

MASS INTENTIONS
APRIL 22 – APRIL 30, 2017



SATURDAY, APRIL 22
VIGIL OF THOMAS SUNDAY/ DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER
5:30 PM +Rose & Anthony Sturno
+Salvatore & Nicolina Santangelo
+Bruno & Maria Vittorio Stillo
+Adele Berthold

SUNDAY, APRIL 23
THOMAS SUNDAY/DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY
SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER

7:30 +Joyce Barbary-Post
+Julia Di Virgilio
+Maria Stella Sama
+Constance Nocera
+Larry Diana
9:30 +Leo Cullen
+Andrei Lochli
+Giovanni Bernardo
+Amedeo Montorio
+Joseph Trawinski
11:30 +Don Hayden
+Carmine R. Buglione
+Lori Ann McCarthy
+Vincenza M. Scollo
5:30PM +For the Parishioners

MONDAY, APRIL 24

11:30 Franciscan Mass League

TUESDAY, APRIL 25
FEAST OF SAINT MARK, EVANGELIST

11:30 +Joseph & Madeline Panetta
+Angelo & Josephine Antonucci
+Raffaella Cirillo
7 PM +Mary Nugent
+James Egan
+Beatrice Brophy

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 26

11:30 +Mary Nugent
+Rosemarie Baumann
+Eugenio Occhiuzzi

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.



THURSDAY, APRIL 27

11:30 +Myrtle Evans
+Deceased Members of the John & Angela Scalzitti Family
+John J. Ciborski, Jr.

FRIDAY, APRIL 28

11:30 **DECEASED FRANCISCAN FRIARS**

SATURDAY, APRIL 29

1130 +Myrtle Evans
+Mary Nugent

VIGIL OF THE THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

5:30 PM +Andy & Perry Stillo
+Josephine Szczomak
+Ann Marie Patterson Koodray
+Neil Gueriere

SUNDAY, APRIL 30
THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

7:30 +Joyce Barbary-Post
+George & Marie Healy
+Larry Diana
9:30 +Anthony John Colella
+Joseph Emmolo
+Francis Shea
+Rosa Quintero
+Clarence Hilton
11:30 +Carolyn McGuigan
+Eneida Sigismondi
+Franco Juan Sigismondi, II
+Lori Ann McCarthy
5:30PM +Bolivar Gonzalez



*EUCCHARISTIC GIFTS of
Bread & Wine are offered this
week in Memory of/ Los dones
Eucarísticos se ofrecerán
en memoria de
Joseph Trawinski*



*SANCTUARY LAMP will burn this
week in Memory of/ La Vela del
Santuario permanecerá
encendida en memoria de
Don Hayden*

✠ pray for the deceased ✠

DECEASED FRANCISCAN FRIARS



**Oremos por los enfermos,
especialmente**

Pray For The Sick

Teresa Apolei, Juan Arias, Robert Barone, Laurie Barone, Michele Bender, Jean Berdan, Sr. Anne Elizabeth Bolte, Tom Brown, Phillipe Carino, Debbie Caruso, Anthony Cinderella, Maria Colatarci, Jean Colletti, Vincent Colucci, Josephine Constantinople, Genevieve DeChellis, Susanna DeNude, Richard DiMauro, Susie & Frank DeVito, Angela Di Pasquale, Steven Domalewski, Ann Dorning, Cesarina Earl, Eileen Egan, Wendy Estrada, Vincent William Gaffney, Joseph Gilmore, Adele Ginnotti, Antonio Giudice, Salvatore Giudice, John Grectin, Ray Gulbin, Steve Hermann, Sabina Huayta, Maryann Hughes, Jay Intili, Alke M. Laffey, Irene Lester, Dean Patrick Lewis, Addison Mary Lewis, Mary MacDonald, Caden Many, Ed Marrone, Sandra Mas, Andrew Maye, Mario Menjincello, Stan Michunovich, Cindy Orchowski, Lois Orlando, Gemma Nacleria, Eileen Primavera, Clara Ramia, Luisa Rendenna, Nelly Rivera, Eliane Rocca, Diana Romeo, John Ruff, John Saputo, Gloria Russo, Shirley G. Salavarría, Debbie Sherwood, Jean Smith, Annette Streicher, Philip Treanor, Joan Trecartin, John Trommelen, Patricia Tucher, Barbara Urgovitch, Jayne Vandorsten, Ray Veltri and Philip Zipoy

Religious Formation Classes Begin

**April 23 Confirmation at the
9:30 AM Mass**
April 30 - 10:30 AM All Grades
FINAL CLASS FOR THE YEAR

COLLECTION

Good Friday/Holy Land April 14.....\$969.00

Easter Sunday, April 16.....\$13,916.00

**Next weekend the Second Collection is for
Catholic Campaign for Human Development**

Thank you for your continued support.

Next week, our second collection will be for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development. Over 46 million people in the United States live in poverty. This collection supports programs to empower people to identify and address the obstacles they face as they work to lift themselves out of poverty. By supporting this collection you give people a hand up, not a hand out. Learn more about the Catholic Campaign for Human Development at www.usccb.org/cchdl/collection.

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### Scripture Readings for This Week Second Sunday of Easter or Sunday of Divine Mercy

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| <b>Sunday</b>    | Acts 2:42-47; 1 Pt 1:3-9; Jn 20:19-31 |
| <b>Monday</b>    | Acts 4:23-31; Jn 3:1-8                |
| <b>Tuesday</b>   | 1 Pt 5:5b-14; Mk 16:15-20             |
| <b>Wednesday</b> | Acts 5:17-26; Jn 3:16-21              |
| <b>Thursday</b>  | Acts 5:27-33; Jn 3:31-36              |
| <b>Friday</b>    | Acts 5:34-42; Jn 6:1-15               |
| <b>Saturday</b>  | Acts 6:1-7; Jn 6:16-21                |

### CONFIRMATION

**TODAY, SUNDAY, APRIL 23<sup>RD</sup>**  
will be celebrated here at St. Bonaventure  
**at the 9:30 AM Mass.**



**Week #7** of the 13 Tuesdays in Honor of St. Anthony of Padua continues at the 11:30 A.M. and 7:00 P.M. Masses.

#### Is God Calling You to Be a Franciscan Friar?

Contact our Vocation Director, Br. Basil Valente, O.F.M. at [bvalente@frp.org](mailto:bvalente@frp.org), visit: [BeAFranciscan.org](http://BeAFranciscan.org) or scan this symbol with your smartphone:





**ST. BONAVENTURE COMMUNITY GARDEN  
2017 SEASON**

Spring is in the air. Plants are starting to grow. Time to reserve your spot in the St. Bon's Community Garden.

6 x 4 fertile areas available to green thumbs, vegetable aficionados or novice gardeners.

Land, water and sun provided free of charge. First come first served. Help and instruction available for the inexperienced.

Please inquire at Parish Office or contact Fr. Stephen at [sdewittofm@stbonspaterson.org](mailto:sdewittofm@stbonspaterson.org). Applications accepted through the end of April.



**"Coffee &..."**

will take place next Sunday, May 7<sup>th</sup> in the Church Hall after all Sunday Masses.

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**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
COUNCIL 240
Sinatra Night!**

Saturday, May 6th – Donation \$20.00

Doors Open @ 6:30 PM

Bishop Manning Hall

Menu – Italian wedding soup, salad, chicken parmesan, eggplant rollatini, pasta, soda, water, coffee, desserts, beer and wine.

For tickets call Jim Cullen at 201.852.3186

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"What lies behind us and what lies ahead of us are tiny matters compared to what lives within us." Henry David Thoreau



**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION**

**Saturday, May 6<sup>th</sup>**

**Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament  
after the 11:30 AM Mass**

**12 – 1 PM**

**Rosary in English then Spanish  
Bilingual Eucharistic Prayer Service  
& Benediction - 2 PM**

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**We will be celebrating
First Holy Communion**

on Sunday, May 7th

at the 9:30 & 11:30 AM Masses.

**Join us in celebration for the
First Communicants and their families.**

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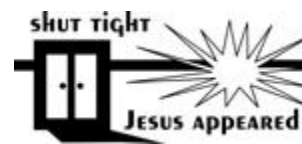
**MOTHER'S DAY NOVENA**

beginning on **Sunday, May 14<sup>th</sup>** through  
**Monday, May 22<sup>nd</sup>** at the 11:30 AM Mass.

Cards are available in the Parish Office  
for you to purchase.

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**MAY CROWNING AT ST. BON'S
SUNDAY, MAY 14th AT THE
9:30 AM MASS**



**Support our Easter Collections
& Easter Flowers**

Did you know that you can contribute to our Good Friday & Easter Sunday collections online? It's as easy as going to <https://stbonspaterson.org/special-collections> and entering your credit or debit card information.

You can also make a donation to help purchase of our Easter flowers by going to <https://stbonspaterson.org/easter-flowers> . Donations can be dedicated to a deceased relative or friend from this webpage.

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Forget Your Offering? No Problem – Give Online!

Did you forget your checkbook or offertory envelope today? Are you a visitor who doesn't carry a lot of cash? Don't worry....we have you covered! One-time or recurring donations are as easy as...

1. Go to <https://stbonspaterson.org/online-giving> using any device
2. Choose One-time or Recurring donation (weekly or monthly)
3. Select your preferred form of payment (debit or credit card)
4. Enter your information
5. Submit your donation

Please feel free to use your smartphone to make a donation before or after mass, or during our offertory collection.

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WE NEED YOU TO SERVE YOUR PARISH

Are you a baptized and confirmed Catholic who loves your Church? Are you interested in serving the Church and contributing to our worship of God? You could be a Lector or Eucharistic Minister. We are looking for volunteers to enhance our worship by proclaiming the Word of God and helping us share in the Body and Blood of Christ. Training will be provided. If you are interested, please call the Parish Office or email Fr. Stephen at sdewittofm@stbonspaterson.org.

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**BENEFIT BEEFSTEAK DINNER
FOR THE FAMILY OF
RAYMOND BEESLEY**

Friday, May 12, 2017 – 7 PM

Russian Hall, 4 Woodhull Avenue, Little Falls
Live music, food, beer and soda included. Tricky Tray & 50/50 raffles. Donation \$55.00. To purchase tickets, contact Patty at 973.223.7999.

From the Pastor's Desk....

THANK YOU! THANK YOU!

***Christ is risen from the dead!
In death He Trampled death
And to those in the graves
He gives life!***

Fr. Frank and I would like to thank all who helped during the holy days of Easter. The Liturgy Committee, Music Ministry, Lector Ministry, Eucharistic Ministry, decorators, and so many others. Your hard work and dedication to St. Bon's is indeed overwhelming!

Fr. Stephen, O.F.M.

Fr. Frank, O.F.M.

**ST. ANTHONY SHRINE FOR THE SICK
TRIDIUM OF MASSES**

will take place on **June 22, 23 and 24. There will be a special Anointing Mass on Saturday, June 24 at the 11:30 AM Mass** to remember all the intentions of your loved ones who are ill. After the Mass your intentions will be placed before the painting of "St. Anthony and the Sick." There will be a luncheon immediately following in Bishop Manning Hall.

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Immaculate Heart Academy will host a Spring Open House on Wednesday, May 3, 2017 from 6:30-8:30 PM. Members of the administration, faculty, and coaching staff 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, NJ 07676.

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TUTORING HELP

Does your child need help with their homework or with taking tests? I am certified to teach in New Jersey for K-12 grades and can tutor your child in writing, test taking, study skills and all subject areas. Rates are negotiable. Please call Gabe Gargirello at 201.341.1697.