



MON 11/7	8:00 am	† Devin Stokes Family
TUES 11/8	8:00 am	† Grace Russo Husband
WED 11/9	8:00 am	† Mike Wessenski Family
THUR 11/10	8:00 am	† Deceased Members of the Russo & Procaccini Families Jo Procaccini & family
FRI 11/11	8:00 am	† Joseph Mathis Dave & Mary Mathis
SAT 11/12	4:30 pm	† Judey Guempel Ladner Joe & Joann Stack
SUN 11/13	8:00 am	† Mary & Frank Quinn Family
	9:30 am	† Patrick Fitzsimmons Renee & Jane
	11:00 am	Parishioners

WEEKLY COLLECTIONS:
 1st Collection October 29&30, 2016 = \$5,398.77
 2nd Collection October 29&30, 2016 = \$1,866.33



Raymond Burghardt, Lael McGrath,
Susan Weidl, Ray Sites, 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

Sponsor of the Week
The Pier House
 Thank you for placing an ad!

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



DONT MISS
A great trip to Resorts Casino
 sponsored by the Rosary Altar Society on Tuesday, November 8th, 2016. Cost is \$26 and rebate is \$25. For reservations call Mary @ 732-929-2690



Thanks to all our parishioners who donated coats to St. Catharine Cares Coat Drive! We had the most donations ever! Thanks to Sue Kosakowski who collected and delivered the coats to Ocean County Hunger Relief.



THANK YOU VETERANS
 THE PARISH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED
FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 11th
 IN OBSERVANCE OF VETERANS DAY.



*Sanctuary Candle burns this week
 to the
**GLORY AND HONOR OF
 ALMIGHTY GOD**
 in memory of
**Piscitelli Family, Toni
 Carlino,**
Marie & Ray McCauley & Ed Pellicano
 Requested by
Mildred & Josephine*

THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

**Minister Schedule
November 12 & 13, 2016**

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

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

C Martowlis	S MacDuffie	N Weiss	T Reynolds
S McCarthy	R&M Carroll	S/B Kosakowski	M Dzibela
M Meneghin	G Stefanacci	J Stokes	K&S Wood
J/M Berish	J Kleva	C Atry	D Mathis

LECTORS

J Jackson	M Carroll	A Vahey	P Urso
-----------	-----------	---------	--------

ALTAR SERVERS

E Beaudry	M Salt	S Maulshagen	G/R Armstrong
S Kapp	D/E Goodfriend	A Goodwin	B D'Aloisio



Religious Education

November 9 - No classes
November 16 - Classes in session including Confirmation
November 23 - No classes
November 30 - Classes in session including Confirmation Class

POT LUCK SUPPER



St. Catharine's is having a "Parish Community Gathering" in the spirit of fellowship and thanksgiving to begin the holiday season.

The Pastoral Council is sponsoring a "Pot Luck Supper" on Sunday, November 20th at 5:00pm.

Everyone is invited to bring what they would ordinarily serve for Sunday dinner, plus one more serving. Refreshments and coffee will be served.

In order to set up adequate seating, please RSVP by calling the Parish Office with the number of people attending. Football games will be showing on the TV for all fans.

**SAVE THE DATE!!!
FRIDAY, DEC. 9TH
PARENTS' NIGHT OUT
DETAILS TO FOLLOW!!!**



This weekend's 2nd collection will include the annual Collection for the Archdiocese for the Military Services, USA (AMS). The AMS relies solely on private donors in support of its mission, "Serving those who serve" and its ministry to provide the same pastoral care and services to Catholics serving in the United States Armed Forces, enrolled in U.S. Military Academies, undergoing treatment at any of the 153 Department of Veterans Affairs' Medical Centers, working in civilian jobs for the federal government beyond U.S. borders, and the families of these populations, as does any other Catholic diocese. The AMS receives no funding from the government or the military for its programs and services, including the Co-Sponsored Seminarian Program, which provides priests for home dioceses and for the military chaplaincy. For more information about the AMS, go to www.milarch.org/nationalcollection.



"Ad Resurgendum cum Christo"

Regarding the burial of the deceased and the conservation of the ashes in the case of cremation.

Excerpts from this Instruction promulgated from the Office of the Congregation for the Doctrine of the Faith August 15, 2016:

"Following the most ancient Christian tradition, the Church insistently recommends that the bodies of the deceased be buried in cemeteries or other sacred places.

In circumstances when cremation is chosen because of sanitary, economic or social considerations, this choice must never violate the explicitly-stated or the reasonably inferable wishes of the deceased faithful. The Church raises no doctrinal objections to this practice, since cremation of the deceased's body does not affect his or her soul, nor does it prevent God, in his omnipotence, from raising up the deceased body to new life. Thus, cremation, in and of itself, objectively negates neither the Christian doctrine of the soul's immortality nor that of the resurrection of the body.

When, for legitimate motives, cremation of the body has been chosen, the ashes of the faithful must be laid to rest in a sacred place, that is, in a cemetery or, in certain cases, in a church or an area, which has been set aside for this purpose, and so dedicated by the competent ecclesial authority.

The reservation of the ashes of the departed in a sacred place ensures that they are not excluded from the prayers and remembrance of their family or the Christian community. It prevents the faithful departed from being forgotten, or their remains from being shown a lack of respect, which eventually is possible, most especially one the immediate subsequent generation has too passed away. Also it prevents any unfitting or superstitious practices.

For the reasons given above, the conservation of the ashes of the departed in a domestic residence is not permitted. The ashes may not be divided among various family members. It is not permitted to scatter the ashes of the faithful departed in the air, on land, at sea or in some other way, nor may they be preserved in mementos, pieces of jewelry, or other objects."

A PRAYER TO MARY AT ELECTION TIME

O most Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of Mercy,
we entrust the United States of America to
your loving care. and beg you to reclaim
this land for the glory of your Son.



Overwhelmed with the burden of the sins
of our nation, we cry to you from the
depths of our hearts and seek refuge in
your motherly protection.

Look down with mercy upon us and touch the hearts of our
people. Open our minds to the great worth of human life and
to the responsibilities that accompany
human freedom.

Free us from the falsehoods that lead to the evil of abortion
and threaten the sanctity of family life.

Grant our country the wisdom to proclaim that God's law
is the foundation on which this nation was founded,
and that He alone is the True Source
of our cherished rights to life, liberty and the pursuit of
happiness.

O Merciful Mother, give us the courage to reject the culture
of death and the strength to build a new Culture of Life.

Trusting in your most powerful intercession, we pray:

Remember, O most gracious Virgin Mary,
that never was it known that anyone who fled to thy
protection, implored thy help, or sought thy intercession was
left unaided. Inspired by this confidence, we fly unto thee,
O Virgin of virgins, our Mother.

To thee do we come, before thee we stand, sinful and
sorrowful. O Mother of the Word Incarnate, despise not our
petitions, but in thy mercy hear and answer us. Amen
-by Msgr. William J. Blacet

**An Important Notice to All Birth Parents
Who Placed Babies for Adoption**

New Jersey Adoption Law has changed. Beginning
January 1, 2017, adoptees and certain relatives will be
able to obtain a copy of an original birth certificate
without a court order. Birth parents who wish to
preserve their privacy must submit a Redaction

Request Form to the New Jersey Department of
Health no later than Dec. 31, 2016. The form can be
obtained by calling 866-649-8726. ext. 582 or down-
loading it at <http://nj.gov/health/forms/reg-36c.pdf>.
For further information or assistance, call a free help-
line at 609-989-4809.



OCT. 30

2016