

St. Justin the Martyr Roman Catholic Church

975 Fischer Boulevard, Toms River, NJ 08753

June 17, 2018

ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



PRAYER OF ST. JOHN XXIII FOR FATHERS

St. Joseph, guardian of Jesus and chaste husband of Mary, you passed your life in loving fulfillment of duty. You supported the holy family of Nazareth with the work of your hands. Kindly protect all the fathers who trustingly come to you. You know their aspirations, their hardships, their hopes. They look to you because they know you will understand and protect them. You too knew trial, labor and weariness. But amid the worries of material life your soul was full of deep peace and sang out in true joy through intimacy with God's Son entrusted to you and with Mary, his tender Mother. Assure those you protect that they do not labor alone. Teach them to find Jesus near them and to watch over him faithfully as you have done.

Pastor: Reverend Mark A. Kreder

Parochial Vicar: Reverend Thomas J. Barry, Jr.

**Deacons: James Campbell; James Gillespie
Frederick C. Ebenau, Sr.; Richard Hauenstein**

Pastoral Associate: Deacon James Gillespie

Religious Education: Ellen Noble

Trustees: Jean Glynn, William Anderson

Music Director: Angela Petti

Sacristan: Carol Lewandowski

PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

**Monday ~ Thursday 9:00 AM to 12:00 Noon and
1:15 PM to 4:00 PM; Friday 9:00AM-12:00 Noon**

REGISTRATION: All are welcome! Sponsorship letters for the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation or Matrimony will only be issued to registered parishioners. Please contact the Parish Office to register and please also notify the Parish Office of a change of address or if you plan to move from the parish so that we may keep our records updated.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

SUNDAY, June 17

ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME;

Father's Day

7:30am Father's Day Novena
9:00am Margaret Ebenau
(Children's Choir) **The Sohl Family (living)**
10:30am Joseph John Sauer
(Adult Choir) Maria Teresa Sarli
12Noon Rick Lewis
Patrick Cennamo

MONDAY, June 18

Weekday

8:30am Father's Day Novena

TUESDAY, June 19

Weekday; St. Romuald, Abbot

8:30am Father's Day Novena

WEDNESDAY, June 20

Weekday

8:30am Father's Day Novena

THURSDAY, June 21

St. Aloysius Gonzaga, Religious

8:30am Father's Day Novena

FRIDAY, June 22

Weekday; St. Paulinus of Nola, Bishop;

Saints John Fisher, Bishop, and Thomas More, Martyrs

8:30am Father's Day Novena

SATURDAY, June 23

Weekday; BVM

9:30am People of the Parish

5:00pm Father's Day Novena

SUNDAY, June 24

THE NATIVITY OF SAINT JOHN THE BAPTIST

7:30am Father's Day Novena

9:00am Lisa Ann Paparazzo

(Children's Choir) **Victor Leone**

10:30am **Michael McDonough**

Louis Lanza

12Noon **Carrie Disporto**

(Adult Choir) **Michele Morano**



*The Altar Bread,
which will become the Body
of Christ at the Masses
celebrated during the week
is offered in loving memory of
our fathers*

*Joseph John Sauer &
James William Keogh*

requested by The Keogh Family

Lord,

**you give us the body and blood of your Son
and renew our strength.**

Fill us with the spirit of love

**that we may work effectively to establish among men
Christ's farewell gift of peace.**

We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen

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MONTHLY FOOD COLLECTION:

Every third weekend of the month.

PARISH OFFICE: 732-270-3980

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: 732-270-3797

PARISH WEBSITE: www.stjustin.org

MASS SCHEDULE: Saturday Vigil: 5:00PM

Sunday: 7:30AM, 9:00AM, 10:30AM, 12:00Noon

Monday-Friday:8:30AM; Saturday: 9:30am

Holy Days: Announced

BAPTISM: Parents are required to attend a
Baptism Preparation Session. Godparents/Sponsors are
invited and strongly encouraged to attend. Please call the
Parish Office as early as possible to make arrangements.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

Saturdays: At 3:30PM

INTERESTED IN BECOMING A CATHOLIC?

Adult R.C.I.A. program: Contact Parish Office

Children R.C.I.A. program: Contact Religious Ed.

MARRIAGE: The Sacrament of Marriage requires a
time of spiritual preparation. According to the
Common Policy adopted by the Bishops of New
Jersey, this preparation requires attendance at a
marriage preparation program (Pre-Cana) as well as
sessions with the parish deacon or priest. Therefore,
couples should make arrangements at the Parish Office
one year before the planned wedding date and before fi-
nalizing any social plans.

MISSION STATEMENT: The goal of Saint Justin the
Martyr Parish is that each member grow in the Grace
through Jesus Christ, and in so doing cooperate with the
Holy Spirit in giving glory to God, in experiencing the
salvation of their soul, and in building up the Body of
Christ.



*May the love of God and the
peace of the Lord Jesus Christ
bless and console us
and gently wipe every tear
from our eyes:
in the name of the Father,
and of the Son, and of the
Holy Spirit. Amen*

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From the Pastor
11th Sunday
in Ordinary Time
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June 17, 2018
Father's Day

This Father's
Day we pray
for our two
living Holy
Fathers: Pope
Emeritus

Benedict and Pope Francis, who accepted the awesome challenge to 'shepherd' and 'father' the Church on earth. [And I thought I had it rough 'shepherding' and 'fathering' one Parish!] Calling a mere mortal man our 'Holy Father' riles fundamentalists and some Catholics who 'read their own issues' into biblical texts like "Call no one on earth your father; you have but one Father in heaven." [Matthew 23:9] And there are numerous biblical injunctions asserting that **only God** is holy. However, we do not 'deify' or make into a god what we call holy, like the Holy Land or a Holy Day!

Why do we call the Pope our 'Holy Father?' He is the 'Chief Pastor' of the Church; the 'Supreme Pontiff' or bridge-builder between all Christians who, like a wheel's axle, unites every spoke; the 'Vicar of Christ' and 'Successor of Saint Peter' to whom Jesus entrusted His Church, and who 'fathered' the first Christians. So on this Father's Day we pray for our 'Holy Fathers.'

Collect - For the Pope

O God, who chose your servant Francis.
in succession to the Apostle Peter
as shepherd of the whole flock, look favorably on the
supplications of your people
and grant that, as Vicar of Christ on earth,
he may confirm his brethren and that the
whole Church may be in communion with him
in the bond of unity, love and peace,
so that in you, the shepherd of souls,
all may know the truth and attain life eternal.
Who lives and reigns ... for ever and ever. Amen.

"MAY THEY BE ONE." Of all the things Jesus prayed for at the Last Supper, the night before He died, His greatest concern was for our unity: "May [they] all be one, as you, Father, are in me and I in you, that they also may be in us, that the world may believe that you sent me." [John 17:21] And what better way to help keep us one than to unite us as **one** family around **one** father, **one** flock around **one** shepherd.

No wonder Jesus established His Church firmly on the rock of **Saint Peter's** confession of faith - and around the man who, as our 'Holy Father,' both 'fathers' and 'shepherds' the flock!

Prayer over the Offerings - For the Pope

Be pleased, we pray, O Lord, with the offerings presented here and govern with unfailing protection your holy Church, together with Francis our Pope, whom you have chosen to be her shepherd. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

WE MUST PRAY FOR ONE ANOTHER. In the Preface I of Apostles we pray: "**eternal Shepherd, you do not desert your flock, but through the blessed Apostles watch over it and protect it always, so that it may be governed by those you have appointed shepherds to lead it in the name of your Son.**" Not only do the Apostles and their successors who have died intercede for the Church from heaven; today's shepherds: all Bishops, Priests and Deacons, also pray for the unity of the Church. But without our prayers, and our obedience to those who shepherd us, the flock will be scattered. So pray for all who 'father' and 'shepherd' us today!

Prayer after Communion - For the Pope

Having been made sharers at the heavenly table, we humbly entreat you, Lord: by the power of this mystery, strengthen your Church in unity and charity and, as you have entrusted your servant Francis with the office of shepherd, grant him always salvation and protection, together with the flock entrusted to his care. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

A FATHER TO THE FATHERLESS. Perhaps one of the most difficult things for a father to do is to get his children who are well-off to assist those who are fatherless or in need. As this oration reminds us, the **Holy Father** not only **unites** us; he must also call us to express our love in **charity**. **Pope Francis** is certainly known for calling us to care for the poor! Father Tom and I wish all fathers a **Happy Father's Day!**

In Christ,

Father Mark

Readings for the Week of June 17, 2018

Monday: 1 Kgs 21:1-16; Ps 5:2-3ab, 4b-6a, 6b-7; Mt 5:38-42
Tuesday: 1 Kgs 21:17-29; Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 11 and 16;
Mt 5:43-48
Wednesday: 2 Kgs 2:1, 6-14; Ps 31:20, 21, 24; Mt 6:1-6
Thursday: Sir 48:1-14; Ps 97:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7; Mt 6:7-15
Friday: 2 Kgs 11:1-4, 9-18, 20; Ps 132:11, 12, 13-14, 17-18;
Mt 6:19-23
Saturday: 2 Chr 24:17-25; Ps 89:4-5, 29-30, 31-32, 33-34;
Mt 6:24-34
Sunday: Is 49:1-6; Ps 139:1b-3, 13-14ab, 14c-15;
Acts 13:22-26; Lk 1:57-66, 80

**This Weeks
Suggestions on FORMED**



FATHER'S DAY

Read: Be a Man!

Read: Boys to Men

Read: The Father of the Family

Read: Behold the Man

Read: The Catholic Family Handbook

Read: Discovering God Together

Read: How to Raise Good Catholic Children

ST. JOHN FISCHER AND THOMAS MORE

Watch: Faith of Our Fathers

Read: Crossbows and Crucifixes

Read: The Young People's Book of Saints

Read: Characters of the Reformation

Sign up for FORMED on our website:
Click the **FORMED** icon on the home page

Questions or Info:
Contact bulletin@stjustin.org

CHRISTMAS CAROLING IN JULY!



Come and Join our
**Children and
Adult Choirs**
Wednesday, July 18
at 2:00pm

Where:
Shorrock Gardens
Care Center

75 Old Toms River Road Brick NJ, (732-451-1000)

What a beautiful way to bring joy to hearts that are lonely, and enjoy a little bit of Christmas "right this very minute" All parishioners are invited!

INTERESTED IN JOINING EITHER CHOIR?

CONTACT ANGELA:
732-797-0978 -- music@stjustin.org



ST. JOSEPH'S ST. JUSTIN THE MARTYR ST. LUKE'S ST. MAXIMILIAN KOLBE

MISSION STATEMENT

Leading people to the heart of Jesus where they can experience the beauty of the truth as contained in the Catholic faith.

RCCTR Social Justice Mission

Isaiah 1:17 "Learn to good. Make justice your aim: redress the wronged, hear the orphan's plea, defend the widow. Come let us set things right."

In 2017 as part of the Bishop's Faith in our Future initiative the Roman Catholic Churches of Toms River (RCCTR) chose social justice as a point of emphasis. Social justice has always been a hallmark of the Catholic Church and the truth is our four churches already do incredible work in this area through many of our ministries. Going forward we are going to communicate more consistently the message of the good works of our churches. This is a vitally important part of our Catholic story and the world should know us by our love and our good works. In addition, much work has been done to build bridges to likeminded religious and civic organizations. The hope here is the RCCTR in the future can serve as a conduit to necessary resources in our community that offer assistance, hope and answers to those who don't know where to go in times of crisis, when social, psychological or other services beyond the scope of the church may be needed. Ultimately, we hope to serve as a springboard to hope, charity and most of all love to our brothers and sisters in need. If you would like to learn more about the social justice initiatives of the RCCTR contact Patsy DiPasquale: pdipasq@gmail.com or rcctr24@gmail.com

*Are you looking for a deeper relationship with Jesus Christ? Perhaps God is calling you to discern a vocation in the **Lay Carmelite Order of the Blessed Virgin Mary of Mt. Carmel.** Carmelites are active contemplatives! Mary is invoked by Carmelites as Mother, Patroness and Sister. Through Mary, Carmelites learn a new way of living for God and of loving others after the example of Jesus her Son. For more information, please contact Linda at 732-668-6008.*

*To everything there is a season
and a time to every purpose under heaven*

Ecclesiastes 3:11

"...a time to be born..."

"...a time to love..."

... "and a time to be born to Eternal Life..."

Anna Marie Beiswinger, Edward Plenzo

*Those who have died in the Service
of our Country.*

"...and a time for peace in all the world..."

pray for our servicemen and women at home and abroad.

David Cozad, Jason Howie, Daniel Robert Costello,
Mark Caruso, Rick DiSanti, A.J. Elbert, Ryan Buckley,
Eric P. Fenske, Louis Graffeo, Michael Griffing,
Alexandria Del'Romero Hughes, Audrey Hughes,
Antoni Jedra, Charles Jones, Ian Krong,
Armando Leonor, Walter Reed, Tyler Brandon Sansone,
Trevor Smida, Christopher Sylvester, Nick Roma
Nick Panzara, Brian Macnab, Greg Hermack, John DiMicelli,
John M. Budenas, Robert Tront, Joey Colosimo
Michael Anthony DeAnni, Kieran Murphy, Colin Berrios

*and for our President and
elected Leaders of our Country.*

TAKE ME OUT TO THE BALLGAME!

**St. Justin's 7th Annual Parish Night
at the BLUE CLAWS GAME**

August 21st (Faith and Family Night)

Time: 7:05pm; Cost \$10/ticket
(if purchased at the gate \$13--
Save \$3 person)

This night is also Silver Sluggers Tuesday:
Seniors 60+ eat free. (vouchers will be
handed out at gate behind home plate at the
game);

Children 12 and under receive a voucher for a free meal
at the time of ticket purchase! *Bring it to the game,
cannot be replaced if forgotten or lost.*

Altar Servers and Youth Group members will
receive a free ticket and a complimentary ticket for one
parent/guardian to attend with them. **Tickets can be
purchased at the Parish Office during regular
business hours and after all Masses the weekend of:
June 30/July 1, July 21/22/ August 18/19**
Flyers are available in the narthex & downloadable
from our website: www.stjustin.org.

If you cannot attend the game but would like to
sponsor a family, call the Parish Office.



THE NEXT BAPTISMAL WORKSHOP

7PM in the Religious Ed. Bldg.
Wednesday, July 11, 2018

Registration for Workshop is Required
call the Parish Office at 732-270-3980 to attend.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

**REGISTRATION FOR OUR 2018-19
PROGRAM YEAR**

**Daytime Registration for
New to our Program Students**

Students entering Grade 1 for the 2018-19 program year may register in our parish office Monday-Thursday from 9:00AM-12Noon and 1:15-4:00PM. You must register as a family first and a Certificate of Baptism must be presented at the time you are registering for religious education classes.



**Vacation Bible School
July 9th – 13th**

9:00am – 12Noon

"SPLASH CANYON"

**Music – Bible Activities – Crafts
– Games – Snacks**

Children entering Grades K-6 may register for a fee of \$15.00 (\$5.00

per additional sibling) and checks should be made payable to Saint Justin's. Registration forms were distributed through our religious education program and are also available in the parish office and in the Narthex. A registration form must be completed and returned to the parish office.

If you are an adult who wishes to volunteer, please contact our office immediately so we may have you in full compliance with our child protection policy in the diocese. If you are a student in Grades 7-12 and are interested in volunteering, please contact our office. Our telephone number is (732) 270-3797.

**St. Justin the Martyr Body of Christ Healing
Prayer Ministry is available to
anyone desiring personal prayer.**

**Each individual hour is
personal and confidential!**

**For an individual prayer appointment and/or
further information, please contact
Lorraine at 732-270-4081.**

Celebrate!



Save the Date!

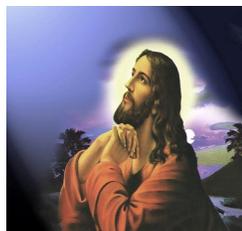
**Sunday, June 24th
There will be a light
reception after the
12Noon Mass in the**

**parish hall to celebrate the anniversaries
of the ordinations of Father Mark
(15 years) and Father Tom (1 year).
The 12Noon Mass will be concelebrated
by both our priests.**

PARISH MINISTRY MEETINGS

ST. JUSTIN'S BEREAVEMENT GROUP

generally meets the 2nd and 4th Mondays from 7:30pm to 9:00pm in St. Justin's Conference Room. Anyone who has lost a loved one please come join us in prayer and sharing,



Next meetings: Mondays June 25th, July 9th and July 23rd

ST. JUSTIN'S SENIORS

On Oct. 16, 2018 there will be a trip to Smithville (1 hour to tour) buffet lunch, then on to the Golden Nugget casino in Atlantic City, with \$25.00 play money and \$5 food comp. Cost is \$70, all money must be in by June 30th. Info call Barbara 732-929-0298 or 732-232-3733



"Peace be with you."

MENDING THROUGH FAITH

Family and Friends who have lost their Loved Ones through addiction meet once a month to help mend their broken hearts through faith. The next

meeting is scheduled for: **Monday, July 2, 7pm** in the Religious Ed Building All Family and Friends are welcome. For further information call or text Kate Miick at 732-232-8614 or Diane Noonan at 732-503-1536.

MEN'S FAITH GROUP

Next Meeting: Monday, July 2nd, 7:00pm

St. Justin's Conference Room

Come and See. Join other men from the Parish for prayer, discussions and brotherhood as we live out, learn and share our Catholic Faith.

Save the Date!
Having a Summer Barbeque?
The Altar Rosary Society will be having a
Bake Sale the weekend of
July 7th and 8th.



Raise Your Voice for the Lord!

**St. Justin Adult and Children
Choirs Join Now...CONTACT
ANGELA: 732-797-0978
Or email: music@stjustin.org**



BUS TRIP TO Golden Nugget Casino Benefiting St Vincent de Paul Society **Tuesday, July 10th 2018**

\$30 Tickets, Receive \$25 in Slot Play,
plus \$5 food comp

Bus Leaves St. Justin's Parking Lot at 1pm
call Bernie at 732-255-4363 or 732-232-3758



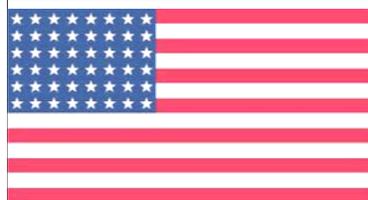
ST. VINCENT dePAUL SOCIETY FLAG SALE

**after Masses the weekend of
JUNE 23rd & 24th**

Please support this worthy cause!

**"I do know that I have this moment.
I will be a saint this moment."**

- Mother Angelica



Senior Spirituality Day—July 18

Bishop David M. O'Connell, C.M., will be principal celebrant of a Mass to be held at the annual

"Senior Spirituality and So Much More" Day, slated for July 18 from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. in St. Gregory the Great Parish, Hamilton Square. Sponsored by the diocesan Department of Pastoral Care, the event is intended for adults ages 55 and over and features speakers and musical entertainment designed with seniors in mind. Msgr. Sam Sirianni, rector of the St. Robert Bellarmine Co-Cathedral, Freehold, will enlighten the seniors with a spiritual message entitled "Passing on the Faith From Generation to Generation," and members of the International Catholic Grandparents Association will offer their views on the subject. "Rock-N-Rhythm" will perform a musical tribute to the early days of rock and roll and doo-wop. The day will conclude with Mass with Bishop O'Connell. Registration fee is \$18, which includes coffee, a snack and hot lunch, and beverages. Space is limited, and registration must be received by July 10. No walk-ins will be admitted. Attendees are encourage to show their patriotic spirit by wearing red, white and blue. To register, send check payable to "Diocese of Trenton" with name, address, phone, email, parish and city to Diocese of Trenton, Department of Pastoral Care, 701 Lawrenceville Road, Trenton, N.J. 08648, or register online at dioceseoftrenton.org/pastoral-care. For further information, contact Deanna Sass at 609-403-7157. St. Gregory the Great Parish, 4620 Nottingham Way, Hamilton Square.