



Church of the Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 8:30 AM
5:30 PM Vigil Mass

Sunday: 8:00 AM
10:00 AM Family Mass
11:45 AM (except in July & August)

Weekdays: 7:30 AM, 12:05 PM

Holy Days of Obligation:
7:30 AM, 12:05 PM, 7:30 PM

SACRAMENTS

Baptism: Baptisms are celebrated after the 11:45 AM Sunday Mass, or at the 11:45 AM Mass. Please call the Rectory for dates and family orientation.

Marriage: Diocesan Common Policy requires that the Parish be notified one year in advance of intention to marry. Pre-Cana or Engagement Encounter is also required.

Reconciliation: Saturday 4:00 - 5:00 PM. Anytime by request.

New Parishioners are welcome and are invited to introduce themselves to the Pastor or to call the Parish Secretary.

ORDINATION AND RELIGIOUS LIFE *Discerning what God is asking of you for your life? Is God calling you to a life of service as a Priest, Deacon or Religious? Please contact the Vocation Office of our Diocese of Paterson: 973-777-2955 or speak to one of the priests or pastoral staff of our parish.*

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*Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time
September 30, 2018*

Masses for the Week

Saturday, September 29-Vigil, Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:30 p.m. Mass for the people
Fr. Brian

Sunday, September 30-Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. +Rose Carroll by the Crann family
Fr. Julio

10:00 a.m. +Anthony Lacatena, anniversary remembrance
Fr. Brian love, Cathy Lacatena

11:45 a.m. +Salvatore & Josephine Schimmenti by family
Fr. Brian

Monday, Oct. 1-St. Therese of the Child Jesus, virgin

7:30 a.m. +David & Lisa Greenberg
Fr. Brian by Lloyd & Jane Greenberg

12:05 p.m. +Hedy Royko by Ed & Mary Gelb
Fr. Brian

Tuesday, October 2-the Holy Guardian Angels

7:30 a.m. +Edward & Marion Fedor
Fr. Brian by Lloyd & Jane Greenberg

12:05 p.m. +Ginny Kostic by Mary Ann & Stacy Scharf
Fr. Brian

Wednesday, October 3

7:30 a.m. +Henry & Elsa Wiegand
Fr. Brian by Lloyd & Jane Greenberg

12:05 p.m. for the intentions of Alexandra Penna
Fr. Brian Birthday Blessings love, Grandma & Grandpa

Thursday, October 4-St. Francis of Assisi

7:30 a.m. +Joseph & Ida Greenberg
Fr. Tom by Lloyd & Jane Greenberg

12:05 p.m. Special intentions by the DeBenedetto family
Fr. Tom

Friday, October 5-Blessed Francis Seelos, priest

7:30 a.m. +Deacon Andy & Ginny Kostic
Fr. Tom by Lloyd & Jane Greenberg

12:05 p.m. +Nicholas Cerbone
Fr. Brian by Maria & Frank DeGrazia

Saturday, October 6-St. Bruno, priest;

Blessed Maria Rose Durocher, virgin

8:30 a.m. +Jennie Moskal by Judi & Craig Comperatore
Fr. Brian

Vigil, Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:30 p.m. +Christopher Brady by Maureen Brady
Fr. Brian

Sunday, October 7-Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. Mass for the people
Fr. Brian

10:00 a.m. +Mary Ann Marron by the Ferrara family
Fr. Brian

11:45 a.m. +Elizabeth Pinelli
Fr. Julio by George & Rosemary Halas



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**The law of the LORD is perfect,
refreshing the soul;
the decree of the LORD is trustworthy,
giving wisdom to the simple.**

— Psalm 19:8

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 6 – 5:30 P.M.

LECTOR: Mary Ann Scharf

SERVER:

EMHC: Carrie Fohlinger, Barbara Esser, Rick Bunker

GREETER: Marcel Fohlinger, Darlene Bunker

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 7 – 8:00 A.M.

LECTOR: Nancy Pierinelli

SERVER: Phoebe Nguyen, Jackson Scura

EMHC: Theresa DeSalvatore, Bill Wambach,
Phyllis Romitelli

GREETER: Cathy Kennedy, Joanne Antinora

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 7 – 10:00 A.M.

LECTOR: Greg Frost

SERVER: Liam Sacopaso, Nathaniel Vargas

EMHC: Trish Frost, Etta Ribaldo, Jessica Pierinelli

GREETER: Brophy family

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 7 – 11:45 A.M.

LECTOR: Maria DeGrazia

SERVER: Alexandra Schmitt

EMCH: Susana Schmitt, Jean Snyder

GREETER: Frank DeGrazia

CALENDAR OF WEEKLY EVENTS

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 30

Gr. 1-6 Rel. Ed. 8:45 a.m.

First Penance parent mtg. 9:00 a.m. room 5

Gr. 7-10 Mass/class 6:00-8:30 p.m.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 1

Knights of Columbus Winter Clothing Drive begins

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 4

Choir rehearsal 7:30 p.m. church

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 6

Confession 4:00-5:00 p.m.

Society of the Poor Italian Feast 6:30 p.m. community room

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 7

No Religious Ed classes

Knights of Columbus mtg. 11:15 a.m. classroom 7

Blessing of Animals 1:30 p.m. church parking lot

Remember Annunciation Parish in Your Will

ARCHANGELS

This past Saturday, we celebrated a very important Feast of the Church, The Feast of the Archangels. Historically, there are believed to be seven archangels however, there are only three whom we know since they are explicitly mentioned in the Bible and their purpose is integral to the workings of God's plan.

The word Archangel itself comes from the Greek "archangelos" which means "chief messenger." They are believed to be the supervisors, as it were, of the Guardian Angels and are known to carry the important messages of God to man, such as St. Gabriel carrying the message of Christ's birth to Mary or St. Raphael who was sent to heal the marriage of Tobias and Sarah.

This is why St. Gabriel, whose name means "strength of God" was given the role as teacher as he did for Daniel and the archangel who came before Zechariah to announce the birth of John the Baptist and not long after that, announced the birth of our Savior to Mary. He is known, as a result, as the angel of revelation, wisdom, mercy, redemption, glad tidings and promise.

St. Raphael, the archangel known as the angel of healing and whose name means: "God heals," healed Tobit of his blindness and helped Tobiah to enter safely into his marriage with Sarah, who had lost seven husbands on the night of her wedding. As a result of this healing he is also the patron of men and women seeking a good spouse. Furthermore, Since he was a companion to Tobias, he is known as an angel of travelers and of safety.

St. Michael, however, is probably the most well known Archangel. His name means: "Who is like to God?" and he is known as the angelic leader, one of the chief princes, among the angels and the archangel who conquered Satan and countless other fallen angels. He has been invoked countless times to protect the Church from as far back as the time of the Apostles.

And, as it is noted in the book *Encyclopedia of Angels*: "[St.] Michael is the only angel named in the Bible who is specifically called an archangel." And, further on: "He is the special defender of Christians (and particularly Catholics) and the Catholic Church. Satan trembles at the mere mention of his name, and all the angels of heaven bow before him in obedience."

The prayer to St. Michael, in fact, is a condensed form of the general exorcism prayer composed by Pope St. Leo XIII. It is said, that in the late 1800s Pope Leo XIII had a vision after celebrating Mass while meeting with his cardinals. It is said that during Mass he suddenly fell to the floor and the cardinals immediately called for a doctor. Since he didn't have a pulse they feared the pope had died. All of a sudden, Pope Leo woke up and said, "What a horrible picture I was permitted to see!" In this vision, God gave Satan the choice of one century in which to do his worst work against the Church. The devil chose the 20th century. So, Pope St. Leo, moved by this vision composed the prayer to St. Michael the Archangel. After this vision, he decreed that this prayer be said after, what was known at the time, as low Mass and to be said throughout the universal Church, a practice that continued from 1886 – 1970.

In 1994, St. John Paul II encouraged everyone to pray this prayer, saying quite emphatically: "Pope Leo XIII certainly had a very vivid vision of this scene when, at the end of the last century, he introduced a special prayer to Saint Michael throughout the Church. Even if this prayer is no longer recited at the end of every Mass, I ask everyone to remember it and to recite it to obtain help in the battle against forces of darkness

and against the spirit of this world."

Just recently, in light of all of the accusations against bishops and priests, two bishops, one in Pittsburg and one in Connecticut have asked that all parishes recite this prayer after Mass.

Furthermore, many exorcists recommend its daily recitation, and a very famous exorcist once said: "St. Michael the great prince of the heavenly host, is the most feared of all angels by the demons because he was commissioned by God to expel Satan and his minions from heaven." And, on a personal level, I have seen the power and effectiveness of this prayer more than once in my own life as a priest, and it just so happens that my middle name was given in his honor.

Therefore, we have included the prayer as an insert in this weekend's bulletin and from now on, after the final blessing, at all Masses, we will be praying this prayer to St. Michael.

Don't think of it as a change, but, rather, as an important addition much needed for ourselves and for the Universal Church. Fr. Brian

Please Pray for Our Sick

Dear Father of love and mercy, hear our prayers for the sick members of our community and for all who are in need: Deacon Joe Crowley, Dave Murphy, Jay Frost, Angelina Schmitt, Evelyn Boissonneault, Bernadette Jaros, Sally & Joe White and Raymond Vena, Sr.



WEEKLY OFFERING REPORT

	2018	2017
Amt. of Collection.....	\$5,137.00	\$5,528.00
From 127 Envelopes.....	\$3,712.00	
Loose Collection.....	\$385.00	
Online Giving.....	\$1040.00	

"Honor the Lord with your wealth, with the first fruits of your produce." (Prov 3:9)

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sun., Sept. 30: Nm 11:25-29; Jas 5:1-6;
Mk 9:38-43,45,47-48
Mon., Oct. 1: Jb 1:6-22; Lk 9:46-50
Tues., Oct. 2: Jb 3:1-3,11-17,20-23; Mt 18:1-5,10
Wed., Oct. 3: Jb 9:1-12,14-16; Lk 9:57-62
Thu., Oct. 4: Jb 19:21-27; Lk 10:1-12
Fri., Oct. 5: Jb 38:1,12-21, 40:3-5; Lk 10:13-16
Sat., Oct. 6: Jb 42:1-3,5-6,12-17; Lk 10:17-24
Sun., Oct. 7: Gn 2:18-24; Heb 2:9-11; Mk 10:2-16

PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

Couples for Christ: Alex & Carmela Enriquez—973-685-9738
Eva May's Trips: Eva May 973-696-5427
Family Fun Committee: Steven Pierinelli – 973-433-7093
Knights /Columbus: Mike Basile, Grand Knight 201-452-1032
Prime Timers: George Halas, Vice-President 973-633-8655
Society for the Poor: Joanne Tamaro 973-628-1556
Women's Bible Study: Alice Sujkowski – 973-790-8535
Pastoral Council Members: Anna Maria Bock, Anne Cilvick, Deacon Joseph Crowley, Maeghan Fengya, Trish Frost, George Halas, Karen Marron, Eva May, Pat O'Connor, Ann Marie Reidel, Elise Rossbach, Rich Rossbach, Paul Veltri, Joanne Zimak.

Blessing of Animals

On Sunday, Oct. 7, 2018 at 1:30 p.m., all parishioners are invited to bring their pets to the parish parking lot to be blessed by Fr. Brian in honor of the feast of St. Francis of Assisi.

JERUSALEM MY DESTINY

**OCTOBER 22-31 2019 \$3700.00 DOUBLE OCCUPANCY
SPIRITUAL DIRECTOR MONSIGNOR PETER J. DOOTY**

Leaving Newark Airport to arrive in Tel Aviv early the next morning, we are in the "HOLY LAND." As we ride along the Mediterranean Sea, we pass the ruins in Caesarea Maritima in the Plains of Sharon and The Cave of Elijah, to Haifa, to visit The Basilica of Our Lady of Mount Carmel. Then we are off to Tiberias, where we check into The Leonardo Plaza Hotel, located on the shores of The Sea of Galilee. Mass will be celebrated in the village Church of Saint Peter, followed by dinner in the hotel, and that's just our "first day in the Holy Land."

Brochures describing the rest of the trip are available from the Parish Office, 973-694-5700. If you have any questions please direct them to Phyllis Romitelli, email mrsphillyg@yahoo.com

Anne Breslin of Great Experiences Inc. is handling our travel arrangements, and there will be a formal presentation in the Community Room on Sunday, October 21, at 2PM followed by coffee and. All are invited to attend. You may place your deposit before the presentation to guarantee a reservation for this very popular trip. We did this Pilgrimage in 2013 as part of our 50th Anniversary and it was so well received we decided to do it again. We welcome both returning pilgrims and first timers, to "JERUSALEM MY DESTINY."

Rosary – Coast to Coast

October 7, 2018 at Annunciation Church

On Oct 7, 1571, all of Christian Europe was threatened by a naval invasion at Lepanto. The greatly outnumbered Christian fleet engaged the enemy in battle. Pope St. Pius V called for prayers, in particular the Rosary, and the Christian fleet, aided by favorable winds won a miraculous victory for the protection of Christianity in the West. In thanksgiving, Pope St. Pius X, instituted the *Feast of Our Lady of Victory*, later changed to the *Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary* which we celebrate every October 7th.

Please join us after each Mass on Sunday, Oct. 7 and pray a Rosary to defend the "dignity of the Human Person - Life, Marriage, and Family, as well as Religious Liberty".

Parish Food Pantry

Our parish collects food for the needy every weekend. Please bring nonperishable food and offer it as your gift to those in need.

2018 Bishop's Annual Appeal

Here I Am, Lord

While there are many ways to give to the Bishop's Annual Appeal, there is a particularly beneficial opportunity if you are 70 1/2 or over and have an IRA. If you are in this category, the IRS requires you to take a required minimum distribution from your IRA each year. As a result, this distribution is added to your taxable income and increases the amount of taxes owed to the government. However, instead of taking your required minimum distribution, you can instruct your IRA investment manager to donate this distribution to a charity such as the Bishop's Annual Appeal and this automatically omits this amount from your adjusted gross income. This tax benefit can be realized by all qualifying individuals, whether you take the standard deduction or itemize your deductions. This can be a significant benefit to you and a great way to support the work of the Bishop's Annual Appeal. *If you are considering making a charitable donation using your IRA required minimum distribution, please be sure to first discuss this with your financial or tax advisor to make sure it is right for you.*

Right to Life Car Raffle

On the weekend of October 13 and 14 volunteers for the NJ Right to Life will be selling raffle tickets before and after all Masses. The prizes are:

~1st Prize - 2019 VolvoXC40 AWD SUV valued at \$41,215

~2nd Prize - \$1,000 ShopRite Gift Card

~3rd Prize - \$750 ShopRite Gift Card

~4th Prize - \$500 ShopRite Gift Card.

Proceeds will benefit NJ Right to Life, the state's oldest and largest pro-life organization, dedicated to protecting all human life from conception to natural death. Please show your support for LIFE by buying a raffle ticket. The cost is \$10 per ticket.

Relics of St. Anthony of Padua

The relics of St. Anthony of Padua will be visiting our diocese in the month of October for public veneration. The tradition of visiting the relics of saints is a rich part of our Catholic heritage. While we ask for their powerful intercession, there have been many blessings & conversions that have come through devotion to these saints. The relics of St. Anthony of Padua will be at St. Anthony of Padua, Butler, on Thurs., Oct. 4th, 10 a.m.-1:30 p.m. & 6:00-8:00 p.m. Also, St. Anthony Parish, Hawthorne on Sat., Oct. 13th, 9 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

Now it's even easier to use your phone to give to the church.

Go to www.abvm-wayne.org and sign up for Online Giving. Simply click on "create an account". Then, enter the needed information, and submit. You will get an email with a verification link to finish setting up your account. If you do not see the email, check your spam folder. It's that simple to give anytime and from anywhere using a computer, smartphone or tablet.



RELIGIOUS ED SCHEDULE

September 30

Grades 1-6: 8:45-9:50 a.m. class, 10:00 a.m. Mass

Grade 2: 9:00 a.m. 1st Penance Parent Meeting

Grades 7-8: 6:00-8:30 p.m. (Teen Mass & Class)

Grades 9-10: 6:00-8:30 p.m. (Teen Mass & Class)

October 7

Grades 1-6: No Class

Grades 7-8: No Class

Grades 9-10: No Class

October 14

Grades 1-6: 8:45-9:50 a.m. class, 10:00 a.m. Mass

Grades 7-8: Class Only (no Mass)

Grade 9-10: No Class

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

Looking for something out of this world?

Something with a longer and deeper
view of yourself, your family, your job,
the world in which we live?

Something?

Some ONE to believe in?

Something MORE?

RCIA speaks to the hearts of adults who may be considering or re-considering the Catholic Faith. Perhaps you were raised in a different faith tradition or were baptized a Catholic but never received the rest of the Sacraments; perhaps you come from no faith tradition at all. RCIA is a journey of inquiry that explores the Catholic Faith. We will meet weekly in a group setting to learn about the Lord; who God is and who He is inviting us to be. We do this from within the Annunciation Parish community which provides companionship, support and witness. You are most welcome to join us. If you are interested in knowing more about the program please call the Parish Office at 973-694-5700.

If any person may have been abused by any priest, they should immediately contact their local County Prosecutor's Office and the Diocese's Victims Assistance Coordinator: Peggy Zanello at 973-879-1489. You may also be in touch with either the Diocesan response Offices: Rev. Msgr. James T. Mahoney, Vicar General and Moderator of the Curia, 973-777-8818, ext. 205 or Sister Joan Daniel Healy, Chancellor/Delegate for Religious, 973-777-8818, ext. 248.

The entire text of the Policy of the Diocese of Paterson in Response to Complaints of Sexual Abuse is available on the diocesan website: www.patersondiocese.org.

YOUTH MINISTRY

Elise Rossbach 973-930-4767

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Meetings: The Youth Ministry will be meeting on Mondays from 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Meetings will resume on Monday, October 8th.

Antioch XV Team

Weekly team meetings will be held on Sundays from 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. in the Antioch room.

Service: Giving Tree

Volunteers are needed to help make the 2018 Giving Tree gift tags. Please join us on Monday, November 5th at 7:00 p.m. in the Community Room. Volunteers will receive Confirmation service hours.

Events: Movie Night

Join us for Movie Night on Monday, November 5th at 8:00 p.m., immediately following the Giving Tree gift tag meeting. Refreshments will be served.

Antioch XV

November 16, 17 & 18, 2018

Save the date!

Immaculate Heart of Mary School

A Gift to the People of Wayne

What makes IHM a special place? Our educational program focuses on the individuality of each student and provides a challenging curriculum that encourages students to achieve their full potential. The nurturing, respectful environment allows the children to develop into confident, well-rounded individuals. IHM's core strength is the quality and dedication of its teachers and consistency and security are critical to the child's sense of well-being. Our faculty is devoted and highly qualified. All of our teachers are NJ state certified with many carrying advanced degrees. Our teachers average 24 years of teaching experience and faculty turn-over is low, ensuring that children build solid, long term relationships with their teachers.

*IHM School is a K - 8 Catholic school serving Wayne Township and the surrounding communities, with a separate pre-school, **SMALL BLESSINGS**, for three and four year olds offering flexible days and hours. For further information call [973-694-1225](tel:973-694-1225)*

NEW PARISHIONERS

We welcome all new parishioners to our parish and invite you to introduce yourself to the Priest or Deacon after Mass or visit us at the Rectory to register. **If you have been attending our Church regularly but have not registered we invite you to do so.** Also, if you would like to have your house blessed please give us a call at 973-694-5700. We look forward to meeting you.

Prayer to St. Michael

Saint Michael, the Archangel, defend us in battle, be our defense against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray; and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly host, by the power of God, thrust into Hell Satan and the other evil spirits who prowl about the world for the ruin of souls. Amen.