

PARISH OFFICE: 732-269-2208

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Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, Readers,

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Children's Liturgy Committee- ext. 120

Faith Formation & Catechesis:

Mary Britanak- ext. 128

*Religious Education-*ext. 132

Confirmation Prep- ext. 132

Whole Community/Family Catechesis, ext. 128

Hospitality Committee- ext. 128

Parish Nursing- ext. 115

Office Hours: Thurs. 9am-12pm

*RCIA -*ext. 104

Bible Study- ext. 100

Pastoral Care & Evangelization:

Terry Damiano - ext. 120

Bereavement Support Group

Comfort Ministry

Hospital/ Nursing Home Visitors

Separated & Divorced Support- ex.309

Rainbows – ext. 309

Annulment Advocates- ext. 100

Youth Ministry:

Tim Blumensteel - ext. 127

Barnabas Active Teens-BATs, ext. 127

Parish Scouting- ext. 102

Children/Families with Special Needs ex. 128

Stewardship:

Parish Stewardship Council, ext. 127

Shared Ministry Council, ext. 120

Welcome Committee- ext. 100

Social Action/Social Justice:

Social Action Hotline- ext. 308- furniture/clothes

Respect Life Committee- ext. 306

Interfaith Hospitality Network- ext. 120

Caregivers of Ocean County – ext. 120

ST. VINCENT de PAUL ext. 134

St. Barnabas Food Pantry ext. 107

Food Pantry Hours: Mon. 9:30-11:15am, Wed. 9:30-11:15am, Fri. 9:30-11:15am

Thrift & Gift Shop: Wed. 9:00am to 2:00pm, Fri. 9-1, Sat 3:30-5:30, Sun. 7:30-1:30

Spiritual & Social:

Spiritual Direction- ext. 100

Knights of Columbus- ext. 100

*Altar Rosary Society -*ext. 120

Prayer Groups – There are several regular Prayer

Meetings in the parish- please call ext. 120

Cornerstone Retreat Team- ext. 120

THE SACRAMENTS AT ST. BARNABAS

BAPTISM: 1st Sunday at Mass, 2nd - 5th-at 2:00pm.

Contact Parish Office for preparation, arrangements & sponsor certificates. You must be a registered parishioner to obtain a godparent sponsor certificate.

Baptism Prep Team- ext. 128

MARRIAGE: Couples must be registered in our parish 6 months before booking & adhere to all parish wedding policies available on website. There is a **one year** prep period. Please call Parish Office. *Pre- Cana-* ext. 100

ANOINTING OF THE SICK: No Longer Last Rites!

Please call emergency line ext. 333, or Parish Office to schedule. *There is no need to wait until near death.* .

CONFIRMATION: ext. 132, **Adults- RCIA,** ext. 100

HOMEBOUND EUCHARIST: If someone would like to have Holy Communion brought to them, call ext. 120.

Hospital & Nursing Home Visitors- ext. 120

HOLY ORDERS/VOCATIONS: Fr. Stas, ext. 104

RECONCILIATION/CONFESSIONS:

Sats. 3:15-3:45, Weds. 8:30-9am & 6:30-7:00pm

Seasonal Communal Services -Or by appointment

MASS SCHEDULE:

Daily: Mon. –Fri. -8am

SAT: 4pm, SUN: 7:30am; 9:00am; 10:30am; 12 Noon espanol (Spanish)

SPONSOR CERTIFICATES: Only registered parishioners can be given certification to be a sponsor for Baptisms and Confirmation.

**For more info please visit our website:
www.stbarnabasbayville.com**



SUNDAY, JANUARY 7, 2018
THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD



MONDAY, JANUARY 8, 2018
The Baptism of the Lord

8:00am **Salvatore Ottaviano**
 req: Kotusky Family
Tina and Joe Furchak
 req: Don and Pat Lickun

TUESDAY, JANUARY 9, 2018

8:00am **Joseph Demand**
 req: Patty and Frank Schmitt
Anthony Cerra
 req: Susie and Joseph Molion

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 10, 2018

8:00am **Betty Hunt**
 req: Maryanne Gearing
Barbara Brinks
 req: Joe and Priscilla Finamore

THURSDAY, JANUARY 11, 2018

8:00am **Andrew Onacilla and Family**
 req: Maryann and Ray Cembor
Donald Steinbech
 req: Dawson Family

FRIDAY, JANUARY 12, 2018

8:00am **Walt Jones**
 req: Wife, Pat
Bernice Corsaro
 req: Eileen Ewing and Ann Naples

SATURDAY, JANUARY 13, 2018
St. Hilary

4:00pm **Edward J. Olah**
 req: Family
Bob Gleman (12th Anniv)
 req: Family

SUNDAY, JANUARY 14, 2018
SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

7:30am **Anthony Basile**
 req: Wife, Theresa Basile
John Palombi (5th Anniv)
 req: Palombi Family

9:00am **Michael Christopher Kostin**
 req: Gloria Imperiale and Leo Harkins
Ada Kindon
 req: Ocean Gate First Aid Squad

10:30am **Marilyn Riavez**
 req: Deborah Riavez and Family
Maryanne DeGilio
 req: Maureen and Kevin Hall

12 Noon **For Our Parishioners**

WEDDINGS

Congratulations to all the newly engaged couples! Just a reminder that wedding preparation is a one year process and that the Church should be booked before the reception. Please call the Parish Office at extension 100 so that we might start your paperwork.

PRE CANA

The next Pre Cana that will be held here at St. Barnabas is scheduled for January 26/27, 2018 in Father Rucki Hall. Pre-registration is necessary. Go to the webpage of the Diocese of Trenton –www.dioceseoftrenton.org – and look for the link to Family Life to register. Pre Cana must be completed well in advance of your wedding date.



Feast of the Epiphany

Dear Parish Family:

The story of the Epiphany captures the imagination with its rich mixture of mystery and intrigue. Into the Holy Family's impoverished and temporary shelter, comes Three Wise Men from the East, dressed in majestic robes and bearing gifts of Gold, Frankincense, and Myrrh. They traveled from an unknown land, following a star, experienced the deviousness of King Herod, before they were filled with delight in finding the new born child. After paying homage, they left for home by a different way.

The story is so colorful; we may overlook its significance and fail to see its deeper meaning. The Wise Men represent all of us. Their journey through the desert and mountains following a star reflects our search for purpose and meaning in life, which is not possible unless we are guided by faith.

Life is a long journey, but we do not have to travel it alone, fumbling in darkness in our search. Our story today, calls for us to look around and search for the Lord who is in our midst, in situations where previously we were unaware of his presence. He comes in people and places we least expect, and at times, when we are most unprepared for his company. God stands in our midst revealing himself and inviting us to enter his company. Nothing is ever the same again for those who have discovered his light.

Like the Wise Men, we come each Sunday to celebrate the Eucharist, let our celebration help us travel this coming New Year, by allowing what we experience to be shared with others who are still searching for a shining light in their lives.

Our celebration of Christmas this year was absolutely magnificent. A sincere thank you to all who helped in the physical preparations, the musical selections, the greeters, liturgical ministers, and of course, our special guest for the children's Mass who gathered outside for pictures and passing out candy canes. It was truly the best Christmas ever!

A reminder that as the cold season is with us the colds and flu will be increasing as well. So as to not pass any possible germs, we will refrain from receiving the precious blood from the cup until the end of March. Also, it is permitted that if you have the beginnings of cold or afraid of contacting a cold, at the Sign of Peace or even walking out of Church, you can just simply nod to the person and say, "Peace be with you" and "Have a good day." It's important that we take the necessary measures in preventing the spread of the virus. Thank you for your understanding and kindness.

Thought for the week: "The Wise Men followed the star; we now follow the Son."

Have a great week; we'll see you in Church.....

Fr. Stas'

MISSION STATEMENT **ST. BARNABAS PARISH**

BELIEVING, BELONGING, BECOMING

We are a diverse, active community, rooted in the love of Christ. We recognize who we are and all that we have comes from God.

In gratitude we respond in prayer, service, and sharing of our time, talent, and treasure. Through the sacraments, we are committed to evangelization, learning, teaching, and proclaiming God's Word to His people.

COME TO THE QUIET – A SILENT RETREAT

Come and experience the shore in all its winter beauty! This weekend, February 2nd to 4th, has been set aside for those desiring time alone with God. This retreat offers time for reflection, Eucharistic Liturgy and Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will be included. Arrival: 6-7pm/Departure 1pm. Cost \$215. Please call St. Joseph by the Sea at 732-892-8494 to register or for additional information.

*The St. Barnabas Parish Stewardship
Prayer:*

*Generous God,
We give thanks to you for the gifts you have given
us, our lives, families, friends, time, talent, and
material possessions. All that we have comes from
you. Help us to remember this and rejoice in your
goodness.*

*Walk with us, Lord. Help us on our spiritual
journey, so that we may constantly renew our
relationship with you as a community in our
believing, belonging and becoming.
Give us the strength and courage to become better
followers and disciples of Jesus, who lives and
reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God
forever and ever. Amen.*



Welcome

WELCOME, WELCOME, WELCOME!

**IF YOU ARE HERE WITH US FOR THE FIRST
TIME, OR IT HAS BEEN A WHILE, WE WANT
YOU TO KNOW, YOU ARE WELCOME HERE!**

No matter what your present status in the Catholic Church; no matter what your current family or marital situation; no matter what your past or present religious affiliation; no matter what your personal history, age, background, race or color; no matter what your self-image or esteem; YOU are invited, welcomed, accepted, loved and respected here. St. Barnabas Parish community is a vibrant place to nurture and live out our faith together. We sincerely hope you will feel at home with us and make St. Barnabas Your Parish, Your Home.



We are pleased to announce that on the second Sunday of the month at the 10:30am Mass, we will be offering the Children's Liturgy of the Word program here at St. Barnabas!

The Liturgy of the Word for Children is an opportunity for children attending the regular Sunday 10:30am Mass (age Kindergarten through fourth grade) to share the Sunday readings, the Profession of Faith, a Reflection, and General intercessions on their level.

The children proceed to our Chapel after the Opening Prayer and return to the Assembly before the Offertory. Parents are welcome to go with their children to the Chapel.

The Liturgy of the Word for Children will be facilitated by our Children's Liturgy team. The next Children's Liturgy of the word will take place on **January 14th**. All are welcome.

We hope that our families will take advantage of this wonderful opportunity to help our children develop a better understanding of our scriptures.

Please call Donna Antonowicz at 732-505-8211 for more information.

2018 TRAINING!

Winter classes are now starting for our parish's Karate Program. We meet Mondays and Wednesdays from 5pm to 6pm in Father Brennan Hall. For more information, please call Tim Blumensteel at 732-237-0791.

**DIOCESE OF TRENTON
CATHOLIC COMMITTEES ON SCOUTING**

Join other Boy and Girl Scouts in the 6th grade or higher for the weekend of March 9-10-11, 2018 at Pine Tree Environmental Center, Tabernacle, for their annual Retreat. This year's theme is **Truth or Dare**. For more information, please contact Father Michael Santangelo at fmikedt@gmail.com.



burns in memory of ...

**Modesta Miranda for the week of
January 8 to 13, 2018 in the Chapel
At the request of her Daughter, Annabell
Velez.**

**In Memory of Maryanne DeGilio for the
weekend of January 13/14, 2018 in the
Church at the request of Tom and Barbara
Dudek.**

NUESTRA PROMESA DE PROTEGER

La Diocesis de Trenton se compromete a las iniciativas resumidas en la Carta Estatuita de los Obispos Catolicos Estadounidenses para la Proteccion de Ninos y Jovenes acerca de reportar e investigar alegaciones de abuso sexual involucrando a menores de edad.

Si usted fue abusado cuando era menor de edad por un miembro del clero o de cualquier persona representando a la Iglesia Catolica, o si conoce a alguien quien fue abusado, se puede reportar ese abuso usando la Linea Diocesana Directa del Abuso: **1-888-296-2965** o por correo electronico al abuseline@dioceseoftrenton.org.

La Diocesis de Trenton reportar cualquier alegacion de abuso sexual segun la agencia de seguridad adecuada. Animamos que cualquier persona con alegaciones sobre algun abuso provea esa informacion a su agencia policial local.

2017 STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURES

Households Registered.....	6,297
Families Receiving Envelopes	1,393
Collection for December 9/10.....	\$11,634*
On Line Givers.....	92
On Line Giving.....	\$2,144
Grand Total.....	\$13,778

*Budgeted amount needed to pay expenses for our parish, our home, such as electric, gas, phone, taxes, staff salaries, medical benefits, diocesan assessments, supplies for offices, CCD, Mass, maintenance, etc. = approx. \$22,000 per week. Next weekend our second collection will be taken up for **Social Action/St. Vincent de Paul**. Please be as generous as your means allow.

THANK YOU AND GOD BLESS YOU for your contributions and continued support of our parish!

Please consider remembering your parish of St. Barnabas in your last will and testament by a Bequest to St. Barnabas Church. This is how you might include St. Barnabas in your will: "I give, devise, and bequeath to St. Barnabas Church, Bayville, New Jersey, the sum of \$_____ (or _____percent of my estate to be used by its trustees in carrying out its corporate objectives and purposes."

BAPTISM PREP CLASS

Our next Baptism Preparation Class will be held on Tuesday, February 20th at 7pm in Father Rucki Hall. It is not necessary to wait until after the baby is born to attend. Please call the Parish Office for register.

VOLUNTEER TELEPHONE HOTLINE TRAINING FOR CONTACT

CONTACT of Ocean and Monmouth Counties is a 24 Telephone Crisis Intervention and First Call for Help. CONTACT is in need of Volunteers and will hold a training session starting Thursday, January 11th from 6:30pm to 9:30pm for 12 weeks. For more information please call 732-240-6104 or visit www.contactoceanmonmouth.org.



May They Rest In Peace

Kenneth Vitty
Charles Hernandez
Laura Stazzone

Thomas Scala
Linda Ingram
Brittany Dickinson

Please pray for the following who are serving our country overseas. May they come home safely and soon:

PFC Nicole Addonizio
A1C Andrew C. Augustine
Pvt. 1st Class Justin Ayers
Marine CPL Juan Gabriel Barragan
Army PV2 Joseph Bello
PFC Joe Black
LCPL Kyle Brodsky
US Coast Guard FN Vincent Carraccio
Army Maj. Elisabeth Casely
Army Major Jennifer Chapman
Army Major Joseph Chapman
Coast Guard Lt. Tara Lee Wrocklage Collins
Army Sgt. Charles Connelly, Jr.
Army PFC Lauren Connelly
Marine LCPL Ashley DeFluri
Marine LCPL Kevin DeFluri
Chief Petty Officer James De Luise
LCPL Thomas Dilzer
Pvt. Matthew Derek Finan
Major Bradley Fisher
Cpl. John J. Fletcher
PFC Andrew Forano
CTT Seaman Michael Gaffney
Army Staff Sgt. Michael Gautier, Jr.
Navy APP Seaman Craig Gavin
Army Dylan Gildner
Army Sgt. 1st Class Richard Heisler
Army Sgt. Michael David Kozak
Army Staff Sgt. John Kraemer
Staff Sgt. Mark LaBombard
Army Andrew Lay
Marine Staff Sgt. Anthony Lovering
Marine Steven McMahon
Lance Cpl. Vincent Mizerk
Lt. David Nelson
Staff Sgt. Matthew Novellino
Lt. Carlo J. Ocampo
S. Sgt. Shane Paczkowski
Marine John David Purdy
Lance Cpl. John A. Roth, Jr., USMC
2nd Lt. Christopher Voorhees
Marine LCPL Steven Wedding

ROSARY ALTAR MEETING

ALL WOMEN OF THE PARISH ARE WELCOME!

The next Rosary Altar Society meeting will be held on **Monday, January 8th at 1pm (Please note time change)** in Father Brennan Hall. Following the recitation of the rosary there will be a short business meeting followed by our annual "Mystery Gift Auction".

Don't forget to bring a wrapped gift for the auction.

Come join us for a fun afternoon!

PRAYER GROUPS

We have three prayer groups that meet each week. Tuesdays our Spanish Prayer Group meets at 7:00pm in Father Brennan Hall. Tuesdays the Contemplative Prayer Group meets at 7:00pm in the Chapel. Thursdays the Open Door Prayer Group meets at 7:30pm in the Chapel. All are welcome to join.

QUESTIONS OF THE WEEK

Adults: Why do you think the Gospel writer felt it was important to tell the story of the Magi?

Children: What could you give to Jesus as a gift?

Sick Relatives & Friends

(Child) Morgan Ackerman, Vincent Aiello, Matthew Bailey, Tania Bertram, Fatima Blewitt, Carol Boyle, Michele Boyle, Kathleen Brady, Cathy Brower, Ellen Burstein, Marie Carbone, Nancy Cardinal-Puleo, Yelda Casanas, Anthony Coletta, Joe and Pat Coletta, Joseph Coppola, Barbara Cotto, Donna Cross, Rosemary Crowe, Isabel Crunkleton, Felicitas Cruz, Vincent Daniels, Gary Davila, Stephanie and Mike DeCrescenzo, Dorothy Desmond, Mike D'Esposito, Sr., Charlie Discenza, Christine Divine, Angelica and Donald Dobbin, Dan Dobrzelecki, Maureen Donahue, Helen Dudek, Shane Erickson, Charles Ewald, Joseph Fedor, Chester and Mary Anne Figel, Ronald Filan, Rob Fisher, Ed Foran, Heidi Fortune, Jennifer Fortunato, Tim Frey, Mazie Fucsko, Kerry Furey, Brian Gaffney, Marion Gaffney, Vito Gallucci, (child) Lily Gersch, Joseph Giddings, Ellen Giles, Fran Goeke, Jack Hagerty, Peter G. Halasnik, Katie Hayes, Steven Hnatko, Tom Holloway, Ethel Horvath, Mary Jacobs, Ed Jardel, George Jeans, Stephanie Jensen, Elizabeth Koehler, John Kozla, Olga Kurdilla, (child) Trevor Kwatkowski, Arlene Lamphier, Marie Leahey, Steven Lopresti, Jean Lovinfosse, Kathy Manion, Carol Marino, Pedro Martins, Kay Massa, Viguere Mauraud, Felice Mauro, Jeff Mayfield, Jason McDaniel, (child) Ryan McDermott, Scott McDonald, (baby) Arabella McFadden, Tom Misch, Ray Misch, Joseph Mockapetris, Jane Moore, Christine Morbelli, Evelyn Morgan, Barbara Nash, Holly Newme, Melissa Oakes, June Olivar, Nikki Olsen, Irma O'Rourke, Joann and Lou Palomequei, Bruno Patriarca, Barbara Pavlick, Donald Pavlick, James Pavlick, Jr., Christopher Pavlinec, Sherry Pavlinec, Michael Pitch, Ron Presby, Donald Prete, Gordon Rhinesmith, Savannah Roberts, Doug Roswech, Eugene Rutzler, Tim Ryan, Tom Salvatore, Santiago Family, Peter Santillo, Rose Maria Santos, Arlene Sauer, Glen Sawyer, (child) Aiden Schaefer, Pat Schreier, Dana Schnitzer, Charles Schwab, Pam Scott, Lauren Sharo, Bea Shea, Edward Shea, Isabel Short, Lorraine Shubach, Holly Slusarz, Vicki Smith, Lorraine Soriano, Pardo Spedaliere, Jim Squirell, Rosemary Sullivan, Gregory Svirnelis, Lorraine Tango, Harold Thompson, Pat Torricollo, James Tracy, Roberta Trani, Donald Trent, Jack Trovato, Edward Truppo, Wilma Tuite, John Tylutki, Beverly Valentine, Chris Valentine, John Van Horn, Leonard Vannella, Marian Vieth, Violet Visconti, Veronica Viviani, George Wagner, Sean Walsh, Joseph Weiss, Andy Werkhoven, Dorothy and Walter Willems, Kathy Wright, Regina Zieser, Gaye Zisco, Concetta Zuccaro

WORDS TO LIVE BY: Let Jesus calm your troubled waters.



ST. BARNABAS FOOD PANTRY

JANUARY'S THEME:

CAN -CAN SALE DAYS...

There are great buys in the stores during Can-Can sales. It's also a great time to stock up our SVdP pantry shelves.

Can you help our pantry provide:

PANCAKE MIX
PANCAKE SYRUP
JUICE
SPAGHETTI SAUCE
COFFEE
CRACKERS



Whatever donation you can give is always greatly appreciated. **Please do not donate expired foods. We are unable to give this to our guests.** Thank you for your continued support.



Thank you to ALL who so generously shared their time, talents and treasure in support of our Christmas gift drive. Your gifts and service helped bring some Christmas Joy to 464 children and 424 nursing home residents this year!
Thank you for your generosity!



**+ADORATION OF THE BLESSED
SACRAMENT+**

The Ministry of Eucharist Adoration has been adoring our Lord in the Chapel for 17 years. Our parish has been blessed by the countless holy hours and prayers offered up for our families, friends and parish. We are in great need of Adorer's! Please consider spending time with our Lord in Adoration. One hour a week will deepen your relationship with Jesus. Hours needed immediately:

Saturday 9am to 10am

Sunday 9am to 10am

**Monday 9am to 10am, 11am to 12pm, and
1pm to 2pm**

Tuesday 1pm to 2pm and 2pm to 3pm

This is an urgent request! Please contact Cathy Kaulfers 732-644-0947. Give to Jesus the gift of your visit for a Holy hour! God Bless you!

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED TO ASSIST
IN FILING TAXES FOR THE 2017 TAX SEASON**

Free Income Tax Preparation is available to anyone who needs help filing their taxes by AARP volunteers.

Volunteers are needed and training is available. Volunteers are required to be available at least one half day from February 1st to April 15th, 2018.

For more information, please call 609-294-0730.

**DIOCESE OF TRENTON
MASS FOR LIFE**

Respect Life Ministries invites all to participate in prayer for life at the 2018 Mass for Life, Monday, January 22, 2018. 9:30am Mass for Life at St. Mary's Cathedral 151 North Warren Street, Trenton, NJ. Join Bishop O'Connell who will be the celebrant for Mass. Then process to the Rally for Life at 11:00am at the Statehouse Annex, 131 West State Street, Trenton. Come hear Pro-Life Leaders, elected officials and clergy address the current abortion related issues. For questions or more information, please call 609-403-7192 or email rhendr@dioceseoftrenton.org.

OUR PROMISE TO PROTECT

The Diocese of Trenton is committed to the initiatives outlined in the U.S. Bishop's Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People in regard to the reporting and investigation of sexual abuse allegations involving minors.

If you have been sexually abused as a minor by a member of the clergy or anyone representing the Catholic Church, or if you know of someone who was, you can report that abuse through the diocesan Abuse Hotline:

1-888-296-2965 or via email at abuseline@dioceseoftrenton.org.

The Diocese of Trenton reports any allegations of sexual abuse to the appropriate law enforcement agencies. Anyone with an allegation is also encouraged to provide that information to local law enforcement authorities.

VOCATION VIEWS: The Magi brought gold, frankincense, and myrrh. What gifts do you have to give? Is God calling you to be a priest, brother, or sister? (Matthew 2:1-12)