



*Holy Family Church
Nutley-Belleville*



Our Journey Continues...



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October 21, 2012

SERVED BY:

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MASSES

Saturday evening: 5:30 PM (English),
7:00 PM (Italian)

Neo-Catechumenate Liturgy: 8:30 PM

Sunday: 8:00 AM, 10:00 AM,
12:00 Noon & 7:00 PM

Filipino Mass: 2nd Sunday of month, 5:00 PM

Daily: 7:00, 8:45 AM; Saturday 8:45 AM
5:30 PM (M - F during Lent)

OFFICE HOURS:

Daily: 8:30 AM - 12:00 Noon
1:00 - 4:00 PM
6:00 PM - 8:00 PM

The Rectory is closed 12:00 - 1:00 PM and
4:00 - 6:00 PM

Saturday: 10:00 AM - 3:00 PM

The office is closed on Sunday.

RECONCILIATION: Saturday, 1:00 PM

BAPTISM: Baptisms are scheduled once a month on Sunday afternoons except during Lent. Expectant parents are asked to contact the rectory to schedule an appointment at least three months before the desired date of Baptism. Parents must attend a special catechetical session prior to the Baptism.

MARRIAGE: Couples should contact the rectory one year in advance of the proposed wedding date in order to allow for the proper pre-marital preparation. At least one person must be a registered parishioner of Holy Family.

ANOIDNTING OF THE SICK:

This is a sacrament not only for those who are at the point of death. As soon as anyone begins to be in danger of death from sickness or old age, we encourage you to call for a priest in the rectory.

MINISTRY OF THE SICK:

The Eucharist will be brought to the homebound. Please contact the Rectory with the names and addresses of parishioners who are ill or homebound.

VOCATION:

Women and men who feel called to the religious life, and men called to Holy Orders, should contact the Vocations Office at 973-497-4365.

EMERGENCY CALLS:

In case of an accident or sudden illness, call the rectory at any hour or reach us through the beeper, 973-715-3108. The priest on duty will return your call.

SOCIAL SERVICE HOTLINE:

The Catholic Community Services is an office that serves all people in need. Please call 1-800-CCS-7413.

PARISH PAY:

Have your weekly donation sent directly to the Church! Visit www.paritypay.com or call 1-866-PARISH1

Rectory: 973-667-0026/Fax: 973-661-1714
28 Brookline Avenue
www.holyfamilynutley.net

Convent: 973-667-2050
60 Harrison Street

Rel. Education Office: 973-667-6018
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24 Brookline Avenue

Nursery: 973-235-1170
174 Franklin Avenue

MISSION STATEMENT

† Holy Family Catholic Church is a spiritually and socially active parish. Rooted in the Word of God and nourished by the Eucharist, we celebrate the life of our Lord Jesus Christ by proclaiming the Good News and providing spiritual growth, support and service with love. Founded by Italian immigrants a century ago, today our parish continues the tradition of extending a loving, caring and affirming welcome to all who join us as we Continue Our Journey of Faith.

† La Chiesa Cattolica Santa Famiglia e' una parrocchia socialmente e spiritualmente attiva. Radicata nella Parola di Dio e nutrita dall'eucarestia, celebriamo la vita del nostro Signore Gesu' Cristo proclamando la buona novella e provvedendo crescita spirituale, supporto e servizio con amore. Fondata un secolo fa' da immigranti italiani, oggi, la nostra parrocchia continua la tradizione di estendere un amorevole, caro e riconoscente benvenuto a tutti coloro che con noi continuano e condividono il nostro cammino di fede.

† Ang simbahang katoliko ng banal na pamilya ay isang masiglang parokya sa espirituwal at ugnayang panlipunan. Nakaugat sa salita ng diyos at pinalusog ng eukaristiya, ipanagdiriwant namin ang buhay ng ating panginoong hesukristo sa pagpapahayag ng mabuting balita at paguudulot ng paglago sa kabanalan, paggabay, at mapagmahal na paglilingkod. Itinatag ng mga dayuhang italiano may isang-daan taon na ang nakakalipas, ngayon ang aming parokya ay patuloy sa pag-ugit ng tradisyong ng mapag-aruga, mapagkalinga, at mapagkilang pagtanggap sa mga sumapi saamin habang patuloy sa paglalakbay sa panaampalataya.

HOLY FAMILY WELCOMES YOU

Welcome to Holy Family Parish! We hope you experience the warmth and hospitality for which Holy Family is noted. We would like our Worship Community to be the center of your spiritual and emotional journey with Jesus. Peace be with you.

- Worship with us
- Embrace our fellowship
- Learn about our ministries
- Come join us
- Offer your talents
- Make new friends
- Experience the warmth and hospitality of Holy Family



Welcome to Our Parish

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Benvenuti, Maligayang pagdating, Bienvenido, Chao mung, Witamy
Walk With Jesus Daily



Dear Parishioners:

“For the Son of man did not come to be served but to serve.” These words, from today’s Gospel, remind us that true leadership does not consist in “authority over others” but service to others. Whether we speak of leadership in the Church or in government, the same approach applies. To Jesus, power, prestige and wealth are no longer important. He overturns the values of society. In the Church, government and society, in general, it is indeed a challenge to embrace a “leadership” vs. an “authoritarian” role. The apostles struggled with this and it was one of the reasons why Jesus washed their feet at the Last Supper.

There are many challenges in our society: human dignity, above all, must be protected at every stage of life, from the unborn through issues of hunger, poverty, the economy, joblessness, homelessness, violence, capital punishment, all the way to natural death. Our Church and our government, despite the temptation to *focus* in on only one aspect or concern, must attempt to integrate the call to respect the dignity of every person in the journey from the womb to natural death and all that happens along the way. This is true servant-leadership that enables those in authority to avoid mere authoritarian pronouncements on solutions and seek rather to address the underlying needs of preserving and enhancing human dignity at every stage.

In a pastoral letter entitled “Faithful Citizenship,” the American Bishops give us guidelines. For the next five weeks, we will publish summaries of those guidelines: Catholics Care: Catholics Vote. This week’s summary is entitled: The Challenge of Forming Consciences for Faithful Citizenship. (See pages 5 & 6)

Peace,
Msgr. Paul



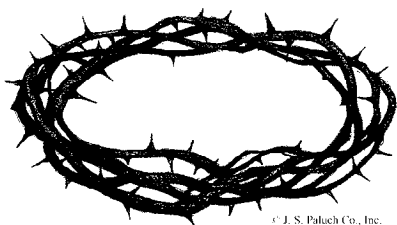
STEWARDSHIP CORNER
Steward of the Month - Quotes

“We have been so blessed to have Sr. Angelina as our Director of Religious Education for so many years. She certainly has given 150% of herself to whatever she does for the Lord, the good of the children and their families, whom she has so faithfully served and to our parish to which she has dedicated more than a third of her religious life. She and her energetic spirit are an inspiration to all of us.” - Msgr. Paul

“Holy Family has been so blessed to have had Sister Angelina as our DRE. Sister and I, through the years, have become wonderful friends and I love her like family. She is such a warm, compassionate person and I, for one, am so happy that Sister has chosen to remain in our parish following her retirement. God bless you always, Sister Angelina. I love you!” - Lynn Falduto

“It is because of Sr. Angelina that I became a Catechist. Throughout her years as Director of Religious Education, Sr. Angelina has shown such dedication and love for spreading the word of Jesus to our children. Through her example she has inspired me and shown me what it truly means to be a disciple of Christ. Holy Family is so blessed to have had Sr. Angelina as DRE all these years. Thank you Sr. Angelina for being a part of my life!” - Ann Volpe

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Through his suffering,
my servant shall justify many.

— Isaiah 53:11b

29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, October 20

5:30 PM People of the Parish

7:00 PM Michela Cifelli...Eva Tanelli

50th Anniversary Blessing: Assunta & Angelo Capalbo

Sunday, October 21

8:00 AM Jerry C. Francisco...Kathy Vecchio & Family

10:00 AM George & Eleanor Pellegrino...Eleanor Giuliano

12:00 PM Angelo Loricchio...Susan Loricchio

7:00 PM Theresa Cucinello...Husband, Domenick

Monday, October 22

7:00 AM Ramonita Rosado...Ramos Family

8:45 AM Joseph Tinh...Maria Mau

Tuesday, October 23 ~ St. John of Capistrano

7:00 AM Chad A. Plain...Kelly, David & Luke Kosoff

8:45 AM Generoso & Luisa DeBenedetto...Children

Wednesday, October 24 ~ St. Anthony Mary Claret

7:00 AM Elio Vittorio Caruso...Chris, Sandy, Selena & Sabrina

8:45 AM Maureen Anne McManus...Mom & Dad

Thursday, October 25

7:00 AM Jill Imperatore...Lavelle Family

8:45 AM Clara Perna...Joan DeFeo

Friday, October 26

7:00 AM John Trimboli...JoAnn Masino

8:45 AM Louis & Margaret Garbarini...Rose Struffolino

Saturday, October 27

8:45 AM Special Remembrance Mass

Maria Armenti

John & Eleanor Arthur

Anthony Capriglione

Amilicare Cascoli

Maria Cifelli

Florentino Cunado

Rosendo Erfe

Ronald Mendoza

Elmer & Hattie Walsh

Nancy & Tony Zarra

30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, October 27

5:30 PM Rose Miele...Annette Chanly

7:00 PM Antonia Domenico...Teresa Pizzella

Sunday, October 28

8:00 AM People of the Parish

10:00 AM Raymond Carissimo...Susie Carissimo

12:00 PM Geraldine Iannini...Joseph & Lisa Iannini

7:00 PM Luisa Palma...Daughters



Living Stewardship Now

Make an effort to do something unexpected and generous for someone at least once a week - at church, at work, or in the community.

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Weekly Collection Goals Required Solely To Meet Operating Expenses (Not Even to Reduce Debt): \$14,300.00

For Sunday, October 14, 2012,

the actual collection was \$11,131.00;

\$1,334.00 of which came from Parish Pay.

The 2nd Collection for Church Property Repair and

Maintenance was \$1,272.00

Mass Attendance was 1,878.

Resultant Weekly Deficit for Parish's Operating Budget:

\$3,169.00

God Bless You For Your Continued Generosity!

For **Sunday, October 17, 2010,**

the Actual Collection was \$10,995;

\$1,529 of which came from Parish Pay.

Mass Attendance : 1,921

Parish Debt: \$416,735.00

Resultant Weekly Deficit for Parish's Operating Budget:

\$2,605.00

Memorials for the Week of October 21

Altar Bread & Altar Wine

Marvin Millstein, Jr.

...Dad & Camille Domenick

The Sanctuary Lamp in the Church, Chapel, Convent and Rectory, Altar Candles, Altar Bread, & Altar Wine, as well as Altar Flowers are our weekly memorials. The donation for each Sanctuary Lamp and Altar Candles are \$10. The donation for Altar Bread or Altar Wine is \$15. The donation for Flowers on the Altar of the Blessed Virgin or Saint Joseph is \$45.

Please stop by the rectory to reserve any of the above.

Please Pray for Those Who Are Sick...

Sal Mastroeni, Frances Mogielnicki, Daniella Serafino, Philip Sperrazzo, Nunzio Vacca - the entire sick list is posted on the bulletin board in the vestibule.

Please Pray for Those Who Have Died...

Joseph Silvestri, Maryann Gabriele



Congratulations to Assunta and Angela Capalbo who are celebrating 50 years of marriage. The Capalbo's will receive a special blessing at the 7:00 P.M. Italian Mass this weekend.

Stewardship of Time

Sunday, October 21

- 8:30 AM Religious Ed - GSA
- 10:00 AM Children's Liturgy of the Word - Church
- 1:00 PM Bereavement - Sr. Eileen's
- 1:30 PM Stewardship Workshop Church - SJC
- 2:45 PM Fatima Prayer Group - MCC
- 6:00 PM Youth Group - SA
- 6:30 PM Cursillo Return Rectory
- 7:00 PM Pre-Cana - SJC



Monday, October 22

- 6:30 PM Rosary Board Meeting - SJC
- 7:00 PM Novena - MCC
- 7:15 PM Rosary Meeting - SJC
- 7:30 PM Monsignor's "FOCCUS" Group - SA
- 7:30 PM Men's 4th Day - PP
- 8:00 PM Eucharistic Ministers - MCC

Tuesday, October 23

- 12:30 PM Adult Education - SJC
- 7:00 PM Pre-Cana - SJC
- 8:00 PM K of C - MDL
- 8:30 PM Neo-Catechumenate #3 - SLR



Wednesday, October 24

- 10:00 AM Italian Class - SA
- 7:00 PM Bereavement Class - PP
- 7:45 PM Praise & Worship - MCC
- 8:30 PM Neo-Catechumenate #1 - MDL
- 8:30 PM Neo-Catechumenate #2 - SJC
- 8:30 PM Neo-Catechumenate #4 - SLR

Thursday, October 25

- 4:00 PM A & E - Church
- 6:00 PM A & E - MCC
- 7:30 PM Bible Study - SJC
- 7:30 PM Filipino Choir Practice - SLR



Friday, October 26

- 6:00 AM Men's Prayer Group - SJC
- 7:00 PM GSA Dance - Gym
- 7:00 PM Pre-Cana - MCC

Saturday, October 27

- 9:00 AM Crafting for a Cause - SA
- 1:00 PM Confessions - Church
- 8:30 PM Neo-Catechumenate #1 - MCC
- 8:30 PM Neo-Catechumenate # 2, 3, 4 - SJC

After Weekend Masses: AmBear Book Sale Church

Sunday, October 28

After Sunday Masses: Youth Group Tricky Tray Ticket Sale

- 8:30 AM Religious Ed - GSA
- 10:00 AM Children's Liturgy of the Word - Church
- 1:00 PM Bereavement - Sr. Eileen's
- 2:00 PM Baptism Catechesis - SJC
- 2:45 PM Fatima Prayer Group - MCC
- 5:00 PM Music Miniatures - MCC
- 6:00 PM Youth Group - SJC



Key

- LR Liturgy Room - Rectory Basement
- MCC Mother Cabrini Chapel
- MDL Msgr. DiLuca Conf. Room (Behind the Bell Tower)
- MSA Maria SS. Addolorata Room - Parish Center
- PP Padre Pio Room - Parish Center
- PR Pantry Room - Rectory Basement
- SA St. Anthony Room - Parish Center
- SJC St. Joseph Center
- SL San Lorenzo Room - Parish Center

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- Monday: Eph 2:1-10; Lk 12:13-21
- Tuesday: Eph 2:12-22; Lk 12:35-38
- Wednesday: Eph 3:2-12; Lk 12:39-48
- Thursday: Eph 3:14-21; Lk 12:49-53
- Friday: Eph 4:1-6; Lk 12:54-59
- Saturday: Eph 4:7-16; Lk 13:1-9
- Sunday: Jer 31:7-9; Ps 126; Heb 5:1-6; Mk 10:46-52



TEACHING THE GOOD NEWS

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM (CCD)

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CALL: 973-667-6018

- Sunday: Grades K-4, 8:30 AM-9:45 AM
- Tuesday: Grades 1-6, 3:30-4:45 PM ~ Classes for Spring Garden, Lincoln and Yanticaw Schools
- Thursday: Grades 1-6; 3:30-4:45 PM ~ Classes for Belleville #5, Washington & Radcliff Schools



HOLY FAMILY YOUTH GROUP'S

3rd ANNUAL TRICKY TRAY & DINNER

Saturday, November 3, 6:00 P.M.

\$25: includes Pasta Dinner, Salad, Dessert, Coffee/Tea

TICKETS WILL BE ON SALE IN CHURCH NEXT WEEKEND!

October 20/21

~ OR ~

Call Anna O'Reilly at 973-661-3759 or email: oreillyanna56@gmail.com



This Tricky Tray will fund-raise to support our Youth Group in their spiritual and social ministry to those in need. All proceeds will be used to help subsidize the programs of our Youth Group in their endeavors to help others. We need donations of prepared gift baskets. The theme may be whatever you wish. Monetary contributions or brand new items to be used for gifts, are also greatly appreciated. Your donation is tax deductible! If you have any empty fruit baskets, please consider donating them to this worthy cause. Please contact Anna O'Reilly for tickets or to have your donation picked up.



COMEDY NIGHT!!

Join Us For A Night Of Laughter
HOLY FAMILY CHURCH
Good Shepherd Academy Gym

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 9, 2012

Doors: 7:00 & Show: 8:00 PM ~ Admission \$25;
tickets available in the rectory or online:

www.holyfamilynutley.org

Admission includes beverages; food is tailgate style
— bring your own snacks.

Comedians from **THE COMEDY SHOPPE**



The Challenge of Forming Consciences for Faithful Citizenship

This brief document is a summary of the United States bishops' reflection Forming Consciences for Faithful Citizenship (www.faithfulcitizenship.org). It complements the teaching of bishops in dioceses and states. Our nation faces political challenges that demand urgent moral choices. We are a nation at war, with all of its human costs; a country often divided by race and ethnicity; a nation of immigrants struggling with immigration. We are an affluent society where too many live in poverty; part of a global community confronting terrorism and facing urgent threats to our environment; a culture built on families, where some now question the value of marriage and family life. We pride ourselves on supporting human rights, but we fail even to protect the fundamental right to life, especially for unborn children.

We bishops seek to help Catholics form their consciences in accordance with the truth, so they can make sound moral choices in addressing these challenges. We do not tell Catholics how to vote. The responsibility to make political choices rests with each person and his or her properly formed conscience.

WHY DOES THE CHURCH TEACH ABOUT ISSUES AFFECTING PUBLIC POLICY?

The Church's obligation to participate in shaping the moral character of society is a requirement of our faith, a part of the mission given to us by Jesus Christ. Faith helps us see more clearly the truth about human life and dignity that we also understand through human reason. As people of both faith and reason, Catholics are called to bring truth to political life and to practice Christ's commandment to "love one another" (Jn 13:34). According to Pope Benedict XVI, "charity must animate the entire lives of the lay faithful and therefore also their political activity, lived as 'social charity'" (*Deus Caritas Est*, no. 29).

The United States Constitution protects the right of individual believers and religious bodies to participate and speak out without government interference, favoritism, or discrimination. Civil law should recognize and protect the Church's right and responsibility to participate in society without abandoning our central moral convictions. Our nation's tradition of pluralism is enhanced, not threatened, when religious groups and people of faith bring their convictions into public life. The Catholic community brings to the political dialogue a consistent moral framework and broad experience serving those in need.

WHO IN THE CHURCH SHOULD PARTICIPATE IN POLITICAL LIFE?

In the Catholic Tradition, responsible citizenship is a virtue, and participation in political life is a moral obligation. As Catholics, we should be guided more by our moral convictions than by our attachment to a political party or interest group. In today's environment, Catholics may feel politically disenfranchised, sensing that no party and few candidates fully share our comprehensive commitment to human life and dignity. Catholic lay women and men need to act on the Church's moral principles and become more involved: running for office, working within political parties, and communicating concerns to elected officials. Even those who cannot vote should raise their voices on matters that affect their lives and the common good.

HOW DOES THE CHURCH HELP CATHOLICS TO ADDRESS POLITICAL AND SOCIAL QUESTIONS?

A Well-Formed Conscience

The Church equips her members to address political questions by helping them develop well-formed consciences. "Conscience is a judgment of reason whereby the human person recognizes the moral quality of a concrete act... [Every person] is obliged to follow faithfully what he [or she] knows to be just and right" (*Catechism of the Catholic Church*, no. 1778). We Catholics have a lifelong obligation to form our consciences in accord with human reason, enlightened by the teaching of Christ as it comes to us through the Church.

The Virtue of Prudence

The Church also encourages Catholics to develop the virtue of prudence, which enables us "to discern our true good in every circumstance and to choose the right means of achieving it" (*Catechism of the Catholic Church*, no. 1806). Prudence shapes and informs our ability to deliberate over available alternatives, to determine what is most fitting to a specific context, and to act. Prudence must be accompanied by courage which calls us to act. As Catholics seek to advance the common good, we must carefully discern which public policies are morally sound. A good end does not justify an immoral means. At times Catholics may choose different ways to respond to social problems, but we cannot differ on our obligation to protect human life and dignity and help build through moral means a more just and peaceful world.

Doing Good and Avoiding Evil

There are some things we must never do, as individuals or as a society, because they are always incompatible with love of God and neighbor. These intrinsically evil acts must always be rejected and never supported. A preeminent example is the intentional taking of human life through abortion. It is always morally wrong to destroy innocent human beings. A legal system that allows the right to life to be violated on the grounds of choice is fundamentally flawed.

Similarly, direct threats to the dignity of human life such as euthanasia, human cloning, and destructive research on human embryos are also intrinsically evil and must be opposed. Other assaults on human life and dignity, such as genocide, torture, racism, and the targeting of noncombatants in acts of terror or war, can never be justified. Disrespect for any human life diminishes respect for all human life.

As Catholics we are not single-issue voters. A candidate's position on a single issue is not sufficient to guarantee a voter's support. Yet a candidate's position on a single issue that involves an intrinsic evil, such as support for legal abortion or the promotion of racism, may legitimately lead a voter to disqualify a candidate from receiving support.¹

Opposition to intrinsically evil acts also prompts us to recognize our positive duty to contribute to the common good and act in solidarity with those in need. Both opposing evil *and* doing good are essential. As Pope John Paul II said, "the fact that only the negative commandments oblige always and under all circumstances does not mean that in the moral life prohibitions are more important than the obligation to do good indicated by the positive commandment" (*Veritatis Splendor*, no. 52).

The basic right to life implies and is linked to other human rights to the goods that every person needs to live and thrive—including food, shelter, health care, education, and meaningful work. The use of the death penalty, hunger, lack of health care or housing, human trafficking, the human and moral costs of war, and unjust immigration policies are some of the serious moral issues that challenge our consciences and require us to act.

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Making Moral Choices

Difficult political decisions require the exercise of a well-formed conscience aided by prudence. This exercise of conscience begins with always opposing policies that violate human life or weaken its protection. “Those who formulate law therefore have an obligation in conscience to work toward correcting morally defective laws, lest they be guilty of cooperating in evil and in sinning against the common good” (*Catholics in Political Life*, 2004).

When morally flawed laws already exist, prudential judgment is needed to determine how to do what is possible to restore justice—even if partially or gradually—without ever abandoning a moral commitment to full protection for

all human life from conception to natural death (see *Evangelium Vitae*, no. 73).

Prudential judgment is also needed to determine the best way to promote the common good in areas such as housing, health care, and immigration. When Church leaders make judgments about how to apply Catholic teaching to specific policies, this may not carry the same binding authority as universal moral principles but cannot be dismissed as one political opinion among others. These moral applications should inform the consciences and guide the actions of Catholics.

WHAT DOES THE CHURCH SAY ABOUT CATHOLIC SOCIAL TEACHING IN THE PUBLIC SQUARE?—SEVEN KEY THEMES

A consistent ethic of life should guide all Catholic engagement in political life. This Catholic ethic neither treats all issues as morally equivalent nor reduces Catholic teaching to one or two issues. It anchors the Catholic commitment to defend human life and other human rights, from conception until natural death, in the fundamental obligation to respect the dignity of every human being as a child of God.

Catholic voters should use Catholic teaching to examine candidates’ positions on issues and should consider candidates’ integrity, philosophy, and performance. It is important for all citizens “to see beyond party politics, to analyze campaign rhetoric critically, and to choose their political leaders according to principle, not party affiliation or mere self-interest” (*Living the Gospel of Life*, no. 33). The following themes of Catholic social teaching provide a moral framework for decisions in public life.¹

The Right to Life and the Dignity of the Human Person

Human life is sacred. Direct attacks on innocent human beings are never morally acceptable. Within our society, life is under direct attack from abortion, euthanasia, human cloning, and destruction of human embryos for research. These intrinsic evils must always be opposed. This teaching also compels us as Catholics to oppose genocide, torture, unjust war, and the use of the death penalty, as well as to pursue peace and help overcome poverty, racism, and other conditions that demean human life.

Call to Family, Community, and Participation

The family, based on marriage between a man and a woman, is the fundamental unit of society. This sanctuary for the creation and nurturing of children must not be redefined, undermined, or neglected. Supporting families should be a priority for economic and social policies. How our society is organized—in economics and politics, in law and public policy—affects the well-being of individuals and of society. Every person and association has a right and a duty to participate in shaping society to promote the well-being of individuals and the common good.

Rights and Responsibilities

Every human being has a right to life, the fundamental right that makes all other rights possible. Each of us has a right to religious freedom, which enables us to live and act in accord with our God-given dignity, as well as a right to access to those things required for human decency—food and shelter, education and employment, health care and housing. Corresponding to these rights are duties and responsibilities—to one another, to our families, and to the larger society.

Option for the Poor and Vulnerable

While the common good embraces all, those who are in greatest need deserve preferential concern. A moral test for society is how we treat the weakest among us—the unborn, those dealing with disabilities or terminal illness, the poor and marginalized.

Dignity of Work and the Rights of Workers

The economy must serve people, not the other way around. Economic justice calls for decent work at fair, living wages, opportunities for legal status for immigrant workers, and the opportunity for all people to work together for the common good through their work, ownership, enterprise, investment, participation in unions, and other forms of economic activity.

Solidarity

We are one human family, whatever our national, racial, ethnic, economic, and ideological differences. Our Catholic commitment to solidarity requires that we pursue justice, eliminate racism, end human trafficking, protect human rights, seek peace, and avoid the use of force except as a necessary last resort.

Caring for God’s Creation

Care for the earth is a duty of our Catholic faith. We all are called to be careful stewards of God’s creation and to ensure a safe and hospitable environment for vulnerable human beings now and in the future.

CONCLUSION

In light of Catholic teaching, as bishops we vigorously repeat our call for a renewed politics that focuses on moral principles, the defense of life, the needs of the weak, and the pursuit of the common good. This kind of political participation reflects the social teaching of our Church and the best traditions of our nation.

Notes

¹ For more on the moral challenge of voting, see *Forming Consciences for Faithful Citizenship*, nos. 34-39.

Visit www.faithfulcitizenship.org.

² These themes are drawn from a rich tradition more fully described in the *Compendium of the Social Doctrine of the Church* from the Pontifical Council for Justice and Peace (Washington, DC: United States Conference of Catholic Bishops, 2005). For more information on these seven themes, see www.faithfulcitizenship.org. For information on how we bishops of the United States have applied Catholic social teaching to policy issues, see www.faithfulcitizenship.org.

TIME TALENT TREASURE

Stewardship Workshop Series

Be Inspired. Be Uplifted. Be the Best You!

Learn about your gifts and talents from God and the gifts you can give back to God.

Gifts and Talents

Gifts from God

Spiritual Gifts

WHO'S STEALING YOUR GIFTS? GET IT BACK!

Discovering and Harnessing Your Gifts and Talents

Give so you can have more to give. Sowing and Reaping.

30-60-100 Fold

Almsgiving vs. Tithing

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 21

1:30—2:30 P.M.

Holy Family Church

28 Brookline Avenue

Nutley, NJ 07110

Agenda

1:30 pm Opening Remarks and Inspiration

1:40 pm Topic – Gifts and Talents

2:00 pm Topic – Spiritual Gifts (Fr. John Gordon)

2:30 pm Closing

2:40 pm – 3:30 pm Refreshments (Wine, Cheese and Crackers) and Fellowship



**Who you are is a gift from God.
Who you become is your gift back to God.**

2012 STEWARDSHIP HONOREE DINNER



Saturday, November 17, 2012,

7:30 P.M., GSA Gym

We Happily Honor:

Sr. Angelina DelVecchio, MPF,

Liz & Arnold Liloia, Assunta Capalbo, Philip Lam,

Jerry Sabatella, Rose Pellegrino, Ron & Ellen Filippi,

Joy Aiello, Paul Del Polito, Gail DeFalcon,

Christina Mastroeni, and Rich & Debbi Pesci

Tickets are \$35 per person

Contact Frank Russo at email fdrusso@gmail.com

or 973-941-3543 / 973-284-2212

DANNY BYRAM IN CONCERT

AKA: THE COMBAT MUSICIAN

Danny has performed and spoken at over 100 US installations worldwide, including appearances in Iraq, Somalia and the Korean DMZ. His music is upbeat and inspirational. His message is compelling and relevant.



HOLY FAMILY CHURCH

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 2, 4:00 P.M.

Tickets: \$15 in advance and \$20 at the door -

For tickets for more information, call Frank

Russo at the numbers listed above or Philip Hui at: 866-490-8867

Attention Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:



We will meet on **Monday, October 22**, at 8:00 p.m. in the Mother Cabrini Chapel. Fr. John will lead us in prayer and reflection, and we will discuss practical matters related to our work as extraordinary ministers of Holy Communion. Please make every effort to attend this important meeting.



Holy Family Peer Ministry

The Importance of the Bereavement Group

Being a part of a bereavement group may help to lessen your pain and, perhaps, begin your healing. A support group is a safe haven, where those who grieve can talk, cry, share their anger, guilt and fears with those who are in similar circumstances. This is peer ministry, not a therapy group.

Join us; each Wednesday until November 28, at 7:00 PM, in the Padre Pio room of the Parish Center. Make a commitment to yourself, especially with the holidays nearing. There is no fee for this group but we ask that you kindly call Patricia Little 973-985-5303 to register.



KNOW THE ANGELS

Make yourself familiar with the angels, and behold them frequently in spirit. Without being seen, they are present with you.

—St. Francis de Sales

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Quotes, continued

"Sister Angelina has a special grace to serve others. Her love and faith in God are shown in her eagerness for the children in the CCD program to go out and spread the Good News of Christ. It is through her humbleness that Sister Angelina brings her loving support, her prayers and her kind heart for those she meets in her path. As a great recruiter for Christ, Sister Angelina has led me closer to our Lord in my faith journey. May God bless you, Sister Angelina."
 - Patty Martinez

Lastly, a special poem for Sister Angelina:

"What You Are"

A loving smile, A tender touch, A thoughtful word, These mean so much.
 A helping hand, In time of need, Encouragement, For each good deed.
 A chance for play, When work is done, To savor life, And well-earned fun.

With blessing such as these to share, these are all of Sister Angelina - through all the years. God bless you each and every day, and bring you peace and happiness.
 - Love, Elaine Mangano

A Word of Thanks...Good Stewardship

- To all who worked so diligently to make our celebration of Confirmation on October 14th the meaningful and beautiful celebration that it was: our choir, ushers, sacristans, servers, lectors and extraordinary ministers of the Eucharist. A special thanks to Sr. Angelina, Sr. Diana and Sr. Eileen and the Confirmation team: Fr. Ryan Tabale, Gerard Aduato, Marie DeLorenzi, Sr. Jane, Ann Volpe and Amy DiCristo, who played various roles in the education and formation of our young people and adults.
- To Tom Apicella and the staff of the Chandelier Restaurant for their ongoing generosity to the Bishop, priests, sisters and Confirmation Team in always providing a wonderful dinner after the Confirmation ceremony.



THE FEAST

Due to basically good weather and a lot of dedication, hard work and several donations that helped to underwrite the cost of the arches and entertainment, as well as the elimination of the Porta-Johns, the profit from our feast this year, with a few minor bills that are delayed, will be between \$78,699.15 and \$79,490.26. Congratulations! A job well done!

MARK YOUR CALENDARS



- November 9:** Comedy Night at Good Shepherd Academy, sponsored by the Finance Council
- November 17:** Annual Stewardship Banquet honoring the Stewards of the Month of last year. This year the banquet is dedicated in honor of Sr. Angelina DelVecchio, MPF, our Director of Religious Education for the past 28 years. (more on page 7)
- November 19:** Interfaith Thanksgiving Service at Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church, 7:30 P.M.
- December 2:** Danny Byram Advent/Christmas Concert - Church.

More details will follow regarding each above listed event.

AAA UPDATE

	<u>2011</u>	<u>2012</u>
Goal:	\$64,613.00	\$68,501.21
Pledged: *	\$83,780.00	\$82,234.00
Cash Received: *	\$76,203.00	\$75,782.00
Donors: *	418	378

* indicates comparison between corresponding dates in the years shown.



Ministers of Hospitality/Ushers



What are the requirements of being a Minister of Hospitality/Usher?

This ministry works best for people who are prompt, outgoing, and genuinely care about the needs of the people of God.

The ministry of hospitality belongs to all of us as baptized Catholics gathered in the Lord's name.

It is the call of the "person in the pew" to be the face of Christ: to be friendly, to take the time to welcome the stranger, to identify who they are, to move over in the pew or to share a hymnal if necessary. All of these attributes add to the sense of belonging to the community, and more importantly, to being a member of the body of Christ. While we all share in the responsibility of welcoming, we still need specific people to be our "friendly face at the door."

Our ministers provide many services during the course of the Mass. First, they arrive early so people may be welcomed with a smile and/or handshake. They help those gathering to find a pew or place to sit, as needed. Later in the Mass, they facilitate the collecting of the offering, and bring it to the altar. During the Mass, they are aware of any special needs people may have. Finally, at the end of Mass, they distribute the bulletin and wish people well on their way.

Ministers of Hospitality are needed! Men and women are welcome! Please call John Caruso and let him know of your interest: 973-759-4582



FEED THE HUNGRY...

Our food pantry is in need of stocking, especially now as Thanksgiving nears. After a recent inventory of the pantry, the following is what is needed: Prepared Foods: Instant Mashed Potatoes, Stove-top Stuffing, Bread Crumbs, etc. Breakfast

Foods: Pancake Mix, Syrup, Cold & Hot Cereals; Condiments: Sugar, Powdered Milk or Creamer (Parmalat, too!), Salt & Pepper, Bottled Herbs & Seasonings, Salad Dressings, Ketchup/Mayo, Oil, Vinegar; Canned Foods: Vegetables (there are lots of beans and peas; we especially need corn, spinach, carrots, beets, etc.), Tomato Sauce, Fish, Meat, Ham, Poultry, Stews, Chef Boyardee; Kids Favorites: Peanut Butter, Jelly, Crackers (for the PB&J), Cookies, Snacks, Chips, Pretzels, Microwave Popcorn, Beverages. Baking Supplies: Flour, Cake Mixes, Icing, Pie Filling. We are in need of Tea and Hot Cocoa. Also needed are dried beans: split pea, lentils, cannellini, kidney, etc., chicken & beef broth, white & brown rice and, for Thanksgiving and Christmas: cranberry sauce, turkey gravy, etc. If you would like to donate a turkey for Thanksgiving, please bring it to the rectory **PRIOR TO SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 17TH**.

GOOD SHEPHERD ACADEMY NEWS!

Box Tops for Education - The school is able to receive money when they turn in the General Mills box tops! Please save them and drop them off in the special box which is located in the vestibule of Church.



Used Cell Phones & Toners - The school collects used cell phones so if you upgrade yours, please do not discard the old one. The school also accepts toners from computers to be recycled. All can be dropped off in the GSA box located in the vestibule of the Church.

WE HAVE KIDSTUFF ENTERTAINMENT BOOKS!!

GSA has a great fundraiser going on! For \$25, this 2012-2013 entertainment book has coupons for Shop-Rite, Stop & Shop, Sports Authority, Macy's, McDonald's and lots more! These are great Christmas gifts! Please call Mrs. Leo 973-667-2049 x-100 to purchase a copy.



1ST ANNUAL RESTAURANT NIGHT!

Good Shepherd Academy invites you to be part of our First Annual Restaurant Night. You will have the opportunity to sample signature dishes from some of the hottest restaurants in our surrounding areas...Spuntino - Terrazza - El Toro- Porta - Macchu Picchu - to name just a few!

- DATE:** Sunday, October 28, 2012
- TIME:** 4:00 - 7:30 p.m.
- PLACE:** Good Shepherd Academy, 24 Brookline Ave.
- COST:** \$25.00 per adult.

Please join us for a memorable evening of good food, music and socializing. To purchase tickets, please contact Franklin Fernandez at 732-762-8520.

MIRACULOUS MEDAL NOVENA



The Miraculous Medal Novena is every Monday at 7:00 PM, in the Mother Cabrini Chapel. Novena consists of devotional prayers to the Miraculous Medal and St. Jude, and the Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. On national holidays, Novena prayers are offered at 8:45 AM, just prior to the 9:00 AM Mass.



DONATION ENVELOPES

Please be sure to enter the amount of your donation on your envelope in order for you to receive proper credit. If you do not presently use donation envelopes and would like to, please stop by the rectory office to complete a parishioner registration form. Parish Pay, another very convenient way to donate, is available and information is on the cover of this bulletin.



STAND AND BE COUNTED: NEW MEMBERS WELCOME

Registering in a parish is a declaration of your desire to be part of a Catholic community and a commitment to the life of the parish family. To so clearly state your Catholic commitment in all its dimensions brings you advantages, recognition, and responsibilities of many kinds.

Being a registered parishioner makes things much easier when it is time for infant baptism, school registration, weddings, when asked to be a baptismal or confirmation sponsor, and even funerals.

We are often asked to provide affidavits for baptismal and confirmation sponsors. We can only do this if a person is a registered, active, and contributing member in our parish. How do you know if you are already registered? A registered parishioner receives all parish mailings. Most recently, a newly revised census form was sent with the summer newsletter and upcoming raffles. We ask that you complete that form — or complete it on the web: www.holyfamilynutley.org — as soon as you have the opportunity.

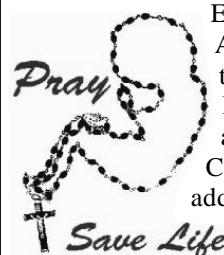
Have You Seen Our New Website?

Mike Ramos has done a really great job reworking the website and putting it out there on Facebook. Please take a few minutes to view. Visit: www.holyfamilynutley.org. If you'd like to drop Mike a line, his email is: somarmedia@gmail.com.



ROSARY FOR LIFE

Every second Saturday of the month, at 8:45 A.M., join us to pray the Rosary for Life at the former Social Security Building, 396 Bloomfield Avenue, Montclair, which is across the street from the Pilgrim Medical Center, a high volume abortion mill. For additional information or ride share information, please contact Anne and Mike Bennett at 973-759-6451.



Men's Prayer Group
PRAYER INTENTIONS

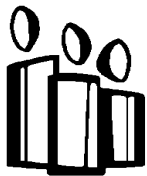
MPG would like to pray for your intentions. The prayers will be offered on Friday of that week at our gathering. Kindly place this intention request in the Sunday Collection or return it to the rectory.



Please list your intentions:

If you would like a prayer card sent as an acknowledgment of your prayer intentions, please include your name and address.

MEMORIAL CANDLES



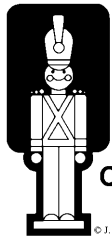
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The Chapel of Our Lady of Sorrows is a beautiful way to memorialize a loved one. If you are interested in memorializing someone with a candle in the Maria SS Addolorata Chapel, please fill out this form and return it with a check, made payable to HOLY FAMILY, in the amount of \$100 to the rectory.

Your Name: _____
 Address: _____
 Town: _____
 Telephone: _____
 Email: _____

Inscription on the candle: (Limit 20 characters per line; limit 2 lines)

Support the Filippini Senior Sisters' Annual Christmas Bazaar



Christmas Bazaar
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Please join and support our Filippini Sisters on

Sunday, November 4, 2012

12:00 - 5:00 P.M.

Villa Walsh

**Mother Ninetta Auditorium,
 455 Western Ave., Morristown**

Featured will be gift baskets, knitted and crocheted items, various crafts & household items, novelties, plants, ceramics, Christmas decorations and ornaments and good food!

Plan to spend an afternoon with your family visiting the beautiful grounds of Villa Walsh!

Time, 
Talent, 
& 
Treasure

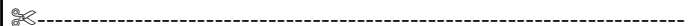
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NOMINATION FOR STEWARD OF THE MONTH

When deciding to nominate a person for the Steward of the Month Award, we should consider the following: The **TIME** that this person dedicates to parish activities, community events, personal time with others in need of assistance, spiritual aid and/or companionship. The **TALENT** that this person offers to the parish and community, willingly and lovingly. The **TREASURE** this person offers to the parish and community. Has he or she accepted the divine call to extend God's blessings on those less fortunate through personal sacrificial giving?

These are important factors to consider when proposing a person for nomination. Often a prayer to the Holy Spirit is helpful, too, in discerning the name for nomination.

Please fill out the nomination form and return it in an envelope marked "Stewardship Committee" to nominate a parishioner as Steward of the Month.



NOMINATION AS STEWARD OF THE MONTH

Nominated Parishioner: _____

Submitted by: _____

Evening Phone No.: _____

Reasons for the nomination (specifically and detailed as possible, use extra paper, if necessary):

Attention: Eighth Graders and their families interested in attending a Catholic high school in September 2013



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THE COOPERATIVE ADMISSIONS EXAMINATION

for participating Catholic High Schools in the Archdiocese of Newark will be administered on Friday, November 9, 2012.

Application forms and handbooks for this test and a listing of all Catholic High Schools and their admission requirements are available from:

- MCS at their Web site, www.coopexam.org or e-mail support@coopexam.org
- Catholic Elementary Schools of the Archdiocese of Newark
- Catholic High Schools of the Archdiocese of Newark

QUESTIONS or to obtain registration form, please call 1-888-921-2667 or visit www.coopexam.org.