



February 18 & 19, 2017

SATURDAY

5:00 PM (HN) Intentions of Dunn Family r/b Posch Family
Ronald Faust, Sr. r/b Demirjian Family

SUNDAY

8:00 AM (SC) For the Parishioners
James Haran r/b Dominic & Betty Marrocco
10:00 AM (HN) M/M John J. Flannery r/b M/M Bernard J. Bonner III
Joseph Martelli & Nicholas Cuccanotta r/b Bob Branca & Maryanne Martelli
12:00 PM (SC) Isabella Brown r/b Richard Brown
Greg Allen r/b Jeff & Sue Snow & Family

February 20 - 25, 2017

Monday (HN) Leonard Lipski r/b His Family
Tuesday (SC) James Haran r/b Eileen Zebrowski
Wed. (HN) Joseph Forkin r/b His Family
Thursday(SC) Dorothy Hines r/b M/M Chris Loftus
Friday (HN) Rita Fitzpatrick r/b Fr. JC
Saturday (SC) Jean & Edmond Nowosielski r/b Jane & Donna

February 25 & 26, 2017

SATURDAY
5:00 PM (HN) Special Intention r/b Family
Bill Janus r/b Szyszkiewicz Family
SUNDAY
8:00 AM (SC) For the Parishioners
Mary Prominski r/b Chris & Cindy Petti
10:00 AM (HN) William Janus r/b Pinto Family
Geri Gonzaga r/b Pinto Family
12:00 PM (SC) Barbara Cardinale r/b Irene Carroll
Edward Rutkowski, Sr. r/b Emerson & Anna Lucas

PARISH EMAIL UPDATE:

Because of continual disruption and errors with our former email address, we have updated and changed our email address. Please use the following for Resurrection Parish email effective immediately:
parishoffice@resurrection2.org

LIFE AT RESURRECTION

- 2-19 -Faith Formation (ANGELS) 10AM Mass
-RCIA 10AM/Office
- 2-20 -Presidents' Day (Office Closed)
-SVdP Rosary 7PM /R6
-AA 8:00 PM/R1
- 2-21 -OSF Rosary & Mtg. 1PM/Library
- 2-22 -Knitting & Crocheting 7PM/R5
-Children's Choir 6PM/HNC
-Boy Scouts 7PM/office&gym
-Cub Scouts 7PM/R6
- 2-23 -Holy Name Society 7:30PM/R5
- 2-24 -Casey Club Designer Bag Bingo 6PM/PC
-Choir Rehearsal 7:30PM/HNC
- 2-25 -AA 11:00 AM/R7
- 2-26 -Faith Formation (SAINTS) 10AM Mass
-RCIA 10AM/Office

Pray for the Deceased

Please remember Mary Alice Jones, Madeline Rudzinski and Nicholas Belgrasch, Jr. in your prayers. Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord.



LAMPS - ST. CASIMIR

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

LAMPS - HOLY NAME

**The Adoration Votive is In Memory of John J. Parker & John E. Parker from Jack & Mary Jane Wasneski.

GOD'S PLAN FOR GIVING

Feb 12, 2017 Collection Total - \$8,985.00

Online Giving -
February 5, 2017 - \$501.00

Thank you to everyone who has given responsively! We encourage all to support your parish!
***sign up for electronic giving on our web site:



February 19, 2017

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, 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, Joan Garland, Jean Henning, Tom Hildenbrand, Angela Hill, Madeline Hynes, Sal Inzerilla, Tessie Jankowski, Emma Kenney, Mary Koch, Dottie Ladzinski, Hank Lafferty, Annette Lasko, Dolly Laudenslager, Lee Laverty, Matt Laverty, Shirley Law, Kristina & Raina Layden, Rita Lowe, Frank & Sophie Maduzia, Edward Mankovich, Anne Marasa, Alyssa Marrocco, Amy Martin, Virginia Mucciante, 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, Dolores Wilcox, 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

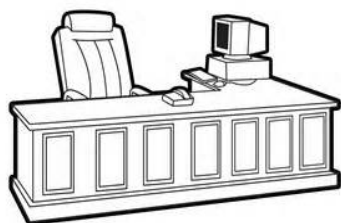
Pope John Paul II Regional School

Burlington County's Catholic Grade School

Call for a tour or more information

609-877-2144

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From Fr. JC Maximilian's Desk "A Smile in the Gulag"

A couple of days ago I read a fascinating article in "Traces: Communion and Liberation International Magazine," about Nijole Saduniata. The article appeared in the January 2017 issue of "Traces" and was the same title as this column.

On August 27, 1974 Nijole Saduniata, a native Lithuanian, was arrested and sentenced to six years in prison. Her crime? ... having typed Issue 11 of the underground magazine, "Chronicle of the Catholic Church in Lithuania." She spent her prison sentence in gulags in Volga and Siberia. When she was sentenced, Nijole told the court, "A glorious destiny has fallen to me; not only to fight for the rights of man and for justice, but to be condemned for their sake. Unhappy is the man who doesn't love. Yesterday you were amazed how serene I was. That shows that my heart is full of ardent love for my fellow man, because only by loving does everything become joy."

Prior to her trial, Nijole spent nine months in a prison cell in Vilnius where she was tortured, including being exposed to ionizing radiation to wear her down so as to pressure her to confess. Again, she had not taken up arms against the State. She didn't lead strikes, or sit-ins, or anything like that. All she did was type a magazine which testified to the Gospel and its history in Lithuania. Despite the torture, and the fear for her family (the KGB threatened to have her brother committed to a psychiatric hospital, from which he would never be released), Nijole described her time in prison as "the most beautiful months of my life, because I've never felt God so carnally close."

Her years in the gulags did not dull her spirit. Even today, at the age of 78, Nijole radiates joy. Nor did her experience dampen her commitment to Christ Jesus. When she was released from the gulags, she went right back to working in the underground, spreading the Good News of Jesus by distributing the Chronicle both in Vilnius and Moscow. She later wrote her memoir, A Radiance in the Gulag, which shares a common spirit with another memoir of someone who spent time in Siberia for serving Christ and His Church, With God in Russia, by Servant of God Fr. Walter Ciszek, S.J. (an excellent book, and Fr. Ciszek is

from nearby Allentown, PA. He frequently visited a friend in Trenton after his release from Siberia, a woman I used to take Communion to).



What struck me so much about Nijole’s story was the love and joy that radiated from the pages and from her face. She called the KGB who tortured her and imprisoned her “brothers” and meant it. She did not fear death, for she knew it would only send her to Paradise. Despite the difficulties and dangers, her love for Jesus was strong that she persisted in running the good race.

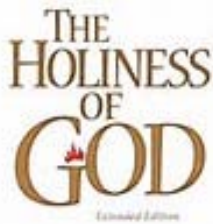
When have you felt God so carnally close? When have you smelt God’s breath on your neck, felt His arm around you?

While few of us will face the threats that Nijole faced in witnessing to Christ in the world, we all need the same kind of joyful courage in witnessing to the Good News. Standing around the water cooler may not present the same danger as facing KGB interrogators, but both need the light of Christ’s love. You can read the article at: <http://www.tracesonline.org/2017/01/january-17-issue/>

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Reflect on the Word of Jesus Christ

February 19, 2017
7th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Let True Holiness Be Your Goal!
The Ways of Justice Lead to Peace



Jesus continues to challenge us to do more than just what is required. Treat this reading carefully! Note the difference between letting ourselves become victims and truly resisting the temptation to return violence for violence.

This is what Jesus is teaching us today and he is giving us a terrific example. Jesus is telling us how God treats everyone and he is challenging us to be “as perfect as God is” That is impossible you might think . . . but Jesus would not ask us to do something beyond our abilities. And, he is ready to give us as much help as we need.

There is a part of Jesus’ words that might make us pause and ask some questions. *It has to do with turning the other cheek* and offering no resistance to people that want to hurt us. Sometimes we are the targets of bullies and their mean actions. The Gospel does tell us that we should not just



start by and let them do mean hurtful things. No, Jesus wants us to think of ways that we can stop the violence without adding to the violence. Being kind can be helpful.

One thing Jesus suggests is that when people ask for things they need we should respond by being generous. If we can “go the extra mile,” so to speak, if people feel they have what they need they are less likely to bully people into getting what they want. **Jesus is trying to teach us that the ways of justice lead to peace.**

Adult: Jesus, this is all so hard to do. I know I must at least try. I ask for your help.

Child: One way I can learn to live in kindness, as Jesus did, is to practice. Jesus It will be great to watch how I do.

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

The SVdP Society will hold its General Meeting on Monday, February 20th at 7:00PM in Room 6 of the Parish Center. Please feel free to join us.



Parish Office

In observance of Presidents' Day, the Parish Office is closed on Monday, Feb 20, 2017. The office will open on Tuesday, Feb. 21 at 9:00 a.m.



Knitting & Crocheting

Like to knit or crochet?? ...or want to learn how??? Join us in the Parish Center on Wednesdays at 7:00 PM in Room5!!

Volunteers and Clothing needed

1st Way of Burlington County, 500 High Street, Burlington, a pro-life pregnancy center is in need of volunteers to help poor Mothers and their babies. If you are able to commit to 2 hours a week to give out diapers, formula, layettes, and clothing to the unfortunate families please call Karen Pierce (if you have questions) 856-722-9418.

At 1st Way we have a used clothing room. Maternity clothing and children clothing are needed. All our donated items are given out free of charge. So, please if you have gently used maternity, baby and children clothing please consider donating to 1st Way. Donations are tax deductible. Call 1st Way! 609-871-1431 Thank you for helping 1st Way help those who have chosen Life!

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Annual Diocesan Youth Conference – DYC

Ages – 15 to 18

At the annual “Diocesan Youth Conference – DYC” hundreds of young people from all over the Diocese of Trenton will come together to praise, worship and feel God set their hearts.....

God longs to reveal himself to our young people and he longs to reveal his purpose for them in this life. God wants to let our kids know that they are LOVED. At DYC we encourage and equip our youth in this fact that is at the very core of who they are. Someone once said that life is a tapestry woven by the decisions we make. At this very special DYC 2017 our kids will have an opportunity to encounter Christ like never before and at this young age make a decision that will change the course of their lives forever!

Check in with your neighborhood parishes and register your child with the youth minister there.

Or get your own group together and register the kids with you as a chaperone.

Registration Fee - \$30

**Saturday, March 4th
St. Gregory the Great, Hamilton
10:30 am – 7:00 pm
Students in grades 9-12 are invited**

more info? - dotyouth@dioceseoftrenton.org



Schwan's Fundraiser

Our Schwan's Cares fundraiser for Youth Ministry runs through April 3rd. Hope everyone is taking advantage of Schwan's Rewards. Earn points that are redeemed as cash off your order. We are now in the "annuity" phase of this fundraiser and are earning 5% on every order. To place your order, you can use the link on our parish website (www.resurrection2.org) 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 CAMPAIGN ID 29622 at checkout. The Jan/Feb catalogs are on the tables in back of the churches. Martha Griffin, coordinator. You may text or call me at 609-410-7278.

Note: As of Monday, February 13th, we have earned \$263.78 towards our goal of \$500. Thank you!

Holy Cross Academy Announces It's Spring Musical "Shrek"

7th and 8th graders interested in acting, singing, dancing are invited to join our ensemble! No audition necessary! Contact Director & Choreographer at Brenda.Bacon@holycrossacademy.org. 7th & 8th grade cast members will join us at the end of February/beginning of March. Rehearsals will be Sundays, Mondays & Wednesdays from 6:30-9:30pm. Performances are April 5th at 10:00am, April 7th at 7:00pm, April 8th at 2:00pm & 7:00pm, and April 9th at 2:00pm – Be a part of the Arts at Holy Cross! Contact us Today!

Holy Name Society

The Holy Name Society will meet on Thursday, Feb. 23 at 7:30 PM in Room 5 of the Parish Center. All men of the parish are invited to attend!

Thank You for Your Donation

In Memory of +Anthony Cannone from :

Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Chinnici - \$25

Jacqueline Dickens - \$50

Delran Senior Club - \$25

In Memory of +James Haran from :

Brian DeMarchi - \$40

In Memory of +Madeline Rudzinski from :

Matilda Reed - \$25

Planning Ahead...

Our Baptismal Fonts at both churches are looking worn, therefore, we are planning to replace them in the near future. If you are looking to make a donation in memory of a loved one, a dear friend, or even a donation to help out, please consider donating to the Baptismal Fonts' Fund. Thank you for your generosity!!

Men's Priestly Vocation Discernment Meeting

If you are a single Roman Catholic man between the ages of 18 and 40 who would like to know more about an exciting and powerful approach to life in the Lord, join us for this month's Priestly Vocation Discernment Meeting on Sunday, February 26th from 6:00 p.m. (Mass) – 8:00 p.m. at St. Mary of the Lakes Church, 40 Jackson Rd. in Medford. Join Father Mike Wallack, Father Dan Swift and Father Carlos Florez for a discussion on the priesthood, discernment and vocations, and dinner. Please RSVP (or for further information) by contacting Father Dan at father_dan@smlparish.org.

Bulletin Deadlines

Notices for the March 19 & March 26th bulletins must be received in the Parish Office NO LATER THAN 9:00 AM on Monday, March 13. Thank you!!

Resurrection Parish Faith Formation Program

7th Sunday in Ordinary Time - February 19, 2017

Blessed are they who follow the Law of the Lord. Psalm 119

**Resurrection Parish Faith Formation
Parish Center 11am (after Mass)
for all Parent, Child Sacrament
Meetings!**



Reconciliation Meeting Feb 19, Angels
Includes Practice

Reconciliation Meeting Feb. 26, Saints
Includes Practice

Reconciliation - **Angels Sat. March 11,**
Reconciliation - **Saints Sat. March 18,**
Starts 3pm



First Holy Communion Parent Meeting
Saints - March 19

First Holy Communion Parent Meeting
Angels - April 2

First Holy Communion -
Saturday May 6th 2017

Both Angels and Saints 11am Holy Name
Practice Friday 7pm

Baptism and Reconciliation The Connection!

At Baptism we received a candle. The priest prays that we will walk as children of the light. We are children of the light when we love and care about other people.



Sometimes we do not act like children of the light (Jesus). Even though we love our family, we may do things that are unkind. We may hurt our friends. Sometimes we choose not to care about what others want or need. We choose sin.

We know what it is like to do something wrong. We know what it is like to feel sorry and want to make up. What if we never got a second chance?



Act of Contrition

My God, I am sorry for my sins with all my heart.

In choosing to do wrong

and failing to do good, I have sinned against You whom I should love above all things.

I firmly intend, with Your help, to do penance, to sin no more, and to avoid whatever leads me to sin. Our Savior Jesus Christ suffered and died for us. In His Name, My God, have mercy.

AMEN