

PARISH OFFICE: 732-269-2208

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Barnabas Active Gardeners-BAGs -ex. 100

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, MARCH 18, 2018
FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT



MONDAY, MARCH 19, 2018
St. Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary

8:00am **Robert Marzullo**
 req: Family
Pardo Spedalieri
 req: Ken and Denise Marcell

TUESDAY, MARCH 20, 2018

8:00am **Mildred Conover**
 req: Kathy and Dominic
Conrad Reitz
 req: Mark and Elaine Masur

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 21, 2018

8:00am **Julia Marie Charles (4th Anniv)**
 req: Mom, Kathi and Siblings
Joan Mulligan
 req: Dawson Family

THURSDAY, MARCH 22, 2018

8:00am **Ellen Page**
 req: Andy and Betty Slinchak
Paul Stutzman
 req: Jim and Lis Mlodgenski

FRIDAY, MARCH 23, 2018
St. Turibius of Mogrovejo

8:00am **Ferdinando Mauceri (1st Anniv)**
 req: Beloved Wife, Children and
 Grandchildren
Ellen Page
 req: Ken and Denise Marcell

SATURDAY, MARCH 24, 2018
Blessed Oscar Romero

4:00pm **Angela Kreegan**
 req: Her Family
George and Maud Nobriga
 req: Jude Faljean



SUNDAY, MARCH 25, 2018
PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

7:30am **Regina Zieser**
 req: Ken and Denise Marcell
Bruno Panzino
 req: Alfonso Panzino

9:00am **George Jeans**
 req: Terry Damiano
Mario A. Orlando, Sr.
 req: Carmela Migliazza

10:30am **Owen Koehler**
 req: Loving Family
Kenneth Vitty
 req: Mahan Family

12 Noon **Graciela M. Heredia**
 Req: Cappas and Lugo Families
For Our Parishioners

BUILDING CLOSURE

Just a reminder that there will be NO meetings or prayer groups the week of March 26th to March 30th due to Holy Week. The Maintenance Staff needs time to clean and set up for Easter. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation. Adoration will close at 12 Noon on Sunday, March 25th and reopen on Tuesday, April 3rd.



5th Sunday in Lent

Dear Parish Family:

It's hard to believe that Lent is almost over. Next Sunday, we begin the home stretch of Holy Week. So today, I want to be very plain and very practical. I would like all of us to concentrate on just one simple point to do before Lent 2018 is over! That one point is to make a sincere, honest and humble confession. I know that for many Catholics today, going to confession is not an easy thing to do! It's definitely not the "Top Ten" in the list of "What I like to do the most." But going to confession can be compared to the example Jesus gives in today's gospel. "Unless the grain of wheat falls and dies, it remains just a grain of wheat, but if it dies, it will produce much fruit." Going to confession is a kind of dying, why? Well, because our pride has to die so we can humble ourselves before the Lord.

In today's Gospel, we hear the people saying, "We want to see Jesus." Wouldn't it be wonderful to see Jesus face to face! Well going to confession is like seeing Jesus face to face. Like the father who watched and waited for his prodigal son to come home, Jesus is even happier and more excited to see us than we are to see Him. Permit me to turn those words of today's gospel around to say, "Jesus would like to see you!" He wants to see us, not to call us on the carpet, not shame us, not blame us, not clobber us, but rather he wants to forgive us. He wants to tell us person to person, heart to heart, "I forgive you" "I love you"

Lent is the season for sinners. Let's do ourselves a good thing, let's try to get to confession before Easter. Tomorrow, Monday, March 19th at 7:00 p.m., we will have our annual Lenten Penance Service. There will be a number of priests available to hear your confession in preparation for Easter. I invite all of you to come and experience the compassionate Jesus who said, "I did not come to call the righteous but the sinners." To experience the merciful Jesus who said, "The Son of Man has come to seek and to save what was lost." To receive

the forgiving Jesus who said, "There will be more joy in heaven over one sinner who repents than over 99 righteous, who have no need of repentance."

Do you want to see Jesus? He'll be waiting for you. Don't disappoint Him or yourself!! Hopefully, we see you at the Penance Service.

Next Sunday is the Passion of Our Lord/Palm Sunday. Our solemn blessing of palms and procession will take place at the 4:00 p.m. Mass. We invite all of you to join us at this celebration.

The annual Living Stations of the Cross sponsored by our BAT's will take place on Friday, March 23rd at 8:00 p.m. and again on Good Friday, March 30th at 8:00 p.m. in the Church. An invitation is extended to all our parishioners to come and join them.

Our Children's Stations of the Cross will take place on Wednesday, March 28th at 5:00 p.m. We invite all our young people to participate in the Stations. Please call Donna Antonowicz at 732-505-8211 to sign up and for further information.

Once again, in our bulletin is the Holy Week and Easter Sunday schedule of Masses and Services. Please take a copy home and keep it for a quick reference during the week. **PLEASE NOTE: THERE WILL BE NO CONFESSIONS AND NO 4:00 P.M. MASS ON HOLY SATURDAY.**

Thought for the week: "These days of Lent are the stepping stones to the path of light."

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

Fr. Stas'

CINDERELLA

Enter into the world of Cinderella with this narrated ballet being performed at the Grunin Center at the Ocean County College on April 7th at 11am. Come join us for this great family event. The tickets are only \$11.50 and may be purchased by contacting Terry Damiano at 732-269-2208 ext. 120. This ticket could be something you might want to add to your child's Easter basket.

Lenten Services

The following is a list of the Lenten Penance Services at the area Churches:

Monday, March 19th 7pm – St. Barnabas Bayville

Tuesday, March 20th 6pm – St. Theresa Tuckerton

Wednesday, March 21st 12 Noon – St. Maximilian Kolbe Toms River

Thursday, March 22nd 7pm – St. Joseph Toms River

Friday, March 23rd 7pm – St. Justin Toms River

Tuesday, March 27th 7pm – St. Luke Toms River



Have you prayed as a family about donating to the Annual Catholic Appeal? This very important appeal helps many people throughout the four counties of the Diocese.

One of the Ministries that the Appeal helps is the **Consecrated Life**.

In the Diocese of Trenton, those in consecrated life represent membership in a variety of male and female religious institutes. These men and women have dedicated their lives to proclaim the Word of God and serve His people. Currently we have 51 Brothers, 37 Priests, and 230 Women Religious ministering in the Diocese. While not easily recognizable, nevertheless, they witness the face of God as they celebrate our liturgies and carry out the spiritual and corporal works of mercy in fields of education, health care and social services throughout the Diocese. Your gift promotes those called to serve.

EVENING PRAYER

Join us on Wednesday, March 21st at 7pm in the Chapel for Lenten Evening Prayer. All are welcome. Bring a friend.



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.

MEATBALL SUB SALE

The Bayville First Aid Squad Auxiliary is sponsoring their annual Meatball Sub Sale on Tuesday, March 20th from 10am to 1pm. Walk-ins welcome or call Betsy at 732-267-5847 to order ahead of time. Cost is just \$4 and the proceeds go to help with the costs of running the First Aid Squad.

CAREGIVER SUPPORT GROUP

Please join Ascend Hospice and Bayville Manor on Thursday, March 29th from 6pm to 7pm for their Caregiver Support Group. Meet other professional and family caregivers in the area. A special Guest Speaker will be present. Refreshments will be served. Please call 732-269-1111 for more information.

Congratulations
to the
Newly Baptized



We would like to welcome to our Parish our newly baptized children:

**LOUIS IANNUZZELLI, III
CORAYNN KEYES**



ST. BARNABAS FOOD PANTRY

MARCH'S THEME:

Dinner Side Dishes

Can you help our pantry provide:

- COLD CEREAL
- PEANUT BUTTER
- INSTANT POTATOES
- JUICE
- CRACKERS
- CANNED TOMATOES



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.

PRAYER SHAWL MEETING

The next meeting of the Prayer Shawl Ministry will take place on Wednesday, April 4th at 6:30pm in the Meeting Room. All knitters and crocheters are welcome to join!

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 **April 8th**. 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.

HOPE SPRINGS ETERNAL GIFT AUCTION

This gift auction will benefit the Hope Center, which we are a member of. Join them on Saturday, March 24th at Toms River High School East. Doors open at 12:30 and drawing begins at 2:00pm. Tickets are \$15. BYO Food and soft drinks – no alcohol permitted. Call the Hope Center at 732-341-4447 for tickets.

VOCATION VIEWS: *We should like to see Jesus. Where and how do we see Jesus? Pray for a clear vision of Jesus in the Body of Christ that surrounds us: in the poor, the outcast, and the suffering. Pray for the grace to stand with them. (John 12:20-33)*

BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT

Are you dealing with the loss of a loved one? Sometimes the emotional response to this death may be overwhelming. Give yourself permission to experience these feelings.

You may be experiencing some adjustments in your life due to your loss. Adapting to a world in which our loved one no longer exists is difficult.

To help you with you loss we will be having a Bereavement Support Group in April 2018. Contact Terry for more information at the Parish Office 732-269-2208 ext. 120.

THE SHROUD OF TURIN EXHIBIT

This exhibit includes a long linen cloth that bears a faint image of a bearded, crucified man with bloodstains that match the wounds of Jesus Christ. It has been preserved and revered for centuries as the actual burial shroud that wrapped Jesus as recorded in the Bible. Join St. Stephen Ukrainian Catholic Church, 1344 White Oak Bottom Road, Toms River from March 17th to March 20th to view this exhibit. Saturday, March 17th 10am to 6p; March 18th 9am to 1pm; March 19th 11am to 7pm; and March 20th 11am to 5pm. For more information, please call 732-505-6053 or 609-372-7161.

QUESTIONS OF THE WEEK

Adults: Tell of a time that you sacrificed to help another.

Children: Tell of a time when you helped someone when it would have been easier not to.

2018 STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURES

Households Registered.....	6,307
Families Receiving Envelopes	1,402
Collection for February 17/18	\$13,706*
On Line Givers.....	102
On Line Giving.....	\$2,119
Grand Total.....	\$15,825

*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.

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."



RESPECT LIFE COMMITTEE MEETING

Please join us on Tuesday, March 20th at 7:00pm in the Meeting Room of the Spiritual Center. We will be talking about today's issues and an exciting project at St. Barnabas! Please join us.

Sick Relatives & Friends

(Child) Morgan Ackerman, Vincent Aiello, Matthew Bailey, Tania Bertram, Fatima Blewitt, Carol Boyle, Michele Boyle, Kathleen Brady, Cathy Brower, Ellen Burstein, Mae Campbell, Marie Carbone, Nancy Cardinal-Puleo, Yelda Casanas, Anna Clarizio, Anthony Coletta, Joe and Pat Coletta, Joseph Coppola, Barbara Cotto, John Cronen, 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, Heidi Fortune, Jennifer Fortunato, Bill Frey, Tim Frey, Mazie Fucsko, Kerry Furey, Brian Gaffney, Marion Gaffney, Vito Gallucci, Vivian Garsh, (child) Lily Gersch, Joseph Giddings, Ellen Giles, Fran Goeke, Jack Hagerty, Peter G. Halasnik, Katie Hayes, Thomas Higgins, Steven Hnatko, Tom Holloway, Ethel Horvath, Mary Jacobs, George Jeans, Stephanie Jensen, Mary Kenny, Katherine Kilfara, Elizabeth Koehler, John Kozla, Richard Kramer, Olga Kurdilla, (child) Trevor Kwatkowski, Arlene Lamphier, Marie Leahey, Steven Lopresti, Kathy Manion, Carol Marino, Pedro Martins, Kay Massa, Viguere Mauraud, Felice Mauro, Jeff Mayfield, Jason McDaniel, (child) Ryan McDermott, Scott McDonald, Charles McEwan, (baby) Arabella McFadden, Tom Misch, Joseph Mockapetris, Jane Moore, Christine Morbelli, Evelyn Morgan, Barbara Nash, Holly Newme, Melissa Oakes, June Olivar, Nikki Olsen, Irma O'Rourke, Ronald Pace, Joann and Lou Palomequei, Bruno Patriarca, Barbara Pavlick, Donald Pavlick, James Pavlick, Jr., Christopher Pavlinec, Sherry Pavlinec, Michael Pitch, Ron Presby, Donald Prete, Maria Mora Ramirez, 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, Lorraine Shubach, Holly Slusarz, Vicki Smith, Lorraine Soriano, Jim Squirell, Rosemary Sullivan, Gregory Svirnelis, Harold Thompson, Pat Torricollo, James Tracy, Roberta Trani, Donald Trent, Jack Trovato, Edward Truppo, Wilma Tuite, John Tylutki, Sophia Urban, Beverly Valentine, Chris Valentine, John Van Horn, Leonard Vannella, Marian Vieth, Violet Visconti, Veronica Viviani, George Wagner, Sean Walsh, Maureen Wasilewski, Joseph Weiss, Andy Werkhoven, (baby) Tyler Edgar White, Dorothy and Walter Willems, Karen Wonsala, Kathy Wright, Gaye Zisco, Concetta Zuccaro

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 PFC 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
USMC 2nd LT. Gregory Fry
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
Army Sgt. Cory Logsdon
Marine Staff Sgt. Anthony Lovering
Marine Steven McMahon
Lance Cpl. Vincent Mizerk
Lt. David Nelson
Lt. Carlo J. Ocampo
S. Sgt. Shane Paczkowski
Marine John David Purdy
Lance Cpl. John A. Roth, Jr., USMC
Army Captain Michael Tier
2nd Lt. Christopher Voorhees
Marine LCPL Steven Wedding



May They Rest In Peace

Jean Calvitti

Rudolph Behul

Lenten Services



Monday, March 19th – **Lenten Reconciliation Service** 7pm

Wednesday, March 21st – **Evening Prayer** 7pm in the Chapel

Friday, March 23rd – **Living Stations** 8pm

Saturday, March 24th – **Solemn Procession for Palm Sunday** at 4pm Mass

Sunday, March 25th – **Palm Sunday** – regular Mass Schedule

Wednesday, March 28th – Children's Stations of the Cross 5pm in Church

Holy Thursday, March 29th – Morning Prayer 9am – **Mass of the Lord's Supper** 7:30pm Adoration in Chapel until 11pm.

Good Friday, March 30th – Morning Prayer 9am; **Good Friday Service** 3pm; Living Stations 8pm

Holy Saturday, March 31st – Morning Prayer 9am; Blessing of the Foods – 9:30am; **Easter Vigil** 7:30pm

NO CONFESSIONS OR 4PM MASS ON HOLY SATURDAY.

Easter Sunday, April 1st – 7:30am; 9:00am; 10:30am Children's Mass in Church – 10:30am Mass in Hall; 12 Noon in English in Church; 12 Noon in Spanish in Hall

ROSARY ALTAR MEETING

The next meeting of the Rosary Altar Society will take place on Monday, April 9th at 7pm starting with praying the Rosary in the Chapel. After the Rosary, we will welcome Linda Ostapovich, Director of the Center for Pregnancy and Infant Loss; NJ Co-Chapter Leader of the Tears Foundation, to speak at the meeting. She will explain the foundation's mission of assisting families with funds needed for costs associated with losing a child and bereavement support groups. She will also encourage us to support their May Walkathon by sponsoring or joining the walk. All women of the parish are invited and encouraged to join us.

Our monthly Mass will be on Sunday, April 8th at 9am. We will pray the Litany before Mass. All are encouraged to join us.

GIFT STORE

Our Gift Store is open on Wednesdays from 9am to 2pm and Fridays from 9am to 1pm. They are also open around the Mass schedule on the weekends. They have many lovely gifts to choose from including handmade 1st Communion veils, 1st Communion ties (need to be ordered) books, bibles, crosses, medals, statues, etc. Stop by and browse to see what they offer. All are welcome!

SHOP RITE CARDS AVAILABLE

We are offering Shop Rite cards to help support the Church. They are available after Mass in the Vestibule of the Church. The Church makes 5% of every card we sell and we use that money to help with our debt. Do you shop at Shop Rite? If so why not purchase a card or two!

