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TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – SEPTEMBER 23, 2018



Welcome

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 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.

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COME WORSHIP WITH US

ON THE LORD'S DAY - IN THE CHURCH

SATURDAY 5:00 PM

SUNDAY 8:00 AM, 10:30 AM, 12:15 PM
7:00 PM (SPANISH MASS)

DAILY - IN THE CHAPEL

MONDAY - SATURDAY 9:00 AM

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

SATURDAY 4:00 - 4:30 PM

DEVOTIONS

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION THURSDAYS 9:30 AM - 3:00 PM (CHAPEL)

ROSARY AND HOLY HOUR THURSDAYS 7:00 PM (CHAPEL)

ROSARY SATURDAYS 6:00 PM (SPANISH)

MONDAY - SATURDAY 9:45 AM (CHAPEL)

PARISH CENTER
OFFICE HOURS

MONDAY, WEDNESDAY

9:00 AM to 4:00 PM

6:30 PM to 8:30 PM

TUESDAY, THURSDAY

9:00 AM to 4:00 PM

FRIDAY 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM

SATURDAY 9:00 AM to NOON

OUR PARISH FAMILY

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

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.

OUR PARISH WEBSITE AND FACEBOOK PAGE

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.

SAINT ANDREW CHURCH, WESTWOOD

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

MONDAY, September 24
 9:00 AM Noel Farrell - The Rosary Prayer Group

TUESDAY, September 25
 9:00 AM Richard Datz - Colleen & Marty Dargis

WEDNESDAY, September 26
 9:00 AM William Cunillera - Maria Cividini

THURSDAY, September 27
 9:00 AM Domi Huitzil - Hilda Ocotl- Ponce

FRIDAY, September 28
 9:00 AM Andronike Eftychiou

SATURDAY, September 29
 9:00 AM John Marchisi - Marge Marchisi
 5:00 PM Casimir Tokarski - His Daughter

SUNDAY, September 30
 8:00 AM Maria Venezia - Sally & Ron Roberts
 10:30 AM Howard Marks - The Conroy Family
 12:15 PM Kathleen Rankin - Rose & Richard Hall
 7:00 PM Peter Wayne - Elvia Tapia

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

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

MONDAY, September 24
 Religious Ed 3:45 PM (Parish Center)
 Centering Prayer & Lectio Divina. 7:30 PM (Chapel)
 Prayer Group 7:45 PM (MPR)

TUESDAY, September 25
 Choir Practice 7:30 PM (Church)


WEDNESDAY, September 26
 Youth Ministry Mtg. 7:00 PM (Gym)
 Spanish Prayer Group 7:00 PM (Church)
 ESL 7:15 PM (3rd Fl)
 Catholicism Series 7:00 PM (MPR)

THURSDAY, September 27
 Eucharistic Adoration 9:30 AM-3:00 PM (Chapel)
 50 Plus Board Mtg. 1:00 PM (Conf. Rm.)
 Rosary & Holy Hour 7:00 PM (Chapel)
 Food Pantry 7:30 PM (Church Hall)

FRIDAY, September 28
 Catholicism Series 10:00 AM (MPR)
 Spanish Youth Group 6:30-9:00 PM (MPR)

SATURDAY, September 29
 Men's Cursillo 8:00 AM (MPR)
 AA Meeting 10:30 AM (Church Hall)
 Reconciliation 4:00 PM (Church)
 (Carport Entrance)
 Spanish Prayer Group 6:30 PM (Chapel)

SUNDAY, September 30
 Parish Picnic 1:30 PM (Parish Grounds)
 Apostles of the Word 8:00 PM (Church Hall)

MEMORIALS DURING THE WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 23	
CHURCH WINE In loving memory of ALBERT MILLER by DENISE PERAGINE & FAMILY	

“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: Joan Shaw, Lee Ann Fernino, Gilda Gilmartin, Barbara & Dave Stewart, Leonora Paul, Bob Tropila, Michael Bodtman, Cathy Wojcicki, Octavio Galvez, Paul L. Clark, Helen Stipo, D.E., Kay Vanderhoof, Vinny Ficarra, Fr. Ward Moore, Diane Mariconti, Vinnie Covello, Elaine DeRobertis, Mary Kenny, Craig Carosella, Terry Rekow, Ron & Joe Koppinger, Sean Cresci, John McLaughlin, Jean Neary, Mary & Lou Pulver, Lombardi Family, McLean Ambrogio, Carmina Sclafani, Brian Fitzpatrick, Ed Marlow, Shannon Simester, Gerry Voorhis, Anna Grisoni, Ina McNeely, Diane Pirerra, Louise Pacos, Robert Sottolano.


“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 our parishioners studying for the priesthood/diaconate: Pedro Soriano, Seminarian. Paul Zeller, Diaconate candidate.

	PRAY EACH DAY THAT THE VICTIMS OF NATURAL DISASTERS WILL RECEIVE THE HELP THEY NEED TO REBUILD THEIR LIVES.
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NEXT WEEK'S READINGS - SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 30 1ST READING: NUMBERS 11:25-29 2ND READING: JAMES 5:1-6 GOSPEL: MARK 9:38-43,45,47-48	
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ST. ANDREW'S CREATION CARE CLUB	
CREATION CARE CLUB - WAYS TO CARE FOR OUR WORLD:	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Replace plastic with reusable mesh produce bags. ◆ Use reusable bags for all kinds of shopping. ◆ Switch to reusable water bottles and travel mugs. Please call Scott Loverich at 201-615-3494 or email at stloveirch@gmail.com for more information about this ministry.	

St. John's Academy News	
We celebrate with and congratulate the students inducted into the National Junior Honor Society. There are collection boxes located in our parishes for "Box Tops for Education". Please clip and drop Box Tops from General Mills, Pillsbury, Hefty, Avery and Kimberly Clark products. Many thanks for your generosity.	

Open House Events: 6th, 7th, 8th Graders

PARAMUS CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL: Wed. Oct. 17, 7:00-9:00 PM.
 Admissions Office: 201-445-4466 ext. 104.

ST. JOSEPH REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL: Sun., Sept. 30, 11:00 AM-2:00 PM. tours at 11:15 AM & 12:15 PM; 201-391-3300 or www.sjrnj.org.

IMMACULATE HEART ACADEMY: Sun., Oct.14, 11:00 AM-2:00 PM & Thurs., Oct. 25, 6:30-8:30 PM. www.ihanj.com or 201-445-6800.

TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

PASTORAL REFLECTION

AN EVOLVING FAITH

[We come into this world to] align our souls with God: The relationship between God and soul is analogous to that between the sun and its rays. We are the extension of God in time and space. How, then, can we be misaligned with God? Misalignment is a state of mind that arises when we forget our true relationship with God and act as if God were other. —Rabbi Rami Shapiro

The Hebrew Scriptures show an evolutionary development, a gradual coming to see how God acts in human life. *God is not changing so much as our comprehension of God changes.* Throughout the Scriptures, the people of Israel's growth reveals the pattern of what happens to every person who sets out on the journey of faith. Over time, we gradually come to know how God loves us and what God's liberation does for us. But we humans come kicking and screaming. Early in the spiritual journey, we start to experience the reality of God and God's love as more than an abstract concept or theory. At the same time, however, we tend to start by believing that God's love is limited to just us, just our group. The circle takes a long time to widen.

Little by little we begin to respond to God's love, but we still perceive God's love as dependent on our ideal response. We believe that grace is a conditional gift, that God will love us if we are good, that God will save or reward us if we keep the commandments or go to church.

As we practice giving and receiving love, we begin to see God's love is infinite and unconditional, but the implications are just too mind-blowing. We acknowledge that God loves us whether we are good or bad, and that God is gracious to the just and the unjust alike. But we still think that God is doing that from afar, from up in heaven somewhere. We do not yet see ourselves as inherently participating in the same process. Frankly, we have not yet discovered our own soul.

Finally, we make the breakthrough to seeing that God's grace and love is present within us, through us, with us, and even as us. We wake up to who we truly are: the image and likeness of God. The mystery of incarnation has come full circle. We can now enjoy God's temple within our own body as the Apostle Paul teaches (1 Corinthians 3:16-17 and throughout), *and we can love ourselves, others, and God by the one same flow.* It is all one stream of Love! We fully realize that it is God who is doing the loving, and we surrender ourselves to being channels and instruments of that Divine Flow in the world. We do not initiate the process, we only continue it.

We are loved and chosen so that we can pass on the experience, not hoard the experience. In fact, if we feel a need to guard it, as if it were limited or scarce, that is the certain evidence that we have not accessed the Infinite Source within ourselves. It has to start with some kind of "I got it" experience which should lead to "But everybody else does too!" To echo Ken Wilber's wise observation, "Religion starts elitist, but ends egalitarian. *Always!*"



MEMORIAL OPPORTUNITIES

We have had a very positive response to our memorial fund which allows people to donate any amount in memory of a loved one (living or deceased) in commemorating special events in their lives (births, baptisms, marriages, weddings, anniversaries, ordinations, special birthdays, in thanksgiving or other milestones). We have been able to purchase and pay for new vestments and stoles – before we had no matching vestments or concelebrant stole - and new flagons (pitchers) for the consecration of the Precious Blood of Christ. The Paschal Candle was donated through a generous donation to the fund. Not everyone can afford to buy a single item so it is nice to be able to contribute towards it. An acknowledgement is sent to those who are being remembered or honored as well as a personal thank you to those who contribute. Please contact the Parish Center at 201-666-1100 for more information or to contribute to the memorial fund.

CATHOLICISM SERIES: THIS WEEK -

LESSON: A VAST COMPANY OF WITNESSES: THE COMMUNION OF SAINTS

TIMES: WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 7:00-8:30 PM OR FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 10:00-11:30 AM IN THE PARISH CENTER, MULTI-PURPOSE ROOM.

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"Where jealousy and selfish ambition exist, there is disorder and every foul practice. But the wisdom from above is pure, peaceable, gentle, compliant, full of mercy and good fruits..."

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JOIN US AT THE PARISH PICNIC NEXT SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 30 FOLLOWING 12:15 MASS ON ST. ANDREW'S PARISH GROUNDS
COST: \$10.00 PER FAMILY/\$5 FOR SENIORS
Contact Frank Mariconti, Sr. for reservations: 551-579-1123.

On October 7, after the 12:15 Mass, K of C St. Thomas More Council 2188 will install their officers. It is a beautiful ceremony. Social with follow. All are welcome.

**ST. ANDREW'S FOOD PANTRY
ITEMS OF THE WEEK:
CEREAL, PANCAKE MIX/SYRUP**



WE ARE ALWAYS IN NEED OF: peanut butter/jelly, pasta/tomato sauce, soup, juice, cereal, pancake mix/syrup, tuna, soap, shampoo, mac & cheese, canned vegetables, toilet paper.

SUPERMARKET GIFT CARDS ARE ALSO WELCOME.

CLOTHING BIN OPEN: We ask for clean, ready-to-use shoes, clothing, 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 baby & kitchen items, clothing, and small toys at the garage on Mondays, 6:30–8:00 PM and Tuesdays, 1:00–2:30 PM.

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

WE THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY AND SUPPORT OF OUR MINISTRY.

Our Stewardship Commitment

COLLECTION-WEEKEND OF SEPTEMBER 15-16

Envelopes: 136.	\$ 3,732.00
Non-Envelopes	\$ 4,222.00
In-Church Total	\$ 7,954.00

50 Plus Club News

OUR NEXT MONTHLY MEETING - Wednesday, October 3 at 1:00 PM in the Gym. The Westwood Police Department will be making an important presentation on "Scams". Any questions, call Elaine at 201-664-7037. Please remember to bring 1 or 2 items for the Food Pantry.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 27 TRIP TO TROPICANA IN ATLANTIC CITY. The cost is \$55. Includes R/T Transportation, \$15.00 Free Slot Play, Buffet Voucher, Show Ticket to "A Magical Holiday Spectacular" and bus driver gratuity. Payment due before October 29. Questions, call Hilda at 201-265-5257. Forms are in the Church and Chapel.

The **CHRISTMAS LUNCHEON** will be held on Wednesday, December 5 at the Estate at Florentine Gardens. Cost: \$38.00 for members and \$43.00 non-members. Payment due: **November 10.** Any questions call Angie at 201-666-3888.

The **New Year's Celebration** will be on Saturday, December 29 at the Stony Hill Inn, Hackensack. Cost will be \$67.00 including the gratuity. Payment due by **November 2.** Any questions call Hilda at 201-265-5257.

The club will sponsor a **CRUISE TO BERMUDA** aboard the Royal Caribbean's Anthem of the Seas - June 1- 6, 2019. Per person prices - based on double occupancy including port taxes and fees: Balcony: \$1,127.06, Ocean View: \$1,041.06, Inside: \$941.06, Inside Quad: \$816.31, Triple Inside: \$895.06 Deposit of \$200.00 per person will secure your cabin. Final payment due February 19, 2019. Any questions call Hilda at 201-483-8424.

Little Angels begins in October for our littlest parishioners. See our website, Maura or Lori in the Religious Education Center.

Weekly Collection - Online Giving

Instead of using the envelope system, you can make your donations online directly from your checking account or credit/debit card. Visit our website at <https://standrewcc.com>. Scroll to "Links", click on "Electronic Giving", linked to the Liturgical Publications (LPI) site. Any questions, contact Fran Borg at frances.m.borg@gmail.com.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

Family Based Religious Education will be held:
Saturday, Oct. 6, 5:00 PM Mass; gym 6:00-8:00 PM.
Sunday: Oct. 7:, 8:30-10:30 AM gym; 10:30 AM Mass or 10:30 AM Mass; 11:30 AM -1:30 PM gym. Check your email.

Monday After-School Religious Education Program has begun. Sessions are at 3:45 PM in the Parish Center. If you have not registered, contact Maura or Lori, 201-664-6777 as soon as possible.

**FOR THE RIDE HOME
25TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**



GOSPEL: Mark 9:30-37

ADULT QUESTION: What evidence do you see in the world around you that many do not accept Jesus' teaching on power and ambition?

CHILD'S QUESTION: Why is it wrong to feel envy for what belongs to another?

ATTENTION ALL TEENS: We are announcing the beginning of a Youth Ministry program on Wednesdays for all teenagers in the parish. The first meeting will be held this Wednesday, September 26 from 7:00-8:30 PM in the Gym. It is open to all high school teens who have or have not been confirmed. These gatherings will provide spiritual, social and service experiences. It is an opportunity to meet the larger parish community of youth who are on the same journey.

LOCAL AREA EVENTS

CHURCH OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION - UPCOMING EVENTS
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 5, 7:00 PM - ANNA PETRILLO CONCERT. \$15 donation will benefit Several Sources Women's Shelter.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 20, 6:30-9:00 PM - SIP, EAT AND PAINT
Canvas to paint, drink to sip, food, fun for all! The \$30.00 cost per person includes materials, wine and dinner. Reservations/tickets available by calling the Rectory (201-768-1600) or emailing immaculateconception@iccnorwood.org.

St. Joseph's in Oradell has a **Separated/ Divorced Healing Ministry** for those who need support. Novena is held at 7:00 PM in the Lower Church (Harrison St. entrance) immediately followed by meetings on the following dates: Sept. 24; Oct. 15, 29; Nov. 5, 19; Dec. 3, 17. Go down the stairs and first room on the left (Jackson Room). Time: 7:30 -9:30 PM. Pre-registration not required. There is a workbook fee (\$20) for those who can afford it, otherwise, you will receive it without cost. Come experience God's unconditional love. For info, contact Annette Ziegler at aziggy314@gmail.com. Men and women are welcome.

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