

TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME SEPTEMBER 9, 2018



Monday,	9/10		
6:45 AM	ERSILIA DI BONAVENTURA	DAUGHTER	
8:00 AM			
Tuesday,	9/11		
6:45 AM	MR. & MRS. JAMES JULIAN	FAMILY	
8:00 AM			
Wednesday,	9/12		
6:45 AM			
8:00 AM			
Thursday,	9/13		
6:45 AM			
8:00 AM			
Friday,	9/14		
6:45 AM	CELESTE SALVATORE	MARIE, TOM & FAMILY	
8:00 AM	RICHARD JAKOTOWICZ	FRAN, LISA & A.J.	
Saturday,	9/15		
6:45 AM	IRENE ANDREOLI	FAMILY	
5:30 PM			
Sunday,	9/16		
7:00 AM	PARISHIONERS		
9:00 AM			
11:00 AM			



Next Sunday's Readings

1st Reading:

Isaiah 50:5-9a

Responsorial Psalm:

Psalms 116:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9

2nd Reading:

James 2:14-18

Gospel:

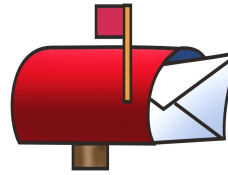
Mark 8:27-35

"God's Plan for Giving"

OFFERTORY COLLECTION FOR 09/02/18

TOTAL OFFERTORY COLLECTION:	\$11,021.35
Avg. Collection Last Fiscal Year:	\$11,017.12
Actual vs. Last F/Y:	+\$ 4.23
Percent Difference This Week:	+ 0.04%
Total Difference Fiscal Year to Date:	-\$11,061.08

Thank you for your sacrifice of tithing!



FROM THE
PASTOR'S DESK

Growing Pains I

Last week, I announced to the group gathered for the 8 AM weekday Mass that beginning with the first week of Advent we would no longer continue that Mass. I had made this decision for a few reasons.

First, there are only two of us, Father Rinaldi and I, to cover the weekday Masses. Likewise, there are only the two of us to cover the funerals that occur during the week.

Second, concerning the funerals, having the viewing in church prior to Mass has become the norm rather than the exception. Even when these viewings occur later in the morning, the funeral homes ordinarily need time to set up and allow some private time for the family before the posted viewing time. These setups, as well as flower deliveries, have been running into each other.

Third, the attendance at the 8, as well as daily Masses (everywhere) in general has been dropping off.

We will continue to offer the 8 AM Mass for the grade school on Fridays when the school is in session.

We will continue to have the 8AM Mass as part of our holy day schedule.

We will continue to have the 8 AM Mass as the only Mass on federal holidays.

Thank you.

Father Mark



"Do all things in the name of God, and you will do all things well. Whether you eat or drink, work or sleep, you will profit greatly before God by doing all these things as God wants them done."

St. Francis de Sales



In your charity, please pray for
Sharon A. DiStefano
and all the deceased of St. Anthony's.

Your Prayers and Support Requested

Mateo Ahumada	Kenyon Blough	Nancy Brown
Marianne Calvarese	Roger Chao	Nancy Ciocca
Tori Daniello	Mary T. DiBioso	Judi DiFrancesco
Thomas DiGuglielmo	Tommy DiVirgilio	Christopher Ganey
James Ganey	Mark Johnson	John Malone
William J. Nardo, Jr.	Kelly Panella	Fr. Francis Pileggi, OSFS
Jack Pipa	James Poppiti	Charles Rosenberg, Sr.
Jimmy Silicato	Larry Silvestri	Eileen Swindel
Albert Vietri	Robert Walton	Anmarie White

...and all the sick of St. Anthony's Parish.

Crab Feast



Please join the St. Anthony of Padua Grade School's Home & School Association for a crab feast on Sunday, September 23rd, from 12 p.m. to 3 p.m. outside of the school gym.

Tickets are \$35 for adults and \$10 for kids 13 and under. Price includes all you can eat crabs, beer, hot roast beef sandwiches, corn on the cob, and more! Tickets can be purchased online by visiting <https://squareup.com/store/sapgs>, or by contacting Elizabeth Alfieri at (302) 593-8773.

Catholic Forum

Listen to Catholic Forum every Sunday morning at 10:05 a.m. on WDEL 101.7 FM, 1150 AM and www.wdel.com. Next Sunday, September 16th, author, Matt Nelson will discuss his new book, "Whatever: How to Help the Spiritually Indifferent Find Beliefs That Really Matter." For photos, information regarding upcoming guests, podcasts, and more, "Like" Catholic Forum on Facebook at www.facebook.com/catholicforum. Listen to past episodes of Catholic Forum online at cdow.org/communications or search "Catholic Forum" on Apple Podcasts or iHeartRadio podcasts.

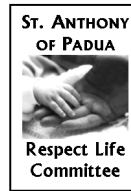
Mass Intentions for 2019

We will begin taking intentions for Masses in 2019 beginning Tuesday, September 11th, at 9:00 AM in the rectory. Masses will only be said for one individual or married couple per Mass. We ask for an offering of \$25 per each 5:30 PM Vigil Mass and each Sunday and major Holy Day Mass. For all other Masses, we ask for an offering of \$10. We regret that intentions cannot be taken via phone or email.

Bottles for Babies

The Knights of Columbus will be distributing bottles again this year after all Masses the weekend of September 29-30 to benefit Birthright of Delaware. You are kindly asked to take a bottle and fill it with loose change, paper money or a check made payable to Birthright. You may return the bottles before or after any weekend Mass up until Sunday, November 4th. Large plastic bins will be placed behind the last pew for the return bottles and the bins will be emptied after each Mass. Your kind generosity is always appreciated!

Respect Life: Fact of Life



"The error is thinking that when someone stands in the way of our wants, we can justify getting that person out of our lives. Abortion stems from the poisonous root of selfishness."

Alveda King

Second Collection

Next weekend, September 15th and 16th, there is no scheduled second collection.

Rachel's Vineyard

Rachel's Vineyard Ministries will be hosting a Rachel's Vineyard Retreat for Healing after Abortion on **October 12 – 14, 2018**

This weekend retreat will be held in **Doylestown, PA at the National Shrine of Our Lady of Czestochowa**

For more information please call **Evelyn at (215) 317-5752.**

Read more about our retreat online at www.rachelsvineyard.org

All requests are strictly confidential.

To donate to help in running this retreat, especially to offer scholarships to those in need, please email evelynwalsh59@gmail.com for more information.

May God bless you for your generosity.

Music Ministry News

Our Parish Choir will return to the 11 AM Sunday Mass on September 9th. We wish them a successful season. We continue our plea for new members. We ask for a pleasant singing voice and the ability to sing on pitch. We take care of training, etc. Rehearsals are Thursday evenings at 7:30. You can speak to our music director, Louis Perazza, after any Mass or talk with a cantor or choir member. Our choir faces an uncertain future without the addition of new members. Please help.

Blessed Virgin Mary Sodality

BVM Sodality's next meeting will be Sunday, 9/16 at the 9:00 a.m. Mass with a meeting to follow in the Ballad Room. The congregation is invited to join the Sodality at 8:45 a.m. for our Office prayers to the Blessed Mother. Prayer flyers will be passed out prior to 8:45 or you can pick one up in the pews in the front of Church.

BISHOP'S 5K WILL BENEFIT CATHOLIC CHARITIES OUTREACH

Please join Catholic Charities for the 3rd Bishop's 5K Run/Walk from 9 am to 11 am on Saturday, November 10, 2018, at Glasgow Regional Park, [2275 Pulaski Highway, Newark, DE 19702](https://www.google.com/maps/place/Glasgow+Regional+Park,+2275+Pulaski+Highway,+Newark,+DE+19702). The totally adaptive Run/Walk will step off at 10 am. Pre-register for the event by visiting Bishops5K.com. Registration is \$20 plus an event fee of \$2.50. Day of registration will be \$25 plus event fee. All registered runners/walkers will receive a t-shirt, and be in the running for prizes. All proceeds will benefit Catholic Charities outreach efforts. Call Catholic Charities at 302-655-9624 with any questions about the Bishop's 5K. Bishop Malooly will be at the starting line AND finish line of the 3rd Catholic Charities Bishop's 5K Run/Walk – will you?

Parish Calendar

Tuesday

6:30 PM, Baptism Class (Rectory)

Thursday

7:30 PM, Choir Rehearsal

Sunday

9:00 AM, Sodality Mass

10:00 AM, Sodality Meeting

(Ballad Room)

10:00 AM, PREP Class

(Grade School)

Monday, Sept. 10

through

Sunday, Sept. 16

(All events listed in the Parish Calendar are in church unless otherwise noted.)

Grade School Calendar

Monday

5:00 – 8:00 PM, Back To

School Night

Friday

8:00 AM, School Mass

Annual Nun Run

The Little Sisters of the Poor invite you to run or walk the 12th Annual Nun Run 5k. Registration is now open to walkers and runners of all ages in one of the largest 5k's in the area.

When: 9:00am start, Saturday, September 15, 2018 (registration opens at 7:30am)

Where: Jeanne Jugan Residence at [185 Salem Church Road Newark DE 19713](http://185SalemChurchRoadNewarkDE19713).

Parking both at the residence and at Christiana HS, directly across the street.

Cost: \$25 (before 8 am Sept 14) \$30 (day of race)

The Course: Wheel measured by Doug White. Out and back course, flat and fast.

Awards & Amenities: Trophies to 1st place Male & Female runners in Open and Masters divisions and 1st place Male & Female walkers; plus medals to Top 3 runners in 5 year age groups, 13 under through 70+. Each pre-registered participant is guaranteed to receive a race T-shirt. All participants will enjoy:

- Post-race refreshments – including pizza, chocolate milk, beer (ID req'd), fruit & more.
- Live DJ playing upbeat music, Goody Bags at the finish line, Free entry into prize raffle, Bake Sale.

For more information or to Register, visit www.NunRun5K.org, or email to race@NunRun5k.org.

Visit our website to view a **video** of the Nun Run and to see our sponsors!

Charity Proceeds from the Nun Run 5K will benefit project for their residents. The Little Sisters are a registered 501c(3) non-profit and deeply appreciate your support!

Shower of Roses Pilgrimage

Please join the Diocesan Vocations Guild on October 7, 2018 as we travel to the "Shower of Roses" celebration at the Carmelite Monastery, Coopersburg, PA. There will be Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament, Veneration of the Relic of St. Therese of Lisieux, and a solemn procession to the Blessed Mother's Statue in the yard, and each pilgrim receives a rose. Visit the tomb of the incorrupt foundress, Sr. Therese of the Child Jesus. Food will be available in the cafeteria. The cost of the pilgrimage is \$30.00 per person. Please contact Mary Gaworski at 302-438-6969 or email: mares7963@aol.com for more information.

BINGO - BINGO - BINGO

Sept. 14, Friday....\$20 ticket

St. Anthony's Holy Name Society

1812 Howland St, Buck Serio Lounge

Doors open at 6PM - Bingo starts at 7PM.

Door Prizes & 50/50. Lite food provided, cash bar.

Get your tickets and Reserve a table now!

Call the club - 302-651-0101

Family Style Spaghetti Dinner

Sunday Sept 9, starts 4pm

St. Anthony's Holy Name Society

1812 Howland St, Buck Serio Lounge

\$12/pp - includes family style spaghetti, meat balls, bread & dessert.

Call the club 302-661-0101 for tickets.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

A Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend is like autumn because it's a weekend full of fresh air and a time to rejoice in the beauty of your marriage! The next Marriage Encounter weekend will be November 2-4, 2018 in Rehoboth Beach, DE. For more information, visit our website at www.wwmw-delmar.org or to register for the weekend, please call Tony and Linda Massino at 302-220-9833. Don't Delay!

October Parish Monthly Social

The first parish social of the fall will be held on Sunday, 10/7/2018, in the Ballad Room of the Grade School, following the 9AM & 11AM Masses. Stop by for food, fun, and socializing with fellow parishioners and friends. The social, as always, will feature a variety of great donuts and tomato pie from Serpe's Bakery, delicious breakfast pizzas from Degners Greenhill Deli, and more! Hope you can join us!