



Sunday, February 9, 2025—Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Emergency Information: In the event that the Church and Parish Offices are closed due to inclement weather or other unforeseen circumstances, please call the parish phone number or visit our website for updates and information. Please use your judgment when coming to Mass and remember that safety is the primary factor.

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

The Parish and Religious Education offices are open Monday through Friday from 8:30am until 3:30pm.

Mass Schedule - All Masses are available by live stream through our website.

Daily Mass - Monday through Friday: 8:30am

Saturday - 5:00pm

Sunday - 7:00am, 8:30am and 10:30am

Little Children of God - a children's program which takes place at the 10:30am Mass for children ages 3-7.

The Church is open for daily prayer Monday through Friday. Access is through the parish office.

Confession: Saturday at 4:00pm in the Church or by appointment by calling the parish office.

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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 abuse-line@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.



Dear Parish Family,



In last weekend's bulletin I wrote about the 80th anniversary of the Liberation of Auschwitz, the deadliest of all the concentration camps and the deadliest of the 5 death camps built in Poland by the Nazi's. Our Holy Father Pope Francis said on the occasion of the anniversary, "*80 years have passed since the liberation of the Auschwitz concentration camp... The horror of the extermination of millions of Jews and people of other faiths during those years can neither be forgotten nor denied. We also remember many Christians, among them many martyrs... I renew my appeal for everyone to work together to eradicate the scourge of anti-Semitism, along with all forms of discrimination and religious persecution. Let us build a more fraternal, more just world, together. Let us educate young people to have a heart open to all, following the logic of fraternity, forgiveness and peace.*"

For the anniversary, the Catholic News Agency published a list of the Catholic Martyrs of Auschwitz, which I include here:

St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross (1891–1942) — also known as Edith Stein — was a Catholic convert of Jewish heritage. She died in an Auschwitz gas chamber on the same day she arrived at the camp. The German philosopher saint was canonized on October 11, 1998, and proclaimed co-patron of Europe in 1999 by Pope John Paul II.

Sister Rosa Stein (1883–1942), following the example of her younger sister, St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross, converted to Catholicism and joined the Discalced Carmelites. The two sisters were found and arrested in a Carmelite monastery in the Netherlands on August 2, 1942, arriving in Auschwitz a week later on August 9, where they died together.

St. Maximilian Kolbe (1894–1941) is recognized as one of the most famous Franciscan martyrs of the 20th century. He was canonized by Pope John Paul II on October 10, 1982, after giving up his own life in 1941 so a fellow Auschwitz prisoner, a husband and father, could live. Following his execution by lethal injection after he suffered starvation, he was cremated the following day on August 15th, the Feast of the Assumption of Mary.

Alongside St. Maximilian Kolbe, the other Conventual Franciscan martyrs who physically and spiritually ministered to people in Auschwitz were **Father Jan Antonin Bajewski (1915–1941)**, known for his piety and gentleness as a confessor; **Father Ludwik Pius Bartosik (1909–1941)**, deputy of St. Maximilian Kolbe known for his endurance amid suffering and his writings on patience; and **Brother Stanisław Tymoteusz Trojanowski (1908–1942)**, who died of pneumonia after living by his motto: "At any time and in any place, to freely dispose of God's will."

Brother Piotr Bonifacy Żukowski (1913–1942), known for his great faith and goodness by his monastery's superior, died of pneumonia after months of hard labor in Auschwitz. Prior to being transported to Auschwitz, Żukowski was detained in Warsaw, where he comforted and prayed alongside other prisoners of war.

Brother Symforian Ducki (1888–1942), known for his spiritual simplicity, was brutally killed in Auschwitz by camp guards on April 11, 1942. One witness said the religious brother made the physical effort to stand up to forgive and bless those who beat him with the sign of the cross and comfort those around him before dying soon after.

Father Anicet Koplinski (1875–1941), a German priest known in Warsaw for his holiness and love for mercy, arrived at Auschwitz in 1941. Dying in a gas chamber on October 16, 1941, the Franciscan was known to turn his sufferings into prayer, saying: "We must drink this cup of bitterness to the end."

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Father Wojciech Nierychlewski (1903–1942) was a Michaelite father known for his zeal and talent as an educator. He also worked in print publishing before being sent to Auschwitz. His deep faith helped him to prepare for his martyrdom in 1942.

Blessed Józef Jankowski (1910–1941), a Pallottine priest whose writings reveal his ardent love for God, showed his great love for war refugees by providing them food and shelter in one of his society's seminaries. He was arrested and imprisoned in a death camp in Warsaw and later sent to Auschwitz, where he was tortured and died on October 16, 1941.

Five Salesians killed in Auschwitz have been granted the title servant of God by the Church: **Father Włodzimierz Szembek (1883–1942)**; **Father Franciszek Harazim (1885–1941)**; **Father Jan Świerc (1877–1941)**; **Father Ignacy Dobiasz (1880–1941)**; and **Father Kazimierz Wojciechowski (1904–1941)**.

Father Józef Kowalski (1911–1942), a young zealous priest, was killed in Auschwitz on July 4, 1942, for refusing to trample on his rosary. Arrested in Kraków and having suffered humiliation and physical torture, Kowalski wrote in his journal: "O my dear Jesus, give me the will to persevere, firm, strong, so that I may be able to persevere in my holy resolutions ... I must be a saint!"

Sister Katarzyna Celestyna Faron (1913–1944) prayed alongside her sisters for their persecutors, including Hitler, before dying on Easter Sunday in Auschwitz on April 9, 1944. She offered her life as expiation for the conversion of a priest who, after the war, returned to the Catholic Church.

Sister Maria Klemensa Staszewska (1890–1943) was a monastery superior who also cared for children. Throughout her imprisonment she offered her fear and pain to Jesus. She died of typhus in Auschwitz on July 27th **Father Piotr Edward Dankowski (1908–1942)**, vicar of the Zakopane parish in the Diocese of Krakow and known for his love for the poor, risked his life to help refugees during the Nazi occupation of Poland. He was arrested and sentenced to the death camp in Auschwitz in May 1941. Before his death on Good Friday, April 3, 1942, Dankowski told his friends: "See you in heaven!"

Blessed Bolesław Strzelecki (1896–1941), a parish priest of the Radom-Glinice Diocese in Poland, was described by his parishioners as the "St. Francis of Radom." He died on May 2, 1941, and was known by fellow prisoners as a holy priest who shared "not only the word of God but every bite of bread" and "made people believe in humanity" amid the horror of war.

Father Kazimierz Sykulski (1882–1942), a parish priest in Konskie in the Radom-Glinice Diocese who was known for his deep love for God and his parishioners, was shot dead on December 1, 1941. Before his death he told his friend: "If God demands from me such a sacrifice for the good of the Church and the homeland, I am willing to make it."

Father Roman Sitko (1880–1942) was rector of the seminary in the Tarnów Diocese in Poland and was arrested for continuing the formation of his theology students. He died in Auschwitz on October 17, 1942. Auschwitz-Birkenau State Museum director Piotr Cywinski, said at the 80th anniversary observance, "We, today, are guardians of memory." May we keep the memory of all those who perished so that these atrocities may never be repeated. Let us build a society of dignity, respect, fraternity, forgiveness, peace and love.

Peace and Good – Fr. Bambrick



Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord and let perpetual light shine upon them. May their souls and the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen

Devotional Lamps - Week of February 9-16 2025

The Sanctuary Lamp will burn for ***Our Parishioners***

The Blessed Mother Lamp will burn for ***Victims of Natural Disasters***

The Holy Family Lamp will burn for ***All Married Couples***

We honor and thank all those who have served our country. We're thankful for their service and dedication to our nation. Lord, bless and protect all those that have served and are serving our country. We pray that all Veterans may know your love for them.

SSGT Nicole Marchitto
RCT Patrick McBride
SSG Marcus Torre
Capt. Cameron Lindsey

C4C Nicholas Accardi, AF
CPT Chris Mision
MJR Jason DiDomenico
AFPVT Logan Moran

Lt. Jr. Grade Michael Henicke
Capt. Scott Maraldo
Capt. Zach Gould
Capt. James Accardi

INTERCESSORY PRAYERS - *Lord of Life, you desire wholeness for your people. Be with those who ask for help. Please bring health, healing and hope to those in our community who ask for our prayers. Amen.*

Vocation Awareness, Stephen Maraldo, Donna Maglio, Brian Venables, A Special Intention, Peace on Earth, Raymond Mamazza Sr., Curtis Hart, Judy Saal, William Raimondi, Meg Noone, Theresa Heublein, Roger Belli, Tom Martin, Jacob Heber, Jackie Fleming, Debbie Scatuccio, Jacqueline Krutulius, Cassidy Krutulius, Gladys Murphy, Corinne Nepsha, Nathaniel Nepsha, Marilyn Zwarych, Ricky DeBlois, Gary D'Alessandro, Frank DiGiamo, Don and Kathy Sopko, Nicholas DeVito, Betty Dreyfuss, Louise Kolarsick, Diane Warner, Lorraine Godleski, M.E. Koval, Patricia Cappello, Greg Mann, Fran Guldner, Vincent Joliffe, Kathleen Scudieri, Rosalie Delapi, Sharon Christensen, Ruth Nisay, Christian Rivera, Sage Rivera, Cassie Jouban, Rob and Gina Zangrillo, Pam and Mike Mills, Pat Gallagher, Theresa Raimondi, Ann Rucando, Camille DeRosa, Kathy Perlson, Theresa Keim, Susan Miluk, Daniel DeVito, Jack Vreeland, Angelo Magri, Christopher Popp, Kristin Valetta, Jeanette Correa Schalen, Jordan Elkary, Valerie Behar, James McCarthy, Andrea Mitreuter, Barbara Ziff, John and Dolores Cosentino, Gary Gerlach, Iggy Antico, William Johnson, Louis Rivera, Linda McLane, Daffron Family, Barbara Griffin, Davy McClure, Paulette Aronstam, Donna Day, Vinny Day, Marge Sabo, John Narsany, James Vihonsky, Bertha Vihonsky, Karen Crimmins, Kaitlyn Krutulius, Logan Martucci, Louise Murnane, Deby Daoust, Laura Meltzer Potts, the Groft Family, Marietta Giordano, Maryann Lombardi, Michael Woodlock, Peggy Mulvehill, Austin Trezza, Lilliam Zumbado, Michael Tardio, Agnes Smith, Vikki McGlone, Michelle Neuhaus, Margie Libonati, Viola Gatyas, Lynette Younker, Kathy Cronin, Robert and Annamarie Kowalewski, Barbara Owens, Laurie Wroda, Louis Iacono, Diane Malgieri, Joe Musumeci, Jeremy Birnbaum, Grace Lowney, Matthew Machin, Toni Marzorati, John Silvestre, Tim Popp

Thank you for your prayers for all those on our Intercessory and Armed Forces prayer lists. If you would like to add or change information please contact the Parish Office.



In the Catholic Church, the anointing of the sick is a sacrament that is administered to a Catholic "who, having reached the age of reason, begins to be in danger due to sickness or old age". There is no need to wait until a person is at the point of death to receive the Sacrament. The Sacrament may be received at any time during a person's illness, especially before surgery or treatment. We suggest calling to receive the Sacrament *before* a person is in grave danger of death as it is not always possible to have a priest available at the actual time of death. If you would like to schedule the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick for a loved one, please contact the parish office.

MASS INTENTIONS— February 9-16, 2025

Sunday, February 9, 2025

7:00 a.m. **Parishioners**

8:30 a.m. **Kvortek Family**, r/o Milan and Anka Berec

Henry Stanziale, r/o Rick and Fran Pedone

10:30 a.m. **Marco SanFilippo**, r/o Camille SanFilippo

Philip Raimondo, r/o Bella and Joe Zimmerman

Monday, February 10, 2025

8:30 a.m. **Nicholas D'Angelo**, r/o Juanita Casey

Tuesday, February 11, 2025

8:30 a.m. **Anna Accomando**, r/o Joseph and John Silvestre

Joseph Gross, r/o Debi McCarthy

Wednesday, February 12, 2025

8:30 a.m. **Grace Lundy**, r/o Ron and Georgeen Anderson

Thursday, February 13, 2025

8:30 a.m. **Delma Hawkins**, r/o Michael Mazalewski

Friday, February 14, 2025

8:30 a.m. **Frances Vita**, r/o Rick and Fran Pedone

Saturday, February 15, 2025

5:00 p.m. **Bryan Corey**, r/o Kathy and Ernie Corey

Joyce Mennella, r/o Don and Linda Marotto

Sunday, February 16, 2025

7:00 a.m. **Parishioners**

8:30 a.m. **Joseph Loschiavo**, r/o Kelly and Kevin McGee

Janet Litterio, r/o Edward Litterio

10:30 a.m. **Christine and John Bligh**, r/o Milan and Anka Berec

Nicola Calabrisotto, r/o Jeanine Mack

Masses at St. Mary's Seminary in Uganda

February 9—In Memory of Eleanor Kwiecinski

February 10-12—In Memory of Robert Spuhler

Weekly Readings

Monday Gen 1:1-19 Ps 104:1-2a, 5-6, 10, 12, 24, 35c Mk 6:53-56

Tuesday Gen 1:20—2:4a Ps 8:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 Mk 7:1-13

Wednesday Gen 2:4b-9, 15-17 Ps 104:1-2a, 27-28, 29bc-30 Mk 7:14-23

Thursday Gen 2:18-25 Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5 Mk 7:24-30

Friday Gen 3:1-8 Ps 32:1-2, 5, 6, 7 Mk 7:31-37

Saturday Gen 3:9-24 Ps 90:2, 3-4abc, 5-6, 12-13 Mk 8:1-10

Sunday Jer 17:5-8 Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 & 6 1 Cor 15:12, 16-20 Lk 6:17, 20-26



February 9:

Offering: \$10,509.37

Online Giving: \$6,336.33

Mortgage Reduction: \$1,920.00



The next food drive will be the weekend of February 15-16th to benefit Catholic Charities.

Requested items include

peanut butter, jelly, canned goods, non-perishable foods and cereals. Please do not leave perishable food, clothing or household items in the Gathering Space. We appreciate your continued support to feed those experiencing food insecurity.



Tax season is upon us. If you require a contribution statement for 2024, contact the parish office

and one will be sent to you. Statements must be requested.

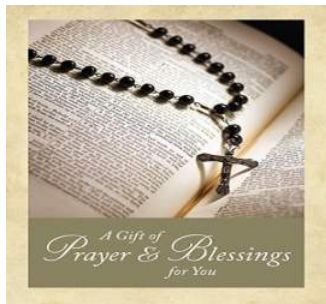


Prayer to St Michael The Archangel

St. Michael the Archangel,
defend us in battle.

Be our protection against
the wickedness and snares
of the Devil. May God rebuke
him, we humbly pray, and do
thou, O Prince of the heavenly
hosts, by the power of God,
thrust into hell Satan, and
all the evil spirits, who
prowl about the world
seeking the ruin of souls.

Amen



The Annual Enrollment is a beautiful gift for special times in life and for the eternal rest of our faithful departed. We are very happy to pray for you and your loved ones.

The Annual Enrollment Mass is celebrated the First Friday of each month at 8:30am for a period of one (1) year—12 months.

James and Natalie McMahon, Richard Iacono, Arlene Hassler, Religious Education and Youth Ministry Teams, Jill, Frank and Rose Hubit, Adrien Thomas, Lisa and Gerald Colangelo, Johnson and Tessa Boscarino, Marie Hamilton, Thomas Zarillo, Robert Fairhurst, David Anthony, Margaret McClure, Olimpia Regateira, Phyllis Silano, Andrea K. Lear, Dottie Sedor, Loretta Boutote, Virginia Duke, Maria Oliveira, Larry Houlihan, Steven M. Sloan, William McCarthy and Family, Boryshuk Family, Louise Jones, Maria Augusta Limas DeOliveira, Marie Zimbile, Marietta Sciascia, Cheryl Bonocore, Eugene Murnane, Robert Thorpe, Audrey Campbell, Neil McKeague, Palumbo Family, Guldner Family, Lamberti Sisters, Christopher Oliveira, Diane Humphrey, Carmine Merlucci, Neal Collenburg, Logan Family, Cunningham, Jacobs, Thesan, Theodore, Jourdan, McKenzie, Cabrol, Duplan and Butler Families, Francesca M. Bonucci, James O'Leary, John Flynn, Michael Cetta, Merced Lotrena, The Nowak Family, Virginia and Allen Walp, Chad Vitello, Maria and Belto Ristaino, John Owens, Anna Marie DeLeonardis, Quaglia Family, Marty Munroe, John and Donna Fichera, Peter Miluk, Jr., Alfred Nader (Dadasee), David LaRosa, Mario Garcia, Virginia Laschet, Patricia Fountain, Connie Russo-Riley, George Newman, Jr., Phyllis Vitiello, Ivan Sriwardena, Harry and Phyllis Gunasekara, Tina Rogers, Ivano John Bott, Juan Opa Torres, Joseph LaScala, Rev. Stanley Jarosz, Maryann Pucilowski, Aida and James Dierking, Rose and Joseph Cesario, Peter Miluk, III, Joseph G. Moroney, Donald and Erin McLoughlin, Don and Maureen Gorny, Evelyn and George Doerbecker, Gertrude and Eugene McLoughlin, Catherine and William McLoughlin, Evan and Olivia Gorny, Pete Albany, Jack Bassi, Des Fitzgerald, Loretta Conway, Carmela Vicidomini, Marie Pompa, Joseph Sumanski, James and Elisa Oliver, Frank and Pearl Szumianski, Thomas Cetnar, Urban and Millo Families, Michael Matzo, Walter Heublein, Eileen and George Graziano, Richard LoPresti, Edith and Ernesto Scalatempore, Jennie and John Tatulli, John, Lucy, Nick, Mary and George, Glenda Morisano, Michael Seyglinski, Raymond Magnussen, Ruth Nisay, Elena Salvato, Eileen and Don Malter, Robert McCarthy, Pat O'Connor and Tim O'Connor, Angelo Mazzeo, Dante Dedonno, Gilvo L. Gialanella, Steven Pirniak, Angelo Mazzeo, Antoinette Maria Puccio, Lynda J. Bradley Clay, Manny Oliveira, Joao Batista Abreu de Oliveira, Yedda Abreu de Oliveira, Maria de Lourdes Abreu, Joao C. Abreu, Cleisa Abreu Cantuaria, Linda Alm, Frances Brauner, John and Rose Jobst, Kathleen O'Connell, Miriam Whalen, Florence Spinello, Bernie Daquila, Pitkethley, Kuhl, Quillinan, Walters Families, Joanne and Keith Veltre, Kate Castell, Ronald Brancaccio, Anna and Salvatore Carnemolla, Joseph, Josephine and Bob Brancaccio, James D. Diefendorf, III, Mary Ann Borghi, Joseph S. Romano, Dorothy Theresa Maher, Cosmo (Gus) Mongiello, Fermina Lopez, James Migliori, Edna Parzygnat, Sophie, Anthony and Ted Wojton, Tracy Lee Papp-Hill, Walter Heublein, Frank Sandtner and Family, Anthony Sandtner and Family, Connie and Tony Gaiammona, Barbara Brennan, Miriam Spinelli, Rosemarie Artale, Joyce Elizabeth Mennella, Ana Librada Ramos, Enid Muraca, Paul V. Farley, Steve Yayac, Christopher Oliveira, Pat and Phelan Brady, Judy DeMichael, John P. Riso, Charles C. Gordon, George Rivera, James F. Moran, Anna Oliveia, William McCarthy, Boryschuk Family, Louise Jones, Edward F. Brown, Sr., Teresa Brown, Elizabeth Brown, Edward F. Brown, Jr., Robert Newmiller, Breakfast Club, Maria K. Wolfe, Rosalie and Nick DeLapi, Nunzio Masone, Boscarino Family, Johnson Family and Tessa, Shirley Shuberda



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CALLING ALL MUSICIANS!!!! Serve the Lord with all your heart, soul, and all your strength by serving Him through ministry.

Rehearsal times:

Youth Choir (singers ages 7-16) meet Wednesday from 6:15-7:15pm.

Adult Choir: Meet Wednesday from 7:30-9pm. We sing in harmony and prepare for special concerts. All are welcome.

Instrumental Ensemble—do you have an instrument covered in a closet that needs another chance? Consider playing a Church. Email Naomi if you are interested in joining the group at musicministry@saintaloyusonline.org.

Christian Book Study—meet the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of the month at 10:00am in the parish office.



Becoming a Man After God's Own Heart

The Saint Aloysius Men's Group invites you to join us for "*That Man is You!*". Join us Saturday mornings at 7:00am in Morello Hall for bagels, coffee and faith forming fellowship.

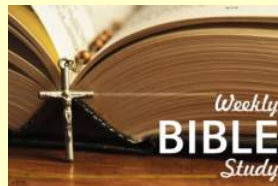
Attention Men! Join other Catholic men from across the Diocese of Trenton at the **28th Annual Men's Conference on Saturday, February 22, at St. Mary Mother of God Church in Middletown.**



The theme of this year's conference is "Solidarity: A Time to Unite." The day runs from 8:00 am to 2:30 pm and will feature Holy Mass celebrated by Bishop David O'Connell; Speakers include Elvis Grbac, Trent Horn and Matthew Arnold, Cost is \$60 per person; \$20 for students. Breakfast and lunch will be provided. For more information or to register online go to

www.catholicmenforjesuschrist.org. To register by mail, send the name(s) of each person registering, your check, and a self-addressed stamped envelope to:

Catholic Men for Jesus Christ
P.O. Box 266
Clarksburg, NJ 08510



Bible Study—Join Fr. RJ **Tuesdays at 2:30pm** in the parish office to Break Open the Word, analyzing and exploring the meaning of scripture through discussion and reflection. No RSVP required, just BYOB (Bring Your Own Bible).

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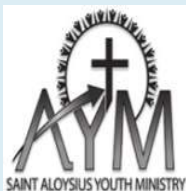
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Please see below for reminders about upcoming events. To RSVP to any of the following, please contact Mrs. Jen Petrillo at 732-370-1515 ext. 311 or jpetrillo@saintaloyisiusonline.org. Events are open to teens in grades 8 through 12. *Please keep in mind that it is a diocesan policy that parents should be copied on e-mail communication between parish staff/volunteers and those under 18.

St. Valentine's Day Service Project: We will be making St. Valentine's Day cards for Bartley nursing home residents on Wednesday, February 12th from 6:30 pm to 8:00 pm in Gonzaga Hall. Those who are interested are asked to please RSVP by Monday, February 10th. Participants can come right to the main doors of Gonzaga Hall on the evening of February 12th.

Parish St. Patrick's Day Event: Our parish is hosting a St. Patrick's Day event on Sunday, March 16th at 12:00 pm in Morello Hall! The afternoon will include a performance from Irish step dancers, live music, and an Irish soda bread contest. The event is open to the whole parish, and teens are invited to attend and sit together, so that they can enjoy the festivities with one another. During the event, we also plan to have a table set up where parishioners can learn more about AYM. If you would like to attend and sit together, please let me know by Thursday, March 13th. Please also let me know if you would be open to serving at our AYM Info table, handing out flyers and talking with interested parishioners.

Soup and Stations: On Friday, March 21st, AYM will be sponsoring "Soup and Stations!" Soup will be served at 6:00 pm, and Stations of the Cross will start at 7:00 pm. Teen volunteers are needed to assist with the following: Bringing and serving a meatless soup (Any soup that is provided should arrive in a Crockpot. Those bringing soup will need to arrive at 5:30 pm.), reading reflections as we pray the Stations of the Cross, cleaning up at the end of the event


All those who wish to participate are asked to please RSVP by Monday, March 17th.



Save THE Date

23rd ANNUAL BLUE MASS

THE DIOCESE OF TRENTON'S
CELEBRATION of
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Tuesday April 1st 2025 | 10:30 am
Principal Celebrant: Bishop David M. O'Connell, C.M.

St. Robert Bellarmine Co-Cathedral
61 Georgia Road, Freehold

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MADDIE

**Race for Life in Memory of
Chuck Washington**

Doors open at 11 AM Sunday, February 16th
Knights of Columbus Council 6201
401 Bartley Rd, Jackson, NJ 08527




"Maddie" is a vibrant, self-driven two-year-old with a fierce determination and an unbreakable spirit. Despite facing challenges that most could never imagine, she meets every day with courage, resilience, and a smile that lights up the room. She has a strong, independent nature and loves to do things her way, proving time and again just how capable she is.

She is obsessed with her not so much older brother **Mikey** who's 3 and their dog **Bruce**. Maddie loves *Moana*, *Toy Story*, *Shrek* and *Minnie Mouse*. She loves animals and playing outside. Maddie loves swimming in her pool and going to the beach. Maddie also loves **food!** Snacks especially. Her nickname is "**tippy toes**" because she is always walking on her tippy toes.

Maddie has to endure so much at such a young age. She has had many rounds chemo, multiple lumbar punctures, immunotherapy treatment. In February we will be admitted to Jersey Shore and Maddie's port will be accessed for 28 days and she will be attached to a bag of medicine that will pump through her 24/7.

If you want to meet a "warrior" it's our Maddie. Leukemia is a long, intense battle. Cancer has already stolen so much from our family but we are determined to beat this.

We pray Maddie keeps responding to treatment and one day this will be something she won't remember. And just a story we will tell.




Race for Life 2024 - February 16, 2025
Doors open at 11AM
Full Daytona 500 coverage on 11 screens,
Gift Auction, Food/Beverages, Cash Bar, Door Prizes,
Free T-Shirt to the first 100 paying adults!

Adults: \$20
Children 12 - 17: \$15
Kids under 12: FREE

For information please contact Lou McGraw 732-804-8766 or email Louism98@gmail.com



The Dispositions Necessary to Gain the Jubilee Indulgence

Mercy is pure gift from God, unmerited on our part. However, indulgences are not something mechanical or superstitious. For St. Paul VI, they were the means of cultivating a 'spirit of prayer and penance,' the practice of the theological virtues and acts of piety. They are always connected to faith. This is why the Church asks those seeking a plenary indulgence to be properly disposed (in the "state of grace" i.e. free of mortal sin by:

Making a sacramental confession of sin within 20 days of the pilgrimage (not required on the day itself)
 Make a pilgrimage to a Jubilee Shrine and participate at Mass, Eucharistic adoration, Stations of the Cross, Liturgy of the Hours, Rosary or other pious exercise. In cases when this is impossible, one might carry out a Corporal or Spiritual Work of Mercy, fast or abstain for at least one whole day.

Receiving of Holy Communion

Carrying out the prescribed good works and/or prayers

Praying for the intention of the Holy Father on the day of the pilgrimage (usually the Creed, Our Father, Hail Mary, and Glory be or other suitable prayers)

Indulgences may be received once a day. A single Confession suffices for several indulgences, but a separate Holy Communion and prayers for the Holy Father are required for each plenary indulgence.

Those who cannot make the Jubilee pilgrimage due to illness or other circumstances are invited to take part in the spiritual movement that accompanies the Jubilee year, by offering up the sufferings of their daily lives, and participating in the Eucharistic celebration.

For a list of Pilgrimage Churches in the Diocese and for Diocesan Jubilee Celebrations visit:

website: dioceseoftrenton.org/jubilee2025



Our parish is hosting a St. Patrick's Day event on *Sunday, March 16th at 12:00 pm in Morello Hall!*

Join us for an exciting afternoon filled with rich Irish culture! Enjoy captivating performances by talented Irish step dancers showcasing their skill and tradition, lively music and a sing along that will keep your spirits high. Don't miss the chance to participate in our delicious Irish soda bread contest—bring your best recipe and enter to win! In addition, explore information tables from various parish ministries, where you can learn about wonderful activities and support available within our community. If you're interested in entering your homemade Irish soda bread, please reach out to Pat at the parish office to register. This event welcomes everyone from the parish, and we encourage you to come dressed in your finest green attire. We can't wait to celebrate with you!



We welcome **Mary Kleiner** to the parish. We are so happy you joined us!

Have you been attending St. Aloysius "for years" but never actually registered? Register today. Forms are available in the parish office and can be emailed to you.

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