

# The Catholic Church of St. Ann

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St. Ann Convent: 29 Second Ave., Raritan, NJ 08869 (908) 725-2256



## Mass Schedule:

Daily: Monday-Friday at 7:00am & 7:00pm; Saturday: 9:00am

Weekend Mass: Saturday Vigil: 4:00pm

Sunday: 7:30am, 9:00am, 10:30am, and 12 Noon

## Confession:

Saturday: 9:30am - 10:00am & 3:00pm - 3:45pm

## Baptism:

First Sunday of the month at the Noon Mass, as well as the second, third and fourth Sunday at 1:30pm. Instruction for new parents takes place on the second Saturday of the month at 10am. Arrangements are made with the rectory, 908-725-1008.

## Marriages:

The common policy of marriage requires that arrangements be made at least **One Year** before the date of marriage and before any social plans are made. Bride or Groom must be a parishioner. Please do not make any arrangements until you have met with the pastor, Msgr. Corona, and the wedding date has been approved.

## Ministry to the Sick:

Parishioners who are homebound are visited on the first Friday of each month by our Deacons & Religious. If you know of a parishioner that is seriously ill or hospitalized, please call the parish office.

## Lazarus Ministry:

Lazarus Ministry contacts and helps families of deceased parishioners. Providing greeters at funeral liturgies, preparing meals and house sitting are several ways parishioners assist families. Also, a Mass of Remembrance is held every November for those deceased that year.

**Rev. Msgr. Michael J. Corona, PA, KCHS, Pastor**

**Rev. John J. Werner, Parochial Vicar**

Rev. Msgr. James Cafone, S.T.D., Weekend Clergy

Deacon John R. Pacifico, Permanent Deacon

Deacon Conrad Paulus, Permanent Deacon

Sr. Dolores Toscano, M.P.F., Superior / Pastoral Associate

Sr. Mary Klersey, M.P.F., Principal

Sr. Phyllis Vella, M.P.F., Director of Religious Education

[www.stannparish.com](http://www.stannparish.com)

Email: [info@stannparish.com](mailto:info@stannparish.com)

## Parish Mission Statement

*Inspired by the Holy Spirit, we the Catholic Parish of St. Ann embrace all as family and continue Christ's mission by exemplifying the love of God and neighbor as stewards of God's gifts to us.*

## Sponsors & Godparents:

Must be 18 years old, registered as an adult and be confirmed in the Catholic Church. If you are married, your marriage must be recognized by the church. This is especially important if you wish to be a sponsor for Confirmation or a Godparent for Baptism. It takes **6 months** of attending Mass to be eligible for both of these privileges.

## Parish Religious Education Program (PREP):

Grades 1-8 Monday 6:15pm to 7:30pm

Grades 1-7 Thursday 6:15pm to 7:30pm

Special Needs PREP - Grades 1-8 Tuesday, 6pm-7pm

For more information and Registration packet, please call Sr. Phyllis in the Parish Office at 908-725-1008.

## Parish Registration:

Any new family who has moved into the parish, or adult children 18 and over, are invited to register at our parish after any Sunday Mass or visit the rectory 8 am to 4 pm Monday through Friday. Also, please notify us if you move.

## St. Ann School Registration - **Pre-K to 8th grade:**

Our dedicated and experienced faculty are committed to providing a quality education focused on Faith, Family and Community. Call us at 908-725-7787 for more information, to visit our school or to register your child(ren).

## Like us on Facebook:

We are excited to announce that we now have a Facebook page for the Church, which will include important information concerning activities and special dates. Please LIKE us at "The Catholic Church of St. Ann - Raritan, NJ."

# THE CATHOLIC CHURCH OF ST. ANN, RARITAN

## MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

### Monday, February 2, 2015

7am Philomena Vella by Sr. Phyllis  
7pm Bernard Corona by Msgr. Corona

### Tuesday, February 3, 2015

7am Mary Mahon by Deborah Scarpone  
7pm Vincent Simonetti by Bob & Pat Ronca

### Wednesday, February 4, 2015

7am Kevin Kienle by Gloria Friedgen  
7pm Henry Gary by The Dryl family

### Thursday, February 5, 2015

7am No Intentions  
7pm Josephine & Norman Czoch by Mary Shalamberger

### Friday, February 6, 2015

7am Mary Ann Dely by husband, John  
9am Giuseppe C. Varvaro by The Varvaro family  
7pm Howard Condo, Jr. by Esther

### Saturday, February 7, 2015

9am Domenico & Gregorio Grande by Caterina Grande & family  
4pm Ann & Carmine Amorosa by Mr. & Mrs. Starr Giovannucci

### Sunday, February 8, 2015

7:30am Eleanor Russo by husband, Joe  
9:00am People of the Parish  
10:30am Pasquale Suriano by wife, Immaculata Suriano  
12Noon Gennaro & Filomenia Pacifico by Deacon John & Dorothy Pacifico

## MINISTRY SCHEDULE

### SATURDAY, January 31, 2015

4:00pm **Eucharistic Ministers:** John Lamaestra & Cathy Stevens  
**Reader:** Rick Stevens  
**Altar Servers:** Jamie Mallinson, Billy Maxton, Carmen & Dominic Stangota

### SUNDAY, February 1, 2015

7:30am **Eucharistic Ministers:** Jo-Ann Liptak & Victor Nazario  
**Reader:** Carly Rodriguez  
**Altar Server:** Alexa Marsh & Lia Rodriguez  
9:00am **Eucharistic Ministers:** Chuck & Cindy Galvacky  
**Reader:** Theresa Walakonis  
**Altar Servers:** Amanda, Evie & Doug Sullivan  
10:30am **Eucharistic Ministers:** Barbara & Tom Ronca  
**Reader:** Dan Walsh  
**Altar Servers:** Andreea Chadwick, Kevin Sawtell & Sarah Tobia  
12:00 **Eucharistic Ministers:** Maria DeLucia & Joseph Mele  
Noon **Reader:** Silvia Sorace  
**Altar Servers:** Tyler Gee, Randy Behn & Damian Searchwell

## THIS WEEK OF FEBRUARY 1-7, 2015 WE REMEMBER AND HONOR

### ST. JOSEPH LAMP

Giuseppe C. Varvaro  
Requested by  
The Varvaro family



### ALTAR CANDLE #1 & 2

Regino Blanco  
Requested by  
Blanco family

## WILL PLANNING

Please remember "The Catholic Church of St. Ann" when planning your will. We appreciate the thoughtfulness of parishioners who in the past have left bequests to the parish. These gifts help us to build a solid foundation for future generations.



## OUR MILITARY

**Let Us Remember...In our prayers, the men and women serving in our Nation's Armed Forces.**

Major Michael A. De Cicco, U.S. Army  
Victor Dulay, Jr. U.S. Marine Corps  
LCpl. Matthew John U.S. Marine Corps



PFC Gavin John, U.S. Marine Corps  
CW4 Michael Lopez, Jr.  
Major Michael Morella, U.S. Army  
Sgt. Dan Neville, U.S. Marine Corps  
SPC Keith Ressa, U.S. Army  
PFC Daniel J. Salvo, U.S. Marine Corps  
Corporal Jonathan Schultes, US Marine Corps  
Major Louis P. Simon, U.S. Marine Corps  
PFC Jerome C. Sunga, US Army  
Jack Vara, U.S. Marine Corps

**May God bless them & keep them safe. Pray for the souls of those who have given their lives in service to our country.**

*(Please advise the Parish Office if your family member's military status or rank has changed, or if a name should be included, so we may update our list).*

## PRAYER LIST



Pat Adamo	Joanne Felty	Yolanda Polidoro
David Alves	Teresa Galaini	Fortunato Riga
Luzmanda Anthony	Anthony Gambino	Teresa Riga
Michael Brennan	Elizabeth Gecik	Frank Ratkowski
Chester Butkiewicz	Eleanor Giraldi	Mary Ribar
Joanmarie Carlone	Leonard Grasso, Sr.	Cosette Ruh
Albert Charles	Roberta Grillo	Anthony Sacino
Bruno Joe Cirianni	Ruth Gulick	Bill Salerno
Frances D'Angelo	James Holmes	Marianne San Filippo
Michele D'Angelo	Doris Kelco	Josephine Sapp
Angela DeFina	Joseph Kowalski	Phyllis Serafin
Mary Ann De Maio	Bernadette Laggini	Raffaella Simonetti
Ann Descoteau	Barbara Langon	Mary Shalamberger
Raymond Descoteau	MaryAnn Mangiaracina	Frank & Lucille Sudano
Maria M. Desiderio	Rosalie Marrone	Dolores Talamini
Theresa DiBetta	Giovanna Martini	Eva Terlizzi
Lydia Digioseppantonio	Louis Mattei	Anthony Tomaro
Mike Faccione	Victoria Melitsky	Tommarie Tibaldi
Carmela Fasano	Pauline Mengak	Carolyn Trepiccio
Mary & Richard Felice	Brenda Mracek	Marie Vale
Maria Fusca	Nancy Natale	Allison Valverde
	Adelino Nunes	Maria Varvaro
	Margaret O'Donnell	Richard Vetack
	Olga Orlando	Barbara Viola
	John Petsko	Vincent Viscariello
	P.G.	Carmella Vitale
	Gary Pieretti	Lisa Yoder

## READINGS FOR WEEK OF FEBRUARY 1, 2015

**Sunday:** Dt 18:15-20; 1 Cor 7:32-35; Mk 1:21-28  
**Monday:** Mal 3:1-4; Heb 2:14-18; Lk 2:22-40 or 2:22-32  
**Tuesday:** Heb 12:1-4; Mk 5:21-43  
**Wednesday:** Heb 12:4-7, 11-15; Mk 6:1-6  
**Thursday:** Heb 12:18-19, 21-24; Mk 6:7-13  
**First Friday:** Heb 13:1-8; Mk 6:14-29  
**First Saturday:** Heb 13:15-17, 20-21; Mk 6:30-34



## TAX LETTER

Anyone who would like an **end of year tax letter**, please call the office at 908-725-1008 or email [dbontempo@stannparish.com](mailto:dbontempo@stannparish.com).

ST. ANN'S FESTA COMMITTEE

St. Ann 2015 Festa (Wednesday, June 24 through Saturday, June 27)

This year we are trying to expand our that we can create a more profitable event. two chairpersons to volunteer. One chair- and the other in charge of marketing. bility of forming their own committees to



marketing and sponsorship of the Festa so To accomplish this feat we are in need of person will be in charge of sponsorship Each chairperson will have the responsi- help accomplish their specific tasks.

If you are interested please contact Donna at the Rectory Office, 908-725-1008 x113, or email her at [dbontempo@stannparish.com](mailto:dbontempo@stannparish.com).

ELECTRONIC GIVING

St. Ann's offers parishioners the opportunity to make Online Church contributions!

- Log onto [www.stannparish.com](http://www.stannparish.com), then scroll down, and click on St. Ann Parish Online Donation System.
- You will be connected to a secure site where you may enter your information.

Thank you for your continued support!

STRESS IN YOUR MARRIAGE.....

- Do you feel lost, alone or bored in your marriage?
- Are you frustrated, hurt or angry with your spouse?
- Are you constantly fighting? Or, do you simply shut down?
- Have you thought about separation or divorce?
- Does talking about it only make it worse?

...RETROUVAILLE is a Lifeline to **Help Couples Heal & Renew their Marriages**. The program consists of a weekend experience for married couples (no group discussions) with 6 follow-up sessions.

February 6-8, 2015

Comfort Inn & Suites (formerly Hampton Inn); Somerset

More information, please call Family Life office: 732-562-1990 x.1705 To register call: Tom & Pat McTague at 732-583-4468 (evenings); or Rich & Annette Colasuonno at 732-236-0671

All inquiries are confidential.

Sponsored by the Family Life Office/Diocese of Metuchen.

<http://diometuchen.org/offices-and-ministries/pastoral-life/family-life/marriage-enrichment/retrouvaille-weekend/>

PARISHIONER REGISTRATION

NO MATTER HOW OLD YOU ARE OR HOW LONG YOU HAVE ATTENDED MASS HERE, YOU MAY SHOW UP AS A CHILD ON YOUR PARENT'S REGISTRATION OR NOT SHOW UP AT ALL!!! WE WOULD LIKE VERY MUCH FOR YOU TO REGISTER AS AN INDIVIDUAL SO YOU CAN RECEIVE MAILINGS FROM US. PLEASE STOP BY THE PARISH OFFICE TO FILL OUT A REGISTRATION FORM; THIS IS ESPECIALLY IMPORTANT IF YOU WISH TO BE A SPONSOR FOR CONFIRMATION OR GODPARENT, ARE GETTING MARRIED, OR WISH TO BAPTIZE YOUR BABY.



2015 BISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL

Life-Changing Faith

Your gift to the Bishop's Annual Appeal supports the *Office for Multi-Cultural Ministries* which helps people of different ethnicities, cultures and tongues to remain connected to their Catholic roots by facilitating spiritual and pastoral care in a religious environment that is familiar to them. It also fosters among all Catholics a spirit of greater collaboration in living out the Catholic faith by promoting a greater respect and understanding for each other's ethnic, cultural and linguistic differences.

Your gift to the Bishop's Annual Appeal helps to make Building Intercultural Competence for Ministers Workshops available for parish staff and volunteers.

Status as of 01/23/15

To date, the Development Department has received pledges totaling \$50,509.48 and payments totaling \$49,217.98 from 237 parishioners. This represents 88.6% of your \$57,000.00 goal.

Thank you for your efforts.

FACEBOOK

We are excited to announce that we now have a Facebook page for the Church, which will include important information concerning activities and special dates. Please **LIKE US** at

"The Catholic Church of St. Ann-Raritan, NJ".



40 HOURS OF DEVOTION-Eucharistic adoration

St. Bernard of Clairvaux

Open with an evening prayer on Sunday, **March 8 at 7:30 PM** Will close with solemn procession at **7:30PM** on Tues, **March 10**. All are welcome to attend our Lenten Mission to adore the Lord in Eucharistic Adoration for 40 continuous hours.

To sign-up for a particular hour:

email at [stbchaff@gmail.com](mailto:stbchaff@gmail.com) or just show up.

For more information on hours of special prayer intention, recitation of the rosary, or evening prayer services, visit the website at [www.stbernardbridgewater.org](http://www.stbernardbridgewater.org).

Dear Sisters and Brothers,

It is said that the greatest victory the devil has won in our modern age is to persuade people not to believe in him. His greatest skill is to deceive people. If we believe in the devil at all, then it is often only as a sort of comic figure who prods people with his toasting fork. Even C.S. Lewis, who wrote a brilliant book called *The Screwtape Letters*, made the devil into a rather humorous figure. The book consists of letters that a senior demon, Screwtape, writes to Wormwood, his apprentice, giving advice about the ways in which he might deceive his victims. Screwtape tells Wormwood that their policy should be to conceal themselves for the moment but also to promote the idea that demons are really figures who don't have to be taken seriously. People can be tricked by their tactics. We can trivialise their significance by blaming the devil for every little mistake we make, "The devil must have got into me."

But in the New Testament the devil is no joking matter. In first-century Palestine, the world of the demonic was taken deadly seriously. The New Testament writers use the language of the demonic to describe the malignant forces they see at work in the world. This is how St. Mark sees the world into which Jesus comes. It was not neutral ground but occupied by Satan. The Messiah would have to be involved in a cosmic battle with him. The first challenge that Jesus faces is a struggle for forty days with Satan in the desert. As soon as he emerges from this encounter, Jesus announces the coming of the kingdom of God, which will break into the world through his own ministry. In today's Gospel Lesson, the battle begins as he performs an exorcism in Capernaum.

Jesus goes to teach in the synagogue. People are astounded at his authority because he shows in action as well as word how he can overcome the kingdom of Satan. He immediately clashes with the "unclean spirit" that possesses one of the congregation. The devil recognises Jesus not as a healer but as a destroyer: "Have you come to destroy us?" Then he tries to trick Jesus into submission by using two

names for him, Jesus of Nazareth and "the Holy One of God". It was believed that knowing someone's name gave power over that person. But Jesus is not deceived. He casts out the unclean spirit, who violently shakes his victim and screams out in defeat. The kingdom of Satan is pushed back as Jesus captures more ground.

Imagine such a scene at a Sunday Mass. What would people make of all that shouting and writhing in the sanctuary? It's not what we expect in church. But the biblical writers believed that Jesus was not just fighting against visible forces---as St. Paul tells us in our New Testament Lesson from Ephesians: "it is not against human enemies that we have to struggle, but against the Sovereignities and the Powers who originate the darkness in this world".

In our modern, scientific society we may be embarrassed by all this talk of demons and Satan. Modern medicine can certainly explain a great deal of the sickness and disease that we see in the Gospels. But a glance at the media today will remind us that evil behavior is still very much with us and it's not always easy to explain it away. On an individual level many people are taken over by powerful addictions, such as drugs, drink or pornography. They are imprisoned. Then whole societies and institutions can at times seem to be possessed by the urge to behave in an inhuman way, whether it is in the concentration camps of Europe, the battlefields of Syria or genocide in Rwanda. There can seem to be powers at work that are more than the sum of individual people's evil. This does not lessen our responsibility to recognize our own failure to speak out and to prevent evil behaviour taking place.

The good news of the Gospel is that Christ has won the victory over evil and we can share in his risen power. Evil will never have the final word. Jesus calls us to stand firm against evil and unjust behavior in this world. We do not need to be afraid, as we can know that he is with us and has won the victory over Satan and all his works.

May God *always* be pleased with us!  
**Monsignor Michael**



*Our Scripture Lessons remind us:*

...that the devil tries to persuade us that he does not have to be taken seriously;

...that Jesus casts out a demon as part of his campaign to establish God's kingdom;

...and that although we find it difficult to take talk of the devil seriously today, evil can still be found in our world; but the risen Jesus gives us power to overcome evil wherever it is found.

**May God always be pleased with us. Amen!**

**ST. ANN SCHOOL ALUMNI**

**50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of St. Ann School  
Let's celebrate together!**

If you are a graduate or know of any alumni to St. Ann School in the past fifty years, please contact the Parish Office at 908-725-1008 or email Donna at [dbontempo@stannparish.com](mailto:dbontempo@stannparish.com) to ensure that at least one graduate from each year is represented to form this committee to coordinate and organize the various events for the year celebration.



Tuesday, February 3 at 7 PM, there will be a St. Ann's School 50th Anniversary Reunion meeting at the Rectory Meeting Room. Anyone who is interested, please RSVP to Donna at 908-725-1008.

**MESSAGE FROM THE OFFICE OF STEWARDSHIP**

*"Brothers and sisters: I should like you to be free of anxieties."  
- 1 Corinthians 7:32*

How much anxiety do we bring upon ourselves by constantly worrying about not having enough or attaining more things? God won't necessarily give you everything you want, but He will provide everything you need. Try this - use the word "pray" instead of the word "worry" in the future.

**BISHOP BOOTKOSKI TO BE HONORED**

**at Catholic School Education Dinner**

The Most Reverend Paul G. Bootkoski, Bishop of the Diocese of Metuchen, will be presented the *St. John Neumann Award* at the 2015 Catholic School Education Dinner being held on April 14 at the Hyatt Regency in New Brunswick. The award, which is named for the "Father of the Parochial School System," is given to an individual who has demonstrated extraordinary leadership, commitment and dedication to promoting Catholic school education in the Diocese of Metuchen.

"Bishop Bootkoski has made Catholic schools a priority in the diocese and continues to be a strong proponent," said Rev. Msgr. Michael J. Corona, PA, KCHS, executive director of the diocesan Department of Education. "Our bishop is deserving of this honor which is also an expression of our gratitude for his ongoing support for the teachers, administrators, and most importantly the children attending our Catholic schools."

The proceeds from the Catholic School Education Dinner benefits the Foundation for Catholic Education Scholarship Fund which provides tuition assistance for low-income families whose children attend our diocesan Catholic schools. For dinner tickets, sponsorship opportunities and information about the basket auction and raffle, go to:

website at <http://tinyurl.com/2015EdDinner>,  
Email [educationdinner15@diometuchen.org](mailto:educationdinner15@diometuchen.org) or  
call 732.562.2452.

**MONTE CARLO NIGHT**



*Craps ~~~ Roulette ~~~ Blackjack*

**Saturday, February 21, 2015 at 6:30 PM**

*St. Ann's School Cafeteria*

\$35/pp includes:

Buffet Dinner, Venetian Table, Soda and \$25 in Gaming Chips.

*Cash Bar for Beer & Wine*

\*\*\*Purchase your tickets before January 12 to receive an extra \$25 in gaming chips\*\*\*

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.....and proudly presents:

**Grand Prize ~~~ "Fire on Ice" Raffle  
\$25 Raffle Donation**

**2 Seats in the DELTA SKY BOX  
NY Rangers vs. Washington Capitals**

March 29, 2015 at 3 PM



Raffle ticket proceeds benefit St. Ann School

*For more information or to purchase tickets contact  
Frank DeStefano at 908-635-0095 or email at [frank\\_destefano@hotmail.com](mailto:frank_destefano@hotmail.com)*

**BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT**

**A JOURNEY THROUGH GRIEF** *"Blessed are those who mourn for they shall be comforted."* If you are suffering over the death of someone you loved, perhaps the 8 week **Bereavement Support Group Sessions** may help you during this difficult time. The Group will be meeting **WEDNESDAYS** in the **Parish Teen Center** for 8 weeks.

**Mary, Mother of God; Hillsborough**

*January 21-March 11, 2015 from 7-8:30 PM*

**PRE-REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED**

**There is no fee.**

*Contact Trudy Madden at 908-874-6288 or  
Philomena Cellilli at 908-285-6053.*

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED...**

*Do you: Have a minimum of 3 hours a week to offer to a child?  
Like having fun?*

*Want to make a difference in a child's life?  
Enjoy being a positive role model?*

Volunteers are needed for the **Connections Program**. To participate in one-to-one activities and become a mentor to the youth of Middlesex County & Franklin Township. This program provides positive adult role models for children who have suffered loss or who have special needs. Many children are in need of this service.

Call: Jeanette Cullen - 732-738-1323 or

Email: [jcullen@ccdom.org](mailto:jcullen@ccdom.org)

*Catholic Charities ~ Diocese of Metuchen*

**WORLD DAY FOR CONSECRATED LIFE**

**Sunday, February 8, 2015 at the Noon Mass**

Cathedral of St. Francis of Assisi; Metuchen, NJ

**Celebrant & Homilist: Most Rev. Paul G. Bootkoski**

Honoring: Men & Women Religious 2015 Jubliarians

*For more information call 732-562-1990 x.102;*

*Email: [religious@diometuchen.org](mailto:religious@diometuchen.org); or*

*Website: <http://diometuchen.org/year-of-consecrated-life>*



# FEBRUARY 1, 2015 - FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

## ST. ANN SCHOOL NEWS

Dear Friends of St. Ann School,



St. Ann Parish and St. Ann School are very closely related. The bond between us is mutually advantageous. St. Ann Parish is nourished and replenished by the addition of St. Ann School families who are the future of the parish. St. Ann School is nourished by the prayers, guidance, and financial support of the parish.

The Knights of Columbus of St. Ann Parish recently hosted a spelling bee for our 8<sup>th</sup> graders. The students interacted with the members of the SSgt Basilone Council and participated in their first formal official spelling bee. It was a learning experience that strengthened not only spelling skills but also gave students the opportunity to interact with adults other than family and school personnel.

After the event, the Knights had a snack buffet set up for the class. This was an opportunity to use social skills built over the years in a real life situation. I must say that both the students and the Knights enjoyed the interaction. It gives me great pleasure to see this because the skills needed to stand confidently with another generation of people is not an easy one to acquire, yet our students were polite and engaging. I am also proud to announce that our winner, Alexa Marsh and second place winner Carly Rodriguez will go on to the Diocesan Bee which will be held later in the year. Our third place winner Jenna Kozic is also to be congratulated.

Yes, it is true that you can always use technology in one form or another to check spelling. But, spelling is one of those skills which develops in human beings over time. It is quicker to spell correctly the first time than to search for a correction during editing. More is involved. Spelling with technology relies on knowing how to pronounce the word, the meaning of the word, and a sense of the difference between the word of choice and other similarly spelled words. Like penmanship, it is an art. Like fine wine, it matures over the ages. I am proud to say that spelling is formally taught here at St. Ann School. Spelling and penmanship give a person a cultural and communications edge in life. We are delighted to continue this tradition at our school.

Thank you for continuing to nurture the bond that unites us, our faith.

God bless you,

Sr. Mary Klersey, MPF  
Principal

## SCRIP - GIFT CARDS



**Gift Cards** are always available for purchase at St. Ann School or the Rectory.

## AMAZON SMILE

Amazon will donate .5% of the price of your eligible **AmazonSmile** purchases to the Catholic Church of St. Ann and St. Ann School whenever you shop on AmazonSmile.

**Website:** <https://smile.amazon.com/ch/22-1610843>



## OUR PARISH WEEK AHEAD

### Sunday, February 1, 2015

Mass: 7:30am / 9am / 10:30am / 12N

- 9a - RAS Corporate Communion Mass (C)
- 10-11a - RAS Meeting (CMR)
- 1:15-1:45p - Jr. Youth Group Meeting (SC)
- 1:45-2:30p - Youth Group Meeting (SC)
- 7p - BINGO (SC)

### Monday, February 2, 2015

Daily Mass: 7am and 7pm

- 6:15-7:30p - PREP classes
- 7:45p - FESTA meeting

### Tuesday, February 3, 2015

Daily Mass: 7am and 7pm

- 11a - Hospital Visitor meeting (CMR)
- 6-7p - Special Needs Prep (S)
- 7p - Reunion meeting (RCR)
- 7:30-9p - Columbiette meeting (CMR)
- 7:30p - BINGO (SC)

### Wednesday, February 4, 2015

Daily Mass: 7am and 7pm

- 12:30p Dismissal
- 5-8:30p - Choir Practice (CL)

### Thursday, February 5, 2015

Daily Mass: 7am and 7pm

- 6:15-7:30p - PREP classes (S)

### Friday, February 6, 2015

Daily Mass: 7am and 7pm

- 7:30-9p - Youth Group - Open Gym
- 8-9p - Santo Nino Novena

### Saturday, February 7, 2015

Daily Mass: 9am                      Vigil Mass: 4pm

Food Drive

### Sunday, February 8, 2015

Mass: 7:30am / 9am / 10:30am / 12N

- Food Drive
- 8-11:30a - KOC Parish Breakfast (*special Valentine's Day menu*)
- 9a Mass - 50th Anniversary for Nicola & Caterina Grande  
Blessing by Fr. John (C)
- 10-11a - RAS Meeting (CMR)
- 10:30a Mass - 1st Communion families (C)
- 12n Mass - Confirmation attending (C)
- 1-2p - Confirmation group (SC)
- 7:15p - KOC 1st Degree practice (CMR)
- 7p - BINGO (SC)

## BINGO

**EVERY SUNDAY at 7 PM &**

**TUESDAY at 7:30 PM**

*Doors open 1-1/2 hours prior to game time.*

**ST. ANN SCHOOL CAFETERIA**



## SOCIAL MINISTRY

### Calling all drivers.....

We are in need of a driver to assist a local parishioner. She needs a ride into Flemington on Tuesday and Friday mornings. Please contact Christine at the rectory office at 908-725-1008 or email at [cesposito@stannparish.com](mailto:cesposito@stannparish.com). Thank you in advance for helping those in need.

## WISH LIST



St. Ann School is looking for donations to fix or buy an **INDUSTRIAL FREEZER** for our school kitchen. If you are able to donate, please contact the rectory at 908-725-1008.



St. Ann School is in need of \$350 towards **NURSING SUPPLIES**. If you are able to donate, please contact St. Ann Parish at 908-725-1008.