

**SUNDAY, JANUARY 24, 2016**  
**KEEP HOLY THE LORD'S DAY – GOD'S THIRD COMMANDMENT**

As I have done before early in the year, I write today about the best way to keep close to Our Lord Jesus all year long. Before so many other things which we can recommend – our daily morning and evening prayers, grace before meals, reading the Bible frequently, examining our consciences, getting to Confession several times a year, visits to our Adoration Chapel, reading Catholic newspapers and magazines, praying the Rosary, instructing your children in our Catholic faith, attending a prayer group, a Bible study group – before any and all of these wonderful and helpful spiritual practices – there is one which God Himself commands from all of us. God, in Jesus Christ our Lord and Savior, calls upon all of us to attend Mass each and every weekend. “Keep Holy the Lord’s Day” the Third of God’s 10 commandments makes it clear for us. The Lord’s Day for the disciples of Jesus is Sunday, the first day of the week, because this is the day when Jesus rose from the dead – Easter Sunday. This is the day of Jesus’ triumph over sin and suffering and death. Easter and every Sunday is the day of our salvation. Every Sunday of the year, even in the penitential Lenten Season, is a day of great rejoicing because we always remember and celebrate our salvation on this first day of the week, when Jesus triumphed over death so that we too, might triumph over death and enjoy eternal life.

The Sunday liturgy of Mass is the place and time where we, the disciples of Jesus, come together as a whole community to worship God, to praise and thank Him for His goodness to us, to beg His forgiveness for our sins and to offer Him our prayers of petitions. And the Sunday Mass, before all else, is where Jesus showers His love upon us. He is really present with us as we read and listen to God’s word in the 3 readings from the Holy Bible. He speaks to each of us in the scripture readings of Mass and through the homily of the priest or deacon. Jesus comes among us. He is really present most powerfully and fully when the bread and wine of the Mass are transformed into His Body and Blood for our nourishment, through the Eucharistic prayer spoken by the priest’s words, in the power of the Holy Spirit. What was only simple bread and wine now has become Jesus Christ fully present for us, for our benefit.

Pope Benedict told us: *“If the Church tells us that the Eucharist is an essential part of Sunday, this is no mere positivism or thirst for power. On Easter morning, first the women and then the disciples had the grace of seeing the Lord. From that moment on, they knew that the first day of the week, Sunday, would be His day: the day of Christ the Lord. The day when creation began, became the day when creation was renewed. Creation and redemption belong together. That is why Sunday is so important.*

*It is good that today, in many cultures, Sunday is a free day and is often combined with Saturday so as to constitute a “week-end” of free time. Yet this free time is empty if God is not present.*

*Dear friends! Sometimes, our initial impression is that having to include time for Mass on a Sunday is rather inconvenient. But if you make the effort, you will realize that this is what gives a proper focus to your free time. Do not be deterred from taking part in Sunday Mass, and help others to discover it, too. This is because the Eucharist releases the joy that we need so much, and we must learn to grasp it ever more deeply, we must learn to love it.*

*Let us pledge ourselves to do this – it is worth the effort! Let us discover the intimate riches of the Church’s liturgy and its true greatness: It is not we who are celebrating for ourselves, but it is the living God Himself who is preparing a banquet for us.”*

I join Pope Benedict in asking us to pledge to God that we will be faithful to Holy Mass each weekend of the year.

*God Bless,  
Father Herb*

**TITHING**

<b>January 10-16, 2016</b>	<b>\$15,704.00</b>
<b>Same Week Last Year:</b>	<b>\$17,221.00</b>

**Words of Tithing from the Pews:**

**From the Pastor:** Gift giving needs to be happy and love-laden, so too with Church support. A proportionate share of income is joyously given to God because of God’s generosity to us.

**Words of Tithing from the Pews:** Tithing is one of the best things that ever happened to us in our lives. It enables us to express more fully our faith in God who is the source of all that we have and all that we are. If we truly believe that, then I wonder how anyone could not make God our first priority in paying our bills. Now we put aside the first 10% of our gross income to God before anything else. It’s so easy we never realized it before. We just do it. And you know what? It only becomes a burden or difficult when you put God last.

**Thank you for your sacrifice of Tithing**

**MASS ATTENDANCE**



Mass attendance for January 9/10: 1613

**OUR PARISH CHRISTMAS COLLECTION**

Our parish Christmas collection is our most important collection. Our sacrificial, faith filled gift to Jesus celebrating His birth, helps our parish fulfill its obligations. Many weeks this year our weekly collections have been down from last year. Please consider an extra special Christmas gift to help us fulfill our responsibilities to people with different needs, to our employees and to our other responsibilities. If you were not with us for Christmas, your gift is still welcome. May Our Lord Jesus bless your generosity many times over in 2016!

**SAVE THE DATE – FISH ‘N’ CHIPS DINNER**  
**FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 2016**



We will be having a Fish ‘n’ Chips Dinner on February 26, 2016. See the flyer in today’s bulletin for further details.

**SCRIPTURE READINGS JANUARY 25-31**

**MONDAY** Acts 22: 3-16  
Gospel: Mark 16: 15-18

**TUESDAY** 2 Timothy 1: 1-8  
Gospel: Mark 3: 31-35

**WEDNESDAY** 2 Samuel 7: 4-17  
Gospel: Mark 4: 1-20

**THURSDAY** 2 Samuel 7: 18-19, 24-29  
Gospel: Mark 4: 21-25

**FRIDAY** 2 Samuel 11: 1-4a, 5-10a, 13-17  
Gospel: Mark 4: 26-34

**SATURDAY** 2 Samuel 12: 1-7a, 10-17  
Gospel: Mark 4: 35-41

**SUNDAY** Jeremiah 1: 4-5, 17-19  
1 Corinthians 12: 31; 13: 13  
Gospel: Luke 4: 21-30

**SANCTUARY LAMPS/FLOWERS**



You may have the Sanctuary Candles in the Church, Chapel or Adoration Chapel burn in memory of a loved one (\$10.00 donation), roses at the Tabernacle (\$10.00 donation), or flowers at the altar (\$50.00 Donation). Please call or stop into the rectory office.

**January 24-30, 2016**

**Sanctuary Lamp in the Church** is for Rita & William Ockenhouse

**Sanctuary Lamp in Mary’s Daily Chapel** is for the Morrissey Family

**Sanctuary Lamps in the Adoration Chapel** are for Gregory Loff, Richard Locilento, In Thanksgiving, Charles Hathaway

**Tabernacle Roses in the Church** – Special Intention  
**Altar Flowers:**

**ALL SAINTS ACADEMY CORNER  
FIND US ON FACEBOOK:**



“Open House” at All Saints Academy

All Saints Academy will host an OPEN HOUSE on Tuesday, February 2, 9am-6pm. New and current families, parishioners, neighbors and friends are welcome to visit to learn about all of the great things happening at our parish school. This is a perfect opportunity to tour our building, meet our teachers and staff, and see genuine STEM instruction and learning in process. This Open House is held in conjunction with NCEA’s National Catholic School Week. If you are not able to participate on February 2, please contact our school office to schedule an appointment to visit us and tour our school on another day.

All Saints Academy is a nationally recognized STEM school of the Diocese of Paterson. Our school offers a comprehensive, multi-curricular, rigorous academic program, centered on values-based education. A strong and loving Catholic identity permeates the environment. A spirit of faith, respect and joy are evident in our school. In addition to religious instruction, students model Christian ideals through cooperative activities, spiritual and liturgical celebrations, participation in Sacraments, and service outreach. An active parent organization lends partnership and support to the school community. The Early Childhood Center offers classes for three and four year old children. The elementary and middle school classes include kindergarten through grade eight. Contact our school principal, Mrs. Judy Berg, at 973-334-4704, to schedule a tour and classroom visit.

**MASS INTENTIONS FOR JANUARY 25-31, 2016**

**MONDAY, JANUARY 25, 2016-The Conversion of St. Paul the Apostle**  
6:45AM – Arthur Busil (15<sup>th</sup> Anniv.)  
8:00AM – Christopher Arayata, Helen Johnson, Richard Morrissey (14<sup>th</sup> Anniv.)

**TUESDAY, JANUARY 26, 2016-Sts. Timothy & Titus, Bishops**  
6:45AM – Marc Franchino, Connie & Al Uricoli  
8:00AM – Cresenzo DiLella, William Langton

**WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 27, 2016 – St. Angela Merici, Virgin**  
6:45AM – Kenneth Pearson  
8:00AM – Cresenzo DiLella

**THURSDAY, JANUARY 28, 2016-St. Thomas Aquinas, Priest and Doctor of the Church**  
6:45AM – Florian Sanchez  
8:00AM – People of the Parish

**FRIDAY, JANUARY 29, 2016**  
6:45AM – Rita & William Ockenhouse, Special Intention for Mary Ann Palmieri  
8:00AM – Special Intention for the Priests & Deacons of the Parish

**SATURDAY, JANUARY 30, 2016**  
8:00AM – Anna Tuccitto, Barbara Leshner In Thanksgiving  
5:30PM – Nicole DeBenedetto, Felix Terrero, Barbara Dianuzzo  
7:00 PM –Special Intention for Rufina Ramirez , Enrique Alvarez Ramos, Special Intention for Cecilia Martinez

**SUNDAY, JANUARY 31, 2016 – 4th Sunday Ordinary Time**  
7:30 AM – Cresenzo & Rita DiLella, Barbara Flanagan, William McManus  
9:00 AM – George V. Dodd, Connor Cummings & Harry Huncken (49<sup>th</sup> Anniv.), Lorraine Savery  
10:30 AM – Deanna Testa, George Sowinski, Joseph & Margaret Adamczyk  
12:00 PM – John Veletto, Bebe Ratcliffe, Martin Sanders  
7:00 PM – Jerry Savage (1<sup>st</sup> Anniv.)

**OUTREACH CORNER**

A parishioner is looking for a very inexpensive car. If you have a car you would like to donate or sell, please call the Rectory at 973-334-2090.

**VILLA WALSH GOLF OUTING-MAY 16, 2016**

Spend the day at Fiddler’s Elbow Country Club in Bedminster to benefit the Villa Walsh Academy Athletic Program. Join a foursome for the annual golf tournament on the River and Meadow Courses. Not a golfer?...relax at the club as a “member-for-the-day” and enjoy a variety of other activities, including tennis, fitness classes, pool and massage. A gourmet dinner reception and prize auction complete the day. Contact Maria and Mike Manley at 973-626-1425 for more information.

**SISTERS OF ST. DOMINIC OF CALDWELL  
LUMEN CENTER**

**Adventures in Solidarity with Haiti** - On Tuesday, February 16, 5:30 PM Supper, 6:15-7:45 PM, the Sisters of St. Dominic of Caldwell present Jack Martin and Dr. Jim Morgan as they share in the adventures of outreaches to our struggling neighbor in the Caribbean. See how they continue searching for the best expressions of solidarity in the face of desperate and tragic events. Registration appreciated by February 11. Fee: \$25-\$35. For more information: [lumencenter@caldwellop.org](mailto:lumencenter@caldwellop.org) or [www.lumencntr.org](http://www.lumencntr.org).

**THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH – JANUARY 24-30, 2016**

**SUNDAY, JANUARY 24, 2016**

Towel/Wash Cloth Collection – Narthex  
Simple Meal Sign-up - Narthex  
8:00AM – Men’s Basketball – Parish Center  
9:00AM – Children’s Gospel Program – Church Hall  
10:15AM – CCD – School  
11:00AM – Food Pantry Distribution – Food Pantry  
2:30PM – 10<sup>th</sup> Grade Retreat Day – Parish Center/Cafeteria  
5:30PM – Bingo – Parish Center

**MONDAY, JANUARY 25, 2016**

1:15PM – Diocesan Meeting – Parish Center  
4:15PM – CCD – School  
6:00PM – CYO Basketball – Parish Center  
7:00 PM – R.C.I.A. – Rectory  
7:30PM – S.I.N.E. – 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Classroom  
7:30PM – English as a Second Language – Teachers’ Room

**TUESDAY, JANUARY 26, 2016**

8:30AM – Adult Faith Formation – Church Hall  
10:00AM – Peanuts Playgroup – Church Hall  
11:00AM – Communion Service – Care One  
4:00PM – Children’s Choir – Church/Church Hall  
6:00PM – CYO Basketball – Parish Center  
6:00PM – Girl Scouts - Cafeteria  
7:15PM – CCD – School

**WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 27, 2016**

6:00PM – CYO Basketball – Parish Center  
6:00PM – Boy Scout Troop #72 – Cafeteria  
7:30PM – Spanish Bible Class – 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Classroom  
7:30PM – AOH Meeting – Church Hall

**THURSDAY, JANUARY 28, 2016**

6:00PM – ASA Tricky Tray Set Up – Entire School  
7:30PM – Spanish Choir – Chapel  
7:30PM – Adult Choir – Church/Church Hall

**FRIDAY, JANUARY 29, 2016**

5:30PM – ASA Tricky Tray – Entire School  
7:30PM – Spanish Prayer Group – Chapel

**SATURDAY, JANUARY 30, 2016**

8:30AM – Polish School – School  
1:00PM – CYO Basketball – Parish Center  
4:00PM – Confessions – Church  
5:30PM – Catholic Schools’ Week Talk - Church  
7:30PM – AA – Church Hall  
8:00PM – Indian Sports – Parish Center

**HAVE YOU BEEN GETTING YOUR MAIL FROM SAINT PETER THE APOSTLE**



Occasionally we receive returned mail because someone has moved and not informed the Rectory, or we do not have an apartment number to go along with the street address or sometimes mail says no such person and unable to forward. If you do not receive your contribution envelopes or other mail from Saint Peter’s, please call the Rectory at 973-334-2090 to let us know. We will try to rectify the situation as soon as possible. Thank you.

**MORRIS CATHOLIC SPRING AUCTION MARCH 12TH**

Morris Catholic High School will be conducting its 26<sup>th</sup> Spring Auction on Saturday, March 12 at the Hanover Marriott. Tickets are \$75. Msgr. Raymond Kupke will be the honoree. For reservations, contact [ftuite@morriscatholic.org](mailto:ftuite@morriscatholic.org).

**For everything there is a season and a time for every purpose under heaven...**

*...a time to born*  
**Andrew Conzen, John Farley, Bryce Montfort**  
*...a time to die*  
**William Ockenhouse**  
*...a time to heal*  
**Fr. Herb, Fr. Babu, Baby Emma Wyman, Baby Leonardo Alberto, Van Goodsell, Harry Wiedner**  
*...a time to love*  
**“...and a time of peace.” Ecclesiastes 3:11**

**BINGO**

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8	20	37	52	64
13	27	32	46	67
10	22	31	54	75
3	24	38	53	63

**JANUARY 24, 2016 – TEAM B – BARBARA RYAN**  
**POWERBALL #1 - \$500.00 – POWERBALL #2 \$500.00**  
**POWERBALL #3 29.00**

**DO YOU KNOW SOMEONE SERVING IN THE MILITARY? – PLEASE TELL US**



Please keep all of our parishioners who are serving in the military, in your prayers especially Kemuel David, serving with the Marines and Frank Mulvaney and Natalie Domenech, both currently serving with the Navy. Please notify the Rectory Office, 973-334-2090, if there are any parishioners currently serving our country in the military.

**LET’S GO THIS SPRING TO SPAIN, FRANCE & ITALY APRIL 11-21, 2016**

Our parish is sponsoring a European trip to the exciting city of Barcelona, Spain and then on to Lourdes, where Mary visited with Saint Bernadette. We travel to Nice and visit Monte Carlo from there. Leaving France, we go to Northern Italy to Stresa on Lake Maggiore the Italian/Swiss Lake district. After a full day visiting islands at Lake Maggiore, we go to Milan for our last full day. The next morning we fly home from Milan. Many places on this itinerary we have probably never visited before.

Please call or stop at the Rectory for a beautiful trip brochure. Please speak directly with the travel agency, Nuovo Tours at 973-882-0021, if you wish.

**MARTHA MINISTRY**

**THURSDAY, JANUARY 29 – TEAM 3**  
Anne Monahan, Claudette Pavel,  
Carol Wilkes, Daphne Pucilowski

**SAINT PETER’S GOLDEN AGE-FEBRUARY 1**

Saint Peter’s Golden Age will meet at the Community Center on **Monday, February 1** at 11:00 AM – All are welcome! We are sponsoring a trip to the Sands in Pennsylvania on January 28, 2016. Contact Joe & Jackie at 973-335-1209 for more information.

### CHILDREN'S CHOIR

The Children's Choir will resume regular rehearsals on Tuesday, January 26<sup>th</sup> at 4:00 PM in the Church. Girls and Boys in grades 2 through 8 are invited to join the choir.

### ADORATION CHAPEL – WE NEED ADORERS PLEASE COME!

Remember Jesus' words to St. Faustina: "Adore the Blessed Sacrament, My Heart, which is full of mercy. I want Adoration to take place for the intention of imploring Mercy for the World." Adorers are needed for Saturday at 10 AM and 12 Noon. Please call Kim Arminio if you can help – 973-402-1289.

### ALTAR SERVERS – JAN. 31/FEB 1, 2016

- 5:30PM – Arminio, Arminio, Wingard
- 7:30AM – Jutchenko
- 9:00AM – Bondarowicz, Regalado, Adams
- 10:30AM – Bubay, Bubay, Bubay, Bubay
- 12:00PM – Solomon, Brecher, Brecher
- 7:00PM – Fernandez, Fernandez

### Youth News

Contact John Cammarata at  
[spayouthminister@gmail.com](mailto:spayouthminister@gmail.com)

Our Next Search Retreat for Juniors and Seniors will be held on  
February 5-7, 2016.

Please visit [www.facebook.com/spayouthministry](http://www.facebook.com/spayouthministry)

### SAINT PAUL INSIDE THE WALLS

**Third Annual Catholic Trivia Super Bowl:** Build your own five-person team and tackle multiple-choice questions on the Catholic Faith! Rules: Only one priest, religious brother/sister, or theologian allowed per team. Cost \$25/team in advance, \$30 at the door. Madison, Saturday, January 30 from 10AM – 1PM.

**Being Single, Being Faithful (35+)** – Whether single by choice or by circumstance, we must live every "single" day to the fullest. We can find fulfillment in Christ and His Church by embracing the opportunities in the Church for spiritual growth, meaningful service and a sense of community. Madison, Saturday, February 6 from 10AM-12PM

Please go to [www.insidethewalls.org](http://www.insidethewalls.org) for more information and to register.

### ADULT FAITH FORMATION – JANUARY 26, 2016

We are pleased to present **the last** in a very popular and interesting series for our Adult Faith Formation Program. "Catholicism: Journey Around the World and Deep Into the Faith" is a video series created by Bishop Robert Baron. It is wonderful way to learn about the richness of our Catholic faith. The next session will be on Tuesday morning, January 26, 2016 at 8:30 AM.

### COMPASSIONATE FRIENDS – FEBRUARY 11

The Compassionate Friends, a self-help group for bereaved parents, siblings and grandparents will be meeting on Thursday, February 11, 2016 at St. Christopher's Church, 1050 Littleton Road in Parsippany at 7:30 PM in Room 101. Program: "Valentine's Day With a Broken Heart". Come and let us help each other learn how to begin again. For more information, call Lily Capriglione at 973-568-4164.

### LENTEN CHRISTIAN SERVICE PROJECTS SIMPLE MEAL NIGHT ON FRIDAYS

We are not only into the Holy Year of Mercy but we are also entering the holy season of Lent. As is our tradition, we want to become more aware of our struggling sisters and brothers by reaching out to them in a tangible way.

The Good Samaritans will be sponsoring a "Simple Meal Night" on five Fridays of Lent in the Church Hall. We invite you and your family to share in a sacrificial meatless soup, slice of bread, an apple and water, then donate the equivalent of what you would have spent on an evening meal. All donations will be delivered directly to Haiti by a parishioner's daughter to alleviate the suffering of our sisters and brothers in Christ.



This weekend and next, the Good Samaritans will be in the Narthex after all the Masses for you to sign up for the Simple Meal.

### "WELCOME HOME"



"Welcome Home" is a Diocesan initiative to invite all Catholics to experience the grace of the Sacrament of Reconciliation. Confession is a wonderful opportunity to set aside our sinful ways and to draw closer to our Lord. **Confessions will be held every Monday during Lent, from February 15<sup>th</sup> to March 14<sup>th</sup>, 2016 from 7:00 PM – 8:30 PM** in every Catholic Church in the Diocese of Paterson. Don't be afraid! Information will be provided. Ask the priest to help you. Experience the gracious mercy of God! [www.WelcomeHomeToHealing.org](http://www.WelcomeHomeToHealing.org).

### NATIONAL SLAVERY & HUMAN TRAFFICKING AWARENESS MONTH

**ALERT:** January is National Slavery & Human Trafficking Awareness month. Women, men and children in the US and around the world are subjected to forced labor, domestic servitude and the sex trade at the hands of human traffickers. US Catholic Sisters are working together to end this crime. Learn more about it at [sistersagainstrafficking.org](http://sistersagainstrafficking.org). Ending Slavery is everyone's work.

### PRAYER FOR ONE'S FAMILY



Father sometimes the family gets me down. The children are noisy and bills pile up. Relatives and friends make demands on my time and attention.

I try to keep first things first and create an atmosphere where Your name is honored, Your word observed. But I get tired and a hard edge creeps into my voice. Help me to cope with the daily stains of living in a family.

Help me to sustain a climate in which my partner can grow in Your love, to encourage my children to develop fully the talents You have given them and to make of my family the community of love that Your Son came to bring. Amen.

# Hablando español en San Pedro Apóstol domingo, 24 de enero de 2016 Tercer Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

## Horario de las Misas:

lunes a viernes: 6:45 am y 8:00 am en inglés  
sábado: 5:30 pm en inglés y 7:00 pm en español  
domingo: 7:30 am, 9:00 am, 10:30 am, 12 m y 7:00 pm en inglés

Confesiones: sábado: 4:00 pm a 5:00 pm

Intenciones de las Misas: Por favor, notificar a la oficina parroquial (973-334-2090) con una semana de anticipación. El donativo para las intenciones es de \$10.00.

## Mensaje del párroco:

### **Mantenga santo el Día del Señor – Tercer Mandamiento de Dios**

Como he hecho antes a principios de año, escribo hoy sobre la mejor manera de mantenerse cerca de Nuestro Señor Jesús durante todo el año. Antes de tantas otras cosas que podemos recomendar - nuestras oraciones diarias por la mañana y por la tarde, dar gracias antes de las comidas, leyendo la Biblia con frecuencia, examinando nuestras conciencias, llegando a la Confesión varias veces al año, las visitas a nuestra capilla de Adoración, leyendo periódicos y revistas católicas, rezando el Rosario, instruyendo a sus hijos en la fe católica, asistir a un grupo de oración, un grupo de estudio de la Biblia - antes de todas y cada una de estas maravillosas y útiles prácticas espirituales - hay una que Dios mismo nos manda a todos nosotros. Dios, en Jesucristo, Nuestro Señor y Salvador, hace un llamamiento a todos a asistir a Misa cada fin de semana. "Mantener Santo el día del Señor" el tercero de los 10 mandamientos de Dios lo deja en claro para nosotros. El Día del Señor para los discípulos de Jesús es el domingo, el primer día de la semana, porque este es el día en que Jesús resucitó de entre los muertos - Domingo de Pascua. Este es el día del triunfo de Jesús sobre el pecado y el sufrimiento y la muerte. Pascua y todos los domingos es el día de nuestra salvación. Todos los domingos del año, incluso en el tiempo de Cuaresma de penitencia, es un día de gran regocijo porque siempre recordamos y celebramos nuestra salvación en este primer día de la semana, cuando Jesús triunfó sobre la muerte para que nosotros también, podamos triunfar sobre la muerte y disfrutar de la vida eterna.

La liturgia dominical de la Misa es el lugar y el tiempo en el que, los discípulos de Jesús, se reúnen como una comunidad entera para adorar a Dios, para alabarlo y agradecerle por su bondad para con nosotros, a pedirle su perdón por nuestros pecados, y para ofrecerle nuestras oraciones de peticiones. Y la Misa del domingo, ante todo, es donde Jesús derrama Su amor sobre nosotros. Él está realmente presente con nosotros cuando leemos y escuchamos la palabra de Dios en las 3 lecturas de la Santa Biblia. Él nos habla a cada uno de nosotros en las lecturas bíblicas de la Misa y por medio de la homilía del sacerdote o diácono. Jesús viene entre nosotros. Él está realmente presente con más fuerza y completamente en la Misa, cuando el pan y el vino se transforman en su Cuerpo y Sangre para nuestra alimentación, a través de la Oración Eucarística dichas por las palabras del sacerdote, en el poder del Espíritu Santo. Lo que era simplemente pan y vino se han convertido en Jesucristo completamente presente para nosotros, para nuestro beneficio.

El Papa Benedicto nos dijo: "Si la Iglesia nos dice que la Eucaristía es una parte esencial del domingo, esto no es un mero positivismo o ansia de poder. En la mañana de la Pascua, primero las mujeres y luego los discípulos tuvieron la gracia de ver al Señor. A

partir de ese momento, ellos sabían que el primer día de la semana, el domingo sería su día: el día de Cristo el Señor. El día en que comenzó la creación, se convirtió en el día en que se renovó la creación. Creación y redención van de la mano. Es por eso que el domingo es tan importante.

Es bueno que hoy en día, en muchas culturas, el domingo es un día libre y, a menudo se combina con el sábado a fin de constituir un "fin de semana" de tiempo libre. Sin embargo, este tiempo libre permanece vacío si Dios no está presente.

¡Queridos amigos! A veces, nuestra impresión inicial es que tener que incluir el tiempo para la Misa en domingo es bastante incómodo. Pero si usted hace el esfuerzo, se dará cuenta de que esto es lo que da sentido al tiempo libre. No se deje disuadir de participar en la Misa dominical, y ayudar a otros a descubrirlo, también. Esto se debe a que la Eucaristía libera la alegría que tanto necesitamos, y debemos aprender a comprenderla cada vez más profundamente, debemos aprender a amarla.

¡Comprometámonos a hacer esto - vale la pena el esfuerzo! Vamos a descubrir las riquezas íntimas de la liturgia de la Iglesia y su verdadera grandeza: no somos nosotros los que estamos celebrando para nosotros mismos, pero es el mismo Dios vivo que se está preparando un banquete para nosotros".

Me uno a el Papa Benedicto en pedirnos prometer a Dios que vamos a ser fieles a la Santa Misa cada fin de semana del año.

Dios los bendiga,

*Padre Herb*

**Atención.** Enero es el mes nacional de la esclavitud y de la trata de personas. Mujeres, hombres y niños en los Estados Unidos y en todo el mundo están sometidos a trabajos forzados, servidumbre doméstica y al comercio sexual a manos de los traficantes de personas. Las *Hermanas Católicas* están trabajando unidas para poner fin a este crimen. Aprenda más al respecto visitando: [sistersagainstrafficking.org](http://sistersagainstrafficking.org). *Poner fin a la esclavitud es un trabajo de todos.*

## Año Jubilar de la Misericordia



### Oración

Señor Jesucristo, tú nos has enseñado a ser misericordiosos como el Padre del cielo, y nos has dicho que quien te ve, lo ve también a Él. Muéstranos tu rostro y obtendremos la salvación.

Tu mirada llena de amor liberó a Zaqueo y a Mateo de la esclavitud del dinero; a la adúltera y a la Magdalena del buscar la felicidad solamente en una creatura; hizo llorar a Pedro luego de la traición, y aseguró el Paraíso al ladrón arrepentido. Haz que cada uno de nosotros escuche como propia la palabra que dijiste a la samaritana: ¡Si conocieras el don de Dios!

Tú eres el rostro visible del Padre invisible, del Dios que manifiesta su omnipotencia sobre todo con el perdón y la misericordia: haz que, en el mundo, la Iglesia sea el rostro visible de Ti, su Señor, resucitado y glorioso. Tú has querido que también tus ministros fueran revestidos de debilidad para que sientan sincera compasión por los que se encuentran en la ignorancia o en el error: haz que quien se acerque a uno de ellos se sienta esperado, amado y perdonado por Dios.

Manda tu Espíritu y conságranos a todos con su unción para que el Jubileo de la Misericordia sea un año de gracia del Señor y tu Iglesia pueda, con renovado entusiasmo, llevar la Buena Nueva a los pobres proclamar la libertad a los prisioneros y oprimidos y restituir la vista a los ciegos. Te lo pedimos por intercesión de María, Madre de la Misericordia, a ti que vives y reinas con el Padre y el Espíritu Santo por los siglos de los siglos. Amén.

# Saint Peter the Apostle



## FISH 'N' CHIPS

Friday, February 26, 2016

5:00 - 8:00pm in School Cafeteria

**Cost:** Adults - \$15 – Children under 10yrs - \$10  
under 3yrs eat free.

**Dinner includes:** Homemade Battered Fried Fish or Chicken  
Tenders, French Fries, homemade coleslaw, fresh  
made donuts and drinks.

Complete the order form below and return it to the Rectory.

179 Baldwin Road, Parsippany NJ 07054

Deadline for orders is **February 19, 2016** (no refunds)

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### ORDER FORM

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ # of Adult Fish Dinners      \_\_\_\_\_ # of Adult Chicken Dinners      x \$15= \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ # of Child Fish Dinners      \_\_\_\_\_ # of Child Chicken Dinners      x \$10= \_\_\_\_\_

Please Check one: Dine In \_\_\_\_\_ Take Out \_\_\_\_\_

Checks made payable to Saint Peter the Apostle Church



COME JOIN US FOR OUR  
**LENTEN SIMPLE MEAL**  
**FRIDAYS – Between 6:00 & 8:00 PM**



FAMILY NAME \_\_\_\_\_

FEB. 12<sup>TH</sup> Number of Adults \_\_\_\_\_ Number of Children \_\_\_\_\_

FEB. 19<sup>TH</sup> Number of Adults \_\_\_\_\_ Number of Children \_\_\_\_\_

MAR. 4<sup>TH</sup> Number of Adults \_\_\_\_\_ Number of Children \_\_\_\_\_

MAR. 11<sup>TH</sup> Number of Adults \_\_\_\_\_ Number of Children \_\_\_\_\_

MAR. 18<sup>TH</sup> Number of Adults \_\_\_\_\_ Number of Children \_\_\_\_\_

# Saint Peter the Apostle CYO Basketball Fundraiser 2016



**St. John's University** vs. **Seton Hall University**

**Date:** Wednesday January 27, 2016

**Location:** Prudential Center, Newark N.J.

**Time:** 7:00 PM

## Pre-Game Contest

**4:00PM:** St. Peter 8<sup>th</sup> grade Green vs. St. Peter 7<sup>th</sup> grade White

Come out and support our teams on a great night of basketball!

**Tickets: \$20.00**

**For tickets please contact:**

Tim Lorencovitz (201) 207-6971 [tlorencovitz@gmail.com](mailto:tlorencovitz@gmail.com)

Kenny Lee (973) 202-0318 [murdock005@gmail.com](mailto:murdock005@gmail.com)

Gapo Guzman (973)332-5977 [gmancuffsandcut@optonline.net](mailto:gmancuffsandcut@optonline.net)



**“Make a Difference Monday”**  
**January 25<sup>th</sup> at**



*Fresh, Creative Italian Cuisine  
in a Warm, Welcoming Setting - - BYOB*

**136 Baldwin Road – Parsippany**

**Baldwin Plaza**

**Lunch 11:30am – 2:30pm**

**Dinner 5 – 8 pm**

**Take Out Lunch/Dinner**

**973-316-0088**

*Reservations Recommended*



**Enjoy a fabulous meal and  
Gourmet Cafe will donate  
10% of sales to  
All Saints Academy**