

Infant Jesus Parish



St. John Vianney Church
2901 Good Intent Road
Deptford, NJ 08096

Reverend Joseph L. Pham, Pastor
 Reverend Alfred Mungujakisa, Parochial Vicar
 Reverend Jason Rocks, Weekend Assistant
 Deacon Frank Dunleavy
 Deacon Joseph Farro
 Reverend Mr. John March
 Sr. Michele DeGregorio, Principal
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St. Margaret Church
845 Third Street
Woodbury Heights, NJ 08097

MAILING ADDRESS: 334 BEECH AVENUE, WOODBURY HEIGHTS, NJ 08097-1317

RECTORY
334 Beech Ave.
848-0047

Hours: 9-12, 1-4, 6:30-8:30 PM
Monday-Friday

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION
Classes held: 773 Third Street
Mail sent: 334 Beech Ave.
845-5251

Office Hours: Mon & Thurs 9 AM- 8 PM
E-mail: reledakaccd@comcast.net

ST. MARGARET SCHOOL
773 Third Street
845-5200

Office Hours: 8 AM -2:30 PM

CONVENT
745 Third Street
848-6049

Please no calls between 4-7 PM

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Mass Schedule

4:00 PM at St. Margaret Church
6:00 PM at St. John Vianney Church

Sunday Mass Schedule

8:30 AM at St. Margaret Church
10:00 AM at St. Margaret Church
11:30 AM at St. John Vianney Church
4:00 PM at St. Margaret Church

Holy Day Vigil: 4:00 PM at St. Margaret Church &
7:00 PM at St. John Vianney Church
Holy Days: 8:30 AM, 12 Noon and 7:00 PM at
St. Margaret Church

Week Days :
6:45 AM in the Convent (school days only)
8:30 AM in Our Lady of Guadalupe Chapel

CONFESSION SCHEDULE

Saturdays: 9:00-9:30AM; 2:30-3:30 PM at St. Margaret Church
5:15-5:45 PM at St. John Vianney Church

**SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
FEBRUARY 23, 2020**

Saturday, February 22

4:00 PM Ray Rastelli, Sr. req. by Jennie Cantagallo

6:00 PM Michael Mostovlyan req. by the Bresch family

Sunday, February 23

8:30 AM Marie McGuire req. by her husband, Jack

10:00 AM Yolanda Celajes Vedar req. by the DeFrank & Donahue families

11:30 AM Donna Ferri req. by Annette & Jim Hagan

4:00 PM Shawn Eddis req. by the Sperling & Farren families

Monday, February 24

6:45 AM Verna Battinelli req. by the Infant Jesus Parish Women's Club

8:30 AM Intentions of Sam Puglia req. by Dennis & Cindy McShane

Tuesday, February 25

6:45 AM Patrick Tobin req. by Denise Bisirri & Debbie Mancini

8:30 AM Kate Powell req. by Peggy Graham

Wednesday, February 26 - ASH WEDNESDAY

6:30 AM Sr. Eugeniana Moretta req. by the Franciscan Missionary Sisters of the Infant Jesus

8:30 AM Megan McMichael req. by the Infant Jesus Parish Women's Club

10:00 AM For the Children of the Parish

7:00 PM People of the Parish

Thursday, February 27

6:45 AM Sr. Lorraine Klein req. by the Franciscan Missionary Sisters of the Infant Jesus

8:30 AM Intentions of Georgeann Greco req. by her friend, Julie

Friday, February 28

6:45 AM Vocations

8:30 AM Katherine Sutton req. by Rose Chandler, Franny McCool & Joan Badie

**PLEASE SUPPORT OUR LOCAL
ADVERTISERS**

Abbey Carpet & Floor

**Gia Nina's Pizza & Italian Restaurant
Rightway Waterproofing Co.**

Saturday, February 29

8:30 AM Mauricio Capistrano req. by the Capistrano family

4:00 PM Agnes Poplas req. by Marie & Marie Hendrix

6:00 PM Millie & Rocky Morraco req. by Rob & Denise Dietrich

Sunday, March 1

8:30 AM Nellie McGuinness req. by the McGuinness family

10:00 AM Shawn Eddis req. by his brother, John & family

Irma Mae Bonas req. by Daniel & Mary Kate Smith
Bob Petrini req. by the Pacifico family

Frank Pipolo req. by Kathy & Bruce Wenig

Patrick Tobin req. by the Romano family

11:30 AM Candido Martinez req. by the LaCorte family

4:00 PM Harry Huff req. by Linda Kelly

ASH WEDNESDAY, February 26th

Masses with distribution of ashes are as follows:

6:30 AM - Convent

8:30 AM - St. Margaret Church

10:00 AM - (School Mass) - St. Margaret Church

7:00 PM - St. Margaret Church

Services only:

12 Noon - St. Margaret Church

4:00 PM - St. John Vianney Church

4:00 PM - St. Margaret Church

LENTEN REGULATIONS

Abstinence - All persons who are 14 years of age and older are bound to abstain from eating meat on Ash Wednesday, on **all Fridays of Lent** and Good Friday.

Fasting - All persons 18 years of age and older, up to and including their 59th birthday, are bound to fast by limiting themselves to a single full meal on **Ash Wednesday and Good Friday**, while the other two meals are to be light.

There will be a 7 PM Mass at St. Margaret Church during Lent, Monday through Wednesday, beginning Ash Wednesday and ending Palm Sunday. NO 7 PM Mass on March 16, 17 or 18th during the Lenten Mission.

OFFICE STAFF

Business Administrator...Sharon Sandone
Parish Secretary.....Gena Deichert
Parish Registrar.....Janet Autodore
Religious Ed Secretary....Janet Autodore
Maintenance Manager.....Mike Collins

PASTORAL COUNCIL

Chairman.....Steve Graham

FINANCE COUNCIL

Chairman.....Bob Law

TRUSTEES

Bob Law and Mike Frain

EDUCATION MINISTRIES

St. Margaret Regional School - Principal

Sr. Michele DeGregorio – smdegregorio@stmargarets-rs.org
- 856-845-5200

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) – Deacon Joe Farro
-856-848-0047

Religious Education -Sr. Vilma Butron DRE– reledakacd@comcast.net
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Sunday School - Colleen Phifer - reledakacd@comcast.net

Bible Study - Deacon Frank Dunleavy – frankdunleavy@yahoo.com

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

Altar/Rosary Society: Loretta Petito - lpetito11@yahoo.com

Altar Servers: Father Alfred – fral.ijp@gmail.com, 856-848-0047

Baptism Prep Class: Kevin & Lisa Rice - 856-848-0047

Choir/Music Ministry: Mary Koza (St. Margaret Church)
-mkoza.ijp@gmail.com – 609-617-3016
Sara Johnston (St. John Vianney Church)
-skjohnston2010@gmail.com

Eucharistic Ministers: Loretta Petito - lpetito11@yahoo.com

Liturgy Committee: Father Joe Pham – frjoepham@comcast.net

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Ushers: Mike Spina – me.spina@comcast.net

PARISH PASTORAL MINISTRIES

Athletic Association: Mike Tinges - mtinges@gmail.com

Building and Grounds: Joe Remshard - jremshard@yahoo.com

Comforting Ministry: Eleanor Kandle – ekandle86@comcast.net

Deeper Dimensions: Dana Dariano - danadariano@verizon.net

Eucharistic Adoration: Julie Heenan – 856-468-3708

Grief Support: Ann Klein – Klein.ann@comcast.net - 856-686-0645

King's Men: James Janco – jim_janco@comcast.net

Knights of Columbus: Mike Spina – me.spina@comcast.net

Legion of Mary & Jrs: Anne Fleming – flemingsbeechhouse@yahoo.com

Marriage Encounter: Kathy & Joe Polidoro - 856-468-2040

N/A: Meets weekly on Thursdays at 8 PM in the Ministry Center

Nursing Ministry: Madeline Mills - nursingministry14@gmail.com

Prayer Group: Jack McGuire - 4mypo@comcast.net

Stephen Ministry: Frank Dunleavy - frankdunleavy@yahoo.com

SMRS PTA: Lauren Brady – lbrady@stmargarets-rs.org

SMRS Carnival: Richard Macdonald – rhmactonald@hotmail.com

Senior Citizens' Club: Julie Crumsho – jcrumsho@gmail.com

SVdP Society: Charles Connell – chasmo2@comcast.net

Special Events: Maria Frain – frainmaria@gmail.com

Youth Life Ministry: Sr. Dianna Higgins - ijpvouthonfire@gmail.com

Women's Club: Stephanie Magee – stephaniemagee@hotmail.com

COME LET US ADORE HIM



Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament is every Friday in Our Lady of Guadalupe Chapel until **5:00 PM**. On First Fridays, the Blessed Sacrament is adored after 8:30AM Mass until Saturday morning continuously. If you would like to come to adoration, please sign in (guests as well as scheduled adorers). If you are scheduled for adoration and cannot attend, please try to get a replacement or call the rectory 856-848-0047.

LITURGY OF THE HOURS/ EVENING PRAYER

Deacon Joe Farro will lead an Evening Prayer and teach the Liturgy of the Hours at St. Margaret Church in the Chapel **twice a Month from 6:30 P.M. – 7:15 P.M.** All are invited to pray Evening Prayer and to learn about the Liturgy of the Hours. Save these upcoming dates for 2020: **February 28, March 20 & 27.**

For more information, please contact Deacon Joe at DeaconJosephFarro@icloud.com or call (856) 848-0047.

“When he returned to his disciples he found them asleep...So you could not keep watch with me for one hour? ...Behold, the hour is at hand...Get up, let us go...” Matthew Chapter 26: 40, 45-46



We are still in need of musicians for masses, singers for the various choirs as well as cantors. Spend the hour with us!

Vocalists: Saturday 6 PM (SJV), Sunday 10 AM (SMC), 11:30 AM (SJV), Youth Choir monthly
Cantors 4 PM Saturday & Sunday, 8:30 AM Sunday.
Musicians: Strings (Violin, Guitar- acoustic, electric)
Percussion (to include drums), horns and more.....

For more information about any of these groups please email Mary Koza at mkoza.ijp@gmail.com.

Pray FOR THE SICK

Please pray for our parishioners who are in the hospital, nursing home or who are homebound:

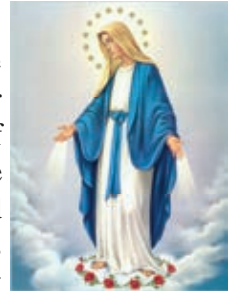
Chip Alberta, Anthony & Rose Apicella, Paul Almond, Rossy Aquirre, Joe & Louise Avallone, Charles J. Badie, Julie Barbetto, John Bertagnolli, Samantha Boulden, Baby Mary Blocklinger, Jack Bachman, Richard Thomas Carey, Madeline (Tina) Carrero, Bill Cassidy, Mark Cesarano, Heather Ruple Chiaradonna, Mridul Chowdhury, Donna Chuba, Ed Conway, Lisa McMichael Costa, Nicole Cowgill, Howard Davidson, Robert DiStefano, Jerry Donnelly, Baby Emil, Anthony Falance, Chuck Fitzgerald, Dorothy Pennewell-Foster, Gerri Foster, Michael Geden, Annemarie Gendron, Agnes George, Tom Giglio, Chris Ginchereau, Audrey Greco, Eileen H., Katie Hartey, Christine Hastings, Carmel Hopkins, Joyce Howe, Christine & Zachariah Huber, Patti Infanti, Baby Jake, Jean, Russell Kahny, IV, Cathy King, Robert Kirkbride, Jerzy Ksiezniak, Joe & Mary Lapetina, Michele Lott, Jennifer McGlinchey, Midge McMullen, Karen & Joseph Medallo, Joseph Micklasavage, Donna Mimplitsch, Margaret O'Donnell, Ron Orrick, Nico Osso, Lorraine & John Panepinto, Angela Paul, Susan Paul, Loretta Petito, Joe Polidoro, Carmela Popjoy, Melony Popjoy, Dawn Prisco, Martin Przywara, Sam Puglia, Alec Quantavalle, Sharon Quintieri, Chuck Rabb, Kyle Riepen, Joel Rivera, Nora Joan Rush, Maria S., Karen Schoch, Gary Shephard, Betty Spera, Mildred Staab, David Sullivan, Dominic Talorico, Susan Underwood, Richard Underwood, Dylan Vitucci, Marie Walters, Coreen Welch, Jim Welch, Paula Wiest, Joan Williams, Louise Wilusz, Helen Convery WitCraft, Baby Mark Zimmerman, Richard Zuber.



SANCTUARY LAMP

The Sanctuary lamp at St. Margaret Church is burning in loving memory of
Sr. Lorraine Klein
 req. by the Franciscan Missionary Sisters of the Infant Jesus.

Blessed Mother Statue



Infant Jesus Parish parishioners are invited to schedule a visit to your home from our beautiful statue of Our Blessed Mother. The statue is protected by a hand-crafted wooden case and clear Plexiglas cover (designed and built by Tom Mullholland). The statue includes rosaries and a special prayer card.

To schedule a week with our Blessed Mother statue, contact Patti Graham at (856) 905-4646. The protective case is designed with a carry handle at the top, but it is a bit heavy to carry. If you need assistance loading the statue into your vehicle, or even delivering it to your home, please let us know and arrangements will be made to assist with the delivery and return to the Church.



GOD BLESS AMERICA!

We continue to pray for our men & women overseas especially:
Johanny DelOrbe, Megan Dolan, Justin Gousha, Shawn Jarrell, Becky & Nick Johnson, Rob Solome, Sarah Turse, Joseph Raab and Charles LaGrossa.

If someone has returned home, please let us know.

Lord, hold our troops in your loving hands. Protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they perform in our time of need. We ask this in Jesus' name. Amen.



Please pray for the repose of the soul of:

Msgr. Cornelius P. O'Leary

GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP

Our next Grief Support Group for adults who have experienced the loss of a loved one through death, will begin on Thursday, Feb. 27, 2020. Sessions will be held in the Ministry Center, from 7:00 to 8:30PM.

For information/registration, call Ann-856-686-0645 or Nancy-856-308-6459

Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ,



This Wednesday February 26 is Ash Wednesday which marks the beginning of the Season of Lent. During this Holy Season, each one of us will be called to enter into the “desert” with our Lord Jesus Christ. Today, we are living in a world full of “noises”, the noises of: “cell phone, social media, social gathering, business meeting, working, studying etc. These “noises” often deafen our ears not to hear God’s voice who is constantly calling us to “convert”, to “turn away from sin and be faithful the Gospel”. These “noises” blind our eyes not to see the physical, mental, emotional, or material needs of our loved ones and our neighbors. These “noises” harden our hearts not to feel the pain of the lonely, the abandoned, the unlovable, or the unforgivable in our lives. For the next five weeks of Lent, Jesus earnestly invites each one of us to journey with Him to Calvary, not the Calvary in Jerusalem; but the Calvary in our hearts. He asks us to withdraw our hearts from these “noises” so that our hearts and minds will be with Him alone during Lent. Besides our busy schedules, Jesus begs each one of us to make time for Him: “Can you stay awake with me for an hour?” During Lent, our parish offers everyone a chance to be with Jesus through daily Masses, Soup & Scripture Reflections, Stations of the Cross, and Eucharistic Adoration. These liturgical means reminds us of how we were redeemed and how much Jesus loved us. During Lent, Satan, the deceiver and tempter, would not spend his “energy” to tempt us to eat meat on Fridays, or don’t give up your chocolates, cookies, or deserts; but rather he would tempt us: “Truly you are so busy working all day, you don’t have time for the Lord, just stay home and rest, Jesus understands”. The disciples of Jesus Christ gave in into this temptation 2000 years ago in the agony garden. This spiritual battle is still on going in our hearts and minds. Don’t let the tempter defeat us, with the help of God, we will become victors of Christ our Lord, amen.

-Fr. Joe Pham

LENTEN MISSION

Led by

Fr. James DiLuzio

Fr. James DiLuzio is a Paulist Priest and a missionary to the United States. He travels to parishes throughout the USA since 2002 to offer his dramatic proclamation of the Gospel of Luke entitled “LukeLive”. Before his ordination 1993, Fr. DiLuzio earned a B.A. in English and Education from Montclair State University, New Jersey, an M.A. in Drama from the University of Southern California, followed by several years working as a teacher, actor and director. As a Paulist, he completed a Master of Divinity at Catholic University, Washington DC. Fr. DiLuzio’s ministries contribute to the Paulist Fathers’ objective to “Give the Word a Voice in the 21st century” –i.e., sharing the Gospel in new, fresh and engaging ways and fostering the dialogue of faith with American culture.

We invite everyone please come to experience Fr. DiLuzio’s Lenten Mission at St. Margaret Church on

**Monday March 16 - Session one at 9:00 AM
 Session two at 7:00 PM**

**Tuesday March 17 - Session one at 9:00 AM
 Session two at 7:00 PM**

**Wednesday March 18 – Session one at 9:00AM
 Session two at 7:00 PM**

Let’s come and be touched by Jesus’s Word from the Gospel of Luke



“GOOD SAMARITAN” NEEDED

In the Gospel of the “Good Samaritan”, a man asked Jesus: “**Who is my neighbor?**” Jesus responded by telling him the parable of the “Good Samaritan”. Today, our “**Neighbor**” are those whose lives depend on **The House of Charity Fund**:

- Care and Education of Seminarians
- Care of Elderly Priests
- Social & Community Services
- Compassion Outreach
- Catholic Education
- Youth and Campus Ministry
- Vitality Catholic Healthcare Services

These Ministries are absolutely dependent on the **generous sacrifices of your compassionate and caring hearts**. I am prayerfully and gratefully asking each one of you for **your generous sacrificial gifts to the 2020 House of Charity**. Your sacrifices certainly will make the **above Ministries** possible.

“Lord Jesus, please **multiply** my House of Charity Gift to help my “**Neighbor**”.

Fr. Joe Pham

Parish Goal - \$168,018.00
Received 14 gifts - \$17,075.00

UNDERSTANDING ALZHEIMERS AND DEMENTIA

Alzheimer’s is not normal aging. Find out about “*Understanding Alzheimer’s and Dementia*”, what is the difference between Alzheimer’s disease & dementia; the stages & risks factors; current research & treatments.

Come out & enjoy a continental breakfast with the Infant Jesus Parish Nurses on **Saturday April 4, 2020** from **9AM to 11:30AM**.

To register call Madeline Mills, RN, Parish Nurse email nursingministry14@gmail.com or call (856-580-4818) by March 29,2020 to register for this informative program.

OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS Stewardship

February 16 - \$12,260.37



May God repay you for your sacrifices. Thank you for making your checks payable to:

“*Infant Jesus Parish*”

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

CONFIRMATION

Bishop Sullivan will be celebrating Confirmation on **Friday, March 13, 2020** at 5:00 PM for Infant Jesus Parish at St. Margaret's Church.



The *Legion of Mary* meets every **Wednesday morning at 10:00 AM** in the *Ministry Center*.

WOMEN’S CLUB

Announcing the Infant Jesus Parish Women’s Club Lenten Shrine Trip - on Saturday, March 28, 2020 - we will travel to Saint John Paul II Shrine in Washington, DC

The bus will leave the St. Margaret’s School parking lot at 8am and arrive at the Shrine at approximately 10:30am. We will visit the Museum, the Luminous Mysteries Chapel and venerate a first class relic of St. John Paul II. Confessions will be held prior to the noon Mass at the Redemptor Hominis Church, we will have a tour of the Shrine and lunch in the Cafe. Departing the Shrine at approximately 3pm and arriving back to St. Margaret’s at 5:30pm

Cost \$75 due at time of reservation. Cost includes tours, lunch, motor coach and all taxes and gratuities. Please contact Neen Raspa at 856-468-6430 or at neenie@comcast.net



EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

Saturday, February 29

4:00 PM Bob Law, Christine LoGiudice,
Michelle Donnelly, Vince Carducci

6:00 PM Ellie Kandle, Eileen Santaniello,
Terry Wolstenholme

Sunday, March 1

8:30 AM Janet Puglia, Kelly Puitz, Jim McHugh,
John Daly

10:00 AM Jody & Tony Ilisco, Karen Schonewise,
Delores Apriletti

11:30 AM Evelyn Iacovone, Rich Whelan,
Nancy Tomlinson

4:00 PM Kevin Rice, Janet Autodore,
Jim Tessmer



Saturday, February 29

4:00 PM Irene Sanders

6:00 PM Walt Baraniewicz

Sunday, March 1

8:30 AM Maura Kelly

10:00 AM Patrick Lani

11:30 AM Cynthia Aragoncillo

4:00 PM Alan Aschenfelter



Saturday, February 29

4:00 PM Liam & Noah Ashenfelter,
Nicholas Milano

6:00 PM Reilly Pizzelli, Ella Mazurkiewicz

Sunday, March 1

8:30 AM Cayden Allen, Alessia Anzola,
Vanessa Bantivoglio

10:00 AM Rhianna Iannello, Jack Brady,
Mary Morrison

11:30 AM Alexander & Don Bogey

4:00 PM Noelle & Paige Daley, Emily Mikkelson

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sun., Feb. 23 Baby Bottle Campaign
Rel Ed - 8:30 AM
Choir - 9:00 AM (Chapel)
Sunday School - 10:00 AM
Youth Mass - 4:00 PM
Ablaze Youth Group 9-12 - 5:00 PM
(gym)
Deeper Dimensions - 7:00 PM (MC)

Mon., Feb. 24 Rel Ed - 4:30 PM
Liturgy Committee - 7:00 PM
Prayer Group - 7:30 PM

Wed., Feb. 26 Legion of Mary - 10:00 AM (D)
Grief Bridge - 7:00 PM (C)

Thurs., Feb. 27 Grief Support - 7:00 PM (B)
NA - 8:00 PM (C)

Fri., Feb. 28 Legion of Mary Jrs. - 4:45PM - (MC)
Liturgy of the Hours - 6:30 PM
(OLOGC)

Sat., Feb. 29 Kings Men - 7:00 AM (B)

Sun., Mar. 1 Rel Ed Fair & Breakfast - 7:45 AM
Rel Ed - 8:30 AM
Choir - 9:00 AM (Chapel)
Sunday School - 10:00 AM
Bible Study - 1:00 PM (FSC)
Ignite Youth Group 7-8 - 5:00 PM
(gym)
Youth Choir - 5:15 PM (OLOGC)
Deeper Dimensions - 7:00 PM (MC)

PLEASE NOTE ROOM ASSIGNMENTS

Room A = Religious Education Office

Room B = 2nd room on the left in the Ministry Center

Room C = 1st Room on right when MC is divided

Room D = 2nd Room on the right when MC is divided

MC = Both Rooms C & D on left with kitchen

SMC = St. Margaret Church

SJV = St. John Vianney Church

FSC = Father Szolack Center (Building next to SJV)

Gym = St. Margaret Regional School McKeever Hall

**OLGC = Our Lady of Guadalupe Chapel
(behind St. Margaret Church)**

INFANT JESUS PARISH
SENIOR CITIZENS



Longwood Gardens - The Senior Citizens are sponsoring a trip to Longwood Gardens on Thursday, April 23, 2020. The bus will leave from St. Margaret's Church parking lot at 10:00 AM. Cost - \$60 (please make checks payable to Infant Jesus Seniors Club. If you are interested, please contact Trish Fantasia at 856-981-3441.



BRAIDED PALM PARTY

**ALL ARE WELCOME TO
INFANT JESUS PARISH**

Come out and meet new parish friends and learn how to make Palm Crosses for Palm Sunday. It is easy to do, and we can show you how it is done. You do not have to stay all day just an hour will be a tremendous help. The parish makes about 100 palm crosses every year and this will be the seventh year for us.

WE WILL BE STARTING ON THURSDAY, MARCH 19, 2020 AND THE LAST DAY WILL BE APRIL 3, 2020 FROM 9:30 AM TO 8:00 PM EVERYDAY. WE MEET IN THE MINISTRY CENTER.

For more information contact: Helen Buehler
(856) 371-4025

7th Annual Diocese of Camden *faithFull*
Food Drive

The Diocesan *faithFull* food drive will be held on Sunday, March 22. All the food collected at Infant Jesus Parish & St. Margaret School will be stay here for Easter baskets and to stock the St. Vincent de Paul food pantry!

MARRIED COUPLES

Please join us for "An Evening of Enrichment and Reflection" Saturday, March 14th at 6:00 PM in the Ministry Center. Joe & Thea Hegarty of Our Lady of Lourdes Church will be the presenters.

"Laugh your way to a better Marriage"

Please RSVP to Joe & Kathy Polidoro 856-468-2040.

SPRING BENEFIT DINNER DANCE

**Sponsored by the Franciscan Missionary Sisters of
the Infant Jesus**

Sunday, March 8, 2020

3 to 7 PM

**Auletto's Caterers
Almonesson**

Join in an afternoon of fun, music, dancing, beautiful baskets, delicious food and great fellowship - great cause! Music by the Juliano Brothers' Band. Asking donation: \$50.00 per person. For tickets call Sr. Michele at 856-848-6049. Make checks payable to FMIJ Sisters.



**Parish
Survey**

In an effort to improve our worship and ministries, we are conducting a brief survey to get your input on what we could do better or differently at the parish. Please help us understand how we can better serve you, your family and our neighbors.

The survey can be accessed on the parish website at

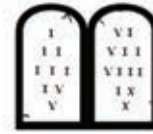
www.TheInfantJesusParish.org

We realize that the needs and concerns of the faithful may be different for each age group so we encourage each member of your family to fill in a separate survey.

Paper copies of the survey are available at the rectory.

Infant Jesus Parish Annual Religious Education Breakfast & Fair

Sunday, March 1st 7:45 – 11:30 AM * McKeever Hall



See Projects Created by our Students

**Enjoy a Delicious Breakfast
sponsored by St. Margaret's
Knights of Columbus**

Adults 12 & up - \$8.00
Children 6-11 - \$4.00
Children 0-5 - Free



Advanced Tickets available at Rectory

(no ticket needed for fair only)
(please make checks payable to Infant Jesus Parish)

Tickets also available at door

IJP Youth Ministry Faith on Fire

Sparks: Grades 4-6 - Meetings take place in the ministry center on one Wednesday of each month from 4:30-5:30 PM. Meeting dates are: 3/25, 4/22, and 5/20.

Ignite: Grades 7 & 8 - Ignite meets on the 1st and 3rd Sunday of the month from October through June in the school gym. Meetings begin after the 4:00 PM Mass and runs from 5-7 PM.

Ablaze: Grades 9-12 - Ablaze meets regularly from 5-7pm in the school gym on the 2nd and 4th Sunday nights of the month after the 4:00 PM Mass.

Sunday, March 1st - ALL youth and their families are invited to Our Lady of Peace Parish in Williamstown for International Catholic Speaker Paul J. Kim. Program begins at 7:15 PM. (Donations accepted at the door).

For further information, call Sr. Dianna at 856-848-6049 Or e-mail ijpyouthonfire@gmail.com

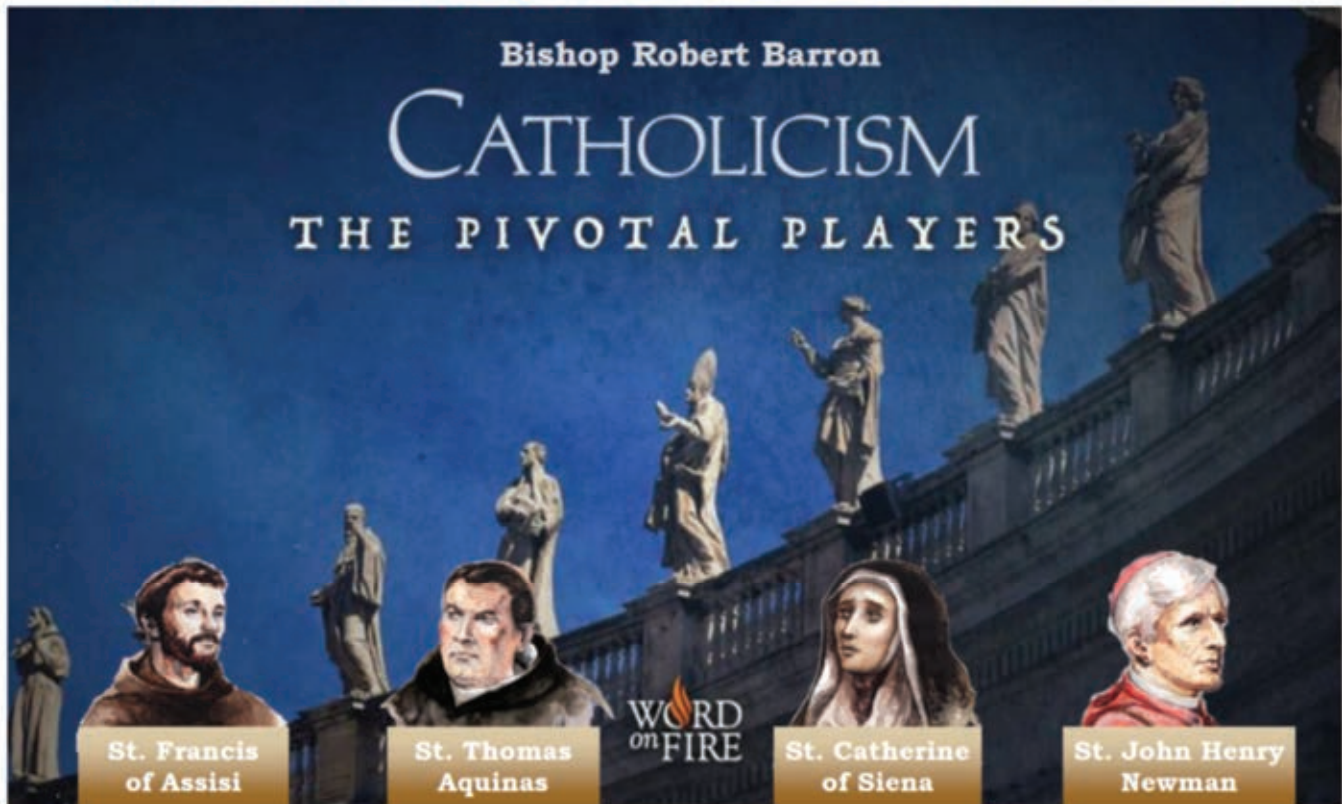


DIOCESE OF CAMDEN
Office of Youth, Young Adults and Campus Ministry

The IN'S and OUT'S !! Teens in grades 8 – 12 are invited to the Diocesan Youth Congress for teens on **Sunday, March 15, 2020**, at Our Lady of Hope Parish Center, Blackwood, NJ. This day-long event provides teens with a chance to make new friends, explore their faith and connect more deeply with God. The schedule includes praise and worship, dynamic talk and speaker, and Eucharistic adoration. Contact your parish's youth minister or pastor for more information. Any questions please call Martha A. Scutte- 856-583-2909.

Lenten Soup and Scripture (Fridays During Lent)

**Join us as we learn more about...
The Pivotal Players of our Catholic faith.**



Fridays During Lent (except March 13 & April 3)

5:45 PM – Soup and fellowship in the Ministry Center

6:00 PM – Catholicism Pivotal Players Series in the Ministry Center (starts at 5:45 PM on March 27)

February 28 - St. Francis of Assisi

March 6 - St. Thomas Aquinas

March 20 - St. Catherine of Siena

March 27 - St. John Henry Newman

7:30 PM – Stations of the Cross at St. Margaret Church (except March 27, 7:00 PM - Living Stations in the School Gym)

Special Events During Lent

- ✠ Every Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday (7:00 PM) - Mass at Our Lady of Guadalupe Chapel (St. Margaret Church)
- ✠ March 16 - 18 (9:00 AM & 7:00 PM) - Parish Mission with Paulist Father James DiLuzio at St. Margaret Church
- ✠ March 27 (7:00 PM) - Living Stations of the Cross in St. Margaret School Gym
- ✠ April 3 (5:00 PM to 7:15 PM) - Knights of Columbus Fish Dinner in the St. Margaret School Gym

Lenten Parish Mission

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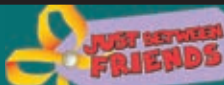
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