

SACRAMENTS

MASSES INTENTIONS

READINGS FOR THIS SUNDAY TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



I AM God
who does All things

First Reading: Isaiah 45:1, 4-6

Cyrus, King of Persia and friend to the Jewish people, becomes the Lord's anointed one, and through God's intervention, returns the Jews to their own country.

Second Reading: 1 Thessalonians 1:1-5b

Paul rejoices that the Thessalonians, newly converted to Christianity, are displaying remarkable constancy in their new-found faith.

Gospel: Matthew 22:15-21

Seeking to entrap Jesus in his speech, the hostile and hypocritical Pharisees ask him this dangerous question, "Is it lawful to pay tax to the emperor or not?" Realizing their treacherous motives, Jesus asks for a Roman coin, and pointing to the inscription of Caesar's, he answers, "Give to Caesar what is Caesar's, but give to God what is God's."

Daily Readings for the Week

Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Monday	Eph 2:1-10; Lk 12:13-21
Tuesday	Eph 2:12-22; Lk 12:35-38
Wednesday	Eph 3:2-12; Lk 12:39-48
Thursday	Eph 3:14-21; Lk 12:49-53
Friday	Eph 4:1-6; Lk 12:54-59
Saturday	Eph 4:7-16; Lk 13:1-9

SACRAMENTAL ANNOUNCEMENTS



SANCTUARY CANDLE

In Memory of: Ellen Garrity

Requested By: Mom & Dad and sons Keith, Ryan and Devin

**Please pray for those who have continued
on their journey to the Kingdom of God:**

Francis Olek
Mildred C. Kernan

CONFESSIONS: Confessions are held every Saturday from 3:15 – 3:45 pm in the Church.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION: is held every Wednesday in the rectory Chapel following the 8 AM Mass until 5 PM with the Miraculous Medal Novena at 4:30 PM.

PLEASE NOTE: There will be **NO ADORATION** on **Wednesday, October 22nd** due to the Priest Convocation.

MASS INTENTIONS TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME OCTOBER 19, 2014

SAT 10/18

4:00 PM **Joseph Santone** Req. by his Wife
John F. Henderson Req. by his Family
Loving Cousin Helen Delunas Req. by June Scharlach
Anthony Caporelli Jr. & Ron Midili Sr. Req. by Palma

SUN 10/19

8:00 AM **Nicola Leto** Req. by Sally & Leo Villa
Charles & Doris Whitman Req. by Charles Whitman and Family
John F. Henderson Req. by his Family
9:30 AM **Peggy Ann Donahue** Req. by her Husband Joe J. Donahue Sr.
Ann Marie Van Dyke Req. By Marie Callahan
11:30 AM **Ellen V. Garrity** Req. by Mom & Dad and sons Keith, Ryan & Devin
Debra Grone Wadsworth Req. by Fred & Patricia Eller
Robert Cifers Req. by Ashley Leyden & Family

MON 10/20

8:00 AM **Teresita Carey** Req. by St. Vincent de Paul Society

TUES 10/21

8:00 AM **COMMUNION SERVICE** (Priest Convocation)

WED 10/22

8:00 AM **COMMUNION SERVICE** (Priest Convocation)

THURS 10/23

8:00 AM **Rev. Msgr. Eugene J. Fitzsimmons** Req. by St. Simon Stock Parish

FRI 10/24

8:00 AM **John E. Jones** Req. by St. Vincent de Paul Society

SAT 10/25

8:00 AM **Perpetual Remembrances**
4:00 PM **Irving Motluck** Req. by Wife and Children
Joseph Escherman Req. by John & Anna Contrevo
Ann Marie VanDyke Req. by Kathy Gray & Michele, Emily, Erin & Elyse Murray
Intentions of Jason Talucci Req. by EMs and Lectors of St. Simon Stock

SUN 10/26

8:00 AM **Elaine Fijalkowski** Req. by M/M Ronald Lemanowicz
Joan Dragonette Req. by Carl & Joan Auwarter
9:30 AM **Ann Marie Van Dyke** Req. by Charlotte McCullough
Michael Howard Req. by Family
Amelia Camardo Req. by Marie Bisirri
11:30 AM **Joseph J. Morris Sr.** Req. by the Swift Family
Mario Germano 5th Anniversary Req. by his Wife Terri & Family
Vincent DeSanto Req. by M/M Michael Moulder

LITURGICAL NEWS

PARISH 5TH ANNIVERSARY

On November 2, St. Simon Stock will celebrate our 5th Anniversary. Bishop Sullivan will be the principal celebrant at the 9:30 am Mass. Following the Mass, the Prayer Garden will be dedicated to Catherine McAuley, RSM, Foundress of the Sisters of Mercy. Sister Agnes and Sister Immaculata will be here to join in these festivities. From 1956-2009, the Sisters of Mercy from Trim Ireland and the Meath Diocese served our parish and our school. This is a very special celebration of their dedication to us. A reception will follow in the Father John F. Bourke Memorial Hall following the ceremonies.

SPECIAL EBOLA COLLECTION

At the request of Bishop Dennis Sullivan, our parish will take up a collection on **October 25th and 26th** to assist the Hospitaller Order of St. John of God who has been treating Ebola victims in Liberia and Sierra Leone. Several brothers and co-workers have died treating these patients. According to one of the Brothers, "They need all the support we can give them to complete the isolation area and to supply specific hospital materials – gloves, masks, goggles, etc – as well as disinfectants to control and treat the Ebola virus... There is no vaccine and no specific effective treatment for this disease, and treatments can only deal with the symptoms, which makes it a matter of life and death to introduce preventive measures and prevent contagion spreading to family members and the health care personnel treating the sick," he said. Bishop Sullivan requests that we offer our prayers as well for those suffering from Ebola and for those who are caring for them.

Junior Choir News:

The Junior Choir is open to all youth of the parish, second grade and above. You may join anytime during the year. We welcome all. For more information, please call Mary Ziccardi at 435-0901.

IT Liturgical Ministry

Beginning the weekend of 10/25 and 10/26 we will again begin streaming at Mass. We need one more person to cover the 1130 AM Mass. Please contact Cindy Johnson at 856-767-0516 if interested. This is a paid position and is a great PT job for high school seniors or college students.

Church Update

Beginning Monday 10/27 the fabric replacement on all the pews and chairs will begin. This includes all new padding as well as new kneeler pads. We ask for your patience during this time. It is a minimum of a 2 week process.

Attention

We ask all parishioners not to bring food and drink into the church. Water only. With the new carpet and pew replacements we have updated our church and it is looking beautiful, clean and fresh. We have had several accidents already. SO... PLEASE COOPERATE.

Also we need to remove all seating in the rear against the wall at the Order of the Fire Marshall. SO... please do not move chairs from the positions they have been placed in the church. Thank you.

LITURGICAL MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR OCTOBER (Revised 09/24)

<u>10/18-10/19</u>	<u>4:00 PM</u>	<u>8:00 AM</u>	<u>9:30 AM</u>	<u>11:30 AM</u>
EMs	(1) B. Piontkowski, M. Fahringer (2) B. Tresca, R. Fahringer	(1) K. Johnson, C. Kohler (2) J. Martin, J. Kohler	(1) B. Hansen, P. David (2) C. Rainey, D. Druding	(1) M. Leyden, T. Powers (2) Sh. Leyden, J. Ralston
Lectors	A. Martini, B. Bansch A. Contrevo	S. Markiewicz, P. Miller W. Piatek	C. Sheridan, R. Wright C. McCullough	L. Tartaglia, C. Cordario S. Rosenbaum
Altar Servers	K. Nicoletta, M. Fisher	S. Villa, L. Bunoza	B. Wright, J. Eddis	A. Marchessani, B. Handy
Music	B. Michaelis (MC), Z. Dean M. Michaelis, G. McGlinchey	B. Pallante (MC), A. McKeon E. Pallante, M. Tees	C. Covone (MC), C. Hess N. Covone, E. Hess	M. McPeak (MC), L. Pizzileo J. McPeak, S. Bradley
	Catherine and Theresa	Rich	Junior Choir	Liz and Chrissy
<u>10/25-10/26</u>	<u>4:00 PM</u>	<u>8:00 AM</u>	<u>9:30 AM</u>	<u>11:30 AM</u>
EMs	(1) A. Cullin, G. Grabowski (2) K. Cullin, B. Tresca	(1) J. Kohler, D. Quinn (2) C. Kohler, S. Villa	(1) D. Flood, D. Druding (2) F. Flood, P. David	(1) J. Ralston, M. Leyden (2) Sa. Leyden, C. Warrington
Lectors	K. Talucci, J. Talucci B. Bansch	L. Bunoza, M. Werner Need 1	B. Hansen, C. Wright R. McGee	C. Cordario, Sh. Leyden C. McCullough
	Sr. Rosina, P. Tresca	B. Vadino, V. Vadino	J. Eddis, D. Eddis	M. Spinosi, A. Spinosi
Altar Servers	A. Ingram (MC), J. Ingram Z. Ingram, N. Swift	K. Clayton (MC), J. Holwell M. Millenbach, M. Tees	C. Hess (MC), A. Visco E. Hess, D. Visco	M. McPeak (MC), O. Horan J. McPeak, F. Spinosi
Music	Tony D.	Matt	Contemporary Group	Adult Choir

SPIRITUALITY & PRAYER



Please pray for those who have asked for our prayers:



MILITARY

SS John M. Ciaccio
SGT Adam Cutaia; USMC
CTI 2 Russell Hagner
US Army SPC Jason E. Healey
Lt. Robert John Perales, Army

Nadeem Sarwar, US Army
SPC Justin Scheuren
Staff Sgt. David Sigwart
1st PV2 Amanda Sylvester
Sherri Mercier

AMN Jeff Warrington, US Navy
Sgt. Christopher Wright
Pvt. Steven York

HOMEBOUND AND SICK

Regina Arey
Dave Bandish
Dorothy Bannar
Richard Beppel Jr.
Makenzie Bogart
Jay Bohanon
Joe Bryson
Pasquale Caldarulo
Marie Carr
Bob Chambers
Dorothea Cheslock
John J. Clancy
Joanne Crossetta
Herb & Rosemarie Dalbow
Kathleen Deitz
Barbara Dooley
Deborah Dowd
Msgr. Francis X. Dreger
Dennis Druding III
Joanne Edmondson
David Bender-Edward
Michael Evans
Rita Farina
Dolores Fahringer
Joseph Fahringer
Baby Nora Feger
Stephanie Frago

Tom Garrity
Daniel Guetherman
Doug Hansen
Douglas Hatch
John J. Henderson
Patrick Hennessy
Judy Herlihy
Cy Hill
Jan & Drew Hohenstein
Maria & Siggy Honrychs
Michael Honrychs
Bob Horn
Patty Kalck Jackman
Maryann Jacobs
Robert Jacobs
Grace Kelley
Ann King
Vera Ann Kirk
Gladys LaLena
Mabel Lewis
Sophia Marie Lewis
Sarah Leyden
Margaret Liberatore
Audrey Liebler
Lillian Lovenduski
Dottie Maguire
Stephen Malloy

John Manes Jr.
Sister Marcille, IHM
Deacon Dick McCarthy
Michael McDonald
Elizabeth McHenry
Savannah McSorley
Antoinette Metzger
Marie Michael
Kaitlyn Miller
Ron Miller, Jr.
Joan Morris
Maria O'Brien
Grant O'Neill & Anna
Eileen O'Neill
Chris O'Rourke
Catherine Perkins
Martha Piatek
Diana Prichard
Quinn Rathjen
Sam Renzi
Deacon John Rich
Leon Rossi
John Sachs
Kathleen Siedlecki
Sammy and Sophia
Diane Scharle
Eleanor Scheidegg

Roger Schwartz
Frank Santilli
Krista Sheehan
Kenny Snuffin
Logan Stepler
Wayne Stepler
Dorothy Mae Stevens
Helen Swanson
Jason Talucci
Peter & Michelle Taylor
Rita Tevis
Patricia Tighe
Linda Todd
Joan Ucciferri
Domenic Vacanti
Joseph VanDyke
Kathy Watkins
Lorraine Walser
Catherine Welser
Joanne Wescott
Carol Whitesell
Colleen Yaniak

SPECIAL NOTICE

To be sure this list is updated, all names will remain on the list at this time. However, if the status of anyone listed has changed, please let us know so the name can be removed. Thank you as we continue to pray by name for our Homebound and Sick who need our prayers. Please contact Sister Mary Rosina (sisterrosina@Yahoo.com) or Sue (856-767-2563 ext. 300 or sueolmcrectory@comcast.net). **THANK YOU.**

FREE

Early Morning
PRAYER & YOGA
Wednesdays at 6:30 am
Parish Meeting Center



Men and Women ~ All Fitness Levels

**Start your day feeling centered, refreshed,
and more closely connected to God.**

It costs nothing to attend!

Simply bring a yoga mat and join us!!!

Call Sue at 856-685-3643 for more information.

Daily Rosary/Chaplet of Divine Mercy

Please join us as we pray the Rosary and/ or Chaplet of Divine Mercy after the 8:00 am Mass (Monday thru Saturday). All are welcomed to join us as we pray meditatively in peace and joy.

LITURGY OF LIFE: ALL SOULS MASS

Monday, November 3rd at 7:00 pm
St. Simon Stock Parish

We are celebrating a special "Liturgy of Life" Mass on **Monday, November 3rd at 7:00 pm**. We pray for all our deceased parishioners and friends, but most especially for those who died since November 2, 2013.

We invite all of our parishioners to join us for this special Mass, and invite you to bring a photograph of your loved one to place on the bookcase for the month of November. May they rest in Peace!

LET'S KEEP OUR NEW CARPET LOOKING NEW

In light of recent and upcoming renovations to our Church, parishioners are respectfully asked to please refrain from bring any food or beverages, other than water, into the Church. Let's keep our church looking beautiful! Thank you.

LIFELONG FAITH FORMATION

Mrs. Bea Raiker, CRE BROLMC@comcast.net
Betty Cipolone, Admin. Assistant bcipolone@comcast.net
856- 767-1537

FAITH FORMATION Faith Formation Sessions

Sunday - 10:30 to 11:30 am ~ Monday ~ 4:30 to 5:30 pm

SAINTS MUSEUM 4th Grade Faith Formation Sunday, November 16th

Following the 9:30 AM Mass until 11:30 in Church.
Bring the family – Come visit our Saints Museum.

CONFIRMATION RETREAT

November 1st, 2014
St. Simon Stock

Candidates will report to Church promptly for the Saturday morning 8:00 am Mass. Parents/Guardians, Sponsors are welcome to attend. The teachers and I hope to make this a meaningful experience.

Mrs. Raiker will meet all parents/Guardians or Sponsors in Church at 11:00 am for a brief information session. We will end the retreat together at 11:30 with a Commitment Ceremony.



YOUTH OF THE PARISH

Calling all young people in grades 6-12!

St. Simon Stock Youth Group

6, 7 & 8 grade meet in the gym
9-12 grade meet in the PMC

Sunday night 6:30 – 8:00 pm

A fun and energetic group of young people who have the opportunity to hang out and have a good time. Prayer, trips, fundraising, service projects, game nights, gym time are just a few of the ways we get to know each other and make friendships based in God's love within a supportive and loving environment. For more information contact Mrs. Bea Raiker, Youth Group Coordinator at 856-767-1537 or brolmc@comcast.net.

St. Simon Stock offers opportunities for 6th through 12th grades to become more involved in the parish. I encourage you to take advantage of all our parish has to offer you. You have the opportunity to learn, to live and to love your faith. All are welcome: bring your friends! If coming out for meetings on Sunday night is not your thing, Volunteer. Stay connected by joining in different activities going on in the Parish. Do you like to sing, play an instrument, enjoy reading or greeting people? We have a special place for you! Please contact me by email BROLMC@comcast.net.

Miller's Haunted Hayride Jr. High & Sr. High Students Sunday, October 19th



\$15 fee includes the bus, maize, hayride and snacks.
Bus leaves SSS at 6:30 pm. Miller's in Hammonton opens at 7:00 pm. Return 9:30 pm.
A permission slip must be signed.

What is the World Meeting of Families?

Next year, from September 22-27, 2015, the United States is hosting an exciting event, the VIII World Meeting of Families, an international gathering of Catholic families for days of prayer, catechesis, and celebration of the gift of family. Pope Francis has been invited to attend this gathering. This World Meeting of Families will be held in Philadelphia, and you are invited to attend!

As you may also have heard from news reports, two meetings will discuss the Church's pastoral care of the family: First in an extraordinary Synod of Bishops (or gathering of bishops from around the world with the Holy Father) which will be held in Rome in October 2014; and second, in the ordinary assembly of the Synod of Bishops which will be held in Rome in October 2015. Truly, it is a time when the Church wants to support families and to help families in their indispensable mission!

Let us join together in prayer that God would be help, strength, healing, and hope to families in our country, and around the world, through the World Meeting of Families. God bless you and your family.

Prayer for the World Meeting of Families in Philadelphia

God and Father of us all, in Jesus, your Son and our Savior, you have made us your sons and daughters in the family of the Church.

May your grace and love help our families in every part of the world be united to one another in fidelity to the Gospel.

May the example of the Holy Family, with the aid of your Holy Spirit, guide all families, especially those most troubled, to be homes of communion and prayer and to always seek your truth and live in your love.

We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen
Jesus, Mary and Joseph, pray for us!

"Celtic Twilight Christmas"

December 6, 2014 7:30 PM TD Bank Arts Center Sewell, NJ – Buses and groups are welcomed! Special discount for groups. (Groups should contact Jim Wiener @ 856-218-8902 or Jwiener@wtps.org). Proceeds will support the South Jersey Scholarship Fund which provides scholarships for financial assistance to attend Catholic Schools. To purchase tickets, make a donation or sponsor the event visit www.cbsphilly.com/bishop or call Ticketmaster 1-800-745-3000.



2014-15
Welcome St. Simon Stock Travelers!



You are cordially invited to tour with us
for the next few months as we explore.....

Who's WHO?! and What's WHAT?!!

Our glorious planet is chock full of amazing people, places and things!
Come join us for all or any of the following tours!
Discover **WHO** you will meet and **WHAT** you will find!

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FALL TOURS 2014

End 68 Hours of Hunger Project....

is a private, not-for-profit, effort to confront the approximately 68 hours of hunger that some young school children experience between the free lunch they receive in school on Friday afternoon and the free breakfast they receive in school on Monday morning.



So....**WHO** is needed for this TOUR? A crew of **VOLUNTEERS!** We need you to help us plan the program so children never have a **"fear of hunger."** **Claire Bloom** is the amazing founder of the program (check out Claire's interview on **NBC news** or check out **the website: [www.end68hoursofhunger.org](http://www.end68hoursofhunger.org)** )

So....**WHAT** is this TOUR about? It's about helping to put nourishing food in the little hands of elementary school children to get them through the weekend. Volunteers purchase the food, pack the bags and deliver them to the offices of the selected elementary schools. From there, a school employee delivers the food to the classrooms of the individual participating students. The students take the food home on Friday afternoon.

**The great news is that this program provides initial funds for us to get started!** It is not a difficult program to establish. It will simply take time and volunteers. Jesus teaches that whenever we care for the poor and vulnerable, we care for him....Please **sign up** for this TOUR at one of the meetings listed below:

**\*If interested, we will meet on Tuesday, November 4 at 1:00pm OR 7:00pm in the PMC.  
(You can choose either meeting....both will have same content.)\***

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The Matthew 25 Project.....

The gospel of Matthew 25 conveys a clear message from Jesus that charity and justice is at the heart of our faith: "I was hungry and you gave me food, thirsty and you gave me drink, ill and you comforted me..."



So....**WHAT** will you do on this TOUR?
Our parish is partnering with the Diocesan Office of Life and Justice to offer an opportunity for us to respond to the needs of those who are "ill."

So....**WHO** will you meet on this TOUR?
Rosemarie Manes, a licensed marriage and family therapist, who will present the topic: **The Deafening Silence: The Impact and Healing for Individuals and Families from Suicide of a Loved One.** Rosemarie's presentation is based on her experience of her father's suicide. Please join us.

WED, November 12 at 9:30am OR 7:00pm in the Parish Meeting Center

Welcome St. Simon Stock Travelers!

Bible Study Tour

So....**WHO** should explore this TOUR? Anyone who is available on Wednesday mornings. No prior knowledge of the Bible is necessary!

So....**WHAT** should you expect on this TOUR? To meet lovely, entertaining folks both inside and outside of the Bible!

Join us each week as we enjoy one another's company and study the Sunday scripture readings for the upcoming Sunday. Additional topics are added.

Coffee and snacks included!

***Most Wednesday mornings from 9:00-11:00am in PMC.
First gathering: Wednesday, October 1 at 9:00am.***

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## (RCIA) Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

So....**WHAT** can you discover on this TOUR? Come discover who God is in terms of our Catholic faith tradition and how God is present in our daily lives! At the end of this tour, the participants become full members of the Catholic Church through the sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist.

So....**WHO** is eligible for this TOUR? Individuals who have never been baptized or who are baptized in another Christian tradition, or those who are baptized Catholic but have not celebrated the Sacraments of Eucharist and/or Confirmation, or those who have questions about Roman Catholicism.  
**Sign up soon!**

**\*First gathering: Monday, October 6 at 7:00pm in Parish Meeting Center\***



## TWO ADVENT TOURS 2014

### 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Christmas Carol Festival

So....**WHAT** should you expect on this TOUR? To celebrate Christmas the old fashioned way, singing carols that are near and dear to us!

So....**WHO** will be asked to sing on this TOUR? Everyone! And all adults and children are asked to bring **BELLS** to play along. Also, kindly bring your **Blessed Mother** from your crèche/manger to be blessed if you wish.

**To help those in need:** please bring new scarves, mittens, hats or gloves (children or adult sizes) as a donation.

**\*2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Christmas Carol Festival: Sunday, December 14 at 2:00pm in the church\***

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Angels, Angels, Angels!

So....guess **WHO** you will meet on this TOUR? Angels, of course! Guardian angels. Bible angels. Some famous. Some not-so-much!

So....**WHAT** kind of journey is this TOUR? One filled with fun, facts, prayer and of course angels! **Please bring an angel of any kind:** a statue, a picture, a person or whatever else you wish!

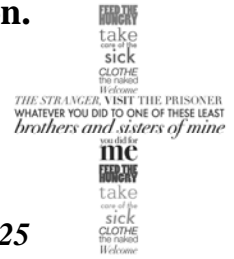
***Our Gathering: Monday, December 15 at 1:00-3:00pm OR 7:00pm in the PMC
(You can choose either time....both will have same content.)***

This fall in the Diocese of Camden, put your faith into action.

The Matthew 25 Project

Diocese of Camden Life & Justice Ministries

**For a complete calendar of events and more information,
visit <http://camdendiocese.org/matthew25>**



*I was hungry and you fed me, thirsty and you gave me drink: **October 19-25***

Make a Difference Day

St. Joseph Parish, Somers Point

Saturday, October 25, 8:30 am

Day of service and reflection; includes sandwich making for Catholic Charities



*I was a stranger and you welcomed me: **October 26-November 1***

Welcoming the Stranger: A Panel Discussion

Blessed Teresa of Calcutta Parish, Collingswood/Westmont

Wednesday, October 29, 7:00 pm

Former refugees, an immigrant to this country, and an immigration lawyer share their stories.

*I was naked and you clothed me: **November 2-8***

When I Was Homeless, You Sheltered Me

Our Lady of Peace Parish, Williamstown

Monday, November 3, 7:00 pm

Guest speaker from Joseph's House of Camden, a homeless shelter; small group will then travel to the shelter to serve dinner.

*I was ill and you cared for me: **November 9-15***

The Deafening Silence: The impact and healing for individuals and families from suicide of a loved one

St. Simon Stock Parish

Wednesday, November 12, 9:30 am & 7:00 pm

This talk by therapist Rosemary Manes will focus on the effects of suicide on individuals and families. She will talk about the layers of healing through acceptance and forgiveness while never denying the residual pain of suicide.

*I was in prison and you visited me: **November 16-22***

When I Was in Prison, You Visited Me

Holy Child Parish, Runnemede

Sunday, November 16, 7:00 pm

A guest speaker who works with formerly incarcerated individuals will share about the work of Welcome Centers, which help keep those recently released from jail on the right path. This will be followed by making cord rosaries to be distributed to prisons within the diocese.

STEWARDSHIP

UPCOMING EVENTS

Steward's Needs are Provided

"Then repay to Caesar what belongs to Caesar and to God what belongs to God." – Matthew 22:21 B

Everything we are and everything we have belongs to God. We aren't "owners" of anything, we are merely "Stewards" of the gifts God has given each of us. All God is asking is that we give back a portion of what He gave us. This is the essence of **Stewardship**. God should be our first priority in everything. All else comes second.

OFFERTORY COLLECTION

October 11th & 12th, 2014

Sunday Collection: \$ 10,097.00
Electronic Parish Giving: \$ 533.00
Capital Needs Debt Collection: \$ 1,260.00
Electronic Parish Giving: \$ 90.00
Candles: \$ 159.00
Poor Box: \$ 146.00

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

Today our Diocese will take up a second collection for missionaries from around the world, who through their witness to Christ, provide practical help to the poor and allow them to experience God's love and mercy, His hope and peace. Your financial help on World Mission Sunday, offered in the collection for the Society for the Propagation of the Faith, will support the 1,150 young mission dioceses and communities who await the "Good News" of Jesus as their saving hope. Please be as generous as your means allow in this week's second collection.



Employee Giving Campaign

DID YOU KNOW - the House of Charity is a donor choice for many employee giving campaigns?

Many businesses will begin their Employee Giving Campaigns this month and continue to solicit donations through the fall months. **Employee Giving/United Way** campaigns give us an opportunity to direct our donations to the charities that best represents our beliefs, interests and social concerns.

Ask your employer for a pledge card and be sure to:

- Designate the House of Charity in the Donor Choice Section
- If the agency requests a code for your donor choice...these codes may be found on the Employee Giving Poster hanging in the Parish Office
- Ask to be acknowledged! This ensures our parish will receive credit toward our House of Charity goal.

Your donation to our House of Charity helps to build, support and maintain many programs, ministries and services throughout our parishes and communities. These programs save lives and build futures. Thank you so much for your past, present and future support of our House of Charity fundraising campaign.

Special Notice Regarding

Our 2014 House of Charity Goal

We are very close to achieving our goal for the 2014 House of Charity If you have not contributed thus far, please do so ASAP. Our parish will receive 10% of our goal of \$ 87,324 if we reach 100%.

Start the Fall off Right by Losing Yourself in the Music and Energy of Zumba!!

ZUMBA!



**Tuesday Evenings
7:30 pm in the Gym**

One Class is \$8. Purchase \$80 Punch card or Gift Certificate and Receive 12 Classes. Email vsigwart@comcast.net for more information.

EAGLES RAFFLE TICKET WINNERS

The Knights of Columbus want to thank all who participated in the Eagles raffle ticket drawing, winners were:

Eagles tickets winner -- Jennifer Mangini
2nd winner Visa card -- Loretta Bunoza
3rd winner Visa card -- Bob Kirkland



WIN BIG TICKETS

Win Big is the largest fundraiser for Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Regional School. This year there are 80 prizes valued at over \$70,000. Tickets help to offset tuition costs for school families. Tickets COST \$50 and can be purchased after masses or through any school family. Drawing is on Dec. 13th at 7:00 PM in the gym. You must be over 18. You do not need to be present to win.

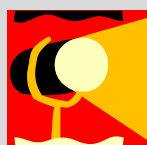


8th GRADE BAKE SALE

On the weekend of November 8th & 9th, the 8th graders will hold a bake sale after all the Masses. Please help support their Graduation Activities.

SPOTLIGHT ON OUR ADVERTISERS

Each week St. Simon Stock Parish highlights one of the local businesses that support our parish by advertising in our weekly bulletin. We appreciate your support!



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2715 Egg Harbor Rd.
Lindenwold, NJ 08021
856-346-1055

OUR LADY OF MT. CARMEL REGIONAL SCHOOL

**Mommy/Daddy and Me
October Pre-K Activity Hour
AGES 3 to 5**



Music with Millenbach

October 23, 2014 (Thursday)
10-10:45am. Bring your child
In costume for a Halloween
themed music class.

Classes are Free!
Registration information:
Melissa Chesebro
Voice: 856-767-1751
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Masterpieces with Maria Presents
"Wine down Wednesday"

Looking for a Ladies Night out? Join us for a glass of wine and painting class



Wednesday
October 22, 2014
6:30PM
School gym



\$30 per seat – includes all art supplies with an 11x14 canvas, guided art instruction,
a glass of wine and light appetizers. Space is limited, reserve your spot today.

RESERVATIONS REQUIRED!

For questions and reservations contact Melissa Chesebro at mchesebro@olmc-school.org

Grab your Girlfriends and C'mon out for OLMC's FIRST DESIGNER BAG BINGO

Featuring *Michael Kors* along with Coach and other great designers

Friday November 7th, 7pm (Doors open at 5:30)

Our Lady of Mount Carmel School Gym, Berlin, NJ

**Chinese auction Door Prizes ~ 50/50 drawing Grand Prize raffles
Tickets are \$25 and include 10 rounds of bingo, door prizes,
coffee/tea/soda & some great surprises!**

**So get your friends together, bring whatever food and beverages you like
and come for a fun night out!**

Any question please feel free to email, call or text Karyn Bossert
at PsychNurse73@comcast.net or (609) 929-7434.



"I won't describe what I look like. Whatever you're thinking, it's probably worse."

So begins *Wonder*, a debut novel by R. J. Palacio.



Wonder offers a first person perspective of a boy with a severe facial deformity who enters a mainstream school for the first time. It is an uplifting story with the power to open eyes and hearts to what it's like to be singled out

for a difference you can't control. It reached #1 on the NY Times Bestsellers List (for ages 8 - 12) and has stayed there for 96 weeks.

The novel, which offers a subtle lesson on the meanings and possibilities of kindness, was required reading for our Junior High students. To further reinforce its important message, OLMC invited a real life *Wonder* boy, Trevor, and his parents, to speak to our Junior High students.

Students created special t-shirts to welcome Trevor.



During the special assembly, Trevor and his parents answered questions from OLMC students, their parents, and other family members who attended.



This assembly had a profound and sincere impact on the OLMC community. Our Lady of Mt Carmel sincerely thanks Trevor and his parents for taking the time to share their journey.