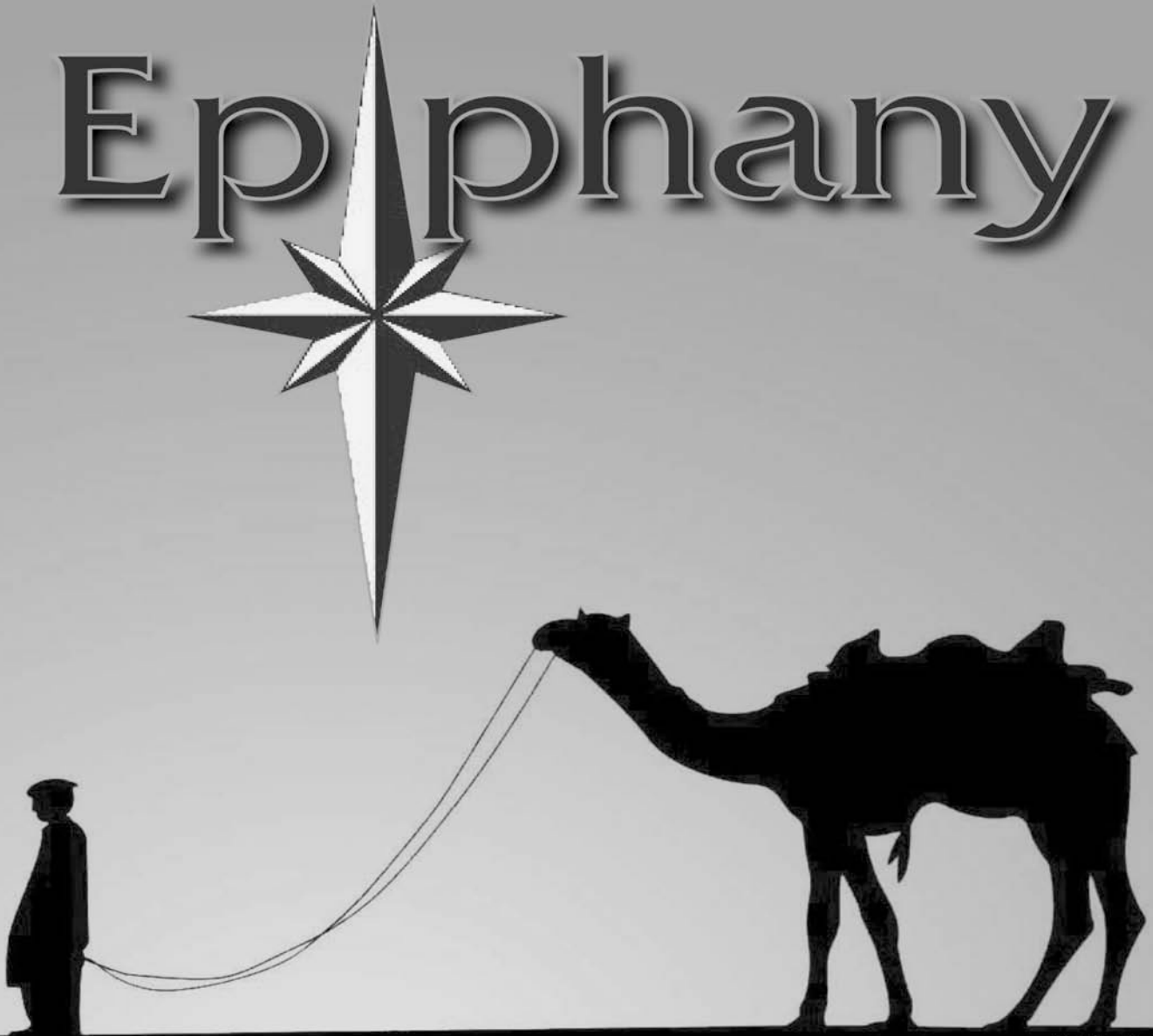


# The Sunday Steward

The weekly parish bulletin for The Church of Saint Ann, Lawrenceville, NJ  
and the Saint Michael Campus, Trenton, NJ

January 3, 2010 - THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

# Epiphany



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We saw his star at its rising and  
have come to do him homage.

*Matthew 2:2*

**DAILY LITURGY**

For the Week of January 3, 2010

**A LETTER FROM FATHER VINCE**

**Epiphany of the Lord**

Dear Parishioners,

Today we celebrate the great Feast of the Epiphany of the Lord. This day not only signifies the arrival of the Magi, but the coming of Gentiles to the newborn King of the Jews. The event recognizes Jesus' rule over the entire world.

Today is also a day for the family to ask God's blessings on their house. This tradition comes from the Wise Men visiting Jesus, Mary, and Joseph in their home. Chalk is available in the lobby of the church.

We will begin each Mass with a procession of the stars. Processions are not just for children, so don't be afraid to join in. If you did not bring a star from home, we probably have a few extras waiting to be carried in the procession. The ancient title for this day is "The Festival of Lights." The liturgy calls for a suitable and increased display of lights.

The first week of the year is the one in which we traditionally get started on our New Year's resolutions. We hope that you can make this year one of growth in prayer. A list of prayer opportunities here at The Church of Saint Ann is available on little cards at the Burden Basket table. Weekly attendance at our Sunday worship should be at the top of everyone's list.

This week also celebrates the feasts of two Saints who did much to establish Catholic schools in our country: Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton (Monday, January 4, 2010), founder of the Sisters of Charity; and Saint John Neumann (Tuesday, January 5, 2010), Bishop of Philadelphia. These two saints, both remembered in our "American Saints" window, worked hard to establish Catholic schools in America. This might be a good week to pray for our Catholic schools and for all who are involved in keeping them a strong force in our Church.



Peace,  
Vincent Gartland, Pastor

**SUN., Jan. 3** **EPIPHANY OF THE LORD**  
**7:30 AM** **PEOPLE OF THE PARISH**  
**9:30 AM** Vincenzo Cifelli by wife Carmela  
 Vincent Ragolia by Bette and Jack Armstrong  
**11:00 AM** Eileen McCormick by Morris Hall Comm.  
 Services Board  
 Vincent Ragolia by Larry and Theresa Lucash  
**12:30 PM** Kristen Anne King by Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Haggerty  
 Catherine Bombery by Janet and Jim King

**ST. MICHAEL**  
**9:00 AM** 50<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary Rose Emily and Jim Tardugno by Divo and Ronnie Brun and Family  
 Mary O'Reilly by Dennis O'Reilly

**MON., Jan. 4**  
**8:00 AM** Cassie Vaccaro (Happy Birthday) by Mommy, Pop Pop, and Mom Mom  
 Charles Ramsey by Family

**TUES., Jan. 5**  
**7:00 AM** Maria and Sebastiano Toto by Esterina Toto and Family  
 Jim Black by Sarah Keegan

**WED., Jan. 6**  
**7:00 AM** Rudolph Barlow, Sr. by People of the Parish  
 Catherine Bombery by Janet and Jim King  
**8:00 AM** Jose J. Echevarria and Family by Ida and Rod Fernandez  
 Anna DeCore by Teresa DeCore Mycoff and John Mycoff

**THURS., Jan. 7**  
**7:00 AM** Catherine Rielly by Ellen Bowe  
 Mary Jeanette O'Reilly by Mary Lou and Ed Holland

**FRI., Jan. 8**  
**8:00 AM** Helen K. Brown by Rita and Bob Devine  
 Joan Savadge by Matte/Connelly

**SAT., Jan. 9**  
**8:00 AM** Mary Butler by Felix and Teresa O'Reilly  
 Mary Ann Nester by Joan and Al Veltri and Family  
**5:00 PM** Michael Zeyack by wife Mary  
 Anna M. Corbisiero by Kathleen Acquaviva

**SUN., Jan. 10** **BAPTISM OF THE LORD**  
**7:30 AM** Robert Kontorowicz by wife  
 Joseph Vito Franceschini by Carmelo Leonardi  
**9:30 AM** **PEOPLE OF THE PARISH**  
**11:00 AM** Maria and Sebastiano Toto by Esterina Toto and Family  
 Mary and Joseph Fox by Patricia Osowick  
**12:30 PM** Castrenzio Toto by Evelina and children  
 Jane Thompson by Robert and Lorraine Menkle

**ST. MICHAEL**  
**9:00 AM** Josephine Lavinaro by Divo and Ronnie Brun and Family  
 Frank J. Rasimowicz by Joyce Bielamowicz

*We regret any misspellings in the Mass intentions.*

## JANUARY 3, 2010 - THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

### SUNDAY, January 3, 2010 - The Epiphany of the Lord

- **Masses:** 7:30 AM, 9:30 AM, 11:00 AM, 12:30 PM
- **Saint Michael Campus:** 9:00 AM (English), 10:00 AM (Slovak), 12:00 PM (Korean)
- **Baptisms** 2:00 PM - Church
- **Nursing Home Mass** 2:00 PM - (Lawrenceville Nursing Home)
- **Confirmation Preparation - Grade 8** - 6:30 PM - Pope John XXIII Room/Dorothy Day Room



### MONDAY, January 4, 2010

- **Miraculous Medal Novena/Benediction** 1:30 PM -Chapel
- **Confirmation Preparation - Grade 8** - 6:30 PM - Pope John XXIII Room
- **Saint Vincent de Paul** 7:15 PM - Msgr. McCorristin Room

### TUESDAY, January 5, 2010

- **Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament** 12:00 Noon until 7:00 PM - Chapel
- **Divine Mercy Holy Hour** 3:00 PM - Chapel
- **Confirmation Preparation - Grade 8** - 6:30 PM Sister Thea Bowman Music Room
- **RCIA** 7:00 PM - Pope John XXIII Room

### WEDNESDAY, January 6, 2010

- **Youth Choir Rehearsal** 5:00 PM - Sister Thea Bowman Music Room
- **PTA Board Meeting** 7:00 PM - Pope John XXIII Room

### THURSDAY, January 7, 2010

- **Prayer Shawl Ministry** 10:30 PM - Pope John XXIII Room
- **Junior Legion of Mary** 3:00 PM - Bishop Fulton Sheen Library
- **Praise and Worship Band** 3:00 PM - Sister Thea Bowman Music Room
- **Knights of Columbus** 7:30 PM - American Martyrs Room
- **Saint Ann Novena** 7:30 PM - (Saint Michael Campus)
- **Saint Jude Novena** 8:00 PM - (Saint Michael Campus)

### FRIDAY, January 8, 2010

*Still the Christmas Season, still time to celebrate the great Feast!*

### SATURDAY, January 9, 2010

- **Respect Life Ministry & Knights of Columbus Abortion Clinic Prayer Witness** 7:30 AM until 9:30 AM - Princeton Women's Center, 29 Emmons Drive, Windsor
- **Generations of Faith** 9:00 AM - Faith Development Center
- **Vigil Mass** 5:00 PM - Church
- **Generations of Faith** 6:00 PM - Faith Development Center

### SUNDAY, January 10, 2010 - Baptism of the Lord

- **Food Collection Sunday (All Masses)**
- **Baptisms** 11:00 AM, 12:30 PM - Church
- **Youth Choir Concert** 2:30 PM - Church
- **Generations of Faith** 5:00 PM - Faith Development Center
- **Confirmation Preparation - Grade 8** - 6:30 PM Pope John XXIII Room/Dorothy Day Room

## MARCH FOR LIFE



*Friday, January 22, 2010 will mark the anniversary of the tragic U.S. Supreme Court decision that legalized abortion in the United States.*

To mark this event, Lawrence Council 7000 of the **Knights of Columbus** is sponsoring a bus trip to the **annual March for Life** in Washington, DC on that date. The trip is funded by parishioner donations to last October's Rose Sale, so there is no charge *other than* any meals or personal expenses.

Please give serious thought to joining us as we work to turn the tide in our favor and build a culture of life. To reserve a seat on the bus, or get more information, please call **Mike Meagher** at (609) 883-8619.

*The Church of Saint Ann offers an accessible worship space with power assisted doors at the entrance to the Church and Faith Development Center, handicapped parking, accessible seating, and restrooms. Hearing assisted system is available for Masses. Just ask an usher.*

We encourage all parish groups and committees to read and reflect the Sunday Gospel aloud before beginning a meeting, connecting your meeting to our Sunday Worship.

## GOSPEL

The Epiphany of the Lord  
January 3, 2010  
Matthew 2:1-12

When Jesus was born in Bethlehem of Judea, in the days of King Herod, behold, magi from the east arrived in Jerusalem, saying, "Where is the newborn king of the Jews? We saw his star at its rising and have come to do him homage." When King Herod heard this, he was greatly troubled, and all Jerusalem with him.

Assembling all the chief priests and the scribes of the people, He inquired of them where the Christ was to be born. They said to him, "In Bethlehem of Judea, for thus it has been written through the prophet: *And you, Bethlehem, land of Judah, are by no means least among the rulers of Judah; since from you shall come a ruler, who is to shepherd my people Israel.*"

Then Herod called the magi secretly and ascertained from them the time of the star's appearance. He sent them to Bethlehem and said, "Go and search diligently for the child. When you have found him, bring me word, that I too may go and do him homage." After their audience with the king they set out. And behold, the star that they had seen at its rising preceded them, until it came and stopped over the place where the child was. They were overjoyed at seeing the star, and on entering the house they saw the child with Mary his mother. They prostrated themselves and did him homage. Then they opened their treasures and offered him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh. And having been warned in a dream not to return to Herod, they departed for their country by another way.

### REFLECTION QUESTION

*What signs of God's presence do I recognize at this time in my life, and am I willing to follow where they lead?  
Do I experience the joy of the journey?*

## Proclaim the Good News TO ALL THE WORLD A Morning of Reflection For All Catechetical Ministers

A catechist is one called to "echo" God's Word. Catechists facilitate the process of faith formation. This is done first by echoing the Word of God in one's own life, and second by helping others to do the same. This morning of reflection will give catechists the opportunity to reflect on their relationship with God's Word, and explore the relationship between the way Jesus evangelized and the way today's catechists evangelize. It will also help catechists discern how they can deepen their relationship with God's Word, and be more effective in their ministry.

Please join us on **Saturday, January 30<sup>th</sup>** for a **morning of reflection**. All catechists who register by January 15 will get a free copy of ***THE CATECHIST'S TOOLBOX: How To Thrive As A Religious Education Teacher***, by Joe Paprocki, c.2007. This book is filled with practical ideas for instruction and insights for the catechist. The program, facilitated by **Gary Maccaroni**, will begin at **9:00 a.m.** (and finish at 12:00 Noon with lunch) in the Faith Development Center. Morning Mass, fellowship, and coffee with bagels will be available from 8:00 to 9:00 a.m. *The content of the morning is for both catechists of children and adult catechists who minister in RCIA, Generations of Faith, etc.* Please **register** for this event by calling **Sister Joan** at the Faith Development Center, **(609) 882-6491, ext. 105.**

## LED BY THE SPIRIT

**Last Chance Listening Session**

**Monday, January 11, 2010**

**7:00 - 8:30 PM**

Just in case you were not able to participate in the **Parish Listening Sessions** held during Advent, we will schedule one additional session on **Monday, January 11, 2010** from **7:00 - 8:30 pm** in the Faith Development Center.

*The purpose of the Listening Session is to provide your thoughts and ideas as to how we might go about becoming the best possible parish we can be as we work to follow the challenge of LED BY THE SPIRIT, our Diocesan Plan for Pastoral Planning at the parish level. The Pastoral Priorities that we will focus on are: **Sunday Mass, Living as Disciples, Growing in Faith, Leadership, Charity and Justice, Youth and Young Adult, Ethnic Diversity.** Come out and share your thoughts and ideas.*

## CONGRATULATIONS

This weekend, we welcome into our church,  
through Baptism:

**Max Ludwig ACHTAU**

## STARS AT THE CRIB

**O**n the stars surrounding our Christmas crib are the names of all the children who have been baptized in our church since last Christmas..

When you visit the crib, please remember these children and pray that the world in which they live will become a place of peace where they can grow in God's love.

*On Sunday, January 10, families are invited to take home their child's star.*



## THE EPIPHANY

### *We Celebrate Our Giftedness*

For the official solemnity of the Epiphany, on the Sunday after New Year's, celebrate the gifts and talents each family member can bring to the Lord; gifts more valuable than the Magi's gold, frankincense, and myrrh. Make a paper place mat for each person, and have the others write on it things that are special and lovable about that person. Use them at the main meal and have the family read aloud the gifts others see in them. Then each can name something about your family that makes it special and beloved in God's eyes.

## THE PROCLAMATION OF THE DATE OF EASTER

At all masses today, The Proclamation of the Date of Easter is read. This proclamation was traditionally done during a time when calendars were not readily available. It was necessary to make known the date of Easter in advance, since many celebrations of the liturgical year depend on its date. The number of Sundays that follow Epiphany, the date of Ash Wednesday, and the number of Sundays that follow Pentecost are all computed in relation to Easter.

Although we all have access to calendars which give the date of Easter and other church feasts, the Epiphany proclamation is a reminder of the centrality of the resurrection of Jesus and the great mysteries of faith which are celebrated each year.

## Epiphany House Blessing

### EPIPHANY 2010

**Sunday, January 3, 2010**

Traditionally, the Feast of the Epiphany is a time when many families bless their homes. To bless your own home is a very simple process. The first thing that you do is take a piece of blessed chalk. All of the chalk is located in baskets by the doors as you leave church.

The next step is to gather your family by the prime outer door or the outer door that you use most. Begin the blessing by asking the Lord to bless your home.

Use these words or make up your own:

**Good and gracious God of Heaven and Earth,  
You revealed Your Son Jesus to every nation  
By the guidance of a star.**

**Bless this home, all who visit here,  
And all who come to visit.**

**Fill them with the light of Christ,  
That their concern for others**

**May reflect Your love and goodness.**

**We ask this through Christ Our Lord. Amen.**

Then a designated member of the family uses the blessed chalk to write the following over the main outer door.

**20 C M B 10**

C, M, B are the initials of the three kings: Caspar, Melchoir, Balthazar, and are also the first letters of the Latin prayer, *Christus mansionem benedictat*, "May Christ bless the house!"

The ceremony concludes with the entire family saying the Lord's Prayer together.

If the family desires, they can continue the blessing throughout the inner doors of the house by using the blessed chalk and drawing a cross on any inner door they wish. When all are finished using the chalk, simply bury it in the ground outside the main door or in an indoor plant.

We pray that 2010 will be a year of blessing for not only your house, but for all who dwell within it. May the love of Jesus, rich as it is, dwell in your hearts and your homes.

## BAPTISM OF THE LORD

The celebration this day continues that of the Epiphany of the Lord. It is another revelation of Jesus, the Beloved Son of God. **January 10, 2010** officially completes our Christmas season. **At all of these Masses, we will celebrate a Rite of Blessing and Sprinkling with Holy Water to help us recall our own Baptism. This is the day to give thanks for the blessings of our Christmas season.**

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### YOUTH CHOIR CHRISTMAS CONCERT *COME JOIN US!*



### “ A FAMILY CHRISTMAS ”

Performed by  
Saint Ann's Youth Choir.

Date: Sunday, January 10, 2010

Time: 2.30 pm

Place: Church of Saint Ann

**ALL ARE WELCOME!.....from age 1 to 99**



Any inquiries, please contact:  
Teresa Lim, Music Director  
Telephone: (609) 882-6491 ext.118

### *Monthly* HEALING MASS

Thursday,  
January 14, 2010

FR. JOHN CAMPOLI, Celebrant  
7:00 pm -MASS

*Father will pray  
with each person individually*  
The Church of Saint Ann  
Lawrenceville, NJ

**ALL ARE WELCOME !**

(609) 882-6491, ext. 166

*Light Refreshments will be served!*  
Please note that the time of the Mass  
has been changed to 7:00 pm.

Sponsored by  
**Jesus, Prince of Peace Prayer Group**

### ADULT CATHOLICS RETURNING TO THE CHURCH *Attention Catholics Who Have Been Away From the Church*

An adult Catholic who, *for whatever reason*, has been away from the Church and would like to come back (*or if you have questions and concerns that you would like to discuss*) is asked to call **Gary Maccaroni** at the parish office, **(609) 359-9966**. This can be a renewing experience for anyone seeking to reunite with the Church of one's Baptism.

### SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION FOR ADULTS

### *Attention Baptized But Not Confirmed!*

Any Baptized adult Catholic (16 years of age and older) who, for whatever reason, has **not** yet received the **Sacrament of Confirmation** and would like to do so is asked to call **Gary Macaroni** at the parish office **(609) 359-9966**. We will begin meeting and preparing on Sunday, January 17, 2010 from 9:45 AM to 10:45 AM in the Faith Development Center. Please mark your calendar and plan to attend! Information about preparing for the sacrament, a full schedule of meeting dates and time will, and the actual date of confirmation for adults will be given at that time.

### *Generations of Faith*



### Generations of Faith

The next Generations of Faith Program will focus on the Creed and what it tells others about us as Catholics.

*Everyone is invited to attend.* Presentations are **January 9, 2010 at 9:00 am or 6:00 pm** and **January 10, 2010 at 5:00 PM**. Each program begins with a meal and includes Adult Faith Formation, teen and children sessions and child care. To **register**, call **Kelly** at **(609) 882-1212** or ask for a form at the **Welcome Desk**.

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## **Donating Resources to the Adult Section of the Parish Library/Media Center**

If you are interested in donating resources to the adult faith section of the parish library/media center, please contact **Gary Maccaroni**, (609) 882-6491, ext.

**116.** Please **DO NOT** drop off boxes of books/resources at the Faith Development Center. *Note that the Lawrence Township Library accepts donations between the 1<sup>st</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> of every month.*

*We want to thank those who have made contributions in the past.*



## **Knights of Columbus Free Throw Championship**

On **Saturday, January 16, 2010**, all boys and girls ages **10 to 14** are invited to participate in the local level of competition for the **2010 Knights of Columbus Free Throw Championship**, sponsored locally by **The Lawrence Council, No. 7000**. This free event will take place in the Saint Ann's School gymnasium.

The competition will **begin at 9:00 AM** and is open to **all boys and girls who are 10 to 14 years of age as of January 1, 2010**. All registrants will compete in their respective age divisions.

**All participants are required to bring proof of age with them.** The **Knights of Columbus Free Throw Championship** is sponsored annually, with winners of the local competition progressing through the district, regional and state finals. A few years ago, our local competition produced one of the state finalists. Please contact **Gary Rossi** at **(609) 802-6996** for more information.

## **Saint Michael's Hall**

*Beginning in the New Year (2010), we will not be able to rent Saint Michael's Hall for private parties. This was not an easy decision to make, but one we feel necessary due to the challenges of cleaning, supervision, scheduling and insurance costs.*



## **Rosary-Altar Society Christmas Luncheon**

**January 10, 2010 - 2:00 PM**

**Amalfi's Cuisine**

**140 Lawrenceville-Pennington Road  
Lawrenceville, NJ 08648**

*House Salad, Family Style Pasta, Chicken Francese or Broiled Tilapia, With Vegetables and Potatoes, Ice Cream, Coffee or Tea*

**Member: \$15 Non-Member \$25**

Please reserve with payment, by **January 4, 2010**, to:

**Blanche Forker, 5 Rossa Avenue,  
Lawrenceville, NJ 08648, 609-882-7678**

including your name and choice of entrée.

## **Bereavement Committee**

Bereavement Committee is hosting a gathering entitled "I Got Through the Holidays, What About the Rest of the Winter?" The session will take place on **Tuesday, January 12, 2010** in the Faith Development Center at **7:30 pm**. This session might be helpful if you have lost a loved one through death. *Sometimes sharing or listening to others' experiences can be a way of helping ourselves.*

## **Be a part of the 2010 Government Census Team!**

- Earn good pay;
- Get paid weekly;
- Work flexible hours;
- Receive paid training;
- Receive reimbursement for authorized mileage and other work-related expenses;

Apply today! More information, including a practice test, is available at **[www.2010censusjobs.gov](http://www.2010censusjobs.gov)**, or call their toll-free jobs line: **1-866-861-2010**.

## **Remembrance in Your Will**

*A remembrance for your parish in your will is a wonderful way to provide for the future well-being of your parish community. Thank you for considering this very special way of sharing with your parish family.*

# Census Fest

We are still updating our information. There are **bright "pink" sheets** at the doors of the church. If you didn't stop by when we were in the community room, if you didn't respond to an email that we sent last month, **please, please, please**, take the time to fill out this pink sheet.

## Over the Christmas Holiday . . .

Why not update your information by visiting the parish website [www.churchofsaintann.net](http://www.churchofsaintann.net) which will bring you to the home page. Then you can follow the directions from there. **Very easy! Takes less than five minutes! Thank you in advance!**

## SUNDAY COLLECTIONS

**Weekend of December 19/20, 2009 (Snow)**

*If you missed this week because of snow, we hope you'll make it up.*

Weekly Offering for the Church of Saint Ann	
Number of Registered Households	3,075
Number Using Envelopes Last Week	200
Envelope Contributions	\$5,821.00
Other	3,194.00
Loose Money	<u>1,118.00</u>
<b>Total Contributions</b>	<b>\$10,133.00</b>
Average Envelope Contribution	\$29.11
Weekly Offering for Saint Michael Campus	
Masses	\$465.00
Novena	275.00

## ALTAR SERVER SCHEDULE

**Week of January 9/10, 2010**

5:00 PM	7:30 AM	9:30 AM	11:00 AM	12:30 PM
R. Zurick	M. McDaniel	C. Springer	M. Piamonte	E. Lanzoni
J. McQuarrie		G. Springer	J. Gordon	M. Lanzoni
M. McQuarrie		C. Humphreys	M. Gordon	M. Lanzoni
A. Piasecki		D. Exume	H. Quirk	A. Randazzo
L. Fitzpatrick		L. Stivala	A. Forgione	F. Meagher
		J. Ivins	S. Barkley	M. Meagher

## WEEK OF JANUARY 3, 2010

### SAINT ANN SANCTUARY CANDLE

*In memory of*

**MR. PRORITERA**

*Requested by*

**Drs. Jerry and Vera Goodkin**

### SAINT ANN ICON

*Get well*

**DR. JAIME CORNEJO**

*Requested by*

**Tina Veale**

## ADULT FAITH ENRICHMENT

### A SHORT HISTORY OF COUNCILS

**Tuesday, January 12**

**6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.**

- or -

**Wednesday, January 13**

**8:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m.**

**FR. VINCE** ~ This session looks briefly at Church councils. What are they? Why are they called? What are some of the contributions to our Catholic Faith that come from these councils, especially Vatican II?

*Celebrating Vatican II Series*

### JESUS AND THE KINGDOM OF GOD

**Thursday, January 14**

**7:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.**

**FRED VASAPOLLI** ~ This journey will bring us face-to-face with the central teaching of Jesus in the Gospels, the Kingdom of God. After searching for the roots of this teaching in the Jewish tradition, and examining the Christian scriptures wherein Jesus highlights their meaning, we will reflect on the significance of the Kingdom of God for a contemporary Christian spirituality.

*Journeys of Faith Series  
(Bring Your Bible!)*

### Notre Dame High School FUSION 2010

The Notre Dame High School Performing Arts dance students will present **FUSION 2010**, an evening of dance on **January 9, 2010 at 7:30 PM** in the auditorium.

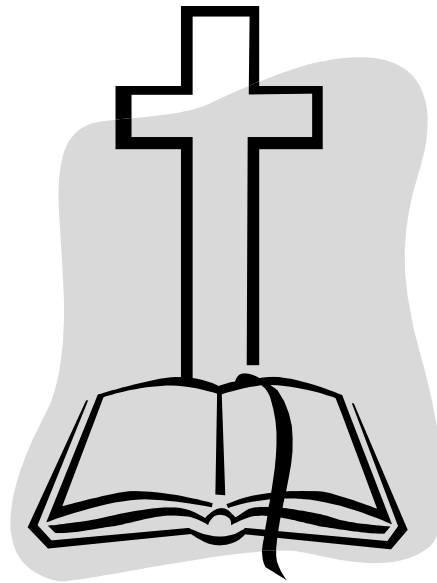
**Tickets** can be purchased by calling **(609) 882-7900** during school hours or at the door. **Tickets are \$8 for adults and \$5 for seniors, students, and children.**

JANUARY 3, 2010 - THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

COME CHRISTIANS, JOIN TOGETHER

EVENING PRAYER for  
CHRISTIAN UNITY

*Sunday,  
January 17  
at 7:00 pm*



*Including a tribute to Dr. Martin Luther King*

Reflection by Rev. Jeffrey Vamos,  
Pastor of Lawrenceville Presbyterian Church

*Refreshments to follow*

Church of Saint Ann  
1253 Lawrence Road  
Lawrenceville, NJ  
08648

For information please  
call: (609) 882-6491

**All Are Welcome**

**JANUARY 3, 2010 - THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD**

**FREE NEW RESOURCE FOR ALL PARISHIONERS CALL TO FAITH/E-CONNECT**

As part of our catechetical efforts, we now offer a new web tool, **Call To Faith E-connect**. E-connect is used to access faith based information, read timely articles that can enrich your Catholic Faith, provide assistance to Bible users, assist parents as they pass on faith to their children, a resource for RCIA team members and those who lead Children's Liturgy of the Word, and more! This resource is free to all parishioners. All we need is your name and current e-mail address. Simply go to the parish website and click where it says "**E-connect invite...**" then fill in the form. Your username and password will be emailed to you.

**January 3, 2010 - THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD**

Rev. R. Vincent Gartland, Parish Priest	882-6491 ext 112	Miss Kim Stanley, Religious Education	882-1212 ext 234
Rev. Msgr. Joseph Rosie, Assisting Priest and Diocesan Chancellor		Mrs. Kim Smith, Technology Director	882-6491 ext 215
Rev. Vladimir Chripko, Weekend Assistant		Ms. Teresa Lim, Music Director, Youth Choir, 12:30 Band, Multicultural Ensemble	882-6491 ext 118
Sr. Beth Dempsey, RSM, Pastoral Associate	882-6491 ext 115	Ms. Rosemary Hadland, Director, Adult Choir	
Mr. Gary Maccaroni, Pastoral Associate	359-9966	Mr. Michael McCormick, Organist, Adult Choir	
Mrs. Christine Barranco, CLEM, Pastoral Associate	359-9977	Mr. John McKenna, Principal, Saint Ann School	882-8077
Rev. Edward J. Dougherty, Weekday Assistant		Mr. & Mrs. George Krisak, Sextons (St. Michael)	
Mr. Thomas Everist, Mr. Edward Hoag, and Mr. James Scott, Deacons		Mr. Bob Seaman, Maintenance Supervisor	882-6491 ext 109
Mrs. Maryann Tsougas, Parish Secretary	359-9954	Mr. Bruce Bennett, FDC Caretaker	882-6491 ext 121
Mrs. Rita Reven, Finance Manager	882-6491 ext 113	Ms. Charlotte Grodzki, LCSW, Counselor	426-0321
Sr. Margaret Cronley, MSC, Sacramental Secretary	882-6491 ext 114	Sr. Rita Woehlcke, SSJ, Spiritual Direction	882-6491 ext 127
Sr. Joan Carter, RSM, Administrative Assistant	882-6491 ext 105	Parish Health Ministry	882-6491 ext 117
Mrs. Margaret Marino, Business Secretary	882-6491 ext 106	Helping Hands Ministry	882-6491 ext 120
Mrs. Donna Maccaroni, Confirmation Prep.	882-1212	Catholics Returning Home	882-6491 ext 165
Mrs. Kelly Wolf, Religious Education	882-1212 ext 234	Prayer Groups	882-6491 ext 166
		Prayer Shawl Ministry	882-6491 ext 167
		CYO	882-6491 ext 141
		<i>...and Many Faithful Volunteers</i>	

Parish Office: 609-882-6491	Saint Ann School 609-882-8077	Religious Education Office: 609-882-1212
Fax: 609-882-4366	School Fax: 609-882-0327	
Parish Website: <a href="http://www.churchofsaintann.net">www.churchofsaintann.net</a>	School Website: <a href="http://www.st-ann-school.org">www.st-ann-school.org</a>	

**THE SACRAMENTS**

**Sunday Eucharist:** Saturday Vigil: 5:00 PM; Sunday: 7:30, 9:30, and 11:00 AM and 12:30 PM **Saint Michael Campus:** 9:00 AM and (Slovak) 10:00 AM

**Daily Mass:** Monday, Wednesday, Friday, and Saturday at 8:00 AM; Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday at 7:00 AM

**Holy Days:** As listed in the bulletin.

**Liturgy of the Hours and Communion Service:** Monday and Friday at 7:00 AM.

**Baptisms:** First and third Sundays at 2:00 PM and at Baptism Sundays scheduled throughout the year. **Baptism Preparation:** Second Tuesday of the month at 7:30 PM in the FDC. Parents are encouraged to attend this session early in the pregnancy. Baptisms are scheduled after participating in the session.

**Marriage:** Ideally, couples planning to marry at Saint Ann should contact the Parish Office one year in advance so that they may complete the necessary marriage preparation process. Please set date with Church before making other plans.

**Penance/Reconciliation:** Saturday from 4:00 to 4:45 PM in the Daily Chapel or anytime by appointment.

**Anointing of the Sick/Communion to the Homebound:** Please notify the Parish Office when serious illness occurs or when the sick, aged, or incapacitated are confined to home for an extended period. Arrangements can be made to bring communion to those unable to get to church. In an emergency, call the Parish Office anytime. **Nighttime emergency phone number is (609) 882-6491 (press 1).**

**RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA)** RCIA is the process by which adults become full, active, participating members of the Catholic Church. This includes receiving the sacraments of **Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist**. Please call the parish office for information.

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM** Parish Religious Education Program for children (CCD) meets Sundays (**kindergarten and special education**) from 11:00 AM to 12:00 noon and Sunday, Monday, and Tuesday from 6:30 to 7:45 PM **Phone (609) 882-1212. Religious Education Office:** Located on the second floor of Saint Ann School. **Office Hours:** Monday through Thursday, 9:00 AM to 12:00 NOON

**SAINT ANN SCHOOL, 34 Rossa Avenue, Lawrenceville, NJ 08648:** Saint Ann School has provided quality elementary school education for **over forty years**. It also sponsors extended day and afterschool programs. The preschool program serves children aged three to four years. **Phone (609) 882-8077 Fax (609) 882-0327**

**PARISH OFFICE HOURS** Located in the **Faith Development Center**. (Entrance behind Church/opposite Saint Ann School.) **Parish Office Hours:** Monday, Thursday and Friday 9:00 AM until 4:00 PM; Tuesday and Wednesday 9:00 AM until 8:00 PM; Saturday 9:00 AM until 12:00 noon; Sunday 9:00 AM until 3:00 PM; and by appointment. Call anytime in the case of an emergency.

**PARISH BULLETIN** Information for the bulletin needs to be received at the Parish Office by 3:00 PM **on Friday of the preceding week.**

Save time by e-mailing items for consideration to [maryann@churchofsaintann.net](mailto:maryann@churchofsaintann.net). Thank you!