



**Bishop of the
Diocese of Trenton:**
Most Reverend David M.
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Pastor Emeritus:
Reverend Fr. William J. Bausch

Deacons:
Fred Sorrentino
Vincent Rinaldi

Trustees:
Bill LaMorte
Irene Weller

Parish Office hours
Mon. - Thurs. 8:30 am - 7:30 pm
Open Sunday 9 am - 12 noon.

Parish Membership:
New Parishioners welcome!
Next New Parishioner Orientation
- Sunday, 21 May 11 am
Contact Parish Office
Registration is required

Sacraments:

Penance & Reconciliation
Saturday 3 pm or by appointment.

Marriage
Contact the Parish Office one year in
advance for information & guidelines.

Baptism
Contact the Parish Office for
information & required paperwork
two months in advance.

*There are no Baptisms during Advent
or Lent, please plan accordingly.*

THE PARISH OF SAINT MARY

A Catholic Community Proclaiming the Greatness of God in our Time

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FIRST SUNDAY OF

Lent

MARCH 5, 2017

*Jesus was led by the
Spirit into the desert
to be tempted
by the devil.*

Matthew 4:1

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**Day Light Savings Time Mass Schedule
Starts Next Weekend (March 11 & 12)**

- Sat. 5 pm Mass
- Sat. 4 pm Penance/ Reconciliation
- Sun. 8 am, 10 am, & 12 noon



*During Lent the 9 am Daily Mass moves
to the Lenten Chapel (Parish Hall)*

There is still time to join a Faith Sharing groups

Groups meet at home or at the parish
once a week, Ash Wednesday - Holy
Week. Read and reflect on the scripture
readings for the coming Sunday Liturgy.
All materials provided.



Please contact: tomkinlin@gmail.com or
faithformation@stmaryscoltsneck.org to join.

Visit our Website: www.stmaryscoltsneck.org

Mass Intentions for the Week

6 March - 12 March
For * Requested by

Monday, 6 March 9 AM - Lenten Chapel

Irene Nichols* Treasure and Al Herman
Bill Barnett * Rorie and Jack Coppola

Tuesday, 7 March 9 AM - Lenten Chapel

Ss. Perpetua and Felicity
Mary Elizabeth Shaw * Jeanne Cerbone and Ginny Hamlin
Michael LaSalle * Linda and Robert Rossano

Wednesday, 8 March 9 AM - Lenten Chapel

St. John of God
Mary Jo Scibetta * Jeanne and Matthew Cerbone
Jack Schlaflin * Jane and Neil Slattery

Thursday, 9 March 9 AM - Lenten Chapel

St. Frances of Rome
Joan Selinas * Pauline Madzin
Rev. Msg. Joseph C. Shenrock * Rev. Fr. Jeffrey E. Lee, Staff
and Parishioners

Friday, 10 March 9 AM - Lenten Chapel

Abstinence
Michael Balbo * Balbo Family
George Ruiz * Maria Ruiz

Saturday, 11 March 5 PM - Church

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Stoia * Sophia, Ralph and Ann
MaryLou Smith * Barbara Saake
Robert Van Clef * Connie Weighell

Sunday, 12 March - Church

8 AM

Pro Populo
Angelina Jean Brock * Ed Brock Family

10 AM

Sergio and Emilia DosSantos *DosSantos Family
Anthony Hubbard * Margaret Dedalis
Frank Morabito * Chris Pancila and Family

12 PM

Irene Nichols * Cirronella Family
Patricia and Thomas O'Connor * Dottie Mullooly and Jay
Meketansky
Zachary Mullen * Finelli Family

Please pray for the following members of our parish family who are ill:

PRAY
FOR
THE SICK



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|-----------------------|--------------------|
| Jacqueline Andras | Dean Johnson |
| Eileen Beckley | Theresia Kopp |
| John Beckley | Julianna K |
| Sal Castro | Richard V. Kelly |
| Jo Clement | Mary Klein |
| Irving Condiotti | Lori Lettieri |
| Linda Damen | Pauline Madzin |
| Logan Dayton | Leonidas Mavrookas |
| John DeStefano | Harold McBride |
| Kaitlin Donahue Nagle | John McInerney |
| Virginia Endlicher | Marjorie Messler |
| Gary Federico | Tere Nolan |
| Ruth Fiedler | John (Jack) Sadlon |
| James Fiedler | Juliana Schmitt |
| Jim Gardner | Lou Schmitt |
| Mario Geneve | Owen Shoemaker |
| Emily Gioacchini | Bill Szostak |
| Edward Habrack | Robert Towler Jr. |
| Shawn Hamlin | Kevin Venancio |
| Tom Hudak | |

To add a family member to the sick list, please call or e-mail the Parish Office.

A person is put on the list for 8 weeks unless a renewal call is received. Thank you! 732-780-2666 or parishbulletin@stmaryscoltsneck.org

Welcome to the newest members of our Saint Mary's family who were Baptized recently:



- Riley Anne Heulitt
- Colin Steven Johnson
- Louisa Irene Dillon
- Miriana Angel Rosario

Sanctuary Lamp Intentions

Consider donating the sanctuary lamp that burns in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament in the Church or in Christ Chapel in memory of a loved one.
The suggested donation is \$25.

Intentions are available these weeks for the

Christ Chapel

3/19- 3/25

Church & Christ Chapel

3/12 - 3/18 & 3/26 - 4/1



Christ Chapel

Kevin Clemenza
Mom & Dad (Patricia and Russell)



Church

Eduardo L Smith
Carol Pal

Parish Office: 732-780-2666

parishoffice@stmaryscoltsneck.org

Bulletin Deadline:

Electronic format by 12 noon Thursday of the prior week (10days).

parishbulletin@stmaryscoltsneck.org

Adult Faith Formation & Community Building

Contact: Linda Dickinson-Pancila
FaithFormation@stmaryscoltsneck.org
CommunityBuilding@stmaryscoltsneck.org

Liturgical & Worship Ministries

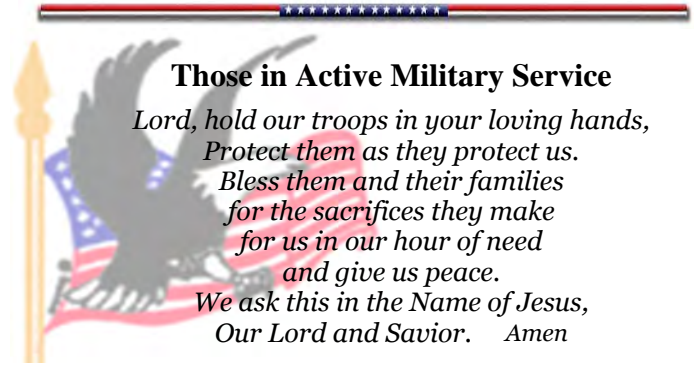
Contact: Andrew J. Macirowski
Worship@stmaryscoltsneck.org

Music Ministry

Contact: Lauren Walters
Music@stmaryscoltsneck.org

**Religious Education Grades 1 - 8
RCIA & Pastoral Care**

Contact: Deacon Vincent Rinaldi
ReligiousEd@stmaryscoltsneck.org



Those in Active Military Service

*Lord, hold our troops in your loving hands,
Protect them as they protect us.
Bless them and their families
for the sacrifices they make
for us in our hour of need
and give us peace.
We ask this in the Name of Jesus,
Our Lord and Savior. Amen*

If there is a family member you wish to be placed on a list, please call the Parish Office at 732-780-2666. Please include rank and branch of service.

Pray for Our Military

*Sergeant Scott MacConnell
Lance Corporal Edward Zarzecki
Chief Blake Conley, USN
Staff Sergeant Stephen Witherow, USAF
Lt. Col. John Anthony Coppola, US Army*

alms·giv·ing - ä(l)mz' giviNG/ (noun)

(in historical or religious contexts) the practice of giving money or food to poor people.

"benevolence in the form of almsgiving was encouraged"

LOVE AND DEEDS

God doesn't want our deeds;
God wants the love that prompts them.
--St. Teresa of Ávila

The Lenten Rice Bowls

Parishioners can still pick up a Lenten Rice Bowl

*"The Good News is no mere matter of words ...
It is about leaving ourselves behind and encountering others."* —Pope Francis



This Lent our community will participate in CRS Rice Bowl, a faith-in-action program that invites us to encounter anew ourselves, our neighbors and our God. As we, the global Church, prepare for this holy season of Lent, it is especially appropriate to come together in prayer as a family, reflecting on the role we each have to play in building up God's one human family.

ENCOUNTER INNOVATION

We encounter the Singh family in India, where a mother and father are using innovative farming techniques to feed their family amidst a flood. How is God inviting us to think outside the box in service to others this Lent? Visit crsricebowl.org for more.

*Please return your rice bowl donations
by April 23, 2017.*

Divine Mercy Sunday - 2nd Sunday of Easter

A check for the total amount collected from the bowl should be made out to Saint Mary, in the memo line written 'Rice Bowl'

Worship Ministry Schedule: March 11 - March 12: Second Sunday of Lent

	Altar Server	EMs of Holy Communion	Reader 1	Reader 2	Greeter	Cantor	Usher
Saturday, 5:00 PM (Church)	William Hines Mark Hines	Suzanne Schlesinger - Center Cup Justine Buzzetta - Organ Host Louise Habrack - Center Host Irene Weller - Tabernacle Host Emily Santangelo - Organ Cup Rosemarie Estephan - Tabernacle Cup Helene Lind - Alternate	Dering Sprague	Kathy Maher	Margaret Caponegro NOT FILLED	Meghan Kryscnski	John Grabowski Kevin Venancio Jim Davis Bob Lind Ralph Martucci Dan Clifford Frank Sikorskaskas
Sunday, 8:00 AM (Church)	Abigail Cowles Daniel Cowles	Gina Shute - Center Cup Catherine Rinaldi - Organ Host Lisa Aldridge - Center Host Jane Slattery - Tabernacle Host Maureen Staub - Organ Cup Michael Staub - Tabernacle Cup Marsha Grigoli - Alternate	Charles Young	Mary Ellen Griffin	NOT FILLED NOT FILLED	Diane Dragone	Michael Boliver George Watts James Pifer Joe Young
Sunday, 10:00 AM (Church)	Gabriella Penczak Valeska Yaninas	Winifred O'Doherty - Center Cup Heide Lohn - Organ Host Sue Fitzpatrick - Center Host Dolores Addler - Tabernacle Host Carol Donahue - Organ Cup Maureen Geiger - Tabernacle Cup Gregory Calderaro - Alternate	Matt Yaninas	Phil Limeri	Anne Baker Mary DeSalvatore	Kathy Woolston	Leigh Gavinelli John Orrico Greg Penczak Jack Zumba Charlie Gavinelli Allan Ryan Vince Cerulo
Sunday, 12:00 PM (Church)	Mary Natale	Patricia Gesner - Center Cup Patricia Balbo - Organ Host Monica Barr - Center Host Lee Gesner - Tabernacle Host Joseph Merante - Organ Cup Maria Gerbino - Tabernacle Cup Diane Antico - Alternate	Richard Gerbino	Carl Simone	Tina Repetto Donna Murphy	Ellen Balestiero	James Dolan Joe Mancino Joseph Rinaldo William Starce

THE ONE AND ONLY LENT

No matter how many Lenten seasons we've experienced, we can embark on this year's journey as if it is the only Lent we will ever have. We can pray, fast, and offer sacrifices in specific, generous ways. Jesus is our model. Jesus spared nothing of himself when he went into the desert for forty days and forty nights. He didn't bring along computer games to divert himself or a stockpile of snacks for emergencies. No, Jesus was all in. The Gospel tells us that the devil waited till after the forty days of sacrifice to ambush Jesus. Just when our Lord was at his weakest, frail with hunger, the devil came to tempt him. Relying on the Word of God, Jesus resisted all temptations. Then, and only then, did angels come to minister to Jesus. If we imitate Jesus and go all in this Lent, we can expect to suffer. We can also depend upon God to send help just exactly when we need it.

**Lifelong Catechesis Week of
6 March - 12 March**

Monday: Lv 19:1-2, 11-18; Mt 25:31-46
Tuesday: Is 55:10-11; Mt 6:7-15
Wednesday: Jon 3:1-10; Lk 11:29-32
Thursday: Est C:12, 14-16, 23-25; Mt 7:7-12
Friday: Ez 18:21-28; Mt 5:20-26



12 March: 2nd Sunday of Lent
 Gn 12:1-4a; 2 Tm 1:8b-10; Mt 17:1-9

Question for Children: Share about a time when you felt especially close to God or Jesus.

Question for Youth: Have you ever had a "mountain top" experience where you felt exceptionally close to God? How was your life changed by that experience?

Question for Adults: Perhaps this reading calls us, not to cling to the familiar, but to leave the comforts of the parish and reach out to the world around us. In your neighborhood or community, who is waiting to hear the Good News?

- Lifelong Catechesis

Guidelines of the Universal Church

The Catholic Church in the United States asks of us as baptized Catholics to observe the following:

The days of fast (only one full meal) and abstinence (no meat) are Ash Wednesday and Good Friday.

All other Fridays of Lent are days of abstinence (no meat).

Fast—consume only one full meal.

Abstinence— consume no meat; this obligation prohibits the eating of meat but not eggs, milk products or condiments of any kind, even though made from animal fat.

Baptized Catholics between the ages of 18 and 59 are obliged to fast and those from the age of 14 are also obliged to abstain.

All are encouraged to embrace these practices as part of our spiritual journey.





STRENGTH AGAINST TEMPTATION

The first Sunday of the season of Lent always includes a Gospel account of the temptation of the Lord Jesus in the desert by the devil. This year, the story is set against the backdrop of the first reading from Genesis, which recounts the very first temptation by the devil. That story is set in a garden of delight. The Gospel story is set in the desert. As believers, we know that temptation comes our way in our own gardens of delight as well as the deserts of our lives. As Lent begins, our attention is drawn to that temptation within each of us to become like God—we want control, power, and answers to all of life's difficult questions. As communities of faith, we are given this season of repentance so that we can join our hearts with others on the difficult journey of conversion. We look to God and to one another for strength against temptation. Copyright (c) J. S. Paluch Co..

The parish kiosk is stocked for LENT!

- Various Lenten materials, spiritual readings/ literature, prayer cards, reflections for all ages are available for you on the kiosk in the gathering space.
- Materials provided for you free of charge.
- Please take the opportunity to pick up a few and share with friends/family



Lent & Easter Dates at a Glance



Stations of the Cross—

Lenten Chapel/Parish Hall

Fridays: 7pm March 3, 10, 17, 24, 31, April 7

Lenten Penance and Reconciliation Service

PARISH WIDE

Sunday April 2— 3:00pm

Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion, April 9:

Palm distribution— **All Masses held in Church**

(Sunday Schedule)

Chrism Mass—

Co-Cathedral St. Robert Bellarmine Church in

Freehold, NJ on Monday, April 10th at 7:30 pm



Monday, April 10—9:00am Mass - Lenten Chapel

Tuesday, April 11—9:00am Mass - Lenten Chapel

Wednesday, April 12—9:00am Mass - Lenten Chapel

Holy Thursday April 13—7:00pm Mass in the Church

Good Friday April 14—

9:00 am Prayer Service

12:00 pm in the Church

Outdoor Stations of the Cross—3:00pm

Holy Saturday April 15—9:00am Lenten Chapel

Morning Prayer

RCIA Rites

Blessing of the Food

EASTER

Saturday, 15 April

Easter Vigil of the Lord's Resurrection- 7:30 pm

Sunday, 16 April

Easter - 7:30 am, 8:45 am, 10:15 am & 12:00 pm Mass



Summer Intensive Religious Education

Religious Education Registration Summer Intensive 2017 has started
Reduced tuition per child will only be available through March 31st.

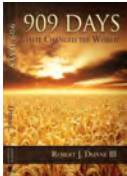
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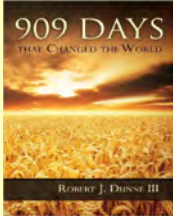
Meet the author Lecture Series- part 1: Bob Dunne
Sunday 3/12/17 or Sunday 3/19/17
5:30pm Madonna Hall



“909 Days that Changed the World”
...this Lent walk beside Jesus during his public ministry.
**You can purchase a signed copy from the parish office, \$16 incl. sales tax,
7th/8th grade RE classes A/B are required to attend all others please RSVP your attendance to
faithformation@stmaryscoltsneck.org



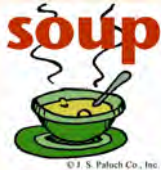
Interested in joining the SMCN
BOOK CLUB?
March Book:
909 Days That Changed the World
by Robert Dunne



Book Club Meeting:
Wednesday, March 29
4:30-6:00 Room #17pm

Contact:
Linda Dickinson-Pancila at
faithformation@stmaryscoltsneck.org
to sign up and for more information.

Soup & Bread with Stations MARCH 10 & 31, 6pm



Join us two Friday evenings for a light meal of meat-free soup, bread & Stations of the Cross.

Soup and Bread 6 pm in Madonna Hall
Stations of The Cross 7 pm in Parish Hall

All are welcome!

Please RSVP so we have a head count, for more information on how you can help, prepare a soup to share or earn service hours, contact:
communitybuilding@stmaryscoltsneck.org

BEST LENT EVER

DON'T GIVE UP *chocolate* FOR LENT

We all know the things that make us happy, but we don't always do them. Lent is an opportunity to change that. This year we invite you to do something different.

Join Dynamic Catholic for Best Lent Ever, a free, video-based email program featuring internationally acclaimed speaker and *New York Times* bestselling author Matthew Kelly. From Ash Wednesday to Easter, Matthew will help you identify what stands between you and happiness . . . and what to do about it. Are you ready for your best Lent ever?

TO SIGN UP, VISIT BestLentEver.com



Confirmation Prep. Grades 7 & 8

Group A

March 5, Mass at 5-7:30 pm
March 19, 5-7 pm

Group B

March 12, 5-7 pm
March 26, 5-7 pm

Quo vadis...

My Dear Parishioners:

Today we celebrate the First Sunday of Lent. Temptation is something we usually think of as facing alone. Yet, even Eve was not alone; Adam “was with her”. It seems as though Adam did nothing to help Eve resist the temptation. Neither of them could withstand the temptation of the serpent alone nor did either of them help each other. Neither is Lent our time to withstand temptation alone; it is also a wonderful time to get involved with others spiritually and help each other to grow in goodness and the ability to resist temptation. Most of us tend to keep our spiritual growth and struggles pretty much to ourselves. One marvelous way to help each other is to take some time with those with whom we are in significant relationships to do some in-depth faith-sharing. By sharing our own temptations with others we are encouraged that we are not alone in choosing and serving this God who gives us life—at creation and through “the one Jesus Christ” (second reading).

As we begin the Great Season of Lent, let us make room in our lives for some quiet times, prayer, reflection and discernment. It is equally as important to do some things: community service, volunteerism, liturgical celebrations. Please remember in a special way our candidates for the Easter Sacraments. Have you considered getting involved in a ministry of our parish community? We need everyone to continue to make our parish a welcoming and prayerful community. Evangelization is an important part of Lent. Why not invite a friend or family member to

come to church with you. Don't forget to participate in the Way of the Cross privately or with our community. This coming Friday Evening we will host a Soup & Stations Evening. Make time for the Sacrament of Penance and Reconciliation in preparation for Easter: our Lenten Penance & Reconciliation Service is scheduled for Sunday, 2 April at 3:00 pm in our parish church building.

We are grateful to those parishioners who prepare our church buildings for the Lenten Season. When you arrive for worship all is in very good order. It does not just happen. Many minds are busy preparing and scheduling so that many hands can make it happen almost seamlessly. We are very grateful to them for the care that is taken in preparing our church buildings and our worship. Our Lenten Chapel provides some extra room for those wishing to join us for daily Mass. Come and join us as we celebrate the Eucharist together. During the Season of Lent we depart our worship in reverential silence. Please observe this as you depart the church building.

We continue to make steady progress toward our Faith To Move Mountains goal. To those who have made your pledge/gift, I thank you. To those who have not, please do so this week in order that we might reach our goal and receive the rebate for reaching our goal. Remember that our FTMM goal includes our Parish ACA goals for the years 2016, 2017, 2018. Together we can make great things happen. Have a great week. Let us remember one another in prayer. Peace. Father Jeff

**Sharing Our Treasure
25/26 February
8th Sunday in Ordinary Time**


Weekly Sacrificial Stewardship	\$13,780
Envelope Contributions	\$10,031
Electronic/Online Contributions	\$ 2,462
Loose Contributions	\$ 1,287
Average Contribution per Household this week	\$ 31.31
# of Contributing Households	399
# Registered Parishioner Households	1,955

Included in next week's offertory will be the collection for the Black and Native American Appeal.

Donating IRA assets to charity Legislation offers a tax break for retirees Information may be found on left side of parish website homepage

This past week our parish transferred \$3,000 from our stewardship income to support the activities of Saint Mary Parish Social Concerns Outreach.

*Please remember
The Parish of Saint Mary
in your Will and Estate planning.*



THANK YOU
*for the Sacrificial Stewardship Offerings as we support the ministries, programs and facilities of our parish.
May God Bless you for the sacrifices that you make.*


As of Feb. 20:
Total Pledged: \$1,177,194.00
Total # Pledges: 141
Avg. Pledge: \$8,348.89

Please take a pledge card from the credenzas at the rear of the Church and prayerfully fill it out.

Minimum goal \$1,250,000.00.

Please drop the pledge card in the basket during the offertory collection.

**Contact
Deacon Vin Rinaldi for more information
732-780-2666**



**The New Day
Bereavement Support Group**



**The Parish of Saint Mary -
Ministry of Consolation**

Invites You...to participate in a **nine week program** for those who are grieving the death of loved ones and want to work through the tasks of grief in a structured way using the ***New Day Journal, A Journey from Grief to Healing.*** The sessions include readings, reflection, sharing and journaling. Group meets 7 pm in the Spiritual Center's Chapel.
Starting Date: Tuesday, April 18th, 2017
Ending Date: Tuesday, June 13th, 2017
 For information and pre-registration: Marilyn Simone at 732-462-8088.

**Martha Mary Guild -
Wednesday, 8 March**



The Lenten season is almost upon us, and what would be most appropriate for this time of year would be none other than a 'Mini Retreat', which will be presented by Fr. Tony Carotenuto. Fr. Tony is a retired pastor of the Diocese of Trenton. He continues to assist several parishes, retreat centers, convent and brothers' residences with liturgical ministry and spiritual direction. With members of Saint Mary's Prison Ministry, he volunteers as a chaplain at the Trenton State Prison.

Perhaps we can ponder, 'Where will our Lenten journey take us? Will it be an inward journey or will it extend outward and include others? Perhaps a little bit of both? Will we be moved down to the core of our being and enlightened within our mind and heart? Will we be moved by the words and actions of the Lord and Holy Spirit?

Will we pray with a humble heart and feel the presence of the Lord right where we are? 'Lord, let your gaze be my gaze...may my being be a reflection of you in me and shared with all those I will meet face to face on my journey. Let me grow more deeply in love with you!'

Don't forget the Rosary will be said at 11:30 in the Christ Chapel, followed by bringing your bagged lunch, and refreshments will be provided by the Martha Mary Guild. The meeting begins promptly at 12:30, followed by the program presentation at 12:45 pm, in Madonna Hall.

Pastoral Coordinator for Community Building & Adult Faith Formation

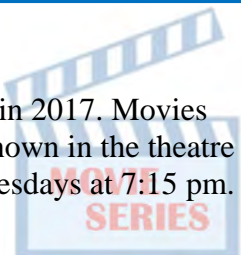
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2017 Movie Series:

Join us for faith inspired movies in 2017. Movies are complimentary and will be shown in the theatre on Mondays at 9:45 am & Wednesdays at 7:15 pm.



Next movies scheduled:

- **Monday, March 6 and Wednesday, March 15** **Heaven is for Real**, PG, starring Gregg Kinnear and Kelly Reilly. A young boy emerges from life-saving surgery with remarkable stories of his visit to heaven. A father finds the courage and conviction to share his son's extraordinary, life-changing experience with the world.
- **Monday, April 3 and Wednesday April 5** **Risen** starring Joseph Fiennes, Tom Felton, Peter Firth, and Cliff Curtis

LIMITED SEATING - RESERVE YOUR SEAT:
Contact communitybuilding@stmaryscoltsneck.org



New Broadway Musical – “Anastasia”

The Martha Mary Guild is planning to attend another exciting NYC play on Wed., May 3, 2017. **Anastasia** is the stage adaptation of the 1997 film, featuring a score by Ahrens and Flaherty. It is the story of a brave young woman attempting to discover the mystery of her past while finding a place for herself in the rapidly changing world of a new century.

There will be 2 hrs. & 30 min. of exciting singing and dancing – from the twilight of the Russian Empire to the euphoria of Paris in the 1920's.

The cost of the matinee and bus (which will leave St. Mary's at 9:00 a.m.) will be \$125.00. These trips usually sell out soon, so if you are interested in this wonderful new show, please call Treasure Herman at 732-946-8982 or Susan Monaco at 732-965-5590.



Tai Chi

Thursdays:

- 10:00-11:00 am (Beginner);
- 11:00-12:00 noon (Intermediate)
- 7:30 – 8:30 pm (Evening Session)

Tai Chi will be held in the Gathering Space during Lent.

COLLECTIBLE SHOW

11 March *

9am - 3pm Madonna Hall
cards, coins and stamps

SAVE the DATE:

EASTER EGG HUNT
Sunday, APRIL 23
1:00pm Madonna Hall



To join the committee or sign up to participate in the event, please contact:
Mary: maryy.natale@gmail.com
Stephan: scicarone@optonline.net or communitybuilding@stmaryscoltsneck.org

MASS SIGN-UPS COMING SOON!!

PARISH CRUISE PARISH CRUISE
Let's celebrate the 45th Anniversary of
our parish in BERMUDA
aboard the Norwegian Breakaway!
July 30, 2017 - August 6, 2017

\$500 Deposit per stateroom due by 3/10/17.
Final payment due 5/01/17



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In the Community:

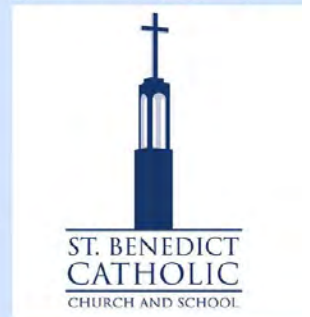
FEED YOUR SOUL THIS LENT WITH

Soup & SCRIPTURE

- Every Wednesday during Lent, March 8th through April 12th
- Soup's on at 6:30 pm in the Father Anderson Library, followed by scripture in the Church at 7 PM.
- Potluck Style: Bring a pot of soup to share with friends!
- Bread and refreshments will be available.
- Scripture Topics will be featured in our weekly Sunday bulletin.

Questions?

EMAIL contino@stbenedictnj.org



Golf Outing
Monday, 5 June 2017

The Parish of Saint Mary
8th Annual Golf Outing
Eagle Oaks Country Club

Reserve your Spot Online Today!

Sign-ups are open Online

- ◆ Golf Registrations
- ◆ Sponsors
- ◆ Volunteers

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or <http://bit.ly/2UMfRV4>

Annulment Information Sessions

For many people, the process of marriage annulment is very mysterious, often accompanied by considerable misinformation. In order to dispel misconceptions, the diocese sponsors **Annulment Information Sessions** annually in parishes within each county of the diocese. For more information, call 609 406-7434 or e-mail rmoore@dioceseoftrenton.org. Below is the schedule of sessions:

County	Date & Time	Parish
Mercer County (English)	March 9 7:30-9:00 pm	St. Ann, Lawrenceville
Monmouth County (English)	March 15 7:30-9:00 pm	St. Thomas More, Manalapan
Monmouth County (Spanish)	March 21 7:30-9:00 pm	Mother of Mercy, Asbury Park
Ocean County (English)	March 29 7:30-9:00 pm	St. Barnabas, Bayville
Mercer County (Spanish)	April 6 7:30-9:00 pm	Our Lady of the Angels, Trenton