

The Catholic Church of St. Ann



St. Ann, our Parish Patroness, pray for us!

*Under the Pastoral Care of the Priests and Brothers
of the Congregation of the Oratory of St. Philip Neri*

www.raritanoratory.org

V. Rev. Jeffrey Calia, C.O., Provost

Rev. Thomas Odorizzi, C.O., Pastor

todorizzi@stannparish.com

Mrs. Marisa Day, Head of School,
St. Ann Classical Academy, PreK-8

Parish Office Staff

Deacon Sal Bonfiglio,	<i>Business Administrator</i>
Mrs. Christine Esposito,	<i>Social Ministry, Office Support</i>
Mr. Lou Falconeri,	<i>Plant Manager</i>
Sr. Ella Mae McDonald, MPF	<i>Dir. of Religious Education</i>
Mr. Anthony Nardino	<i>Dir. of Liturgy & Sacred Music</i>
Ms. Barbara Russell,	<i>Administrative Assistant</i>

Permanent Deacons

Deacon Rob Sause
Deacon Roy Rabinowitz

Community of Religious Teachers of St. Lucy Filippini

Sr. Phyllis Vella, MPF	<i>Superior</i>
Sr. Dolores Toscano, MPF	<i>Pastoral Associate</i>
Sr. Ella Mae McDonald, MPF	<i>Dir. of Religious Education</i>
Sr. Charlyne Greene, MPF	<i>Community Support</i>

St. Ann Church

45 Anderson Street; Raritan, NJ 08869

Telephone: 908-725-1008 • Fax: 908-707-1915

Website: www.stannparish.com

Email: info@stannparish.com

Facebook: The Catholic Church of St. Ann- Raritan, NJ

The Lord's Day Mass Schedule

Sat.: 4 pm St. Ann Church
4 pm St. Joseph Church
5 pm Holy Trinity

Sun.: 7:30 am St. Ann Church
8:00 am St. Joseph Church (Spanish)
8:30 am Holy Trinity
10 am St. Joseph Church

10 am St. Ann Church
10am Shrine of Bl. Sacrament (Latin EF)
10:30am Holy Trinity

12 pm St. Ann Church
12 pm St. Joseph Church (Spanish)

5 pm St. Ann Church

Daily Masses

Mon. 8 am St. Joseph	12:15 pm Shrine	7 pm St. Ann
Tue. 7 am St. Ann	12:15 pm Shrine	7 pm Holy Trinity
Wed. 7 am St. Ann	12:15 pm Shrine	
Thu. 7 am St. Ann	12:15 pm Shrine	
Fri. 8 am St. Joseph	12:15 pm Shrine	7 pm Holy Trinity
First Fridays		7pm St. Ann
Sat. 9 am St. Ann		

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday,	after the 9am Mass,	St. Ann
Saturday,	3-3:30pm,	St. Joseph
Wednesday,	11-12noon,	Holy Trinity
Friday,	11-12noon	Shrine of Bl. Sac.
	—or by appointment—	

Discover the difference a Catholic Classical education makes.



St. Ann Classical Academy

40 Second Avenue,

Raritan, NJ 08869

Telephone: 908-725-7787

Website: stannclassical.org

Facebook: [stannclassicalacademy](https://www.facebook.com/stannclassicalacademy)

Call to schedule an appointment or in-person tour.
Or email [<kalbright@stannparish.com>](mailto:kalbright@stannparish.com)



Second Sunday in Ordinary Time — January 15, 2023

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time — January 15, 2023

Stewardship Reflection on Lectionary Readings IS 49:3, 5-6; PS 40:2, 4, 7-10; 1 COR 1:1-3; JN 1:29-34

Today's readings provide clear and inspiring reminders of the most fundamental aspect of our identity — that of servants of our most high and holy God, His modern-day disciples and stewards.

In the first reading, from Isaiah, we hear the voice of the "Suffering Servant" — prophetic words of Jesus Christ. "Now the Lord has spoken who formed me as his servant from the womb." How beautiful! Even from the first moment of his conception in the womb of our Blessed Mother, Jesus' saving mission had begun. This is true for each one of us. The Father has called each of us from the moment of our conception for a unique mission to further His kingdom on the earth. Each one of us can truly say the Father has "formed me as his servant from the womb."

To be his servant is all that truly matters in this life, for ourselves and for our children. Career paths, athletic accomplishments, the school we attend or the city in which we live — all are secondary to the thing that matters most — that we have been called from the womb for the privilege of being God's servants. Do our daily lives reflect this high calling? Do we use the gifts of our time, talents and treasure in service of God's kingdom, and do we guide our children to do the same, for that is why God has entrusted these things to us?

Our second reading, from St. Paul's letter to the Corinthians, gives us another reminder of our true identity as God's servants and the high calling we have as Christian stewards. St. Paul greets the Corinthians, and us as well, with this description: "To you who have been sanctified in Christ Jesus, called to be holy..." We are called to nothing less than holiness. After all, only the holy can enter heaven.

John the Baptist recognized the holiness of Jesus and the response due to Him when he encountered Christ in person on the day they met at the Jordan River. His response, which we read in our Gospel passage from St. John was, "Behold, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world... He is the one of whom I said, 'A man is coming after me who ranks ahead of me because he existed before me.'"

What a powerful description of our Lord and the place He should rightfully have in each of our lives. He is truly our Savior, the only one who can free us from our sinfulness. We are utterly and completely dependent on His power, love and mercy. Therefore, He truly does "rank ahead" of us; he deserves to be first, above all other priorities and plans in our lives. Again, let us examine our daily lives, and encourage our children to do the same.

Does the way I spend my time reflect that God comes first? Do prayer and weekly Mass, regular confession and time with my family "rank ahead" of everything else on my calendar? Do I use my talents, skills and energy to serve my family, parish and community in thanksgiving and recognition that God's kingdom ranks ahead of any other goals or ambitions? Do I spend my money and use my material possessions so as to glorify God?

Challenge questions, to be sure. But questions worthy of our high calling as Christian stewards offered a glorious mission in service of our Lord and His kingdom. What will our response be?

— Stewardship Reflections by *Catholic Stewardship Consultants*

Monday, January 16 is the civic holiday in honor of
Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.

St. Ann's parish office will be closed.
There will be only one Mass at one location:
9am at Holy Trinity.

Next Weekend: 2nd Collection for
the Foundation for Catholic Education

Catholic School Week

January 29-February 3

Catholic School Week at St. Ann's will kick-off with Mass at 10am on Sunday, January 29. Following the 10am Mass there will be a **Pancake Breakfast** in the school cafeteria. Then there will be an opportunity to tour the school and meet faculty during our **Open House** until 2pm. We welcome all families with children who will be entering pre-kindergarten, kindergarten or 1st to 8th grade. St. Ann Classical Academy has a strong Catholic identity and offers an alternative educational approach that places greater emphasis on the student's overall human development. The St. Ann Classical Academy is the only elementary school in the Diocese of Metuchen implementing the classical curriculum and method.

Share our information with other family or friends!

CATHOLIC SCHOOL 2023-2024

TUITION ASSISTANCE

ONLINE APPLICATION PROCESS OPEN

Families interested in applying for tuition assistance to attend an eligible Diocese of Metuchen elementary or high school may apply online now through FACTS Grant & Aid Assessment at <https://online.factsmtg.com/aid>. Online applications must be completed (including all required documentation) by no later than **March 31, 2023**. Applications are available in English and Spanish.

Families that need assistance completing the online application or need access to a computer to apply should contact their school.



Warm Regards! No-Sew Blanket - Service Project

Holy Trinity, St. Ann, St. Joseph, & the Shrine
Middle & High Schoolers Welcome

Tuesday, January 24, 4:30-5:30pm
at St. Ann Church, Raritan, NJ
(Church Basement Meeting Room)

Come make no-sew blankets with us for those in need, to be
given out through Catholic Charities.

Sign up at

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0d48aca62caafdcf8-warm3#/>

Questions? Please contact BridgewaterRaritan@u-Serve.com
Brian Flanagan 973-946-8770

The Catholic Church of St. Ann



GIVE THE GIFT OF A CLASSICAL EDUCATION

The Catholic classical approach we are implementing views the purpose of education and of the human person differently than the "modern" approach. Our curriculum and style of teaching is geared towards affirming the divine attributes that unite all subjects of learning. We promote the pursuit of the True, Good and the Beautiful through a process of discovery and reasoned thinking, thereby drawing students into deeper participation in the life of God.

Through a vibrant and distinct Catholic classical education at St. Ann Classical Academy in Raritan, your child will grow in personal and academic confidence, know they are uniquely loved and come to recognize the dignity of the human person as gift from God. We look forward to welcoming you.

NOW ENROLLING PreK-8th GRADE!
Visit our website for more information or to enroll today.



BOOK A TOUR!
SCAN THE QR CODE

Phone: 908-725-7787
Email: hello@stannclassical.org
Address: 40 Second Ave.
Raritan, NJ 08869



Banns of Ordination to the Diaconate

The Raritan Congregation of the Oratory of St. Philip Neri announces with great joy the upcoming ordination of **Br. Steven John Bolton, C.O.** Brother Steven will be ordained to the Sacred Order of Deacons by the Most Rev. Mario A. Aviles, C.O., Auxiliary Bishop of Brownsville, Texas, on **Saturday, January 28, 2023**, the Memorial of St. Thomas Aquinas, at **10:00 am in the Church of St. Joseph, Raritan.**

Pray for Br. Steven and for vocations. If you are aware of any impediments to sacred orders, contact your pastor before the ordination in accord with the norms of cc. 1043 and 1051.2 of the Code of Canon Law. May the Blessed Virgin Mary and St. Philip Neri intercede for Br. Steven and for an increase in vocations to the Oratory.

Marriage Enrichment

Looking for the perfect Christmas gift for your spouse?
Why not give yourselves a **Marriage Encounter Weekend.**

A Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend gives you the time and tools to revitalize romance, deepen communication, and nourish the spirituality in your marriage.

The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend will be held February 24 - 26.

Please apply ASAP as space is limited.
Phone 1-732-904-9636 for application and information
(Tom & Ruth DeFalco).

Visit us at: www.wwme.org for more information.

Leading up to Catholic Schools Week at the end of January, there are ways you can help promote the renewal of Catholic education and help support St. Ann Classical Academy:

- If you are a parent with young children, think, pray and consider enrolling them at St. Ann Classical Academy. Contact the school for more information. Talk to Marisa Day, Head of School.
- Word of mouth promotion—encourage other family members, friends, neighbors or co-workers to explore Catholic Classical Education with us. **TELL OTHERS ABOUT OUR OPEN HOUSE ON JANUARY 29, 12-2pm**
- Be a "Tuition Angel"—perhaps you are in the position of being able to assist a struggling family to keep the Catholic education option open through tuition assistance. You may make the difference for a much needed increased enrollment.
- Offer the gift of a classical Catholic education for your grandson or granddaughter, niece or nephew.

Now is the time to discover why your child should enroll at SACA. Inquire about why the classical education method makes the most sense for your child's Catholic education. Discover the benefits of SACA. Request a tour. Look over our materials. Invite the family of your child's friend to come with you and explore what makes St. Ann Classical Academy so special.

It has become a tradition at Holy Trinity to **support the annual March for Life in Washington DC with Eucharistic Adoration here at home.** Consider spending some time in prayer before the Blessed Sacrament on **Friday, January 20, between 12noon - 6:45 pm.** The time of Adoration will conclude with Benediction at 6:45pm, followed by the regular Friday 7 pm Mass.



Retrouvaille February 3 – 5, 2023

Stress In Your Marriage?

- Do you feel lost, alone or bored in your marriage?
- Are you frustrated, hurt or angry with your spouse?
- Have you thought about separation or divorce?
- Does talking about it only make it worse?

RETROUVAILLE is a Lifeline to Help Couples Heal and Renew their Marriages sponsored by the Office of Family Life, Diocese of Metuchen, NJ.

RETROUVAILLE consists of a weekend experience for married couples (no group discussions) with six follow-up sessions. The upcoming weekend is **February 3 – 5, 2023.** All inquiries are confidential.

For further information, please contact: Rich Colasuonno 732-236-0671 or Annette Colasuonno 732-672-0748 or email 3024@helpourmarriage.org.

Struggling to Believe in the Eucharist?

If you are Catholic and struggling to believe in the Church's teaching on the Eucharist, you are not alone.

3 Ways To Grow In Your Belief Of The Eucharist

1. Read the Scriptures

Read the Scriptures (especially the Gospels), trust that Jesus wants to nourish us, think through the implications, and draw on the living Tradition of the Church.

At the Last Supper, Jesus instituted the Sacrament of the Eucharist as a memorial of His death and resurrection. He did this to perpetuate His sacrifice, which was to come, on the Cross until the end of time. He also instituted the priesthood at the same time.

The Sacred Scriptures are full of foreshadowing of the Eucharist, outright explanations of the Eucharist, and references back to the Eucharist. In a sense, every page points us to the Holy Eucharist. In a special way, the Gospels give us the words of Jesus Himself. So, it is worthwhile to spend some time reading or re-reading what He has to say about the Eucharist:

- Matthew 26:26-30 (Last Supper)
- Mark 14:22-26 (Last Supper)
- Luke 22:14-20 (Last Supper)
- John 6:22-59 (Bread of Life Discourse)

"This is the wonderful truth, my dear friends: the Word, which became flesh two thousand years ago, is present today in the Eucharist."

– St. John Paul II

2. Trust in Jesus' Desire to Nourish Us

Jesus loves you and me. He gives us His Flesh as food because He wants to nourish us. He says, "Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood remains in me and I in him (Jn. 6:56)." Through His incarnation and birth, He humbled Himself to share in our humanity. In the Eucharist, we become united to the Person of Jesus Christ. Our mortal and sinfully inclined natures are transformed by our union to the font of life.

We must trust that our Lord wants the best for us. And the best that He can give us is Himself. Therefore, He desires to come to us in the humble form of food to nourish our bodies and souls. When we struggle to believe because our human senses fail, we need to see with the eyes of faith in our trust of Him.

"As the body cannot be sustained without corporeal food, nor continue in natural life, so without this life-giving food the soul cannot persist in the spiritual life of grace."

– Dionysius the Carthusian



"... nearly seven-in-ten Catholics (69%) say they personally believe that during Catholic Mass, the bread and wine used in Communion 'are symbols of the body and blood of Jesus Christ.' Just one-third of U.S. Catholics (31%) say they believe that 'during Catholic Mass, the bread and wine actually become the body and blood of Jesus.'"

PEW RESEARCH

3. **Think it Through and Draw on Tradition**

The bread and wine are transformed into the Body and Blood of Jesus Christ and not merely symbols. Jesus Christ Himself said, "This is my body" and "this is my blood." The appearances remain but the substance has changed.

If the Eucharist is truly the Body and Blood of Jesus Christ, under the veil of a Sacrament, then worship makes sense. During the Mass, we kneel before the Blessed Sacrament. The priest says, "Behold the Lamb of God" while holding up the Eucharist. He kneels and we kneel. If the Eucharist were merely a symbol, then we are worshipping bread and committing horrid blasphemy.

This is the reality: the Eucharist is either Jesus or we are worshipping bread.

"It is not the man who is responsible for the offerings as they become Christ's Body and Blood; it is Christ Himself who was crucified for us. The standing figure belongs to the priest who speaks these words. The power and the grace belong to God. 'This is My Body,' he says. And these words transform the offerings."

-St. John Chrysostom



LECTURE SERIES:

"THE MYSTERY OF THE EUCHARIST IN THE LIFE OF THE CHURCH"

January 17, 2023 at 7:00 pm

Presenter: Very Reverend Timothy Christy

Location: Cathedral of St. Francis of Assisi, Metuchen

Fr. Christy, Rector of the Cathedral, will be exploring the USCCB's document on the Eucharist. As Christians, we know that we need Christ to be present in our lives. He is our very sustenance as he reminded us: unless you eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink his blood, you do not have life within you (John 6:53). The Lord accompanies us in many ways, but none as profound as when we encounter Him in the Eucharist. Please join Fr. Christy for this important event.

Save
the
Date!

Tuesday, January 24th @ 7:00 p.m. - Structure of the Mass

Tuesday, February 7th @ 7:00 p.m. - Liturgy of the Word

Tuesday, February 15th @ 7:00 p.m. - Liturgy of the Eucharist w/ the celebration of Mass.

St. Bartholomew Church, 470 Ryders Lane, East Brunswick, NJ

Fr. Tim Eck, STL-Lit.
Director of the
Office of Divine
Worship

<https://diometuchen.org/eucharisticrevival>

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time — January 15, 2023

Mass Intentions

Monday, January 16 Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. holiday

9:00am Mass at Holy Trinity Church

Tuesday, January 17

7:00 am Living and Deceased Members of the
Cammarata Family by Lena Cammarata

Wednesday, January 18

7:00 am Sr. Anne Marie Pace by Sr. Dolores Toscano

Thursday, January 19

7:00 am Paul Fusca by Angelo & Catherine Viscariello

Friday, January 20

Saturday, January 21

9:00 am Salvatore Stina by sister-in-law Caterina Fusca

4:00 pm Vincenzo Viscariello by Biagio and Maria
Laurito

Sunday, January 22

7:30 am People of the Parish

10:00 am Living and Deceased Members of the Holy
Name Society

12:00 pm Nicola Pannia by wife Filomena Grande

5:00 pm Maria Del Refugio by Yolanda and family

This Week's Daily Bible Readings

Sunday

Is 49: 3, 5-6; 1 Cor 1:1-3;
Jn 1:29-34

Thursday

Heb 7:25-8:6; Mk 3:7-12

Monday

Heb 5:1-10; Mk 2:18-22

Friday

Heb 8:6-13; Mk 3:13-19

Tuesday

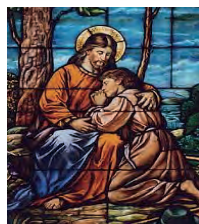
Heb 6:10-20; Mk 2:23-28

Wednesday

Heb 7:1-3, 15-17; Mk 3:1-6



**Congratulations
to all those who received
First Penance on Monday,
January 9, here at St. Ann's
Church.**



2022 Statement of Charitable Contributions

A Statement for the year 2022 of contributions to St. Ann Church or St. Ann Classical Academy will be available upon request at the end of January. These statements serve as a record of charitable contributions given to tax exempt organizations that may help towards a deduction when filing your annual tax report. We are only able to provide this statement if you use your envelopes.

To request your statement please call Barbara at 908-725-1008, press 1 then 4 or email: brussell@stannparish.com.

Parishioner Financial Support

THANK YOU to all who help support the operation and ministry of St. Ann parish. Whether by envelope, by mail or by online giving, your contributions are essential & appreciated.

WeShare online giving is encouraged because of its ease of use, consistency in support and flexibility. It is easy to sign up. Simply go to the parish website and click on this icon and set up your personal account. Call the parish office if you need assistance.

Give Online
with WeShare

Contributions info from the weekend of January 8, 2023:

Offertory Contributions	\$ 6,023
WeShare Contributions	\$ 3,175
SA Other	\$ 779
Total for Parish Operation	\$ 9,977
DOM Together in Charity	\$ 1,246

Thank you and God bless you for supporting the mission of the church and the ministry of St. Ann parish.

Pray for those in the Military

Victor Dulay, Jr. ; U.S. Marine Corps	Pvt Tayla Rasmusson ; U.S. Marine Corps
AIC Olivia F. Geary ; U.S. Air Force	PFC Daniel J. Salvo ; U.S. Marine Corps
PFC Brendan Hughes ; U.S. Marine Corps	Cpl Jonathan Schultes ; U.S. Marine Corps
PFC Gavin John ; U.S. Marine Corps	SPC4 Joshua Sena ; U.S. Army
LCpl Matthew John ; U.S. Marine Corps	LtCol Louis P. Simon ; U.S. Marine Corps
CW4 Michael Lopez, Jr.	PFC Jerome C. Sunga ; U.S. Army
LCpl Sean Maj ; U.S. Marine Corps	Jack Vara ; U.S. Marine Corps
Maj Michael Morella ; U.S. Army	Cpl Daniel Viscariello ; U.S. Marine Corps
Sgt Dan Neville ; U.S. Marine Corps	Sgt Janet Wyka ; U.S. Army
TSgt Anthony John O'Connor ; U.S. Air Force	Capt Kaitlyn Zimmitti ; U.S. Air Force
Zack Drecchio ; U.S. Navy	

Pray for those who are Sick in our Community

Joseph Arena	Cindy Galvacky	Wilfredo Medina III
Joanmarie Carlone	Gambino Family	Joyce Melitsky
Anna Carra	Maria Rosa Gasparro	Andrea Michaels
Bruno Cirianni	Susan H.	Lidia Natale
Frank Cirianni	Bernadette Healy	Ann Navatto
Mary Contino	Anthony Hughes	Victor Rangel
Jerry Costanzo	Brianna Rose Larson	Danilo & Sanbeda
Maria Anastasia	Franco Lopreiato	Santos
D'Amore	Michael Lynch	Deborah Scarpone
Michael D'Angelo	Antonio, Alice &	Cathy Stinziano
Roseann Danna	Lisa Magdamit	Patricia Tibaldi
Josephine DiPiazza	Mark Marshall	Saverio Todarello
Margarita Dublin	Giovanna Martini	Emanuel Valentin
John Falco	Susan Maurice	Ron Wyka
Stephen Forktus III	Jim McGuinness	
Frank Forte	Edward J. McNamara	

Weekly Candle, Lamp and Flower Intentions

St. Ann's offers candle, lamp and flower intentions in the following locations:

**Altar, Tabernacle, St. Joseph Statue,
Blessed Mother Statue and Pro-Life Memorial**
Please call the Parish Office to request an intention.

Winter Tip!
STRETCH
 before shoveling
 snow.



 American Red Cross

The health and safety of our customers and employees is our highest priority...

CertaPro Painters®

★★★★★

We Do Painting. You Do Life.

o: 908-713-9901 • c: 908-797-9516

f t i n bjamrog@certapro.com certapro.com

RESIDENTIAL • COMMERCIAL • INTERIOR • EXTERIOR

Bob Jamrog
 Owner
 CLINTON
 Lic# 13VH08653400



 **THE DIOCESE OF METUCHEN**
 Catholic Cemeteries

Holy Cross Cemetery
 840 Cranbury-South River Rd., Jamesburg
 Featuring Mary Sorrowful Mother Mausoleum
 Crematorium On Site



Resurrection Cemetery
 Hoes Lane & Park Ave., Piscataway



For Your Peace of Mind & Information:

800-943-8400

Scan For More Info

DioMetuchen.org/Cemeteries

**GIVE A HOOT!
 DON'T POLLUTE**




Thanks for giving a hoot!
 Woody

Help your community,
 the environment,
 & yourself




➤ Patronize your local businesses

PROTECT YOUR WORLD
 AUTO • HOME • LIFE • RETIREMENT




Walter Erhardt
908-782-7760
 werhardt@allstate.com

 **Allstate**
 You're in good hands.

Insurance and discounts subject to terms, conditions and availability. Allstate New Jersey Property and Casualty Insurance Co., Bridgewater, NJ. Life insurance offered through Allstate Life Ins. Co. & Allstate Assurance Co. Northbrook, IL; and American Heritage Life Insurance Co., Jacksonville, FL. Securities offered by Personal Financial Representatives through Allstate Financial Services, LLC (LSA Securities in LA and PA). Registered Broker-Dealer. Member FINRA, SIPC. Main Office: 2920 South 84th Street, Lincoln, NE 68506. (877) 525-5727. © 2018 Allstate Insurance Co.

233570

Please Continue
 To Pray For



World Peace



Marianne DeStefano • Travel Specialist
908-526-5836 • Bridgewater
 MarianneD@KensingtonTraveler.com

Victor's

Air Conditioning

732-469-3889
 Fax: 732-469-3696
 398 Lincoln Blvd.
 Middlesex, NJ 08846

**Refrigeration
 Heating
 Sheet Metal
 Sales & Service**

victorsairconditioning.com

 **WWF**

Help build a future where people live in harmony with nature.

Visit our website to learn more
www.worldwildlife.org

God Bless America

Help the ASPCA put a stop to animal cruelty.



ASPCA
 ASPCA.ORG
 WE ARE THEIR VOICE.®

visit www.asPCA.org

WITH GOD,
ALL THINGS ARE POSSIBLE



 **BrightStar Care®**
 HOME CARE | MEDICAL STAFFING
 A Higher Standard

908.333.9633
www.BrightStarCare.com/somerset
 Independently Owned and Operated

NEED A LAWYER? INJURED ON THE JOB?
MARC J. BRENNER ESQ.

Personal Injury
 Workers' Compensation
 Social Security Disability

CERTIFIED BY THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW JERSEY AS A WORKERS' COMPENSATION LAW ATTORNEY

★ CALL FOR A FREE LEGAL CONSULTATION ★

(973) 326-8902

222 RIDGDALE AVENUE • CEDAR KNOLLS
 315 BROAD STREET • BLOOMFIELD



 **AMERICAN Red Cross**

DON'T WAIT. DONATE!



Counseling & Therapy Services
Dr. Barbara Ronca, LCSW

JANUS Bereavement Group
2nd Tuesday Monthly

Bridgewater Office
Raritan Office

908-218-9062

ANTONIETTA E. CUOCO
Manager, NJ Lic. No. 4499

Cuoco
FUNERAL & CREMATION SERVICES

908.707.2058
10 West End Ave. • Somerville, NJ 08876
www.Cuocofuneralandcremation.com

Traditional Burial • Veteran Burial • Cremation • Memorial Service

PROVIDING A MEANINGFUL FAREWELL



A-Plus
CLOTHING ALTERATION

908-393-6066

BUSINESS HOURS
Closed: Sunday-Wednesday
Open: Thursday-Saturday: 11am-6pm
29 WEST SOMERSET STREET • RARITAN



Bridgeway
Care & Rehabilitation Center

The Avalon
Assisted Living Residence
— A Bridgeway Company —

- Rehabilitation
- Skilled Nursing
- Long-Term Care
- Assisted Living
- Memory Care
- Respite Care

Family owned and operated since 1981
with locations in
Bridgewater and Hillsborough

BSHcare.com **(908) 374-0735**

ArchAngels Services, LLC



- HOMECARE
- STAFFING
- TRAINING
- TRANSPORTATION

FREE ASSESSMENT
FREE 2 HOUR SERVICE W/AGREEMENT
908-575-7980 | 908-507-1129

1124 ROUTE 202, SUITE A5, RARITAN, NJ 08869

Belladonna's Boutique



Chic & Unique

Evening Wear • Specialized Gifts
Ladies Apparel Extra Small to 3x
Bridal Gifts • Costume Jewelry
Handbags & Shoes
Furry Slippers • Juniors to Seniors

Treats To Eat - Italian
Imported Specialties

917-846-2069
23 Anderson Street • Raritan

 @belladonnasboutiquechicunique

TUMBLE & CHEER FOR ALL AGES

EVOLUTION
WINTER CHEER TEAMS FORMING

BRIDGEWATER • FLEMINGTON
908-450-0384

TheEvolutionGym.com



Act now to help end hunger.

In the United States, one in nine people face hunger.

feedingamerica.org

FEEDING AMERICA

Espo's
RESTAURANT & BAR

HOURS OF OPERATION:
MONDAY: CLOSED
TUESDAY-THURSDAY (DINNER): 4:30-8:30PM
FRIDAY (LUNCH/DINNER): 12-9:30PM
SATURDAY (DINNER): 4-9:30PM
SUNDAY (BRUNCH/ DINNER): 11AM-8:30PM

JOIN US FOR OUR NEW **SUNDAY BRUNCH!**
ESPORARITANNJ.COM/(908) 685-9552

FULL BAR/ INDOOR DINING/ TAKEOUT/ CATERING

David Laggini



4 Generations of Laggini's
Serving Raritan
Member of the Knights
of Columbus

Senior Specialist 
For All Real Estate Needs
908-552-1694
remaxdave@yahoo.com

 **RE/MAX OUR TOWN**



WREATHS across AMERICA

Sponsor a veterans' wreath
at a cemetery near you.

wreathsacrossamerica.org

 **LAWN DOCTOR**

908-526-3030
www.lawndoctor.com

Christopher T. Kotalic - Owner


David Laggini




4 Generations of Laggini's
Serving Raritan
Member of the Knights
of Columbus

Senior Specialist 
For All Real Estate Needs
908-552-1694
remaxdave@yahoo.com

 **RE/MAX OUR TOWN**



24/7 Helpline
800.272.3900

alzheimer's  association



**Hot Food Off the Grill
and Cold Beers on Tap!**

*Where You're Only
a Stranger Once!*

908-526-9562
46 Thompson St. • Raritan

Over 100 Years of Bongiovi Family Service to the Community

BONGIOVI FUNERAL HOME

416 BELL AVENUE (P.O. Box #1) • RARITAN, NJ 08869
908-725-1887

Anthony C. Bongiovi, Founder (1911-2008)
Anna Louise Bongiovi
Manager/Owner, N.J. Lic. No. 2817



PRE-PLANNING
PAYMENT PLANS AVAILABLE • MEDICAID ACCEPTED
~ CHURCH PARISHIONER / FAMILY OWNED & OPERATED ~