# **OCTOBER 21, 2018 – 29 SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME** SINCE 1926 HOLY CROSS PARISH PNCC 91 Years of Service

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### The Reverend Father Joseph R. Cyman, Pastor The Deacon William Gaydos



#### SUNDAY MASSES 9:00 & 11:00 am WEEKDAY MASSES – 8:30 am (check bulletin)

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"For the Son of Man did not come to be served but to serve and to give his life as a ransom for many." - Mark 10:45

In taking on humanity, Jesus became like us in all ways but sin. He experienced heartache and sorrow, joy and affirmation, challenge and rejection. He suffered many things, but his message never wavered. He came as a servant in our midst, willing to accept his human lot, to

transform all things with his submission to the will of the Father. His message to his disciples is clear: If you want to follow me, you must be a servant to all.



**SCRIPTURE READINGS** 

Isaiah 53:10-11 The suffering servant will find light in the fullness of days Ps 33 Our Lord is justice and mercy, worthy of our trust Hebrews 4:14-16 Jesus shared in the challenge of humanity Mark 10:35-45 Power is found in serving the needs of others <u>LECTORS SERVING TODAY</u>

9:00 am – John Surak 11:00 am – Natalie Cyman

SHOPPING CERTIFICATES. WE NEED MORE VOLUNTEERS TO PARTICIPATE IN



THIS PROJECT. SINCE THE BEGINNING OF GIFT CARDS SALE WE RAISED \$68,000. We thank all those who participate in shopping certificates sale and Lucy Daum, Richard Daum and Merry Sleece who are in charge of this project. <u>GIFT CARDS</u> are available for <u>FAIRWAY, STOP N SHOP, FOODTOWN</u> AND SHOP RITE. Please continue to support our Building Fund by purchasing

weekly shopping gift cards. The Building Fund always needs to finance any future repairs and maintenance. If you have any questions contact Lucy Daum (973) 694-9457, or Merry Sleece 973-731-3611. God bless. WE THANK YOU IN ADVANCE FOR YOUR SUPPORT. I remember you in my prayers each day. Please keep me and my family in your daily prayers. *Fr. Joseph* 



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; Helen Jarmakowicz, Emila Bargiel, 820 Hamburg Turnpike, Wayne, NJ 07470; Sophie Barnes, 35 Florence Ave., Hawthorne, NJ 07506;

Bishop Bilinski, Liz Wozney 3136 Oceanic Drive, Toms River, NJ 08753; Ewa B., Frances Sanchez, Tom Mamary, Josephine Palman, Carol Thaller, Ann and Andrew, Susan Honk, Anthony Vargas, Jenna Errico, David P. Richard Cornelius; Jeffrey, Avelina Martinez, Wendy Schlesinger, Joseph Capizzi, Roy Zebrowski, Jo Ann Murphy, Stanley Mikolajczyk, Declan, Urbano, Helen Blum, Char O'Neill, Danielle Geeza, Janice Krasulja. We pray also for all those who asked us to pray and for

#### those whom we promised to pray. Hail Mary, Glory...

**THE PRAYER REQUEST** - The container "**Prayer Request**" is located at the side altar by the baptismal fount. 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.

<u>ANNIVERSARIES OF MARRIAGE</u> Dear Parishioners, we wish to extend our congratulations and best wishes on your anniversaries of marriage.

Edward Lazor/Michele Gula 10/8–41<sup>st</sup> Ann.

Deacon David /Laurie Rusnak 10/ 28 – 39 years Eric Olsen/Denise Piwowar 10/ 8 - 29 years Keith Mullin and Jaclyn Ziobro 10/ 16 - 14 years; Nicholas Lawler/Michele Peano 10/ 15 - 13 years Martin Maher / Donna Giardino 10/24 – 29<sup>th</sup> Ann. Holy Cross Church Face Book – link www.holyc



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MEMBERSHIP 2018 (\$125 per adult) paid for the Diocese



As of October 7, 2018 – (69) adult parishioners paid membership in this year. EXPLANATION: The parish dues in 2018 are the same as in 2017. The parish needs to send \$25 to the Central Diocese, and \$100 to the General Church; Total membership is \$125.00 per adult. THE PRINTING COMPANY DIDN'T PRINT

THE RIGHT AMOUNT ON THE ENVELOPES; IT SHOULD BE – THE SINGLE MEMBERSHIP - \$125 AND THE FAMILY \$250. PLEASE SEND THE RIGHT AMOUNT. For further information please contact Richard Daum at 973-694-9457. If you cannot afford to pay the church membership please contact Fr. Joseph or send email holycrosspncc1@gmail.com Thank you.

**<u>BUSINESS ADVERTISING</u>** – We thank businesses that gave donations for bulletin ads and thus helping us to defray the cost of bulletin printing. The donation for one year is \$100.00. If you wish to submit your ad, please contact church parish office at 973-256-4888 or send e-mail <u>holycrosspncc1@gmail.com</u>, thank you. **Parishioners and friends, please support the following businesses that give financial contributions to our church.** 



#### **BIZUB-PARKER FUNERAL HOME** 47 Main Street Little Falls, NI 07424

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#### SUNDAY, OCTOBER 21, 2018 - 29<sup>™</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 9:00 AM –Holy Mass for +James Hitchcock; Offered by Diane Hitchcock and Family 10:00 am – Coffee and Cake fellowship / Thank you to Claire Centrella 11:00 am – Sunday School classes continue (during the Holy Mass at 11 am. Please gather in the parish hall. SUNDAY 11:00 AM – Holy Mass for August, Melissa Centrella, Theresa & Confirmation Class Emanuele Triggiano, Marie De Norchia, Anna Tassiello, Arlene Truncellito, Mary Henry, Chris & Mario Errante, Sodano, Triggiano, **Centrella, Tamborino families;** *Req. by Claire Centrella (All Souls)* AFTER MASS – CONFIRMATION CLASS Monday, October 22, 2018 - St. Philip and Companions 8:30 am - Holy Mass for peace in the world Tuesday, October 23, 2018 - St. Ignatius of Constantinople Bp. 8:30 am – Holv Mass for Wednesday, October 24, 2018 – Feast Raphael the Archangel 8:30 am - Holy Mass for Thursday, October 25, 2018 – St. Chysanthus and Daria, M. 7:30 pm – Holy Mass for sick and Homebound – Healing Mass +Jozef, Janusz, Rysiu Jandura, Wojciech i Anna Pichniarczyk; Req. by Family Friday, October 26, 2018 – St. Lucian and Mercian, M. 8:30 am – Holy Mass for Benefactors of Holy Cross Church **TRICKY TRAY - 245 Paterson Ave. Little Falls** 1:30 pm – transport of trays 6 PM - DOORS OPEN / 8 PM – CALLINGS BEGIN **COME AND ENJOY!** SUNDAY, OCTOBER 28, 2018 - 30<sup>™</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME "Master, I want to see." - Mark 10:51 9:00 AM –Holy Mass for +Joseph and Kathryn Ruyzam; Reg. by Ruyzam Family **10:00 am – Coffee and Cake fellowship** 11:00 am – Sunday School classes continue (during the

Holy Mass at 11 am. Please gather in the parish hall.

11:00 AM – Holy Mass for All Parishioners

AFTER MASS – COMMUNION CLASS





## You are invited to say thank you to Claire on Sunday at 10 am.

At the end of the month, Claire Centrella, one of our most treasured parishioners is moving to South Jersey. We would like to celebrate her accomplishments and thank her for her unselfish acts of kindness for our Church. She has been an inspiration to all and gives with an abundance of love, time, and charity to our many projects. Her presence will be sorely missed by us all. Thank you Claire! God Bless and much happiness in vour life.

Please pray for Bp. Stanley Bilinski for God's blessing and recovery Our prayers of Sympathy to Roxanne Liotard-Cadavid and her husband Mauricio on the loss of her father, Joseph J. Anderson. Our sympathy is expressed to grandchildren Joseph and Bre.

#### *Obituary of Joseph Anderson (Santangelo Funeral Home)*

Joseph J. Anderson, "Joffe", 75, of Woodland Park, passed away on Ocotber 16, 2018. He was born in Paterson on February 3, 1943 to the late Robert and Ann (Gallo) Anderson. Most recently, Joffe worked as a newspaper delivery driver for the Daily News of Jersey City. In his spare time, he enjoyed hunting and fishing and playing guitar. He also had a love of Harley-Davidson motorcycles and for photography which is enjoyed as an owner of Anderson Studio Photo.

Joffe was the dear brother of Derrick "Ricky" Anderson and was predeceased by his brother Robert "Chicky" Anderson and Ann "Ducky" Diodato.

Visitation will be Sunday from 2-6pm at Santangelo Funeral Home, 635 McBride Ave., Woodland Park, NJ. A funeral service will be held on Monday at 10:00am at Santangelo Funeral Home. Burial will follow at Laurel Grove Cemetery in Totowa

### **THANK YOU**

- We thank parish committee members, George O'Brien, Bob Sleece, Ed Obssuth, Hughie Vickerilla, Penni Lazor, Paul Murthy who with Fr. Joseph gathered together last Wednesday making important decisions for our parish

-We thank Claire Centrella, Lynn Imperiale, Elaine Rotsaert, Renata Cyman, and Lidia Shaefer for their hard work on Thursday getting ready for our Tricky Tray

SCHOOL OF CHRISTIAN LIVING PLEASE NOTE THAT THE LESSONS are provided DURING THE 11 AM MASS IN THE PARISH HALL. We have three age groups. The program is free of charge. Please join the program at any time. We thank Mr. Paul Murphy, Mrs. Donna Maher, Ms. Natalie Lazar for teaching our students. We are looking forward to seeing you on Sunday.



CHOCOLATE CANDIES \$1 each- Sale to date - \$160. We are selling candy from World's Finest Chocolate. We have 50 boxes; 1 box is sold. This year we offer a variety of different kinds with and without nuts. Please consider taking a box and selling to your friends, family or at work. We expect the shipment at the end of September. More

information in the parish hall.

### **PASTA DINNER NOTIFICATION:**

Please note that our November 17th. Pasta Dinner "RESERVED" ticket sales are selling fast! ONLY 30 LEFT !!! If anyone is interested in purchasing 2-Ticket donations for our Tricky Tray, please let me know -VALUE \$34.00. Tickets are available in our Parish Hall! Dominick J. Bucci / Pasta Dinner Chairman /dbucci3@optimum.net



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.

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. **UPCOMING DATES IN 2018** 

Mission - The parish of Holy Cross, PNCC 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. ""Go into all the world and preach the gospel to all creation". (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 the

lost." (Luke 19:10) In the past 92 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.

#### **FIRST HOLY COMMUNION - Registration is open**

Please contact parish office to register your child who will be in September 2018 in the second grade or older. Thank you. 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)



Confirmation Class Confirmation Classes - ENROLLMENT IS OPEN. CLASSES Started ON SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 16, 2018. The registration forms are in the parish office - please ask Fr. Joseph or call parish office, 973-256-4888 or 201-247-4832. Students who are in the 7<sup>th</sup> 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 Christian religious education.



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 September 23, 2018 – available

Week of September 30, 2018 – available

Week of October 7, 2018 - available

For more information, please call Penni Lazor, Adoration Society President, at 973-768-7917 or contact parish office - 201-247-4832

96<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Dinner for the Most Holy Name of Jesus Slovak National Catholic Church , 107 Fourth St, Passaic, N.J. 07055 on Sunday Nov. 4, 2018. Tickets Adults - \$20. Children under 12 - \$10. To reserve tickets please call church office at 973-777-0066.

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**



October 26, 2018 – Tricky Tray Amalgamated Meat Cutters, 245 Paterson Ave., Little Falls NJ; door s open 6 pm, calling begins at 8 pm

Nov. 9, 2018 – Adoration Society Pancake Breakfast

Nov. 17, 2018 – Holy Cross and UNICO – Pasta Dinner and Live Music

Nov. 18, 2018 – Bake Sale by Adoration Society

December 9, 2018 – Christmas Dinner after 11 am Mass

Feb. 17, 2019 – St. Valentine's Dinner after 11 am

March 17. 2019 – St. Patrick's Dinner after 11 am

April 7, 2019 – Agape at Holy Cross – 3 pm

May 4. 2019 – Adoration Society Flea Market

May 12, 2019 – Mother's Day Breakfast at 10 am

June 9, 2019 – Church picnic

June 6, 2019 – Father's Day Breakfast at 10 am

June 23, 2019 – Corpus Christi celebration at SS Peter and Paul, Passaic, NJ

HELP FOR PARENTS & SMALL CHILDREN In 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. The TV set is connected with camera in the church sanctuary. You can see mass in the parish hall.

We appreciate any donations toward the Building Fund. Also, we ask more parishioners to participate in the purchase of shopping certificates since the profit goes toward the Building Fund.

THE LORD'S DAY SUMMONS US TO REJOICE IN THE GOD WHO BROUGHT US FROM DEATH TO LIFE IN JESUS, HIS SON. LET US GIVE THE LORD PRAISE WITH **OUR OFFERINGS AND PRAYERS.** 

ATTENTION PARISHIONERS - IN CASE OF YOUR INABILITY TO COME TO CHURCH ON ANY PARTICULAR SUNDAY, PLEASE MAIL Be a Good Steward 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.

# **50/50 RAFFLE** Dear and Friends,

Holy Cross Parish is having a 50 /50 raffle. We collected to date - \$1,675. The raffle drawing will be held during our Tricky Tray event on October 26, 2018. We kindly ask that each parishioner or family unit be responsible for the sale of enclosed tickets at \$5.00 each or 3 for \$10. The Parish Executive Committee will be overseeing the progress of ticket sales. Ticket stubs with money and unsold tickets are to be returned to the parish office or collection basket by October 18, 2018. This fundraiser is licensed to be sold to the general public. Sell them to family members and friends. More tickets are available by calling or texting Penni Lazor at 973-768-7917. Please pick up the tickets from the parish hall or you will receive it in the mail. Thank you and God bless you, Parish Committee of Holy Cross Church

#### HOLY CROSS PARISH PRAYER CHAIN



Dear friends, please join us praying daily forming together A PRAYER CHAIN in our parish. Please pray for each other, especially for our parishioners who are sick, and those who are home-bound and are in need of any kind of support and healing. Please pray to increase our faith, dedication and zeal in His service.

WE PRAY FOR ALL THOSE WHOA RE AFFECTED BY HURRICANE FLORENCE. We pray for victims of any natural disasters. We remember persecuted Christians around the world. We pray for those who are addicted to drug and alcohol, for their recovery and protection from illness and death. Please pray for those who were affected by recent tragedies. We ask God to be the source of our strength in time of senseless loss and tragedies. We continue to pray for all deceased victims caused by shootings in our country, their terribly devastated families, and communities. Also, we pray for the proper gun control in our nation for the safety of our citizens and especially for the children in our schools. Please say special prayers for the peace in the world and the end of any war. We pray for peaceful resolutions in recent conflicts; for better relations between countries including USA and North Korea and for effective dialogue. WE PRAY FOR ALL THE VICTIMS OF ANY SEXUAL ABUSE AND HARASSMENT. THE POLISH NATIONAL CATHOLIC CHURCH HAS A ZERO **TOLERANCE ON SEXUAL ABUSE.** God is listening to our prayers when we call for His blessing. May the Holy Cross Church continue to grow in faith and number so that we continue be the place of worship where many people who will accept Jesus as their Lord and Savior. Amen.

**<u>BLESSING OF HOMES</u>** Please contact Fr. Joseph if you wish to have blessed your home or apartment. 201-247-4832 or holycrosspncc1@gmail.com

<u>ALL SOULS CEMETERY SERVICE</u> – will take place on Sunday, October 28, 2018 at the PNCC section of East Ridgelawn Cemetery, 255 main Ave. Clifton. Please join the service to remember our departed loved ones in our prayers.



**ENVELOPES FOR ALL SOULS DAY REMEMBRANCES** are enclosed in the newsletter. Please write the names of your loved departed ones and Fr. Joseph will schedule the Mass at the later date. You can suggest the date you wish to have the Mass celebrated.



**THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 1, 2018 – SOLEMNITY OF ALL SAINTS** is the Holy Day of obligation. This is a special day in remembrance of all our holy saints. There will be special Mass celebrated at 7:30 pm. With the reading of all Souls Day Remembrances



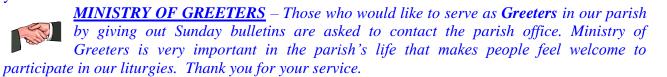
**FOOD PANTRY** - You can donate nonperishable food items to benefit Fr. English Food Pantry in Paterson, NJ. Please bring your donations to parish hall. Please bring your donations to our parish hall and place them by the room "Food Bank" Won't you help the needy in the name of Christ the Savior? "Whatever you do to the least of my brothers, you have done it to me." (Mat. 25:40)

**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!



**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. In the words of St. Augustine: "He who sings, prays twice" Please consider joining our choir. Come be a part of it, be involved and help our parish to grow. Thank

you



LASTING GIFTS - "Lasting Gifts, a guide for gifts to the Holy Cross Church." Copies of these



**<u><b>F15**</u> - "Lasting Giffs, a guide for giffs 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 92 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.



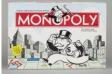
<u>MASS INTENTIONS</u> - In order to request the Holy Mass Intention such as For the Sick, In Remembrance of the Faithful Departed, To Beseech God's Grace, Birthdays and Anniversaries, please contact Fr. Joseph 201-247-4832; holycrosspncc1@gmail.com

Holy Cross Prayer Shawl Ministry - Do you crochet or knit? Then join us in this new ministry



by helping make shawls for home bound, persons in need of our prayers, people dealing with illnesses. We can make a difference by comforting them in their time of need by presenting them with a handmade shawl and special prayers for our blessed shawl. May God's grace be upon this shawl...Warming, comforting, enfolding and embracing. May this mantle be a safe haven...a sacred place of security and wellbeing... May the one

who receives this shawl be cradled in hope, kept in joy, graced with peace. And wrapped in love! Blessed Be!!! Great gift for the Caregiver as well!



### <u>Tricky Tray - Friday, Oct. 26th, 2018</u> <u>by Holy Cross Church</u>

Dear Parishioners and Friends,

We have only five days left to get ready for our annual Tricky Tray Fundraiser, which will take place on Friday, October 26, 2018 at Amalgamated Meat Cutters,245 Paterson Ave., Little Falls NJ.

As of today we have the following number of trays

# **INCLUDING DONATIONS ON SATURDAY**

Regular (value of \$35 and up) - **85 (we need 15 more)** 

Super Trays (value of \$50 and up) - 63 (we need 37 more)

Grand Trays (value of \$100-200) - 21 (we need 4 more)

Platinum Trays (value of \$200 and more) - (we have enough)

The Tricky Tray is a fundraiser in which all parishioners wholeheartedly get involved to make it a success. Please attach on your gift, your name and its value.

Gift wrapping is optional. Please bring tray(s) on Sunday to the parish hall. Kindly call / text the rectory at 201-247-4832 or 973-256-4888 before delivering your trays. We accept donations no later than Tuesday to be included in the T.T. program. As of today we have almost 170 people coming. We need to sell another 130 tickets.



Therefore, please share enclosed Tricky Tray flyer with your friends on social media and invite them to our wonderful event. Have family reunion. Bring your own food and drinks. You can also purchase pizza, hot dogs and soft drinks.

There is a sign up list in the Parish Hall. Please sign up under the category that you will be able to help.

WE WILL DELIVER TRAYS FROM OUR HALL TO Amalgamated Meat Cutters,245 Paterson Ave., Little Falls on Friday beginning 1:30 pm. Please join us and help us to set up the hall. Thank you. Tricky Tray committee

Deacon David Gaydos ordination to Holy Priesthood took place on Sunday October 14, 2018 at Holy Cross Church, Woodland Park, NJ. He was serving in the past thirty years as a Deacon at Holy Cross Church and helped throughout the diocese when priests were sick or took their vacation time. Fr. David is now serving as a supply priest helping Bishop Bernard Nowicki for the needs of the Central Diocese of the PNCC. Rt. Rev. Bernard Nowicki presided the Holy Mass of Ordination, Prime Bishop Anthony Mikovsky preached the inspirational sermon. The following priests were in attendance: Fr. Sr. William Chromey from Dickson City, PA, Fr. Sr. Gregory Mludzik from Wallington, NJ, Fr. Joseph Cyman, Pastor of Holy Cross Church, Woodland Park, Fr. Donald Wunderlich, from Lawrenceville, PA, Fr. Carmen Bolock from Duryea, PA, Fr. Andrew Koterba from East Meadow, NY and Deacon William Gaydos from Holy Cross Church, Woodland Park. The organists were Jessica, Muccilli and Neil Estanislao. About one hundred fifty people came to witness and pray at this special and unique celebration in the church and joined for the reception in the parish hall prepared by Gaydos family and Holy Cross Church. We thank all for their attendance and we wish God's blessing to Fr. David, his wife, Laurie and Gaydos family.

