new 9/11 Memorial Fountain in front of the Chapel





September 12

Capture the Kodak momements! Bring your grandparents or your grandchildren We'll take your "brag book photos" Let's celebrate the family love!

St. E's Yacht Club

Young Adult Catholics Hanging Together

Dinner and Kickball Saturday, September 25

6:00 PM
Please join us for
MASS at 5:00 PM

followed by dinner in the Elizabeth Room and a kickball game outside

Please rsvp by 919 to Jackie Woods at woodsja24@gmail.com



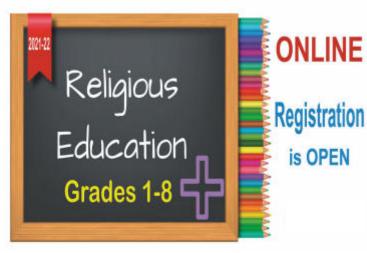


September 12-18
For one week, Shop Rite will boost our food ministry program with a little help from us!

FOOD DONATION

Partners in Caring!

From September 12-18, flyers will be available to all the Shop Rite customers to purchase items on our list for donation to Oasis and Father English. Collection carts will be in the front of the store. Please share this great news with your family and friends so that we can donate even more to help all those in need! Thank you for your help!



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Are YOU, YOUR CHILD or SOMEONE YOU KNOW interested in becoming more involved with the Church, service, youth ministry and/or leadership? Confirmed high school sophomores, Juniors and seniors are invited to apply to be student peer leaders. High school graduates and older are invited to inquire about being adult volunteers. We need dedicated, enthusiastic, and giving young people to help build this ministry! WE NEED YOU!

Reach out to Sammey and 7n. Jae to receive an application and to start the conversation!



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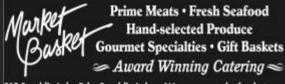
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