

FEBRUARY 21, 2016 – SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT (C)

“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**

**SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT (C)**

Gn 15:5-12, 17-18; Phil 3:17-4:1; Lk 9:28b-36

- Sat.** Feb. 20, 5:00pm + Anna Stadler  
+ Shirley Weber
- Sun.** Feb. 21, 7:30am *Intentions of Robert Gallo*  
+ Genowefa Matlosz  
9:30am + Marcello Civetta  
+ Maria Penna  
11:00am + Tom Oddo  
+ Kathy Latour
- Mon.** Feb. 22, 9:00am The Chair of Saint Peter the  
Apostle  
1 Pts 5:1-4; Mt 16:13-19  
+ Adelaide Lopez  
+ Nicholas Pizzola
- Tues.** Feb. 23, 9:00am Saint Polycarp, Bishop &  
Martyr  
Is 1:10, 16-20; Mt 23:1-12  
+ Alice & Nishan Voskian  
+ John Pavlik
- Wed.** Feb. 24, 9:00am Jer 18:18-20; Mt 20:17-28  
+ Kevin John Parisi  
+ Edward Strasser
- Thur.** Feb. 25, 9:00am Jer 17:5-10; Lk 16:19-33  
+ Art Plantamura  
*Intentions of Wynn Johanson*
- Fri.** Feb. 26, 9:00am *Intentions of Al Beatrice*  
+ Margaret Ceres
- Sat.** Feb. 27, 3:00pm-4:30pm - Individual  
Reconciliation during Lent

**THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT (C)**

Ex 3:1-8a, 13-15; 1 Cor 10:1-6, 10-12; Lk 13:1-9

- Sat.** Feb. 27, 5:00pm + Dominick Mesce  
+ Francis J. Handy, Jr.
- Sun.** Feb. 28, 7:30am + Ireneo Elambre  
+ Ngoc Tran  
9:30am + Nicholas Pizzolla  
+ Frank Figurelli  
11:00am + Tom Oddo  
+ Charlotte Richard

**Women of Faith** - The next meeting of the Women of Faith will be on Thursday, February 25<sup>th</sup> after the 9am Mass. Meetings are in the Community Room. All women of the parish are welcome. If you have any questions, please contact Janet Meissner at 973-292-0347.

**Clergy Schedule – February 27-28, 2016**

- 5:00pm - Fr. John Tarantino  
7:30am - Fr. George Dudak; Deacon Roger Lacouture  
9:30am - Fr. John Tarantino  
11:00am - Fr. John Tarantino

**Tabernacle Candle**

The Presence Candle at the Tabernacle in the Holy Family Chapel is lighted from now through Palm Sunday for the intentions of Rosie Inchiappa.

**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 – February 13/14</b>	<b>----- \$9,647.00</b>
<b>Ash Wednesday – 2016</b>	<b>----- \$1,234.00</b>
<b>Ash Wednesday – 2015</b>	<b>----- \$1,385.00</b>
<b>Fiscal Year 2015/2016</b>	<b>----- \$321,122.68</b>
<b>Fiscal Year 2014/2015</b>	<b>----- \$309,668.94</b>

There is a special collection this weekend to support the Church in Central and Eastern Europe. Baskets are located near the collection boxes.

Peter, James and John wanted to build a “booth” for Jesus and just stay on the mountain where His transfiguration took place. But the Son of God, the Chosen One, knew that He must instead keep moving toward His Crucifixion. We, too, must rise from worship and do what we can to hasten the coming of the Kingdom.

**Lenten Regulations**

**Good Friday is a day of Fast and Abstinence. The Fridays of Lent are Days of Abstinence.** From the age of 14, all are obliged to abstain. The law of abstinence forbids eating meat, but not eggs, milk products, or condiments of any kind even though made from animal fat.

**Celebrating Lent**

**Reconciliation – Saturdays in Lent** – 3:00pm-4:30pm. Personal appointments can be made by contacting the church.

**Rice Bowls** – are available at bulletin locations. All donations go to “Catholic Relief Services” for the poor.

**Little Black Books** – Black Books for Adults – Six minute daily meditations are available at bulletin locations.

**Soup Supper** – February 26<sup>th</sup> – 6:30pm

**Stations of the Cross** – February 26<sup>th</sup> – 7:30pm

**Parish Lenten Penance Service:** Monday, March 14<sup>th</sup> at 7:30pm.

## CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

### Grades K-5

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Both **GLORY** and **PRAISE** meet 8:15-9:20am and attend 9:30am Mass with their families.

### UPCOMING WORKSHOPS: Grades 1 - 5

**Praise Group (Last Name A-K):** February 28, March 13, April 17, May 1, May 22, June 12.

**Glory Group (Last Name L-Z):** March 6, March 20, April 24, May 15, June 5.

**Kindergarten:** Meets on Sundays from 9:30-10:30am in the Resource Room (lower lobby) on the following dates: March 13, April 17 and May 15.

### February Good Samaritan Donation Items:

Grade 1: canned fruit/juice

Grade 2: shampoo/conditioner

Grade 3: bar soap

Grade 4: deodorant

Grade 5: toothpaste

### Family Stations of the Cross and Lenten Dinner March 4<sup>th</sup>.

We start at 6:30pm for dinner in the Community Room followed by Stations of the Cross at 7:30pm in the church. Join us for fellowship and worship as we walk the last day of Jesus' life on earth through readings and reenactment. Please RSVP to the Children's Ministry office how many will attend from your family by February 29.

## MIDDLE SCHOOL MINISTRY

**Linda Magistro - 973-895-4224 – Ext. 110**

[lmagistro@resurrectionparishnj.org](mailto:lmagistro@resurrectionparishnj.org)

Class times are Sunday mornings from 10:30-12 noon.

**GLORY** - Grades 6, 7, 8 - last names A-K: 2/21, 3/6, 3/20, 4/24, 5/15.

**PRAISE** - Grades 6, 7, 8 - last names L-Z: 2/28, 3/13, 4/17, 5/1, 5/22.

## YOUTH MINISTRY

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

**Juniors & Seniors:** Sign up for the SEARCH Retreat. Our next one is April 1-3.

**Freshmen & Sophomores:** The last Seek Retreat for this school year will be May 6-7.

Applications for either retreat can be downloaded from the webpage or contact the Youth Ministry Office.

**St. Therese School, Succasunna, NJ**

**Open House**

**Thursday, February 25, 2016**

**5:00pm – 7:00pm**

Visit with:

- Faculty
- Staff
- Home & School Representatives
- Fundraising Chairpersons
- After School Club Representatives

## Holy Land Pilgrimage – January 2017

We are organizing a group of parishioners for a trip of a lifetime to the Holy Land. There will be an information meeting on Monday, March 28 from 7-9pm at the parish to go over the details and answer questions. Registration begins end of March, 2016. The cost per person is approximately \$4100 (from NY, NJ and PA) and includes airfare, 11 night accommodations, taxes and surcharges, daily breakfast and dinner. Our group will be accompanied by a priest and a qualified licensed English-speaking guide. A deposit of \$300 (\$150 non refundable) per person is required to make a reservation. We will walk where Jesus walked, taught and performed miracles as well as attend daily mass at holy sites. More information about the pilgrimage can be found at [www.jeffcavins.com/pilgrimages](http://www.jeffcavins.com/pilgrimages).

Your parish contacts are:

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Shannon Civetta [scivetta@resurrectionparishnj.org](mailto:scivetta@resurrectionparishnj.org).

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**40 DAYS FOR LIFE** is Prayer and Fasting, Peaceful Vigil, and Community Outreach. Take part with Morris County Right to Life at Planned Parenthood, 196 Speedwell Ave., Morristown, NJ – 8am to 8pm seven days a week from now through Palm Sunday, March 20<sup>th</sup>. Individuals or groups may participate. Bring signs to hold (except graphic type) or will supply as needed. Please register at:

<https://40daysforlife.com/local-campaigns/morristown/>.

or: [info@morriscountyrightrighttolife.org](mailto:info@morriscountyrightrighttolife.org) or call 973-933-2800.

### Sunday Sisters in Faith a New Women's Ministry Group

All women are invited to be nourished through faith learning and sharing, friendship, food and fun. We meet eight times February through June from 7-9pm at the parish on these dates: 2/28, 3/13, 3/20, 4/3, 4/24, 5/15, 5/22 and 6/5. If interested in signing up or for more information, contact Lorraine Scandariato at: [lscandariato@resurrectionparishnj.org](mailto:lscandariato@resurrectionparishnj.org). There is a sign-up sheet and flyer in the narthex.

### Rosary

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

### Save the Date

March 12<sup>th</sup> is the next "**Parish Day of Reflection**" - Details will be in the bulletin and on the website.

### Save the Date.....

#### Fish and Chips Dinner

The Social Committee will be hosting a Fish and Chips Dinner on Friday evening, March 11, 2016 from 5:30pm to 7:30pm. The fish and chips will be prepared by "Mr. Crabby's" as their introduction to the community. Tickets are on sale this weekend.

## SAMARITANS

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The Meals on Wheels program here in Randolph is in need of additional volunteers at this time. The program is coordinated as part of Morris County's Nutrition project, with volunteers from a number of different organizations in Randolph. Resurrection Parish helps provide volunteers, who deliver hot meals to homebound seniors and disabled residents. The commitment is for one Wednesday per month from 10am until 12:30pm. Please contact Tammy in the Samaritans' office if you are interested in obtaining further information.

See below for a message of appreciation from Catholic Charities in the Diocese of Paterson:

*Dear Friends of Catholic Family and Community Services,*

*Your overwhelming generosity to our CFCS 2015 "Christmas Sled Program" enabled Catholic Family and Community Services to distribute over 11,000 Christmas gifts. These heartwarming gifts were provided to the needy and vulnerable populations CFCS serves each day, including children, teens, vulnerable adults, veterans, and seniors. Our staff and volunteers are always overwhelmed by your generosity. We wish that you could see the faces of each one as they received gifts with joy and delight. The parents are especially excited to know their children will have a happy Christmas.*

*On behalf of our clients, staff and Board of Trustees, I gratefully acknowledge your generosity to CFCS and for making Christmas a happy memory for so many people served by Catholic Charities. We appreciate your continued support of Catholic Family & Community Services and its mission. May God continue to bless you in 2016!*

*Sincerely,*

*Diane Silbernagel, RN, MSN  
Executive Director*

**February Requests** – This month, we are requesting anti-bacterial hand soap and boxes of tissue 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 held 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.

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 ([tomiroche@verizon.net](mailto:tomiroche@verizon.net)). Thank you for your continued participation & support!

## PASTORAL CARE

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## MINISTRY TO THE SICK AND HOMEBOUND

"This is my Beloved Son. Listen to Him." This is not one of those readings that we can say we have heard hundreds of times and it has no impact on us. We know the story well but the end always startles us. God is unequivocally giving us the Key to the Kingdom and making sure we have heard the message. Whether we are out and about or confined to our place of residence, we can listen to God's voice and be transformed by the light of Christ within us.

Fr. Tarantino is available to bring the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick to those who are not able to get out to Mass. Please call the Pastoral Care number above, or the Parish Office, to make an appointment to be anointed or to schedule a weekly visit for Communion.

## MINISTRY TO THE BEREAVED

Today's Gospel teaches us to listen. The reality of God's voice within gives us hope in the promise of eternal life. We internalize that reality, fine tune our skills to follow Him, and in the process learn to call on our loved ones to be with us here to show us how to go on without their physical presence beside us. In our sadness, there is truth. If we listen, we will never be alone. Jesus teaches us the way through it all.

**Our Next Bereavement Support Group** meeting will be held on Sunday, March 13<sup>th</sup> at 12:30 pm in the Resource Room. This is a safe and confidential environment in which to share your grief. All are welcome. All belong. Peace be with you. Cindy Novak

**Please Pray for the Sick:** John Taylor, Rev. Charles Waller, Rev. Paul Krajewski, Edward Paone, Louis A. Morales, Ed Moore, John Keslo, Fr. Joe LaGatto, Bob Howard, Eileen Phelan, Dee Rincon, Msgr. Brendan P. Madden, Joyce Alexander Luck, Msgr. Leo Carey, Dave Castle, Doris Dolan, Tammy Dolan, Fr. Ron Sordillo, Kelly Medley, Diana Burke, James Ketcham, Florence Holmes, Fred Lucia, Salvatore Buttaci, Sharon Buttaci, Jay Paul Tinio, Eric Brodbeck, Walter Sella, Claudia Coronado, Louis Dryden, Domenick Bellia, Theresa Hrenko, Dorothy Goerke, Juliana Donnelly & Janice Gooding. **Please call the Parish Office to add or remove someone from this list.**

## **Chrism Mass**

Bishop Serratelli is inviting all of the faithful of the diocese to attend the **Chrism Mass** which will be celebrated on **Monday of Holy Week, March 21<sup>st</sup>** at Saint Philip the Apostle Parish, Clifton. The Procession begins from St. Philip's School auditorium at **6:45pm**. Please call the Parish Office if you are able to attend. Two volunteers are needed to be delegated to pick up the Holy Oils after the Chrism Mass.

## **Part-time Position**

The Sisters of Christian Charity, Mendham, are looking to hire a part-time person for the development office. Please contact Eileen Davis at 973-543-6528, Ext. 241 or [Bus.manager@scceast.org](mailto:Bus.manager@scceast.org).