

FEBRUARY 12, 2017 – THE SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (A)

“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**

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

Sir 15:15-20; Cor 2:6-10; Mt 5:17-37

**Sat.** Feb. 11, 5:00pm + Genevieve Capalongo  
+ Michael H. McCloskey

**Sun.** Feb. 12, 7:30am + John Rosandich  
9:30am + Gail Sesko  
+ Paige Penque

**9:30am Baptism at Mass**  
**Owen Samuel Pereira**

11:00am + Donna Prisco  
+ Holly Kensicki Lind

**Mon.** Feb. 13, 9:00am Gn 4:1-15, 25; Mk 8:11-13  
+ Janice Szoda  
+ Terry McGowan

**Tues.** Feb. 14, 9:00am Saints Cyril, Monk &  
Methodius, Bishop  
Gn 6:5-8; 7:1-5, 10; Mk 8:  
14-21  
+ Barbara Rainey  
+ Harold Fell

**Wed.** Feb. 15, 9:00am Gn 8:6-13, 20-22; Mk 8:22-26  
+ Dorothy Helen Reading

**Thurs.** Feb. 16, 9:00am Gn 9:1-13; Mk 8:27-33  
+ Casimir Duchnowski

**Fri.** Feb. 17, 9:00am The Seven Holy Founders of  
The Servigte Order  
Gn 11:1-9; Mk 8:34—9:1  
+ Brian Briggs  
+ Maria Carazo Rodriguez

**Sat.** Feb. 18, 11:30am **Baptisms**  
**Quinna Lee Ponsoll**  
**Cade William Morris**

**Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time (A)**

Lv 19:1-2, 17-18; 1 Cor 3:16-23; Mt 5:38-48

**Sat.** Feb. 18, 5:00pm + Robert Riker  
+ Louis Piccirillo

**Sun.** Feb. 19, 7:30am + Casimir & Theresa  
Duchnowski  
9:30am + Gail Sesko  
+ Ian Perna  
11:00am + Ann Caprio  
+ Kay Lamanna

**Clergy Schedule – February 18-19**

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; Deacon Ray Latour

**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.

<b>Weekly Collection - Feb. 4-5</b>	<b>\$9,763.00</b>
<b>Fiscal Year 2016/2017</b>	<b>\$319,704.89</b>
<b>Fiscal Year 2015/2016</b>	<b>\$305,096.04</b>

***Next weekend there is a second collection to support the Church in Central and Eastern Europe.***

Stewardship involves more than just the gift we bring to the altar. Today's readings say clearly that it is fidelity to God's law that makes our offering acceptable.

**Mass Intentions**

Some Sunday and many week day Masses are available. Please stop in or call the office.

**Thanks to All**

A Parish thank you to the Social Committee for last Sunday's pancake breakfast!  
Special thanks to "Caring Group" leaders Judy and Brian Geschwindt and their 10<sup>th</sup> grade Confirmation Candidates for the "Souper Bowl of Caring" project last weekend. (\$1,718.00 will be split between "Faith Kitchen" in Dover and the "Interfaith Food Pantry" in Morris Plains.

**Preparing For Lent**

**Friday, "Lenten Stations of the Cross" will be prayed as follows:**

7:30pm – **March 3** – led by "Men's Fellowship" group.  
7:30pm – **March 10** – "Lenten Sketches" – presented by the "Music Ministry".  
9:30am – **March 17** – led by Fr. Tarantino after the 9am Mass. (There will **not** be "Stations" in the evening as it is St. Patrick's Day.)  
7:30pm – **March 24** – led by the "Rosary Prayer" group.  
7:30pm – **March 31** – led by the "Holy Land Pilgrimage" group.

**(Friday, April 7<sup>th</sup>, is available for a parish group to lead "Stations".)**

7:30pm – **April 14** - Good Friday "Living Stations" - presented by the "Youth Ministry".

## CHILDREN'S MINISTRY - Grades K-5

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[Scivetta@resurrectionparishnj.org](mailto:Scivetta@resurrectionparishnj.org)  
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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):**

2/12, 2/26, 3/12, 3/26, 4/23, 5/7, 6/4

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

2/19, 3/5, 3/19, 4/2, 4/30, 5/21

**Kindergarten:** 3/19, 4/23, 5/21

**February Good Samaritan Donation Items:**

Grade 1: canned juice/fruit      Grade 4: toothpaste  
Grade 2: shampoo/conditioner      Grade 5: bar soap  
Grade 3: deodorant

**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: A-Cis on 3/4, CI-F on 3/11, G-H on 3/18, I-M on 3/25, N-Z on 4/1 and R-Z on 4/8. Please bring your child's "Good Deeds" tree with you.

**Family Ash Wednesday Workshop, Wednesday,**

**March 1:** 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 by 2/20 to Lorraine Scandariato at [Lscandariato@resurrectionparishnj.org](mailto:Lscandariato@resurrectionparishnj.org) with the number of people attending from your family.

## MIDDLE SCHOOL MINISTRY

Linda Magistro

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The remaining Religious Formation classes are:

**Class time will be the same for both GLORY & PRAISE: Sunday mornings from 10:30am-12 noon, after attending the 9:30am Mass.**

**GLORY** – students in grades 6, 7, 8:

**Last Names A-K:** 2/19, 3/5, 3/19, 4/2, 4/30 & 5/21

**PRAISE** – students in grades 6, 7, 8:

**Last Names L-Z:** 2/12, 2/26, 3/12, 3/26, 4/23, 5/7 & 6/4

## **Sunday Sisters in Faith**

**Sunday Sisters in Faith:** All women are invited to be nourished through faith learning and sharing, friendship, food and fun. Meeting are: 7pm-9pm on 2/12, 2/26, 3/12, 3/26, 4/23, 5/7, and 5/21.

## **Women of Faith**

Women of Faith will meet on Thursday, February 16<sup>th</sup> after the 9am Mass. All women of the parish are welcome. If you have any questions, please contact Janet Meissner at 973-292-0347.

## **Women's Cornerstone Retreat**

There is an opportunity for **women** to attend a "Cornerstone Retreat" being held for area women at St. Matthew Parish on Fri./Sat., March 10-11. Flyers are on the round table in the Narthex.

## YOUTH MINISTRY

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973-895-4224 - Ext. 107

Parish website: [www.resurrectionparishnj.org](http://www.resurrectionparishnj.org)

Please pray for all those who are on the **SEARCH weekend, they are:** Charlie Aulenbach, Joey Aulenbach, Jack Cortez, Nick Rosenbergen, Tom Palazzo, Kendall Smith, Kyle Forsbrey, Jacob Dino, Michael Green, Kelsey Nason, Lisa Scola, Savanna Templeton, Matt DeFante, Josh Fitzgerald, Kevin Irving, Isabel Litterest, Megan McArdle, Sam Osetec, Jessica Tensfeldt, Matt Tumminello, Isabell Vega, Meghan McNulty, Alex Marchesi, Rich Reck, Nancy Neary, Rich Murphy, Fr. Marc Mancini, Anne Colucci, Dana Colucci, Kim Healy, Steve Healy, Theresa McDonald, John Smallwood, Mary Ann Smallwood, Alex Fernandes, Andrew Flynn, Samira Galda, Nick Jung, Ryan Mulligan, Cailyn Coakley, Susan Miller, James Morley, Mackenzie Shelley, Natalie Shulkowski, Jess Spitzer, Elizabeth Vespucci, Kathleen Walsh, Hunter Coe, Veronica DeGloria, Amie Freire, Rachel Lessig, Daniel Liew, Luis Rodriguez, Jenna Shirkey, Mikayla Wood.

## **Men's Fellowship**

Attention Men! The Men's Fellowship, at Resurrection Parish, invites all men of the parish to our bi-monthly meetings on the first and third Wednesday of each month, starting at 7:30pm, in the Resource Room. The next meeting is February 15<sup>th</sup> when Bob Sesko will present an overview, including a slide show, of the Holy Land Tour experience he participated on this past January. If you would like more information about Men's Fellowship please contact Deacon Rich Reck via email at [rrreck77@gmail.com](mailto:rrreck77@gmail.com) or by phone at 973-715-2952.

## **NEW BIBLE STUDY ONLINE OR AT THE PARISH**

### **The Gospel of John**

Our new Lenten Bible study, *Follow Me: Meeting Jesus in the Gospel of John* Me invites you to experience the joy of a renewed friendship with Christ. You will learn what it takes to follow him and see only how God can satisfy the deepest desires of your heart. New online registration allows you to purchase study materials (\$22) as well as have the option to view the video lessons at home if our meeting times are not convenient or you miss a session. In person meetings are Tuesdays at 9:30 AM or 7:00 PM from February 28 – April 25. See registration form in the bulletin or on the parish website. Contact Shannon Civetta for more information about the study or online possibilities. - 973-979-7864 or [srcivetta@gmail.com](mailto:srcivetta@gmail.com).

## **Day of Reflection at Resurrection Parish**

**Journey with Christ Through Lent "Forgiveness, Grace, and Love. March 4, 2017.** Guest Speaker Fr. Jude Salus, O.S.B. **Check-in 8:00am - RSVP Feb. 27 - \$20 per person.** Continental breakfast and light refreshments provided 8:00 – 8:45. **Fr. Jude's program is from 9:00am to 12Noon.** Check payable to Resurrection Parish. You can drop it off in the registration boxes in the church's Narthex and lower lobby or you can mail to: Resurrection Parish, c/o Day of Reflection, 651 Millbrook Ave, Randolph, NJ 07869. For questions, contact Lorraine Scandariato at: [Lscandariato@resurrectionparishnj.org](mailto:Lscandariato@resurrectionparishnj.org) or 973-895-4224 ext. 104.

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

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See below for a letter of appreciation from New Jersey AIDS Services for the Christmas Giving Tree gifts for Eric Johnson House residents:

*Dear Friends,*

*On behalf of New Jersey AIDS Services, I would like to thank you for your donation of Christmas gifts for our residents. For the past 22 years, people like you have believed in the work we do and helped so many individuals overcome hardships and lead productive lives. Your gifts enable us to continue providing supportive services, housing opportunities, prevention strategies and community education in New Jersey.*

*As we move forward in helping men and women living with HIV/AIDS reestablish their independence within the community, know that your contribution truly makes a difference. Our clients work hard and show courage in facing the many challenges of their lives. Thank you for helping to make new opportunities possible.*

*Sincerely, Laurie Litt, MSA, LCSW  
Chief Executive Officer*

**February Requests** – This month, we are requesting **Boxes of Cereal and Instant Oatmeal Packets** for Homeless Solutions. You can leave your donation in the Samaritans' Donation Basket in the lower lobby. In His service, Tammy McConnell

### **Samaritan \$scrip**

Please participate in "Samaritan \$scrip". \$100.00 of food shopping per week (Acme, Shop Rite, Stop & Shop, Whole Foods) for 50 weeks @ 4% return to the Parish is a \$200.00 "donation" per household. 100 households participating would be \$20,000.00 per year to fund "Samaritan's Ministry" and other needed parish projects. (Gift cards are available for many other stores.) This can even be done "electronically":

\$scrip "Prestopay" Convenience Features:

- \*Order Online 24/7
- \*Print Coupons at Home
- \*Reload Card Balances from a Smartphone
- \*Direct Debit – Leave Checkbook Home

Visit GLS Center at [www.glscrip.com](http://www.glscrip.com) to enroll (Resurrection Parish Code: A62D79C72513). Learn more about Samaritan \$scrip on the Resurrection Parish website. Direct additional questions to Tom Roche ([tomjroche@verizon.net](mailto:tomjroche@verizon.net)) **It's stewardship made simple!** Extra forms are available at both main exits.

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

Providing some social interaction with Veterans (who are hospitalized 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, and sweat shirts which are distributed as prizes to the patients. Sizes are more important than color. Socks should be 10-13 in size; and t-shirts/sweat shirts should be XL – XXXL. You can deposit sock and shirt donations in the Samaritans' basket in the lower lobby. Thank you for your support.

### **PASTORAL CARE**

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

We were born with the knowledge of good and evil. We were also given free will and intellect to discern between them and decide for ourselves which way to follow. God gave us life. How we live it is our gift to God. No matter where we are in life, opportunities to share our faith are all around. The Spirit of God is our guide and our guard, who shows us the way in all circumstances of our life.

Fr. Tarantino is available to visit the sick and administer the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick which gives strength to face what each day brings, or is the Sacrament for those who are being called Home to the Father. Call the Pastoral Care Office above or the Main Office to set up an appointment for a visit.

### **MINISTRY TO THE BEREAVED**

"Eye has not seen, ear has not heard what God has ready for those who love Him." Spirit of love, come, give us the mind of Jesus. Teach us the wisdom of God. " From St. Paul's First Letter to the Corinthians, and a familiar hymn we sing, it is a powerful message for we who are grieving, to know there is so much more waiting for us that our loved ones are already experiencing! Though we are bereft of our loved ones here with us, it is for us to carry on, and as Fr. George says, "Put God first and do all the good that you can, every day, while you are here."

Our next Bereavement Support Group meeting will be Sunday, February 12, 2017 at 12:30pm in the Resource Room. This is a safe and confidential environment in which to share your grief. All are welcome because all belong.

Peace be with you.

Cindy Novak

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

Deacon Ken Weaver, Carmella DiMartino, Marilyn Reilly, Francisco Lim, Edward "Eddie" Nolan, Scott Whitney, Helen Gilligan, Hilarion Uy, Ed Stevens, Juanita Springs, Charlie Ann Reizko, Deborah Penkalski, Kathie Cirelli, Cathy Cristadoro, Patricia Mongiello, Victoria Salguero, Craig Brandege, Michael Reilly, Charles Buschmann, Anthony David, Edward Paone, Louis A. Morales, Ed Moore, Eileen Phelan, Joyce Alexander Luck, Doris Dolan, Tammy Dolan, Kelly Medley, Fred Lucia, Salvatore Buttaci, Sharon Buttaci, Jay Paul Tinio, Walter Sella, Claudia Coronado, Domenick Bellia, Theresa Hrenko, Dorothy Goerke, Juliana Donnelly, Mildred Kazaba, and Edward Esso. **Call the Parish Office to add or remove someone from this list.**

### **Rosary Group**

Rosary Group meets on Mondays in the Chapel at 7pm. All are welcome!

### **Save the Dates.....**

**Youth Group Spaghetti Dinner on Saturday, February 25<sup>th</sup> after the 5pm Mass.**

**The Social Committee is celebrating St. Patrick's Day on Saturday, March 11<sup>th</sup> after the 5pm Mass.**