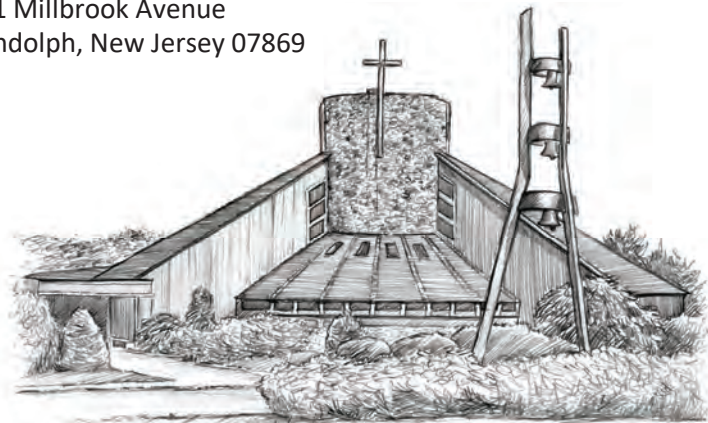


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† SACRAMENTAL LIFE †

EUCCHARIST

Saturday 5:00 pm

Sunday 8:30 & 11:00 am

Monday - Friday 9:00 am

Holy Days As Announced

Reconciliation

Saturday 4:00 - 4:30 pm

Baptism, Confirmation, Marriage and Anointing of the Sick: Please call the parish office to schedule preparations & celebrations.

Novena To Holy Family:

After Tuesday 9:00 am Mass

Eucharistic Adoration:

Monday, Wednesday, Friday 8:00 - 8:50 am

Rosary Prayer: Monday 6:30 pm

SERVED BY

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HISTORY, MISSION AND WELCOME

Erected as a parish on July 1, 1978 with Msgr. Martin Rauscher, as founding Pastor, Resurrection Parish's early growth gave rise to another parish in Randolph in 1988, St. Matthew. Through the dedication and generosity of our founding parishioners, the original structure was completed and blessed on October 9, 1983. The Parish has also been blessed by the years of ministry of Pastor Emeritus, Father John Andrew Connell. The building addition was blessed on October 12, 2008.

Pope Francis reminds us that when we "Encounter" each other, we are then called to "Accompany" each other on our Christian Journey. In this Spirit we extend our heartfelt invitation:

No matter what your present or past status in the Catholic Church; No matter what your current family or marital situation; No matter what your past or present religious affiliation; No matter what your personal history, age, background, race, gender or ethnicity: You are invited, welcomed, accepted and loved here at Resurrection Parish.

"The Church is holy, not just because ALL ARE WELCOME. The Church is holy because ALL BELONG!"

*(Timothy Matovina
& Pope Francis)*

JULY 5-6, 2025 – FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (C)

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LITURGY FOR THE WEEK

FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Is 66:10-14c; Gal 6:14-18; Lk 10:1-12,17-20

Sat. July 5 5:00 pm

+Rosemary Lankton

+Andrew Staron

Sun. July 6 8:30 am

+Robert Lunder

Intentions of Linda Magistro

11:00 am

+Meredith Fox

+Michele Cataldi

Mon. July 7 9:00 am

Gn 28:10-22a; Mt 9:18-26

Intention Available

Intention Available

Tues. July 8 9:00 am

Gn 32:23-33; Mt 9:32-38

Intention Available

Intention Available

Wed. July 9 9:00 am

St. Augustine Zhao Rong, Priest

& Companions, Martyrs

Gn 41:55-57, 42:5-7a, 17-24a; Mt 10:1-7

Intention Available

Intention Available

Thurs. July 10 9:00 am

Gn 44:18-21, 23b-29, 45:1-5; Mt 10:7-15

+Felicitas Gnanapragasam

+Intentions of Kathryn Rees

Fri. July 11 9:00 am

St. Benedict, Abbot

Gn 46:1-7, 28-30; Mt 10:16-23

Intention Available

Intention Available

Sat. July 12 9:00

Blessed Virgin Mary

Gn 49:29-32; 50:15-26a; Mt 10:24-33

Intention Available

Intention Available

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Dt 30:10-14; Col 1:15-20; Lk 10:25-37

Sat. July 12 5:00 pm

+Leo Alexander, Jr.

+Kathleen O'Dowd

Sun. July 13 8:30 am

+Suzana Noriega

+N.T. Thomas

11:00 am

+Linda Sarkozy

+John & Connie Strucko

PARISH OFFICES CLOSED

Fridays in July and August

July 4th through Labor Day

weekend - August 29th.

STEWARDSHIP

Please go to our website (resurrectionparishnj.org)
or call Bill at 973-895-4224 - Ext. 103.

“The harvest is rich,” Jesus tells the seventy-two in today’s Gospel, “but the workers are few.” The situation is the same today. How can I help with God’s harvest? Am I called into the field? Am I one who could provide food or shelter or wages to those who toil in the fields of the Lord?

Due to early bulletin deadline the collection for June 28-29 will be posted in next week’s bulletin.

NATIONAL COLLECTION

This weekend is the national collection for the Catholic Communications Campaign.

SUMMER CHOIR

We welcome all ages and levels

The Music Ministry invites you to join the summer choir on any Sunday through August 31st. Rehearsal at 10:00 am every Sunday for the 11:00 am Mass. Please contact Josh or Allie at resurrectionparishmusic@gmail.com with any questions. Flexible “pickup” format. No commitment required.

APPALACHIA SERVICE PROJECT

We ask you to pray for this group, as they travel and give of themselves so completely on our behalf.

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Dance Lessons - 6:00pm

Music -6:30pm

July 10.....”Latin Night”

July 17.....”Hoi Polloi”

July 24.....”Whiskey Crossing”

July 31.....”School of Rock”

WELCOME TO RESURRECTION PARISH
FR. YOJAN

A Message from Your New Pastor

Dear Parishioners of Resurrection Parish,

With a heart full of joy and gratitude, I begin this new chapter by echoing the words of the psalmist: “This is the day the Lord has made” (Psalm 118:24). I thank the Lord for the grace of sending me to walk alongside such a remarkable community. Since my arrival at Resurrection Parish, I have been deeply touched by the beauty of our temple, the dedication of the staff, the hard-working and faith-driven leaders, and the warmth and generosity of the parishioners.

I would like to express my sincere appreciation to all those who have built and nurtured this parish family over the years, priests, permanent deacons, staff, volunteers, and parishioners. Your faithful service and commitment have made Resurrection a joyful and welcoming community rooted in the Gospel.

In a special way, I want to honor Fr. John Tarantino for his thirteen years of dedicated pastoral leadership. His faithful and generous service has left a lasting legacy that continues to bear fruit in this community. As he begins a well-earned retirement, we offer him our heartfelt prayers and best wishes.

Fr. Tarantino has been incredibly gracious in sharing with me the parish’s pastoral vision. I’ve begun reviewing parish documents, reflecting on the feedback many of you offered to the diocese, and meeting some of your wonderful leaders and staff. In the weeks ahead, I look forward to meeting many more of you, through ministry gatherings, parish events, and one-on-one conversations.

As your new pastor, I ask for your patience and, most importantly, your prayers. I am coming with a humble heart ready to listen. My first mission is to understand very well the vision of this parish, its history, its hopes, its strengths, and the dreams you

carry in your hearts. My desire is to continue strengthening the solid foundation already in place, while discerning together how God is calling us to grow and move forward as a community.

To support this, we will be offering “Listening Days”, as well as an online feedback opportunity, so you can share your hopes and ideas. I believe that when we truly listen to one another, the Holy Spirit reveals the path forward.

It feels providential that I begin my ministry here as we celebrate Independence Day, a time that reminds us of the cherished values of this great nation: life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness. As a proud American citizen, I am honored to serve in a parish where those values are lived out in faith, service, hospitality, and vibrant community life.

I am truly grateful that our Bishop Sweeney has entrusted me with this mission. I come as a servant leader, with a pastoral heart, ready to accompany you, to hear your stories, and to collaborate with the many gifted lay leaders of this parish. My role is not to change what is good, but to support it, celebrate it, and help it flourish.

Resurrection Parish is known for its inclusive spirit, strong faith formation, beautiful liturgy and music, deep commitment to outreach and service, and more. I am here to nurture all of this with you and to continue building a Church that is relational, joyful, welcoming, and fully alive in the power of the Resurrection.

Let us ask the Holy Spirit to guide us in every step, and let us turn to our Blessed Mother, who inspires us to be missionary disciples and joyful witnesses of God's love.

Together, let us be Easter people, men and women who carry the light and joy of the Risen Christ into the world.

With many blessings,
Fr. Yojan Garcia,
Pastor

SAMARITANS

Coordinator of Social Services/Samaritans

Tammy McConnell - 973-895-4224 – Ext. 109

See below for messages of appreciation from Homeless Solutions and a couple of direct clients from the Christmas Giving Tree Drive:

*Thank you for helping provide a **Hand Up** to our neighbors in need. Your gift of AMC gift cards and Walmart gift cards for our guests and for the large amount of coffee, tea, sweetener packets and cups makes a meaningful difference in the lives of the homeless families and individuals that come through our doors. You have brought added joy to our guests this holiday season! We appreciate your support with donated supplies for our shelter throughout the year.*

Because of your generosity and support, we are able to provide a safe and welcome community where people can find the tools they need to rebuild their lives. At Homeless Solutions, they receive shelter, warm meals, as well as a large network of resources to help with job searching, finding affordable housing, and saving money.

Through these opportunities, our guests are able to gain stability and hope for their futures. Thank you for partnering with Homeless Solutions to provide A Hand Up, Not a Handout. Warmly,

Sandra Rodriguez

Associate Director of Development

Homeless Solutions

“Thank you for all your kindness and generosity extended to me in my time of need. . . I so greatly appreciate your assistance!” – from an older woman who lives alone

“Thank you so much and send my regards to the families that blessed my kids for Christmas that helped make this holiday extra special for them. I really appreciate it.” – from a single mom with young children

FOR OUR VETERANS...

The men and women Veterans at Lyon’s Hospital thank you for the wonderful items you have provided over the years. We are collecting for these Veterans in need for the following items:

Items must be new – men and women

T-Shirts/Short Sleeve Shirts - sizes L-3XL
(any color)

Undergarments–T-shirts and tank tops sizes L-3XL

Socks – all sizes -Donated items can be left in the Samaritans basket in the lower lobby.

Please Pray for the Sick of Our Parish

Rosemary Galvin, Boris Simonenko, Mary DeBitetto, Kathy Tallman, Joan Gallagher, John Burger, Matthew Burger, Alice Tarantino, Frank Tomaino, Patrick Lento, Christopher Caruso, Peter Linner, Christina Manning, Tanya Fordice, Joe Leo, Rose Ferraro, Don Klug, Fr. Joseph Buffardi, Laura Richardson, Barbara D’Agostino, Allan Prost, Simon Kent, Aleene Donofrio-Stitt, Alison Fordice, Christopher Glodek, Analida Gaviria, Jesus Gaviria, Janet Meissner, Jenny Stevens, Camilla Walsh, Cataleya Peralta, Merle Soncto, Ruth Novales, Jennie Alvarez, Celia M. Zelinski, Camryn Nowakowski, Ella Visakay, Fran Malloy, Baby Pia, Fred Zilavy, Allison Riggan, Dan Stahl, Baby Charlie Hassay, Shiela Lacouture, Helen Drury, Marie Caruso, Patricia Mongiello, Dave and Bennie Cavagnaro, Jamie Welsch Pritzlaff, Paul Goudreau, Gary Windt, Marybeth Kolibaba, Matthew Kolibaba, Betsy Kolacy, Raffaele Gesualdo, Paul Kisatsky, Bernice Wilhelm, Madeleine & Aldo Cavallaro, Alice Kraska, Matthew and Christian Agostini
Please call the Parish Office to add or remove someone from the prayer list (973-895-4224 x 101).

HOMELESS SOLUTIONS

Current Request – We are requesting DARK COLORED HEAVY DUTY SHOWER LINERS, SHOWER CURTAINS or HEAVY DUTY PAPER PLATES (DINNER, LUNCH OR DESSERT SIZES), PAPER BOWLS (10 OZ. SIZE), PAPER/FOAM CUPS (8 OZ. SIZE) for the Homeless Solutions shelter. These items are used by shelter clients living in the dormitory there. You can leave your donation in the Samaritans’ Basket in the lower lobby (next to the elevator).

Homebound

If you know of a family with a relative who cannot come to Mass, please let them know we are able to visit and bring them Communion. Fr. Yojan is available to visit for Reconciliation and to administer the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick. Please call the church office schedule an appointment at 973-895-4224 x 101.

Bereavement Support Group

The Bereavement group usually meets on the second Sunday of every month from 12:30 – 2:00 pm in the Resource Room. It is a safe and confidential environment in which to share your grief. It is an open group and free of charge.

Next meeting is July 13, 2025.

**Registration for Faith Formation
(Grades 1-11) &
Vacation Bible School is now open
Fall Registration Faith Formation
(Grades 1-11)**

Families may register online from the parish website. There are also copies of the form in the lower church lobby.

Family Faith (Grades 1-8)

Meets 16 times during the school year on Sunday mornings beginning with 8:30am Family Mass followed by 30-minute classes.

Confirmation Program (Year I and Year II)

High school groups meet 8 times during the school year beginning with 11am Sunday Mass followed by one hour "Caring Group" faith formation sessions.

Grade 11

The Sacrament of Confirmation is celebrated in the Fall of Junior year.

Registration Fees

Grades 1-10: \$165/child

Grade 11: \$ 75/child (sacramental fee)

If you have more than three children in our program the fee will not exceed \$450.

Catechists need in Faith Formation. We cannot run our program without the dedication and participation of catechist volunteers. All lesson plans, materials and ongoing staff support are provided for all grade levels.

Confirmation Year I & II

catechist needed - 2025-26 school year

Confirmation "Caring Groups" meet 8 times beginning with the 11am Mass followed by one-hour lessons from 12:00-1:00pm. All lesson plans, materials and ongoing staff support are provided for all grade levels.

Catechists are those who let the Word of God echo through their lives and teaching. They do more than simply "teach" religion; they share their faith and help young people learn how to apply and live their faith in their daily lives. Our Faith Formation program cannot succeed without the participation and dedication from volunteers like you. If you hear God's call inviting you to this very special ministry, please contact us.

Confirmation

Year I Two Caring Group Leaders (Catechists)

Two Caring Group Assistants

Year II One Caring Group Assistant

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