SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER May 8, 2016

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

Saturday - May 7

8:30 a.m. Special Intention: George & Helen

DaSilva 25th Wedding Anniversary

Pauline Zeman & Palmy Martino 5:00 p.m.

(Georgina Martino)

Catherine A. Jugan (Anna)

Sunday - May 8

8:30 a.m. Pat Kaiser (M/M P. Waldek)

Justin Pease (Borkstrom Family)

10:30 a.m. Mamacita Ros & Maria Luis Fatjo

(Hirma & Irela Ros)

Irene Deventer (Susan Smarth)

Monday - May 9

6:00 p.m. Assunta Forte (Maria Cicchino)

Tuesday - May 10

8:30 a.m. Terry Maselli (Hirma & Irela Ros)

Wednesday - May 11

8:30 a.m. No Lituray

Thursday - May 12

8:30 a.m. Parishioners

Friday - May 13

8:30 a.m. Deceased Members of the Scerbo

Family (Louise Carter)

Saturday – May 14

8:30 a.m **Parishioners**

5:00 p.m. Catherine A. Jugan (Anna)

Daniel Bell (Stella Rychlicki)

Antonio & Isabel Veloso (Lucia Engle)

Sunday - May 15

8:30 a.m Josephine Lusardi (M/M J. Salmon)

10:30 a.m. Duretha Arnoa (M/M J. Toohey)

John O'Connell, Jr. (Dorothy Mathews)

MASS SERVERS May 14 & 15

Saturday

5:00 p.m. Lauren Delle

Kiara Lorenzo

Sunday

8:30 a.m. Billy Nieman

Adam Yeager

10:30 a.m. Gabriella Perna

Gabriella Sanchez

VOLUNTEER BINGO WORKERS May 12 - Team #3

CAPTAIN: Annette Rossi

TEAM: Liz Bender, Marcie Bender, Joe

> Salmon, Ginny Salmon, Dawn Morris, Karen Grieco, Allwyn

Pereira, Bob Zanowicz, Lynn Smith,

Stephanie Rossi

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

Monday

Religious Education Classes Gr 1,3,4,5,6 - 4:00pm-

5:15pm (Connery Hall)

Tuesday

Wednesday

Boy Scouts ⁻ 7:30pm (Connery Hall, Rm 2 & 4)

Thursday

Bingo ⁻ 7pm-11pm (Connery Hall)

Friday

Unico Beefsteak Dinner ⁻ 7:00pm (Connery Hall)

Friday Night Positive Group 78:15pm (Connery

Hall, Rooms 2 & 4)

Saturday

Saturday Night Positive Step meeting - 8:15pm

(Connery Hall, Rooms 2 & 4)

Sunday

Baptism ⁻ 1pm (Church)

Girl Scout Troop 320 ⁻ 6:00-8:00pm (Connery Hall)

PARISH FINANCES

The collection for last week was \$4,480.15. The collection for the same week last year was \$3,857.00.

"Amen, I say to you, there is no one who has given up . . . for my sake and for the sake of the gospel who will not receive 100 times more now in this present age . . . and eternal life in the age to come."

Mark 10:29,30

PLEASE REMEMBER THE SICK & SUFFERING IN YOUR PRAYERS

Especially, Thelma Aranha, Jose Baez, John Bedell, Shirley Berardo, Gary Bomely, Barbara Ciaffone, Ronald DeBacco, Deborah Radler, Marion DiVincent, Eileen Durbor, Charlie Fleming, Lynn Guilliana, Andrew Jacko, Gene Kalyan, Anna Kostyk, Jim Laurora, Eric Lemke, Albert Lusardi, Beth O'Meara Mckie, Walter Maguire, Joseph Martino, Ed Mollahan, Ernest Moore, Daniel Mulhaul, Kelly Nigro, Kathy Noble. Joe Patruno. Patricia Pirmor. Marie Ritzer. Mary Shea, Jay Silver, Michaela Winnans, George Zeman.

ALTAR FLOWERS

The white roses that grace our altar are in memory of Margaret Hickey and Johanna Bonner donated by Patricia Berg.

FR. RICK'S CORNER

MOTHER'S DAY

The Strength of a Woman
I share the following with you today to honor all women, especially mothers, grandmothers, godmothers, step-mothers, and mothers-to-be:

A strong woman works out to keep her body in shape. A woman of strength kneels in prayer to keep her soul in shape.

A strong woman isn't afraid of anything. A woman of strength shows courage in the midst of fear.

A strong woman won't let anyone get the best of her. A woman of strength gives the best of herself to everyone.

A strong woman makes mistakes and avoids the same in the future. A woman of strength realizes that life's mistakes can also be God's blessings.

A strong woman walks sure-footedly. A woman of strength knows that God will catch her when she falls.

A strong woman wears the look of confidence on her face. A woman of strength wears grace.

A strong woman has faith that she is strong enough for the journey. A woman of strength has faith that it is in the journey she will become strong.

Author Unknown

Please have a joyful, blessed Mother's Day! Father Rick



You are invited to the 10th Anniversary of the Ordination to the Priesthood of Rev. L. Richard Hardy. St. Clement Pope & Martyr Church, Sunday, May 22, 2016

Holy Mass at 10:30 a.m.
Reception at Connery Hall
12:00 - 2:00 p.m.

R.S.V.P. By Thursday, May 12

Please place your R.S.V.P's in the basket in the Gathering Space.

Any questions please contact Irene Byrne - 973-714-1941 or the parish office

JUMBO RAFFLE DRAWING

Our Jumbo Raffle Drawing will be held on May 21 after the 5pm Mass. All Jumbo Raffle tickets must be turned in to the Parish Office no later than May 14. You have to be in it to win it!

"A MOTHER'S DAY GIFT THAT WILL LAST A LIFETIME"

Birth Haven is an independent, non-profit organization that provides shelter, support, and education for homeless, pregnant women and girls. The program operates a transitional living facility in Newton, NJ. The agency provides a safe and nurturing environment in which to carry an unexpected pregnancy to term. With Mother's Day upon us, we thought it only fitting to celebrate the new moms to be at Birth Haven.

We will be providing baby bottles after each Mass this weekend. We ask that you put any loose change in the baby bottle throughout the month of May. When you have filled the bottle, please place it in the basket located in the gathering area. This Baby Bottle Campaign will run throughout the month of May and the baby bottles are due back by May 31st. Please consider filling a baby bottle. You will be supporting those mothers in the greatest need.

Thank you from the Moms To Be at Birth Haven, ~John and Christine O'Connor~

CORPUS CHRISTI FOOD COLLECTION

Due to the unprecedented requests for assistance from Catholic Charities food pantries and in order to fulfill our obligations to the poor, Bishop Serratelli has authorized a Diocesan-wide food collection in all parishes for the Feast of Corpus Christi, Sunday, May 28 & 29, 2016. This collection sponsored by Catholic Charities will help to assist those most in need in our Diocesan community of Morris, Passaic and Sussex Counties. Our parish has been asked to collect 14 oz. cans of beans and paper products. The collection will benefit Catholic Charities food pantries for the summer. In addition to our parish, the entire Diocese of Paterson will join together in this project.

There will no parish food collection in May.

Dear Friends,

Thank you once again for your donation for our food cupboard. The donation is very much appreciated.

For the record, we are seeing many more hungry families now than ever before. A total of over 2,000 bags of groceries were given to family units in the area during the year 2015, and the number will increase in 2016. We are entirely dependent upon food drives from local churches and corporations, schools and service organizations, and individuals and monetary contributions to keep up with the steady stream food that leaves our Food Cupboard.

Thanks for thinking of us. We appreciate your donation and continuing support.

Sincerely, Kathy McFarland Trinity Lutheran Church

WELCOME TO OUR NEW PARISHIONERS

With joy we welcome the following new parishioner to our Parish Family. In the months and years ahead we look forward to sharing life and worship with her as we continue our journey of faith.



MOM'S FAMOUS BROWNIE RECIPE

- Remove teddy bear from oven and preheat oven to 375 degrees.
- Melt 1 cup margarine in saucepan.
- Remove teddy bear from oven and tell Jr., `no, no.
- Add margarine to 2 cups sugar.
- Take shortening can away from Jr. and clean cupboards.
- Measure 1/3 cup cocoa.
- Take shortening can away from Billy again and bathe cat.
- Apply antiseptic and bandages to scratches sustained while removing shortening from cat stail.
- Assemble 4 eggs, 2 tsp. vanilla, and 1 ½ cups sifted flour.
- ❖ Take smoldering teddy bear from oven and open all doors and windows for ventilation.
- ★ Take telephone away from Jr. and assure party on line the call was a mistake.
- Measure 1 tsp. salt, ½ cup nuts and beat all ingredients well.
- Let cat out of refrigerator.
- ❖ Pour mixture into well-greased 9x13 inch pan.
- Bake 25 minutes.
- Rescue cat and take razor away from Billy.
- Explain to kids that you have no idea if shaved cats will sunburn.
- Throw cat outside while there's still time and he's still able to run away.
- Frosting ⁻ Mix the following in saucepan: 1 cup sugar, 1 oz. unsweetened chocolate, ¹/₄ cup margarine.
- ❖ Take the %\$\$&#% teddy bear out of the @#\$% broiler and throw it away ⁻ far away.
- Answer the door and meekly explain to nice policeman that you didn't know Jr. had slipped out of the house and was heading for the street.
- Put Jr. in playpen.
- Add 1/3 cup milk, dash of salt and boil, stirring constantly for 2 minutes.
- Answer door and apologize to neighbor for Billy having stuck a garden hose in man's front door mail slot. Promise to pay for ruined carpet.
- Tie Billy to clothesline.
- Remove burned brownies from oven.



THE SUNRISE ROTARY CLUB OF DENVILLE

The Sunrise Rotary Club of Denville and the New Jersey Blood Services Center are having a **Blood Drive** at the Saint Francis Residential Community, 122 Diamond Spring Road, Denville, New Jersey, on Wednesday, May 11, 2016 from 1:00 PM to 7:00 PM. All are welcome. Any questions e-mail SusanRichter@NextLevelHealing.com

UNICO BEEFSTEAK DINNER

Rockaway Township UNICO is having a Charity Beefsteak Dinner to raise money to help the kids at Camp Marcella on Friday, May 13 at 7:00pm in Connery Hall at St. Clement Church. Ticket cost is \$49 per person. There will be live music, tricky trays and a 50/50. Meal provided by Giresi's Caterers. This is a BYOB event. For more information or for ticket call Lydia at 973-586-2310 or Matt at 973-975-5554 or visit www.rtunico.org or visit Rockaway Pharmacy and Compounding.

WORLD APOSTOLATE OF FATIMA SHRINE May 13, 2016 - 674 Mt. View Rd., Washington, NJ 07882. Celebrate the 100th anniversary of the apparitions of the Angel of Peace at Portugal and 99th anniversary of Our Lady of Fatima. 10-11:00: Holy House tour; 10:30: Confessions-upper Shrine; 12:00: Rosary Procession; 12:30: Guest Speaker Fr. Ronan Murphy; 1:00: Holy Mass-Fr. R. Murphy; 2:30: Benediction; Fatima Farewell; Brown Scapular enrollment; 3:00: Divine Mercy Chaplet; 3:30-4:30: Holy House tour. Enter designated Year of Mercy Door. www.bluearmy.com 908-689-1700

DONATE YOUR OLD CELL PHONES

The Knights of Columbus Lafayette Council 514 donates to many causes. Among these causes are our efforts for the Intellectually Disabled. To help us provide assistance to groups like Special Olympics and the Morris County ARC, we collect used and obsolete smart phones and cell phones. Please see any member of our council to donate your old and unused cell phones and help those less fortunate. If you have any questions on how to donate, you can contact Paul Wood at 973-727-3430.

NEW PARISHIONERS

We welcome all visitors to our parish. If you attend I Mass on a regular basis and have not registered, I please complete the form below and drop it in the I collection basket. We will call to set up an I appointment for you to meet with Fr. Rick. If you have a change of address or plan on moving, please complete the form as well.

Name
Address
Phone# (daytime phone #)
e-mail
Change of Address
Moving

NEXT WEEKEND'S READINGS:

PENTECOST SUNDAY

First Reading: Acts 2:1-11

The disciples were celebrating Pentecost together when "tongues of fire appeared which parted, then came to rest on each of them." The disciples were filled with the Holy Spirit and began speaking in foreign tongues. Visitors from many different countries were amazed that each guest could hear his or her native language being spoken as the disciples proclaimed God's glory.

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12-13

Each person has received different manifestations of the same spirit to contribute to the common good of all. All members of the church have been baptized into one body because of our belief in the Holy Spirit, who was sent to us by God.

Gospel: John 20:19-23

Jesus appeared to the disciples even though they had locked the doors in fear. Jesus then showed the disciples his hands and his side; and they rejoiced at his presence. He breathed on them saying "Receive the Holy Spirit." He then gave the disciples the power to forgive others or hold them accountable for their sins.