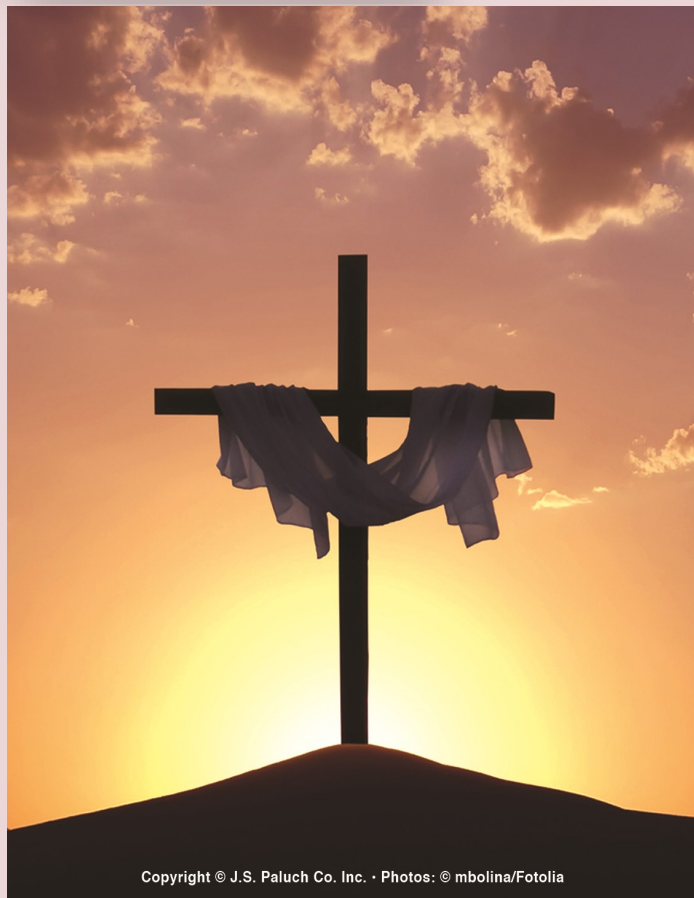




# St. Catherine of Siena

**Roman Catholic Diocese of Trenton**

31 Asbury Road, Farmingdale, New Jersey 07727



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# Easter SUNDAY

APRIL 1, 2018

Our paschal lamb, Christ,  
has been sacrificed.  
Therefore, let us  
celebrate the feast.

1 Corinthians 5:7-8

**First Reading** ACTS 10:34a, 37-43

**Second Reading** COL 3:1-4

**Gospel** JOHN 20:1-9

**Weekend Mass Schedule:**

Saturday: 4:30 PM

Sunday: 8:00, 10:00, 11:30 AM

**Confessions: Saturday 3:30 - 4:00 PM**

**Holy Day Masses:**

9:00 AM & 7:00 PM Main Church

**Weekday Chapel Mass 9AM**

Mon., Tues., Thurs., Fri.

**Miraculous Medal Novena**

Mon., following 9:00 AM Mass

**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament**

1st Friday following 9 AM to 11 AM

**PARISH OFFICE:**

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**PARISH OFFICE HOURS:**

Mon-Thurs: 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM

Sunday: 9:00 AM to 12:45 PM

**PARISH STAFF:**

Rev. Angelito I. Anarcon, Pastor

Rev. Alfred Burke, Weekend Assistant

Deacon Daniel Sakowski, Deacon

Kyle Galante, Director of Religious Education

Francine Gagliano, Sacristan

Alice Kovach, Music Director

Janice Deakyne, Religious Education Secretary

Rob Mercado & June Hankel, Parish Trustees

**OFFICE OF  
RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

(732) 938-6229

**Office Hours**

Monday:

9:00 AM to 7:15 PM

Wednesday:

9:00 AM to 5:45 PM

## WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

**Saturday, March 31, 2018 — 4:30 PM**

Betty McCann / *Suzanne DeGrande and Family*

**Sunday, April 1, 2018**

8:00 AM Muriel Ruggiero / *Bill and Cheryl Costello*

10:00 AM Marie Davis / *Dyan and Carrie Gaffney*

11:30 AM Vincenta Martinez / *Nancy Martinez*

### Weekday Chapel Mass — 9 AM

**Monday, April 2, 2018**

Anthony & Rachel Pennetti and Family/ *Libby Miller*

**Tuesday, April 3, 2018**

Stephen LeGrand/ *Mom*

**Thursday, April 5, 2018**

Michael Edwards/ *Jim & Marian Ferris*

**Friday, April 6, 2018**

Sandra Koziar/ *Joanne Monroe*

The Sanctuary Light will burn the week of March 31 in memory of The Family of Agnes Rottkamp at the request of *Agnes Rottkamp*.

## WORSHIP

Please pray for the sick and all those who have asked for our prayers:

MaryAnn Aulisi	Teresa Magyar
Jean & Mike Burke	Margie McCullam
Joseph Cocuzza	Amber Painter
Nancy Drake	Esther Peraza
Bob Fort	Jeanette Picciani
Richard Giordano	David Piccolo
Marlene Gravatt	Lenore Sears
Lori Jones	Barbara Sansevere
Edward Kress	Nancy Soper
Barbara Lipari	Ilona Supczynski
Lauren MacArthur	Roseann Williams



A list of prayers for those who are ill appears in the bulletin weekly. To have a family member included on this list, please call the Office at 732-938-5375.



### Homebound Ministry

If a homebound family member, friend, or neighbor would like to receive Holy Communion, visits, or calls, please contact the Parish Office.



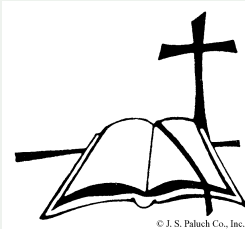
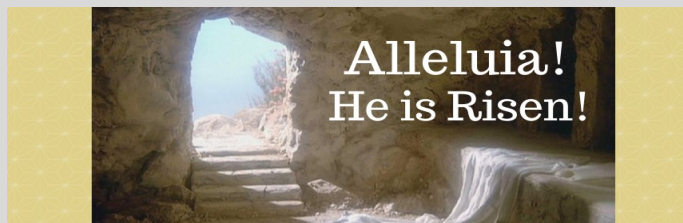
Pray for all our Parish Family & Friends, and Especially the Recently Departed:

**Thomas A. Devine Jr.  
Helen Steinecke**

May their Souls and the Souls of the Faithful Departed, through the Mercy of God, Rest in Peace.

**Easter Sunday of the Resurrection  
of the Lord  
April 1, 2018**

I shall not die, but live,  
and declare the works of the LORD.  
— *Psalm 118:17*



### 2019 Mass Book Opening

**Sunday, April 8  
9 am—12:45 pm and  
Wednesday, April 11  
9:30 am—12:30 pm**

To request a Mass Intention, one must be present and the cost is \$10 each.

Please contact Parish Office for more information.

## PASTOR'S MESSAGE

Dear Parishioners,

HAPPY EASTER to all!

Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord Jesus.

Today is the great Christian Feast. The Resurrection accounts in the New Testament make one thing abundantly clear: Something extraordinary and powerful happened to Jesus on the first Easter morning. The tomb is empty: Jesus' battered body is nowhere to be found; and the cloth that had covered Jesus' head is "rolled up in a separate place." It seems odd that grave robbers take the time to tidy up. St. John describes the drama in the early morning of Easter Sunday when Mary of Magdala reports that the tomb is empty. John is keen to let us know that he was in on the act and ran with Peter to check for himself. It is worth remembering that John was writing his Gospel with the benefit of having been able to piece the story together after a lifetime of meditating on it. He notes that this was the moment he began to see the connections and the fulfillment of what had been prophesied in the Scriptures. He tells us: "Till this moment they had failed to understand the teaching of Scripture, that he must rise from the dead." And he is not afraid to tell us what happened in the evening of Easter Sunday when Jesus came to the Apostles who were hiding behind locked doors.

After today's Gospel reading Jesus begins to reveal to his friends the reality and the mystery of his resurrection. He appears first to Mary Magdalene and later to his disciples. Clearly what He has experienced is no mere resuscitation. His divine nature, all but totally veiled on Good Friday, now shines forth in the Risen Christ.

Here is an interesting question: What difference does that make for others? Well, for beginners, its effects for example on Peter. He had a remarkable change from his own failure to understand the Scripture that "Jesus had to rise from the dead," and from hiding behind locked doors "for fear of the Jews" Consequently Peter quickly becomes the bold and fearless preacher of the Good News whom we hear in today's reading from the Acts of the Apostles.

As human beings we never grasp fully the mystery of the Resurrection, but like Peter we can allow it to transform us. We are not promised exemption from pain and suffering, but his resurrection assures us that God has the final word, and it is one of transformation, that is light and new life.

Today it is enough for you and me to realize that we are being asked to accept our call to be faithful witnesses of the Resurrection. The life that Jesus won for us is not something that we await in the afterlife, we are already living it. Every day, we have a decision to make as faithful followers of the Risen One. Each day we must decide whether we will be observed helping to roll the stone away or trying to keep the stone in front of the tomb—by our actions, by our witness in the workplace, in our families at home, and amongst our neighbors.

Today, on this most sacred of days, each one of us will renew our baptismal promises. Once again, we will reject sin, embrace the living God and be faithful to our Church. Alleluia! Amen.

May God bless us,

Father Angelito



# ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA PARISH LITURGICAL MINISTRIES



## ***Holy Thursday, March 29 at 7:30 PM***

**Altar Servers:** Isabella Novera  
Noah Novera  
Alexander Reyes

**EMHC:** Debra Mueller, Elieen Murphy

**Readers:** June Hankel, Joe Ventura

### **Feet Washing Ceremony:**

Bob Ambrose, Gerald Aponte, Ernie D'Albero,  
Lois Hradil, Carol Jamieson, Joe Lanza,  
Gladys McTighe, Josphine Sciascia,  
Jeanne Statile, Margaret Tamburri, Andrea Zak,  
Richarad Zak

## ***Good Friday, March 30 at 3:00 PM***

**Altar Servers:** James Genovese  
Julia Papasso

**EMHC:** Eileen Murphy

**Readers:** Greg King, Lois Hradil

**Voice:** Joe Lanza

**Narrator:** Deacon Dan Sakowski

## ***Holy Saturday, March 31 at 7:30 PM***

**Altar Servers:** Sarah Schuld

**EMHC:** Bonnie Impostinato,  
Susan Schuld

**Readers:** Lois Hradil, June Hankel

**Epistle:** Danielle Sawkowski

**Gospel:** Deacon Dan Sakowski



## ***Easter Sunday at 8:00 AM***

**EMHC:** Cheri-Ellen Crow, Helen Cyrus

**Readers:** Ken Hillers

## ***Easter Sunday at 10:00 AM***

**EMHC:** Jack Warburton  
Judy Warburton  
Cindy Ventura

**Readers:** Joe Ventura

## ***Easter Sunday at 11:30 AM***

**EMHC:** Anne Hilker, Donna Lee  
Gladys McTighe  
Kathy DeMicco

**Readers:** Pat Lavin, Terri Murray

## **St. Catherine of Siena Choir**

*I will sing and make melody.  
Awake, my soul! Psalm 108.1*

Priscilla Callari	Tom Randazzo	Judy Thomas
Phyllis Hurley	Josie Sciascia	Barbara Ust
Terri Murray	Nancy Surdi	



**Sincerest thanks to you for your contribution to the altar and church flowers in memory or for the intentions of loved ones**

*Full list of names can be found on the next page*



## PARISH EASTER MEMORIAL FLOWERS

**Preciosa Cardoso, Joan Cardoso**

Manuel & Marie Afonso

**Louise McNamara, Anna Kedingo**

David & Nicole Applegate

**Marion Holdman**

Christopher & Lisa Bascone

**An & Bill Boege, Joan Nagle**

Melissa Boege

**Sergio F. Bello, Grandma & Grandpa**

Ryan & Maxx Boyle

**Mattus, Tessie & Edward Zalewski**

Diane Brennan

**Louis & Jane Brogno, Luciano**

**Pantalena**

Brian & Franca Brogno

**Robert C. Tait, Robert I. McCann**

Joseph & Theresa Cardillo

**Helen & Bob Feeley**

Robert & Maureen Conley

**Billy Costello, Cecelia Costello,**

**Dorothy Kunen, John Ruggiero**

William & Cheryl Costello

**Amparo Millán, David da Silva, Sr.**

Dolores da Silva

**Patricia Bicica, John N. Deluca**

Julie Deluca

**Martin & Dorothy Reiff, Frank &**

**Aileen De Santo**

Frank & Barbara De Santo

**Donald J. De Santo**

Loretta De Santo

**Michele Savignano, Luigi D'Onorio**

**De Meo, Luigia D'Urso**

Emilio & Dolores D'Onorio De Meo

**Luigina D'Urso, Diamante D'Onorio**

**De Meo**

Fred & Anna D'Onorio De Meo

**Chris Sr, Kevin, Dennis, April**

Anita Dorey

**Don Dugan, Doris Dugan**

Lucy Dugan

**Elias Family, Koenig Family,**

**Margaret & Paul Wilke**

Cy & Lois Elias

**Enrico Ciampi**

Daughter Rosa Garcia & Family

**Anthony & Dorothy Siniscalco**

Richard & Louise Giordano

**James & Gratton Family**

Dorothy Gratton

**James V. Ferraro, Jr.**

Grandchildren Allie, Nicholas, Olivia

& Leah Gravatt

**James V. Ferraro, Jr.**

Daughter Anna & George Gravatt Jr.

**Cecil Gravatt**

Son George & Marlene Gravatt

**Olive Gravatt**

Son George & Marlene Gravatt

**Charles Winthers**

Daughter Marlene & George Gravatt

**Charles Winthers**

Wife Lillian

**Eileen Ackerman, Kathy Paruta Cucci**

Diane Conforti

**In Memory of Deceased Members of  
Ambrose and Camia Families**

Robert and Diane Ambrose

**In Honor of Living Sister Theresa**

**Loohy**

**Pamela Mullen, Pete & Josephine Greco,**

**Rich & Violet Furjanic**

Peter & Laura Greco

**George Hankel, Philip & Stella Olenitsky**

June Hankel

**Living & Deceased Members of Harakal &  
Krulan Families**

John & Stephanie Harakal

**Dylan Joyce, Hilker Family**

Anne Hilker

**Eugene Travinski Sr., Gene Travinski**

Walter & Deborah Kaczor

**Kathleen & James Maher**

Walter & Agnes Kelso

**George Rachko (Dad), Helen Rachko**

**Lulainip, Mary & John Kranisky/Rachko**

Lynn & Bernie Keuk

**Sam Venti Family**

Edward & Joan Kress

**Imre Skatmá ri**

Cuong & Katalin Le

**Deceased Loved Ones**

Donna Lee

**David DaSilva Sr., Josephine Leto**

Vincent & Maria Leto

**Catherine Venneri**

Natalie LiVoti

**Mary & Dom Greco, Warren & Jean**

**Madsen, Vivian & Kic Madsen, Juanita &**

**Bob Kirchgessner, Jenny & Sal Plara,**

**Peter & Katherine O'Connell**

Chris & Sally-Jo Madsen

**John & Jessie Zebrowski, Ronald &**

**Barbara Magner**

Kenneth & Paula Magner

**Consuelo Remigio, Vicenta Martinez**

José & Nancy Martinez

**Consuelo Remigio, Bernadette McTighe**

Gladys & Kevin McTighe

**Christopher Pflum**

Michael & Lauren Misner

**Family of Morales, Remigio & Santiago**

Edwin & Elisa Morales

**Michael, Filippo & Maria Natilli; Thomas**

**Mangano; Giuseppe & Benedetta**

**Cosentino; Edward Merkel**

Phillip & Kristin Natilli

**C. Henry Okerson**

Charles F. & Jennifer Okerson

**Peter Oraboni**

Katherine Oraboni

**John D'Alessio, Joseph Papasso**

Frank & Anne Marie Papasso

**Payette & Mulé Families**

Robert & Loretta Payette

**William Pellechia, Grace & John**

**Buonavita**

Grace Pellechia

**Frank Percaccio, Percaccio Grandparents**

Mary Ann Percaccio

**Mrs. Josefa Muñoz**

Manuel & Amparo Pineiro

**Bertrand & Marie Rottkamp, Robert Nagy**

Agnes Rottkamp

**Blanche & Felix Corvino**

Ronald & Dolores Ruff

**Frank Misiak**

Rosalyn Misiak and Family

**Helen Steinecke**

June Hankel

**Michael Ryan**

Anne Ryan

**Our Deceased Family & Friends**

Daniel & Donna Sakowski

**Alfonso Sammarco, Ann & Joe**

**Esposito**

Annette Sammarco

**Frank & Marie Sardone, Daniel**

**Cherellia, Fr. Justin Biase**

Frank & Debra Sardone

**Rosaria Sciascia**

Angelo & Josephine Sciasua

**Scotto & Berta Families**

Joe & Pauline Scotto

**Josef Cebulak, Zbigniew Sliwa**

Jack & Beata Sliwa

**Susan Soper, John & Jennie**

**Albano**

Marie Soper

**All Deceased Members of the**

**Storey Family**

Sherlock & Jacqueline Storey

**Monica Ann Talcott**

Talcott Family

**Michael Tamburri**

Margaret Tamburri

**Tillett Family, Luigi Palazzolo**

Mary Jean Tillett

**Gary Tonon**

Lilo Tonon (Wife)

**Joan & Robert Randall, Andrew**

**Assaf**

Perry & Peggy Viggiano

**Richard Walker, Theresa Habbay**

Marie E. Walker

**Andrew & Jean Stepen, Edward**

**& Olga Zak**

Richard & Andrea Zak

**Donations**

Michael & Patricia Baldasari

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Bruno & Helga Kneucker

Ella LaRocca

Timothy & Luann Lindon

Clinton & Theresa McGrath-Ross

Robert & Debra Mueller

Scott & Judy Panaccio

Robert & Carol Proto

Brett & Doreen Sabio

Gary & Linda Schrader

Michael & Denise Siracuse

Richard & Joyce Sowpel

Edward Walker

## CHILDREN, YOUTH & FAMILY



### Sunday, April 8 at the 11:30 am Mass.

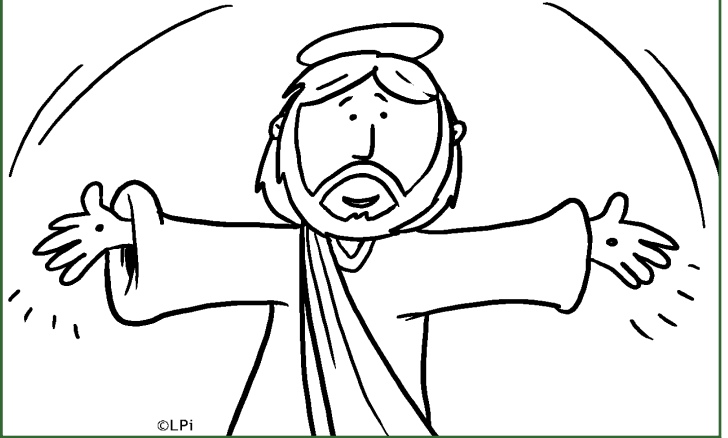
All children in grades K-4 (ages 5 -10) are invited to participate. Young children are given the opportunity to listen to a children's version of Sunday's readings and Gospel stories at their own level of understanding and participate in activities that bring the readings to life. Each Sunday's Liturgy of the Word is enriched and modified to make it important and relevant to the lives and experiences of young children. To sign up for this month's sessions, please email [clow@sienachurch.org](mailto:clow@sienachurch.org).

### Sharing the Gospel

It was very early in the morning on Sunday. The tomb stone was rolled away. Jesus was gone. All that was left inside were the strips of linen cloth. When John and Peter saw it, they were amazed. They did not understand all the promises the prophets wrote about Jesus yet. However, they knew he was alive. He had risen from the dead!

### Prayer

God, I thank you for bringing Jesus back to life.



## FORMED



### The Story of Easter Comes Alive

Join Brother Francis in this animated presentation of key points in the life of Jesus Christ, his death on the cross, his triumph over death, and his ascension to the Father.

## FORMED

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Go to your web browser (Chrome if possible)

Click "Register"; Enter Parish Code **QCVKRC**

Enter your name, email address, and desired password

You're all ready to access the inspiring and engaging content **on-  
FORMED!**

We recommend you start with THE FACE OF MERCY



## ADMINISTRATION

Weekly Collections & Attendance  
**THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROUS HELP AND SUPPORT!**

### Weekly Sunday Collection Saturday/Sunday, March 24/25 2018

**\$7,087.00**                      **917 people**

**Online Giving \$882 .00**                      **50 donors**

### Second Collection

**Maintenance & Repairs**                      **\$ 1,801.00**



FOR IT IS IN GIVING  
THAT WE RECEIVE.  
— St. Francis of Assisi

### Next Weekend's Collection Weekly Collection & Energy & Fuel

## THE ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL IN ACTION

Evangelization—Ministry to Families, Youth and Young Adults



Every person belongs to a family. Families are the foundation of the Catholic parish. In the midst of the family and parish community, people encounter Christ and learn to be his disciples. Family and Parish are the primary environments in which evangelization takes place. Together in Mission is a tool to support these evangelization efforts. Your gift promotes individuals and family life. Youth events and service opportunities, young adult gatherings, Marriage prep, Baptismal prep, Ministry to separated and divorced persons are just a few of the services offered.



**Please support the  
2018 Annual  
Catholic Appeal**

**Thank you for your  
generosity.**

### 2017 Tax Statement

If you use **ENVELOPES** and need a year end tax statement for 2017, please EMAIL your request to **sienastatements@gmail.com**. **This is NOT a website**. Please include your full name(s), address, and envelope number. Please do not wait until the last minute. If you use online giving, you will be receiving instructions directly from them on how to print out your reports.

If you are in need of a letter for tax purposes for your 2017 donations to St. Vincent de Paul, please send an email to **SVDPaid@gmail.com** and request a copy of your donations. As always, thank you for your generous support of our ministry.

**Electronic Giving** ... [www.paritypay.com/nonprofit/login.html?pc=cserg792](http://www.paritypay.com/nonprofit/login.html?pc=cserg792). Contact 800-950-9952 M-F 7:00 am —7:00 pm  
**Remember Us in Your Will** ... A simple charitable bequest can provide very meaningful support for St. Catherine of Siena Church. An up-to-date will can protect your loved ones and your dreams; let you, not the state, determine how your assets will be distributed; help you leave a legacy through charitable gifts; help you minimize estate taxes; and assure those charities you value continue.

Our Pastor, Father Angelito, has determined that due to the rising incidence of flu and other communicable diseases, it is prudent to distribute Holy Communion under the form of bread only, and to omit the exchange of peace among members of the congregation. These changes, which are consistent with the Roman Missal, will continue until conditions improve.



## SOCIAL CONCERNS COMMISSION



St. Catherine of Siena seeks to promote a **Social Concerns Commission** for all those in need within our parish, our community, our diocese, our country and world.

Father Angelito and the Parish Pastoral Council thank you for the fantastic response rate. The results are in. The top 3 concerns are:

1. Suicide Prevention and Awareness
2. Assisting State & Local Government with the Opioid Crisis
3. Homelessness

Stay tuned for further information.