

Church of the Annunciation

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MASS SCHEDULE

Monday thru Thursday 8:30 AM
First Friday 8:30 AM
Saturday Vigil 4:30 PM
Sunday 9:00 AM
11:30 AM
Summer Sunday Schedule
(July and August) 8:30 & 10:00 AM

SACRAMENTS

Reconciliation:

Saturday - 4:00 PM or by Appointment

Baptism:

Second Sunday of the Month at 1:00 PM
Fourth Sunday of the Month at 1:00 PM
Please contact the Rectory in regards to
Godparents and available times.

Baptism Classes;

Call the Rectory for schedule.

Marriage:

Contact the Rectory several months before
planning a date.

Sick Calls:

Please contact the Rectory so that arrangements
can be made to have Fr. Bert make the initial
visit to the home, then the Eucharistic Ministers
to bring Holy Communion on a regular basis if
need be.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Grades K thru 8

Sunday 10:10 AM - 11:25 AM
Preschool - 11:30 AM - 12:30 PM

Grades K thru 4

Monday 4:30 PM - 5:45 PM

Grades 5 thru 8

Monday 7:00 PM - 8:15 PM

CCD Office Hours

Sunday 8:00 AM - 11:30 AM
Monday 3:00 PM - 8:30 PM

Mission Statement

In order to continue the legacy of our founding families, we, the community of the Church of the Annunciation, have as our mission to unite all in God's name and to live the joy of the Gospel. We share our gifts through prayer, worship, fellowship and service. We are committed to spiritual growth, as well as to knowledge and expression of our faith in God. Under the guidance of the Blessed Mother Mary, we seek to become a cornerstone of discipleship, providing spiritual and loving support for our parish family.

PARISH STAFF

Rev. Roberto D. Coruña, Pastor

Joyce Mahon, Parish Secretary

Donna Perrone, Parish Catechetical Leader

Patricia Kozlowski, Chairperson of Parish Pastoral Council

Women's Guild, Contact person, Diane Teuscher

William Tighe, President of the Holy Name Society

Helen (Pat) Fitzpatrick, President of the Legion of Mary

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - 2:00 - 6:00 PM
Wednesdays & Thursdays 10:00 - 4:00 PM
or by appointment

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

February 17, 2019

Mass Offerings



SATURDAY	February 16, 2019	
4:30 AM	Isabelle Zvolanek	/Ed & Lois Collier
SUNDAY	February 17- Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time	
9:00 AM	William Kast, Sr.	/Barbara Scott
11:30 AM	Jim Burns	/Barbara Scott
MONDAY	February 18 - Presidents Day	
8:30 AM	Daniilo Marino	/Amy Gutierrez
TUESDAY	February 19	
8:30 AM	Diego Villota	/Amy Gutierrez
WEDNESDAY	February 20	
8:30 AM	Bill Fitzpatrick	/Pat Fitzpatrick & Family
THURSDAY	February 21 - St. Peter Damian, Bishop	
8:30 AM	Joselito Vengo	/Amy Gutierrez
FRIDAY	February 22 - The Chair of St. Peter the Apostle	
8:30 AM	No Mass	
SATURDAY	February 23 - St. Polycarp, Bishop	
4:30 PM	Matthew Kuhn Cao	/Cao Family
SUNDAY	February 24 - Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time	
9:00 AM	Eric Koonce	/Peggy Koonce
11:30 AM	Mary Grasso	/Barbara Scott

Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal and Prayers is Celebrated Ever Monday Night in our Church, 7 to 8pm. Adoration, 2pm to 4pm, is Celebrated Every First Friday.

Sunday	Feb 17	Jer 17:5-8 ~ Ps 1:4-6 ~ 1 Cor 15:12-20 Lk 6:17-26
Monday	Feb 18	Gn 4:1-25 ~ Ps 50:1-21 ~ Mk 8:11-13
Tuesday	Feb 19	Gn 6:5-8—7:1-10 ~ Ps 29:1a-10 ~ Mk 8:14-21
Wednesday	Feb 20	Gn 8:6-22 ~ Ps 116:12-19 ~ Mk 8:22-26
Thursday	Feb 21	Gn 9:1-13 ~ Ps 102:16-29 ~ Mk 8:27-33
Friday	Feb 22	1 Pt 5:1-4 ~ Ps 23:1-6 ~ Mt 16:13-19
Saturday	Feb 23	Heb 11:1-7 ~ Ps 145:2-11 ~ Mk 9:2-13
Sunday	Feb 24	1 Sm 26:2-23 ~ Ps 103:1-13 ~ 1 Cor 15:45-49 Lk 6:27-38

The Sanctuary Candle

The Sanctuary Candle is burning continually as a sign of the continual real presence of Jesus Christ, Body, Blood, Soul, and Divinity under the appearance of the host kept in the tabernacle. The Candle is a sign that Jesus is truly present, looking at each person with Love, listening to their prayers, and giving them the grace needed to deal with the problems of life. Do you want the light of Christ to be with you while you pray for yourself and/or loved ones. If you would like to schedule the times you want to do this, please call the rectory. Donation is \$10.00 for one week. The Candle will be burning February 10th thru February 16th for Mary & Isadore Grasso requested by the family.



SHOPRITE GIFT CARDS

Cards can also be purchased by credit card from Kiosks in Church or Annex and also from website at anunciacionrcc.com. (Click on Donate, Online, Store, and select Denominations.) Please make your purchase one-hour prior to Masses so selected cards can be reserved for your pick-up at conclusion of each Mass.

If you wish to purchase ShopRite Cards at any other time than when they are on sale, please call Terry at 479-4340 to arrange for pickup and delivery.

FOOD DRIVE

The February Food Drive will be February 23rd & 24th. For your convenience receptacles/boxes are available year-round in the annex to accept your donations. Please place donations in the Annex.

MIRACULOUS MEDAL NOVENA

Please join us in our Novena to 'Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal' every Monday evening, 7pm -8pm with Fr. Bert presiding. Are you in need of special prayers, or perhaps your loved ones, for friends who are sick, needs of employment, having surgery, healings of addictions of any kind, praying for the return of our loved ones to come back to the Church and the Sacraments, or whatever prayers needed for any situation or problems then, please come and join us as we will pray together as a family, our beautiful Miraculous Medal Novena.

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WEEKEND COLLECTIONS

12/16/18: Weekly \$2166; Flowers \$444
12/23/18: Weekly \$2941
12/30/18: Weekly \$2458
12/30/18 (Christmas \$7280)
1/6/19: Weekly \$2555
1/13/19: Weekly \$2757; Together
In Charity \$500
1/20/19: Weekly \$2203, Cath Ed. \$262
1/27/19: Weekly \$2442
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**PRAYER CHAIN**

Barbara Studley, Ryan Huda, Gary Gravina, Thomas Curran, Julie Segreaves, Elizabeth Basler, Kirsten Russo, Fred Mollard, Rhianon Zuhone, Michael Horowitz DDS, Maryann Ricci, Missy Sinise, Wendy Keim (deceased), Bob Keim, Richard Warnkin Amanda Lamb, Isabelle Zvolanek, (deceased) Joseph Perotti, Ellanora Emrick (deceased), Joel Rivera, Joe Zinkann, Bill Kast (deceased), Steven Losapio (deceased), Aldo Tassinari, Mike Sciotto, Nancy Fucci, Karen Wisnosky, Nancy Mortensen, Frances Carianka, Siegfried Netzer, Mary Lea Kast, Walter Matuch, Bob & Ginny DeWire, Anthony Mosca (deceased), Agnes Mosca, DaKota Miller, Karen Rodrigo, Bob Jones, Collin Perrone, Wes Roll, Charles & Linda Price, Allan Kukoski, David Leary (deceased), Barbara Moschak (deceased), Garrett Lombardi (deceased), Sean Cullen, Richard Giglio, Linda Callahan, John A. Ciotola, Debbie Davis (deceased), James Pavlis, Laura Wolf, Joseph A. Cinotti (deceased), Andrea Bishop, David Sinise, Jr., Dana McCarthy.

To activate the prayer chain quickly, notify one of the following:

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| <b>Team 1</b><br>Chuck & Joyce Mahon<br>908-735-4316<br>Cell (text) 908-432-3930 | <b>Team 2</b><br>Joe & Mary Zinkann<br>908-730-8658<br>Cell (text) 908-500-0426 |
| <b>Team 3</b><br>Jeanie Franzo<br>908-479-4284<br>Cell (text) 908-268-1886       |                                                                                 |

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Events

**Lighting Hearts on Fire
Diocesan Marian Consecration
Preparation Year**

Year of 2019: The Plan is to Consecrate the Diocese Of Metuchen to Our Lady of Guadalupe in 2019. There will be a yearlong preparation process. Our Lady of Guadalupe is the Patroness of the Americas and was also given the title, The Star of the New Evangelization, by Saint John Paul II. The purpose of this Consecration is to invoke her aid for our diocese so that we can be spiritually renewed and equipped to live out our call to evangelize more faithfully.

February 18 Presidents Day
February 20 Parish Pastoral Council Meeting, 7:00pm
February 23/24 Food Drive
April 1 Parish Penance Service, 7:00pm

February is the month of Collections for our Parish Newspaper, the Catholic Spirit. Please check your box of envelopes for this Collection Notice.



**The Sermon on the Mount
Matthew 5:3-12**

When he saw the crowds, he went up the mountain, and after he had sat down, his disciples came to him. He began to teach them saying:

Blessed are the poor in spirit,
For theirs is the kingdom of heaven.
Blessed are those who mourn,
For they will be comforted.
Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the land.
Blessed are they who hunger and thirst for righteousness,
For they will be satisfied.
Blessed are the merciful, for they will be shown mercy.
Blessed are the clean of heart,
For they will see God.
Blessed are the peacemakers,
For they will be called children of God.
Blessed are they who will be persecuted for the sake of righteousness, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.
Blessed are you when they insult you
And persecute you and utter every kind of evil against you (falsely) because of me. Rejoice and be glad, for your reward will be great in heaven.

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**Weekly Donation Envelopes**

If you want a copy of your statement for the IRS, please call the office.

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**Time to Sign Up
St. Patrick's Dinner Dance**

Saturday, March 9, 2019
6:00 to 11:00 PM
Bloomsbury Firehouse
DJ: M&M Sight & Sound
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