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Monday, Wednesday

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Tuesday, Thursday

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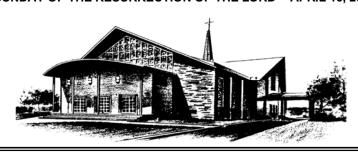
TO REACH ONE OF OUR PRIESTS IN AN EMERGENCY ONLY, PLEASE CALL 201-364-6674.

MINISTRY TO THE SICK

Those who are sick, homebound or in the hospital are a vital part of our parish family. Please call the Parish Center to arrange for reception of the Eucharist and Anointing of the Sick.



EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD - APRIL 16, 2017



W_{elcome}

On the Lord's Day

The Saint Andrew's Roman Catholic Church mission is to spread the love of Jesus Christ through active ministry, inclusive worship and charitable works for our community and the

Monday - Saturday 9:45 AM (Chapel)

world. We invite all who live in our area to join our parish community by calling the Parish Center or by seeing one of the priests.

COME WORSHIP WITH US

On the Lord's Day
Saturday
Sunday 8:00 AM, 10:30 AM, 12:15 PM
7:00 PM (Spanish Mass)
Last Sunday of Each Month 4:30 PM (Filipino Mass)
Daily
Monday - Saturday 9:00 AM
Sacrament of Reconciliation
Saturday
Sunday
Devotions
Eucharistic Adoration Thursdays 9:30 AM—3:00 PM (Chapel)
Rosary and Holy Hour Thursdays @ 7:00 PM (Chapel)
Rosary Saturdays 6:00 PM (Spanish)

OUR PARISH FAMILY

New parishioners may register by calling the Parish Center. Current parishioners should notify us of any changes in their status such as births, deaths, marriages, change of address, etc. Registration is a prerequisite for receiving the Sacraments.

OUR NEW AND IMPROVED WEBSITE

Our website has been updated and contains a link to our Facebook page.
Go to www.standrewcc.com St Andrew's Church (Facebook).
YOU CAN ALSO VIEW THE SUNDAY BULLETIN ON OUR WEBSITE.

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

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Monday, April 17			
9:00 AM Jonathan Forrest - The Vargas Family			
Tuesday, April 18			
9:00 AM Zachman & Skulina Families - Kathy & Bob Pontillo			
Wednesday, April 19			
9:00 AM James Markham - Russ Hartmann			
Thursday, April 20			
9:00 AM Michael Coffey - The Blackgrove Family			
Friday, April 21			
9:00 AM Victor Peturcelli - Margaret & Peter Philis			
Saturday, April 22			
9:00 AM People of the Parish			
5:00 PM Ray Wojciechowski - Gerry, Jim Voorhis & Family			
Sunday, April 23 DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY			
8:00 AM Antoinette Farmer - The Morrison Family			
10:30 AM Anthony Navarro - The Shapiro Family			
12:15 PM Mary Lastella - Her Family			

Those who have pre-arranged a Mass intention, are invited to present the gifts of bread and wine during that celebration. On the Lord's Day and Holy Days, please inform the usher.

7:00 PM Ernesto, Esther & Marcia Correa - Their Family

If there is anyone you would like to add /remove, please call the Parish Center at 201-666-1100.

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

"A time to be healed"

For those who are ill, especially: Msgr. Thomas McCarthy, Gilda Gilmartin, Barbara & Dave Stewart, Chris Napoli, Joan Shaw, Robert Lebron, Craig Carosella, Leonora Paul, Rosemary Giordano, Michael Bodtman, Olivia Lifrieri, Cathy Wojcicki, Corey Rooney, Naomi Barbaretti, Lee Ann Fernino, Daniel Swift, Tara Abbott. Deyanira Pineda and Octavio Galvez, Grace Skuches, Kathleen S., Joey Bulger, Shannon Casey, Mary Pulver, Miriam and Ali, Irwin, Christopher P. Marra, Ada Binder, Elizabeth Krone, Mary Rebish, Patricia Massey, William Quinn, Nancy DeMeola, Terry Rekow, Pauline Olds, Vincent Ficarra, Kay Vanderhoof, Roselaine Fernino, Susan McShane, Mclean Ambrogio, Anna Meehan, Ed Marlow, Carol Petrucelli, Lia A., Richard Mastrangelo, Marguarite O'Brien. Judy Murtagh, Fr. Ward Moore, Denise Robertson, Jim Ferris, Diane Mariconti, Lucrezia, Joseph & Amelia G. Luongo, Lois Re, Jorge Barquest, Joan Casey, Barquest Family, Edward Heinz, Pasquale Germinario, Rosolino Salerno, Timothy Lynch, Mimi, Kathleen S., Stan Varon, Jessica Livingstone, Carmina Sclafani, Lurdes Salazar, Robert Pisani, Jody Soluri, Clementine Montenegro, Dolores Ball, Ronnie Koppinger.

"A time for peace"

For those serving in the Armed Forces, especially: Alma & Michael Baffa, Dillon Heyliger and Jeffrey Gum.

"If today, you hear his voice..."

For those studying for the priesthood, especially:

Pedro Soriano, our parishioner.

Paul Zeller, our parishioner, Diaconate candidate.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Monday, April 17 PARISH OFFICE CLOSED Charismatic Prayer Group 8:00 PM (MPR)
Tuesday, April 18 Choir Practice 7:30 PM (Church)
Wednesday, April 19 Little Angels
Thursday, April 20 Eucharistic Adoration 9:30 AM-3:00 PM (Chapel) Spanish Women's Group 6:00 PM (MPR) Rosary and Holy Hour 7:00 PM (Chapel) Food Pantry 7:30 PM (Church Hall)
Friday, April 21 Spanish Youth Group 6:30 PM (3rd Fl. & MPR) 10:30 AM Confirmation Practice 7:00 PM (Church) 1:30 PM Confirmation Practice 8:00 PM (Church)
Saturday, April 22 Men's Cursillo
Sunday, April 23 DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

MEMORIAL DURING THE WEEK OF APRIL 16



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PRAYER INTENTION FOR THIS WEEK

Please join with us in praying one OUR FATHER per day for those persecuted for their faith.

CONFIRMATION

The sacrament of Confirmation will be conferred on 76 of our parish teens next Saturday, April 22. Bishop Manuel Cruz will preside at the celebration. We ask you to support our young people with your prayers.

A **special Mass** and a support group meeting for all affected by the disease of alcoholism or drug addiction will take place at the **Church of St. Mary**, 20 Legion Place, Closter, on Saturday, April 22, at 12:00 noon. Also, April 22 is the Fr. Jim McKenna Memorial Fund 11th Annual Beefsteak Dinner and Reverse Raffle. \$35.00 for the dinner, optional raffle ticket \$50.00. For information, call 201-768-7565.

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS FOR SUNDAY, APRIL 23

1st Reading Acts 2:42-47 2nd Reading 1 Peter 1:3-9 Gospel John 20:19-31

Pastor's Letter

Dear Parish Family,

Happy Easter everyone! Christ is Risen! Alleluia! Alleluia!

With great joy in my heart, I announce to you: "Christ is risen! He is risen indeed!" This ancient greeting sums up what we celebrate this Easter Sunday, the joy of Christ who has risen and is alive in our midst.

I thank all of you for your presence and prayers as we celebrate this special feast. I would like to extend a warm welcome to anyone who is visiting our parish this weekend. As a community, we come together to celebrate the beautiful gifts of life that God has blessed each of us with. We join the whole church in celebrating this joyful event of Easter.

The Church proclaims, "Christ is risen. He is truly risen!" What does this mean for us? This means death does not have the last word and that God's love for Christ and, indeed, for all of us, is stronger than death. Christ's Resurrection gave us a gift and a promise. Yet, with this, we are also given a mission, as was given to the apostles, to preach to the people and testify that Christ is the one appointed by God as judge of the living and the dead and that we will receive forgiveness of sins through His name.

We are all called to live the new life of the Resurrection. When we do so, we become what St. Augustine referred to as an "Easter People," a people transformed into disciples and stewards who commit their time, talent and treasure in witness. My prayer for you all this Easter is that you may live as a people deeply touched by the Resurrection and proclaim that Christ has risen indeed.

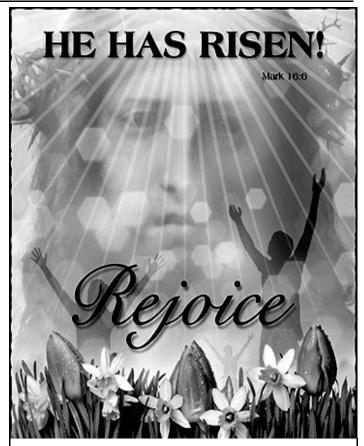
On behalf of Fr. Rafael, Deacon Bob, the Parish Staff and all our parish ministries serving our parish, I wish you all a blessed Easter.

God bless you all!

Fr. Alex



The Knights of Columbus Council 2188 will award three \$1,000.00 scholarships to qualifying students to help with college expenses and recognize their educational, community, social and religious accomplishments and contributions. To be considered, a student must be entering college or already be a college student. Recipients will be chosen from the following: children or grandchildren of Council members, members of the Parishes served by the Council or other worthy/needy students proposed by a member(s) of the Council. A scholarship application can be obtained at the Council's website (kofc2188.org) or by e-mail at caesar4247@gmail.com. Applications due by April 28, 2017. Mail to St. Thomas More Council 2188, 40 Crest St, Westwood, NJ 07675, Attn: Dr. F. Cheslik.



Let us sing "Alleluia" here and now in this life, even though we are oppressed by various worries, so that we may sing it one day in the world to come, when we are set free from all anxiety.

— St. Augustine of Hippo

TD BANK AFFINITY PROGRAM

If you have an existing checking account, CD or Money Market or you open a new checking account, and register as a member of St. Andrew's Parish, TD bank will donate \$10 annually for each checking account and 1/10 of 1% based on your annual balance. NO MONEY COMES OUT OF ANY OF YOUR ACCOUNTS. This is a fundraiser for our parish. All you have to do is call TD bank at 201-594-0991 and register for the Affinity program. The more parishioners who register means more money for the parish. Thank you for your support.

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY – APRIL 23

St. Andrew Parish will host a *Holy Hour of Adoration, praying The Divine Mercy Chaplet, and Prayers for Healing* on *Divine Mercy Sunday* in the Church at 2:00 PM. There will also be an opportunity to celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation. Pope John Paul II dedicated the first Sunday after Easter for this devotion given to St. Faustina, who was asked to pray the Chaplet by Jesus especially for the dying, and He urged her to encourage others to pray it also, promising extraordinary graces to those who would recite this special prayer. We invite you to prepare for this day by praying The Chaplet of Mercy Novena beginning on Good Friday, April 14. Copies of the Novena will be available at the back of the Church. For more information call 201-666-5697.

Church Stewardship

Our stewardship commitment supports the work of the parish and its ministries and shows our appreciation to God for the gifts we have received and our willingness to share those gifts.

COLLECTION FOR THE WEEKEND OF: APRIL 8-9				
Envelopes: 208	\$	7,388.00		
Non-Envelopes	\$	4,256.00		
In-Church Total	\$	11,644.00		

HUMAN CONCERNS ITEM OF THE WEEK: TUNA



ADDITIONAL FOOD PANTRY ITEMS: juice, tomato sauce, pancake mix, canned fruit, toilet paper, toiletries, crackers, tuna.

SUPERMARKET GIFT CARDS ARE ALSO WELCOME.

CLOTHING BIN OPEN: We ask that clean, ready-to-use clothing, shoes, towels and bed-linens **ONLY** be placed in it. **Do not leave any items outside the bin or the Church garage doors.** Due to limited space, we are **ONLY** able to accept clothing, small toys, children's books, kitchen, and baby items at the garage on Mondays from 6:30-8:00 PM and Tuesdays from 1:00-2:30 PM.

WANTED: Volunteers are needed on Mondays, 6:30 - 8:00 PM and Tuesdays, 1:00 – 2:30 PM.

Helping Hands - SAVE THE DATE!

New Hope, Inc. is holding a gala on Wednesday, April 26, 6:30 to 10:30 PM. at Seasons, 664 Pascack Rd. Washington Twp. The \$85 per person fee includes cocktail hour, gourmet dinner, silent auction, Tricky Tray raffle, 50/50 and dancing. Your generosity enables us to reach out to first-time single mothers and their babies, so please celebrate with us. Reservations: Kathy: (201) 573-8697 or kturlick@gmail.com

HOLY NAME HOSPITAL & ST. ANDREW'S PARISH INVITE YOU TO A FREE HEALTH SCREENING

Saturday, April 29 from 9:30 AM to 12:30 PM at the Parish Center. Fasting for 12 hours required prior to screening.

Screenings are for blood pressure, body composition/obesity, cholesterol (lipid panel), hemoglobin A1c (diabetes) and a complete metabolic panel. All are welcome.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS FRIDAY NIGHT DINNER

St. Thomas More Council #2188 Westwood/Hillsdale will host the first of its monthly Friday Night Dinners on April 21 at 40 Crest St., Westwood. The doors open at 6:00 PM. The menu includes lasagna, meatballs, tossed salad, cannoli, soda and coffee/tea. The cost is \$12.00 per person and \$30.00 per family (parents and minor age children). For reservations, call Mike DeAngelo at 201-664-5396. Due to the popularity of this dinner, reservations must be made by Wednesday, April 19. Monies raised from the Friday Night Dinners provide the funds for our many charitable activities and contributions. Please join us for an evening of fun!

St. John's Academy News

During Lent, our students collected change in their mite boxes to benefit children around the world. This collection is coordinated through the Missionary Childhood Association and our diocesan mission office. This project encourages children to be missionaries for other children. \$3.00 buys 75 pencils for a mission school, \$4.00 buys bread for ten children for one week and \$5.00 buys milk for one child for an entire month.

HAPPY EASTER TO OUR PARISH FAMILIES. MAY THE BLESSING OF THE RISEN CHRIST BE WITH YOU THIS EASTER SEASON AND ALWAYS.

OPEN HOUSE EVENTS

THE SENIOR RESIDENCE AT ST. PETER'S IN RIVER EDGE

There will be an Open House at The Senior Residence on Sunday, April 23 from 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM. The residence provides: 24-hour staff, 3 meals daily, medication management, an active and engaging environment along with safety and peace-of-mind for families. The Senior Residence is located on the campus of St. Peter the Apostle Church at 415 Fifth Avenue in River Edge. For information, please call 201-225-0707 or visit www.stpetersresidence.org.

ST. JOSEPH'S REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE

On Wednesday, May 3, from 6:30 until 9:00 PM, St. Joseph's will host an Open House for prospective students (6th,7th and 8th grade boys) and their families. Tours start at 6:30 PM. Guests may speak with SJR faculty, administrators and parents. Information and directions, please call 201-391-3300 or www.sirnj.org.

IMMACULATE HEART OPEN HOUSE IN MAY

Immaculate Heart Academy's Open House is on Wed., May 3 from 6:30-8:30 PM. Staff members will be on hand to answer questions. Online preregistration is requested at www.ihanj.com. Please note, bussing is now available for Rockland and Orange County, NY students. Call 201.445.6800 for more information. IHA is located at 500 Van Emburgh Ave., Township of Washington.

St. Andrew's 50 Plus Club Trip

The club will sponsor a trip to the New York Botanical Gardens on **Friday, May 19**th. The trip includes round trip transportation from Westwood to the Bronx, entrance fee, tram tour at the Gardens, lunch at Emilia's on Arthur Ave. and gratuity. Cost is \$80.00. If interested, contact Hilda at 201-265-5257.

FOR THE RIDE HOME EASTER SUNDAY

1st Reading Acts 10:34,37-43
2nd Reading Colossians 3:1-4
Gospel John 20:1-9



Adult Question: What is your experience of resurrection in your own life or the life of your family?

Child's Question: Jesus is with us today. How can you see him in the people around you in Church?

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