

5TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 2/05/2017



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The Reverend Father Joseph R. Cyman, Pastor
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SUNDAY MASSES 9:00 & 11:00 am
WEEKDAY MASSES – 8:30 am (check bulletin)

"You are the salt of the earth. But if salt loses its taste, with what can it be seasoned? It is no longer good for anything but to be thrown out and trampled underfoot. Matthew 5:13

INTRODUCTION



What does it mean to be salt, light, a city built on a mountain? Today's readings remind us that, as baptized Christians, we can't hide. God — who is a God of justice and mercy — had expectations of Israel. The Israelites weren't off the hook regarding how they were to act, and neither are the followers of Jesus. God has expectations of us. People see us, they observe what we do and how we act. What are they seeing? We can't be followers in name only.

Scripture readings:

Isaiah 58:7-10 God expects Israel to be people of light
Psalms 112 The just man is a light in darkness to the upright
1 Corinthians 2:1-5 Paul's strength and wisdom comes from the Lord
Matthew 5:13-16 Others must be able to see our good deeds

LECTORS SERVING TODAY

9:00 am – George O'Brien 11:00 am – Jasmine Cabrejos

SHOPPING CERTIFICATES. We thank Lucy Daum and Merry Sleece for running this project. The easiest way to support our Building Fund is by purchasing weekly shopping gift cards. The Building Fund is needed to finance any future repairs and maintenance of our facility.

We thank all those who participate and who run this wonderful project. Gift cards are available for **STOP N SHOP, FOODTOWN AND SHOP RITE.** Please encourage other members of the parish and friends to join in this wonderful project. If you have any questions contact Lucy Daum (973) 694-9457, or Merry Sleece 973-731-3611. **WE THANK YOU IN ADVANCE FOR YOUR SUPPORT.**

WE DO NOT RETIRE AT (\$65.

Please remember me and my family in your prayers. I remember you each day in my prayers. – Fr. Joseph
PARISH NEWSLETTER – PLEASE PICK UP YOUR COPY FROM THE PARISH HALL. THANK YOU



SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 2017 – FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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9:00AM – Holy Mass for +June Pettegrew, Robert Pettegrew Flora Paulison, Gene Paulison, Joseph Bielke; Offered by Paulison Family (All Souls)

10:00 AM – COFFEE AND CAKE FELLOWSHIP

10:10 AM – SCHOOL OF CHRISTIAN LIVING CLASSES

10:10 AM – ADORATION SOCIETY MEETING

10:10 am – FIRST COMMUNION CLASS

11:00AM – Holy Mass for all parishioners

After Mass – Confirmation preparation class

Monday, February 6, 2017 – St. Titus, Bp.

8:30 am – Holy Mass for peace in the world

Tuesday February 7, 2017 – St. Richard, K.

8:30 am - Holy Mass

Wednesday February 8, 2017 – St. Meingold, M.

8:30 am – Holy Mass

Thursday, February 9, 2017 – St. Cyril of Alexandria, Bp. D.

8:30 am – Holy Mass for the sick and homebound

Friday, February 10, 2017 – St. Scholastica, V.

8:30 am - Holy Mass for Benefactors of the Holy Cross Church

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 12, 2017 – SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"...leave your gift there at the altar, go first and be reconciled with your brother, and then come and offer your gift." Matthew 5:24



9:00AM – Holy Mass for all parishioners

10:00 AM – COFFEE AND CAKE FELLOWSHIP

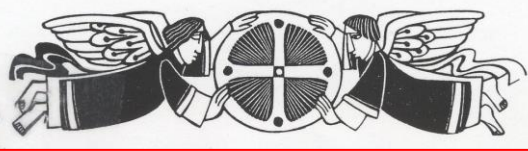
10:10 AM – SCHOOL OF CHRISTIAN LIVING CLASSES

10:10 am – FIRST COMMUNION CLASS



11:00AM – Holy Mass for +Joseph and Stella Ruyzam, Joseph and Katherine Ruyzam, Konstanty and Cecylia Zaremba; Of. by M/M Ruyzam (All Souls)

After Mass - St. Valentine's Day Luncheon



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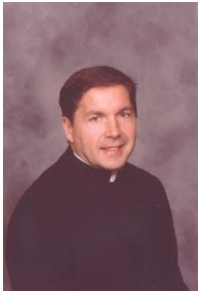
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FEBRUARY / MARCH – 2017

PROGRESS WITH DAY CARE PROJECT – NOV. 2016 – JAN 2017







FROM PASTOR'S DESK

PICTURE #1- #7

Since November 22, 2016 installation begin of additional handicap bathroom, three new emergency doors, two ramps and roof above one of the ramps leading to the playground. These renovations were recommended to

have a new day care tenant coming not only with toddlers but also with infants. There is a probability that the new day care will move in on Feb. 15, 2017. Keep this project in your prayers.

It is our appeal to all of you to support this project in order to defray unexpected expense. Your donations toward building fund are truly appreciated. We are looking forward to grow together as one Christian family serving our community and spreading the good news of our Savior, Jesus Christ.

PICTURE #8-#11

WE CELEBRATED AN ANNUAL CHRISTMAS DINNER AND CHRISTMAS PROGRAM ON SUNDAY DECEMBER 11, 2016 provided by the School of Christian Living students. Mrs. Donna Maher and Mr. Paul Murphy as well as Mrs. Natalie Lazar along with volunteers Nayef and Ned Kiame prepared the International Christmas program. The students sang the Christmas carols under the leadership of organist, Neil Estanislao. The International Christmas program presented different traditions of Christmas celebrations in countries around the world such as Ireland, Italy, Poland, Lebanon, Ecuador, Mexico, Australia. The delicious dinner was prepared by Hughie Vickerilla. Cakes and pastry were donated by the ladies of the parish. At the end of our celebration a surprise presence of Santa filled the celebration with joy.

PICTURE #12-#15

On Christmas Eve at 4 pm we traditionally Holy Mass with our children's participation. They wear costumes of Mary, Joseph, the shepherds, the Three Kings and angels. The youth read the Holy Scriptures, the prayers of the faithful and sing Silent Night with lighted candles. We thank the youth, their parents, School of Christian Living teachers and all who helped to celebrate the Birth of Jesus in such a meaningful way.

PICTURE #16

On Sunday, December 4th our School of Christian Living children prepared Christmas crafts that were given to homebound members of our parish and were used to decorate the Christmas tree in the parish hall. The youth also practiced Christmas songs with organist, Jessica Muccilli. They presented them at our Christmas Party on Sunday December 11th after the 11am Holy Mass.

PICTURE #17

CONGRATULATION to Genesis Joann Figueroa, daughter of Luis Figueroa and Juana (Herrera) who received the sacrament of Baptism on Sunday January 22, 2017, Proud godparents were Angel Obando and Leslie Landa. Best wishes to the Figueroa Family and our prayer that they find Holy Cross to be their second home, a place of spiritual growth and social contentment.

THANK YOU

- Parish Committee members for attending monthly meetings and making important decisions for the good of Holy Cross Church. For their help in maintaining our premises in good condition.
- We thank Renata Cyman and Dorothy O'Brien who recently dedicated their time to clean and reorganize items in the church and Adoration Society storage rooms



- We thank Penni Lazor, Leo Coutinho and Michael Cyman for painting areas of day care that were affected by the renovation project. Two classes are ready for Sunday School classes
- Lynn Imperiale for updating our face book.
- Renata Cyman for changing the cleaning church linens – purificators, corporals and lavabo towels, as well as changing the altar linens for different liturgical seasons.
- We thank anyone for using time, talent and treasure for the good of Holy Cross Church. God bless you all!



EPIPHANY PASTORAL VISITATIONS

– Fr. Joseph will be blessing homes during Epiphany Pastoral Visitations. Please let Fr. Joseph know that you wish to have your home/apartment blessed by calling 973-256-4888 /201-247-4832. Normally the blessing of homes takes place from Christmas until the season of Lent.

Please remember me and my family in your prayers. I remember you each day in my prayers.

Fr. Joseph

HOSPITAL VISIT. “Is anyone among you sick? He should summon the presbyters of the church, and they should pray over him and anoint him with oil in the name of the Lord...” (James 5:14). If you or a member of your family are ill and would like to receive the Holy Communion at home or at the hospital, please notify the rectory.



HEALING MASS – The Masses for the Sick and Home Bound are celebrated **on the last Thursday of the month at 7:30pm. WE HOPE FOR MORE PARTICIPANTS TO PRESENT PRAYERS FOR THEMSELVES AND FOR OTHERS. Dates of Healing Masses: February 24, 2017.** The Lord listens to our prayers and has the power of healing of body, mind and spirit.



The following members of our parish community are in need of our prayers, cards and other signs of Christian support:

- Mary Margo** 2 Oak Place, Little Falls, NJ 07424;
- Stella Skawinski** 213 Illinois Ave. Paterson, NJ 07503;
- Loretta Offman**, Regency Gardens, 296 Hamburg Turnpike, Wayne, NJ 07470;
- Emila Bargiel**, 820 Hamburg Turnpike, Wayne, NJ 07470;
- Sophie Barnes**, 35 Florence Ave., Hawthorne, NJ 07506;
- Gene Kapchonick** 123 Cabrillo Blvd., Toms River, NJ 08757;
- Liz Wozney** 3136 Oceanic Drive, Toms River, NJ 08753;
- Joanne Plaxa**, **Dennis Diestler**, **Ann Obsuth**, **Roy Zebrowski**, **Jo Ann Murphy**, **Nicky Minson**, **Stanley Mikolajczyk**, **Zachary Decker**, **Declan**, **Urbano**, **Helen Blum**, **Char O'Neill**, **Danielle Geeza**, **Janice Krasulja**, **Jaclyn Monro**, We pray also for all those who asked us to pray and for those whom we promised to pray: Hail Mary, Glory...

ANNIVERSARIES OF MARRIAGE

Dear Parishioners, we wish to extend our congratulations and best wishes on your anniversaries of marriage. Fr. Joseph Cyman /Renata (Bujak) – Feb. 21 – 19th Ann.



Richard Torre / Diane McNamara – Feb. 27 – 40th Ann.

Holy Cross Church Face Book – link

www.holycrosswoodlandpark.com

Visiting our website Blog holycrosssite.org you can go directly to our church face book. 216 people like our church face book! We thank Lynn Imperiale for her dedication in updating our face book.

ASH WEDNESDAY - THE BEGINNING OF LENT



Ash Wednesday

The Church will begin the Season of Lent this year on Ash Wednesday, March 1, 2017. On that day two Masses will be celebrated with the blessing and distribution of Ashes at 12:00 P.M. and 7:30 p.m. Welcome.

SCHOOL OF CHRISTIAN LIVING

Our Sunday School classes take place on Sundays from 10:10 am to 10:55 am. If your child is not enrolled yet, please do so at your earliest convenience. The program is free of charge. We thank Mr. Paul Murphy, Mrs. Donna Maher, her husband Martin, Natalie Lazar as well as

volunteers Nayef and Ned Kiame for teaching our parish students.



Upcoming Events



- March 1, 2017 – Ash Wednesday
- March 12, 2017 – St. Patrick's Dinner after 11 am Mass
- March 26, 2017 – Fish and Chips Dinner after 11 am Mass
- April 2, 2017 – NY/NJ Adoration Society AGAPE at Holy Cross Church
- April 12, 2017 – Clergy Conference, Chrism Mass -St. Stanislaus Cathedral Parish, Scranton, PA
- April 16, 2017 – Easter – Resurrection of the Lord
- April 23, 2017 – Easter Egg Hunt & Party for School of Christian Living (SOCL)
- April 29, 2017 – Applebee's Breakfast 8am – 10 am (Applebee's in Totowa)
- May 7, 2017 – Crowning of the Blessed Virgin Mary
- May 14, 2017 - Mother's Day Breakfast at 10 am
- May 20, 2017 – FLEA MARKET 9 am to 3 pm (please note that the date was changed)
- June 11, 2017 – SOCL attendance awards and Parish Picnic
- June 18, 2017 – Father's Day breakfast at 10 am

THANK YOU FOR CLERGY PENSION FUND DONATIONS:

George and Dorothy O'Brien - \$25; Edward and Beverly Obsuth - \$20; Ron and Helen Yuswack - \$20; Zaida Bueno - \$10; Al and Fran Cuccinello - \$25; Hughie and Beverly Vickerilla - \$20;

Holy Cross Church Ministries and Organizations

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Pastor - Father Joseph R. Cyman 973-256-4888
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Deacon - David Gaydos
973-209-4729

Deacon - William Gaydos 973-239-4725

Parish Comm. Chairperson, Lynn Imperiale 862-368-3653

Secretary – Claire Centrella 201-572-1299

Organist - Neil Estanislao 201-966-9026

Organist - Jessica Muccilli 973-903-7273

Adoration Society - Penni Lazor 973-768-7917

Daughters of Holy Cross Elaine Rotsaert 973-838-4246

Lectors Coordinators - John Surak 201-264-6711

Altar Servers - Deacon William Gaydos 973-239-4725

School of Christian Living (SOCL) Mrs. Donna Maher (201-774-9560), Mr. Paul Murphy (201-463-7656), Nayef, Ned Kiame (volunteers)

St. Nicholas Ministry – Lucy and Richard Daum 973-694-9457 Merry Sleece 973-731-3611

Parish Life Committee - Deacon David & Laurie Gaydos, Merry Sleece, Angela Gulla, Ed and Beverly Obsuth, Penni Lazor, Renata Cyman

Stewardship Committee – Pat Olsen 973-696-6581 / Diane Lacey 973-256-1288 / Al Katinsky 973-694-3208

Ushers – John Surak 201-264-6711

Greeters - Lynn Imperiale 862-368-3653; Claire Centrella – 201-572-1299 / Karen Paulison 973-686-0584;

Maintenance - Dominick Bucci 973-785-2299

Shopping Certificates Sale - Lucy Daum 973-694-9457, Merry Sleece 973-731-3611

Polish National Union of America - Alice Kriskewic – 973-427-9648



Sanctuary Candle



Adoration Society is sponsoring sanctuary candles that are lit for a week in memory/honor of your special intentions for \$10. PLEASE SIGN up on the list in the parish hall, use special envelopes and make your check out to Adoration

Society. Thank you for your donations.

Week of February 26 – Emanuele Triggiano by Claire Centrella

Week of March 19 – Melissa, August Centrella by Claire Centrella

Week of April 23 – Emanuele Triggiano by Claire Centrella

(THERE ARE STILL MANY DATES AVAILABLE)

LET US IMITATE THE WAYS OF GOD BY BEING MORE GENEROUS AND LOVING IN OUR SERVICE TO HIS MYSTICAL BODY, “THE CHURCH.”



Thank you for your anticipated support toward our parish.

ATTENTION PARISHIONERS – IN CASE OF YOUR INABILITY TO COME TO CHURCH ON ANY PARTICULAR SUNDAY, PLEASE MAIL OR SUBMIT YOUR SUNDAY OFFERINGS AND DONATIONS TO OUR PARISH. YOUR CHURCH NEEDS YOUR FINANCIAL SUPPORT IN ORDER TO PAY UTILITIES AND EXPENSES. THANK YOU. THE PARISH COMMITTEE.

THANK YOU FOR RECENT DONATIONS TOWARD THE BUILDING FUND. We appreciate any



donations toward the Building Fund for our future necessary repairs. Also, we ask more parishioners to participate in the purchase of shopping certificates since the profit goes

toward the Building Fund.

THANK YOU FOR RECENT DONATIONS HEATING/ AIR CONDITION

LASTING GIFTS - “Lasting Gifts, a guide for gifts to the Holy Cross Church.” Copies of these pamphlets are in the vestibule of the church. Please consider yourself to participate in this project. Our parish celebrates 89 years of service. Let us consider the future of our parish as it continues blessings for its members and for the community. This pamphlet was prepared by the Stewardship Committee and approved by the Parish Committee.

NEW PARISHIONERS – If you are new to our parish, please submit your name and phone number to Father Joseph. Father will contact you regarding parish membership and answer the questions you may have regarding our church. WELCOME!

Our Mission - The parish of Holy Cross is a



Catholic community with doors open to all and bringing them into a personal relationship with Jesus Christ and thus giving

comfort and purpose to a struggling world. “You are to go into the entire world and preach the Good News to

everyone, everywhere! (see Mark 16:15)." We believe that we are a Church where the timeless message of Christ is communicated in a contemporary style. "For the Son of Man came to seek and to save those who are lost (Luke 19:10)." In the past **90 years of service** we feel that we became a strong and faithful community with unselfish service to God and all our brothers and sisters, giving unending praise and thanksgiving for the blessings and gifts bestowed upon us.



PARISH CHOIR – Volunteers who wish to share their vocal or musical talents and would like to join our choir, please contact our Organist, Neil Estanislao - tel. 201-966- 9026. Thank you.



MASS INTENTIONS - In order to request the Holy Mass Intention such as For the Sick, In Remembrance of the Faithful Departed, To Beseech God's Grace, Birthdays and Anniversaries, please contact Fr. Joseph 973-256-4888

ANNUAL PARISH MEETING – Will be held on second Sunday, February 19, 2016 (please note that the date has changed) after 9:00 a.m. Mass. The second Mass will be at



11:30 AM. There will be refreshments after the 9 AM Mass. School of Christian Living will have their program in Fr. John Slys building provided by high school youth. **All the societies of our parish are asked to give their annual report from year 2016 and their projects for the year 2017.** Another important aspect of our Annual Parish Meeting will be the election of the Parish Committee. The Parish Committee is the council, which meets once per month (usually for about 1 hour on the 3rd Tuesday evening of the month) to discuss concerns and make decisions for the parish. Would you consider serving on this committee? Please contact Fr. Joseph or Lynn Imperiale for additional information.

DAILY MASSES are held as announced in the bulletin. Examples of the Mass intentions are: For the Sick, In Remembrance of the Faithful Departed, To Beseech God's Grace, Birthdays and Anniversaries. Please contact Father Joe.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM: Arrangements at least two weeks prior to the ceremony.

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY: Arrangements should be made at least six months in advance. Contact the Pastor before setting a date or making final plans.

EMERGENCIES, SICKNESS should be reported to the rectory office immediately. Phone: 973-256-4888

CONFIRMATION CLASSES – The next classes are scheduled as follows: **Sunday FEB. 5, 19; MAR. 5, 19; APRIL 23, 2017 AFTER 11 A.M. MASS.** The registration forms are online and in the parish office. Students who are in the 7th grade and older and adults are eligible to take confirmation lessons. Sacrament of Confirmation is a completion of the sacrament of

Baptism and important step in your youth's religious education.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION – Upcoming classes: **FEBRUARY 5, 19, MARCH 5, 11, 19, APRIL 2, 23, 2017** The First Holy Communion preparation is provided by teacher, Ms. Mary Vitaletti. **1st Holy Communion date is Sunday May 21, 2017.** *The Holy Eucharist is Jesus Christ who is really present under the forms of bread and wine. In the Eucharist, Jesus Christ gives us Himself as a food for our souls. The bread and wine becomes the Body and Blood of our Lord during the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass when the priest says words of consecration which Jesus used during the Last Supper: This is My Body... This is My Blood. (Catechism)* Some requirements: Students should be enrolled in 2nd grade or older to participate; Parents/Guardians are required to attend Sunday Mass each week with children. First Communion classes are 45 minutes long (10:10 – 10:55 am) on bi-weekly basis (check bulletin) duration Sept-May; Students must attend School of Christian Living classes at 10:10 am other Sundays followed by the Holy Mass at 11 am.

ALTAR SERVERS This is an important ministry for our parish and your support and involvement is needed! Please contact Deacon - William Gaydos 973-239-4725 or parish office 973-256-488 if your son /daughter are interested in becoming altar servers.



IF YOU KNOW OF ANYONE WHO DOES NOT BELONG TO A CHURCH OR WHO DOES NOT ATTEND MASS, WHY NOT INVITE HIM OR HER TO JOIN US IN WORSHIP AT HOLY CROSS PARISH? ALL ARE CORDIALLY WELCOMED.

THE PRAYER REQUEST - The container "Prayer Request" is located at the side altar by the baptismal font. Fr. Joseph says the Holy Mass on Thursdays for the sick and shut-ins. If you have any sick members in your family and/or homebound, please write their names and place them in the container. Fr. Joseph will include these intentions at the Holy Mass on Thursday evening Mass.



INCOME TAX– Any parishioner who wishes to receive information regarding of their donations to the church for the year 2016 for their income tax purposes, please contact Financial Secretary, Richard Daum 973-694-9457. We thank Richard Daum for his time and dedication in his service as Financial Secretary/Treasurer of Holy Cross Church.

THANK YOU FOR CHRISTMAS FLOWERS DONATIONS

Penni Lazor in memory of Todd and Helen Jaxon, Fr. Joseph and Family in memory of deceased of Cyman,



Bujak, Domasz and Bronk families, Richard and Lucy Daum in memory of Mary and Frank Piontkowski, Elizabeth and Oscar Daum; Edward and Beverly

Obsuth in memory of Andrew E. Obsuth, Sadusky and Mihok families; Helen Jarmakowicz in memory of Katherine Kaczarski, Jon Kaczarski, Justin Jarmakowicz, Stanley Kasza, Edward Furtak, Joseph Jarmakowicz, Joseph Weiss and Patti Jarmakowicz; Nelly Cabrejos in memory of Mr. Ignacia and Lucila Montalvo; Zaida Bueno Escobedo in memory of Emilio Bueno Bueno, Julia Escobedo de Bueno; Daad Kasbo, Donna and Martin Maher; Stella Skawinski in memory of Dorothy

and Lawrence Skawinski; Denise and Neil Harth; Susan Kendal in memory of Jim and Marie Filler; Carlo and Anna Santini in memory of Concetta and Gerlando Zambuto; Kimberly Junda in memory of Edward Budjinsky and Sophie Budjinsky; Ronald and Helen Yuswack in memory of Stella and Walter Yuswack, Helen and Paul Fritschy; Susan and Richard Jakob in memory of Jean and Joseph Zajac; Claire Centrella in memory of Melissa and Augie Centrella, Emanuele Triggiano; Diane Hitchcock in memory of Eleanor Niedzwiecki and Jim Hitchcock;

WELCOME TO OUR VISITORS - We welcome all our



visitors who are present with us for worship this Sunday. Please introduce yourself to the Pastor, Father Joseph after Mass. Please sign your name in "Our Church Guests" book located in the vestibule of the church. You are always welcome to join us in worship.



NEW PARISHIONERS – If you are new to our parish, please submit your name and phone number to Father Joseph. Father will contact you regarding parish membership and answer the questions you may have regarding our church. WELCOME!

GIFT SHOP OF RELIGIOUS ARTICLES

WE THANK THOSE WHO PARTICIPATE IN THIS PROJECT

There are new religious articles (donated) available in the parish hall for purchase at the much discounted price. They are perfect for weddings, baptisms, communions, confirmations, and other special days. **Come and Browse.**

HALL RENTAL HOLY CROSS CHURCH



Fees: For non-members of the parish: The hall rental fee for the use of the facilities is \$110.00 for each hour of rental time. For members of the parish (paid membership). The rental hall fee

for the use of facilities is \$55 fee for each hour of rental time. Call 973-256-4888. / 201-247-4832 (cell) email

holycrosspncc1@gmail.com

MINISTRY OF GREETERS – Those who would like to



serve as **Greeters** in our parish by giving out Sunday bulletins are asked to contact Lynn Imperiale. Ministry of Greeters is very important in the parish's life that makes people feel welcome to participate in our liturgies. Thank you for your service.

HELP FOR PARENTS & SMALL CHILDREN

In the case when small children need more attention during the Mass, parents can now listen to the Liturgy of the Mass in the **parish hall** while the children can play or do the drawings.

ALTAR SERVERS We thank all Altar servers serving in our parish. We would like to continue the process of bringing on more altar servers at our Masses. **Please sign-up** on the sheet in the Parish Hall. Parents, please put your child's name in the Sunday that they can serve. You will be notified as a reminder prior to their Sunday Mass.

UPCOMING BAPTISMS:

APRIL 2, 2017 – GABRIELA ROSALEE RACANATI THE DAUGHTER OF FRANCESCO AND KRISTA RACANATI.

Please join us for STATIONS OF THE CROSS ON FRIDAY in LENT at 7:15 pm and Good Friday at 3 pm. The tradition of moving

around the Stations to commemorate the Passion of Christ began with St. Francis of Assisi and extended throughout the Catholic Church in the medieval period. It is also observed in other Christian Churches. It is most commonly done during Lent, especially on Good Friday.

ALMS BOX – Our parish traditionally uses the Alms Box in the vestibule of the church for the benefit of the poor. Please continue to support this great cause to help the less fortunate of our society. *"When you give alms, your left hand must not know what your right is doing – your alms giving must be secret, and your father who sees all that is done in secret will reward you."* (Mat.6:3-4)



St. Valentine's Day Luncheon



Holy Cross Church

220 Browertown Rd.

Woodland Park NJ

Sunday, February 12, 2017

12:00PM (after 11am Mass)

Donation: Adults - \$10 / Children - Free

Includes: Chicken, Stuffed Cabbage, Pasta, Rice,
Vegetables, Coffee, Water, Tea and Dessert,

50/50 drawing / Basket of Cheer,

Champagne, Chocolates etc.

Call for tickets 201-247-4832 or 973- 256-4888


Email: holycrosspncc1@gmail.com / RSVP by Feb. 8, 2017

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Church Newsletter

February – March 2017

REPORT ON PAST EVENTS

PRAYER LIST /BIRTHDAYS /WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

SCHOOL OF CHRISTIAN LIVING CLASSES – SUNDAY 10:10AM – 10:55 AM

CONFIRMATION CLASSES (NEW GROUP) – FEB. 5, 19, MAR. 5,19, APRIL 23, 2017 AFTER 11 A.M. MASS

1ST HOLY COMMUNION CLASSES – FEBRUARY 5, 19, MARCH 5, 11, 19, APRIL 2, 23, 2017 AT 10:10 AM

ANNUAL PARISH MTG. - FEB. 19, 2017 AFTER 9 AM MASS; SECOND MASS & 11:30 AM

FEBRUARY 12, 2017 – ST. VALENTINE’S DAY LUNCHEON AFTER 11 AM MASS

MARCH 1, 2017 – ASH WEDNESDAY

MARCH 12, 2017 – ST. PATRICK’S DINNER AFTER 11 AM MASS

MARCH 26, 2017 – FISH AND CHIPS DINNER AFTER 11 AM MASS

APRIL 2, 2017 – NY/NJ ADORATION SOCIETY AGAPE AT HOLY CROSS CHURCH



HAPPY ST. VALENTINE'S DAY!
Happy St. Patrick's Day!

