

# Church of the Annunciation

*A Roman Catholic Community*

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## *Our Mission Statement:*

*The Church of the Annunciation, united in faith and guided by the Holy Spirit, is a welcoming community of people, loving, serving, and sharing in the mission of Jesus Christ.*

## Pastoral Staff

*Rev. James V. Teti, Pastor*

*Rev. Msgr. Richard F. Groncki, In Residence*

*Rev. Donald K. Hummel, In Residence*

*Rev. John Stanley Gomes, Weekend Assistant*

*Gladys Pozza, Pastoral Associate for Faith Formation*

*Robert Leichte, Youth Minister (in collaboration with Visitation parish)*

*Kimberly Harrigan, Principal, Visitation Academy*

*Mr. William Joyce, Deacon*

*James Carlo, Director of Music*

*Lorraine Rose, Cantor / Leader of Song*

*David Pfeiffer and Mary Sherry, Parish Trustees*

## Schedule of Masses and Devotions

*Saturday: 5:00 p.m. (Sunday anticipated)*

*Sunday: 8:00 a.m., 10:30 a.m., Noon*

*Monday through Friday: 7:30 a.m. in the Holy Family Chapel at the Parish Center*

*Saturday: 9:00 a.m., with the Miraculous Medal Novena prayed during the Mass*

*Holy Days: 7:30 p.m. (vigil), 7:30 a.m., Noon*

*Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament takes place every Wednesday at 7:00 p.m. in the Holy Family Chapel during which time the Rosary and Chaplet of Divine Mercy are prayed.*





## A Note from Our Pastor

Dear Parishioners,

This weekend is, of course, the rummage sale here in our parish. Items have been arriving throughout the week and have filled the lower church. Many families have donated them and I thank all for doing so. The proceeds will again enable us to assist families in need and organizations that assist others. Your patronage of the sale as well as donated supplies is important, and so thank you for considering to stop by during the weekend days and purchase items. I know that our Social Concerns committee members have been hard at work all week. It is a tiring week but also one of great accomplishment and the sense of consolidation with others and assistance to them.

One aspect of the sale in particular that amazes me is just noticing the various items that are a part of the sale. They reflect so many different areas of interest and tell us much about our lives and who we are. It is a reminder that items that perhaps we do not need any more can help others and still be put to good use rather than discarded. In many ways the sale is a microcosm of our culture. We use and need material things, but should always handle them wisely and prudently. We should manage them properly and never let them dominate us, discovering continuously their orderly place in our lives.

Let's give thanks again for a great sale and show that appreciation to all who have made it happen for yet another year!

Yours in Christ,  
Fr. Jim Teti



*for those in need of healing...*  
Judy Joyce, Paul Fregeau

*for those entering God's kingdom...*  
Nanette Karol

*for those serving our country...*  
all men and women in our military, stationed here and abroad



The sanctuary lamps will burn this week in memory of **MaryAnn Siniscalchi** as requested by Gail Frey and family.

The altar candles will burn this week in memory of **Richard Turpin** as requested by Chrissy and Jim Tiedemann.

## Our Giving

Please remember to fill in the donation amount  
on your offertory envelope!

June 17-18

Income from 141 envelope users	\$ 4,284.00
Out-of-pocket gifts	\$ 1,199.00
Electronic giving (weekly average, 66 families)	\$ 2,213.98
Total weekly income	\$ 7,696.98

Mass attendance 513

## Vacation Plans?

Where are you planning on going this summer? Take the Mass Times for Travel app, available in the Apple app store, with you and never miss a Mass. Or, visit [www.masstimes.org](http://www.masstimes.org).

Mass Times helps Catholics get to Mass by helping them find churches and worship times worldwide. They host and share the most comprehensive database of Catholic churches and worship times in existence.

## Readings for the Week



Monday: Gn 12:1-9; Ps 33:12-13, 18-20, 22; Mt 7:1-5  
Tuesday: Gn 13:2, 5-18; Ps 15:2-4ab, 5; Mt 7:6, 12-14  
Wednesday: Gn 15:1-12, 17-18; Ps 105:1-4, 6-9;  
Mt 7:15-20  
Thursday: Vigil: Acts 3:1-10; Ps 19:2-5; Gal 1:11-20;  
Jn 21:15-19  
Day: Acts 12:1-11; Ps 34:2-9;  
2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18; Mt 16:13-19  
Friday: Gn 17:1, 9-10, 15-22; Ps 128:1-5; Mt 8:1-4  
Saturday: Gn 18:1-15; Lk 1:46-50, 53-55; Mt 8:5-17  
Sunday: 2 Kgs 4:8-11, 14-16a; Ps 89:2-3, 16-19;  
Rom 6:3-4, 8-11; Mt 10:37-42



**Summer@theheart**  
500 Van Emburgh Avenue  
Township of Washington

Once again, Immaculate Heart Academy is hosting various co-ed summer enrichment courses through its popular Summer@theheart program. Courses, beginning July 10 and running through August 3, are open to students of several age levels.

Two large sessions and four mini sessions are held Mondays through Thursdays, from 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. Courses include Broadcasting, STEAM (Art Meets STEM), Young Artists Workshop, Personal Leadership, Beginning Theatre, T-shirt Quilt Making, and many more! For more information or to register, visit [www.ihanj.com](http://www.ihanj.com) or contact Kelly Tweed at [ktweed@ihanj.com](mailto:ktweed@ihanj.com) or 201-445-6800.



### Send a City Child to Camp

The Eddie Gray Camp Fund is seeking donations to help send inner-city children to summer camp. This year our cost per child will be \$260 for one week. However, donations of any amount will be gratefully accepted. Every donation helps and is greatly appreciated! Please make checks payable to:

Sister Jacinta Fernandes  
St. Joseph Social Service Center  
118 Division Street  
Elizabeth, NJ 07201

Thank you for providing a happy and healthy experience for an inner-city child!



### Saturday, June 24

5:00 p.m. **Mary Haughton** req. Mary Zaleski

### Sunday, June 25: Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. **Eleanor King** req. Fr. Jim & the Annunciation staff

10:30 a.m. **Deacon Joe Niland** req. the Annunciation Seniors

12:00 p.m. **Michael Wyssenski** req. his parents

### Monday, June 26

7:30 a.m. **Ana Matesic** req. Nick & Mary Morin

### Tuesday, June 27: Saint Cyril of Alexandria

7:30 a.m. **William Alicakos** req. the Uber family

### Wednesday, June 28: Saint Irenaeus

7:30 a.m. **John Tarabocchia** req. John Bussanich

### Thursday, June 29: Saints Peter and Paul

7:30 a.m. **James Alford, Jr.** req. the Lowder family

### Friday, June 30: The First Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church

7:30 a.m. **Susan K. Ziegler** req. Robert Sodickson

### Saturday, July 1: Saint Junipero Serra

9:00 a.m. **Anthony John Raiola** req. Lucy & John Pergolizzi

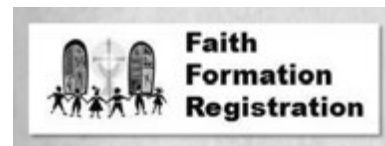
5:00 p.m. **Maureen Niland** req. the Niland family

### Sunday, July 2: Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. **Joseph Mahoney** req. his wife, Nan

10:30 a.m. **MaryAnn Siniscalchi** req. Mr. & Mrs. Jim Clough

12:00 p.m. **Salvatore Pennisi** req. his wife, Margarita



Registration for the 2017 school year is now in progress. Please bring in your completed registration, health, public relations release, and volunteer forms, plus the appropriate registration fee and, if applicable, sacramental fee, in person to the Parish Center on Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays or Fridays, between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m.

If you are unable to come in person, please make sure to mail your completed forms with all documentation and the appropriate fee before the deadline of June 30 so as to avoid a late fee of \$50.

Registration forms can be downloaded from Annunciation's website at [annunciationchurch.org](http://annunciationchurch.org).

## The Week Ahead

Key	
C = Church	P = Church Plaza
CAF = School Cafeteria	PH = Providence Hall
GS = Gathering Space	SC = School Classrooms
HFC = Holy Family Chapel	SG = School Gym
LR = Parish Center Living Room	UR = Parish Center Upper Room
MR = Parish Center Meeting Room	YR = Youth Room
OH = O'Connor Hall	

### Monday, June 26

9:00 a.m. Food Pantry Kitchen Teams – PH

### Tuesday, June 27

5:30 p.m. Men's Basketball – SG

7:00 p.m. Life in the Spirit Seminar – PH

7:30 p.m. Men's Basketball – SG

### Wednesday, June 28

7:00 p.m. Rosary/Divine Mercy Devotional – HFC

7:00 p.m. Youth Group – YR

### Thursday, June 29

9:00 a.m. Food Pantry Kitchen Teams – PH

7:00 p.m. AA – OH

### Friday, June 30

9:00 a.m. Food Pantry Kitchen Teams – PH

12:30 p.m. Social Concerns Committee – OH

3:00 p.m. Eagle Scout Project – OH

7:00 p.m. Charismatic Prayer Group – HFC

### Saturday, July 1

8:00 a.m. Food Pantry Kitchen Teams & Distribution – OH

2:00 p.m. Eagle Scout Project – OH



Due to an early submission deadline for the July 9 bulletin, all articles must be submitted to Judy Fanelli by this Wednesday, June 28, at 9:00 a.m.

## Friends of the Adornos

Craft Fair Today! - Sunday, 10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Grounds of Saint Michael's Seminary

575 Darlington Avenue, Ramsey

The event features many booths showcasing exciting handmade items, crafts, and metal art, jewelry, paintings, glass and textiles on exhibit and for sale to the public. Bring the children and have fun making different crafts at the free hands-on craft table. Treat your family to an old-fashioned experience and spend the day at the Adorno Fathers Craft Fair. Admission is free and there is ample parking. Food and refreshments will be sold on the premises. No pets, please!

Proceeds from the fair will enable the Adorno Fathers to continue funding the education of their Seminarians at both St. Michael's in Ramsey and the Philippines, and to support their missions in Africa and India. For additional information, please call 201-998-1144.

## Table of Plenty

201-881-0063

“How good, how delightful it is to live peacefully together.”

Psalm 133.1

Table of Plenty has been very busy over the past several months and we wanted to let you know how we are doing. Currently we have registered 179 families comprised of 287 adults and 167 children. We continue to receive abundantly on a regular weekly basis perishable food donations from one supermarket, one frozen food wholesale retailer, one local bakery and one nearby area church.

During May and June a young man, Justin, conducted a food drive for Table of Plenty in an effort to achieve his Eagle Scout Award. Justin is a member of Troop 138 here in Paramus. As a result of his well-organized efforts during this project, Justin collected over 200 bags of non-perishable food items which was a tremendous help in restocking our pantry shelves! We and the families we serve thank Justin for all his hard work and congratulate him on a job well done.

We also wish to thank Kessler Rehabilitation Center in Paramus for their month-long food drive during June also for our benefit.

Lastly, Table of Plenty volunteers wish to convey to John and Joan Picarelli that they will miss as part of our Thursday morning kitchen team. We were happy for them as they moved closer to their family members in Virginia, but we were saddened to see them go. We hope to see them in August when they come back to visit. John & Joan were instrumental in making contact with the local bakery who currently donates to us three times a week and who has become an important part of our “Food Rescue Mission.”



“Everyone who acknowledges me before others I will acknowledge before my heavenly Father.”

Matthew 10:32

Do you share your Catholic faith with others? Do you defend your Catholic faith or do you remain silent when the situation arises? Do you pray in public before meals? Pray for the strength and courage to be a joyful witness of our Catholic faith when the opportunity presents itself.

Annunciation's Parish Center is open Monday to Friday from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

**Parish Center Directory**

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Chris Vaughn	Director of Maintenance		Ext. 109

**BAPTISM**

The sacrament of Baptism is celebrated for infants on the second and fourth weekends of each month, except during the Lenten season. The celebration may take place during the 10:30 a.m. or 12:00 p.m. Mass on Sunday, or at 1:00 p.m. on Saturday. Parents are invited to contact Judy Fanelli, even before your baby is born, so that participation in our preparation program can be arranged and the baptism planned.

**RECONCILIATION**

The sacrament of Reconciliation is offered in the church on Saturdays between 4:00 p.m. and 4:30 p.m. Personal appointments for other times are available and can be made by contacting Father Jim.

During the Lenten Season, a communal Celebration of Reconciliation is offered in conjunction with Our Lady of the Visitation parish.

**VOCATIONS**

Are you being called to priesthood or religious life? As you discern God's calling, explore [www.rcan.org/vocation](http://www.rcan.org/vocation).

**MINISTRY TO THE ILL AND HOMEBOUND**

At times, physical injury, old age, or debilitating disease prevents our parishioners from participating regularly in the celebration of the Eucharist. During such times, contact with the community of faith is needed more than ever before. We can arrange for you to receive the Eucharist, the sacrament of Reconciliation, and/or the sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick in your home or hospital room. Please call the Parish Center if you wish to be visited.

**PARISH MEMBERSHIP**

If you are new to the parish, please submit a completed parish census form. Blank forms are available in the Gathering Space and on our website. Families already registered with the parish are encouraged to keep current their membership information.

**INITIATION INTO THE CATHOLIC CHURCH**

The *Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults* (RCIA) is a process of formation and initiation for those (age seven and older) who have never been baptized and wish to become members of the Roman Catholic Church.

Formation and initiation opportunities also exist for adults baptized into the Roman Catholic Church as infants, but who have not received the sacraments of Confirmation and/or Eucharist.

Christians baptized in Eastern Orthodox Churches or in communions other than Roman Catholic who wish to enter into the fullness of Catholic communion may also participate in the RCIA formation process.

For more information, please contact Father Jim.

**VISITATION ACADEMY**

Parents wishing to provide their children with a quality Catholic education are encouraged to consider Visitation Academy, a National Blue Ribbon School of Excellence. Located in Paramus and supported by the Catholic parishes of Paramus and Rochelle Park, Visitation Academy offers classes for Grades pre-K3 through eight. For more information, please visit [www.visitationacademyparamus.org](http://www.visitationacademyparamus.org) or call 201-262-6067.

**INTENTION REQUESTS**

We can spiritually remember an anniversary of marriage, ordination or death, birthday, or other significant milestone for the living or deceased by dedicating the items we use for worship: the sanctuary lamps which burn constantly before the Blessed Sacrament in the church and Holy Family Chapel, the altar candles which remain lit during each liturgical celebration, the bread and wine consecrated at Mass, the Advent wreath candles, and the Paschal candle. Masses may also be offered for a special intention.

A set donation is requested for each intention, a card is provided, and the intention is printed in the bulletin. To request an intention, please visit the Parish Center.

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