



THE PARISH OF SAINT MARY

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One Phalanx Road Colts Neck, NJ 07722

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

28 JUNE 2015



Mass Schedule: Eucharist

Weekend Saturday 5:00 PM (Anticipatory)
Sunday 8:00AM, 10:00AM, 12:00Noon
Weekday Monday through Friday 9:00AM in
Christ Chapel unless otherwise noted.
Funerals in the Church.

Parish Membership: New Parishioners are always welcome! Registration is required. Contact Parish Office.

The next New Parishioner Orientation is
August 9, 2015, 11:00AM.

Parish Office: 732-780-2666
parishoffice@stmaryscoltsneck.org

Bulletin Deadline: Electronic format by 12Noon Thursday of the prior week (10days)
parishbulletin@stmaryscoltsneck.org

Sacraments:

Penance & Reconciliation
Saturday 4:00PM or by appointment.

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

Baptism
Contact the Parish Office in advance for information and required paperwork. Baptisms take place the second Sunday during 12:00Noon Mass and all other Sundays immediately following 12:00Noon Mass.

Visit our Website: www.stmaryscoltsneck.org

Bishop of the Diocese of Trenton: Most Reverend David M. O'Connell, C. M.

Pastor: Reverend Fr. Jeffrey E. Lee

Deacons:

Fred Sorrentino
Vincent Rinaldi
James V. Gallagher

Pastor Emeritus: Reverend Fr. William J. Bausch

The **Parish Office hours** are Monday through Thursday 8:30AM to 7:30PM and Sunday 9AM-12NOON.
The office is closed on Friday and Saturday.

Trustees:

Susan Coleman
Bill LaMorte

**Mass Intentions for the Week
29 June- 5 July 2015**

Monday, 29 June at 9:00AM in the Chapel

Margaret Boyle by The Aiello Family
Frances and Anthony DeSimone by Joann and Robert Buhler

Tuesday, 30 June at 9:00AM in the Chapel

John Mack by Rose and Phil Walch
Mary Anne Tommolino by William and Linda Stagliano

Wednesday, 1 July at 9:00AM in the Chapel

Gonzalo Rubiano Vanegas by Rev. Fr. Jeffrey E. Lee, Staff & Parishioners

Thursday, 2 July at 9:00AM in the Chapel

William Kozabo by The Family
Eleanor Corley by Pat and John Carlucci

Friday, 3 July at 9:00AM in the Chapel

Sean Davis by Linda Fredora
Helen Pandolfi by Darryl Turkaly

**Saturday, 4 July in the Church
9:00AM**

Eileen Brett by Jeff and Karen Wilk

5:00PM

Anthony Carnevale by the Family
Cara Apgar by Jane and Jack Davis

**Sunday, 5 July
8:00AM**

Helen and John Stivala by Eileen and Mike Stivala
Intentions of Susan and James Coleman

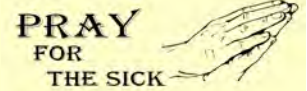
10:00AM

Antoinette & Angelo Lucarelli by The Gerbino Family
For the Living and Deceased Members and Benefactors
Jean Russell by Susan and Bob Monaco

12:00NOON

Robert A. McNamara by The McNamara Family
Kathryn Flood by The Flood Family

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



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| Izilda Alberti | Arnold Marchesi |
| Jacqueline Andras | Leonidas Mavrookas |
| Joan Blatz | Barbara Matuscak |
| Florence Brillante | Marjorie Messler |
| Jennie Borowski | John McNerney |
| Natalie Chiaino | Nicole Montagna |
| Anthony Citro | Tom Nolan |
| Jo Clement | Tere Nolan |
| Eleanor Crawford | Frances Renna |
| John Diana | Lori Romer |
| John DeStefano | Jim Schatzle |
| Giuseppe Gavinelli | Lou Schmitt |
| Shawn Hamlin | Hayden Sprat |
| Jack Higgins | Hudson Sprat |
| Tom Hudak | Linda Sobel |
| James Fiedler | Robert Stalzer |
| Joseph Jurgielewicz | Rev. Fr. Paul Zilonka |
| Lori Lettieri | |

To add a family member to the sick list, please call the Parish Office. A person is put on the list for 8 weeks unless a renewal call is received. 732-780-2666 *Thank You*



**To all the Graduates
Congratulations &
God Bless!**

**Bishop's Anniversary Blessings 2015
October 11 – Mercer/Burlington
October 25 - Ocean/Monmouth**

All couples celebrating their 1st, 25th or 50th wedding anniversary during the 2015 calendar year are invited to gather with family and friends to share the Eucharist, renew sacred wedding vows, and receive Bishop O'Connell's Episcopal Blessing.

Anniversary couples from Burlington and Mercer Counties: register through the parish to attend the Mass and Blessing at St. Mary Cathedral on Sun., Oct. 11, 2015 at 3pm (registration deadline: Sept. 25).

Couples from Ocean and Monmouth Counties: register through the parish to attend the Sun., Oct. 25, 2015 Mass and Blessing at 3:00 pm at St. Robert Bellarmine Parish in Freehold (registration deadline: Oct. 5, 2015).

IN LOVING MEMORY

Please remember in your prayers, those who entered into their new and eternal life in Christ recently.



*John Neilson
Husband of Nancy Neilson*

Worship Ministry Schedule:
July 4 - July 5: Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

	Altar Server	EMs of Holy Communion	Reader 1	Reader 2	Greeter	Cantor	Usher	
Saturday 5:00 PM		**Join us for 9:00AM Mass in the Church on Saturday, July 4th **						
Saturday, 5:00 PM (Church)	Anthony Buzzetta Mark Hines	Suzanne Schlesinger - Center Cup (sub req.) Helene Lind - Organ Host Trudy Matriciani - Center Host Monty Matriciani - Tabernacle Host Carl Riley - Organ Cup Maria Thompson - Tabernacle Cup	Carl Simone	John Carlucci	Susan Baker Margaret Caponegro	Lauren Walters	Jack Davis Jim Davis Bob Lind Joseph Powell	
Sunday, 8:00 AM (Church)	Lindsey Bertone NOT FILLED	Mike LaCava - Center Cup (sub req.) Paul Osmulski - Organ Host Susan Osmulski - Center Host Jeff Wilk - Tabernacle Host Michael Stivala - Organ Cup Marsha Grigoli - Tabernacle Cup	Mary Ellen Griffin (sub req.)	Rita Duenas	John Rodeck Carol Rodeck	Diane Dragone	Michael DiScenza George Illmensee George Watts Joe Young	
Sunday, 10:00 AM (Church)	Patrick Dickinson Kathryn Ortenzio	Barbara Moskal - Center Cup Mathilda Said - Organ Host John Drudy - Center Host Linda Dickinson-Pancila - Tabernacle Host Helen DeCerco - Organ Cup Carol Donahue - Tabernacle Cup	Barbara Schaflin	Matt Yaninas	Mary DeSalvatore Denise Smith	Kristin Kohm	Vince Cerulo Eleanor Crawford Leigh Gavinelli John Orrico William Spence Joe Walsh Jack Zumba	
Sunday, 12:00 PM (Church)	Tommy Zita NOT FILLED	Irene Weller - Center Cup Patricia Balbo - Organ Host MaryJoan McNamara - Center Host Diane Antico - Tabernacle Host Marycatherine Noble - Organ Cup Anna May Schellenberger - Tabernacle Cup	Annette Raynor	Dering Sprague	Tina Repetto Muriel Rogers	Meghan Kryscnski	James Austin John Barr John Beckley Joe Mancino Anthony Mendoza Joseph Rinaldo	



Pray for Our Military

Lance Corporal Scott MacConnell
&
Lance Corporal Edward Zarzecki



Saturday, July 4th Mass at 9:00AM will be celebrated in the Church.

Lifelong Catechesis Week of 29 - 5 July

6/29 Mon Acts 12:1-11; 2Tm 4: 6-8, 17-18;
Mt 16:13-19

6/30 Tues Gn 19: 15-29; Mt 8: 23-27

7/1 Wed Gn 21: 5, 8-20; Mt 8: 28-34

7/2 Thurs Gn 22: 1-19; Mt 9: 1-8

7/3 Fri Eph 2: 19-22; Jn 20: 24-29 28

7/4 Sat Gn 27: 1-5, 15-29; Mt 9: 14-17

5 July 14th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Ez 2: 2-5; 2Cor 12: 7-10; Mk 6: 1-6

Question of the week:

Adults: To what part of the harvest are you being sent? What are you being called to do for the Reign of God?

Children: How do you let others know about your faith?

Eucharist for the Homebound



If you are bringing Communion to someone who is homebound or unable to attend Mass, it is important that you

contact the Parish Office so it can be recorded and documented in parish records.

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion are urged to consider assisting in this important ministry of bringing Holy Communion to the homebound.

You are needed! Please contact:

Molly Aiello 732-598-6808 or
marymargaretaiello@yahoo.com or
 Freda O'Doherty 732-577-9541

Pastoral Associate for Worship & Evangelization
Deacon Vincent Rinaldi worship@stmaryscoltsneck.org

Social Concerns: Roger Zurro Music Ministry: Lauren Walters music@stmaryscoltsneck.org Organist: Andrew Maciowski

Celebrating the Lord's Day Third of a Four part series: (Part 3)

KEEPING SUNDAY—ALL DAY

Celebrating the Sunday Eucharist—though central and essential—does not complete our observance of Sunday. In addition to attending Mass each Sunday, we should also refrain “from those activities which impede the worship of God and disturb the joy proper to the day of the Lord or the necessary relaxation of mind and body” (*Compendium of the Catechism of the Catholic Church*, no. 453).

Sunday has traditionally been a day of rest. However, the concept of a day of rest may seem odd in a world that runs 24/7, where we are tethered to our jobs by a variety of electronic gadgets, where businesses run as normal no matter what the day of the week, and where silence seems to be an endangered species. By taking a day each week to rest in the Lord, we provide a living example to the culture that all time belongs to God and that people are more important than things. As Pope John Paul II said in *Dies Domini (The Day of the Lord)*, his apostolic letter on Sunday: Through Sunday rest, daily concerns and tasks can find their proper perspective: the material things about which we worry give way to spiritual values; in a moment of encounter and less pressured exchange, we see the true face of the people with whom we live. Even the beauties of nature—too often marred by the desire to exploit, which turns against man himself—can be rediscovered and enjoyed to the full. (*Dies Domini*, no. 67) (Part 2 of Keeping Sunday - All Day: concludes next week)

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BIG NEWS!!

Father William Bausch, Pastor Emeritus, is celebrating his **60th anniversary** as a priest this June.

Come celebrate with us!

As part of his celebration he has expressed the desire to revisit some of the Parishes he has served over the years. Accordingly, he will be here on **July 19th to celebrate the 12Noon Mass**. After Mass, join us for a simple repast in the Parish



Hall. Spiritual and thoughtful books written by Fr. Bausch, will be available for sale. He will be selling them at a discount with all proceeds going to Catholic Relief Services. (No credit cards. Cash/check only)

He earnestly requests that you do not give any gifts of any sort whatsoever. You who have journeyed with him are gift enough.

Please mark the date on your calendar, and plan to attend!!

The Bishops of the United States have called all the faithful to celebrate a **FORTNIGHT for FREEDOM**

which is taking place through **July 4, 2015**.

This a time when our liturgical calendar celebrates a series of great martyrs who remained faithful in the face of persecution by political power—St. Thomas More and St. John Fisher, St. John the Baptist, SS. Peter and Paul, and the First Martyrs of the Church of Rome. The theme of this year's Fortnight will focus on the "*freedom to bear witness*" to the truth of the Gospel.

EUCHARIST HOLY HOUR AND ROSARY FOR THE INTENTION OF PERSECUTED CHRISTIANS

will take place at St Mary Parish on **Mon., June 29th at 7:30 in The Christ Chapel** for the intention of an end to the persecution of Christians, and the freedom to bear witness as Disciples of Christ.

USCCB Closing Mass of the "Fortnight for Freedom"

at the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception will be held on **Saturday, July 4, 2015 at 12:00PM in the Upper Church**. Celebrant: Donald Cardinal Wuerl, Archbishop of Washington. Homilist: Most Reverend Thomas Wenski, Archbishop of Miami

Mass will be Broadcast Live on EWTN, Catholic TV and New Evangelization Television

<http://www.usccb.org/issues-and-action/religious-liberty/fortnight-for-freedom/>

MUSIC:



SINGING WORKSHOP!!!

June 30th, 7:30pm in the Church

Lauren Walters music@stmaryscoltsneck.org

HANDBELLS WORKSHOP!!!

June 30th, 6:30pm in the Church

Learn how to participate in worship in a new way!



Bells have been used in the highest form of liturgy since Biblical times. Learn techniques & coordination, and enjoy collaborative efforts while having a good time with great people; all with absolutely no pressure. All levels are welcome.

Come as you are and learn how to participate in worship in a new way! Psalms and antiphons are amongst the earliest forms of worship in history. Learn techniques; develop your sight reading skills and enjoy collaborative efforts while having a good time with great people; all with absolutely no pressure.



Who knows??? You may decide to stay!

CHOIR CAMP at SAINT MARY'S PARISH!!!

To follow Summer Intensive Religious Education Sessions

These much sought-after choir programs are now at St. Mary's! In addition to the summer religious education program, music directors Lauren Walters and Andrew Macirowski are offering a 6 session Choir Camp Intensive for all students in the RE Summer Intensive programs.

Classes will be offered from 12:30 – 1:30pm on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays of each 2 week session. (Session I July 6-17 & Session II August 3- 14)

In these 60 minute classes students will learn:

- The basics of good vocal techniques – sing anytime, anywhere!
- The foundations of solfeggio and sight reading both chant and modern notation
- Rhythmic patterning
- Musical styling over 8 centuries
- Musical settings of the Mass
- Common church hymns, songs, psalms & chants
- How Catholicism has shaped even the modern music of today
- Instrumentation at Mass – organ, piano, bells, etc. – yes, students will have the opportunity to play each of the instruments!
- What is the role of the sung leadership in a Mass: cantor, schola cantorum, choir, etc.

Students will be asked to rehearse music on their own, provided with learning tools, so that they might lead Mass the following Sunday after the Choir Camp that follows each of the Summer Intensive Sessions...plus an exciting opportunity that's TOP SECRET! Open to all children enrolled in religious education at St. Mary Parish Colts Neck.

Questions, please email Lauren Walters at music@stmaryscoltsneck.org



Cost: \$30 per child, with a minimum of 20 participants. Sibling discounts: add \$15 for each sibling once the minimum is reached.
Enrollment deadline: for July's session is July 3; August's deadline is July 31st.

Liturgy of the Word Dismissal!

Volunteers are needed to conduct a Liturgy of the Word Dismissal! Learn how to use the lesson plan for a LWD session as well as discover what to do if you need to facilitate "on the fly." Discover the format for a session, how you can contribute to the session creatively and how questions are posed.

Age Requirements: teens, college students, & adult men/women.

MASS COVERAGE SCHEDULE: Sat., 5PM, Sun., 10AM and 12NOON
Contact Michele McCue for more information.



Catholic Radio WFJS 89.3 FM Nurture your Faith between Sundays

Listen to the Gospel message, the teachings of our Catholic Faith, devotions, call-in programs including "The Shepherd's Voice" with Bishop O'Connell, inspirational speakers and great music. Domestic Church Catholic Radio 24/7. Listen online at www.DomesticChurchMedia.org

Quo vadis...

My Dear Parishioners:

Today we celebrate the Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time. Death is part of our human lives. Yet, Jesus' inauguration of God's kingdom vanquishes death and restores life. Like Jairus and the woman with the hemorrhage, all we need do to overcome death is reach out and touch the nearness of Jesus. Death not only means the cessation of physical life but also all those everyday "dyings to self" that call us to surrender our wills to God's will. In the Christian mystery, death is the doorway to life. Just as Jairus and the woman forgot their own stations in life and overcame their fears in order to receive life from Jesus, so must we surrender our own wills in order to encounter Jesus and receive life. God's kingdom of life is not built by avoiding death, but by embracing it. Living the paschal mystery is none other than our daily dying to self---overcoming our fears and reaching out to Jesus in humility---in all the little practical ways that fill our daily routines. Paschal Mystery dying is as simple as smiling at the children even when we are bone tired or taking an hour out of our day to visit the sick. When we surrender in humility to his goodness and power, Jesus offers us life. For our reflection this week: How can your faith have an impact on other people's lives? What does it mean for you as disciples to build a kingdom of life?

We are now working on the Stewardship Newsletter that will be mailed to every household of our registered parishioners during the month of September 2012. As we end another fiscal year, it is important for us to pause and to give thanks and praise to almighty God

for all the blessings we continue to receive. Even in the midst of some uncertainty, there are countless blessings for us to acknowledge. This is especially important as we prepare to celebrate the anniversary of the birth of our country this coming week. Independence Day is a time to acknowledge the freedom that we enjoy as well as the sacrifices that have been made and continue to be made in order for us to live in a free society. Consider joining us for the celebration of Mass on 4 July as the beginning of your Independence Day Celebration.

We are preparing for Family Orientation Days as we kick off our Summer Religious Education Programs as well as the Fall online and drop off programs. Early Registration for the Fall concludes this week. We will begin to form classes, assign space, order materials as well as online licensing, set up data bases in order to appropriately track student and family progress. Thanks to all those who have taken these steps. This year we have added opportunities for our young people to develop their musical skills and talent. It is my hope that these young people will continue to complement our adult choir in our sacred worship.

We continue to make slow and steady process in achieving our 2015 Annual Catholic Appeal Goal. Many thanks to all who have made their gift to assist the Most Reverend Bishop in leading our Diocese of Trenton. Enjoy these summer days. Have a great week. Let us remember one another in prayer.

Happy Sunday. Peace. Father Jeff

Pastoral Associate for Faith Formation & Life Long Learning

Michele McCue faithformation@stmaryscoltsneck.org

Coordinator of Catechesis: Jennifer Schlameuss-Perry religiouised@stmaryscoltsneck.org

Coordinator of Youth: Mathew Butler youthministry@stmaryscoltsneck.org

**2015/16 Religious Ed Programs**

Registration for all programs is ongoing.

*Late fees will be imposed**July 1, 2015.***No registrations of returning students will be taken after September 1, 2015.**

ServiceWorx is a week long life-changing program for junior high students that explores Catholic faith through service to those in need. The program begins on **Sunday, July 19**. All participants are required to attend the 12Noon Mass and an orientation meeting immediately following in Room #10.

**VIRTUS Protecting God's Children® Child Sexual Abuse Awareness Sessions****Monday, June 29th** in the theater.**10AM - 12Noon and 7PM - 9PM**

The VIRTUS® programs assist the Church in being a safe haven for children and a messenger for preventing child sexual abuse within the Church and society in general. *This one-time-only course is required by the Diocese of Trenton for all employees or volunteers who work with or near both children and the elderly.* All volunteers are encouraged to attend one of two Virtus sessions being offered for your convenience at the Parish of Saint Mary.

The training is free.Register with Jen Schlameuss-Perry – *Coordinator of Children's Catechesis & Ministry* (See above email)

Summer Intensive RE Program Info!!! Anyone who is registered for the July or August Summer Intensive Religious Education Program should have received a Constant Contact email from Program Coordinator, Jen Schlameus-Perry last week. ****If you did not receive the email, please contact Jen immediately 732-780-2666 or religiouised@stmaryscoltsneck.org . Thank you.**

Volunteers Needed for Children's Faith Formation!!

Yes, it is the summertime, but faith formation happens all year long. We are always preparing for the next season! Please help in some way to bring our children closer to Jesus!

Liturgy of the Word Dismissal - We need your help for the benefit of our children! You can volunteer your time in the following ways: Liturgy of the Word Dismissal - a great volunteer opportunity for all teens & adults, including college students home for the summer! During the Saturday 5pm & Sunday 10am and 12noon Masses volunteers are needed to be dismissed with the children to proclaim and explain the Gospel on the children's level of understanding. No worries, you will be trained on how to do this!! Commitment: We are putting together a few teams so that no one is overcommitted and volunteering weekly. "Volunteer" a friend to work along with you!

Contact Michele McCue- Pastoral Associate for Faith Formation & Life Long Learning

7th and 8th grade Fall Confirmation Preparation Sessions - Volunteer facilitators are needed (no more than twice a month) for our 7th and 8th grade sessions which meets on Sunday evenings from September to May beginning Sunday September 20, Group A and Sunday, September 27, Group B. Classes will run 5-6:30PM until November 1st when Mass for the parish, including Confirmation candidates and their families will begin - Preparation class will then begin immediately after Mass & run until 7:30PM.

Facilitators lead group discussions on topics presented in the large group. All planning is done for you. Training meeting will be held prior to Sept. Do you have a 7th or 8th grader? This is the perfect opportunity for you to get involved, share your faith, and facilitate a junior high group.

Contact Matt Butler- Coordinator of Adolescent Catechesis and Ministry

Adult Community Service Volunteers - We also need adults interested in assisting with community service projects, on and off-site. For both our Junior High and High School youth.

Contact Matt Butler- Coordinator of Adolescent Catechesis and Ministry

Grade 1 and 2- Catechists - Certified catechists preferred but volunteers willing to begin the certification process are welcomed. For more info on certification program and volunteering for Grades 1 & 2 program

Contact Jen Schlameuss-Perry – Coordinator of Children's Catechesis & Ministry

Religious Education Office & Faith Formation Team Volunteers - Be part of the team of volunteers that helps make our parish great. Answer phones, take messages, make copies and do other tasks that make our offices run smoothly! Help out once a week, every other week or even once a month.

Contact Michele McCue- Pastoral Associate for Faith Formation & Life Long Learning

Summer program offerings from **Matt Butler**, Coordinator of Adolescent Catechesis and Youth Ministry.

Baseball Clinic

Tuesday, June 30th (from 9am to 12pm). Former Professional Baseball Player and CBA Athletic Director Vito Chiaravalloti and some of The State Champion CBA Colts, ranked 23rd in the nation are running a pitching and catching clinic. (NO COST)

Kettle bell Training

Mondays and Wednesdays, July 6th - August 12th at 7pm. Introduction to Kettle Bells with Cross Fit Certified Kettle Bell Instructor Matt Butler; a great opportunity to stay fit and have fun! (NO COST)

An Introduction to Brazillian Jiu-jitsu

Sundays beginning July 12—Aug 2 following the 12pm Mass, 1:15pm to 2:30pm. Four week introduction to Brazillian Jiu-jitsu class!! (NO COST)

Women's Self-Defense Class

Friday, July 24th, 6pm to 8pm. Women's Self-Defense Class at Christian Brothers Academy taught by Third-Degree Brazillian Jiu-jitsu Black Belt Instructor and former Brick Memorial standout wrestler Bill Scott. Assistant instructors with law enforcement background will be present to help teach and answer any questions you might have. It is a great two hour learning experience. There is a suggested donation of \$20 for The GI's Without Borders Charity. (It will benefit the kids of Costa Rica who can not afford to purchase a GI)



For more details and to reserve your spot, Email Matt youthministry@stmaryscoltsneck.org

Athletic Consent Form / permission slip must be filled out and brought to the first event you attend.



Papal Visit | September 26-27, 2015
www.worldmeeting2015.org

JOIN US FOR "HOLY HOUR" which will consist of Scripture reading, silent prayer, music, intercessions & personal testimonies. Thursdays at 7PM.

Ocean County: JULY 23, St. Joseph, Toms River

Monmouth County: SEPT 3, Star of the Sea, Long Branch

www.dioceseoftrenton.org/wmf2015/ or 609-403-7155

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Sharing Our Treasure 20/21 June 2015

Weekly Sacrificial Stewardship Offering \$15,164

Envelope Contributions	\$ 10,772
Electronic/Online Contributions	\$ 3,198
Loose Contributions	\$ 1,194

Average Contribution per Household	
this week	\$ 37.06
# of Contributing Households	377
(# envelopes & # online)	
# of Registered Parishioner Households	1,916

Special Appeals:

Please support the **Appeal for the Holy Father** through increasing your weekly offering or by making a separate donation made payable to St. Mary Parish with *Holy Father* on the memo line.

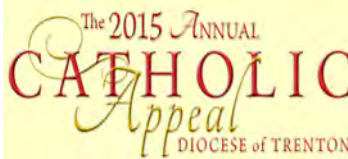
Through your Sacrificial Stewardship offerings a Parish donation was sent to the **Family of Tamara Seidle** to purchase funeral clothing for the nine children. You can contribute to this donation by sending a check made payable to St. Mary Parish with *Tamara Seidle* in the memo line. Additional details will follow shortly about where & how to send additional contributions.

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.*



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

Because the needs of the poor and the critical continue, our support is needed Now More Than Ever!



Your assistance will support the education of seminarians, reduce the critical shortage of priests, shore up our Catholic education for students and teachers; truly strengthening the foundation of Our Church, support our many ministries for the poor, counseling, and fiscally shaky parishes to permit them to continue Jesus' mandate to "teach and serve."

The time for all of us to act is now.

Who can deny that the Church is threatened by our secular culture?

Your support for all of the above can help us fight back.

Won't you consider praying for the success of this year's ACA, donating whatever your means permit? You may use a donation card on the credenza near the Sacristy side of the Church or send directly through the Diocese of Trenton website. www.dioceseoftrenton.org/catholicappeal.



**FOOD COLLECTION
NEXT WEEKEND**

Please place your food donations on the table in the parish hall.

Thank you

Project Backpack Collection: July 4th - July 26th

Backpacks	Binders	Colored pencils
Large/fine line markers	Marble or spiral note-books	Loose leaf paper Glue/glue sticks
Pencils	Rulers	Pencil pouches
Pens	Highlighters	Index cards
Erasers	Crayons	Folders



This year it is preferred that you purchase for donation then drop off any school supplies in boxes located in the parish hall and the Rotunda outside the parish office. Collections will be taken from **July 4th** through **July 26th**. Checks made payable to St Mary Parish with Project Backpack in the memo line will be used to purchase additional school supplies for donations.

All donations go to students in the Freehold area.

Questions/comments call: Aileen at 732-535-6726 Community Service Volunteers welcomed!

Pastoral Coordinator for Community Building and Communications:

Linda Dickinson-Pancila communitybuilding@stmaryscoltsneck.org

St. Mary's **VARIETY SHOW** needs volunteers to work on the committee: stage crew, lights, ads, announcements, flyers, tickets, set-up, clean-up, program book, and more...

With a committee in place, the Cover Design Contest will take place this summer, Audition dates and show date coming in the FALL.

Questions & to sign up please call Joe Rugarber 732-637-8655 or email Deacon Jim Gallagher deaconjim@stmaryscoltsneck.org

We can't do this without you!!!

"SINGLES JOURNEY" Friends gather every Sunday at 11:45AM in Room #10 St. Mary's Spiritual Center for an hour or so of companionship, caring, prayer and sharing. All singles are welcome. There is no need to travel this life's journey by yourself. There are friends waiting to walk by your side so that we can help each other. "Single" doesn't have to mean "alone."

"We are here to be here for each other."

Contact: Barbara Varga 732-544-8415



Singles Social Gatherings

Open to ALL singles: widowed, divorced, never married!!!

If you are single and wish to get together with other singles for social activities please join us to meet new people, build community and plan fun filled activities.

Calendar of Events:

- **July 12th Sunday Dinner Social** – Dinner Pier Village, Long Branch
- **July 26th Sunday – Mass & Brunch, 10 am mass at St. Mary's Parish, Brunch at MJ's.** Brunch is served 11- 2 pm.
- **Aug 1, 7pm Free Concert** Bradley Beach Riley Park, coffee and mingle post concert.
- **Aug 25, 7:05 pm, Faith & Family Blue Claws Baseball Game** adults \$10, children \$8, Seniors eat free

Contact: Kim, kimleshick@yahoo.com 732-618-7983

26th Annual Guardian Angel Dinner Dance
Saturday Oct., 3, 2015 5-10pm Hyatt Regency, Princeton.

2015 Humanitarian Award Honoree:

Most Reverend David M. O'Connell, CM

Light of Hope Award, Monmouth County:

Peter J. Griffin, St. Mary Parishioner

Contact: Sarah Macken at 609-394-5181 x1159,

or smacken@cctrenton.org for more information.



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Experience an **INSPIRING** presentation by nationally renowned **Dr. Richard Johnson**, and discussions from a panel of experts, including an elder law attorney, Veterans Homecare, Phones for Seniors Program, Hospice info, and more great ideas for 55 and overs.... **"Remember When" BARBERSHOP QUARTET** will lead a sing-along and perform for our group! **ONLY \$10.00 admission includes coffee and snacks, boxed lunch and all activities!**

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SAVE THE DATE: Diocesan Pilgrimage to the Basilica of National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception Sat. November 7, 2015

This year, in addition to welcoming all those wishing to make the pilgrimage, a special invitation is being extended to the First Communicants of 2014 and 2015, their families and catechetical leaders.

Parishes will coordinate to provide buses for the pilgrimage. More info to follow in the coming months.

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- Saturday, April 9 ASSISI/ROME
- Sunday, April 10 - Wednesday April 13 ROME
- Thursday, April 14 USA

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