



Sunday, October 5, 2025—The Twenty-Seventh 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 AND RELIGIOUS EDUCATION SUMMER

OFFICE HOURS:

Monday through Thursday from 8:00am until 4:00pm
Offices are CLOSED on Friday during July and August

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 - resumes in November at the 10:30am Mass

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.

St. Vincent de Paul Assistance Hotline: 732-370-0098

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 and to its own policies and guidelines 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 abuse-line@dioceseoftrenton.org.

The Diocese of Trenton reports any allegations of sexual abuse to the appropriate law enforcement agencies. Any-one with an allegation is also encouraged to provide that information to local law enforcement authorities.

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Dear Parish Family,

Yesterday marked the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi, the patron saint of ecology, animals, and Italy. As Pope Francis reminds us in his Encyclical Letter Laudato Si, *"We have only one heart, and the same wretchedness which leads us to mistreat an animal will not be long in showing itself in our relationships with other people. Every act of cruelty towards any creature is contrary to human dignity."* Saint Francis revered all God had created, and it is fitting that he is the patron of all ecology.



St. Francis is famously remembered for his “conversation” with a wolf that was terrorizing the town of Gubbio. In this encounter, Francis and the wolf reached a compromise: the wolf would stop threatening the citizens, and in return, the townspeople would feed him. The wolf and the townsfolk agreed, and soon the wolf became not only tame but also friendly, going door to door in Gubbio, greeting people and eating from their hands. The bond between the wolf and the people grew so strong that when the wolf died just two years later from old age, it was given a proper burial and a tombstone. Later, the people built a small church and entombed the wolf in it. You can still visit the wolf’s tomb in Gubbio today in the Church of St. Francis of Peace.

The other story involves a time when Francis felt weary because people were not listening to his preaching or taking it to heart. To find peace, he retreated to the Eremo delle Carceri above Assisi, where he began to preach to the birds. The tree where the birds gathered still stands there today. St. Bonaventure tells us, *"He came to a spot where a large flock of birds of various kinds had come together. When God's saint saw them, he quickly ran to the spot and greeted them as if they were endowed with reason....He went right up to them and solicitously urged them to listen to the word of God, saying, 'Oh birds, my brothers and sisters, you have a great obligation to praise your Creator, who clothed you in feathers and gave you wings to fly with, provided you with pure air and cares for you without any worry on your part.'...The birds showed their joy in a remarkable fashion: They began to stretch their necks, extend their wings, open their beaks and gaze at him attentively."*

"He went through their midst with amazing fervor of spirit, brushing against them with his tunic. Yet none of them moved from the spot until the man of God made the sign of the cross and gave them permission to leave; then they all flew away together. His companions waiting on the road saw all these things. When he returned to them, that pure and simple man began to accuse himself of negligence because he had not preached to the birds before."

Br. Thomas of Celano, who wrote an earlier biography of St. Francis, told this same story but added this sentence: *"From that day on, [Francis] carefully exhorted all birds, all animals, all reptiles, and also insensible creatures, to praise and love the creator..."* (see *I Celano XXI*).

Reflecting on St. Francis openness to all God’s Creation Pope Francis reminds us, *"If we approach nature and the environment without this openness to awe and wonder, if we no longer speak the language of fraternity and beauty in our relationship with the world, our attitude will be that of masters, consumers, ruthless exploiters, unable to set limits on their immediate needs. By contrast, if we feel intimately united with all that exists, then sobriety and care will well up spontaneously."*

As we celebrate St. Francis, may we imitate him in intimately uniting ourselves to all that exists in creation so that sobriety and care well up in us spontaneously for the good of our Common Home!

Peace and Good – Fr. Bambrick

October is Respect Life Month. This weekend, October 4-5, the Youth Group will hold a donations drive for babies and moms after Masses for Good Counsel Homes, in Riverside, NJ. Items most needed are highlighted in bold. Donations will be delivered on Wednesday, October 8th.



1. **Size 4,5,7 diapers (especially size 5)**
2. **Wipes**
3. **4oz and 8oz bottles**
4. **Twin bed in a bag sets**
5. **Twin sheet sets**
6. Crib sheets
7. Toddler bed sets (girls & boys)
8. Gift cards (Walmart, Shop Rite, and Amazon)
9. Toiletries
10. Cleaning supplies
11. Pillows
12. Toddler size shoes (girls and boys)
13. Baby girl clothing (newborn-9 months)
14. Baby boy clothing (newborn-9 months & 2t-5t)
15. Receiving blankets
16. Baby grooming sets
17. Dove body wash for moms and babies

October is the month of
the Holy Rosary
Feast Day—October 7



Pope Leo XIV asks everyone to pray the rosary each day in October. "I invite everyone to pray the rosary every day during the coming month -- for peace -- personally, with your families and in your communities," he said.

To honor Pope Leo's request, join us Monday-Friday at 8:00am in the Church, prior to the Daily Mass, to recite the rosary.

World Mission Sunday, October 19, 2025 is the one day when the entire Church gathers in prayer and sacrificial giving to proclaim that the Gospel is for all peoples, in all lands. There will be a special collection the weekend of October 18-19 for this important mission.

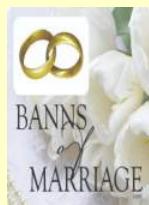
World Mission Sunday
**MISSIONARIES
of HOPE
among the Peoples**
October 19, 2025



The next monthly food drive will be the weekend of **October 18-19** and will benefit Providence House. Requested items include: paper towels, toilet paper, individually packaged snacks, kids juice, back to school snacks, shelf-stable microwaveable meals (mac & cheese, soups, stews, oatmeal), cereals, and k-cups. As always, thank you for your generosity, Please do not leave perishable items, clothing or household goods in the Gathering Space.



Welcome to the following people who recently registered with the parish:
Michael R. Collins, Justin C. Collins, Irene Soto, and William and Verena Soto. We are so happy you have joined us!



Melissa Franke and Marc Pizzella (3)
Evan Van Arsdale and Brianna Nunez (1)

I have found the one whom my soul loves..... Song of Solomon 3:4



Congratulations to all our students who received the Sacrament of Confirmation on Thursday, October 2.

May the Holy Spirit continue to guide and inspire you.



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



Florian Roland and Frances Green

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 October 4-11 2025

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

The Blessed Mother Lamp will burn for ***Our Confirmandi as they Receive the Sacrament of Confirmation***

The Holy Family Lamp will burn for ***Anthony Giammona, r/o His Family***

***The Sanctuary Lamp was lit in Memory of Louis and Carol Chiapetta
the week of September 28-October 4, 2025***

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.

1SG Nicole Marchitto
RCT Patrick McBride
SSG Marcus Torre
Capt. Cameron Lindsey
MJG Steven Love

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

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

2nd Lt. Paul Scalzo

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 Krutulis, Cassidy Krutulis, 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, Vincent Joliffe, Kathleen Scudieri, Rosalie Delapi, Sharon Christensen, Ruth Nisay, Christian Rivera, Sage Rivera, 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 Harsanyi, James Vihonsky, Bertha Vihonsky, Kaitlyn Krutulis, Logan Martucci, Louise Murnane, Deby Daoust, Laura Meltzer Potts, the Groft Family, Maryann Lombardi, Michael Woodlock, Peggy Mulvehill, Austin Trezza, Lillian Zumbado, Michael Tardio, Agnes Smith, Michelle Neuhaus, Margie Libonati, Viola Gatyas, Kathy Cronin, Robert and Annamarie Kowalewski, Barbara Owens, Laurie Wroda, Louis Iacono, Grace Lowney, Matthew Machin, Tim Popp, Mickey Sileccchia, Paige Luke, Eddie Anthony, Karen Nepsha, Patti Misjak-Peters, Kristen Tamburro, Luca DeTommaso, Megan McIntyre, Diane Massiello, Billy Trupia, Provie Grasso, Karen Dudds, Margaret Cook, Victoria Magri, Ramona Martinez, Norm Schoenig, Rudolph Smith, Dolores Pych, Mike Senft, Lisa Kelley Sassone, Leonard Laviscount, Hana Hund, The Kirk Family, Marie Croce, Barbara Busch, Gus Cuntala

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.



MASS INTENTIONS

October 5-12, 2025

Sunday, October 5, 2025

- 7:00 a.m. **Parishioners**
- 8:30 a.m. **Michael Underkoflen**, r/o Rose Pisciotti
Sandra Martin, r/o Gladys and Kevin McGighe
- 10:30 a.m. **Juanita Cinco**, r/o Andy and Maggie Villarin
Frank Benyak, r/o Frank and Joanne Tredici

Monday, October 6, 2025

- 8:30 a.m. **Joe Letizia**, r/o Henry Hintze and Theresa Sherman

Tuesday, October 7, 2025

- 8:30 a.m. **Stephanie Bove**, r/o Tommy Cahill

Wednesday, October 8, 2025

- 8:30 a.m. **Lawrence DeVitis**, r/o MaryLee DeVitis

Thursday, October 9, 2025

- 8:30 a.m. **Gordon Pine**, r/o Donna and Denis Foti

Friday, October 10, 2025

- 8:30 a.m. **Aileen Jolley**, r/o Linda Jolley

Saturday, October 11, 2025

- 5:00 p.m. **Mary Iacono**, r/o Her Family
Joyce D'Amadio r/o Charles and Family

Sunday, October 5, 2025

- 7:00 a.m. **Parishioners**
- 8:30 a.m. **Gene DiGennaro**, r/o Pat O'Connor
Sandra Martin, r/o Diane Touhey
- 10:30 a.m. **Vincenzo Marrali**, r/o Lucille Marrali
Andrea Maglione, r/o Grace



September 21st:

Offering: \$9145.46
Diocesan Assessments: \$1,292.00
Online Giving: \$6,291.84

September 28th:

Offering: \$11,450.25
No second collection
Online Giving: \$4,662.34

Thank you for your continued support



Recently we've seen a trend where the missals have had their ribbons braided together which makes it impossible for people to use them. These books are meant to last for years as they include all three cycles. The ribbons are there to help people mark where the prayers and readings for the week are located. Please be respectful so they can last as long as possible as they are expensive. Thank you so much for your anticipated understanding.

Sherri Kroesch—Business Manager

Weekly Readings

Monday Jon 1:1—2:2, 11 Jon 2:3, 4, 5, 8 Lk 10:25-37

Tuesday Jon 3:1-10 Ps 130:1b-2, 3-4ab, 7-8 Lk 10:38-42

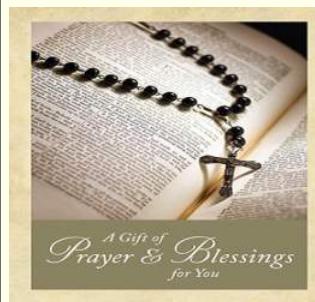
Wednesday Jon 4:1-11 Ps 86:3-4, 5-6, 9-10 Lk 11:1-4

Thursday Mal 3:13-20b Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6 Lk 11:5-13

Friday Jl 1:13-15; 2:1-2 Ps 9:2-3, 6 and 16, 8-9 Lk 11:15-26

Saturday Jl 4:12-21 Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 11-12 Lk 11:27-28

Sunday 2 Kgs 5:14-17 Ps 98:1, 2-3, 3-4 2 Tm 2:8-13 Lk 17:11-19



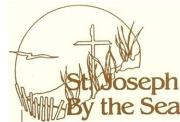
The Annual Enrollment is a beautiful gift for special times in life and for the eternal rest of our faithful departed. We are very happy to pray for you and your loved ones.

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, George and Arlene Hassler, Religious Education and Youth Ministry Teams, Frank and Rose Hubit, 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 Giannina, 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 Oliveira, 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, Mark Koval, Justin Jude Gingaleskie, Forgotten Souls of Purgatory, Cirricione Family, Elaine Marie Chambers, Merced Lotrena, Richard Wojaczek, Paul Frankowski, Lawrence Houlihan, Marie Bivona, Gloria Anderson, Paul Kutz, John Owens, Annamarie DeLeonardis, Miriam A. Whalen, Marie Henshaw, Luca DeTommaso, Andrea K. Lear, Cheryl Stypula Gaydos and the Stypula Family, Chad Vitello, Rosano Family, Richard Toneske, Nora S. Lyng, Gardella Family, Marie DiTomasso, Eileen and George Graziano, Cunningham, Jacobs, Thezan, Theodore, Jourdan, McKenzie, Cabol, Butler, and Duplan Families, Anne Marie Varda Thenor Louis, Madeline Pomposelli, Joseph Pomposelli, Mark Pomposelli, Josephine Chambers, Thomas Chambers, Cornelius Connie O'Donnell, Gene Murnane, Richard Reba, Sandra Martin, Joseph and Pauline Fertal, Susan Glab, Evelyn and George Doerbecker, Gertrude and Eugene McLoughlin, Maureen and Don Gorny, Donald and Erin McLoughlin, Evan and Olivia Gorny, Catherine and William McLoughlin, Sergio and Katie Lee Rossini, Ray Velasco, Mr and Mrs. Timothy Mangan, Mary Mangan, Keith Bailey, Dorothy Connors, Scatuccio Family, Mary Carole Davenport, Aida and James Dierking, Rose and Joseph Cesario, Elaine Sobreira, Marie Pompa, Carmelo Vicedomini, Loretta Conway, Dolores Pych, Michael Seyglinski, Urban and Millo Family, Michael Matzo, Pete Albany, Martha and Anthony Elardo, Margaret and Edward Davis, Linda Alm, Frank J. Brauner, Stephen Pirniak, Palumbo Family, Guldner Family, George Roessler, Gener Agapen, Thomas Cetnar, Flores Giron Family, Franck Joseph Tassy, Tony and Bernadette Riccardi, Joseph Riccio, Ernest Carnicelli, Jack Bassi, Robert Douglas French, Joseph and Sara Musumeci, Charlie Kirk and his Family, Madelyn Brown, Kathryn Shapiro, James Diefendorf



Francis House of Prayer serves the people of the Diocese of Trenton and beyond providing a contemplative environment for ongoing spiritual growth. Register for programs by going to the website **FHOP@verizon.net** or call **609-877-0509**.



Our mission as Religious Teachers Filippini is to "Go forth and teach the Word of God." Our ministry on this holy ground is for the people of God who come to St. Joseph By the Sea for soul searching, trying to find peace in their lives and a God who understands them.

A CURRENT BROCHURE CAN BE FOUND ON OUR WEBSITE – www.sjbsea.org



To begin the process, families are asked to be registered in the parish. Parents and Godparents are asked to attend a Baptism Prep Class, and Godparents will need to provide a Letter of Eligibility from their current parish (where they reside). Baptisms are held most Sundays at 12:00pm, following the 10:30am Mass. For more information or to schedule a date, please call the parish office.



Sacrament of MATRIMONY - We welcome and congratulate all who are seeking the Sacrament of Matrimony. Church arrangements and marriage preparation should be made one year in advance for those who are registered with the parish and living in Jackson. Call the parish office as soon as possible at 732-370-0500 ext. 204. If you are making plans for a "destination wedding," please call the parish office first. There is a way to receive the Sacrament of Matrimony before your destination wedding.

MARRIAGE CONVALIDATION - The Convalidation of a Marriage is a special wedding ceremony by which one's marriage is recognized and blessed by the Catholic Church. Through this process your marriage will be fully embraced by the Church, granting it all the spiritual blessings and benefits it offers. If you are interested in learning more about a Marriage Convalidation contact the parish office.

VETERAN'S DAY CELEBRATION

Please join us in honoring our Veterans on
Tuesday, November 11th • 11:00 AM
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Name: _____

Phone #: _____ Veteran's Name: _____

Branch of Service/Rank: _____

Service Period: _____ War: _____

Recipient of Medal of Honor _____ Purple Heart _____ Bronze/Silver Star _____

Other: _____ (Any living or deceased Veteran will be honored)

ADULT CHOIR
WEDNESDAYS 7-8:30PM

YOUTH CHOIR
TUESDAYS 5:30-6:30PM

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Join us for That Man is You!, a dynamic men's program that tackles the real pressures men face today—especially as husbands and fathers—while helping you grow in faith. Beginning Saturday, September 6 in Morello Hall, enjoy bagels, coffee, and brotherhood as we journey through powerful topics like authentic fatherhood, spiritual warfare, and the Joyful Mysteries of the Rosary from the Holy Land. Discover how to live with holy grit, remain rooted in Christ, and lead with the merciful love of God the Father.

6:30-7am Bagels and Coffee

7:00-7:30 Video

7:30-8:00 Small Group discussions

For more information contact David at
dfurb@aol.com



Weekly Bible study, led by Fr. RJ is held on **Tuesdays at 2:30pm in the Parish Office**. The study will focus on the Acts of the Apostles. BYOB—Bring Your Own (Catholic) Bible. No reservation is required. All are welcome!



If you are considering becoming a Catholic, or you are a baptized Catholic who is considering completing your Sacraments of Initiation (Confirmation and Holy Eucharist), the Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA, formally RCIA) process can help you. To decide whether this path is right for you, please contact the parish office where a staff member will meet with you and answer your questions. No immediate commitment is necessary at the time of initial inquiry.

The OCIA process is designed to offer you guidance and support in your spiritual journey towards a deepening relationship with Jesus. As you move forward through prayer, reflection, Scripture reading, storytelling, questioning, worshiping, and performing works of charity, OCIA members, along with the parish community, will accompany you on your faith journey. **Classes take place in Gonzaga Hall on Wednesday evening at 6pm.**

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Walking with Purpose (WWP) is a Catholic Faith bible study for women that aims to bring women to a deeper personal relationship with Jesus Christ by offering personal study and small group discussion that link our everyday challenges with the solutions given to us through the teachings of Christ and the Catholic Church.

**St. Aloysius is offering 2 study paths
Thursdays at 7:00pm in Morello Hall**

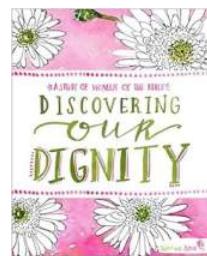
Register in the parish office



Opening Your Heart "OYH"

This 22-week foundational course is designed for women who are new to WWP, as well as those with more Bible study experience. Join us as we examine the core questions that we wrestle with if we want to experience all that God has for us.

Discovering our Dignity 'DOD'
(recommended after completing OYH)



Women of the Old and New Testaments were as flawed and broken as we can be, yet the power of God worked in their lives. Discovering Our Dignity will allow you to learn from their experiences and uncover ways to deal with unwanted circumstances and deferred hopes.

Through their stories recorded in Scripture, women of the Bible reach out to touch our "present" in a tender, honest, and loving way—woman to woman—with ancient wisdom, sage advice, and insights from sorrowful failures and emotional wounds.

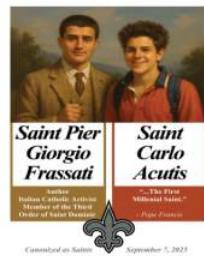


"AYM" (St. Aloysius Youth Ministry) offers opportunities for those in grades 8 through 12 to connect with fellow teens who share their Catholic faith. We offer a variety of spiritual, service, and social events throughout the year. Please see below for reminders about upcoming events. To RSVP to any of the following, please contact Mrs. Jen Petrillo at 732-370-1515 ext. 311 or jpetrillo@saintaloysiusonline.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.

Save the Date: Drive for Good Counsel Homes: We are doing another donations drive for the moms and babies of Good Counsel Homes after our 5:00 pm and 10:30 am Masses on the weekend of October 4th and 5th! Teens are needed to assist with collecting and sorting donations before and after each of those Masses. Please RSVP by September 29th if you are able to volunteer. Stay tuned for more info in the coming weeks.

AYM Pumpkin Carving: Looking to enjoy a fun fall afternoon? Our 4th annual AYM Pumpkin Carving event will take place on Sunday, October 26th from 11:30 am to 1:00 pm in the Youth Room. Teens are invited to attend the 10:30 am Mass, and we will start immediately following Mass. Supplies will be provided, so teens are asked to please RSVP by Monday, October 20th in order to ensure that we have enough pumpkins and paint for everyone. Light snacks will be served.

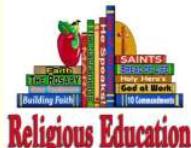


Saint Pier Giorgio Frassati
Saint Carlo Acutis

"The First Millennium Saint" - Pope Francis

Consecrated as Saints

September 7, 2023



Religious Education

Do you have a deep love of our Catholic faith, and a desire to share that gift of faith with our young parishioners and their families? Perhaps God is calling you to serve in our Religious Education program! We have catechist, aide, and Angel Patrol (hall monitor) positions available in various grade levels. For more information, please contact Jen Petrillo at 732-370-1515 ext. 311 or jpetrillo@saintaloysiusonline.org. Please note: All volunteers who work with minors in our diocese are required to complete a written application, a background check via fingerprinting, and a safe environment training called "Protecting God's Children."



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