



MON 1/9	8:00 am	† Richard Gray Frank & Lisa Rodgers
TUES 1/10	8:00 am	† Frederick Kroon John & Cindy Kleva
WED 1/11	8:00 am	† Walter Garwacki Nyisztor Family
THUR 1/12	8:00 am	† George B. Meyer Meyer Family
FRI 1/13	8:00 am	† Evelyn Del Russo Children
SAT 1/14	4:30 pm	Parishioners
SUN 1/15	8:00 am	† Cope Family Vic Basinski
	9:30 am	† Anne Marie Arico Marilyn Lennon
	11:00 am	† Jack Karnatski Maryann Meneghin

WEEKLY COLLECTIONS:

1st Collection December 24 & 25, 2016= \$7,476.00
 2nd Collection December 24 & 25, 2016= \$2,063.77
 Christmas Collection = \$20,034.11
 1st Collection December 31, 2016 & January 1, 2017 = \$4,402.00
 2nd Collection December 31, 2016 & January 1, 2017 = \$817.00
 Solemnity of Mary = \$1,813.00
Parish Pav - December 2016
 Immaculate Conception = \$30.00
 Christmas = \$1,710.00
 1st Collection = \$2,998.33
 2nd Collection = \$342.00



Linda Leggatt, Lael McGrath, Susan Weidl, Debbie Dolci, Lillian Faust, Joshua Thomas, Irene Andrews, & Dolores Miller


MONTHLY:

Rosary Altar Society (Hall) – 1st Sunday @ noon
 Prayer Shawl Ministry (Kolbe Room) - 3rd Thursday @ 6:30pm
 K of C (Hall) - 1st Tuesday @ 7pm

WEEKLY:

Adult Choir (Church) – Saturday @ 3:00pm
 Children’s Choir (Church) - Sunday following the 9:30am Mass
 Legion of Mary (Kolbe Room) – Tuesdays @10:30am

Family members of those for whom a Mass is offered are welcome to bring the offertory gifts to the celebrant. Please sit in the front left pew on the E St side of the church.




Sanctuary Candle burns this week to the
GLORY AND HONOR OF ALMIGHTY GOD
in memory of
Russo - Procaccini Families
Requested by
Jo Procaccini & Family

Sponsor of the Week
Lisa A. Chirichillo
& Associates
Thank you for placing an ad!

DONT MISS

A great trip to Resorts Casino sponsored by the Rosary Altar Society on Tuesday, January, 10, 2017
 Cost is \$26 and rebate is \$25. For reservations call Mary @ 732-929-2690.



EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

**Minister Schedule
January 14 & 15, 2017**

4:30pm 8:00am 9:30am 11:00am

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

M McKee	M Salt	S&B	T Reynolds
J Procaccini	B McCarthy	Kosakowski	M Dzibela
C Tweed	R&M Carroll	L&F Rodgers	K&S Wood
P Karnatski	C Hourihan	L Smith	D Nyisztor

LECTORS

J Reitwiesner	J Moyses	K Howe	P Urso
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ALTAR SERVERS

J Roselli	L Zurawski	R Farinaccio	G/R Armstrong
F Tortoriello	K Knoetig	S Maulshagen	D/E Goodfriend



Anointing of the sick

The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick is a sacrament for the living, in older times in our Church history called "the last rites". As a sacrament for the living any baptized Catholic suffering from physical, mental or emotional illness or facing serious surgery is eligible to request this special anointing.

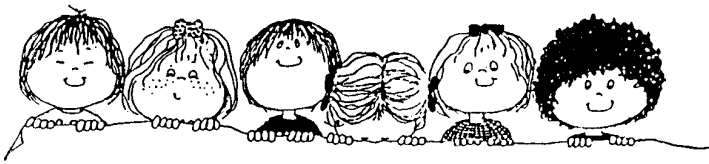
The priest will anoint the forehead and the hands (either the palms or the back of the hands) with the oil of the sick while praying the words *"Through this holy anointing may the Lord in His love and mercy help you with the grace of the Holy Spirit. May the Lord who frees you from sin save you and raise you up."*

Community Medical Center in Toms River has a Catholic priest from St. Joseph's Parish who regularly visits and administers the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick to patients at the Hospital.

If you have a relative or friend who'd benefit from this Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick, call Father John and let him know. He and Fr. Emmett and Fr. Antone regularly visit and anoint the sick in their homes or in the hospital.

With a shortage of priests, it is advisable to call the priest long before a death may be imminent. Calling for a priest only hours before someone's death cannot guarantee that a priest will be available that quickly. A person does not need to be anointed multiple times for the same illness or condition.

Prayer and the sacraments are powerful tools for healing; miracles do happen! May we when we are ill, and may the sick among us, be strengthened to offer our suffering in union with the suffering of Jesus for us and thus be a help to our eternal salvation.

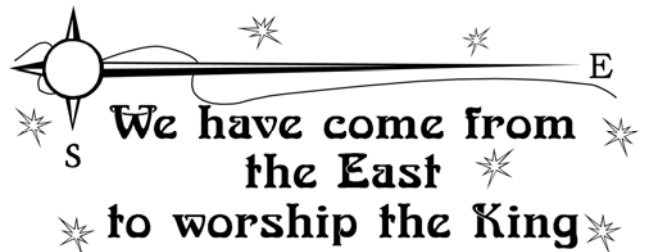


January 11 - Classes in session
January 18 - Classes in session including Confirmation Class
January 25 - Classes in session including Confirmation Class
February 1 - Classes in Session



Liturgy Committee

Meets this Monday, Jan. 9th, at 7:00 p.m. in the Kolbe Room. Members, please notify the parish office if you are unable to attend.





Exercise class resumed
Tuesday, January 3, 2017. Classes
take place on Tuesdays and
Fridays at 8:30am & 9:30am in
St. Catharine's Parish Hall.
All are welcome.

Simon's Soup Kitchen

Our Lady of Perpetual Help in
Seaside Heights serves free
meals every Tuesday and
Friday nights: 5:30 to 6:30pm in
the Quonset Hut. Full free
meals, and a breakfast program for children.
All are welcome.



TAX TIME



If you would like a statement of
your 2016 contributions for your
tax return, please place a large X
on the front of your church
envelope or email your request to
stcatharines@optonline.net and one will be
mailed or **emailed** to you.



St. Francis Food Pantry at
Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church
in Seaside Heights
is in **urgent** need of volunteers!

Volunteers needed for:

- Reviewing stock and ordering food
- Pick up and delivery of food to and from
resource locations
- Unloading food from cars
- Stocking shelves
- Helping clients bag food
- Intake/Recordkeeping
- Minor maintenance
- Recycling Center trips

If you would like to volunteer for this very
worthy cause, please contact Friar Greg
Spuhler at 518-573-1649 or 732-793-6881.

EPIPHANY

Feast of Light



On this day, dear Savior,
Your light shines brightly in our midst.
You are the Light of the World,
the Light in our darkness,
ever with us, ever showing us the way.

On this great feast of Light,
when the Magi came guided by a star,
may we, like them, offer You gifts
that symbolize our love for You.
May we offer You the gold of our faith,
the myrrh of our repentance
and the frankincense of our devotion.

May we bow before You, Holy Savior,
As the three Wise Men did,
with great and abiding joy.

On this day, may we, too,
stand in Your light
and so give glory to our God.

Amen

Help Wanted



Our 11:00 a.m. Sunday
contemporary choir is
looking for new members!
If you can sing, or play a
musical instrument, you'd be
most welcome! Please speak with either Mike or
Lori Vance either before or after the 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Mass.