

The Sunday Steward

The weekly parish bulletin for The Church of Saint Ann
1253 Lawrenceville Road, Lawrenceville, NJ 08648
and the Saint Michael Church, Trenton, NJ

SEPTEMBER 2, 2018 - 22ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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Call for Volunteers to Serve on the Saint Ann School Board

DAILY LITURGY for the Week of September 2, 2018

SUN., Sept. 2 7:30 AM	Mrs. Suzanne Russo by Ralph Veltri Dale A. Davis by Sheryl and Tom Kane
9:30 AM	David Bartolino by Betty and Bill Wnek Rose and John Mazzuca by Varone Family
11:00 AM	Frances Simone by The Simone Family Mary Kyselka by Bob Curtis
12:30 PM	People of the Parish Esther Santoro by Nick and Susan Scozzari
ST. MICHAEL 8:45 AM	Palmina and Michael Saia by Daughter, Mary Frances
10:00 AM	
MON., Sept. 3 9:00 AM	LABOR DAY John Boyle by Michele McCullough Estelita S. Gregorio by Kyle Manila
TUES., Sept. 4 8:00 AM	Dave Patton by Sara and John Costagliola Restituta (Ida) Adriani by Vincenza Buono
WED., Sept. 5 8:00 AM	Dave Patton by Diane and Don Sward Blessings for all Members of St. Ann's Resurrection Choir by The Family of Frank Strup, Jr.
THURS., Sept. 6 8:00 AM	Joann Scofield by Russ Scofield and Family Restituta Adriani by Joyce and Harry Jammer
FRI., Sept. 7 8:00 AM	See page 7 for First Friday Intentions.
SAT., Sept. 8 8:00 AM	Stella Colavita by Lorraine Colavita Michele R. Kelly by Husband Tim, Mother-In-Law Marilyn and Mother Joan
5:00 PM	People of the Parish Stella Elenewski by Walter and Pat Wenczel
SUN., Sept. 9 7:30 AM	Suzanne Russo by Mr. and Mrs. Gabriele D'Amico Dr. Edgar Flores by Gaudy Terry Albano
9:30 AM	Joseph Yaros by Kathryn Yaros Elizabeth A. Dillon by Robert R. Dillon
11:00 AM	Maria DiSanzo by Family Gail Critchlow by Elaine Murphy
12:30 PM	Dorothy Lynch by Family Kay McDonald by Her Husband Tom McDonald
ST. MICHAEL 8:45 AM	Christopher Budzinski by Mom and Family
10:00 AM	

In readying for school board selection, individuals who have special skills or expertise (e.g., legal, financial, strategic planning, education, human resources, construction, fund raising, public relations and marketing, labor negotiations, engineering/architecture and technology, etc.) will be encouraged to present themselves as candidates for board membership. The contribution such people make, benefits the entire school community. When certain areas of expertise are not possessed by candidates for board selection, efforts will be made to recruit such people to serve on the board.

In determining membership eligibility, the following criteria will be followed:

- practicing Catholic
- eighteen years of age or older
- genuine interest in Catholic school education
- ability to work effectively with others
- willingness to maintain high levels of integrity and confidentiality
- willingness to support diocesan/parish/school philosophy and mission
- be a credible witness of the Catholic faith to the school and beyond
- not a salaried employee of the particular parish or school
- non-related to a salaried employee
- a willingness to give the time to serve conscientiously
- ability to be objective and free of personal self-interest
- ability to influence public opinion favorably in areas of importance to the school
- a willingness to learn while serving as a board member
- a demonstrated competence in his/her chosen field
- a willingness to support board decisions even if she/he does not fully agree
- a willingness to accept working within the framework of a Parish School Board of Delegated Responsibility.

If interested, please drop off your resume to the Welcome Desk in the Faith Development Center to the attention of Fr. Dela Cruz, Administrator, or email it to him at Idelacruz@churchofsaintann.net

NEW

PLEASE TAKE NOTE . . .

SEPTEMBER BEGINS 30 DAYS OF PEACE



Dear Friends in Christ:

Once again, The Church of Saint Ann will dedicate the month of September for 30 Days of Peace in response to the constant violence facing our world. We ask that during this month you purposefully devote some time to peace: use your actions, words, and prayers to further this cause.

You will notice small changes in our songs, prayers and atmosphere to promote peace.

Beginning the first weekend of September, our response to the Prayers of the Faithful will be sung:
"Make me an instrument of your peace."

Peace cranes will line the Gallery of Lights.

September 5th is the Feast Day of Mother Teresa.

September 21st is the International Day of Peace.

Keep an eye on the bulletin for information about these ongoing activities.

"It is not enough to say 'We must not wage war.' It is necessary to love peace and sacrifice for it. We must concentrate not merely on the negative expulsion of war, but on the positive affirmation of peace."

- Rev. Martin Luther King, Jr.

The Members of the Liturgy Committee

Mercer Chapter of Pax Christi in The Church of Saint Ann The Peace Candle

"Two years ago in the wake of increasing violence across the world, the Liturgy Committee installed the peace candle on the left front side of the altar. It was the Committee's hope that the regular sight of this candle, which is lit every time we celebrate liturgy, would remind all of the community of St. Ann's that praying for peace is a Life issue for which we are all responsible. Peace begins in our own homes and extends outward into the places where we are active in the world. Once we commit to praying for peace, it is hoped that the spark of our candle will inspire us all, whenever we come together, to become proactive and work for peace."
by: Mary Lou Hartman

GOSPEL

September 2, 2018
22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
MK. 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

When the Pharisees with some scribes who had come from Jerusalem gathered around Jesus, they observed that some of his disciples ate their meals with unclean, that is, unwashed, hands. — For the Pharisees and, in fact, all Jews, do not eat without carefully washing their hands, keeping the tradition of the elders. And on coming from the marketplace they do not eat without purifying themselves. And there are many other things that they have traditionally observed, the purification of cups and jugs and kettles and beds. — So the Pharisees and scribes questioned him, "Why do your disciples not follow the tradition of the elders but instead eat a meal with unclean hands?" He responded, "Well did Isaiah prophesy about you hypocrites, as it is written: *This people honors me with their lips, but their hearts are far from me; in vain do they worship me, teaching as doctrines human precepts.* You disregard God's commandment but cling to human tradition."

He summoned the crowd again and said to them, "Hear me, all of you, and understand. Nothing that enters one from outside can defile that person; but the things that come out from within are what defile."

"From within people, from their hearts, come evil thoughts, unchastity, theft, murder, adultery, greed, malice, deceit, licentiousness, envy, blasphemy, arrogance, folly. All these evils come from within and they defile."

REFLECTION QUESTION

*What Catholic tradition enriches
my personal faith life?*

*How does it prompt me to translate my spiritual
devotion into practical love toward my neighbor?*

Wedding Congratulations

We congratulate

Dulas Solares & Jennifer Solares
*who were married in our church this weekend
and*

Marek Hlinka & Viktoria Ondisova
*who were married in Saint Michael Church.
We offer them our prayers and support
as they begin to live their life together.*

ANNOUNCEMENTS



Registration for Religious Education Classes

Only registered students will be admitted to class on **September 9th and 10th** so do not delay. Please register as soon as possible.

Those families who are registered will receive a program handbook and classroom assignments in the mail in early September.

On the first day of class, while your children are in class, a brief meeting for parents will be held on Sunday at 10:45 a.m. and Monday at 6:15 p.m. in the school cafeteria.

New procedures will be discussed and the yearly calendar will be distributed. Please try to attend.

Registration for Generations of Faith

Parents registered in GOF have a meeting on **September 6th** in the community room of the FDC at 6:00 p.m.

During this important meeting we will share our expectations and vision for this year's program and distribute the family binders and class materials. Your attendance is essential to the success of the year.

It is very important to register as soon as possible. Generations of Faith holds its first session on September 15th.

Only registered families will receive the email invitation to select a session for September, so please register.

The registration form for all Religious Education programs is on the church website.

Click on the Faith Formation dropdown at the top of the page and select Children's Education.

Scroll to the bottom of the page. All religious education documents are at the bottom of the page.

The forms are also available at the Welcome Desk in the Faith Development Center.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call Janet Fiatoa at 609-882-6491 ext. 235.

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Children's Liturgy of the Word

Resumes next Sunday, September 9th during 9:30 a.m. Mass.

We need two leaders for this coming year of Children's Liturgy.

Please think and pray about it.

No registration is necessary for your child to partake in this program.

All kinds of volunteers are needed – catechists, assistants, hall monitors, GOF leaders, and Children's Liturgy leaders. We are a parish with many gifted people. Please consider helping.

Our Promise to Protect

The Diocese of Trenton is committed to the initiatives outlined in the U.S. Bishop's Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People in regard to the reporting and investigation of sexual abuse allegations involving minors. If you have been sexually abused as a minor by a member of the clergy or anyone representing the Catholic Church, or if you know of someone who was, you can report that abuse through the Diocesan Abuse Hotline by calling: **1-888-296-2965** or via e-mail at the following web address: abuseline@dioceseoftrenton.org.

The Diocese of Trenton reports any allegations of sexual abuse to the appropriate law enforcement agencies. *Anyone with an allegation is also encouraged to provide that information to local law enforcement authorities.*

2018 Bishop's Annual Anniversary Blessing

Having a special anniversary? If you're **celebrating** your **1st, 25th, 50th (or more!)** year of marriage during the **2018** calendar year, we invite you to the annual Diocese of Trenton **Bishop's Anniversary Blessing**. This year Bishop David O'Connell will honor anniversary couples throughout the diocese at a special Eucharistic Liturgy (Mass) and blessing celebration at **3:00 PM** on **Sunday, October 21, 2018** at the **Saint Mary Cathedral** in Trenton, NJ. Couples who wish to participate in the Bishop's Anniversary Blessing should contact **Maryann Tsougas**, Parish Secretary at **(609) 882-6491, ext. 111** or email maryann@churchofsaintann.net.

The deadline for registering is September 15, 2018.

NEW

ANNOUNCEMENTS, continued

Many Thanks

We are grateful to the family of **Walter C. Shelmet, Sr.** who at the time of his death, requested that friends and relatives make memorial contributions in **Walter's** name to the Church of Saint Ann. ***We are most grateful.***

Baptism Congratulations

This weekend, we welcome into our church through Baptism:

Cameron Anthony MONACO
Julian Thomas MONACO

Religious Goods Store

The Religious Goods Store will be open next weekend after all Masses. Please stop by and take a look around.

Please Pray for Those Serving in the Military

Let us pray for all of those parishioners, friends, and relatives of parishioners who are serving in the Military, including: Tyler DeJianne and Brian Gutro.

If you would like a loved one serving remembered in prayer, email maryann@churchofsaintann.net with his or her name or drop it off at the Faith Development Center Welcome Desk.



Hand-crafted shawls, lap robes, baby blankets, chemo caps, and rosaries made by members of the Saint Ann and Saint Michael Prayer Shawl Ministry are available to parishioners in nursing homes, hospitals, the homebound, or someone needing prayers and a kind word or gesture.

Please call the **Prayer Shawl Ministry** at (609) 882-6491 ext. 167 and leave a message if you or anyone you know could use one and we will get back to you. Prayer Shawl Ministry meets in the Pope John XXIII Room of the Faith Development Center. We meet on the **first (September 6) and third (September 20) Thursday of each month from 10:00 AM until 12:00 noon.** We also have **evening Prayer Shawl Ministry** on the **second Thursday (September 13) of each month at 7:00 PM.**



The Catholic University of America is unique among universities in the United States - even among Catholic universities. Established by the Vatican and U.S. Bishops in 1887, it is the national university of the Catholic Church.

*Next weekend, we will take up the **National Collection for The Catholic University of America.** Your support will enable Catholic University to expand its impact in preparing next generation of leadership for our Church and nation. **We appreciate your generosity.** As is our custom, we will take up only one collection. Envelopes are available at the doors of the church.*

Sister Joan Carter, RSM to Celebrate 60th Anniversary

Sister Joan will celebrate an anniversary mass at Saint Ann's on **Sunday, September 16th** at the **12:30 mass.** *A reception will follow in the Community Room. All are welcome.*

If you are planning to attend, sign up in the foyer of the church or call the office (609-882-6491).

The Atrium Post Acute Care

Mass is celebrated at the **Atrium Post Acute Care of Lawrenceville** at **2:00 PM** on the **first FRIDAY** of the month. The next Mass will be held on **Friday, September 7, 2018.**

Monthly Food Collection

Just a reminder that the second Sunday of every month is "**Food Drive Sunday.**" In an effort to increase the supply of food we donate locally, we are encouraging all of our parishioners to bring in a bag of groceries on the second Sunday of every month.

Items needed are: cereal, cranberry juice, deodorant, detergent, canned vegetables, peanut butter, pasta, sauce, shampoo, soap, toilet tissue, rice, napkins, soups, stuffing, tuna, and jelly.

If you forget, don't worry, we'll take them on any Sunday. You can leave your bag of non-perishable food items in the lobby of the church.

At present, we send this food to **Mt. Carmel Guild, the Lawrence Community Center (HomeFront), and Better Community Housing.** *Thanks for your support.*

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WEEKLY SCHEDULE

SUNDAY, September 2, 2018
22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Schedule

The Church of Saint Ann Sunday Masses:
7:30, 9:30, 11:00 AM, and 12:30 PM

- Baptisms 2:00 PM - Church

Saint Michael Church Sunday Masses:
8:45 AM - English; 10:00 AM - Slovak; and
12:30 PM - Korean

MONDAY, September 3, 2018
Labor Day



- Parish Office - CLOSED
- Labor Day Mass 9:00 AM - Church (with Miraculous Medal Novena immediately following)

TUESDAY, September 4, 2018



- Saint Ann School New Family Breakfast 8:00 AM - Pope John Paul Community Room
- Singing and Ringing Retreat 11:00 AM - Sister Thea Bowman Music Room
- Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 12:00 Noon to 6:00 PM - Chapel (with Divine Mercy Holy Hour at 3:00 PM)
- Benediction 6:00 PM - Chapel

WEDNESDAY, September 5, 2018

- Adult Choir Rehearsal 7:30 PM - Sister Thea Bowman Music Room

THURSDAY, September 6, 2018

- Prayer Shawl Ministry 10:30 AM - Pope John XXIII Room
- Weekly Saint Ann Novena followed by Novena to Saint Jude 7:30 PM - (Saint Michael Church)
- Generations of Faith Parent Meeting 6:00 PM - Pope John Paul Community Room
- Knights of Columbus 7000 Business Meeting 7:30 PM - American Martyrs Room and the Dorothy Day Room

FRIDAY, September 7, 2018

- Morning Prayer/Communion Service 7:00 AM - Chapel
- Saint Ann School Mass of the Holy Spirit 9:00 AM - Church
- Nursing Home Mass 2:00 PM - Atrium Post Acute Care
- Youth Choir Rehearsal 5:00 PM - Sister Thea Bowman Music Room

SATURDAY, September 8, 2018

- Reconciliation 4:00 PM - Church
- Vigil Mass 5:00 PM - Church

SUNDAY, September 9, 2018
23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time



The Church of Saint Ann Sunday Masses:
7:30, 9:30, 11:00 AM, and 12:30 PM

- Children's Liturgy of the Word 9:30 AM - Pope John Paul Community Room
- Religious Education 10:30 AM - Saint Ann School Classrooms and Gym
- Parish Picnic 1:30 PM - Saint Ann School Grove
- Centering Prayer 7:00 PM - Spiritual Direction Room

Saint Michael Church Sunday Masses:
8:45 AM - English; 10:00 AM - Slovak; and
12:30 PM - Korean

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Weekly Collection

Weekend of August 18th and 19th, 2018
WRAP YOUR GIFT . . . USE YOUR ENVELOPES

Weekly Offering for the Church of Saint Ann

Number of Registered Households	3,149
Number Using Envelopes Last Week	350

Sunday Collection	\$11,937.00
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Electronic Funds	*00,000.00
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Total Contributions	\$11,937.00
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*Note: electronic contributions are received twice a month.

Weekly Offering for Saint Michael Church

	\$ 912.00
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Novena	301.00
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Total	\$1,213.00
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Awakenings

Awakenings is a new parish ministry offering spiritual support to those whose lives have been affected by the disease of addiction. Our volunteer Core Team, who are fellow parishioners with long-term and personal experience in substance abuse recovery, are here to offer a compassionate listening ear that is non-judgmental. We offer referrals and guidance to a variety of addiction resources for further assistance. Resources, meeting lists, pamphlets, and information about this ministry are available in the parish FDC Media Center Library. A few Care Notes concerning addictions are in the Gallery of Light. Pamphlets with information introducing this ministry can also be found at the doors of the church.

If you need assistance, please call (609) 882-6491, ext.169 and leave a message in the **Awakenings** voice mailbox, 7 days/24 hours daily. A Core Team member will return your call within 24 hours. All calls are confidential.

ADDICTION – A DISEASE NOT A DISGRACE

Remembrance in Your Will

A remembrance for your parish in your will is a wonderful way to provide for the future well-being of your parish community.

Thank you for considering this very special way of sharing with your parish family.



Joyce Arone, Barbara Holko, Dolores Zuczek, Regina Ledger, Gloria Teti, Patricia Miller, Michelle Menges, Patricia Metzger, Paul Russo, Kevin Byrne, Jane Marchetti, Patricia Huber, Barbara Czepiga, Audrey Grimaldi, Frances Gentile, Bette Bartolino, Lawrence Arcioni, Marie Emma, Zachary Hodges, Carl Brooks, Gabriel Peterson, Brian Sage, Pat McLaren, Margaret Haenni, Beverly Lombardo, Pop-pop Joe Connell, Victoria Verrelli, Sr., Mary Maodeo, Allison Pyskaty, Julie Camastra, Pia Ellen-Cattarinich, Holly Steigman, Sharon DeCelle, Charles Johnson, Baby Haley, Sally Lynch, Clara Cowell, Calvin Leish, Beth Cottone, Lee Gruska, Migel Trusti, Gertrude Belotti, Jonathan Philip Cino, John E. Clancy III

and all parishioners who are sick and homebound.

Note: If you would like a family member or friend prayed for, please call Sister Pat.

FIRST FRIDAY MASS

September 7, 2018

Betsy Rossi by Chip Rossi

Julia Ragolia by Lorraine Colavita

Elizabeth A. Dillon by Robert R. Dillon

Daniel and Donna Lynn DiDonato

by Josephine DiDonato

Anthony Inverso by Loving Family

Mildred C. Tuccillo by Liz Seitz

Patricia Miller by Blanche Forker (Sister)

Welcome Rider University Students!

The parish of Saint Ann is now serving Catholic students who attend Rider University. We would like to offer a warm welcome to all Rider students who will be joining us for worship. We are thrilled that you will be joining our parish family! We look forward to meeting you and celebrating with you at Mass on September 9, at 12:30 p.m.



CANDLES FOR THE WEEK OF AUGUST 26, 2018

Saint Ann Sanctuary Candle

KATHLEEN BACZEWSKI

Requested by

Debra and Jeff Lamborn

Saint Ann Icon Candle

LOIS BEASTON

Requested by

Sczerbowicz and Beaston Families

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Church of Saint Ann

2018 Parish Picnic

*Dedicated to the memory of Bob Cook, PGK, K of C 7000
and deceased Brothers who assisted with the picnic.*

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 2018

(Rain Date: Sunday, September 16, 2018)

1:30 PM - 5:30 PM

\$5.00 per person

Children 12 and under - **FREE**

Tickets on Sale After All Masses

Tickets also available at the event!

YOUTH MINISTRY

ATTENTION TEENS!!!

FOR INFORMATION ABOUT OUR EVENTS
PLEASE SEE HOW TO RECEIVE MESSAGES
ON YOUR PHONE!

SIGN UP & PICK A WAY
“REMIND” OR TEXT

A. If you have a smartphone,
get PUSH notifications.

• On your iPhone or Android phone, open your
web browser and to the following link: rmd.at/stannso

• Follow the instructions to sign up
for “REMIND”. You'll be prompted to
download the mobile app.

B. If you do not have a
smartphone,
get TEXT notifications.

• Text the message

@stannso to the number 81010.



WE CELEBRATE OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE, PATRONESS OF ALL THE AMERICAS



From November 17 through November 23, 2018 our parish will be participating along with many parishes throughout the Diocese of Trenton in a tradition that began more than a half century ago to honor Our Lady of Guadalupe, the Patroness of all the Americas. It will begin with a torchlight procession with an image of our Lady that will be displayed at all the Masses on the weekend of November 17/18, 2018 and include a few activities throughout the week.

However, in order to make this a vibrant celebration we are in need of volunteers to help plan and execute the activities. If you can help, please join us on **Thursday** evening, **September 13, 2018 at 7:00 PM** in the Faith Development Center to create a plan for the one-week celebration. For questions, contact Gary Maccaroni at (609) 882-6491, ext. 116 or at gmaccc@churchofsaintann.net.

Greater Eldridge Park Neighborhood Association (GEPNA)

Community Yard Sale !!

Saturday, September 8th, 2018, 8:00 AM – 2:00 PM

Corner of Route 206 and Lawrence Avenue

\$15/space, \$25 for 2 spaces

PET ADOPTIONS ALSO!!

Contact Chris or Angie at (609) 883-1616



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NEW

ADULT FAITH FORMATION

Our faith is a gift from God. That faith, however, needs nurture and ongoing renewal if it is to bear fruit in our lives and world. The work of the parish is to create an environment where Christian faith can be awakened, renewed and supported, inviting participation in the life and mission of the parish. This happens in many ways, through our Sunday Liturgy, parish ministries and celebrations, prayer opportunities, sacramental preparation, annual Saint Ann Novena, and more. One important way that the parish nurtures faith is through our ongoing adult faith formation events. These opportunities give us time to pause and reflect on how we live our faith. They challenge us. They help us learn more about what we are interested in and what is new. They bring us together with other people of faith to share our experience. They also provide opportunities to explore and appreciate the rich treasures of our Catholic heritage.



We invite you to consider participating in the upcoming opportunities throughout the year. We will make them available in our bulletin and on our parish website. We call your attention to a few upcoming events here at Saint Ann and within our cohort at St. Paul's in Princeton.

SCRIPTURE STUDY (Weekly, Ongoing)

We will continue our scripture study on Wednesday evenings at 7:00 p.m. beginning September 19 in the Pope John Paul Community Room. This year, the study will explore the meaning of discipleship as found in the earliest writings of Christianity—the New Testament. If you would like to join, you can come and register at the opening session. Registration is requested (\$35.00) which includes a book, *Patterns of Discipleship in the New Testament*. Registration forms are at the FDC Welcome Desk. Bring your own bible. No one is expected to be a scholar, but all will complete this study with an enhanced knowledge of the New Testament. The scripture study is led by parishioner Fred Vasapolli, M.Th.

REJOICE AND BE GLAD (Three Session Focus)

To answer God's call to holiness, Christians must care for the poor, the sick and the immigrant, Pope Francis wrote in his latest major guidance to the Catholic Church, entitled *Rejoice and Be Glad: On the Call to Holiness in the Contemporary World*. In a three-session focus, September 19, October 16, and October 30, at 7:00 p.m., we will explore and reflect on this document. Written in practical terms for us living in today's world, Pope Francis challenges us to rethink our current understanding of holiness. He speaks of the beauty of Christian, and what it means to be a Catholic Christian for the 21st century. **Come and learn more about this rich and exciting letter for our day and time! It is sure to inspire you to live your faith with joy and great love!** Copies of *Rejoice and Be Glad* are available in our parish store, or purchased at the first session on September 18. The cost is \$3.00. The sessions are facilitated by **Msgr. Vince Gartland** (9/18), **Fred Vasapolli** (10/16), and **Gary Maccaroni** (10/30).

INTERFAITH PRAYER SERVICE FOR PEACE

On September 20, at 7:00 p.m., the parish of Saint Ann will host an *Interfaith Prayer Service for Peace in Our World*. In recognition of the International Day of Peace, representatives from differing faith and Christian traditions will gather together and share the meaning of peace from their tradition, and pray that peace will soon be a living reality for all people. This event is in conjunction with our parish celebration of peace during the month of September. All are welcome!

SHROUD ENCOUNTER: THE MYSTERY AROUND THE SHROUD OF TURIN (at St. Paul's Church, Princeton)

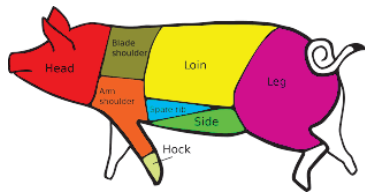
On September 28, at 7:00 p.m., at St. Paul's Parish Center auditorium in Princeton, as part of their Adult Faith Enrichment Speaker Series, the parish of St. Paul's will host Russ Breault of the Shroud of Turin Project. The presentation will be followed by Q&A, and a mix n' mingle reception with opportunity to meet the speaker. Light refreshments are available. The event is free and open to the public.

**"Were not our hearts burning within us while he was opening the scriptures to us?"
(Luke 24:32)**

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American Legion Post 414 Annual Pig Roast

NEW The American Legion Post 414 Annual Pig Roast will be held on **Saturday, September 15, 2018 from 1PM to 6 PM - rain or shine.** Post 414 is located at **100 Berwyn Place, Lawrenceville, NJ 08648.** There will be music, lots of food, beer, soda, water; children's games and activities; a silent auction and more!



Tickets are on sale at the Post: **Adult \$22; Senior (62) \$17; Child (6-12) \$12; and under the age of 6 FREE!** Tickets are \$3.00 more if purchased at the door. **NO TAKEOUT!**

Parish Mission Statement

*The Church of Saint Ann
in Lawrenceville is a
Roman Catholic family of faith,
built on the inspiration of
past generations,
to serve the community
by loving God and our neighbor.*

*We strengthen faith,
celebrate the sacraments,
provide for the spiritual and
corporal works of mercy,
educate across the lifespan,
heal the spiritually broken,
and respect the dignity of human life.*

*We live the Gospel and seek Christ
in all people.*



Thank you for being a part of our Saint Ann family. We appreciate all that you do for our parish and community by sharing your God given gifts of time, talent, and treasure. Your active participation in the life of our parish helps us to fulfill our vision and mission. As you prepare for the end of summer and the start of a busy fall, consider enrolling in eGiving through Faith Direct so that your gift can reach us even when you cannot. To sign up, please visit www.faithdirect.net and use our church code: **NJ709**, or by mailing a paper enrollment form available at the welcome desk in the parish office.

Thank you for your continued support of our parish family!

PASTORAL TEAM

Rev. Leandro Dela Cruz, Administrator (609) 882-6491, ext. 112
Rev. Msgr. Casimir Ladzinski, Weekend Assistant
Rev. Peter Bujdos, Weekend Assistant - Saint Michael Church

Mr. James Scott, Deacon

Sr. Pat McGinley, SSJ, Pastoral Associate (609) 882-6491, ext. 115

Mr. Gary Maccaroni, Pastoral Associate (609) 882-6491, ext. 116

Parish Office: 609-882-6491

Fax: 609-882-4366

Parish Website: www.churchofsaintann.net

Saint Ann School 609-882-8077

School Fax: 609-882-0327

School Website: www.st-ann-school.org

Religious Education Office: 609-882-8077, ext. 234

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA) RCIA is the process by which adults become full, active, participating members of the Catholic Church. This includes receiving the sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist. Please call the parish office for information.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM Parish Religious Education Program meets during the school year for Children K-8: Sundays 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM or Mondays 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM. Family Generations of Faith meets once a month. Sacrament Preparation for First Holy Communion is 2nd Grade and for Confirmation it is 7th and 8th Grades. Phone: **(609) 882-6491, ext. 235.**

SAINT ANN SCHOOL 34 Rossa Avenue, Lawrenceville, NJ 08648

Saint Ann School has provided quality elementary school education for *over forty years*. It also sponsors extended day and afterschool programs. The preschool program serves children aged three to four years. Phone (609) 882-8077; Fax (609) 882-0327

PARISH OFFICE HOURS Located in the Faith Development Center. (Entrance behind Church/opposite Saint Ann School.)

Parish Office Hours: Monday, Thursday and Friday 8:30 AM until 4:30 PM; Tuesday and Wednesday 8:30 AM until 8:00 PM; Sunday 9:00 AM until 3:00 PM; and by appointment. *Call anytime in the case of an emergency.*

PARISH BULLETIN Information for the bulletin needs to be received at the Parish Office by 3:00 PM **on Friday of the preceding week.** E-mailing items for consideration to maryann@churchofsaintann.net is preferred. *Thank you!*