



December 17 & 18, 2016

SATURDAY

5:00 PM (HN) Joseph Lehmann r/b Workman Family
John Kodluck r/b Perpetual Adoration
Apostolate

SUNDAY

8:00 AM (SC) For the Parishioners
Bernie & Irene Costello r/b Their Family

10:00 AM (HN) Robert Ceplo r/b Janet Walt & Lauren
Yansick
John McDermott r/b Dolores McDermott

12:00 PM (SC) Maren Reimbold r/b Bernice Novak
Marie Candeloro r/b Judy & Art Little

December 19 - 24, 2016

Monday (HN) Catherine Wixted r/b Mary Lipski

Tuesday (SC) John S. Garrett r/b Marie Garrett

Wed. (HN) Pontifical Mission Society
Timothy Dorr r/b Jeanne Dorr

Thursday(SC) Joseph Bonner r/b Bonner Family

Friday (HN) Jeff Bautz r/b His Family

Saturday (SC) NO DAILY MASS TODAY

December 24 & 25, 2016

SATURDAY ----- Christmas Eve

5:00 PM (HN) Kurlecki, Gangemi & Venuto Families r/b
Vita Gangemi & Joanne & Al Kurlecki
Charles "Bud" Seiger & Josephine
Heininger & Audrey & Rosemary
DiGennaro r/b Family

10:00 PM (SC) Padula & Bowker Families r/b Pat
Bowker
Chester "Cherry" Jankowski r/b Wife,
Tessie

SUNDAY ----- Christmas

8:00 AM (SC) For the Parishioners
Jeanette Schneider r/b Maryann Saia

10:00 AM (HN) James & Jennie Jones r/b Nancy Kerrigan
& Family
John Taylor r/b Anne Louise & Family

12:00 PM (SC) Gert & Joe Provenzano & Fred Zampino
r/b Patsy, Jimmy, Trish & Christina
Nicole & Paul Popick r/b Family

LIFE AT RESURRECTION

- 12-18 -Fourth Sunday of Advent
-RCIA 10AM/Office
- 12-19 -SVdP Mtg. 7PM/R6
-AA 8:00 PM/R7
- 12-20 -OSF Rosary & Mtg 1 PM/R1
- 12-21 -Children's Choir 6PM/HNC
-Boy Scouts 7PM/office&gym
-Cub Scouts 7PM/R6
-Children's Choir 6PM/HNC
- 12-22 -Have a wonderful Christmas!
- 12-23 -Choir Rehearsal 7:30PM/HNC
- 12-24 -AA 11:00 AM/R7
- 12-25 -Christmas



LAMPS - ST. CASIMIR

**The Lamp of Remembrance is for a Special Intention.

LAMPS - HOLY NAME

**The Adoration Votive is In Memory of Jim Dougherty from Bernadette & Carolann.

Parish Office

In observance of Christmas, the Parish Office will be closed on Friday, Dec. 23 and Monday, Dec. 26. The office will re-open on Tuesday, Dec. 27.

GOD'S PLAN FOR GIVING

Dec. 11, 2016 Collection Total \$9,722.00

Online Giving - Dec. 4, 2016 - \$819.00

Thank you to everyone who has given responsibly! We encourage all to support your parish!

*****sign up for electronic giving on our web site:
[www. Resurrection2.org](http://www.Resurrection2.org)**



PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY

We pray for the safety and the Lord's protection of our men and women in the military especially Laura Belko, Joseph Maute, Jr., Mike Minnis, Kevin Quinn, Becca Rains

Manco, Michelle Aleszczyk, Ciera Franklin, Dean Holzapfel, Steven Wallis, Joseph Keller, Joseph J. Vogel, Joseph William Maduzia, Joseph Henry, Connor Murt, Bryant Murt

PRAY FOR THE SICK

Susan Alfred, Peter Altadonna, Stanley Awdiok, Baby Jackie, Krista Balderman, Joe Bascio, Stephen Berrigan, Larry Bopp, Marge Borkowski, Gen Branca, Anthony Briggs, Morris Burton, Anthony Cannone, Thalia Carucci, Tom Caulfield, Marian Coppola, David Covell, Helen Criste, Eileen Deravidissian, Joseph C. Diamond, Jr., Joseph Dobson, Ted Dorsay, Fabrizio Esposito, John Felthaus, Natalie Fletcher, Betty Fox, John Fuegel, Joan Garland, Jimmy Haran, Jean Henning, Tom Hildenbrand, Madeline Hynes, Sal Inzerilla, Tessie Jankowski, Emma Kenney, Mary Koch, Dottie Ladzinski, Hank Lafferty, Annette Lasko, Dolly Laudenslager, Matt Laverty, Shirley Law, Kristina & Raina Layden, Rita Lowe, Frank & Sophie Maduzia, Edward Mankovich, Anne Marasa, Alyssa Marrocco, Amy Martin, Virginia Mucciantente, Meg McDaniel, Hank McKee, Sean Meehan, Patrick Miller, George Myers, Lois Nark, Bernard & Verna Nick, Al Nuckowski, Veronica Olgiati, Christopher Paolini, Daniel Pywell, Tillie Reed, Joel Rivera, Lena Robles, Peggy Russick, Nicolette Rosati Russo, Matthew Seaborn, Elliot Blake Shields, Taylor Shuttleworth, Maryann Smargisso, Alex Stanuikynas, Theresa Still, Mary Szymkowiak, John M. Taylor, Jennie Urban, Robert Vinis, Steve Woodward, Regina Zaleski, Connie Zebrowski

Shop Rite Gift Cards

Help your parish by purchasing Shop Rite gift cards from the Altar Rosary Society to purchase your groceries. Shop Rite cards are sold after all weekend Masses. You pay the face value for the card, but the parish gets a percentage back, so it doesn't cost you a penny extra, but your parish benefits! Please support this program!!!

Parish Mission Statement

Our mission, as a Catholic parish family, is to reach out to our brothers and sisters to share the gospel message of Jesus Christ. We will create a welcoming environment that will respect their needs and embrace them with Christ-like hearts.

New Parishioners

Contact the Parish Office to register at your earliest convenience. Registration is needed to be a sponsor.

Weekend Liturgies

Saturday Vigil: 5:00PM – Holy Name Site
 Sunday: 8:00AM & Noon – St. Casimir Site
 Sunday 10:00AM – Holy Name Site

Daily Liturgies

Mon. – Wed. - Fri. , 9 AM - Holy Name Site
 Tues. - Thurs. - Sat., 9AM - St. Casimir Site

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays 4:00 – 4:30PM – Holy Name Site
 Immediately following Daily Mass on
 Wednesdays at Holy Name &
 Thursdays at St. Casimir

RCIA

Those interested exploring the Catholic faith are asked to call the Office for further information.

Baptism

On Sundays (Holy Name @ 12:00 pm) (St. Casimir @ 1:30 pm) . Call the Parish Office to register.

Marriage

Contact Parish Office one year in advance.

Ministry to the Sick

Call the Parish Office if a family member is ill and wishes a visit from a parish minister.

Parish Office (856) 461-6555

Parish FAX (856) 461-1293

Office Hours - Monday - Friday

9:00 am - 1:00 pm & 2:00 - 4:30 pm

(**closed for lunch from 1:00 - 2:00 pm)

REGIONAL CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

Holy Cross High School

Burlington County's Catholic High School

Kim Chiarelli - Director of Admissions

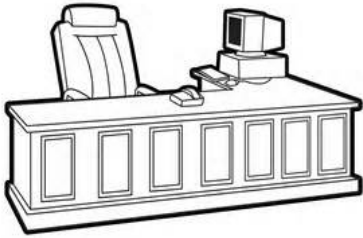
856-461-5400, ext. 3007

Pope John Paul II Regional School

Burlington County's Catholic Grade School

Call for a tour or more information

609-877-2144



From Fr. JC Maximilian's Desk "Christmas is Nearly Upon Us"

Christmas is nearly upon us. Are you ready? What does that question mean to you? If you would answer, "Well, I have all the presents for the kids, but I still need something for Grandma and Grandpa, and I haven't even begun the Christmas cards," then you have missed the main point of Advent. But that's OK, because there is still time.

Of course, I realize that there are gifts to be purchased and wrapped (I thank God for gift bags because wrapping is an exercise of frustration and humility for me), and I too need to start my Christmas cards. However, the real preparation that we need to make is for the coming of Christ. Like I said, if the practical preparations for Christmas have caused you to lose focus, it is not too late – you still have a week to center your life around Christ Jesus.

Advent has been about expectation. What have we been expecting? In this weekend's first reading, King Ahaz has been expecting the worse. He is the king of Judah, the southern kingdom, and his capital, Jerusalem, is surrounded by the armies of Israel (the northern kingdom) and Syria. He has lost the main battle, and is now wondering if they can withstand a seize. That is actually why Isaiah the prophet has to meet him at "the conduit of the upper pool" – Ahaz is checking on the water supply for the city. He is being very practical, and not very hopeful. God sends Isaiah with a message of hope – a savior will be given, born of a virgin, named "God with us." Sadly, this message of hope is lost on Ahaz, who is too focused on the practical to waste time expecting a Messiah.

In today's Gospel, we hear of the fulfillment of this promise of hope. Mary, a virgin, will become the mother of "God with Us," the mother of Jesus, who will save us from our sins. The memory of His birth 2000 years ago is what we will celebrate on Christmas, and His coming again at the end of time is what we are expecting. Yet we should be expecting and celebrating one more thing – Jesus' presence in our lives right now. God is truly with us. Will we open our eyes to see Him? Will we open our hearts to adore Him? Will we open our arms to embrace Him?

Please take a bulletin home for the schedule of Christmas Masses, and share it with your family and friends who may be in visiting from out of town. Basically it is our regular weekend schedule; a 5 PM on Christmas Eve at Holy Name, and 8 AM and Noon at St. Casimir and 10 AM at Holy Name on Christmas. The only addition is the 10 PM Mass, at St. Casimir, on Christmas Eve.

Reflect on the Word of Jesus Christ

December 18, 2016

Fourth Sunday of Advent

WOW, To Trust Like Joseph!



Sometimes we get so furious over our plans changing, we are sure all is ruined! Our life is ruined! Do we stop and think.... that it may be a God change..... This change certainly was.

It was to bring about the birth of our Savior! Although confused, Joseph listened attentively to the Angel of the Lord and put all his trust in God!

In making this decision, Joseph agrees to a new timetable in his life's journey. In giving the child of his wife Mary, the name Jesus, as the angel directed; Joseph chooses to be the child's legal father. He takes on the immense responsibility of keeping both Mary and her child safe and protected. His act of faith shows how much Joseph trusted in God. Joseph wants to help make sure that Emmanuel will come into our world. He knows that even in the most confusing of situations and unlikely series of events, that God is with us now and forever!!



Adult: Jesus; so many times I have had changes in my life plan, I always get so upset but once I put the "new" plan in your hands; I am able to accept and work with you through prayer.

Child: Sometimes a change of plans can really be pretty cool, once we get over the shock! Help me Jesus to always pray to you when there is a change of plans.



**RESURRECTION CONFERENCE
SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT de PAUL
HELP LINE: 461-1131**



Baptism

We welcome Philip Joseph Michaels who was baptized in our Catholic faith last weekend and we congratulate his parents!

Join Rev. J.C. Garret

on a

Pilgrimage to Fatima & Lourdes

To celebrate the 100th Anniversary

of the Fatima Apparitions

October 7 - October 17, 2017

For complete details join us for a meeting

January 26, 2017 at 7:00pm

Parish of the Resurrection

260 Conrow Road

Delran, NJ 08075

or contact Graycar Travel

800-214-6723

Pray for the Deceased

Please remember Henry Rudzinski, Sr. and Geri Gonzaga in your prayers. Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord.

St. Max Library News



We have some new titles in the kids section of our library for our youth to check out! They were donated by parishioners, and we wish to thank them for their donation. The new books are: Journey to the Cross, Baminelli Sunday (A Christmas Blessing), Lives and Legends of the Saints, Christmas in the Barn and Twas the Night Before Christmas. Please come check these books out. We still need some books for our Kids section of the St. Max Library, if you have any you would like to donate please call Trish at 461-6555.

Twelfth Night Tickets

Altar Rosary members selling Shop Rite cards have tickets and reservations for Twelfth Night . Please see them to get your tickets! **It is highly recommended that advance tickets and table reservations be purchased in advance!!

New Year's Eve

The St. John Neumann Council #1436 Knights of Columbus will hold its annual New Years Eve Party on Saturday December 31 from 9 pm to 1 am at the Council Hall in Delran NJ. Buffet, Open Bar, DJ and Dancing for \$45 per person in advance, \$50 day of event. Please contact John Howey (856-912-7163) or Ray Henry (609-670-6565) for tickets or information.



ARE YOU HAVING A WEDDING ANNIVERSARY?

"Building Strong Marriages"

4th Sunday of Advent: St. Joseph obeyed God's will, even though that meant he had to change his mind and do something that he initially thought didn't make sense. How do you open yourself up to God's will in your life? Is there anything going on right now or any major decisions coming up that you should seek God's will about? How are you going to do that?

Here at Resurrection Parish we are also promoting "Building Strong Marriages," by offering a special anniversary blessing for couples celebrating their wedding anniversary each month. We ask couples who are celebrating an anniversary to let the parish office know by the last Monday of the month prior to their anniversary; for example, if your anniversary is in December, you would let the office know by the last Monday in November (however, since we are getting a late jump on this, just for December anniversaries, you have until the first Monday of December to let the office know). Let us know your name, your anniversary date (it is up to you if you want to include the year), and which Mass you generally attend. The second weekend of the month will be the weekend in which we celebrate all the anniversaries for that month. We will have all the month's anniversaries listed in the bulletin, and at each Mass that weekend we will have a pew reserved for the couples. After the homily, the couples will be invited to stand for a renewal of their commitment to each other which is in the new "Order of Celebrating Matrimony" that the Church just published. We will have a card for the couple with the "Renewal of Commitment" prayer that the couple will say. Then, after the Our Father, the priest will give the couple a special blessing.

The public witness of the couple's faithful, permanent, and fruitful love for each other is a tremendous service to the whole Church as it testifies to Christ's own love for the Church. We are all looking forward to celebrating matrimony each month.

Congratulations to Frank & Margie Gatti celebrating their 45th Anniversary today, December 18th!

Amazon Smiles Benefits St. Vincent dePaul Conference

Resurrection Conference of St. Vincent de Paul has a link that makes it easier to fund and support our organization:

<http://smile.amazon.com/ch/11-3819626>

Once you select our organization, our conference will receive .05% of the price of your purchases. Last year, we received \$35.00. With your help we can significantly increase this amount.

Thank you & God Bless You!



HOLY CROSS ACADEMY IS ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS FOR 2017-18 SCHOOL YEAR!

\$2000 GRANT AWARDED TO ALL PARTNER SCHOOL 8TH GRADERS PLANNING TO ATTEND HOLY CROSS.

DEADLINE FOR APPLICANTS WISHING TO BE CONSIDERED FOR ADDITIONAL SCHOLARSHIPS IS DECEMBER 16TH.

PLEASE VISIT WWW.HOLYCROSSACADEMY.ORG FOR MORE INFORMATION.



Schwan's Fundraiser

Our Schwan's Cares fundraiser for Youth Ministry runs through April 3rd. Until January 3rd we earn 20% of product and 40% of eGift card sales that can be used anytime. Our parish website (www.resurrection2.org) has a link to our Schwan's Cares fundraiser or you can phone in your order by using the toll free number (1-855-870-7208 opt 1). You can also sign in to <http://www.schwans.com/> and use our NEW CAMPAIGN ID 29622 at checkout. If you are new to Schwan's simply select the delivery day and time when you check out. Please take and share a Holiday catalog from the tables in back of the churches. Christmas cookies and other tasty items and recipes are available for your holiday entertaining. Martha Griffin, coordinator 609-410-7278

Christmas Decorating

Deacon Bill Briggs and our environment volunteers could use a hand this year decorating for our Christmas celebrations at both churches. They will be decorating at Holy Name Church on December 23 at 10am and St. Casimir Church on December 24 at 10am. If you would like to volunteer to help, please call Trish at 461-6555 or email resurrection2@comcast.net Come help us prepare the way!

BULLETIN DEADLINE

Notices for the January 1 bulletin must be received in the office by 9AM, Wednesday, December 21.

BINGO - St. Paul's Burlington

St. Paul School Bingo (Burlington, NJ) gathers every Sunday in the school cafeteria at 7 PM (it is best to arrive before 6:30 pm). Bingo is an enjoyable activity intended to support our school and promote socialization among adults. Bring a couple of friends with you, or come alone and make new friends! In addition to the 10 games included in the \$5 admission, there are four pay-to-play special games including a PROGRESSIVE Jackpot! The progressive jackpot on 12/11 was estimated to be \$1,000+. Participants must be 18 years or older to play. Come join the fun! Call Holly (609-760-7502) or Matt (609-744-9805) with any questions. We hope to see you at St. Paul School Bingo this Sunday! Address: 250 James Street, Burlington, 08016!

Please Remember...

We ask you to remember Sr. Mary Fabine Zakrzewska, OSF who died at St. Joseph's Villa in Reading PA back on November 5th. Sister entered the Bernadine Order in August, 1944 and was in her 73rd year of religious life. Please remember her in prayer this Christmas season!



Christmas Mass Schedule - 2016

Saturday, December 24

**5:00 PM at Holy Name
10:00 PM at St. Casimir**

Sunday, December 25

**8:00 AM at St. Casimir
10:00 AM at Holy Name
12:00 PM at St. Casimir**

**New Year's Eve & Day
follows a regular
weekend Mass schedule**

Christmas Wafers - Oplatek



The Christmas Wafer (Oplatek) comes from a tradition of sharing an unleavened wafer with family and friends during the Christmas season in a spirit of love and friendship. Christmas packages of the Oplatek wafers are available in the parish office, Conrow Rd., Delran, weekdays from 9 AM - 4PM

Resurrection Parish Faith Formation Program

December 18, 2016 - Fourth Sunday of Advent

Let the Lord enter; he is king of glory! Psalm 24

During Busy Times A Prayer For Our Family



The day of joy returns, Father in Heaven, and crowns another year with peace and good will. Our family prays to you....

Help us rightly to remember the birth of Jesus, that we may share in the song of the angels, the gladness of the shepherds, and the worship of the wise men.

Close the doors of hate and open the doors of love all over the world.

Let kindness come with every gift and good desires with every greeting. Deliver us from evil, by the blessing that Christ brings, and teach us to be merry with clean hearts.

May the Christmas morning make us happy to be thy children, and the Christmas evening bring us to our bed with grateful thoughts, forgiving and forgiven, for Jesus sake.
Amen.

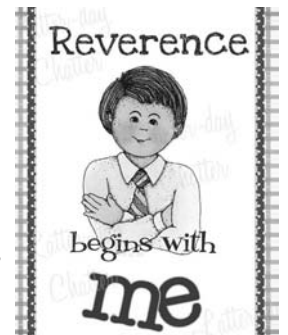


On Teaching Children Reverence in Church.

Like silence... awe and reverence for God may be foreign to children today. No one in our children's world is exempt from skepticism or ridicule. Catechists and parents should not only teach young people respect for one another but also reverence for God.

Before going to church with their groups, catechists should talk about sacred space and teach that Jesus Christ in the Eucharist is really in the tabernacle. It is important to ask for students to enter in silence and teach them to genuflect, because this is so different from

conventions anyplace else they go. Be sure to explain that they are taking a knee to Jesus, their king, just as people do to honor an earthly king. (It's also OK to mention Tim Tebow, an athlete that was not afraid to show his reverence to God.) They are going to the house of God, not to a concert or a baseball game.



All these strategies should continue throughout catechesis, not just when preparing for First Eucharist. Laying this groundwork helps our children understand how important Mass is for Catholics.