

SEPTEMBER 4, 2016 – TWENTY-THIRD SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (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

TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (C)

Wis 9:13-18b; Phlm 9:10,12-17; Lk 14:25-33

- Sat.** Sept. 03, 5:00pm + Sharon Brown
+ Choa Kok Sui
- Sun.** Sept. 04 7:30am + Laurence M. Gabler
+ Choa Kok Sui
9:30am + Carmen Girolamo
+ Raymond J. O'Brien
11:00am + Michael Babyak Jr.
+ Rosalie Genco
- Mon.** Sept. 05, 9:00am St. Theresa of Calcutta, Religious
For the Blessing of Human Labor
1 Thess 4:1-2,9-12; Mt 6:31-34
+ Mary Burton
- Tues.** Sept. 06, 9:00am 1 Cor 6:1-11; Lk 6:12-19
+ Choa Kok Sui
+ William Roche
- Wed.** Sept. 07, 9:00am 1Cor 7:25-31; Lk 6:20-26
+ Frank Ceres
+ Choa Kok Sui
- Thurs.** Sept. 08, 9:00am Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Mt 5:1-4a; Mt 1:1-16,18-23
+ Josephine Posluszny
+ Choa Kok Sui
- Fri.** Sept.09, 9:00am St. Peter Claver
1 Cor 9-16,22b-27; Lk 6:39-42
+ Choa Kok Sui
+ Faithful Departed

TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (C)

Ex 32:7-11,13-14; 1Tm 1:12-17; Lk 15:1-10

- Sat.** Sept.10, 5:00pm + Sharon Brown
+ Mary Kammerer
- Sun.** Sept. 11, 7:30am *Intention of Glenn & Marilag
Mendoza*
+ Aileen Holman
9:30am + Mary Kammerer
+ Dick Aboia
11:00am + Luigi Catizone
+ Josephine & Frank Anello
12:30pm **Baptism**
Aubrey Leigh Bocchino

Clergy Schedule – September 10-11, 2016

- 5:00pm - Fr. John Tarantino
7:30am - Fr. George Dudak
9:30am – Fr. John Tarantino
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.

Weekly Collection – Aug. 27-28 2016 ----- \$ 7,919.00
Fiscal Year – 2016 ----- \$ 81,537.16
Fiscal Year – 2015 ----- \$ 78,316.10

Jesus tells the crowd that only those who renounce all of their possessions can be His disciples. Is He truly asking us to give up *everything*? Perhaps instead He is trying to help us see that everything we think we own is really a gift from God. Good stewards know that and strive to use those gifts accountably.

DIOCESAN ASSESSMENTS DRIVE

Pledge cards and return envelopes for this year's Assessments Drive were mailed this week. This year our parish's "Assessment" for running the Diocese of Paterson is \$69,948. The remainder of what is not collected from pledges comes from the ordinary income / collections of the parish.

Gum & Electronics - Hospitality Reminders

Proper use and care of the Parish property provides a welcoming and prayerful atmosphere for all who come to Resurrection.

Reminders: Gum is never to come into the building. It is now being found on the carpets and the tile floors.

Electronic devices are never to be used in the main worship space and chapel. The reminder before Mass to turn them off is to prevent the sounding of these, which interrupt prayer. All cell phones and personal devices are only to be used in the Narthex and hallways. Waiting for Mass to begin is a time of prayer once we have entered the worship space. Thank you.

LABOR DAY CLOSURE

The Parish Office will be closed Monday, September 5th for the Labor Day holiday. The building will be locked after the 9:00 am Mass.

Rosary

Rosary usually meets Mondays at 7pm in the Chapel. The Rosary Group will **not** meet this Monday evening, Labor Day.

RELIGIOUS FORMATION VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We are in need of catechists and catechist assistants for Grades 1-9 for the fall 2016-17 school year. Catechists are those who let the Word of God echo through their lives and teaching. They do more than simply “teach” religion; they share their faith and help young people learn how to apply and live their faith in their daily lives. Our Religious Formation program cannot succeed without the participation and dedication from volunteers like you. All lesson plans are provided. If you hear God’s call inviting you to this very special ministry, please contact us.

Lorraine Scandariato, Children’s Ministry (K-5)

Lscandariato@resurrectionparishnj.org

Grade 3 - 2 Assistants

Linda Magistro, Middle School Ministry (6-8)

Lmagistro@resurrectionparishnj.org

7th Grade - 2 Assistants

8th Grade - 2 Assistants

Dolores Hallock, Youth Ministry (9-12)

DHallock@resurrectionparishnj.org

9th Grade - 5 Catechist Caring Group Leaders

MIDDLE SCHOOL MINISTRY

Linda Magistro

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lmagistro@resurrectionparishnj.org

The 2016-2017 Religious Formation classes will begin in September. The schedule and format is listed below. Students will receive their books on the first day of class.

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

GLORY – students in grades 6, 7, 8 - **Last Names A-K:**
9/11, 9/25, 10/9, 10/23, 11/6, 11/20, 12/11, 1/8, 1/22,
2/5, 2/19, 3/5, 3/19. 4/2, 4/30 & 5/21

PRAISE – students in grades 6, 7, 8 **Last Names L-Z:**
9/18, 10/2, 10/16, 10/30, 11/13, 12/4, 12/18, 1/15, 1/29,
2/12, 2/26, 3/12, 3/26, 4/23, 5/7 & 6/4

The GLORY Parent Orientation will be held on Sunday, 9/25
10:30-11:00 am in the Community Room.

The PRAISE Parent Orientation will be held on Sunday, 10/2
10:30-11:00 am in the Community Room.

We welcome all volunteers in our program. If you are interested in participating as a volunteer, please contact the MSM office.

CHILDREN’S MINISTRY - Grades K-5

Email: Lscandariato@resurrectionparishnj.org

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**Both GLORY & PRAISE meet 8:05-9:20am & attend
9:30am Mass with their families.**

UPCOMING WORKSHOPS: Grades 1-5

Praise Group (Last Name A-K):

9/18, 10/2, 10/16, 10/30, 11/13, 12/4, 12/18, 1/15, 1/29,
2/12, 2/26, 3/12, 3/26, 4/23, 5/7, 6/4

Glory Group (Last Name L-Z):

9/11, 9/25, 10/9, 10/23, 11/6, 11/20, 12/11, 1/8, 1/22,
2/5, 2/19, 3/5, 3/19, 4/2, 4/30, 5/21

Kindergarten:

10/2, 11/6, 12/4, 1/8, 2/12, 3/19, 4/23, 5/21

Good Samaritan Donation Items:

Grades 1-2: 1 pound bag of rice

Grade 3-5: canned tuna fish

ASSISTANCE NEEDED

Disabled senior citizen needs 2 hours of help in the a.m.
– light housekeeping, personal care and food shopping.
Please call Judy at 973-361-5587 (Roxbury Twsp).

Holy Land Pilgrimage – January 2017

We are organizing a group of parishioners for a trip of a lifetime to the Holy Land. Cost per person is \$4100. Information about the pilgrimage can be found at: www.jeffcavins.com/pilgrimages. Your parish contacts are:

Lorraine Scandariato - 973-895-4224 – Ext. 104

Lscandariato@resurrectionparishnj.org,

Shannon Civetta - 973-895-4224 – Ext. 105

Scivetta@resurrectionparishnj.org.

The Diocesan Commission for Catholic Filipino Ministries

invites you to celebrate the Year of Mercy honoring Filipino Saints SAN LORENZO RUIZ DE MANILA & SAN PEDRO CALUNGSOD DE CEBU on Sat., Sept. 17 at St. Clare Church, 69 Allwood Rd, Clifton, NJ. Rosary & Novena – 12:30pm; 1pm Mass with Bishop Serratelli presiding. Fellowship follows immediately in the parish hall. For more information, contact Mila Burdeos at 973-333-3402. Filipiniana attire is encouraged.

“New Legacy Books” Bin

New Legacy Books accepts all books in good readable condition: Hardcover, Paperback & Textbooks. Also accepted are: DVDs, Video Games & CDs.

ITEMS NOT ACCEPTED: VHS, Encyclopedias, Magazines, or water damaged, moldy or unusable books.

Each month, the Samaritan Ministry of Resurrection receives a rebate on the items donated. The Book Bin is next to the Catholic Charities clothing bin in the church parking lot.

SAMARITANS
Tammy McConnell
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***** 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. The next Bingo event will occur on 9/12/16. You can deposit sock and shirt donations in the Samaritans' basket in the lower lobby.****

September Requests – We are collecting **towels and wash cloths** for Homeless Solutions this month. You can leave your donation in the Samaritans' basket in the lower lobby.

In His service, Tammy McConnell

SAMARITAN \$CRIP

Samaritan \$crip is being held next weekend. There are over 600 retailers to choose from (check out 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 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). Thank you for your continued participation & support!

Let Your Memories Live Again

It's time to write your MEMOIR. It's "Your Life's Legacy." Pass it on as your gift to your children, grandchildren, relatives and close friends.

You don't have to be a writer to do this! The four 1.5 hour sessions are hands-on with the individual coaching of Henry Holden (Resurrection's webmaster / author). We will meet Wednesday mornings at 10am or Wednesday evenings at 7pm. beginning Oct. 5. The cost is \$25 per session. You will begin writing your memoir in the first session. Email: henry39holden@gmail.com for eight reasons why you should sign up and write your memoir.

PASTORAL CARE - Cindy Novak
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MINISTRY TO THE SICK AND HOMEBOUND

The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick, different from the Last Rites, as you might have known them, is also available to the Homebound and those facing or recently had surgery. Please call the number above or the Parish office to schedule a visit from Fr. Tarantino.

******Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick******

The annual parish-wide celebration of the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick will be held at all Masses the weekend of October 8th and 9th.

Who may receive the Sacrament of Healing?

Individuals who are: Advanced in age; Suffering from a life-threatening illness or chronic disease; In preparation for surgery; Experiencing diseases of addiction & those with physical, psychological, emotional or spiritual difficulties. If a loved one is dying, the **Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick** is celebrated to give comfort and strength to the dying person. It is followed by Communion that becomes for them Viaticum which is food for the journey. The prayers of commendation of the dying to God are said for the spiritual comfort of the one who is dying.

MINISTRY TO THE BEREAVED

Saint Teresa of Calcutta believed that if we loved the Lord with everything we have, others with whom we come in contact will feel that love and radiance. This is how we can be Disciples of Christ. In bereavement, we find support in our grief journey and we learn that the myriad of feelings that come from grief are part of the process of coming to terms with our loss as we begin to heal. When Christ is at the center of our grief, the path we walk will turn our darkness into the light of life. Let us remember Teresa of Calcutta today as she is canonized a Saint of the Church.

Our next Bereavement Support Group meeting will be Sunday, September 11th at 12:30 PM in the Resource Room. There are many to pray for this special day and for the families left behind. We will have a special prayer for all of them. This is a safe and confidential environment in which to share your grief. Light refreshments will be available. All are welcome because all belong.

God Bless , Cindy Novak

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY

Prayer shawls are knitted or crocheted and are covered with individual prayer by the one who makes it & prayed over by the group that gathers at our monthly meeting. If you have a loved one in need of a shawl, or know someone who does, one will be provided by contacting Cindy Novak at 973-219-0919.

Please Pray for the Sick

Msgr. Patrick Brown, Kathie Cirelli, Cathy Cristadoro, Conner Hockedy, Patricia Mongiello, Paul Goudreau, Martha Novoa, Victoria Salguero, Craig Brandege, Michael Reilly, Annabelle Beck, Charles Buschmann, Anthony David, Ann Caprio, Edward Paone, Louis A. Morales, Ed Moore, Eileen Phelan, Joyce Alexander Luck, Dave Castle, Doris Dolan, Tammy Dolan, Amber Dolan, Kelly Medley, Diana Burke, James Ketcham, 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, Mildred Kazaba, Edward Esso, and Peter Farina. **Please call the Parish Office to add or remove someone from this list.**