



St. Margaret of Cortona Parish
31 Chamberlain Ave Little Ferry, NJ 07643
*Serving the Catholic Communities of
Little Ferry and Moonachie*
In Ministry, Education and Service -- Since August 24, 1912
(Destroyed by Sandy - Oct 29, 2012 – Restored in Christ Aug 4, 2013)

February 4, 2024



Reverend, Kevin E. Carter,
Pastor
Reverend Michael Otuwurunne,
In Residence
Reverend Victor P. Kennedy,
Weekend Assistant
Eileen M. Ballone,
Director of Music
Dina R. Tarabocchia,
Parish Secretary

MASS SCHEDULE:

Saturday Vigil: 5:30 p.m.

Sunday: 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m., and 12:00 noon
(From Memorial Day through Labor Day: Sat 5:30 p.m.,
Sunday 9 :00 a.m. & 11:30 a.m.)

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

CONFESSIONS: Saturdays at 1:00 p.m.

PARISH WEBSITE:

<http://www.stmargaretfnj.org/>

PARISH E-MAIL: smcortona1912@aol.com

Parish Center Office
Phone: 201-641-2988 Fax: 201-322-0172
Monday to Thursday

Rectory
201-641-2988
By appointment only

Religious Education
201-641-2988
Sunday to Thursday

5:30 PM Irene & Casimir Katkowski

SUNDAY, February 4, 2024
Fifth Sunday of the Church Year

8:00 AM Diana Borg
10:00 AM Joseph De Ruvo [19A]
12:00 PM William Jehle

MONDAY, February 5
12:00 PM Ivanka Matesic

TUESDAY, February 6
12:00 PM Joan Lee

WEDNESDAY, February 7
12:00 PM Jonathan Wende

THURSDAY, February 8
12:00 PM Anne Nierstedt

FRIDAY, February 9
12:00 PM Arturo & Carmen Bengzon

SATURDAY, February 10
5:30 PM Scardigno Family

SUNDAY, February 11, 2024
Sixth Sunday of the Church Year

8:00 AM Giovannina Morin
10:00 AM Angela & Salvatore Facchini
12:00 PM Angelo & Silvia Dariano & Family

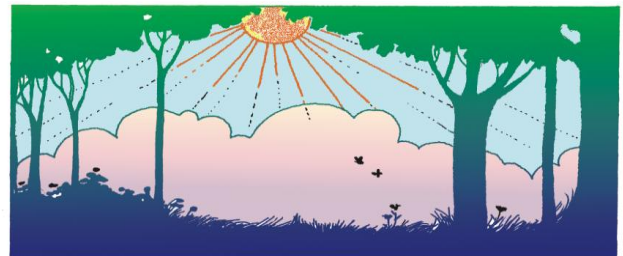
Memorials
Bread & Wine
And
Sanctuary Candle
Joseph De Ruvo

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

Catherine Mary Moncello	Anthony Deli
Michel Porta	Valerie Vernay
Camilla Leventhal	Julian Morgan
Nicole Grano	Baby Amato Jordan
Johanna Hanush	Philip Dittmar
Lena Vitalle.	Grace Ehler
John Thomas Lazur Dersch	Julio Sanchez
Robert Zienkiewicz	Arline Hrbek
Florence Navarro	Kevin Michael Francis
Paula Kelnhofer	Jacqueline Palmadessa
Barbara Demczyszyn	Robin Toscano
Caroline Ruppert Hubert	Ellie Lombardelli
Tom Greaux	Brandon Kingsley
John Ratynski	Robert & Carolyn Salzman
Victor Ruggiero	James Moran
Dominick Di Buono	Olivia La Forte King
David I. Ramos	Emily Menzella
Vitangelo Bavaro	Chris Lynch
Mary Mirrop	Ron Ruppert
Michael & Stephen	Pia Maria Pignataro
Demczyszyn	George Stauble



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.





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 Farther Kevin at 201-641-2988



St. Margaret's 2023 Goal	\$24,229
Number of Pledges	98
Amount of Pledges	\$20,840
As of May 13	

[Here is Sr Dorothy's contact info as of July 1]

Address
 St. Joseph Villa
 110 West Wissahickon Ave, Room 704
 Flourtown PA 19031
 Email dotdono1936@gmail.com
 Phone (215) 836-3094



January 28, 2024
 \$2,201

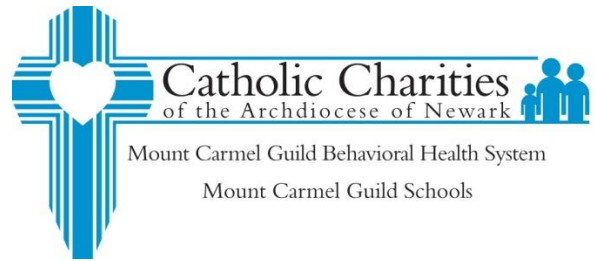


June 11, 2022 – Pentecost 2025
 Reflections on the Eucharist

Excerpt from, "Mystery of the Altar: Daily Meditations on the Eucharist", Kenneth J. Howell & Joseph Crownwood quoting Bl Rabanus Maurus (c. 780 – 856) pg. 36

"The Flesh of Christ is the true food that He feeds us, which nourishes man unto everlasting life, and His Blood is the true drink, which eternally satisfies those who hunger and thirst in their souls for justice. While it is possible to have earthly life without food and drink, eternal life is absolutely not possible. For this Food and Drink signify the Head and Source of the members of the eternal communion. He (Jesus) says, "He who eats my flesh and drinks my blood remains in Me and I in him." (John 6: 56). Wherefore, it is necessary for us to receive His Body and Blood, and remain in Him as members of His Body since no one has ascended to heaven except He who descended from heaven, the Son of Man, who is in heaven." (John 3:13)

Be a Sweetheart



What better way to share your heart with someone than to help a person in time of need? Would you be willing to take few moments and look in your closet today? The Catholic Charities Donation Bin(s) accept clothing, small appliances, shoes, linens, sheets, towels, stuffed animals, tools, novels, toys, knickknacks, and Children's books. Thank you with all our heart.

Ordinary Time Weekdays

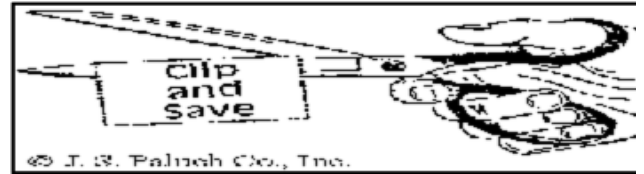
THE LECTONARY for Ordinary Time weekdays contains a meticulous series of readings. Each year begins with a nearly complete presentation of Mark's Gospel proclaimed over nine weeks. The remaining weeks divide nearly evenly between Matthew and Luke. These focus on the unique stories not found in Mark. (Significant passages from John's Gospel are heard during the second half of Lent and throughout Easter Time.)

The First Readings spread over a two-year cycle. They present books of the Old and New Testaments in alternation. These are semi-continuous readings: The principal passages of each book are heard in sequence, but not the complete book.

Year One of the weekday lectionary cycle opens with the Letter to the Hebrews and then moves to the first part of the Book of Genesis. Excerpts from Sirach and Tobit follow. From the New Testament, Second Corinthians is proclaimed. Then a whole series of passages from the bible's historical books tell the record of salvation history. Several New Testament letters come next, followed by a collection of the Minor Prophets. Several weeks are next given to the Letter to the Romans, and the year concludes with Wisdom, Maccabees, and Daniel.

Year Two opens with the historical books concerning the kings of Israel. Then the weekday lectionary turns to a group of New Testament letters. Next, the historical books resume where they left off, and with them come the remaining major and Minor Prophets. More New Testament letters follow, and then some books from the Old Testament's Wisdom Literature. The remaining New Testament letters come next, and the year closes with the Book of Revelation.

Those who heed this sequence at daily Mass or in private prayer will encounter the main passages of the entire bible every two years.



Saint Margaret of Cortona Parish Donations Request for the Year 2023

**Please send my Parish
Contributions /Stewardship
Statement for the year ending
December 31, 2023.**

Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____

Envelope Number: 962 - _____

**Please fill out this paper
completely and drop this sheet
in the collection basket or
return to the Parish Center.**

Please allow us some 'turn
around time' to process your
request.