



# St. Margaret of Cortona Parish

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*Serving the Catholic Communities of Little Ferry and Moonachie  
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## **MASS SCHEDULE:**

**Saturday Vigil:** 5:30 p.m.

**Sunday:** 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m., and 12:00 noon

**Weekdays: Monday to Friday:** 12:00 p.m.

**CONFESSIONS:** Saturdays at 1:00 p.m.

## **PARISH WEBSITE:**

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### **Parish Center Office**

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Monday to Friday

### **Rectory**

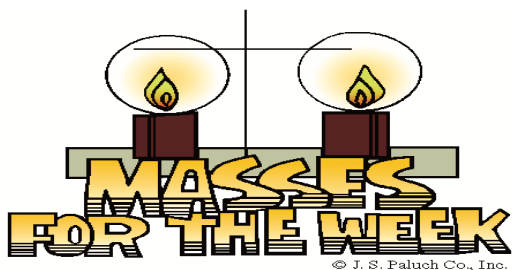
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By appointment only

### **Religious Education**

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Sunday to Thursday



**Memorials  
Bread & Wine  
And  
Sanctuary Candle  
People of Our Parish Family**

**SATURDAY, June 18**  
**5:30 PM For All Father's Living & Deceased**

**SUNDAY, June 19, 2022**  
**The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ**

**8:00 AM 10:00 AM 12:00 PM**  
**For All Father's Living & Deceased**

**MONDAY, June 20**  
**12:00 PM Caterina Hroncich**

**TUESDAY, June 21**  
**12:00 PM Larry Loewy**

**WEDNESDAY, June 22**  
**12:00 PM Nick Skrivanic**

**THURSDAY, June 23**  
**12:00 PM Gioacchino Piccinich**

**FRIDAY, June 24**  
**12:00 PM Helen Loewy**

**SATURDAY, June 25**  
**5:30 PM Barbara & Giuliano Spadavecchia**

**SUNDAY, June 26, 2022**  
**Thirteenth Sunday of the Church Year**

**8:00 AM Eugene Patunas [1A]**  
**10:00 AM Daniel & Elizabeth Weir**  
**12:00 PM James & Rose Smith**

**PATIENCE**

Patience is the ability to idle your motor when you feel like stripping your gears.

—Anonymous

**FATHERHOOD**

A father carries pictures where his money used to be.

—Anonymous

**The Most Holy Body  
and Blood of Christ**  
 June 19, 2022

*For as often as you eat this bread and drink the cup,  
you proclaim the death of the Lord until he comes.*  
 1 Corinthians 11:26



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**THE GIFT OF THE EUCHARIST**

Today we hear how Abram encounters Melchizedek, “king of Salem . . . and a priest of God Most High” (Genesis 14:18). Melchizedek appears nowhere else in scripture, but is nonetheless significant. Psalm 110 declares of the great King David, “You are a priest forever, in the line of Melchizedek,” a description later given (in the letter to the Hebrews) to Christ as High Priest. Early Christians saw in Melchizedek’s bread and wine the bread and wine of the Eucharist; Paul’s account of the Last Supper (in today’s second reading) is the oldest one in scripture. In the Gospel, Luke describes Jesus providing bread for a crowd in words similar to Paul’s, words still used by the Church: Jesus takes bread, gives thanks, breaks it. Together, these three readings reveal how Christian priesthood, Christ’s Real Presence, and the call to serve those in need are all found in the gift of the Eucharist.

**TODAY’S READINGS**

**First Reading — Melchizedek brought out bread and wine and blessed Abram (Genesis 14:18-20).**

**Psalm — You are a priest forever, in the line of Melchizedek (Psalm 110).**

**Second Reading — Paul gives his description of the institution of the Eucharist (1 Corinthians 11:23-26).**

**Gospel — Jesus feeds the crowd with five loaves and two fish (Luke 9:11b-17).**

**SAINTS AND SPECIAL  
OBSERVANCES**

**Sunday: The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ;**

**Father’s Day; Juneteenth**

**Monday: Twelfth Week in Ordinary Time**

**Tuesday: St. Aloysius Gonzaga;  
Summer begins**

**Wednesday: St. Paulinus of Nola;  
Ss. John Fisher and Thomas More**

**Thursday: The Nativity of St. John the Baptist**

**Friday: The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus**

**Saturday: The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary**



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**We lift up to the Lord in our prayers and good works for: the sick, frail and the homebound.**

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|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| John McConnell           | Anthony Deli             |
| Catherine Mary Moncello  | Michel Porta             |
| Camilla Leventhal        | Julian Morgan            |
| Nicole Grano             | Baby Amato Jordan        |
| Johanna Hanush           | Philip Dittmar           |
| Lena Vitale.             | Grace Ehler              |
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| Florence Navarro         | Kevin Michael Francis    |
| Paula Kelnhofer          | Jacqueline Palmadessa    |
| Barbara Demczyszyn       | Michael Toscano          |
| Caroline Ruppert Hubertz | Ellie Lombardelli        |
| Tom Greaux               | Brandon Kingsley         |
| John Ratynski            | Tony Tarabocchia         |
| Cynthia Ratynski         | Robert & Carolyn Salzman |
| Victor Ruggiero          | Vincent Evelich          |
| Helen Vopasek            |                          |



Victims of terrorism and war; genocide in Syria and the Holy Land, worldwide human trafficking, racism and hatred, domestic abuse and street violence, severe weather conditions and for all those victims who suffered and lost their loved ones, under the COVID-19 pandemic.



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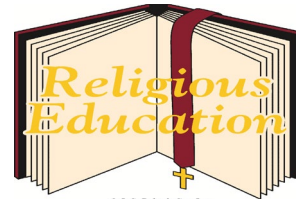
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**RCIA**



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*If there is any adult (18+yrs.) who wishes to complete their initiation into the Catholic Church by receiving Confirmation and/or Communion and Confirmation, please call Sister Dorothy at 201-641-2989.*



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*Registration for new students/families is presently going on, as well as re-registrations for returning students/families. Forms can be gotten from the office or on the parish website. Call Sister Dorothy with questions*

PRAYER OF THE WEEK

The Most Holy Body and  
Blood of Christ  
(Corpus Christi)

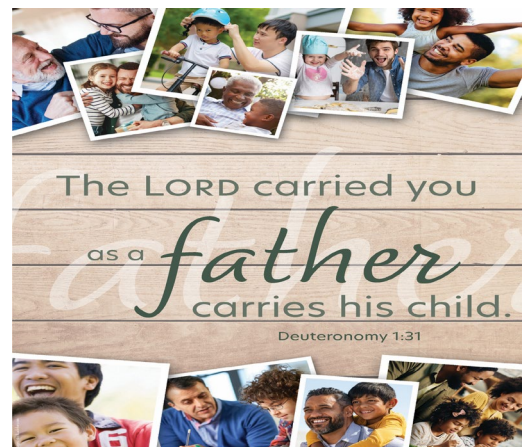
O God, who in this wonderful  
Sacrament  
have left us a memorial of your  
Passion,  
grant us, we pray,  
so to revere the sacred mysteries of  
your Body and Blood  
that we may always experience  
in ourselves  
the fruits of your redemption.  
Who live and reign with  
God the Father  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
God, for ever and ever.



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God took the strength of a  
mountain,  
The majesty of a tree,  
The warmth of a summer sun,  
The calm of a quiet sea;  
The generous soul of nature,  
The comforting arm of night,  
The wisdom of the ages,  
The power of the eagle's flight;  
The joy of a morning in spring,  
The faith of a mustard seed,  
The patience of eternity,  
The depth of a family need.  
Then God combined these  
qualities,  
When there was nothing more to  
add,  
He knew His masterpiece was  
complete and so, He called it  
**DADDY**  
Author unknown



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