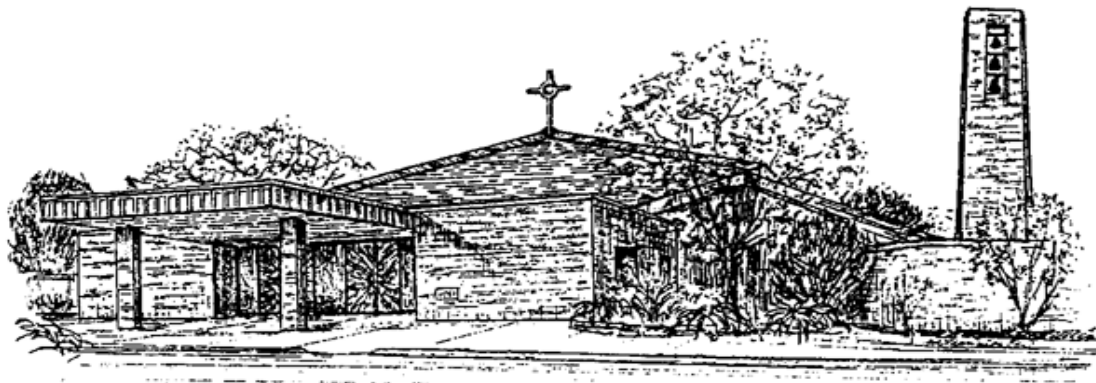


# The Church of the Most Blessed Sacrament

787 Franklin Lake Road - Franklin Lakes, New Jersey 07417

## Stewards of God's Gifts



**M**ost Blessed Sacrament Parish is a welcoming community which comes together to implement Christ's mission. We join to teach, to evangelize, to accept and to encourage ourselves and others in ongoing spiritual growth. Serving and supporting those within and beyond our parish remains a major focus as we recognize that each of us is called to be a witness to God's love in our world.

### Parish Mission Statement

#### SERVED BY:

**MOST REV. JOHN W. FLESEY,**  
*Pastor*  
**REV. MSGR. CARL D. HINRICHSEN,**  
*Pastor Emeritus*  
**REV. JOHN JOB,**  
*Parochial Vicar*  
**REV. MSGR. JOSEPH R. CHAPEL,**  
*Weekend Assistant*  
**REV. MICHAEL DONOVAN,**  
*In Residence*  
**SISTER ANNE LUCILLE COATES, SSJ,**  
*Pastoral Associate*  
**SISTER ROSE MARIE KEAN, SSJ,**  
*Pastoral Associate*  
**LORI FLYNN,**  
*Director of Youth Ministry*  
**MARCIA KLINK, Ph.D.,**  
*Director of Religious Education*  
**LAUREN LONGO, Ph.D.,**  
*Office of the Bishop*  
**DAVID MAIULLO,**  
*Music Director-Choirs/Organist*  
**VALERIE TORKELSON,**  
*Director of Music-Programming/Cantor*  
**JOANN MATHEWS,**  
*Principal*  
**PHILIP M. TANCORRA,**  
*Business Administrator*  
**DIANE TRIOLO,**  
*R.E. Coordinator, 1 - 6*  
**PAT WUENSCH,**  
*R.E. Coordinator, Junior High 7th & 8th*

#### MASSES

Saturdays: Anticipated Mass at 5:30 p.m.  
Sundays: 7:30, 9:00, 10:30 a.m. & Noon  
Holy Days: Consult Bulletin for Times  
Week Days : 6:45 & 9:15 a.m.  
Saturdays: 9:00 a.m.  
First Fridays: 9:30 a.m. Mass of Exposition, Eucharistic Adoration throughout the day, with Benediction 5:00 p.m.

#### SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Contact the Parish Center in advance to make arrangements for the date of instructions for parents.

#### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Following the daily 6:45 a.m. Mass & the 9:15 a.m. Mass, 4:30 - 5:00 p.m. Saturday and also by appointment. Communal services during Advent and Lent.

#### SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

Couples contemplating marriage should contact the Parish Center one year before the desired date.

#### PASTORAL CARE FOR THE SICK

Please notify the Parish Center when a family member is ill, whether in the hospital or at home. Holy Communion will be brought regularly by appointment to those confined to the home. The sick or chronically ill should receive the Sacrament of Anointing. In an emergency, call the Parish Center at any time.

#### PARISH CENTER

201-891-4200

#### FAX

201-891-4243

#### SCHOOL

201-891-4250

#### RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

201-891-8390

#### CONVENT

201-891-4292

PARISH WEB SITE: [www.mostblessedsacrament.ws](http://www.mostblessedsacrament.ws)

SCHOOL WEB SITE: [www.ambms.org](http://www.ambms.org)

#### IMPORTANT PEOPLE

Every pastor will acknowledge the fact that no parish could possibly survive for very long without the many good people who devote their time and talent to the community. We have many and are grateful.

## *This Week at MBS*

### **Sunday, February 19**

- Baptism 1:30 pm
- **NO** CCD Grades 1-6

### **Monday, February 20**

- **Parish Center Closed**, President's Day
- AMBS Winter Break
- **NO** CCD

### **Tuesday, February 21**

- AMBS Winter Break
- Senior Chair Exercise 10:00-11:00 (PC)
- Women in Faith 10:00 am (PC)
- **NO** CCD
- RCIA 7:00 pm (CR)

### **Ash Wednesday, February 22**

- Morning Prayer 9:00 am
- Masses 6:45 am, 9:15 am & 7:30 pm
- Services 12:00 Noon & 5:30 pm
- AMBS Winter Break

### **Thursday, February 23**

- AMBS Winter Break

### **Friday, February 24**

- AMBS Winter Break
- Stations of the Cross for Seniors and Anyone Who Would Like to Join Them 12:00 Noon
- Stations of the Cross 7:00 pm

### **Sunday, February 26**

- Confirmation Class 6:00-7:30 pm (School)

ASH WEDNESDAY



### **Mass & Service Schedule for Ash Wednesday**

Ash Wednesday is February 22nd. **Masses** will be offered at 6:45 am, 9:15 am, and 7:30 pm. Ashes will be distributed at each Mass. Ash Wednesday **Services** (with distribution of ashes) will be at 12:00 Noon and 5:30 pm.



Stations of the Cross

### **Stations of the Cross**

We will pray the Stations of the Cross this Friday, February 24th at 12:00 Noon and 7:00 pm in the Church. Please consider making this traditional devotion a part of your Lenten journey.

## **2013 Mass Book Now Open**

The 2013 Mass Book is now open for mass intentions. Please come to the Parish Center to place your request. Thank you.



### *Save the Date!*

*Most Blessed Sacrament School &  
Education Foundation's Annual  
Beefsteak Dinner*

**Tuesday, February 28, 2012, from 6:30-10:00 pm**  
at The Brownstone, 351 W. Broadway, Paterson, NJ  
Benefiting all educational activities of  
**Most Blessed Sacrament**

Great Father & Son Night Out

Tickets Are Now Available at the Parish Center  
\$75.00 for adults/\$45.00 for ages 18 and under

Limited seating, Sponsorship Opportunities Available

For more information please call Jack Murphy at 973-305-4034 or the Parish Center at 201-891-4200



### **Morning Prayer at 9:00 am on the Wednesdays of Lent**

The Liturgy of the Hours or Divine Office is the official set of daily prayers prescribed by the Catholic Church to be prayed at certain times of the day by the clergy, religious orders, and laity. Together with the Mass, it constitutes the official public prayer life of the Church.

Here at Most Blessed Sacrament we will introduce the Liturgy of the Hours by praying *Morning Prayer* on Wednesdays at 9:00 am during the season of Lent (right before the 9:15am Mass), beginning on Ash Wednesday, February 22. Consider joining us and making this a part of your Lenten observance.

### **Collection for the Philippines**

As you may be aware, the Philippines have experienced tropical storms resulting in severe flooding. Over half a million people in 13 provinces were affected with thousands left homeless and over 1,000 reported dead.

*Catholic Relief Services (CRS)*, an agency of the Church, has been providing as much aid as they can with current resources. *CRS* can use all the help we can offer in this current emergency situation.

Archbishop Myers has authorized a voluntary collection to be taken in the parishes. We will have a collection basket available next at the exists of the church next weekend, and the donations will be forwarded to *CRS*. Thank you for your generosity to our brothers and sisters in need.

*"To everything there is a season, and a time for every purpose under heaven." Ecclesiastes 3:11*

**"A time to be healed"**

**Parish Sick:** Jerry Kallman, Sr. Cindy Morgan, Jennie Duffy, Brian Tanis, Dede McCaig, Stanley Zaremba, Nancy Dowling, Mark Wexler, Amanda Dimond, Cathy Kincaid, Sr. Anne, Helen Northup, Payton Raichle, Deborah Kreiter, Michael Azzo, Ofelia Wayne, Joseph Pasetto, Stella Picarella, Baby Kelli Efrusy (granddaughter of Maryann Miko), Robert Cotugno, Jeffrey Cotugno, Kris Sheeler, Rose Luvera (mother of Donna DelPrete), Leon Ronald Comforth (nephew of Chris Dilenno), Carolyn Serratelli Distasio, Marissa Peoples, Joseph Maglio, Chris Anastos, Dr. Stephen Massood, Elizabeth Haddock, Santa Garofalo, Virginia Panicucci, Paul D'Alessandro, Darren Was, Bernie Byrne, Mary Coates and Nick Salvatorelli

**"A time to mourn"**

**Recently Deceased:** Charles Kraus, Angela DiBella (mother of Louise Bender) and all those who grieve them.

**"A time for peace"**

For national and world leaders and those in the armed services.

**Amen**

As of February 19, 2012



**Readings for the Week**

Monday: Jas 3:13-18; Mk 9:14-29  
 Tuesday: Jas 4:1-10; Mk 9:30-37  
 Wednesday: Jl 2:12-18; Ps 51; 2 Cor 5:20 — 6:2; Mt 6:1-6, 16-18  
 Thursday: Dt 30:15-20; Lk 9:22-25  
 Friday: Is 58:1-9a; Mt 9:14-15  
 Saturday: Is 58:9b-14; Lk 5:27-32  
 Sunday: Gn 9:8-15; Ps 25; 1 Pt 3:18-22; Mk 1:12-15



**Saturday, February 25**

5:30 pm: Nassif

**Sunday, February 26**

7:30 a.m.: Sheeler  
 9:00 am: Nocera  
 10:30 am: Grosso  
 12:00 Noon: Zier/Zier

**Mass Intentions For The Week**



**Sunday February 19**  
 7:30 am Our Parish Family  
 9:00 am Theresa Kane (Maureen & Frank Bivona)  
 10:30 am Robert Leary (Arthur & Mary Conway)  
 12:00 Noon Lamont LaRobardier (Santo Family)

**Monday February 20**  
 6:45 am Barbara Tysbir (Sheila Boylan)  
 9:15 am Henry Catano (Joe & Joan McAuliffe)

**Tuesday February 21**  
 6:45 am William Nichols (Schurig Family)  
 9:15 am Stan Sheridan (Jim Hufnagel)

**Ash Wednesday February 22**  
 6:45 am Frank Morone (Liz Harkins)  
 9:30 am Helen Sudol (Ilona Henits)  
 12:00 Noon Service  
 5:30 pm Service  
 7:30 pm Mary & Sal Cosentino (Family)

**Thursday February 23**  
 6:45 am Yvonne Sweeney (Barbara & Michael)  
 9:15 am Patricia Pabon (Evelyn & Bill Yuan)

**Friday February 24**  
 6:45 am Nicholas Ruggiero (Alan & Maria Zampieri)  
 9:15 am George Marcil (Dorothy Marcil)

**Saturday February 25**  
 9:00 am Shirley Connell (Dorothy Marcil)  
 5:30 pm Robert Leary (Arthur & Mary Conway)

**Sunday February 26**  
 7:30 am Our Parish Family  
 9:00 am Lida Cinquino (Boise Family)  
 10:30 am "Dick" Richard Bicocchi (Carucci Family)  
 12:00 Noon Mario Hroncich (Wife Elena)

*Join in praying the rosary after every weekday and Saturday morning Masses.*

**Invitation to Join "Women in Faith"**

Are you interested in deepening your understanding of Scripture? Would you want to listen and discuss how Scripture touches our lives? Each week we meet to ponder questions on the readings for the next Sunday's Mass. Our discussions are wide-ranging and lively. Please come join us on Tuesday mornings at 10:00 am in the Parish Center here at MBS.



*Thank you for your continued support and generosity to our church!*

February 12, 2012 Collection:  
 \$13,102.00

FaithDirect - February 2012: \$8,804.00

# AMBS News



### Writing Scores...SOAR!

Each year our students in grades four and seven take the Terra Nova Writing Test, a nationally formed test that provides us with data assessing how students are progressing in developing their writing skills. Two years ago, we initiated a specialized writing program throughout all of the grades and this year we are seeing the benefit of this specialized instruction...

**Fourth grade scores...averaged 5.2 out of a possible 6**  
**Seventh grade scores...averaged 5.8 out of possible 6**  
**Congratulations to our students and their teachers!**

### February/ March Highlights

- February 20-24<sup>th</sup> - Winter break/no classes
- February 27<sup>th</sup> - classes resume
- February 29<sup>th</sup> – February Birthdays
- March 2<sup>nd</sup> - First Friday...9:30 am Mass; 12:30 dismissal; 1 pm faculty meeting
- Week of March 5-9 Terra Nova Testing
- March 16 – Deanery Professional Development – no classes



### Registration Update

**Early Childhood program**...Partner with us to set the tone for a lifetime of learning...Prep, Pre K 3, Pre K 4, Transitions, and Kindergarten **limited openings** for some of the sessions; **grades two and four** are **closed** with a **waiting list**...don't delay, contact us today!

**Forms available on website: [www.amsb.org](http://www.amsb.org)**



Interested in our "Academy" program???... Please check our website and/or call the office at 201-891-4250  
Thank you for supporting / choosing AMBS for a quality education in the finest Roman Catholic tradition...

## TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Today, in the streets of Rio and New Orleans and in the canals of Venice, Carnival reaches its height. We stand on the brink of Lenten discipline and order, of sacrifice and prayer, and like a diver for pearls, we take a deep breath of life's abundance before immersing ourselves. Literally "Good-bye to the Flesh," these once were days for clearing out the barnyard and having one last good roast before turning to fish, to eggs and cheese and porridges. In some places, masks and disguises are worn as a reminder that all falsehood must be stripped away in Lent and our true identity as the baptized must prosper. In others, the green, purple, and gold beads tossed in playful salute have their origins not only in the gifts of the magi, but also entwine the liturgical colors of Ordinary Time, Lent, and Easter.

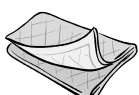
The message, sadly missed by many, is: embrace the Lenten journey, and find your life transformed. Dedicate the next few days to savoring life's wonders, to the abundance of tables laden with great food and surrounded by the laughter of dear friends. Then, as you step forward to receive ashes on your brow, you will have already acquired a yearning for the renewing splash of Easter's waters.

RCIA



### Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

is the formation process which guides people inquiring about our faith as well as Catholics seeking full initiation. The process includes doctrinal formation (believing with the Church), experience of community (sharing faith stories), liturgical formation (praying with the Church) and apostolic formation (serving with the community). People are helped to discern where God is calling them, in a gradual process aiming to help one live a full Christian life. For information **please contact Father John Job at 201-891-4200.**



### Sacramental Linens Ministry

- Sunday, February 19 - Joy Sova
- Friday, February 24 - Midori Farrell
- Sunday, February 26 - Sharon Nall
- Friday, March 2 - Karen Nunn

### PLEASE MARK YOUR CALENDARS

If anyone would like to help in this ministry, please call Joan McAuliffe at 201-891-1712. If you are unable to commit to six times a year, consider being a substitute.

## SENIOR MINISTRY

### Chair Exercise

Tuesdays 10:00 am– 11:00 am  
Chair Exercise Class

See following dates for Chair Exercise:

February 21, 28  
March 6, 13, 20, 27  
April 3

### “2011” Senior Breakfast with Santa

Last chance to look at all the wonderful pictures on display both on the bulletin board and digital photo frame in the narthex of the church. Once again thank you to Lorraine Corsale for a job well done.

### Community Thrift Shop

We will still be accepting winter clothing for the next few weeks. You may not realize that every donation counts. God Bless you for sharing your gently used items with us.

### Noon Time “Stations of the Cross”



Once again this year we are planning to have “Stations of the Cross” at 12:00 noon on Friday’s during lent, beginning February 24, 2012. Anyone who would like to participate in praying the “Stations of the Cross” is welcome to join us.

### A Word from Sister Anne

There is no way that I could ever individually thank all the people both young and old who have reached out with love and prayers during this time of illness and recuperation.

Please know that each of you has been remembered daily in my prayers and your thoughtfulness will always remain in my heart.

Gesundheit, Sister Anne



NO Youth Stations of the Cross rehearsals on Ash Wednesday, February 22nd. Thank you.



## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS



Ash Wednesday  
February 22<sup>nd</sup>

### Why do we receive Ashes?



Ash Wednesday marks the beginning of the Season of Lent. It is a season of penance, reflection, and fasting which prepares us for Christ's Resurrection on Easter Sunday, through which we attain redemption. We remember this when we are told "Remember, Thou are dust, and unto dust you shall return. Repent and hear the Good News." Ashes are a symbol of penance made sacramental by the blessing of the Church, and they help us develop a spirit of humility and sacrifice.

## ATTENTION CCD STUDENTS

### Grades 1-6

NO CCD Classes on Sunday, February 19<sup>th</sup>, Monday, February 20<sup>th</sup>, Tuesday, February 21<sup>st</sup>, and Sunday, February 26<sup>th</sup>

### Next CCD Classes Are:

Monday, February 27<sup>th</sup>, Tuesday, February 28<sup>th</sup>, and Sunday, March 4<sup>th</sup>

## CONFIRMATION CANDIDATES

Next class is February 26<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 pm.

Next sign in Mass is March 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup>.

Reminder: Confirmation Retreat is March 25<sup>th</sup>.

Please Return: Confirmation Name Choice Form and Sponsor Certification Form were due on January 9<sup>th</sup>. If you have not already done so please return as soon as possible.

Reminder: Service Completion form is due March 1<sup>st</sup>.

## Latest Update -- Respect for Rights of Conscience Act

After reviewing the announcement by the Federal Administration on Friday concerning adjustments to HHS's nationwide mandate of insurance coverage of sterilization, contraception and abortion, the US Conference of Catholic Bishops believes that there still remain significant problems with the rules. Consequently, The Conference has released a statement (see insert in the bulletin) concerning the latest developments in the effort by the Federal Administration to limit and impede the exercise of religious liberty guaranteed under the First Amendment of the Constitution.



**Dan Schutte Concert  
Finding Your Sacred Path: A Journey in Song & Story**

St. Andrew the Apostle Church, Bayonne, NJ  
Friday, **February 24, 2012**, 7:30 pm

For more information call the Parish Office at 201-437-0833 or email: [andrew3513@aol.com](mailto:andrew3513@aol.com)

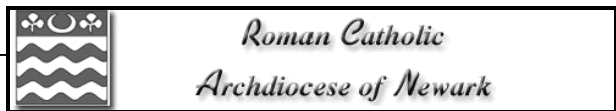
**Come join the Young Adult Ministry of St. Anne Parish for a Musical Lenten Reflection**

A Night of Sacred Music in the Irish Tradition by Owen and Moley Ó Súilleabháin

With special musical guests - St. Anne's Contemporary Choir

Tuesday, **February 28, 2012**  
7:30pm - \$5 tickets at the door

St. Anne Church – 15-05 St. Anne Street – Fair Lawn, NJ



**Archbishop's Annual Appeal**



The needs of God's people are ever increasing, and the Church must respond. Stewards respond not to a specific need but in terms of their life and faith. The Archdiocese has chosen the scriptural model of the steward as a response to Christ's call to all His disciples to be generous.

In Matthew's gospel, Jesus tells a parable of "a man who was going on a journey. He entrusts the stewards of his household each with a different portion of his wealth.

Like the three stewards in Jesus' parable, we have each been given different "talents," different combinations of time, talent and treasure. We ask you to prayerfully reflect on what has been given to you by God, and to consider supporting the Archbishop's Annual Appeal.

**Thank you to our many parishioners who have already made their pledge to the 2012 Archbishop's Annual Appeal. With your help, we can reach and hopefully surpass our goal of \$109,000.00.**



**2012 Wedding Anniversary Masses**

Archbishop John J. Myers has announced the following dates to honor couples in our Archdiocese who will be celebrating five, twenty-five or fifty years of Christian marriage in 2012:

- May 6, 2012 3:00 PM 50 years of marriage
- June 3, 2012 3:00 PM 5 and 25 years of marriage

Registration deadline: Please register early!

- For the May 6<sup>th</sup> Mass, registration deadline is Wednesday, April 25<sup>th</sup>.
- For the June 3<sup>rd</sup> Mass, the registration deadline is Wednesday, May 23<sup>rd</sup>.

All Masses will be celebrated at 3:00 pm at the Cathedral Basilica of the Sacred Heart in Newark.

To register, please call 201-891-4200 in the Parish Office.

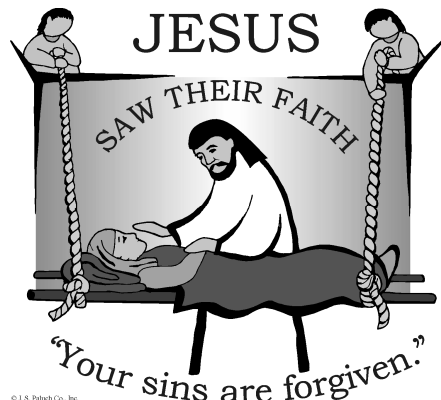
**Annulment Evening**

An Annulment Information Evening is scheduled for Wednesday, **March 7, 2012**, at Our Lady of Lourdes Church, West Orange, NJ at 7:30 pm. A staff member of the Tribunal of the Archdiocese of Newark will provide basic information about annulments; the requirements for annulments and how to begin the process of petitioning for an annulment. There will be an opportunity for questions at the end of the session. Pre-registration is not necessary, but for directions, please call the parish at 973-325-0110.

**Position Openings  
at the Archdiocese of Newark**

- Administrative Purchasing Agent
- Administrative Assistant (Temporary)
- Secretary, Facility Operations

Anyone interested in applying should do so in writing. Please include resume and refer to position title. Office of Human Resources fax # 973-497-4103, e-mail: [floresra@rcan.org](mailto:floresra@rcan.org).



# Cover Sheet

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