

# St. Catherine of Siena Church

Roman Catholic Diocese of Trenton

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Office Hours: Mon-Thurs: 9 am—2 pm • Sun 9 am—12:45 pm



*Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

DO NOT  
REJOICE  
BECAUSE THE  
SPIRITS ARE  
SUBJECT  
TO YOU,  
BUT REJOICE  
BECAUSE  
YOUR NAMES  
ARE WRITTEN  
IN HEAVEN.

LUKE 10:20

July 7, 2019



## PARISH INFORMATION

### PASTOR

Rev. Angelito I. Anarcon

### WEEKEND ASSISTANT

Rev. Alfred Burke

### DEACON

Daniel Sakowski

### WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday—4:30 p.m.

Sunday

8 a.m. / 10 a.m. / 11:30 a.m.

### RECONCILIATION

Saturday

3:30 p.m.—4:00 p.m.

### HOLY DAY MASSES

MAIN CHURCH

9 a.m. / 7 p.m.

### ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA CHAPEL

One West Main Street

### WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Monday—9 a.m.

Tuesday—9 a.m.

Thursday—9 a.m.

Friday—9 a.m.

PARISH OFFICE: 732-938-5375 • OFFICE OF REL. ED: 732-938-6229 • PARISH FAX: 732-938-3260

WE PRAY... CELEBRATE... REMEMBER

Do not rejoice because the spirits are subject to you,  
but rejoice because your names are

*written in heaven.*

~ Luke 10:20

## MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, JULY 6

4:30 PM

**Lenore Sears • *the Piotrowski Family***

**Agnes Rottkamp • *June Hankel***

SUNDAY, JULY 7

8:00 AM

**Daniel Cherellia • *the Sardone Family***

**Haley Grace Kusar • *the Talcott Family***

10:00 AM

**Thomas J. O'Reilly • *Mary O'Reilly***

**Concetta DeGrande • *Michael & Mary Burke***

11:30AM

**Rose Cantatore • *Luigi Cantatore***

**Jean Anne Burke • *Juanita & Bill Casey***

MONDAY, JULY 8

9:00 AM

**People of the Parish**

TUESDAY, JULY 9

9:00 AM

**Mary White • *Anne Hilker***

THURSDAY, JULY 11

9:00 AM

**Zinna Maximenko • *Palmie***

**Leonard Giannetti • *Daria Canzona***

FRIDAY, JULY 12

9:00 AM

**People of the Parish**

**ALTAR FLOWERS** We invite our parishioners to donate flowers in memory of a loved one or perhaps to mark a special occasion. You will help us provide beauty for the Lord's worship and pay a visible tribute to a special person or celebrate a special event. Please call the parish office to place an order.

Please Pray for the Sick and All Those Who Have Asked for Our Prayers

MaryAnn Aulisi, Peter Bennett, Colette Blair, Mike Burke, Sally Carlson, Joseph Cocuzza, Keith Dice, Nancy Drake, Cyril Elias, Sharon Foster, Marlene Gravatt, Norma Jean Hall, John Hart, Lori Jones, John Keegan, Janice Kehoe, Charles "Butch" Lavin, Barbara Lipari, Lauren MacArthur, Teresa Magyar, Margie McCullam, Linda Moore, McKenna Murray, Amber Painter, Esther Peraza, Jeanette Picciani, David Piccolo, Mary Rossiello, Barbara Sansevere, Nancy Soper, Wayne Sos, Yolanda Spinelli, Ilona Supczynski, Melissa Tortorello, Roseann Williams.

## OUR PASTOR'S MESSAGE

Dear Parishioners,

The FOURTEENTH SUNDAY of the WEEK

Traveling was so much fun when I was a young boy. I prefer to be seated in the front of a passenger jeepney as my folks would take me along with them. Once I noticed a prayer sticker attached to the windshield of a passing vehicle. It was a prayer for the intercession of St. Christopher, who is the Patron Saint of travelers asking for a safe and successful journey. Legend would tell us that Christopher lived by the water and would help travelers navigate its dangerous waters. One night he heard a child crying for help and rushing out to help, he picked the little one up, hauled him onto his shoulders and began to wade across the water. The further he went, the more hazardous it became, and the child seemed to be getting heavier and heavier. Then, finally, as Christopher lowered his precious burden to the ground, he said to himself: "I have no idea how I managed that. For it seemed like I was carrying the world on my shoulders." "No surprise," uttered the child, "you were carrying not the world but the one who created the world. I am Jesus Christ." The name Christopher, by the way, means "Christ-bearer" and by virtue of baptism, we are called to be Christ-bearers, also assigned with the task of taking Christ and his peace into the world. It is inconceivable to know that Christians would hug the good news of the Gospel keeping it to themselves, without any interest and desire to share it with others.

Our Gospel for this Sunday relates that Jesus is on his way to Jerusalem and his death. For the leader of the world, there is immense time pressure. With a strong sense of urgency in his voice, he sends the 72 disciples out on their first missionary journey. Jesus is God. He can do all things. Is help needed? The answer is both yes and no. It is NO because he saves the world by himself. It is YES, because he wants humanity to assist him in building the kingdom and bringing salvation to all humankind. "Start now," he urges.

Jesus sends these men out to heal the sick, forgive sinners, cast out demons, and announce and proclaim the Kingdom of God. The harvest is abundant, but the laborers are few. They are to travel light, waste no words on idle chatter, receive gracefully whatever hospitality is offered, be a light bearer of God's peace, give as the "Kingdom of God is very near." All they can carry with them besides clothing on their back is total trust in the providence of God to meet their needs. Where the Gospel was rejected, these disciples would shake off the dust from their feet and move on to other towns.

The point that Jesus wants to make, on giving these instructions, is this: Whether people want to listen or not, regardless of whether they come to believe it or not, the Kingdom of God is at hand. And this is a requirement for everyone; there must be repentance and faith. Jesus has empowered them. The same is true for all believers.

St. Christopher discovered that carrying Christ into the world is not that easy and can be a heavy burden. Jesus says: "I am sending you out like lambs among wolves." This is not a pain-free assignment. If we are to be Christ-bearers, we are called to be men and women of character, genuine disciples who stick with him because we love him, disciples who have the mental fortitude with the humility to realize that we look to him for help if we cannot do it. We are faithful disciples who understand that how we live during the rest of the week is essential as our coming to Mass on Sunday. Like St. Christopher, we are, by virtue of baptism, called to be Christ-bearers until the end. Amen.

May God bless you,

Father Angelito

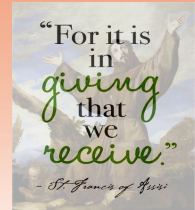
ADMINISTRATION AND STEWARDSHIP

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

**Weekly First Sunday Collection  
Saturday/Sunday, June 29/30 2019**

**Due to an early bulletin deadline for the  
July 4th Holiday, the Weekly Collection  
& Attendance for June 30th will be  
reported in the July 14, 2019 Bulletin.**

**Second Collection  
\$.00**



**Upcoming Second Collection  
July 13/14  
Diocesan Assessment**



We are so happy to welcome new members to our parish family!

We invite you to stop by the Parish Office, Mon.-Thur. 9 am - 2 pm or Sunday, 9 am—12:45 pm., for registration, to learn about our various ministries and to receive offertory envelopes.

Young Adults who are still living at home with their parents, who have graduated from college, and/or are employed full-time, are encouraged to register under their own name.

For address and phone number changes, including a change in parish, please stop by the office or call us at 732-938-5375.

We look forward to meeting you and seeing you at our services.



“Never **REACH OUT** your hand unless you are willing to **EXTEND** an arm.” Pope St. Paul VI



Our Parish Goal: \$44,000.00  
As of June 24, 2019  
Pledged Amount: **\$29,845.30**  
Collected: \$25,111.32  
**Percent of Goal Raised 68%**  
Donors: 127  
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Pledge Balance As of June 24  
**\$3,733.98**

**ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL NEEDS HELP** Important Message from Bishop O'Connell:

The 2019 Annual Catholic Appeal is experiencing a very challenging year thus far. Contributions are down 20% across the Diocese. **The Appeal is the source of support for all our diocesan works and ministries.** Please take a moment to consider how you can help if you have not done so already. Your participation is essential if we want to continue our ministries as we have done. **Thank you for your consideration. May the blessings of the Easter Season be yours.**

Here at St. Catherine of Siena, we are always grateful and moved by the level of support you give to our parish. Thank you for this support, and may God continue to bless you and your family. Annual Catholic Appeal pledge cards are available in the Narthex. For more information on the Annual Catholic Appeal, please email [frontoffice@sienachurch.org](mailto:frontoffice@sienachurch.org).



All Women are invited to join us for our next  
*Walking with Purpose Women's Bible Study*



## Connect Coffee

July 16th 10 am in the Parish Hall

All Women are welcomed and  
invited to bring a friend

The topic of discussion & video is  
*Abraham- I Will Make Your Reward Great*

Joining us for a cup of coffee is a great way without  
commitment to experience some of the fruits of this beautiful  
Catholic Bible Study written specifically for women.

RSVP to Email: [wvp@sienachurch.org](mailto:wvp@sienachurch.org)



The first step for Infant  
Baptisms at St. Catherine of Siena Parish is our  
Baptism Preparation Class.

Upcoming sessions for new parents:

Sunday, July 28  
Sunday, August 25  
Sunday, September 29

For more detailed information and to register, visit our  
Parish Website, [www.sienachurch.org](http://www.sienachurch.org).

RELIGIOUS  
EDUCATION

IMPORTANT  
ANNOUNCEMENT

We are pleased to announce that we are now  
offering **ONLINE** Registration for our  
**2019-2020 Religious Education Program**.

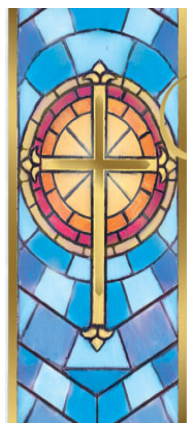
Please visit our  
Parish Website at [www.sienachurch.org](http://www.sienachurch.org)  
to access the link to begin the  
registration process.

For more information, please contact the  
Parish Office at  
732-938-5375 Monday through Thursday,  
9 a.m.—2 p.m. or Sunday, 9 a.m.—12:45 p.m.

Social Concerns Commission  
BACK TO SCHOOL SUPPLY DRIVE  
Starting

July 15th

More information coming soon



St. Catherine of Siena Parish  
Warmly Welcomes the Following  
New Parishioners:

The Onulak Family  
Dustin, Amanda  
Mallory, Marcus & Mia

With Warmth and Prayers,  
We Welcome You into  
Our Family of Faith.

### MASS BOOK 2019

2019 Mass Intentions for your loved ones are  
still available. The stipend for Masses is \$10 per  
Mass. Please call or stop by the Parish Office  
with the written names and dates of your  
requests.

## SACRAMENTAL AND FAITH FORMATION

**ANOINTING OF THE SICK:** To schedule an anointing, call the Pastor's Office at 732-938-5375 OPT. 7.

**BAPTISM:** We celebrate Baptism on the second Sunday of each month at 12:30 PM or during the 11:30 AM Mass. Prior to scheduling the baptism of your child, sponsor letters, donation, and attendance at a **Baptism Preparation Class** is mandatory for parents. Classes are held in Classroom 10 on the **4th Sunday of the month**. To sign up, please fill out the registration form on our website for the date you wish to attend. Godparents/sponsors are also encouraged to attend. Baptism Arrangements must be made in advance by contacting the Parish Office.

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

**MATRIMONY:** Couples planning a marriage must contact the Parish Office to begin marriage preparation at least one year before the anticipated wedding date.

**RCIA:** The process by which adults become Catholic and/or receive the Sacraments is called Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults. RCIA meets the 1st & 3rd Tuesday of each month at 7 PM.

**SACRAMENTS FOR CHILDREN:** The RCIA for children is a process that invites any child age 7 to 18, interested in the Catholic Faith, to discover what the Catholic Church teaches and believes. It is open to anyone seeking to get to know Jesus. Like the RCIA for adults, this process is accomplished in a comfortable, friendly and informal environment designed for children. Certain Rites are celebrated in the church throughout their journey in faith. Near the end of the process, the Sacraments of Initiation—Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist—are celebrated at the Easter Vigil. The RCIA for Children will be offered on the **1st, 2nd and 3rd Sunday of the Month October thru May**. Please contact the Parish Office for more information.

**OBTAIN A MASS CARD:** We welcome all who would like to request their special intentions or deceased loved ones be prayed for at weekday or weekend Mass. Please call or stop by the Parish Office.

**PRAYER LIST:** Please call the Parish Office to request a name be added or removed to our prayer list.

**MIRACULOUS MEDAL NOVENA:** We welcome all on Monday's after the 9 am Mass in our Chapel.

**LOW GLUTEN HOST:** An extremely low-gluten (37 micrograms) host is available for those in need. Please notify the Priest or the Deacon prior to the beginning of the Mass you are attending.

### ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA PARISH

*Proudly presents*

**HERE I AM LORD.  
I COME TO DO YOUR WILL**

## SUMMER RETREAT SERIES

# SAVE THE DATE

**Thursday, July 11, 2019  
7:00 PM  
Parish Hall**

- Have you been looking for a way to become involved in the life of our parish community?
- Where is God calling you to give, grow and receive within our parish family?

**INFORMATION NIGHT  
ALL ARE WELCOME**

For all interested in parish ministries or currently serving in parish ministry come **RENEW, REFRESH AND REIGNITE THE HEART**

To RSVP, please email Laura Randazzo at,  
[passociate@sienachurch.org](mailto:passociate@sienachurch.org)



**NEW DATE**  
**ALL ARE INVITED...**

On **Thursday, August 22, 2019**, the Co-Cathedral of St. Robert Bellarmine will be sponsoring a bus trip to

NYC and the 9/11 Memorial Museum. We would like to invite parishioners of your parish to join with us on this trip.

Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact me via the following:

Martin Weisman, co-chairperson "Roamin' Catholics"  
[strobertadulted@yahoo.com](mailto:strobertadulted@yahoo.com) or call, 732-462-7038.

**Upper Room Spiritual Center**  
**3455 West Bangs Avenue, Building 2**  
**Neptune, NJ 07753**  
e-mail: [office@theupper-room.org](mailto:office@theupper-room.org)

The Upper Room Spiritual Center is sponsored by the Diocese of Trenton. The following programs will be offered in July

**Summer Series Two: Oscar Romero: Our Guide to Contemplation and Justice**

Because Archbishop Oscar Romero is one of God's great lovers, we call him a saint. His passion for God and El Salvador's poorest people sprang from a unified heart. Romero can strengthen our desire and ability to integrate contemplation and justice, as he did, within our own hearts.

**Date:** Tuesday, July 16, 2019  
**Time:** 7:00pm-9:30pm  
**Fee:** \$25-\$50 (sliding scale)

**Summer Series Three: Dorothy Day: Becoming a Saint – Little by Little**

Dorothy Day is a person who experienced God at work in the multi-dimensions of her life: A journalist, activist, suffragette, convert, pacifist, revolutionary, mother and grandmother. Through her prayer life she understood how contemplation and working for justice helped her develop a deep happiness.

**Date:** Tuesday, July 23, 2019  
**Time:** 7:00pm-9:30pm  
**Fee:** \$25-\$50 (sliding scale)



**DIOCESE OF TRENTON**  
**FAITH IN OUR FUTURE**

**Three Parishes † One Community**

St. Catherine of Siena ~ St. Veronica ~ St. William the Abbot

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

**St. Catherine of Siena**

[www.sienachurch.org](http://www.sienachurch.org)

**Walking with Purpose Women's Bible Study**

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Interested in learning more? For questions or to RSVP, contact [wwp@sienachurch.org](mailto:wwp@sienachurch.org) or call 732-938-5375.

**St. Veronica**

[www.stveronica.com](http://www.stveronica.com)

St. Veronica Adoration Chapel

**"Perpetual Adoration extends its influence far beyond the individual adorers, touching their homes and families and reaching out to the parish community and beyond."**-Pope Paul VI

To become a registered adorer or for any questions please contact Debbie at [drev514@aol.com](mailto:drev514@aol.com) or leave a message at 732-367-7750.

**St. William the Abbot**

[www.stwilliamtheabbot.com](http://www.stwilliamtheabbot.com)

**HEALING MASS**  
**Wednesday, July 31, 2019**  
**St Rose of Lima Chapel**

With

**Father John Campoli, I.V. Dei**  
**His Love Ministries**

[www.hisloveministries.com](http://www.hisloveministries.com)

**7:00 pm Praise & Worship Music,**

**7:15 pm Rosary**

**7:30 pm Mass and Healing Service**

**God is Love + Love is Mercy + Mercy is Forgiveness + Forgiveness brings Healing**