



**Saturday January 14**  
 5:30 pm Dominic Carton

**Sunday January 15** *Second Sunday in Ordinary Time*  
 7:30 am Our Parishioners  
 9:00 am Marie Cardone  
 10:30 am Elaine Foster, Salvatore Russo, and Angelo Cubelli  
 12:00 pm Dr. Rodolfo Narag

**Monday January 16**  
 6:45 am Rocco Danzi, Sr.

**Tuesday January 17** *St Anthony, Abbot*  
 6:45 am Anthony Pinnavaia

**Wednesday January 18**  
 6:45 am Porfiria Bautista

**Thursday January 19**  
 6:45 am Fr. Charles Parr

**Friday January 20**  
 6:45 am Margaret Molloy

**Saturday January 21** *St Agnes, Virgin and Martyr*  
 8:00 am Joan MacDonald  
 5:30 pm Florence McEntyre

**Sunday January 22** *Third Sunday in Ordinary Time*  
 7:30 am Rosemary Haas and Our Parishioners  
 9:00 am Lucille Sindone  
 10:30 am Joseph Cunniffe  
 12:00 pm Dr. Rodolfo Narag

**PRAY FOR THE SICK**

Please remember in your prayers those who are ill, especially Kristin Petrasek, Connie Ingrassia, Christopher Fraclose, Kevin Cunniff, Arline Forte, Nancy Huber, Gene Caulfield, Saskia Kane, Joy Skubic, Edward Sotelo, Sr. Bernadette Weller, Robert Walsh, Jack Boyland, Christa Fairclough, Bob Noonan, Martha Jones, Ramona Colao, Louise Risely, Karen Lang, Benjamin LeFebvre, Lisa Gallagher, Shannon Halm, Tony Ratchford, Wayne Collette, and Edward Nolan.

**STEWARDSHIP**

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| January 10, 2016 Sunday Collection | \$ 9,004         |
| MASS ATTENDANCE 713                |                  |
| January 8, 2017 Sunday Collection  |                  |
| Envelopes/Cash                     | \$ 8,987         |
| ParishPay                          | 1,215            |
| <b>Total</b>                       | <b>\$ 10,202</b> |
| MASS ATTENDANCE 659                |                  |

God bless you for your generosity.

**Scripture Readings**  
**January 22, 2017**  
**Third Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**First Reading: Isaiah 8:23—9:3**

The prophet Isaiah describes the anguish of a conquered people, but he promises that they will triumph and will see a great light as on the "day of Midian."

**Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 1:10—13, 17**

Paul speaks to the Corinthians with both anger and indignation because they are quarreling among themselves as to whom they should show allegiance. Some wish to follow Paul; some, Peter; others Apollos; others, Christ.

**Gospel: Matthew 4:12-23**

Jesus begins his mission by going to Capernaum, fulfilling the prophecy of Isaiah. He selects Peter, Andrew, James and John as his disciples, inviting them to be "fishers of men."

**JANUARY 21/22 CELEBRANT SCHEDULE**

|          |                         |
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| 5:30 pm  | Fr. Jared Brogan        |
| 7:30 am  | Fr. Edward Seton Fittin |
| 9:00 am  | Fr. Jim Termyna         |
| 10:30 am | Fr. Jared Brogan        |
| 12:00 pm | Fr. Jared Brogan        |

***THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH***

**Monday, January 16**

Martin Luther King Day - Offices closed

**Tuesday, January 17**

Moms and Tots 9:30 – 11:00 am

**Wednesday, January 18**

Prayer Group 1:00 – 2:00 pm

**Thursday, January 19**

Choir Practice 7:00 - 9:00 pm

Youth Night Movie (gym) 7:30 – 9:30pm

**Friday, January 20**

Mystery players practice 6:00 – 10 pm

**Sunday, January 22**

9<sup>th</sup> Grade Class Mass 10:30 am

Mystery players practice 6:00 – 10 pm

**ANNUAL MEN'S RETREAT**

The Men's Annual Retreat will be held at Loyola Retreat House, James Street, Morristown **from Friday evening, Feb 3 through Sunday, Feb 5.** We begin with dinner at 7 pm Friday and close with lunch on Sunday about 1 or 2 pm. You'll be back in plenty of time for the Super Bowl. For more information and/or reservations please call Jerry Napolitano 973-625-2567 or Al Atkinson 973-627-8169.

## From the Desk of Fr. Jared

As a nation we will inaugurate the 45<sup>th</sup> President of the United States this week. As always we pray for our nation and for President-elect Trump and his administration. Here are some interesting and comical facts about past presidential inaugurations.

... in 1953 Texas-born Dwight D. Eisenhower was lassoed in the reviewing stand by a cowboy who rode up to him on horse.

... JFK's inauguration almost went up in flames when the podium caught fire as Cardinal Richard Cushing was delivering the invocation. Thank goodness his robes didn't light up, and Kennedy even managed a smile.

... the prize for most botched oath goes to Lyndon B. Johnson, who took the vice-presidential oath during JFK's inauguration "without any mental reservation whatever," instead of "without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion."

... Jimmy Carter took his inauguration in stride when he walked from the Capitol to the White House in the ceremony parade (the only other president to do so was Thomas Jefferson).

... no one throws a party like Abraham Lincoln, whose inauguration was so wild, the police had to be called in.

... contrary to popular misconception, Theodore Roosevelt was the youngest man inaugurated, at 42 years of age.

... Ronald Reagan was the oldest man inaugurated, just 17 days short of his 70th birthday.

... Bill Clinton's second inauguration was the first to be live-streamed on the Internet.

... apparently Bill and Hillary danced till they dropped during President Clinton's second inauguration, when they attended 14 inaugural balls—the most any president has attended.

... William Henry Harrison set the record for longest speech (100 minutes and 8,495 words), which he delivered sans hat or coat in the middle of a snowstorm. Unfortunately, but perhaps not surprisingly, he died of pneumonia a month later

... at just 135 words, the shortest speech was given by George Washington.

... Washington also ad libbed his oath, ending it with the words "so help me God" and setting a precedent for future presidents

... John Quincy also broke the dress-code mold as the first president to be sworn in wearing trousers instead of knee breeches.

... an estimated 1.2 million people attended Lyndon B. Johnson's inauguration. President Obama drew a record 1.8 million in 2009.

... in 1909 William H. Taft was sworn into office as nearly 10 inches of snow fell in D.C.—a record for Inauguration Day.

... Franklin D. Roosevelt's second inauguration in 1937 was the rainiest to date (1.77 inches), though that didn't stop a stalwart FDR from standing in the freezing sleet for an hour and a half as the parade splashed by.

... James Buchanan's inauguration in 1857 was the first to be photographed.

... the most expensive presidential inauguration was none other than Barack Obama's in 2009, with a bill of more than \$150 million.

Peace,  
Fr. Jared

### ST. VALENTINE DINNER & DANCE

On **Saturday, February 11**, the parish will host a St. Valentine Dinner & Dance. All are invited (couples, singles, widows, widowers, divorcees, religious) to attend 5:30 Mass followed by the festivities in the gym. The cost is \$20 per person paid at the door which includes appetizers, dinner, dessert, beer, wine, soda, music, dancing, and other entertainment. There is a sign-up sheet in the back of church for all those interested in attending. Come in out of the dark, cold days of winter for some fun with your parish family!

### YOUTH NIGHT

**WHO:** 9<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> Grade

**WHAT:** MOVIE NIGHT, "FINDING NEMO"  
*Popcorn, soda, cookies, and hot chocolate will be provided.*

**WHEN:** THURSDAY, JANUARY 19<sup>th</sup>  
7:30 PM – 9:30 PM

*Come at 7:00 PM to help make fresh popcorn!*  
**WHERE:** GYM (*Bring floor pillows and blankets*)

\*\*We are collecting socks, hats and gloves for the poor. Bring a donation and receive 1 hour of service for attending.

**QUESTIONS?**

CONTACT GAIL: [youthministry@stcatherine-ml.org](mailto:youthministry@stcatherine-ml.org)



## **NEWS FROM RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

### **Upcoming Dates:**

- January 16** – No class. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
- January 19** – 5<sup>th</sup> graders ACRE Assessment
- January 22** – 9<sup>th</sup> grade Rite of Enrollment Mass at 10:30
- January 28** – Catechists retreat 9:30-11:30 (conf room)
- January 29** – 5<sup>th</sup> grade class Mass
- January 30** – Bible presentation to 2<sup>nd</sup> graders. Parents are invited.
- February 6** – 2<sup>nd</sup> grade parent meeting 7:30 (conf room)
- February 7** – 2<sup>nd</sup> grade parent meeting 4:15 (conf room)
- February 12** – 2<sup>nd</sup> grade blessing and class Mass 10:30

**Needed:** 5<sup>th</sup> grade catechist to teach Thursdays 4:00 – 5:15. If you can help, please contact Lisa at 973-334-5257 or [DRE@stcatherine-ml.org](mailto:DRE@stcatherine-ml.org).

### **WOMEN'S ANNUAL RETREAT**

**Friday, March 10 - Sunday, March 12**

Please join us at Villa Pauline Retreat House in Mendham on March 10, 11, & 12. We have a wonderful retreat master, Fr. Michael Whalen, CM, Professor at St. John's University in NYC.

Cost for the entire weekend is **\$175** and includes sleeping accommodations for 2 nights, 5 meals, & 5 conferences. Confession, Masses, social time and free time are also a part of the weekend. Cost for 1 night only is **\$125** and attendance on Saturday only is **\$75**. Teens are welcome to attend!

For more information or to reserve a spot, contact  
Cretia Rotella @ 201-919-1060 or  
Cheryl Clark @ 973-885-0908

**Rachel's Vineyard** weekend retreats offer a supportive, confidential, and non-judgmental environment where women and men can express and reconcile painful post-abortion emotions and begin healing. The next Retreat will be held Fri evening, Jan 27 - Sun afternoon, Jan 29 in the Stirling area. Contact Marie at 973-377-1004 ext 425. All calls will be held in strictest confidence.

### **WINTER CARNIVAL – FAMILY FUN NIGHT**

Thank you to all the volunteers at the Winter Carnival held Saturday, January 7<sup>th</sup>. Old man winter definitely added to the atmosphere of the day! Your kind and gracious attitudes helped make the afternoon a success. Our young volunteers enthusiastically engaged with the children, and were helpful and resourceful in set-up and clean-up. Thank you also to the planning committee. You did a great job of organizing the day so fun could be had by all. Thank you for being the light of Christ. God bless, the Religious Education office

### **2016 BISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL**

If you have not yet responded to the 2016 Bishop's Annual Appeal, there is still time to do so as the 2016 Appeal funds are used to support ministries and programs through the end of the diocesan fiscal year on June 30, 2017. Your gift is a great blessing and valued so we can serve Christ by serving his people. For your convenience, you can make an online gift at [www.2016appeal.org](http://www.2016appeal.org).

### **RIGHT to LIFE**

The Knights of Columbus Councils 514 and 3359 will be selling Roses for Life after Mass next weekend. They invite you to join the bus trip to the 44th March for Life in Washington, DC on Friday, January 27th. The bus will depart at 6 AM from the Gardner Field Park and Ride in Denville. Mass will be celebrated at 5:15 AM at St. Mary's, Denville prior to departure. There is no charge for the bus, but please bring \$10.00 to cover DC Metro cost and a tip for the driver. Please contact Jim Rizos [973.627.2596](tel:973.627.2596), [j.rizos@verizon.net](mailto:j.rizos@verizon.net) to reserve your place. If you are unable to join the march, please keep the cause for life in your prayers.

### **NJ CONSERVATORY BOONTON YOUTH DIVISION**

NJ Conservatory's Boonton Youth Division choruses will present a winter concert, **Sunday, January 22 at 6:00 PM** at Denville Community Church, 190 Diamond Spring Rd. The adult Chamber Choir will make a special appearance. Tickets: Adults/\$14, Students/\$7. A limited number of tickets will be available at the door. Please call the Conservatory at 973-402-2004.

### **LEARN GOD'S WAYS OF HANDLING MONEY! BECOME DEBT FREE!**

**John Corr Family Resources**, a project of the Religious Teachers Filippini, is offering the Financial Peace University founded by Dave Ramsey. This isn't your typical "money class." Financial Peace University is practical, entertaining and fun! More than 1.5 million families and individual have taken FPU.

Whether you're struggling to make ends meet or you're a millionaire, FPU has something for you. Great for young married couples, couples preparing their children for college and even those engaged! And great for those retiring and working to set things right! FPU is based on scripture and is a proven plan that will work for you.

**Date:** Feb 6 – April 3 Every Monday for 9 weeks (makeup classes available if you have to miss a week.)

**Time:** 7:00 – 9:00 p.m.

**Place:** Villa Walsh, 455 Western Ave. Morristown

**Register:** Call Sr. Mary Beth 916-202-6382 or email [srmelloyd@gmail.com](mailto:srmelloyd@gmail.com) You can also register online at [www.daveramsey.com/fpu/locations/class/1015271/](http://www.daveramsey.com/fpu/locations/class/1015271/)

**Cost:** \$93. Scholarships available.