

MON 11/20 8:00 am † Walter & Anna Rup Daughters

TUES 11/21 8:00 am † Joseph Kennedy Nancy & Bill

WED 11/22 8:00 am † Maureen Cannon Son, Kevin

7:00 pm Family Mass of Thanksgiving

THANKSGIVING DAY

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THUR 11/23	8:00 am	† Anthony Maruca The Lonergan Family
FRI 11/24	8:00 am	† Angelo Palmisano Carl & Maryann Palmisano
SAT11/25	4:30 pm	† Mary Ellen Holm Family
SUN 11/26	8:00 am	Parishioners
	9:30 am	† Doris Colligan Eleanor Sundermann
	11:00 am	† Vito Fiume Family

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 the Delaney & Stack Families

WEEKLY COLLECTIONS:

1st Collection November 11 & 12, 2017 = \$4,887.77 2nd Collection November 11 & 12, 2017 = \$1,587.33



Kevin O'Neill, Carmen Cortenez, Brian Regn, Marie Graney, Carmella Albanese, Rose Gilliam, Edward Langschultz, Linda Leggatt, & Lael McGrath

MONTHLY:

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

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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 Southern Service Thank you for placing an ad



THE PARISH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 23RD AND FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 24TH.

Minister Schedule November 25 & 26, 2017

4:30pm	8:00am EUCHARISTIC	9:30am	<u>11:00am</u>	
M McKee S McCarthy L Raniero J&M Berish	J Kleva B McCarthy R&M Carroll C Hourihan	E Farinaccio L&F Rodgers J Stokes C Atry	T Reynolds M Dzibela K&S Wood	
LECTORS				
M Meneghin	E Ciliento	K Howe	P Urso	
ALTAR SERVERS				
E Beaudry J Roselli	J Lombardo M Salt	D Casadonte R Farinaccio	D Smith H Milian	

KEAN PREPARATORY SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

Presents: Mendelssohn Vivaldi

CONDUCTED BY OUR PARISHIONER, KATHERINE ROSELLI

> SUNDAY, DECEMBER 10, 2017 3:00 PM ST. CATHARINE OF SIENA SEASIDE PARK, NI

> > ADMISSION IS FREE



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No Classes

November 29 - Classes in Session
including Confirmation Class
December 6 - Classes in Session
December 13 - Classes in Session
including Confirmation Class
December 20 - Classes in Session
including Confirmation Class

FAMILY MASS OF THANKSGIVING

On Wednesday, November 22nd at 7:00pm, St. Catharine's Parish will come together for a Thanksgiving Eve Family Mass. Please mark this date on your calendar. As a part of the offertory procession, those attending are invited to bring non-perishable food items to church and join the procession to the altar with these gifts. Members of our St. Catharine Cares Ministry will receive this food which will be distributed to those in need. What better way to give thanks! Family, friends, and those visiting for the holiday are most welcome to come.



DON'T MISS......A great trip to Resorts Casino

sponsored by the Rosary Altar Society on Tuesday, December 5, 2017. Cost is \$26 and rebate is \$25. For reservations call Mary @ 732-929-2690.



The Knights of Columbus will hold its annual <u>Breakfast with Santa</u> on Saturday, December 2nd, at St. Catharine's Parish Hall, Seaside Park, from 9:00am to 11:30am. \$5.00 per person Children 5 and under free.



CHRISTMAS CAROL FESTIVAL

Can you hear the angels sing?
Join them. Travel back in
time to the city of
Bethlehem where Jesus was

born. Join us for a Christmas Carol Festival with carol singing, hot drinks; a relaxed gathering with friends.

Sunday, December 3rd at 12:30pm in the Parish Hall.

Lavallette Volunteer Fire Ladies Auxiliary is Sponsoring



A CHRISTMAS WREATH SALE

24" Wreath-----\$20.00

Decorated wreaths with Red Velvet Bow, Berries & Pine Cones

For Information: Call: Karen 732 773or Jennifer 732 966-1076

Friday December 1 & Saturday December 2, 2017 From 10 am to 12 Noon

Local Delivery on Prepaid Orders!!!!

Located at Firehouse (side bays) 125 Washington Avenue, Lavallette, NJ LAVALLETTE VOLUNTEER FIRE CO. #1

Announcing The ANNUAL OYSTER DINNER

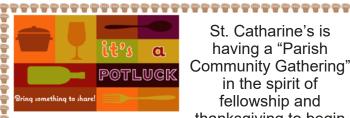
DECEMBER 2, 2017

LAVALLETTE FIRE HOUSE

125 Washington Avenue, Lavallette NJ

From: 4:00 to 8:00 PM Tickets: \$17:00 Adults \$ 8.00 Children under 12

Take-out dinners and Ham dinners are also available You can purchase tickets at the DOOR. Advance tickets will be available at: Bircher Reality 1503 Grand Central Av. Lavallette NJ. The complete dinner is prepared by the firemen. Come sample unique Firehouse Gourmet recipes. Don't miss this important Annual event to kick off the Christmas Season



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

the holiday season. The Parish Council is sponsoring a "Pot Luck Supper" this Sunday, November 19th 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. Football games will be showing on the TV for all fans.



This Sunday's 2nd collection will include the annual Diocesan collection in support of the Catholic Campaign for Human Development.

Over 46 million people in the United States live in poverty. This collection supports programs to empower people to identify and address the obstacles they face as they work to lift themselves out of poverty.

> Learn more about the Campaign of Human Development at www.usccb.org/cchd/collection

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: 1-888-296-2965 or via e-mail at 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.



Our communal celebration of the Sacrament of Reconciliation is scheduled for Monday, Dec. 18th at 7:00pm. All sinners are welcome.





A Prayer for the Fami-

Lord, thank You for this special day when we bow our heads in thanks-giving

and consider our many blessings.
We thank You for our health
and our homes,
and the beauty all around us.
We thank You for answering our prayers,

and for knowing what we need even before we ask.

Most of all, we thank You for surrounding us with the gifts of family and friends

for their laughter, trust, and love. Please bless those who can't be with

yet remain close to our hearts, and continue to bless and protect us

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This is our loving prayer to You

Tri-Boro First Aid 61 J Street

Black Friday Bingo



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Friday, November 24th
Doors open @ 1pm
Games start @ 2pm
& run until 4pm.

Light refreshments will be available! We hope to see you there!

BREAKFAST IN BETHLEHEM SUNDAY, DECEMBER 17TH



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Parents!

St. Catharine's Confirmation Class presents
Breakfast in Bethlehem! Make plans after
the 9:30 Mass (10:30am - 1:30pm) to
shop, wrap, clean or take a nap while the

Confirmation Class (along with many adult chaperones) gives your child a day to remember.

Breakfast and snacks will be served. There will be biblical characters from the 1st Christmas in attendance and many activities for children from 2-10 years old to enjoy. Those ages 5 and under will be designated a "Confirmation Class Buddy" for the event. Mark your calendars.

\$10 per child/\$25 max per family.

Watch the bulletin for further details.



Thanks to all who donated food to the Thanksgiving Food Drive. Complete holiday dinners were provided to many in our area!



Simon's Soup Kitchen

The Quonset hut at Our Lady of Perpetual Help in Seaside Heights serves free meals every Tuesday

and Friday nights: 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. All are welcome.

Simon's Soup Kitchen will also host a special Thanksgiving Day Dinner service on Thursday, November 23rd, from 2:00pm to 3:00pm. Anyone in need of a free hot meal is welcome to attend.