

THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
NOVEMBER 10, 2013

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Holy Hour Friday, Nov. 15

Overnight 2nd Friday of each month

Next Overnight Adoration December 13

Holy Hour will take place on Fridays from 7:00pm to 8:00pm. Overnight Adoration, will take place on the 2nd Friday of the month, from 7:00pm until benediction just prior to the 9:00am Mass on Saturday. This new schedule increases the hours available to pray before our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament. Please consider a once a month commitment and sign up for a specific overnight hour on 2nd Friday of the month. Families, couples, parish ministries, teens and individuals are all invited. Graces and blessings await you.

SECOND COLLECTION NEXT WEEKEND

The Black & Indian Catholic Relief Services Collection

Your financial contribution helps to support Catholic communities on reservations, in rural areas and inner cities. Your donation funds evangelization programs to strengthen the faith, continue the legacy and share the mission with children and adults here in the United States.

ROSARY SOCIETY

Dramatic Presentation Story of Saint Monica,

Thursday, Nov. 14th

ALL Parishioners are invited to The Elizabeth Room On Thursday, Nov.14th at 10 am for a powerful presentation of St. Monica, the Mother of St. Augustine. St. Monica is the 'Model of Christian Mothers' and the Power of Persistent Prayer'. Walk with her on her journey, as she prayed for 17 years for the conversion of her son. This Spiritual Drama will be performed by professional Shakespearean actress Gina McKenna Smith. Please join us for this riveting dramatic performance. A free will offering will be taken. Refreshments will be served.

MAGNIFICAT FOR SALE

If you would like a Magnificat we have a few for sale each month at the Parish Center. The price is \$5 each. Stop in the Parish Center during normal business hours and pick one up.



GATHER THE CHILDREN

Family-Friendly Liturgies at 10:30am Mass

Family Masses will be held in the church at 10:30am on the first and third Sundays of each month. On the alternate Sundays, children in grades one through five will be invited to participate in the Gather the Children program. For the Gather program, the children should be seated with their families in the church at the beginning of Mass. They will be called forward to process to the Elizabeth Room. There, they will celebrate the Liturgy of the Word using a special lectionary adapted for children by the Church. They will return to the church during the collection. We hope that you enjoy the family liturgical schedule.

ATTENTION ALL VETERANS!

An Invitation from St. Elizabeth School

We invite all veterans to our Veterans Day Prayer Service on Monday, November 11, 1:15pm at St. Elizabeth's Church refreshments to follow. The children of St. Elizabeth School would like to honor our veterans for all their sacrifices.

VETERANS DAY PRAYER



Lord hold our troops in your loving hands, protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they perform and bring them safely home. Our country is proud and grateful for what our veterans have done. Their example and willingness for sacrifice are an inspiration to every generation. God bless our veterans and our efforts to care for those returning from active duty.

ROSES TO BREADS

Feast of St. Elizabeth, Next Weekend



In honor of the feast of our parish patron, St. Elizabeth of Hungary, we will have a Roses to Breads initiative during the weekend of November 16-17th. This event will bring more honor to the memory of this great saint. One of the traditions tells us about Saint Elizabeth who at one time was forbidden from bring more food from the palace kitchen to the starving poor but did it anyway. So when she got caught and was made to open her coat underneath she was hiding bread for the poor and roses fell out. This miraculous event occurred during the cold winter months when no roses were blooming. As the story goes she was never disturbed again in her charitable giving. In keeping with that tradition our youth group will host the Roses to Breads initiative, selling roses after all masses on St. Elizabeth's feast day. All proceeds will support the Emergency Food and Nutrition Network part of the Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of Newark. Please support us in our effort to teach our young Catholics the value of charity and loving the poor as one of the essential marks of our Roman Catholic faith.

If you feel particularly generous and would be interested in donating towards the purchase of the roses to offset the cost and have the poor gain even more from this initiative, please call Fr. Maciej Zajac 201-891-1122.



ST. MARTIN'S SOUP KITCHEN

On Saturday, November 23rd, we will be serving meatloaf, red rosemary potatoes, mixed vegetables and dessert. If you can donate food contact, Dylan Wyka 201-294-0329 or dwyka89@gmail.com. It would be very helpful for planning if you could call by Tuesday, November 19th.

COMMUNITY THRIFT SHOP MIDLAND PARK



St. Elizabeth Parish generously donated items to the Community Thrift Shop in Midland Park that were sold and the sales generated \$372.56 for July - September. Thank you to anyone who donated to the CTS from our parish.

K OF C WINE TASTING & DINNER

The St. Elizabeth Council of the Knights of Columbus is sponsoring its 7th annual Wine Tasting Benefit, at the Brick House on Godwin Avenue, on Friday, November 22nd, at 7:00 pm. The evening includes appetizers, a generous buffet style dinner, dessert, and the sampling of a variety of fine wines. The wines will be available for purchase -- a great opportunity to purchase your holiday wine and gifts. Net proceeds help fund the council's charitable activities. Tickets purchased by November 16 are \$65/person and are available after Masses on the weekends of November 9/10; on the Knights website at www.kofc13678.org; or by calling Phil Genovese at 201-407-6672, Tom Van Lenten at 201-248-7207, or Len Giuliano at 201-819-2718.

Archdiocesan Closing of The "Year of Faith" Cathedral Basilica, Newark

The closing of the Year of Faith commemorating the 50th anniversary of the opening of the Second Vatican Council and the 20th anniversary of the Catechism of the Catholic Church, will be observed at a Mass offered by Archbishop Myers in the Cathedral Basilica, Newark, on Sunday, November 24, at 3pm. This is an opportunity for the Archdiocese to gather in thanksgiving and celebrate the many blessing that have come to the Universal Church these pasty fifty years. Because of the historical significance of the occasion, the Archbishop will present a commemorative medallion to each parish as a means of recognizing and fostering a sense of commitment and dedication to the conciliar renewal which began a half century ago. **Everyone is cordially invited to join in this extraordinary celebration!**

ARCHBISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL

Making a Difference

The Respect Life Office of the Archdiocese of Newark promotes the Catholic Church's teaching on the respect, care and protection of human life from conception to natural death.

Next April, the Respect Life Office will sponsor the annual Pro-Life Youth Rally at Seton Hall University. Over 700 High School students from all over the state are expected to attend this rally, which will feature motivational speakers, music and Mass.

The Respect Life Office also works with crisis pregnancy centers to direct people to proper prenatal care and information when faced with a crisis pregnancy.

In September 2010, the Respect Life Office and parish-based pro-life supporters launched the John Paul II Committee, a congress of local pro-life groups. The committee is named after Blessed John Paul II, author of the landmark encyclical, "The Gospel of Life." His untiring efforts on behalf of life inspired many to join the cause. This group is already established in Bergen and Union counties and is expanding to Essex and Hudson counties.

The Respect Life Office started Rachel's Vineyard retreats in 1997 to help men and woman who have had an abortion, find hope and healing. To date there have been 64 retreats healing 700 men and woman. Thank you for your support of the Archbishop's Annual Appeal, which makes the Respect Life Office a reality!

**"To everything there is a
Season and a time for every
Purpose under heaven."**

Ecclesiastes 3:11

"A time to be healed..."

Prayers for those ill: will be included in the weekly bulletin with a name listing. Please call the Parish Center by Monday of each week to be included. All names will remain on this list for 3 weeks unless we are notified.

Please pray for: Dr. Robert Decker, Eileen Cobb,
Don Brooks, Harold Ernst Jr.

"A time to mourn..."

Recently Deceased: Frances Fiano

"A time for war and a time for peace..."

For national and world leaders and for those in the Armed Services: Jessica DeRosa, Major Christopher Crotty, Miguel Tully, John Paul Phillips, Jennifer Smolinski, Michael Zahorniak, LT. Brendan McGovern, Captain Colin McNulty, Captain Luke Walsh, Major Raymond G. Tierney, Capt. Brian Donlon, USMC, Major Brian Ferguson, US Marines L.C.P.L. Martin E. Koerner Jr. Major Mark Wimmer, 1st LT. Nolan Dunn, Weston Boose 2nd LT, Conner Gillen Specialist 2nd Class, Sgt. Peter Gentry USMC, Ensign Andrew Gamble Amen.

SAVE THE DATE...

Advent Reflection Series

Monday's Dec. 2, 9, 16 & 23 at 7:30pm

Respect Life March, Washington, DC

Wednesday, January 22, 2014

Elvis Night - Deacon Anthony Liguori

Saturday, January 25, 2014 at 7:30pm

Catholic Conferences 2014

Men's Catholic Conference Day, March 15, 2014

Women's Day of Reflection, April 26, 2014

Pro-Life Youth Rally Seton Hall University,

April 14, 2014

CARE CONVERSATIONS

"Our Aging Parents Family Dynamics"

Tuesday, November 12, 7-8:30pm at Wyckoff YMCA

Panelists

Barbara Lankelis, LCSW, Therapist, CHCC
Sr. Arlene Kollar, Our Lady of Consolation Church, Wayne
Rev. Jim Knol, LCSW, Clinician & Chaplain, CHCC

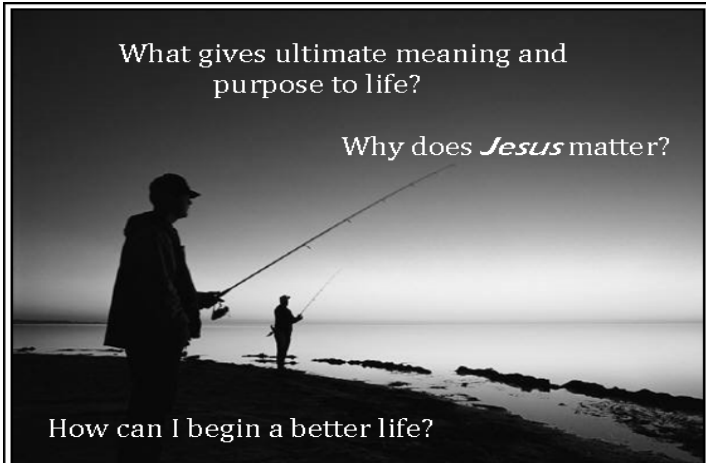
Moderator, Denise Ratcliffe, LHNA, CHCC

- The challenge of "parenting your parents"
- Having difficult conversations (giving up car keys, living wills, finances, etc)
- The Sandwich Generation - caring for your children, spouse, and parents
- When siblings disagree
- Dealing with guilt
- Managing the holidays

Pre-registration is required. Register online at www.ouragingparents.eventbrite.com or call Cindy at 201-891-7000 ext. 304.

**BOLD Youth Ministry
CONGRATULATIONS!!!**

The Newark Archdiocese Youth Recognition Sunday is on Sunday, November 10th. On that day, there is a 3 PM Mass at the Cathedral Basilica of Sacred Heart in Newark. St. Elizabeth of Parish is proud to have Thomas Pearce and Casey Heffernan (Peer Leadership Team members) honored with the **Discipleship Award**, “an honor for those that have responded to the call of discipleship in a ministry in their parish.” John Khanjian (a young adult volunteer with BOLD) will be honored with the **Light of the World Award** recognizing his commitment to youth ministry and the teens of the parish and even beyond.



What gives ultimate meaning and purpose to life?

Why does *Jesus* matter?

How can I begin a better life?

Discovering Christ - this exciting 7 week series is returning to St. E's! Come share a meal, listen to a dynamic teaching and explore answers to some of the most important questions worth asking about God and finding ultimate purpose in life. Enrollment begins in December. Course begins January 23, 2014.

SENIORS YOU'RE INVITED!

IHA 5th Annual Senior Citizen Thanksgiving Dinner
Immaculate Heart Academy High School & Bergen Catholic High School students are hosting the 5th annual Thanksgiving Dinner for local seniors. This FREE event will be held Monday, November 18 from 5-7pm at Immaculate Heart Academy, 500 Van Emburgh Ave, Washington Twps. Please Call Sarah at 201-445-6800 x 125 for RSVP. Please leave your name, number and number of people in your party.



Making Music
PRAYING TWICE

Register for our upcoming Advent & Christmas session!

Thursdays 10-11 am in the Youth Room

December 5, 12, 19 & January 2, 9

Saint Elizabeth's is excited to offer Making Music Praying Twice. MMPT is a fun, hands-on parent/child music course for our youngest parishioners, 0-5 years of age. Children and parents use instruments, toys, and scarves to dance, chant, sing, play games, and pray together. Curriculum is carefully chosen to enhance music aptitude and attitude in growing brains, while remaining sensitive to maturing souls.

1 child - \$80 2 children - \$1203 children - \$150

(Includes 5 classes, Advent/Christmas Music CD's and a corresponding, illustrated songbook with parent information)

Call Patty Barker (MMPT teacher) 201-848-8623.

Mass Cards & Sanctuary Fund Memorials

“Gratitude is a memory of the heart” they say. There is nothing more we can give back to people who have become a part of our lives than our enduring love for them. We can show it in many ways.

Memorialize the faithful departed and your loved ones with a “gift/offering of love” each week celebrating their birthdays, anniversaries and other days of remembrance:

Mass Cards

Announced Mass - \$10

Unannounced Mass - \$10

Memorial Mass - \$10

(These souls are prayed for every Saturday at the 9 a.m. Mass for one year).

Sanctuary Fund

Altar Bread & Wine - \$20

Sanctuary Light - \$20

Candles on the Altar - \$20

Flowers in the Sanctuary - \$50

Flowers at the St. Elizabeth Shrine - \$20

For announced Masses your intention will be published in the bulletin and prayed at that particular Mass. Your Sanctuary Fund intention will be published in the bulletin and prayed for at all Masses during the week. Contact the Parish Office 201-891-1122 for more details.

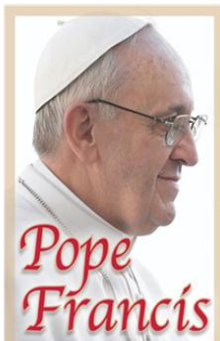


FaithFUSION
connecting Adults to Christ and their Catholic Faith

Faithful Readers

Pope Francis

By Matthew Bunson



Thurs., Nov. 14

9:30 AM

St. Francis Room

Books at Parish Office—\$15

Questions? Ask Jonathan

(201) 891-3262

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Jesus said to them, "The children of this age marry and remarry; but those who are deemed worthy to attain to the coming age and to the resurrection of the dead neither marry nor are given in marriage. They can no longer die, for they are like angels; and they are the children of God because they are the ones who will rise." - Lk 20:34-36

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday: 2 Mc 7:1-2, 9-14/2 Thes 2:16--3:5/Lk 20:27-38
 Monday: Wis 1:1-7/Lk 17:1-6
 Tuesday: Wis 2:23--3:9/Lk 17:7-10
 Wednesday: Wis 6:1-11/Lk 17:11-19
 Thursday: Wis 7:22b--8:1/Lk 17:20-25
 Friday: Wis 13:1-9/Lk 17:26-37
 Saturday: Wis 18:14-16; 19:6-9/Lk 18:1-8
 Next Sunday: Mal 3:19-20a/2 Thes 3:7-12/Lk 21:5-19

OTHER PRAYER EXPERIENCES

Miraculous Medal Novena – Thurs. after 9 am Mass
Novena to the Divine Mercy – Fri. after 9 am Mass
Men's Sharing – Youth Rm. Sat. 7 am
Morning Prayer – Mon.-Sat. 8:40 am
Rosary - Each day after 7:00 & 9:00 am Mass

SUPPORT FOR OUR PASTORAL ACTIVITIES



"May our Lord Jesus Christ himself and God our Father, who has loved us and given us everlasting encouragement and good hope them in every good deed and word."

God wants us to know the joy of giving. Yet, being generous takes strength, trust and grace. That's why St. Paul reminds us to turn to God every day for encouragement and guidance on our stewardship journey.

The gift of treasure for last week was \$25,905 (of which \$4,131 was from online giving). Year to date collections amounted to \$404,396 vs. our year to date budget of \$436,230.

**MEMORIALS FOR THE WEEK OF
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Altar Bread & Wine: *In Memory of Anna Russo, given by: Annette & Dominic.*

Sanctuary Lights: *Special Intentions for the family of Anna Russo, given by: Annette & Dominic.*

Candles on the Altar: *In Memory of Catherine Ruconich, given by: Anne Todisco.*

Flowers in the Sanctuary: *In Memory of Anthony Godino, given by: The Marra Family.*

St. Elizabeth Shrine Flowers: *In Memory of Josephine Lijoi, Given by: The Gunn Family.*



Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sat.	Nov. 9	5:00 PM	People of the Parish
Sun.	Nov. 10	7:30 AM	Margaret & Harold Bell Bonnie Bell Gerli
		9:00 AM	People of the Parish
		10:30 AM	Deceased Members of The Rosary Society
		12:00 PM	Narciso Morson

Mon. Nov. 11 St. Martin of Tours

7:00 AM	Patrick J. Greaney, 16 th Anniv. John Gringeri
9:00 AM	Peter Razzo, Jr. 4 th Anniv.

Tue. Nov. 12 St. Josaphat

7:00 AM	Carolyn Volckmann
9:00 AM	Living & Deceased Members Of the D'Ura & Gringeri Fam.

Wed. Nov. 13 St. Frances Xavier Cabrini

7:00 AM	Al Haynes
9:00 AM	John Gringeri

Thu. Nov. 14

7:00 AM	Jenny Sanders
9:00 AM	Antonia Grosso, Lou & Bianca Claps

Fri. Nov. 15 St. Albert the Great

7:00 AM	Lou & Bianca Claps
9:00 AM	Jeanne Wright, 1 st Anniv.
7:00 PM	Holy Hour

Sat. Nov. 16 St. Margaret of Scotland & St. Gertrude

9:00 AM	Memorial Mass Matthew Reilly
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Feast of St. Elizabeth

		5:00 PM	Madeline & John Gurry
Sun.	Nov. 17	7:30 AM	Helen & Frank Liguori
		9:00 AM	Peter Razzo, Sr.
		10:30 AM	People of the Parish
		12:00 PM	Ann, Anthony & Daniel Giletta



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