



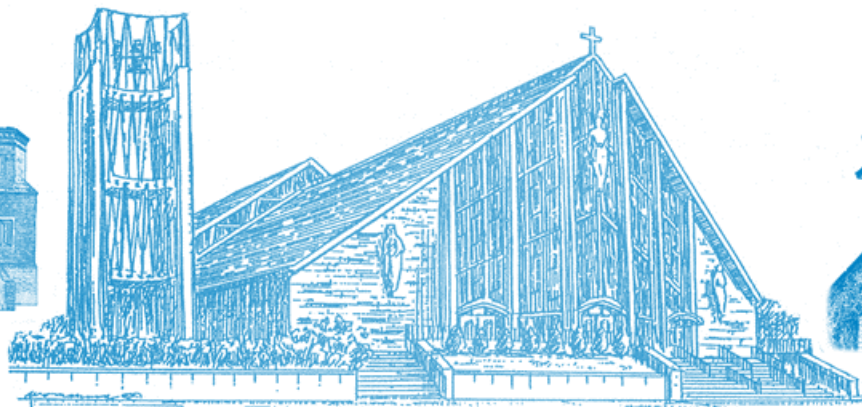
*Holy Family Church  
Nutley-Belleville*



## Our Journey Continues...



1938-1965



1965-present



1911-1938

**February 28, 2016**

**SERVED BY:**

**Pastor**

Rev. Joseph Ferraro, K.H.S.

**Parochial Vicars**

Rev. Mauro Primavera

Rev. Francesco Donnarumma

**Weekend Assistants**

Rev. Carmine Rizzi

Rev. Msgr. C. Anthony Ziccardi

**In Residence**

Rev. Matthew Kunnath

**Director of Religious Education**

Sr. Ella Mae McDonald, MPF

**Convent Superior**

Sr. Gloria Doria, MPF

**Good Shepherd Academy**

Sr. Jane Feltz, MPF, Principal

**Pastoral Associate**

Sr. Eileen Hubbert, SSJ

**Director of Music Ministry**

Ms. Susan Loricchio

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Mrs. Amy DiCristo & Mr. John O'Reilly

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Sr. Romilda Chiga, FSSE

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Sergio Pavone

**Development Committee Chairperson**

Mr. Paul Grillo

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Mrs. Gina Tamburri & Mr. Robert Collmier

**Stewardship Committee Chairperson**

Mr. Philip Hui

**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

During Lent: 5:30 PM on Wednesday only

**OFFICE HOURS:**

Daily: 8:30 AM - 12:00 Noon

1:00 - 4:00 PM

Monday Only: 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM

The Rectory is closed 12:00 - 1:00 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.

**ANOIDING 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 on the emergency phone, 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.parishpay.com](http://www.parishpay.com) or call 1-866-PARISH1

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28 Brookline Avenue  
[www.holyfamilynutley.org](http://www.holyfamilynutley.org)

Convent: 973-667-2050  
60 Harrison Street

Rel. Education Office: 973-667-6018  
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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..

**Third Sunday in Lent C-2016**



My Brothers and Sisters in the Lord:

The Lenten invitation to repentance is not merely a call to turn away from evil but a plea to produce the fruits of good living. The true question at hand is whether our love of God is evident in the way we treat others. We can begin at home, under our own roof, by being more aware and more sensitive to our family. It is so easy to take our family for granted and to forget that they are individuals in their own right who deserve respect.

Outside of the family circle, there are so many ways of showing love in the community. We can meet God by caring for the poor, the sick, the old and the lonely. All of us have received a tremendous amount from others. We might ask ourselves how concerned we are about giving something in exchange. Are we only takers and not givers? Reaching out to others in need demands getting out of ourselves and putting aside our selfish ways. The warning in the Gospel today regarding the unfruitful tree is not given to frighten us but, rather, to remind us that the time for doing good deeds is limited and fast running out. We cannot keep putting off good works indefinitely, otherwise there will come a time when there is no tomorrow and we will find ourselves wanting.

The season of Lent is an opportunity for taking a hard look at our lives and asking how we stand before God right now. If we find that we are so caught up with the material concerns that we have given a back seat to spiritual things, then we have forgotten the real purpose of why God gave us life. The real challenge which confronts us is to hoe the ground around our heart in the expectation that it will produce good fruit.

Peace,  
Fr. Joe



Congratulations and best wishes to Sr. Jane Feltz, M.P.F., our Principal at Good Shepherd Academy, and Rev. Scott F. Attanasio, alumni of Holy Family School, who have been honored for the Saint Joseph Award for Catholic Education. Both will be honored at the 2016 President's Dinner (Queen of Peace High School) to be held on March 13, 2016. It is truly an honor for our parish community. May

God bless them both as well as the others receiving special honors.

If you or someone you know wish to attend the President's Dinner, seats are \$125 per person. Dinner will be held at the Fiesta Banquet Hall in Wood Ridge. Cocktails beginning at 3:00 P.M. and the dinner at 4:00 P.M. Please call 201-998-8227 x-202 or email [chanson@qphs.org](mailto:chanson@qphs.org) for tickets.



The Filipino Apostolate will host a Lenten Day of Reflection on Saturday, March 19, 9:00 - 1:00 P.M., in the St. Joseph Center. Fr. Martin Okoro, Chaplain of St. Mary's (Hoboken University Hospital Medical Center) will lead the retreat.



**Attention all Eucharistic Ministers of Holy Communion:** Before leaving Mass, please make sure you pick up your next schedule and updated roster. They are located in the Sacristy of the church.

**FIRST HOLY COMMUNION CLOTHES NEEDED**

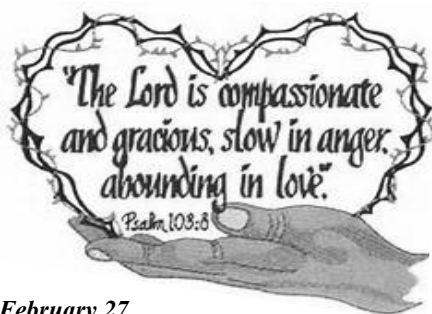
The Archdiocese of Newark will be organizing their third annual collection of gently used and new communion outfits. First Communion is usually celebrated when children are between the ages of seven and eight. It marks the first day on which a child is admitted to receive the Eucharist, the Body and Blood of Christ, the sacrament that unites us to Christ throughout our lives. A child's First Communion is a special day for any family and the Archdiocese of Newark is trying to make sure financial hardship does not stand in the way of it being as special as it can be.



The Office of Development and Stewardship will be collecting gently used, in good condition, Communion dresses/veils, suits and shoes for our inner city parishes, the Religious Sisters at the Cathedral Basilica of the Sacred Heart who know families in need, and any parishioner in need of one for their child. Last year over 400 dresses and 200 suits were distributed.

All items can be dropped off at the Archdiocesan Center, 171 Clifton Avenue, Newark, NJ beginning Monday, February 22 through Friday, April 1, between the hours of 8:45 AM and 4:00 PM. We will distribute the outfits in April. Please make sure all outfits are free of stains and clean.

If you are in need of a communion outfit please contact Tatiana Paredes at [paredeta@rcan.org](mailto:paredeta@rcan.org) or 973-497-4046 or Lynn Gully at [gullylyn@rcan.org](mailto:gullylyn@rcan.org) or 973-497-4589.

**Saturday, February 27**

5:30 PM Matthew Cardone...Wife, Maria  
7:00 PM John Picciano...The Picciano Family

**Sunday, February 28**

8:00 AM Ralph Martino...Gerry Brock  
10:00 AM Gabriella Michele Giannone...Mommy, Daddy, Liliana & Anabella  
12:00 PM Larry Corbo...Family  
7:00 PM Deceased of the Gengaro Family...Family

**Monday, February 29**

7:00 AM Kathryn Gordon...M/M David Vazquez  
8:45 AM Doris Roberts...M/M George Jones

**Tuesday, March 1**

7:00 AM Dorothy Natale...Antoinette Lombardi  
8:45 AM Laura Stevenson...Brother, Louis D'Alonzo

**Wednesday, March 2**

7:00 AM Most Rev. Thomas A. Donato...Lillian Kassel  
8:45 AM Maria Hanh...Rosy  
5:30 PM Charles Sheridan...Lynn Falduto

**Thursday, March 3**

7:00 AM Constance Roman Carnes...John Stefanelli  
8:45 AM Anthony D'Agostino...Angela DiMaggio

**First Friday, March 4 - World Day of Prayer**

7:00 AM Joseph Cocchiola...M/M Kevin Esposito  
8:45 AM Joseph Wasilak...Patricia Nitti  
Stations of the Cross: 6:45 English / 7:45 Italian

**First Saturday, March 5**

8:45 AM Special Remembrance Mass  
John & Eleanor Arthur                      Joyce Mauriello  
Leonard & Helen Cirillo                    Joseph Pisauro  
Sebastian "Sonny" Italiano                Henry Tamburri  
Alfredo Marcucci                              Anthony Testa  
Elmer & Hattie Walsh

Living & Deceased Members of All Parish Societies  
Deceased Sisters, Relatives & Friends  
Of the Religious Teachers Filippini

**Fourth Sunday of Lent****Saturday, March 5**

5:30 PM Frank & Marie Priore...Daughter, Maria  
7:00 PM People of the Parish

**Sunday, March 6**

8:00 AM John, Felicia & Son, John, Cantagallo  
    ...Dolores Contreras & Son  
10:00 AM Tony & Theresa DiMeo...Jerry & Anna Volpe  
12:00 PM Jo & Frank Albanese...Children  
7:00 PM Louis Rinaldi...Daughter, Marie

**STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE**

"He said to the gardener, 'For three years now I have come in search of fruit on this fig tree but have found none.'" (Luke 13:7)

Are you like the barren fig tree? How will you respond when God asks you what you have done with all the gifts He has given you? Remember, not only are we called to be generous, we are called to develop and nurture our gifts and return with increase.

**For Sunday, February 21, 2016,**

The actual collection was \$10,154.00;  
\$1,491.00 of which came from Parish Pay.  
The 2nd Collection for Snow Removal was \$2,444.00.  
Mass Attendance was 1,323.

***God Bless You For Your Continued Generosity!*****For Sunday, February 22, 2015,**

The actual collection was \$9,296.00;  
\$1,594.00 of which came from Parish Pay.  
The 2nd Collection for Property repairs was \$869.00  
Mass Attendance was 1,411.

**Memorials for the Week of February 28****Mother Cabrini Chapel Sanctuary Lamp**

Gabriella Giannone...Grandma & Grandpa

**Altar Candles**

Dr. Frank Datoli & Elaine Scerbo  
    ...Wife & Mother

**Altar Bread & Altar Wine**

Alphonse Barbieri...Joan Conforti

**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...***

Nicholas Cifelli, William Cottongin, Eugene Danchak, Jennifer Caramucci DeJesus, Daniel DePaul, Domenick DiLorenzo, Janet Ferruggia, Janet Graham, Toni Logiudice, Josephine Loricchio, Kenneth Matthews, Carolyn Messina, Philip Napoli, Emaline Palumbo, Laurie Palumbo, Debbie Pope, Joe Rego, Karen Sammartine, Richard Tyrapak, Charles Trupia, Stephen Verrengia, Margaret Yagens

***Please Pray for Those Who Have Died...***

Carol Valvano, Vincent Cappabianco, Mary DeJessa



The next meeting of the Rosary Altar Society is Monday, February 29, 7:00 PM, in the St. Joseph Center. The Executive Committee will meet at 5:45 PM in the Parish Center. Rosarians are asked to bring donations for the 90 Easter baskets to be assembled at the meeting. These 90 baskets will be distributed to the children at the Cerebral Palsy Center in Belleville and the Valerie Fund at Beth Israel Hospital.  
A sincere thank you to our parishioners and friends for your support in last weekend's Bake Sale.

**STEWARDSHIP OF TIME**

**Saturday, February 27**

1:00 PM Confession - Church  
 8:30 PM Neo-Catechumenate #1 - MCC  
 8:30 PM Neo-Catechumenate #2/3/4 - SJC  
 2<sup>nd</sup> Collection: Shared School Expenses

**Sunday, February 28**

8:30 AM Religious Education - GSA  
 10:00 AM Children's Liturgy of the Word - Church  
 1:00-3:00 PM Youth Group - SJC  
 50/50 Raffle Drawing immediately follows Noon Mass  
 2:45 PM Fatima Prayer Group - MCC

**Monday, February 29**

5:45 PM Rosary Society Board Mtg. - SA  
 7:00 PM Rosary Society General Meeting - SJC  
 7:00 PM Novena, Holy Hour Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament & Rosary - MCC  
 7:00-9:00 PM Choir Rehearsal - Church

**KEY**

**MCC** Mother Cabrini Chapel  
**MSA** Maria SS. Addolorata Room - Parish Center  
**SA** St. Anthony Room - Parish Center  
**SJC** St. Joseph Center  
**SLR** San Luiz Room - Parish Center

*To Teach as Jesus Did*


**TEACHING THE GOOD NEWS RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM (CCD)**  
**973-667-6018**

**Sunday:** Grades K-6, 8:30 AM-9:45 AM  
**Tuesday:** Grades 1-6, 3:30-4:45 PM ~ Classes for Spring Garden, Lincoln and Yanticaw Schools  
**Wednesday Evening:** (all schools) Grades 7 & 8 7:00-8:30 PM  
**Thursday:** Grades 1-6; 3:30-4:45 PM ~ Classes for Belleville #5, Washington & Radcliff Schools




**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.




**Save the dates!**  
 Holy Family Parish Mission  
 Year of Mercy 2016  
 Divine Mercy Sunday through Wednesday  
**April 2 - 6, 2016**



**Spring Bus Ride to AC**

The Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Women's Auxiliary is hosting another fun-filled bus ride to Caesars in Atlantic City on **Wednesday, April 20**. The fare is \$25. In return, guests will receive a \$20 voucher from the casino. The bus will depart from the Church (120 Prospect St., Nutley) at **9 a.m.** Please park in the Church lot. For reservations, call Dottie at 973-759-3189.



**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

Monday: 2 Kgs 5:1-15ab; Ps 42:2, 3; 43:3, 4; Lk 4:24-30  
 Tuesday: Dn 3:25, 34-43; Ps 25:4-5ab, 6, 7bc, 8-9; Mt 18:21-35  
 Wednesday: Dt 4:1, 5-9; Ps 147:12-13, 15-16, 19-20; Mt 5:17-19  
 Thursday: Jer 7:23-28; Ps 95:1-2, 6-9; Lk 11:14-23  
 Friday: Hos 14:2-10; Ps 81:6c-11ab, 14, 17; Mk 12:28-34  
 Saturday: Hos 6:1-6; Ps 51:3-4, 18-21ab; Lk 18:9-14  
 Sunday: Jos 5:9a, 10-12; Ps 34:2-7; 2 Cor 5:17-21; Lk 15:1-3, 11-32  
 Alternate readings (Year A):  
 1 Sm 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a; Ps 23:1-6;  
 Eph 5:8-14; Jn 9:1-41 [1, 6-9, 13-17, 34-38]



**GOT TALENT?**  
 Come and enjoy an afternoon of entertainment!  
 Talent Show to support the youth attending World Youth Day 2016 in Krakow, Poland  
 Sunday, March 6 | 4:00 PM - 10:00 PM  
 GSA Auditorium - \$15 Admission  
 Cash prizes for 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> place  
 Contact Genesis at 973-855-9419 by Friday, March 4, to register your act & purchase tickets



**GOOD SHEPHERD ACADEMY NEWS**


The Home School Association of Good Shepherd Academy will be selling Palm Crosses, Saturday & Sunday, March 12 & 13, and March 19 & 20, before and after all masses. The price of the Palm Crosses is \$10.00. Your support of GSA's children is valued and sincerely appreciated. God Bless you.

Junior Stewards conducted a Food Drive for the Holy Family Food Pantry last Sunday, Feb. 21. The wonderful citizens of our community helped to fill two truckloads of food household items and gift cards to assist local families in need. It was a wonderful learning experience for our children. Our deepest gratitude to Shoprite Nutley for allowing us to make our requests to the many generous shoppers. Thank you to all who came out and supported us.

★ Seven students placed in the top 10 of Essex County's Sumdog Math Contest! The top 10 students are based on the number of questions answered correctly, 1000 being the maximum score. An additional 15 students placed in the top 50. There's a total of 663 students from throughout the county participated during the contest. Congratulations to all our winners!

Catarina Pita (Grade 3, 1<sup>st</sup> place with a score of 991)  
 Nicholas Beyer (Grade 6, 2<sup>nd</sup> place - 985)  
 Sharon Pinto (Grade 2, 3<sup>rd</sup> place - 984)  
 Andrew Villaruel (Grade 6, 6<sup>th</sup> place - 968)  
 Nicholas Mendez (Grade 6, 7<sup>th</sup> place - 953)  
 Leah Lorent (Grade 1, 8<sup>th</sup> place - 940)  
 Katherine Tan (Grade 3, 9<sup>th</sup> place - 937)





# MARCH



Please note that the Mother Cabrini Chapel, during Lent, will be open every day  
**6:45 AM until 9:00 PM** for your own private prayer time and devotions.

## Tuesday, March 1

12:30 PM Adult Education - CANCELED  
7:00-8:30 PM Religious Ed Confirmation Class - SJC  
8:30 PM Neo-Catechumenate #1 - MSA

## Wednesday, March 2

10:00 AM Italian Class - SA  
8:30 PM Neo-Catechumenate #2 - SJC / #3 - SLR / #4 - MSA

## Thursday, March 3

12:15 PM Sassy Seniors—SJC  
4:00 PM Italian Class Children - SA  
7:00 PM Italian Class Adults - SA  
7:30 PM Bible Study - SJC

## First Friday, March 4 - World Day of Prayer

6:00 AM Men's Prayer Group - SJC  
6:00 PM Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament; Nocturnal Adoration until 8:00 AM tomorrow; Morning Prayer & Benediction  
7:00-8:00 PM Confessions - Church  
Stations of the Cross - 6:45 PM English &  
7:45 PM Italian - Church

## First Saturday, March 5

7:00 AM St. Patrick's Day Parade Line Up - SJC  
1:00 PM Confessions - Church  
8:30 PM Neo-Catechumenate #1 - MCC / #2-#3-#4 - SJC  
*2<sup>nd</sup> Collection - Monthly Archdiocesan Assessment & Easter Flowers / Beef Steak Dinner Tix on Sale in Church Vestibule*

## Girl Scout Sunday, March 6

8:30 AM Religious Education - GSA  
10:00 AM Girl Scout Mass / Children's Liturgy of the Word - Church  
1:00-3:00 PM Youth Group - SJC  
2:45 PM Fatima Prayer Group - MCC  
3:00 PM YG Living Stations Practice - Church  
4:00 PM Talent Show - Gym

## Monday, March 7

7:00 PM Novena - MCC  
12:30 PM Deanery Meeting - SJC

## Tuesday, March 8

12:30 PM Adult Education - SJC  
7:00-8:30 PM Religious Ed Confirmation Class - SJC  
8:30 PM Neo-Catechumenate #1 - MSA

## Wednesday, March 9

10:00 AM Adult Italian Class - SA  
8:30 PM Neo-Catechumenate #2 - SJC/#3 - SLR / #4 - MSA

## Thursday, March 10

4:00 PM Children's Italian Class - SA  
7:00 PM Adult Italian Class - SA  
7:00 PM Padre Pio - MCC  
7:30 PM Bible Study - SJC

## Friday, March 11

6:00 AM Men's Prayer Group - SJC  
7:00-8:00 PM Confessions - Church  
Stations of the Cross - 6:45 PM English &  
7:45 PM Italian - Church

## Saturday, March 12

10:00 AM Cursillo Meeting - SJC  
1:00 PM Confession - Church  
8:30 PM Neo-Catechumenate #1 - MCC / #2-#3-#4 - SJC  
*2<sup>nd</sup> Collection: Peter's Pence / Beef Steak Dinner Tix on Sale in Church Vestibule*

## Sunday, March 13 - "Spring Ahead!"

8:30 AM Religious Education - GSA  
10:00 AM Children's Liturgy of the Word - Church  
1:00-3:00 PM Youth Group - SJC  
2:00 PM Baptism Catechesis - MCC  
2:00 PM Mass in Honor of Our Lady of Sorrows - Church  
3:00 PM Fatima Prayer Group - MCC  
5:00 PM Filipino Mass

## Monday, March 14

7:00 PM Novena - MCC  
7:00-9:00 PM Choir Rehearsal - Church

## Tuesday, March 15

12:30 PM Adult Education - SJC  
7:00-8:30 PM Religious Ed Confirmation Class - SJC  
8:30 PM Neo-Catechumenate #1 - MSA

## Wednesday, March 16

10:00 AM Italian Class Adults - SA  
4:30-5:30 Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament - MCC  
5:30 PM Mass - MCC  
8:30 PM Neo-Catechumenate #2 - SJC/#3 - SLR/#4 - MSA

## Thursday, March 17 - Happy St. Patrick's Day!

4:00 PM Children's Italian Class - SA  
7:00 PM Adult Italian Class - SA  
7:30 PM Bible Study - SJC

## Friday, March 18

6:00 AM Men's Prayer Group - SJC  
7:00-8:00 PM Confessions - Church  
Stations of the Cross - 6:45 PM English & 7:45 PM Italian - Church;  
ST. JOSEPH SHARING TABLE immediately following the 7:45 P.M. Stations of the Cross - SJC

## Saturday, March 19 - Solemnity of St. Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary

9:00 - 1:00 Filipino Apostolate Lenten Recollection - SJC  
1:00 PM Confession - Church  
5:30 & 7:00 Masses Combined Tonight  
6:30 PM Beef Steak Dinner - Gym  
8:30 PM Neo-Catechumenate #1 - MCC / #2-#3-#4 - SJC  
*2<sup>nd</sup> Collection: Shared School Expenses*

## Palm Sunday, March 20

8:30 AM Religious Education GSA  
1:00-3:00 PM Youth Group - SJC  
3:00 PM YG Living Stations Practice - Church


2:45 PM Fatima Prayer Group - MCC


## Monday of Holy Week, March 21

**8:30 AM** Novena (*Note time change*)  
8:00 PM Chrism Mass at the Cathedral Basilica  
7:00-9:00 PM Choir Rehearsal - Church  
No Compassionate Friends Tonight



Palm Sunday

<p><b><u>Tuesday of Holy Week, March 22</u></b>                  12:30 PM Adult Education - SJC                  No Neo-Catechumenal Meeting this evening</p> <p><b><u>Wednesday of Holy Week, March 23</u></b>                  10:00 AM Italian Class Adults - SA                  4:30-5:30 Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament - MCC                  5:30 PM Mass - MCC                  No Neo-Catechumenal Meetings this evening</p> <p><b><u>Holy Thursday, March 24</u></b>                  9:00 AM Morning Prayer - Chapel                  7:00 PM Mass of the Lord's Supper - Church                  8:30 PM Neo-Catechumenate #1 - MDR; #2 - SJC;                  #3 - SLR; #4 - MSA                  11:15 PM Holy Hour - Church</p> <p><b><u>Good Friday, March 25</u></b>                  9:00 AM Morning Prayer - Chapel                  3:00 PM Liturgy of the Lord's Passion                  Collection: Shrines of the Holy Land                  7:00 PM Youth Group Presentation, "Living Stations of the Cross"</p>		<p><b><u>Holy Saturday, March 26</u></b>                  9:00 AM Morning Prayer- Chapel                  8:15 PM Easter Vigil Mass                  10:30 PM All Neo-Catechumenal Communities - Gym                  2<sup>nd</sup> Collection: "Easter"</p> <p><b><u>Easter Sunday, March 27</u></b>                  Masses: 8:00 &amp; 10:00 AM; 12:00 Noon                  There is NO 7:00 PM Mass today.                  50/50 Raffle Drawing immediately follows Noon Mass</p> <p><b><u>Monday, March 28</u></b>                  5:45 PM Rosary Society Board Mtg. - SA                  7:00 PM Rosary Society General Meeting - SJC                  7:00 PM Novena - MCC</p> <p><b><u>Tuesday, March 29</u></b>                  12:30 PM Adult Education - SJC                  No Neo-Catechumenal Meeting this evening</p> <p><b><u>Wednesday, March 30</u></b>                  10:00 AM Italian Class Adults - SA                  No Neo-Catechumenal Meetings this evening</p> <p><b><u>Thursday, March 31</u></b>                  4:00 PM Children's Italian Class - SA                  7:00 PM Adult Italian Class - SA                  7:30 PM Bible Study - SJC</p>
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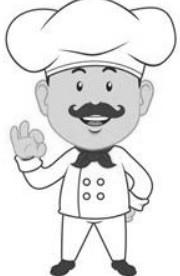


## Enrico Tamburri Memorial Foundation

### Annual Beefsteak Dinner

Saturday, March 19, 2016 - 6:30 pm -11:30 pm  
 Good Shepherd Academy Gym – 24 Brookline Avenue, Nutley, NJ  
 Catered by Nightingale's, dinner includes: Salad, Sliced Beef Tenderloin, French Fries, French Bread,  
 Wine, Bottled Water, Coffee, Espresso, Tea, Fresh Fruit and Dessert  
 Music by **ULTIMATE ENTERTAINMENT** Featuring Robert Frannicola  
 Adults: \$50.00 Children: \$25.00 (under 5 - free)


Please respond by March 12 - tickets are limited (detach and mail form below)  
 Proceeds benefit children and families in our community, a scholarship to a Good Shepherd Academy student and a local student,  
 and a donation to Holy Family Church - Thank you for your continued support!  
 Call Gina Tamburri for more information: 973-751-4187



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**ETMF Beefsteak Dinner Ticket Request - March 19, 2015**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # \_\_\_\_\_  
 Tickets requested \_\_\_\_\_ adults (\$50) \_\_\_\_\_ children (\$25)  
 We are not able to attend, but kindly accept the enclosed donation \_\_\_\_\_  
 Prize Fund Donation \_\_\_\_\_ (your donation will be applied towards the purchase of our raffle prizes)  
 Please return with check payable to: **ETMF**, 93 Rutan Road, Belleville, NJ 07109  
 We look forward to seeing you, Thank you in advance for your support! God Bless You  
 \*Monetary Donations (exclusive of dinner) are tax deductible



Although we appreciate the good intention, we must ask whomever has been leaving books on the steps of the Good Shepherd Academy to no longer do so. Why not donate them to the Nutley Family Thrift Shop on Chestnut Street where they can be sold and the money will benefit needy families? Thank you.




### Never Separated From God

*An hour of reflection, music and meditation for those who are divorced.*  
 Presented by Bruce Mauro M. Div., Director of Music, St. Mary's Church  
**Mercy: The bridge that connects God and humanity." - Pope Francis**

All are welcome! Wednesday, March 2, 7:00 P.M.  
 St. Mary's Church, 17 Monsignor Owens Pl., Nutley



For more information go to <http://stmarysnutleyoutreach.blogspot.com/>



A parishioner needs a 1 room studio or apartment.  
 Please call the rectory if you know of anything available locally.

### ARCHDIOCESE OF NEWARK - 2016 LENTEN REGULATIONS

1. The days of both Fast and Abstinence during Lent are Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. If possible, the fast on Good Friday is continued until the Easter Vigil (or Holy Saturday night) as the “paschal fast” to honor the suffering and death of the Lord Jesus, and to prepare ourselves to share more fully and to celebrate more readily His Resurrection. The other Fridays of Lent are days of Abstinence.

On a day of Fast, only one (1) full meal is permitted, **and two (2) smaller meals, which, if added together, would not exceed the main meal in quantity.**

Those between the ages of 18 and 59 are obliged to fast.

On a day of Abstinence, no meat may be eaten. Those who have reached the age of 14 are obliged by the law of abstinence.

2. The obligation to observe the laws of Fast and Abstinence “substantially,” or as a whole, is a serious obligation.

3. The Fridays of the year, outside of Lent, are designated as days of penance, but each individual may substitute for the traditional abstinence from meat some other practice of voluntary self-denial as penance.

4. The time for fulfilling the Paschal Precept (Easter Duty\*) extends from the **First Sunday of Lent, February 14, 2016, to the Solemnity of the Holy Trinity, May 22, 2016.**

*\*Canon 920, §1. All the faithful, after they have been initiated into the Most Holy Eucharist, are bound by the obligation of receiving Communion at least once a year.*

### LENTEN OPPORTUNITIES, 2016

**STATIONS OF THE CROSS:** In the Chapel on Fridays at 2:00 P.M., (except First Friday, March 4); and in the Church at 6:45 P.M. (English); 7:45 P.M. (Italian), every Friday during Lent. **NOTE THE TIME CHANGE IN ENGLISH/ITALIAN STATIONS** On Good Friday, March 25, the Youth Group will present the Living Stations of the Cross.

**RECONCILIATION:** Saturdays at 1:00 - 2:00 P.M. (except Saturday, March 26, which is Holy Saturday); 7:00 - 8:00 PM each Friday during Lent. All Confessions will be heard in Church.

**LENTEN DAILY MASSES:** There are 2 daily Masses during Lent: Monday-Friday, 7:00 A.M. in the Chapel; Monday-Saturday, 8:45 A.M. in the Church. Mass will also be celebrated at 5:30 on Wednesday evenings in the Chapel.

### **EXPOSITION OF THE EUCHARIST:**

On Mondays at 7:00 PM, **Novena in honor of the Immaculate Heart of Mary and St. Jude** continues with **Holy Hour Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament** and the Rosary.

First Friday, March 4, Exposition at 6:00 P.M. with Nocturnal Adoration, sponsored by the Knights of Columbus until 8:00 A.M. Morning Prayer & Benediction.

On Wednesday evenings, 4:30 - 5:30, Mass immediately follows.

### **MARIA SS ADDOLORATA MASS**

During Lent, the Mass for the Devotees of Maria SS. Addolorata on the third Friday of the month is cancelled because of a time conflict with Stations of the Cross. The intentions for those Masses will be announced the following day at the 8:45 AM Special Remembrance Mass. We apologize for any inconvenience.

The annual Mass honoring the apparition of Our Lady of Sorrows in Castelpetroso on March 22, 1888, will be celebrated at a 2:00 P.M. Italian Mass on Sunday, March 13, 2016.

**FASTING & ALMSGIVING:** Operation Rice Bowls, which are available in the Church vestibule, help to support Catholic Relief Services care for the poor in developing countries. Please use the calendar and eat a *simpler* meal each week (fasting) and place your sacrifice (alms), the money you save in terms of eating a simpler meal, and return your sacrifice in the envelope provided on Palm Sunday, March 20<sup>th</sup>. “Let us eat simply so that others may simply eat.”

### **FORMATION**

- Bible Study on Thursday evenings, 7:30 P.M., in the St. Joseph Center. There is no Bible Study on Holy Thursday.

- **Catholic Men’s Conference: Saturday, March 5, 2016, at Seton Hall University**

This year’s theme is **“Be Not Afraid: Trust in His Mercy!”** Speakers for the English track will be **Patrick Madrid**, Best-selling author *“Why be Catholic?”* and radio host of “Patrick Madrid” show on the Immaculate Heart Radio Network & **Gus Lloyd**, Host of **Seize the Day** radio show in the Catholic Channel XM Radio.

Registration for both events is \$20. Priests & religious are free. The day includes continental breakfast.

**For registration** please visit our websites at [www.rcan.org/womenscommission](http://www.rcan.org/womenscommission) (WOMEN) or [www.rcanmenscommission.org](http://www.rcanmenscommission.org) (MEN). To register, please call 973-497-4545.

Please note that the Mother Cabrini Chapel will be open every day from **6:45 AM until 9:00 PM** for your own private prayer time and devotions.

**The Schedule for Holy Week will appear in a future bulletin**

### Men’s 190th Cursillo Weekend

**Men, looking for a spiritual weekend to deepen your Catholic faith?** Then consider the Men’s 190th Cursillo Weekend taking place **Thursday-Sunday, April 14-17, 2016**, at the Archdiocesan Retreat Center in Kearny. The spiritual weekend begins Thursday, 7:00 PM, and ends Sunday afternoon. **Fr. John Gordon, Fr. Joe D’Amico**, (pastor of Our Lady of the Lake, Verona) and **Deacon Vincent D’Agostino** (formerly of HF, Nutley) will be our spiritual advisors. Parishioners Arnold Liloia, Greg Miskell and Andrew Notare will serve on team. For more information, contact the weekend’s rector, Lou Costello: 973-661-9212.

If you wish to receive a statement of your 2015 donations to Holy Family Church, kindly submit your name, address and daytime phone number, along with the number of your donation envelope. You may also email your request: **hfclynn28@aol.com**

**Please do not call the rectory to request this information.**

You may drop this form in the collection basket on any Sunday.

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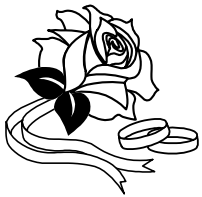
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**ARCHDIOCESAN ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION**



The Archdiocese of Newark is, once again, preparing the annual tradition of honoring those couples in the Archdiocese who will be celebrating five, twenty-five and fifty years of Christian marriage in the year 2016 . The Masses will be celebrated by Archbishop John J. Myers in the Cathedral Basilica of the Sacred Heart in Newark. Any questions or concerns should be addressed to the **Office of Family Life Ministries at 973-497-4323.**

The Archdiocese would love honoring every couple in the Archdiocese, who is deserving of such recognition, to be present at the appropriate liturgy. The presence of a large number of couples will give favorable witness to the strength and stability of Christian marriage in today's society. Interfaith couples are welcomed!

*Please fill out the form below and **RETURN IT PROMPTLY** to the rectory as each particular date has a deadline*

**Couple's Last Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date of Marriage:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Wife's First Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Husband's First Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_ **City/Zip:** \_\_\_\_\_

**5th & 25th Anniversaries: Sunday, April 24, 3:00 PM (due 10) / 50th Anniversary: Sunday, May 1, 3:00 PM (due April 18)**

**MARIA SS. ADDOLORATA  
CHAPEL MEMORIAL CANDLES**

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. You may request a beautiful card featuring the statue of Our Lady of Sorrows taken in our Maria SS. Addolorata Chapel.

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

**Name (s) on Memorial Candle:** \_\_\_\_\_  
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This is a new candle     Please renew this candle

Your Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Apt. # \_\_\_\_\_

Town: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_



**MEN'S PRAYER GROUP**



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.

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