

St. Catherine of Siena

31 Asbury Road, Farmingdale, New Jersey 07727

April 14, 2013

Weekend Mass Schedule:

Saturday: 4:30 P.M.

Sunday: 8:00 A.M., 10:00 A.M., 11:30 A.M.

Weekday Masses @ Chapel, 9:00 A.M. :

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, & Friday

Miraculous Medal Novena:

Monday, following 9:00 A.M. Mass

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:

1st Friday, following 9:00 A.M. Mass to 11 A.M.

Holy Day Masses:

As announced in bulletin

Confessions:

Saturday - 3:30 to 4:00 P.M.

Baptism Classes:

3rd Wed of each month

Parish Office Hours -

Monday thru Friday:

8:30 A.M. to 3:00 P.M.

Rev. Angelito I. Anarcon, Pastor

Deacon Joseph Prioli

Coordinator of Religious Education: Nancy Riddell

Director of Nursery School: Susan Connolly

Coordinator of Nursery School: Patricia Cranmer

Parish Office Secretary: Carol Morton

Religious Education Secretary: Janice Deakyne

Sacristan: Ruth Ziznewski

Organist: Judy Hyer

Parish Trustees: Donna Lee and Dean Wright

Mass Intentions

SATURDAY, April 13, 2013

4:30 PM Galina Lubniewski r/o Husband, Mike

Mary Kruse r/o George & June Hankal & Family

Charles Gentile r/o Tom & Laurie Gentile & Family

SUNDAY, April 14, 2013

8:00 AM O'Reilly & Lightner Families r/o Family

Galina Lubniewski r/o Husband, Mike

Barbara Nedd r/o Nigel & Jacqueline Storey

10:00 AM Ruth Jescavage r/o Bellows Family

Vincent Margiotta r/o Margadonna Family Parishioners

11:30 AM Mary T. Pellechia r/o Husband, Nick & Children

Antonino Aldaresi r/o Aldaresi Family



Contacts:

Website:

www.sienachurch.org

Mass Schedule:

732-938-5375 ext. 6

Parish Office:

732-938-5375

Religious Education:

732-938-6229

Nursery School:

732-938-3454

FAX phone:

732-938-3260

Pastor's Office:

732-938-5375 ext. 7

Deacon's Office:

732-938-5375 ext. 5

Parish Bookkeeper:

732-938-5375 ext. 8

St. Vincent de Paul:

732-701-7837

Weekday Masses at St. Catherine's Chapel, 9:00 AM 1 Main St, Farmingdale

Mass Intentions:

Monday, April 15, 2013

Galina Lubniewski r/o Husband, Mike

Tuesday, April 16, 2013

Galina Lubniewski r/o Husband, Mike

Thursday, April 11, 2013

Galina Lubniewski r/o Husband, Mike

Friday, April 12, 2013

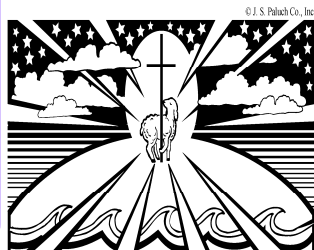
Galina Lubniewski r/o Husband, Mike



Third Sunday of Easter

"Worthy is the Lamb that was slain to receive power and riches, wisdom and strength, honor and glory and blessing."

— Revelation 5:12



Dear Parishioners,

Kudos to our beloved and dedicated parishioners who have spent their precious time, their wonderful talents and Herculean efforts to make the Centennial Year a very significant and meaningful event. Personally, I am immensely grateful to the Committees and Sub-Committees, who have done an excellent job making the celebration a reality. To all of our parishioners who in one way or another have contributed to the success of the Centennial Year of our Christian Community, I cannot thank you all enough for your active response to our invitation as well as to your great participation. It clearly shows that we, as a parish community has that faith-filled enthusiasm to work together as ONE FAMILY of God. In the near future, we hope to keep on doing things together for the well-being of our community and for the whole Church of Jesus as well. Thank you all so very much.

The Third Sunday of Easter invites us to open up our hearts to Jesus so that we may be renewed and strengthened by His love and come to experience a newer and more abundant life in Him. How can we do this? It is important that we see coming to Mass each week as an integral and essential part of our prayer life. When we gather together each week to give praise and thanks to God, we are nourished not only by the Word of God preached and proclaimed, but we are also nourished by Jesus, Himself, in the Eucharist. Through Sacred Scripture and the Eucharist, Jesus speaks to our hearts and reveals the things we need to know in order to grow in our love for Him. One of the suggestions can be, taking time to give thanks to God through prayer each day forms within us a deeper sense of gratitude. With hearts that are more open and responsive to experience more fully the depths of God's love, we can pour ourselves out in love and service to others. Our main goal should lead lives which give greater glory to God throughout the rest of this Easter season and every day thereafter.

I cannot help it but to ask for your special prayers for my Dad who has entered his glory on April 8. His funeral is today in my home parish back in the Philippines. May God grant him eternal peace and happiness. Amen

God loves you all, as I do,

Father Angelito

Sacrificial Offertory

4/7/13 Weekly \$7,767.00
Mortgage Reduction \$1,777.00

Thank you so much for your generous contributions.



of all our Parish family and friends, and especially the recently departed:

Angel S. Anarcon (Father of Fr. Angelito)

May their souls and all the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

There is one presentation left of the "Catholicism" dvd series to be held **on Monday, April 15th, at 7:00 P.M.**

The Bishop has asked for an update of all our current active parishioners. We are in the process of updating our records and if we haven't seen attendance or contributions through your envelopes or parishpay we will mark your record as inactive and therefore you will no longer be receiving envelopes. If you do not use envelopes and attend Weekend Masses please notify the parish office at frontoffice@sienachurch.org or call 732-938-5375 and we will keep your record active and you will continue to receive envelopes. We appreciate your cooperation and may our Patron Saint, St. Catherine of Siena continue to intercede for you and your families.

Sincerely Yours in Christ, Rev. Angelito I. Anarcon

YOUTH GROUP Sunday, April 14 - 6 P.M.

Parish Hall, contact sienachurchyg@yahoo.com.

BAPTISM PREPARATION CLASS...Wednesday,

April 17, 7:30 P.M. - Church to schedule or for more info, call the Parish Office.

ROSARY ALTAR SOCIETY Thursday, April 18 -

7:15 P.M. For more information, call the Parish Office.

MEN'S PRAYER GROUP...Saturday, May 11 -

9 A.M. - Chapel Contact Rich Scheurer 732-477-7567.

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL...Monday,

May 13 - 7 P.M. - Parish Hall Help needed, if you can spare a few hours for this charitable group.

CHRISTIAN YOGA ..Tuesdays, thru July 30.

For more information, call Terry Kelly @732-938-3139.

RCIA First & Third Tuesdays @ 7P.M.-Conference

Room Contact janeccable@gmail.com or 908-216-5153

LEGION OF MARY...Thursdays @ 10:00 A.M. - Church -

Conference Room for more info, call 732-371-3687.

AGELESS IN THE LORD BIBLE STUDY ...

Fridays @ 2 P.M. - Conference Room New members

welcome! For more info, call Steve Ganslen @ 732-610-2154

HOMEBOUND MINISTRY If a homebound family

member, friend, or neighbor would like to receive Holy Communion, visits, or calls, contact the Parish Office.

The Religious Education Program will be celebrating the Sacrament of **First Holy Communion this Sunday, April 14, 2013 and Sunday, April 21, 2013** at the **10:00 A.M. Masses.** All are welcome to attend.



Centennial Year Wrap Up

Thank you to everyone who participated in Adoration at the Chapel earlier this weekend. A minimum of 30 people were needed to cover the span that started with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament on Friday evening at 9 P.M. and finished with Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament on Saturday at noon. The turnout more than met this minimum and was a fitting spiritual end to the centennial year that began one year ago.

Thank you also to Father Angelito who has supported all activities during this year.

The final activity of the celebration is a parish-wide potluck supper to be held this Sunday evening beginning at 4:30 P.M.. A wide variety of dishes and desserts will be offered by those who have signed up to participate in this event. Although this is the wrap up of the centennial year, we hope it will be but one of many parish events that manifest the parish as a community. If you are signed up to come to the potluck supper, we'll see you there. If you were unable to participate in this event, we'll look forward to seeing you at a future event.

The **Society of St. Vincent De Paul** is in need of Phone Intake Members. If you think you might be interested in serving the needy through this charitable organization or have any questions please don't hesitate to call Rosa Garcia @ 732-683-2492 or Cathy Flott @732-577-1417. We would be more than happy to answer an questions you might have. Thank-you for considering this ministry.

Children's Liturgy of the Word has begun at St. Catherine of Siena and we warmly invite children ages 3 to Kindergarten to join us at scheduled masses. Children's Liturgy of the Word is designed to help children from an early age to grow in their familiarity with the mass, particularly the Liturgy of the Word. Material is presented in an age sensitive way accompanied by music and activity. If you would like your child to participate, please contact the Religious Education office at 732-938-6229. **Our last two Children's Liturgy of the Word is Sunday, April 28th & Sunday, May 5th at the 10:00 A.M. Masses.**



**First Holy Communion Students
April 14, 2013
10:00 A.M. Mass**

- Anthony Archinaco**
- Kieran Baldwin**
- Jessica Ballingall**
- Abigail Bellows**
- Samantha Certo**
- Giovanni Ciasullo**
- Adriana Dalia**
- Mackenzie Diamond**
- Aiden Dianora**
- Gabrielle Dice**
- Jane Ekberg**
- Gabrielle Imburgio**
- Mary Cate Immen**
- Janna Lamantia**
- Piper Massey**
- Maria Melchior**
- Emma Paolino**
- Louis Petrocelli**
- Patrick Schaeffer**
- Christian Schrader**
- Christopher Seegobin**
- Treana Seegobin**
- Matthew Tomek**
- Giuseppe Tranchina**

Religious Education Program Registrations

were sent home with the students the week of April 2, 2013. Any questions or further information, please call 732-938-6229 or email us at ccd@sienachurch.org.

Attention Religious Education Parents

Due to a few cancellations from inclement weather the Monday Religious Education Classes will be extended by one week, and the final class will be on Monday, May 13. We appreciate your anticipated understanding.

OPEN HOUSE: St. Veronica School in Howell will be hosting a Spring Open House on Wednesday, **April 17th from 10:00 A.M. to 12 Noon.** We offer 1st through 8th grade, and before and after care programs. Please come visit and see all that this safe, faith filled, loving and academically excellent community has to offer your child and family. For additional information, please call 732-364-4130 or visit stveronicaschool.com.

Stella Maris Retreat Center

981 Ocean Ave., Long Branch, NJ 07740

Presents Year of Faith Spirituality Series – April
Join us for this informative and enriching series of monthly presentations reflecting on some of the great women and men of faith and their spirituality.

When the Saints Come Marching In...

Presenter: Rev. William Bausch

April 17 (Wednesday) 7:00 – 8:30 P.M.

A free will offering will be taken. If the candle says to the darkness, “I beg to differ”, so saints defy spiritual darkness in our world. Through storytelling, this conference explores the light-giving humor, insights and witness of official and unofficial saints.

Compassion Fatigue – Your Journey to Renewal

Presenters: Eileen Flynn, Katherine Parisi, Ph.D.

April 21 (Sunday) 2:00 – 4:00 P.M.

A free will offering will be taken. Are you experiencing chronic stress and fatigue from your care-giving work? Come and surround yourself in the serenity of the ocean and give yourself an afternoon to manage your compassion fatigue by nourishing your spirit and replenishing your soul. Find inner peace through learning meditation and contemplative prayer leading to a renewed connection to God as your source of strength. To register for these programs call 732-229-0602 or email retreats@stellamarisretreatcenter.com

If you are a CCD Teacher or evangelizing in any way to the homebound, sick and/or elderly, the Legion of Mary may add the spirituality you've been looking for. We are seeking new members here at St. Catherine's. Come and join us on Thursdays at 10 A.M. If you are interested, please call Nancy at 732-616-3127.

HEALING HEARTS SUPPORT GROUP

Healing Hearts is a special weekly seminar and support group for people who are separated or divorced. If you know someone going through or have gone through a divorce, make sure he or she knows about Healing Hearts. It might just be the best thing you could do to help. Topics for the upcoming weeks:

Wednesday, April 17 – Forgiveness;

Wednesday, April 24th – Reconciliation;

Wednesday, May 1st - Moving on, Growing Closer to God.

St. Veronica and Healing Hearts sponsor the support group main focus is on the teachings of the Catholic faith and the Catechism of the Catholic Church. We meet every Wednesdays from 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM, at St. Veronica's Spiritual Center at 670 Hulses Corner Road, Howell, NJ 07731. All are welcome!

Come and join us as we experience healing and develop a close relationship with Jesus Christ.

Please feel free to contact Maria Rodrigues at 732-363-5698 or email stveronicakre4u@optonline.net for additional information or directions.

An Invitation to Women in the Working World

Saint Peter Convent,

401 Atlantic Ave. Pt. Pleasant Beach

Saturday Evening, May 4 7:00-9:00 P.M.

Single women, College age and beyond in the “Working World”, are welcome to an evening of shared conversation and prayer. Meet new friends, renew old friendships, bring along a co-worker, classmate. Share stories and experiences. A Sister of St. Joseph will be there to share her story also.

RSVP by April 29 to 732-899-2390

Bible Study - Back by popular demand, Sacred Heart Parish in Bay Head is having another 6 week study on “The Women of the Gospels”. Join us on **Friday's Thru May 17th at 9:45-10:45 A.M.** in the Parish Hall. Please register at the Parish office (732) 899-1398 or email DawnRusinko@yahoo.com

Have you ever thought about opening your home to an international student? Monsignor Donovan High School offers families the opportunity to experience Chinese culture and customs by hosting a Chinese high school student. In addition to receiving a monthly stipend, hosting a Chinese student can be a rewarding and enriching educational experience for a family. Call 732-349-8801 x 2429 or 215-858-8908.