

**FEBRUARY 4, 2018- THE FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**“The Church is holy, not just because ALL ARE WELCOME. The Church is holy because ALL BELONG!”**

(Timothy Matovina + Pope Francis)

**Liturgy for the Week**

**Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time (B)**

Jb 7: 1-4, 6-7; 1 Cor 9: 16-19, 22-23; Mk 1: 29-39

- Sat.** Feb. 03, 5:00pm + Don Soisson  
+ James Gazzaniga
- Sun.** Feb. 04, 7:30am + Yolanda Bolania  
9:30am + Irene Padewski  
+ Frank Hannon, Sr.  
11:00am **Intentions of Nadia & Hiran Joseph**  
+ Joseph Ippolito
- Mon.** Feb. 05, 9:00am Saint Agatha, Virgin & Martyr  
1 Kgs 8: 1-7, 9-13; Mk 6: 53-56  
**Intention Available**
- Tues.** Feb. 06, 9:00am Saint Paul Miki & Companions, Martyrs  
1 Kgs 8: 22-23, 27-30; Mk 7 1-13  
**Intention Available**
- Wed.** Feb. 07, 9:00am 1 Kgs 10: 1-10; Mk 7: 14-23  
+ Chester Sesko
- Thurs.** Feb. 08, 9:00am Saint Jerome Emiliani; Saint Josphine Bakhita, Virgin  
1 Kgs 11: 4-13; Mk 7: 24-30  
+ Paul Barker
- Fri.** Feb. 09, 9:00am 1 Kgs 11: 29-32, 12-19; Mk 7: 31-37  
+ Luke Gnanapragasam  
Joyce  
+ Russell Peck

**Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time (B)**

Lv 13: 1-2, 44-46; 1 Cor 10: 31—11: 1: Mk 1: 40-45

- Sat.** Feb. 10, 5:00pm + James Farley  
+ Michael McMahon
- Sun.** Feb. 11, 7:30am **Intention Available**  
9:30am + Christine Johnson  
+ Caroline Monfriedo  
11:00am + Rosario Catizone  
+ Gaspare Pappacena

**Mass Intentions**

Some Sunday and many weekday Masses are available. Please stop in or call the office at 973-895-4224.

**Rosary Group**

Rosary Group meets on Mondays in the Chapel at 7:00 p.m.

**Clergy Schedule –February 10 - 11, 2018**

5:00pm – Fr. John Tarantino; Deacon Roger Lacouture  
7:30am – Fr. George Dudak; Deacon Rich Reck (P)  
9:30am – Fr. John Tarantino; Deacon Rich Reck  
11:00am – Fr. John Tarantino

**Stewardship**

Contribution boxes are located at the entrances of the main Church for your donations to Resurrection Parish. Special baskets are located in these areas for required National collections.

**Weekly Collection – Jan. 27 – 28**      \$ 7,566.00

**Retired Fund for Religious**  
**2018**      \$ 6,442.00  
**2017**      \$ 5,543.50

**Fiscal Year 2017/2018**      \$299,899.04  
**Fiscal Year 2016/2017**      \$307,643.12

Like St. Paul in the second reading, the good steward can say, “I do all that I do for the sake of the gospel in the hope of having a share in its blessings.”

**Preparing for Lent**

Old palms may be brought to church and left in the box in the Narthex. These will be burned for ashes to prepare for Ash Wednesday, February 14<sup>th</sup>.

**Friday Lenten Soup Suppers**

Friday Lenten Soup Suppers need individuals to sign up to bring a pot of soup. Soups should be meatless as Fridays during Lent are days of Abstinence. Bread & beverages will be provided. There is a sign-up sheet on the ministry counter. Soup Suppers will be held in the Msgr. Rauscher Community Room at 6:30 p. m. on February 16 & 23, March 9, 16 & 23. Stations of the Cross will follow in the Church at 7:30 p. m. If you have any questions, please contact Joan Reck at [jreck04@aol.com](mailto:jreck04@aol.com) - Call or text at: 973-202-5667.

**Men’s Fellowship**

The next Men’s Fellowship meeting is this Wednesday, February 7<sup>th</sup> starting at 7:30 p. m. in the Resource Room. We will meet in an informal setting to discuss selections from James Campbell’s book “Every Man’s Journey”. All men of the parish are invited. If you have any questions or suggestions, please contact: Deacon Rich at: [rreck77@gmail.com](mailto:rreck77@gmail.com) or 973-714-2952.

**Women of Faith**

Women of Faith will meet in the Community Room on Thursday, February 8<sup>th</sup> after the 9:00 a. m. Mass. Please call Janet Meissner at 973-292-0347 with any questions.

## **CHILDREN'S MINISTRY**

### **Grades K-5**

Email: [Iscandariato@resurrectionparishnj.org](mailto:Iscandariato@resurrectionparishnj.org)

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**973-895-4224 - Ext. 104**

**Both GLORY and PRAISE meet 8:00-9:20am and attend 9:30am Mass with their families.**

**UPCOMING WORKSHOPS: Grades 1-5**

**Praise Group (Last Name A-K):**

2/4, 2/18, 3/4, 3/18, 4/15, \* 4/29, 5/13, 6/3

\*Last session Grade 2

**Glory Group (Last Name L-Z):**

2/11, 2/25, 3/11, 3/25, 4/22, \* 5/6, 5/20

\*Last session Grade 2

**Kindergarten:**

2/11, 3/11, 4/22, 5/20

**February Good Samaritan Donation Items:**

Grades 1, 2 & 3: canned fruit/juice

Grades 4 & 5: personal hygiene (shampoo, conditioner, deodorant, soap, toothpaste)

**Family Ash Wednesday Workshop, Wednesday,**

**February 14** - Start the Lenten season as a family and join us for family faith time downstairs in the Community Room after the 5:00pm service. We will enjoy a meal together, discuss the season of Lent, and participate in activities. Please RSVP with the number of people attending from your family by February 10.

**1<sup>st</sup> Reconciliation Celebrations:** Celebrations are held on Saturday in the parish chapel anytime between the hours of 3:00-4:00pm with Father Tarantino. Families are assigned a date by last name as follows: Last Name A-B on 2/17, C-D on 2/24, E-J on 3/4, K-M on 3/10, N-R on 3/17 and S-Z on 3/24.

Please bring your child's "Good Deeds" tree with you.

### **YES Ministry**

YES is hosting our next **Noteworthy Teens** workshop on Sunday 2/11/18 from 12-1pm in the Community Room. In addition to assistance with writing cards, teens will be available to answer any technology questions and help you with your laptops, phones, tablets and cameras.

### **DON'T WORRY – BE HAPPY New study on the Beatitudes**

Join us for our new dynamic Bible Study – *Kingdom of Happiness: Living the Beatitudes in Everyday Life*, a 9-part program that unveils Jesus' plan for our happiness. In a world where we constantly search for fleeting pleasures, it's time to turn to Scripture and the beauty of our faith to lead us to true happiness. In this program, you will renew your resolve to live the Beatitudes through video-profiles of real-life people living them in their daily lives. Discover how the Beatitudes connect to the Gifts of the Holy spirit, the petitions of the Lord's prayer and more. But wait...there's more! During Holy Week – Jean Mindingall will present the Beatitudes and the last words of Christ. **THERE IS NO REQUIRED HOMEWORK FOR THIS STUDY!** We meet Tuesdays at 9:30 am or 7 pm beginning February 20. Contact Shannon Civetta or see the Website for more information. 973-979-7864 - [srcivetta@gmail.com](mailto:srcivetta@gmail.com).

## **Parish Day of Reflection**

**Saturday, March 3<sup>rd</sup>**

**"Come to the Living Water."**

Back by popular demand, Michael Ruzicki, senior editor at Liturgy Training Publications will guide us through music, art, prayer, Scripture, and stories. We'll look at how we follow Christ and how we stumble along the way. By identifying the ways in which we thirst for more, we find the Living Water. Michael first joined us in November, 2015, and presented "Pope Francis' Vision of Parish — A Place of Hospitality, Listening and Communion." More information to follow...

### **40 Days For Life**

40 Days For Life begins Wednesday, February 14<sup>th</sup>. See flyer in the Narthex. You can register online at: <https://40daysforlife.com/local-ampaigns/morristown/>.

### **\*\*\*\*From Deacon Rich Reck\*\*\*\***

The men and women Veterans at Lyon's Hospital thank you for the wonderful items you provided throughout the past year. To continue providing some social interaction with Veterans who are hospitalized, in some instances permanently, at Lyon's Veteran Hospital, the local VFW Post 7333 co-hosts Bingo nights on the second Monday of each month. I will be taking donations of NEW socks, t-shirts, sweatshirts and sweatpants which are distributed as prizes to the patients. Sizes are more important than color. **Socks should be 10"-13" in size; and t-shirts/sweatshirts/sweatpants should be Men's size XL – XXXL or Women's size M-XL.** The next Bingo event will occur on 2/12/18. You can deposit your donations in the Samaritans' basket in the lower lobby.

### **Morris Catholic High School**

*Save the Date for "An Evening with Sisters" - Friday, February 23<sup>rd</sup> from 7 - 8:30 PM at Morris Catholic High School (200 Morris Avenue, Denville). This event is open to high school and college aged women to enjoy an evening of conversation, prayer, food and fun! To RSVP and for more details, please email Sister Bernadette McCauley on or before February 20<sup>th</sup> [sbernadette@sceast.org](mailto:sbernadette@sceast.org)*

### **A Message from Father John Andrew**

It is rather late but I want to acknowledge the beautiful poinsettia plant that I received from the parish before Christmas. I placed it on the altar of the chapel here and it is still thriving. I observe Christmas through February 2<sup>nd</sup>, the feast of the Presentation. I am told that this is a Polish tradition and someone mentioned that the crèche at St. Peter's stays until that day. The intentions of the people of Resurrection have been remembered at the Eucharist and in prayer there. The Christmas season was delightful with family and in the parishes where I serve. Life is full for me with parish work, ministry to the Christian Brothers and occasional retreat days with various groups. I have been so blessed by God and try to be grateful for all that I have received.

Blessings to all in this new year!

Gratefully,

Father John Andrew Connell, Pastor Emeritus

**SAMARITANS**  
**Tammy McConnell**  
**973-895-4224 - Ext. 109**

**tmcconnell@resurrectionparishnj.org**

This weekend we are participating in the "Souper Bowl of Caring", a national effort to combat hunger that came out of a simple prayer from a single youth group 26 years ago. . .

"Lord, even as we enjoy the Super Bowl football game, help us be mindful of those without a bowl of soup to eat." Check out [souperbowl.org](http://souperbowl.org) for additional information on this national drive. Parish youth will be collecting after each Mass to help combat hunger in our area. 100% of the funds collected will be split between the Faith Kitchen in Dover and the Interfaith Food Pantry in Morris Plains. Thank you for your generous participation!

February Request – This month, we are requesting **LOW SUGAR CEREAL (6 gr of sugar or less per serving) other than Cheerios** (plenty on-hand already) for Homeless Solutions. You can leave your donation in the Samaritans' Donation Basket in the lower lobby.

In His service,

Tammy McConnell

### **Samaritan \$crip**

Samaritan \$crip is being sold this weekend. There are over 600 retailers to choose from (check out [www.shopwithscrip.com](http://www.shopwithscrip.com) for the current list). We now have \$100 & \$25 Shop Rite and \$100 & \$25 Acme, along with Dunkin Donuts and Panera in inventory. As always, hard copy order forms will be available at the table.

You may now enroll directly with the \$crip provider as a Resurrection member, via [www.shopwithscrip.com](http://www.shopwithscrip.com) which allows you to order online at your convenience. Stop by the table or email Tom Roche (see below) to obtain Resurrection's enrollment code. If you want the convenience of online ordering, please be sure to sign up for the Presto Pay option also, in order to pay for online orders via direct debit. Getting you set up for Presto Pay requires a day or two processing validation; but once that's done, you will be set moving forward. No more checkbooks needed coming to Mass! Your cards will be ready for pickup after Masses just as they are for those who use a paper order form. Please stop by our table in the Narthex to learn more about Resurrection's Samaritan \$crip program and the various ways to participate. **It's a way to give back while making your regular weekly, monthly, or seasonal purchases.** Questions about the program can be directed to Tom Roche ([tomjroche@verizon.net](mailto:tomjroche@verizon.net)). Thank you for your continued participation & support!

### **Employment Opportunity**

**The Sisters of Christian Charity in Mendham, NJ** are looking for qualified candidates for the positions of CNA's and HHA's for the care of Sisters in their new Motherhouse. All shifts available. For more information, please contact Lori Vernachio, administrator at 973-543-6528 ext. 268 or email [administrator@scceast.org](mailto:administrator@scceast.org).

**PASTORAL CARE**  
**973-895-4224 – Ext. 106**  
**cnovak@resurrectionparishnj.org**

### **MINISTRY TO THE SICK AND HOMEBOUND**

The Lord heals the broken hearted. He healed the sick in body, mind and spirit. He preached to the multitudes and often said "Your faith has saved you." How often do our sicknesses cause us to turn from our faith? When we have faith in God, we rely on Him to be with us through everything that happens in our lives. It was God's choice to give us life. It is our choice to accept this gift with God in the center of our being. Our journey back to Him is the gift of eternity.

**The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick** is available to all our homebound parishioners and their family members. Please call the Pastoral Care phone number above to schedule a visit. This time of preparation for the coming of the Savior of the world lends itself to the gift of this Sacrament.

### **MINISTRY TO THE BEREAVED**

Today's first Reading from the Book of Job can be a point of reference for us and how we feel in our grief. But we can't stop reading there. For what we read next, from St. Paul's First Letter to the Corinthians and the Gospel of Mark is the work of Jesus the Savior who goes about bringing the Good News of Salvation to all who are in the throws of misery. Jesus is the One we look to, go to, listen to and follow! He covers our pain and grief with His Love. His promise of Eternal Life is true.

Our Bereavement Support Group meets next Sunday, February 11<sup>th</sup> at 12:30 p. m., in the Resource Room. Valentine's Day may be difficult this year. We will focus on all the feelings attached to this day.

God Bless.

Cindy Novak

### **Please Pray for the Sick**

Dolores Hallock, Nancy O'Neal, Reverend Thomas G. Rainforth, Cathy Ehrenfeldt, Marcelo Patino, Karen Marshall, Frank Yost, Ruth Dunscombe, Joseph Patscher, Chris Paladino, Patrick Ford, Constance Livecchi, Margaret Morse, Emily Suchenski, Msgr. John J. Demkovich, Joan Kisatsky, Lincoln DeNero, Alison Fordice, Florence Holmes, Mary Barry, Bob Phillips, Olga Papetti, Kevin Murphy, Caitlin Licare, Betsy Weingaertner, Alice Kraska, Erica Crane, Gene Crescentini, Msgr. Martin Rauscher, Martine Errico, Renato Florendo, Kevin Raquet, Joseph Mallia, Frank Tomaino, Craig Brandegeee, Jasmine Kole, Tony Lonero, Msgr. Leo P. Carey, Scott Parente, Margaret Lawton, Joey Bulgur, Carmella DiMartino, Francisco Lim, Scott Whitney, Helen Gilligan, Hilarion Uy, Juanita Springs, Charlie Ann Reizko, Deborah Penkalski, Patricia Mongiello, Michael Reilly, Charles Buschmann, Anthony David, Edward Paone, Louis A. Morales, Ed Moore, Eileen Phelan, Doris Dolan, Tammy Dolan, Salvatore Buttaci, Sharon Buttaci, Juliana Donnelly & Dorothy Goerke.

**Please call the Parish Office at 973-895-4224 to add or remove someone.**

**40<sup>th</sup> ANNIVERSARY YEAR OF MINISTRY**



**Men's Fellowship Group**

**Mission Statement:**

***Grow in Faith:***

- Give men an opportunity to share in a relaxing atmosphere, learn about their faith and grow through spiritual bonding with other men

***Build Community:***

- Participate in parish gatherings that promote Christian community for men, their families, and the broader parish

***Give of Ourselves Through Service:***

- Give of our time and talents to assist in the needs of our parish family and community at large

Our casual gatherings begin and conclude with prayer and provide men an opportunity to discuss current events or topics as they apply to our faith.

The group typically meets twice a month on a Wednesday. Next meeting is February 7<sup>th</sup>.

**We look forward to you becoming a Men's Fellowship member.**

**Contact: Deacon Rich Reck: [rreck77@gmail.com](mailto:rreck77@gmail.com) or 973-328-9189**

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**Ushers**

Joining the Resurrection Ushers team is a really good way to get involved in parish ministry.

**Why do we need you?**

We need your warm smile and greeting to welcome both our regular parishioners and new visitors to mass. We need your hands to find people seats, and hand out Resurrection Parish material like bulletins, prayer books and leaflets that all of us can use to get involved in parish activities or deepen our faith. We need your stewardship to assist those who have special needs, assign families to present our gifts of bread and wine at mass, and to help neaten up the pews after each mass.

**What is your commitment?**

Most of our ushers serve 4 weekends every other month at the mass they sign up for. We also have alternates who can fill in for regular members who have to travel, or have other events, etc.

**Please give us a helping Smile!**

Remember, your smile and your words might be the ones that someone really needs to feel a sense of belonging to our family, or to gain courage in the midst of the trials they face in their daily lives. Won't you come share your smile with us?

**Contact: Loren Holihan: [holinet@live.com](mailto:holinet@live.com) or 973-442-2967**