

**MASS INTENTIONS
NOVEMBER 21 – 29, 2015**

**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 21
VIGIL OF THE SOLEMNITY OF CHRIST THE KING**

5:30 PM +Marie & Stanley Doviak
+Linda Mupo
+Mary Katzianer
+Paul Shashaty

**SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 22
THE SOLEMNITY OF CHRIST THE KING**

7:30 +Elizabeth Barbary
+Gloria Nash
+Pierino "Perry" Stillo
+Dawn Cardone
9:30 For the Parishioners
11:30 +Domenico Stampone
+Donald Hayden
+Miland Young
+Dawn Cardone
5:30PM +Bolivar Gonzalez

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 23

11:30 Franciscan Mass League

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 24

11:30 +William, Ernestine & Anthony Colella
+Deceased Members of the John &
Angela Scalzitti Family
+Adele Fleming
7PM +Myrtle Evans
+Beatrice Brophy
+James Egan

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 25

11:30 +Fr. Richard Biasiotto, O.F.M.
+Elizabeth Monahan
+Fr. Lawrence Burke, O.F.M.



**THANKSGIVING DAY - Bilingual
THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 26**

9:30 +Riccardo Gigli
+Domenico Stampone
+Garrity & Brophy Families
+Mary Nugent

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 27

11:30 *Deceased Franciscan Friars*

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 28

11:30 +Myrtle Evans
+Maribelle & Francis Tomedy
+Elizabeth Barbary

VIGIL OF THE FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

5:30 PM +Josephine Szczomak
+Antoinette Frederick
+Albert Antonucci
+Mary Katzianer

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 29

7:30 +Pauline & Charles Giamonco
+Mario, Susan & Myrtle Nocera
+Dawn Cardone
9:30 +Deceased Members of the John &
Angela Scalzitti Family
+Concetta & Nicola Scopa
+Joseph Emmolo
+Ugo Gagliardi
11:30 For the Parishioners
5:30PM +Modesto Espejo

FLOWER DONATIONS

If you are interested in making a donation of a floral arrangement for the Church in memory of a loved one, please call the Parish Office. We will discuss with you what would be a suitable occasion and then we will make the arrangements. We will also put a notice in the bulletin acknowledging your donation if you would like.



*EUCCHARISTIC GIFTS of
Bread & Wine are offered this
week in Memory of / Los dones
Eucarísticos se ofrecerán
en memoria de
Anthony Tudda, Jr.*



*SANCTUARY LAMP will burn this
week in Memory of / La Vela del
Santuario permanecerá
encendida en memoria de
Anthony Tudda, Jr.*



✠ pray for the deceased ✠

Marie Carroll +1929

Marie grew up in the Stoney Road neighborhood of Paterson and was a parishioner of St. Bon's. She lived in Wayne for forty years before moving to Highland Lakes in 1996. Marie was very proud of her Irish heritage, loved the N. Y. Giants, reading mystery novels, listening to Frank Sinatra and doing word search puzzles. She is survived by six daughters, two siblings, ten grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

May she rest peacefully in the Lord!



**Oremos por los enfermos,
especialmente
Pray For
The Sick**

Teresa Apolei, Juan Arias, Robert Barone, Laurie Barone, Ray Beesley, Michele Bender, Jean Berdan, Alicia Bether, Sr. Anne Elizabeth Bolte, Donna Brauchle, Tom Brown, Garret Buys, Phillipe Carino, Debbie Caruso, Anthony Cinderella, Maria Colatarci, Jean Colletti, Vincent Colucci, Donna Colucci, Genevieve DeChellis, Susanna DeNude, Richard DiMauro, Susie & Frank DeVito, Mario Di Pasquale, Steven Domalewski, Cesarina Earl, Eileen Egan, Wendy Estrada, Carmen Farina, Vincent William Gaffney, Giovanna Gatti, Joseph Gilmore, Adele Ginnotti, Antonio Giudice, Salvatore Giudice, Jeanette Gonzalez, Ray Gulbin, Steve Hermann, Maryann Hughes, Jay Intili, Ray LaConte, Alke M. Laffey, Irene Lester, Mary MacDonald, Brian Mackiewicz, Mario Manganiello, Caden Many, Ed Marrone, Sandra Mas, Andrew Maye, Patricia McGovern, Kenneth McGraw, Rosemary McGraw, Mario Menjincello, Stan Michunovich, Diane Murphy, Cindy Orchowski, Gemma Nacleria, Eileen Primavera, Luisa Rendenna, Eliane Rocca, John Ruff, Gloria Russo, Shirley G. Salavarría, Debbie Sherwood, Jean Smith, Annette Streicher, Philip Treanor, Joan Trecartin, John Trommelen, Patricia Tucher, Barbara Urgovitch, Jayne Vandorsten, Helen Young, Carmella Zappala, Philip Zipoy and Anthony & Robert

BULLETIN DEADLINES

Articles for the December 6th bulletin should be in the Parish Office no later than Monday, November 30th.



ST. ANTHONY CHRISTMAS NOVENA
Week 5 of our Christmas Novena
at the 11:30 AM and 7:00 PM Masses.

COLLECTION

November 15...\$3,001.00

SECOND COLLECTION

NOVEMBER 22

IS FOR CATHOLIC HOME MISSIONS

Thank you for your continued support.

Many dioceses right here in the United States do not have enough priests and trained lay ministers to serve their parishes. These dioceses are known as home missions. The Catholic Home Missions Appeal will take place this weekend to support these Dioceses by funding essential ministries, including seminary education and lay ministry training. Please be generous in this Appeal and share your resources to **strengthen the Church at home.**

Scripture Readings for This Week Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

Sunday	Dn 7:13-14; Rv 1:5-8; Jn 18:33b-37
Monday	Dn 1:1-6, 8-20; Lk 21:1-4
Tuesday	Dn 2:31-45; Lk 21:5-11
Wednesday	Dn 5:1-6, 13-14, 16-17, 23-28; Lk 21:12-19
Thursday	Dn 6:12-28; Lk 21:20-28
Friday	Dn 7:2-14; Lk 21:29-33
Saturday	Dn 7:15-27; Lk 21:34-36

Religious Formation Classes Begin

November 22	- 10:30 AM – All Grades
November 29	- No Religious Formation Thanksgiving Break
December 6	- Mass Liturgical Activities Readings/Presentation of the Gifts (Grades 2 & 8) Breakfast with Santa & Family Advent Prayer Service – BMH For Grades K - 4
December 13	- 10:30 AM All Grades Penance Service for Grade 3 – Confirmation II
December 20	- 10:30 AM All Grades
December 27	- No Classes – Christmas Break
January 3	- Mass Liturgical Activities Readings/Presentation of the Gifts (Grades 3 & 9)

***PLEASE BE AWARE THAT THERE IS A
CHANGING TABLE IN THE BATHROOM IN
THE BACK OF THE CHURCH FOR YOUR
CONVENIENCE.***



CHRISTMAS CASH RAFFLE

Proceeds to benefit

St. Bonaventure Church

Donation: \$5.00

Drawing December 6th at 12:30 PM

***Tickets may be purchased after every Mass
or in the Parish Office.***



***St. Bonaventure's Religious Formation -
Winter Coat and Accessory Drive***

*Won't you help someone stay warm this winter? If you have gently used coats, scarves, hats and gloves you are no longer using; please share them with your brothers and sisters of the community. We are taking all sizes. Please drop off your donated items after Mass at Bishop Manning Hall. We will accept donations **throughout November until December, 13, 2015.***



CHOIR REHEARSAL

Monday, November 23

from 7 to 9 PM in the church.

Anyone who may be interested in joining the choir, please feel free to come and practice with us.



GIVING TREE

Each year the Ministry of Social Concerns sponsors a Giving Tree. The goal of this activity is to collect gifts and clothing for children from infant to eighteen years of age for Christmas. A tree is set up in the back of church and decorated with tags. Each tag has a child's name, age, and information about a particular gift that they could use.

You will be providing gifts for children from Hilltop in Paterson; Eva's Village in Paterson; Father English Center in Paterson; Straight and Narrow in Paterson and St. Bonaventure.

Our tree will be up on **Saturday, November 14th through Sunday, December 6th.**

If you take a tag, please return a gift to ensure every child gets a present.

If you do not have the time to purchase a gift; you can leave a monetary offering at the Parish Office. We will use this money to buy gifts if someone takes a tag but does not return a gift.

Thank you.

Edna Sturno



OUR BILINGUAL THANKSGIVING MASS

will be celebrated on

Thursday, November 26th at 9:30 AM.

This is the only Mass for the day.

***The Parish Office will be closed
Thursday and Friday.***

Thanksgiving Bountiful Basket

*God has blessed us with many good gifts and blessings – let us share with our brothers and sisters of the community by donating fresh fruits and vegetables, a non-perishable item, or canned goods. Please bring your donated item to Church on **Thanksgiving Day, November 26th at the 9:30 AM Mass** and place it in the baskets set up for food collection. Thank you for your generosity!*





Diocesan Christmas Concert

*All are invited to join Bishop Serratelli and the faithful of the diocese for our annual Christmas Concert on **December 6 at 4:00 PM at St. Peter the Apostle Church** in Parsippany. This year's concert, **THE FIRST NOEL**, will feature the Diocesan Choir, the Diocesan Children's Choir and the Gramercy Brass Quintet. A variety of music will be presented spanning many centuries and cultures, bringing the joy of Christ's birth into our hearts and lives.*

AN OPEN INVITATION

A very important part of every Eucharist is the collection of the people's monetary gifts which are used to support the works of the church. Those monetary gifts are presented by the Ushers/Ministers of Hospitality along with the most special gifts of bread and wine at the time of the Mass known as the Preparation of the Gifts which follows the collection.

Anyone is welcome to bring these gifts of bread and wine to the priest/deacon at any Mass. Usually the Ushers/Ministers of Hospitality have to "recruit" two people to bring up the gifts. All too often it is the same two people week after week. But anyone and everyone are welcome. It could be two people or more. In fact, an entire family could present the gifts.

This would be a wonderful way to observe a special family event: a wedding anniversary, a birthday, or other special occasions. If a particular Mass is celebrated for the intention of someone dear to you whose name is listed in the bulletin, this would also be a wonderful occasion for you to bring the gifts to the altar.

If you would like to volunteer to participate in this way at any Mass, please see one of the Ushers/Ministers of Hospitality and let them know at least 10 minutes before Mass. They will explain the very simple procedures.

Please respond to this invitation!

Fr Stephen, OFM

"MAKING A JOYFUL NOISE UNTO THE LORD"

On Sunday, November 29th at our 11:30 AM Mass the men and women from Straight & Narrow will join us to celebrate the Liturgy. Straight & Narrow is a human service agency of the Diocese of Paterson Catholic Charities. Thanks to the treatment and facilities offered by Straight & Narrow, these men and women, whose lives were once broken by addiction, are now on their way to living wholesome and productive lives as enthusiastic contributors to society. You'll hear that optimism, determination and gratitude in the way they give Praise to the Lord. Come! You'll never forget this experience!



ADVENT SENIOR ENRICHMENT WITH FR. FRANK

During the season of Advent, Fr. Frank invites our seniors to join him for 11:30 Mass on Monday, November 30th, Monday, December 7th and Monday, December 14th followed by a "brown bag lunch" in the Friary Conference Room from 12 to 12:30 PM. After lunch, we will reflect on the readings for the upcoming Advent Sunday Liturgy. If you plan to attend, please call the Parish Office so we know the approximate number of attendees. Thank you!

"Don't wait until everything is just right. It will never be perfect. There will always be challenges, obstacles and less than perfect conditions. So what... Get started now. With each step you take, you will grow stronger and stronger, more and more skilled, more and more self-confident and more and more successful."
Mark Victor Hansen