

The Catholic Community of St. John Neumann

A Christian Community of the Catholic Tradition

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Mission Statement

Catholic Community of St. John Neumann

FOUNDED on the teachings of Jesus Christ,
NOURISHED by the hospitality of the Califon Christian
Communities,

FORMED with a commitment to Social Ministry, and
STRENGTHENED by the Holy Spirit

*The Catholic Community of St. John Neumann is
a jubilant people on a continuing spiritual journey of hope:*

- TO CELEBRATE and DEEPEN our faith*
- TO SHARE our unique gifts, talents and treasures*
- TO CHERISH all life*
- TO LIVE in openness, acceptance and love.*

Annual Parish Goal

***We, as ministers, will foster
an inviting and spiritual Catholic community for all,
especially to those away from the Church,
by growing in and witnessing to our faith in the mercy of God.***

Diocese of Metuchen

Most Rev. James F. Checchio, JCD, MBA,
Bishop of the Diocese of Metuchen
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Rev. J. Wm. Mickiewicz .Pastor Emeritus
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Worship at Church Center:

Saturday Vigil Mass 5:30 p.m.
Sunday 8:00 a.m.
Sunday 10:30 a.m.
First Friday Holy Hour 7:00 p.m.

Reconciliation: Saturday 5:00 p.m.
Or anytime by appointment

Weekday Masses at

Neumann Residence Chapel:
390 County Road 513

Tuesday 7:00 a.m.
Wednesday 8:00 a.m.
Thursday 7:00 a.m.
Friday 8:00 am

Holy Day Masses

Residence Chapel 7:00 a.m.
Church Center 7:00 p.m.

See Parish Calendar Inside for changes

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This Week at Saint John's

Mass Intentions

Tuesday, July 16

7:00 a.m. No Intention

Wednesday, July 17

8:00 a.m. Dana Wilson, req
Jim & JoAnn Murray

Thursday, July 18

7:00 a.m. No Intention

Friday, July 19

8:00 a.m. No Intention

Saturday, July 20

5:30 p.m. John McCabe, req.
Lou & Joan Eacovalle

Sunday, July 21

8:00 a.m. Theresa Degnan Tempelton,
req. Joann & Jim Murray
10:30 a.m. Sylvia Bursset Romero, req.
Bonnie Garcia and
France Kennedy

Mass Schedule - July 20/21

Saturday	5:30 p.m.
Celebrant	Fr. Rick Rusk
Reader	Kate Knight
Altar Server	Needed
Ministers of the Eucharist	Joan Eacovalle Barbara Martalus, Phyllis Baker
Sunday	8:00 a.m.
Celebrant	Fr. Rick Rusk
Reader	Allan Piechowski
Altar Server	Needed
Ministers of the Eucharist	Debby Keleman Gail Battell, Maritza Perez Proano
Sunday	Baptism: Gatton and Timko
	10:30 a.m.
Celebrant	Fr. Rick Rusk
Reader	Steve Bauernfeind
Altar Server	Connery Family
Music Eucharistic Minister	Mary D'Avella
Ministers of the Eucharist	Ron Pojedinec, Ana Giametta, Jim DeVito, Doris Royal, Peter Royal

Parish Calendar

Sunday, July 14 - Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time / Mission Co-op Appeal

8:00 a.m. Mass (Church Center)
10:30 a.m. Mass (Church Center)

Monday, July 15 - St. Bonaventure, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

Tuesday, July 16 - Our Lady of Mount Carmel

7:00 a.m. Mass (Neumann Residence Chapel)
6:30 p.m. Women's Book Club (Office Kitchen Patio)

Wednesday, July 17 - Weekday

8:00 a.m. Mass (Neumann Residence Chapel)
6:30 p.m. Rosary (Patio)
7:14 p.m. Adult Vacation Bible School (Drexel Room)

Thursday, July 18 - St. Camillus de Lellis, Priest

7:00 a.m. Mass (Neumann Residence Chapel)
5:00 p.m. Cleaning (Church Center)

Friday, July 19 - Weekday

8:00 a.m. Mass (Neumann Residence Chapel)
7:00 p.m. Baptism Prep (Church Center)

Saturday, July 20 - St. Apollinaris, Bishop & Martyr, BVM

5:30 p.m. Mass (Church Center)

Sunday, July 21 - Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time / Air Conditioning & Lawn Maintenance Collection

8:00 a.m. Mass (Church Center)
10:30 a.m. Mass (Church Center) - Baptism: Gattone/Timko



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To use our Amazon link
<http://tinyurl.com/lx7c83sbsite>.

Or, simply go to the St. John's website (www.ccsjn.org) and then click on the Amazon Link button on the front page.

**Please share this
With ALL of your
family, friends
& neighbors!**



Remembered at Mass

We stand together in the mystery of Christ's death and resurrection. The following will be remembered during the Holy Eucharist:
Dana Wilson, Neil Ercolano and Ruth Shump.

Deceased: Dana Wilson, parishioner, wife of Greg Wilson, Neil Ercolano, owner of Brook Run Farm and Ruth Shump, mother of Carol Crescenti. May they find peace and comfort in the embrace of the Lord and may thier families find strength in the Lord and comfort and support from family and friends.

15TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
She saved a life. Then she was arrested.

The parable of the Good Samaritan: "And who is my neighbor?" Luke 10: 25-37

Theresa Todd is the single mother of two teenage boys, 15 and 17. She works as a lawyer for a city and county in West Texas. Theresa was driving home on a Texas highway one cold night in February when she saw three desperate Central American migrants waving frantically. At least one car hurtled by them, afraid to stop. But for Theresa, compassion overrode fear and she stopped. The three were siblings: two brothers, ages 20 and 22, and their sister, Esmeralda, 18. The three escaped the violence in their native El Salvador, and then Guatemala, where friends were murdered and a gang leader wanted to make Esmeralda his "girlfriend."

When Theresa found them, Esmeralda was suffering from starvation, dehydration and a potentially fatal syndrome affecting her kidneys. Theresa invited the three to warm up in her car and then began frantically texting friends for advice on how to get medical care for Esmeralda. As she texted, a sheriff's deputy and a Border Patrol officer pulled up behind her car. Theresa was detained in a holding cell for three hours, her possessions confiscated. Esmeralda was hospitalized for four days, and she and her siblings are now in ICE custody.

By stopping to help a stranger, Theresa Todd may have saved a life — but her compassion got her arrested. It's unclear if she will face federal charges for assisting undocumented immigrants, but Theresa has no regrets:

"I'm a mom, and I see a young man who looked the same age as my teenage son. And if my son was by the side of a road, I would want someone to help." The whole experience "was totally surreal — especially for doing what my parents taught me was right, and what I learned in church was right, which was helping people. So finding myself in a holding cell for that, it was hard to wrap my head around . . . I'm simply a mom who saw a child in need and pulled over to help . . ."

The Good Samaritan dwells in our midst in the selfless kindness and unheralded generosity of good people — people like us — who put humanity ahead of self-preservation (and, in Theresa Todd's case, arrest), who see beyond labels and stereotypes to recognize anyone in need as a child of God, who believe that it is God calling them to cross the road to help someone lying in the ditch. The Good Samaritan is the epitome of Gospel charity, the embodiment of the Gospel vision of humanity as a community of "neighbors" — male and female, rich and poor, able and challenged — sharing the same sacred dignity as sons and daughters of the God of all that is good.



BOOK OF INTENTIONS

You are invited to include your prayer intentions in the Book of Intentions at the prayer station on the left as you enter the worship space. You can include the names of someone who has passed, someone who is ill, or a prayer for someone in need. We have renamed the Book of Remembrance to the Book of Intentions to be more inclusive of our prayer needs.

BIBLE STUDY OF JOHN'S GOSPEL

Wednesdays, 7:14pm Drexel Room

Join us in an eight week Bible Study of John, discovering the answer to Jesus' question "Who do you say that I am?" The Book of John teaches us about the deity of Christ. This week's focus: I am the Bread of Life (6:35, 48)

Drop into the weeks you can attend. No preparation needed. Everyone welcome. Casual conversation and no tests!

START YOUR DAY RIGHT WITH A MORNING MEDITATION

Try a good way to start your day – meditation in your email.
<http://www.loyolapress.com/3-minute-retreats-daily-online-prayer>

PASTOR'S CORNER

Summertime is a great time for vacations! Yes, it is. Just a gentle reminder, however, that the one thing that does not take vacations is "bills." They come in all the time. It is greatly appreciated if you would remember your sacrificial gift to St. John's when you are away. Thanks for your continued support!

God bless us all!
Fr. Rick

**15TH SUNDAY
ORDINARY TIME**

July 14, 2019

"Jesus said to him, 'Go and do likewise.'" (Luke 10:37)

This was Jesus' command at the end of the Good Samaritan story. Did you know that the Samaritans and Jews despised each other. The moral of the story is to love our neighbor. That means loving someone you may not know or someone that looks different than you or someone that you don't like. All without expecting anything in return.

**SUMMERTIME
PRAYER**



Come enjoy summer evening in prayer. The Rosary is a beautiful and contemplative prayer rich in Christian tradition. We invite you to join us in praying the Rosary on the patio overlooking the garden on Wednesday evenings this summer at 6:30 p.m. (relocated inside if it rains). Drop-ins are encouraged and welcomed! Rosary beads and copies of the prayers will be provided.

NEW TO THE PARISH?

Come Discover St. John's

If you are new to the parish—stop by the narthex for a welcome packet of information on St. John's. Contact France Kennedy at the office—908-832-2513 or fkennedy@ccsjn.org to get information on our upcoming lunch for new parishioners.

Christian Formation

PART-TIME RELIGIOUS EDUCATION DIRECTOR

Renee Ciszewski has moved and we are interviewing applicants for Director of Religious Education. The position oversees our GIFT Family Formation and Sacramental preparations. Office hours are flexible. If you are interested, contact office at 832-2513 or sjn@ccsjn.org.



2019-2020 GIFT FAMILY FAITH REGISTRATION

Please visit the parish office for new student registration or contact us at sjn@ccsjn.org. If you have your forms from our April session. They can be returned completed with payment to the parish office. We appreciate you providing registration forms as soon as possible so we can prepare for September.



Social Ministry

OPERATION CHILLOUT

2019 Summer Homeless Outreach

In support of Operation Chillout's Summer Homeless Outreach we would like to have a 'mini' water drive to help homeless veterans in New Jersey. Bring a 24 bottle case of water between July 7th and 28 to the Seton Room or to the Narthex.

<http://operationchillout.org>

NOAH'S ARK

Everything I need to know, I learned from Noah's Ark

1. Don't miss the boat
2. Remember we are all in the same boat
3. Plan ahead. It wasn't raining when Noah built the ark
4. Stay fit. When you are 60, someone may ask you to do something really big
5. Don't listen to critics; just get on with the job that needs to be done
6. Build your future on high ground
7. For safety sake, travel in pairs
8. Speed isn't always an advantage. The snails were on board with the cheetahs
9. When your stressed, float awhile
10. Remember the ark was built by amateurs; the Titanic by professionals

No matter the storm, when you are with God, there's always a rainbow

INTERFAITH HOSPITALITY / FAMILY PROMISE

Thanks to all who volunteered to help with the hosting of our guests needing housing at Spruce Run Lutheran Church in June...and just as quickly, it is our turn to assist again from July 28-August 4, so if you were unable to volunteer last time, here is another opportunity! At this time of year, when many of us are enjoying vacations, it is good to remember that not all of us have a home to call their own.

You can volunteer as a family, with friends & children, or by yourself. If you would like to volunteer with a more seasoned partner, or have other questions, please contact Debbie Hunt at dhuntfaml@comcast.net

If you are able to spare just a couple of hours to help, please look to see where help is needed at the following link: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30e054eafad22a20-family11>.

NEED ASSISTANCE WITH BACK TO SCHOOL COSTS?

If costs for getting children ready for school are adding up, contact Social Ministry to discuss. Social Ministry wants to help parishioners and local residents with the added costs of getting children into the classroom with the materials they need. Contact Susanne Erz at 908-832-2513 or serz@ccsjn.org



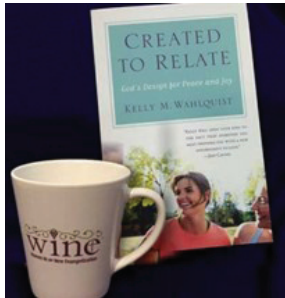
BACK TO SCHOOL GIVING TREE

The Giving Tree will be in the Narthex next weekend. Please take a tag after Mass and return the donations to the collection bin under the tree. All items must be returned to the Narthex by Sunday, August 18^h. If you have any questions please contact socialministry@ccsjn.org



NOTES FROM THE GARDEN

The strawberry harvest at St. John's was great! Many, many quarts of strawberries were delivered fresh to Elijah's Promise Soup Kitchen, SHIP soup kitchen in Somerville and the guests of the Interfaith Hospitality Network who were hosted by Spruce Run Lutheran and St. John's last week. Another 20 quarts have been harvested in the last few days. They have been frozen and will make delicious desserts for the soup kitchen in the coming months. The blueberry bushes are loaded with fruit. Plan to join us for the harvest! The first snap peas came in this week and many other vegetables are well on the way. Come out and see what is growing in the garden. Spend some quiet time and enjoy the gifts of God's earth.



SUMMER WOMEN'S BOOK CLUB

Starts Week of July 16th

Created to Relate: God's Design for Peace and Joy by Kelly M. Wahlquist is the perfect summer read - it's light and rejuvenating! We will meet Tuesdays at 6:30 p.m. on the patio behind the office center, July 16th through August 13th. Feel free to join us! Contact Jo Ann Jarvis at jarvis26@gmail.com.

Prayer Ministry



PLANTING THE SEEDS

If God is the farmer who is planting the seeds, why would he decide to scatter his seeds on soil that won't bear fruit? What farmer would be so careless?

God is not being careless; he just knows that we can change. He knows we aren't stuck with being one type of "soil" our whole lives. He knows that any kind of soil can be tilled, reclaimed and eventually bear fruit. So he scatters his seed on hearts that are hard and full of weeds.

"Lord, thank you for sending me your word and the grace to hear and understand it!"

Reflections like this are found in *The Word Among Us*. Pick up a copy from the Narthex.

THE WORD AMONG US

Those of you who read and love *The Word Among Us*: please notify the office via email or by signing up in the narthex that you like these booklets. We want to get an accurate count of how many people are using them. In addition, if you do enjoy them, introduce others to them so they can give it a try.

SAVE THE DATE

Mark your calendars, the date has been set for these events at St. John's.

Golf Outing — September 14
Tasting Event — December 6

GUEST WRITING FROM PHYLLIS STONE AT ST. MATTHIAS

As I write this reflection for today, the Parish Staff has just returned from a retreat led by Fr. Abraham at St. John Neumann in Califon. Joan Seamon just told me, "Go home and enjoy the buzz from the spiritually uplifting day we've just had." But in my other ear, I hear Leslie and Ana saying, "Your article for the June 30th bulletin is due tonight." So, I am taking this time after the retreat to capture a theme from the day that stuck with me — "pliability".

For the retreat, we focused in part on the story of "The Potter" by Joe Smith. In the story, God is "The Potter" and we are clay. A key message from the story is to allow ourselves to be touched by the great Love of God...to be pliable, flexible and adaptable...as clay was changed by the touch of the potter in Jeremiah 18:1-6.

Maybe it was the work of the Holy Spirit that our retreat happened at St. John. Let me describe the place. What a beautiful piece of property St. John's sits upon — thirty acres of loveliness...open fields, wooded trails with a river running through. A labyrinth is there for quiet contemplation and reflection. A large vegetable garden not only supplies local soup kitchens, but also functions as a community garden for parishioners and non-parishioners. On the property there is not one but two sets of outdoor stations [of the cross]— one at the front entrance and the other inside the wooded area. It's June, so the grounds are so green, so spacious, so peaceful; but autumns, winters and springs must be just as lovely.

The sanctuary of the church was purposely built to be functional not only for liturgies but also for use as a banquet and dance hall, social gatherings, and as a large meeting room. The raised platform for the altar is in modules so that it can be converted to a stage for a band. Two TV screens hang on each side of the sanctuary so that songs and prayers can be projected, allowing the congregants to fully participate in the liturgy. The pews, donated by two Protestant churches in the area that loaned space to St. John Neumann for masses when they were just starting out as a parish with no space of their own, are attached to planks which connect and disconnect, so they can be collapsed and be pushed aside when the space is converted.

As I looked around that sanctuary and its grounds, I thought, "How cool is this? Such pliable, flexible, adaptable space." I came away with dreams about how we could enhance our own sanctuary and surrounding space here at St. Matthias. I also came away wondering how we could bring just a little bit of that little "pliable" 300 family parish in Califon back to our big ole 3,300 family parish in Somerset. And I left St. John understanding why it was so hard for Fr. Abraham to leave, and knowing how very special and meaningful it must have been for Fr. Bill Mickiewicz to see the fruits of his labor after building the parish from the ground up. Most importantly, I came away asking God to never ever stop molding and shaping me...to never give up on me...to always keep me "pliable" in his hands.

Phyllis Stone Assistant to Fr. Abraham, Liturgy/RCIA
The Catholic Community of St. Matthias, Somerset, NJ

Parish & Diocesan News

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Margaret Alligood
Clara Alvarez
Gary Anderson
Andrew Arias
Miguel Astacio
Diane Bosack
John D'Almeida
Aiden Day
Barbara DelPiano
Denis DeVirteuil
Sophia DeVita
Anthony DeVito
David Fabiano
Dawn Farley
Cindy Feighan
Emma Finnegan
Steven Geist
Joseph Gruszczynski
Thomas Haines
Stephanie Illietscho
Arthur Lanteri
Bonnie Lieberwirth
Declan Maloney
Dick McCall
Jan McLeavey
Christine Meyer
Jon Morris
Joan & Megan Myers
Nancy Patterson
Nilsa Perez Parsons
Thomas Pearson
John Pfeufer
Ali Redling
Earl & Denise Roberts
Joe Romanger
Noah Skinner
Michael Slivka
Dick Slusher
Anthony Sorgi, Jr.
Patty Galati Stafford
Margaret Thornsbury
Nicholas Troiano
Don Velli
Dana & Greg Wilson
Caden & Jill Zane
Jim Zgoda
Joey Zieba

MILITARY PERSONNEL

Please remember in your prayers:

Captain Baumann, Katherine, U.S. Army
Spec. Bitters, Christian, U.S. Army
Cavallo, Chris, USMC
2LT, Michael Tyler D'Avella, U.S. Air Force
SSO, Andrew Fabiano, U.S. Navy Reserve
2LT, Molly Ferguson, U.S. Air Force
2LT, Geerinck, Josh, U.S. Air Force
Spec. Jablonski, Jon Tyler, U.S. Army
Private, Linzer, Matthew, U.S. Army
Seaman, Linzer, Stephanie, U.S. Navy
SR O'Leary, Thomas, U.S. Navy
Lieutenant Simila, Nicole, U.S. Navy
Airman, Vardian, Justin, U.S. Air Force
Ensign, Webster, Justine, U.S. Navy

The kids are all right . . .

Taking their brood to Mass each Sunday was always an adventure. Mom and Dad managed to pray snatches of hymns and responses as they silenced squabbles between warring siblings and corralling children scaling the kneelers and benches.

They struggled for years to manage their posse of small people until one Sunday something happened that transformed the years of theatrical drama they had endured. That Sunday they arrived at their new parish for the 10 a.m. Mass. Longtime friends, Janet and Danny, "professional parents" of their own large brood of children, sought them out and sat in the pew with them and their five children, all under the age of 8.

"I wanted to lean over and tell Janet and Danny to get up and run," the mom recalls. "I wanted to inform them that sitting with our kids was like sharing a pew with a traveling circus, but before I had a chance to plead my case, Janet grabbed a toddler, Danny grabbed another and a few of Janet's older kids sat between my other little ones. For the entire 60 minutes, our children were quiet and entertained by the person with whom they sat."

The next weekend, Janet met them in the parking lot and invited them to do the same thing. It was hard to accept help, but it was impossible to deny how wonderful it was to sit with Janet and Danny's family. The stress of managing their children was gone, as was the worry that they were annoying and distracting other parishioners. Janet and Danny weren't shocked by anything the kids did (they'd seen it all by then), and they helped teach their children the appropriate responses to the prayers.

That was several years ago. Their children are older now. When they attend Mass, they join another young family to help those parents survive the Mass with their antsy and roaming youngsters.

Sometimes the Good Samaritan is just a bench away; more often than not, we don't have to cross any busy thoroughfare to help someone in need. When we hear Jesus' parable of the Good Samaritan, we resolve to act with the same selfless charity should we ever encounter someone lying in a ditch, beaten and bruised, and near dead — but every day, without realizing it, we encounter people who are in a ditch of discouragement, who have been beaten and bruised by the abuse and anger of others, who have been left near dead in frustrating hopelessness. By extending to them compassion, understanding and support, we can be the Good Samaritan to them as we travel together to our Jerichos.



BAPTISM

Anyone expecting the birth of a child or who has a child to be baptized contact France Kennedy to register for the preparation program and discuss arrangements at 908-832-2513 or fkennedy@ccsin.org



SMILE WITH YOUR FAMILY



- A young man was very excited because he just won a ticket to the Super Bowl. His excitement lessened as he realized his seat was in the back of the stadium. As he searched the rows ahead of him for a better seat, he saw an empty one right next to the field. He approached the man sitting next to the empty seat and asked if it was taken. The man replied, "No." Amazed the young man asked, "How could someone pass up a seat like this?" The older gentleman responded, "That's my wife's seat. We've been to every Super Bowl together since the day we were married but she passed away." "Oh, how sad," the man said. "I'm sorry to hear that, but couldn't you find a friend or relative to come with you?" "No," the man said, "They're all at the funeral."

Parish & Diocesan News

DO YOU HAVE QUESTIONS ABOUT THE CATHOLIC FAITH?

If you have ever considered becoming Catholic or know someone who may be interested, there is a process to help you discern whether it is what you want to do. RCIA stands for Rite of Christian Initiation. Every year teams in parishes meet with unbaptized persons and those baptized into other faiths to discuss and learn about the Catholic faith. The first stage is called Inquiry and, simply put, is a time for you to ask any and all questions about God and the church. This is the period to help you find out if you are interested in becoming Catholic. So, please don't think you have to know this is what you want to do. The Inquiry phase helps in that discernment. Please contact France Kennedy if you would like to find out more. Phone or text: 908-307-7879 or email fkennedy@ccsjn.org.

PASTORAL COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES - JUNE 17, 2019

Attendance: Father Rick, Lynn Johnson, Bob Sobey, Gary Cucchiara, Hunt Patterson, Tony Sorgi, Joe Stanski

Prayer/Reflection: Hunt Patterson

Five Year Plans: Fundraising will present at July 8th meeting

New Business: Welcome the new members Tony Sorgi & Joe Stanski.

Officers have been selected for the 2019-2020 year:

Co-Chairs: JoAnn Murray & Tom Klauwunn

Secretary: Hunt Patterson

Co-Secretary: Bob Sobey

Liaison Assignments picked for the year. A few still need to be decided. If you have not picked one please sign up. Document has been e-mailed to you. Meeting dates accepted and prayer/snack assignments scheduled. Should we start up/kick start the tech ministry? Based on tech has become a part of everyday life it seems to make sense. Reflection on our Annual Goal statement. Please review and come back with ideas for any possible changes for July meeting.

Pastor's Items: Collections...change how we pass the baskets. Too often, rows are missed. How do we fix this? Work in progress and more discussion needed. Compensation Fund for survivors of sexual abuse by a member of the clergy or anyone representing the Catholic Church have from June 15th –December 31st 2019 to make a claim. Details are in the bulletin and so is the 24/7 phone number.

PPC Ministry Liaison Reports: None

New Point/Concerns: Bob Sobey-The new Cornerstone ministry formation has been pushed back to 3rd quarter of this year and the BBQ has been cancelled. More on this to come...

Next Meeting: July 8 – Gary Cucchiara

Closing Prayer: Hunt Patterson

STRESS IN YOUR MARRIAGE!

Do you feel lost, alone or bored in your marriage? Are you frustrated, hurt or angry with your spouse? Are you constantly fighting? Or, do you simply shut down? Have you thought about separation or divorce? Does talking about it only make it worse?

Retrouvaille is a Lifeline to Help Couples Heal and Renew their Marriages. The program consists of a weekend experience for married couples (no group discussions) with six follow-up sessions.

UPCOMING WEEKEND: August 23-25, 2019

For more information call the Family Life Office at 732-562-1990 ext. 1543. To register call Rich & Annette Colasuonno 732-236-0671 or email 3024@retrouvaille.org

HOW TO REPORT SEXUAL ABUSE

If you were sexually abused by a member of the clergy or anyone representing the Catholic Church, or you know of someone who was, you are encouraged to report that abuse to law enforcement and/or by contacting the Diocesan Response Officer at (908) 930-4558 (24 hours/7 days a week). For more information on how to report abuse, visit our diocesan website: <https://diometuchen.org/report-a-suspected-abuse>.



LIKE TO CLEAN? WE NEED YOU!

We are in need of volunteers to help with church cleaning once every six weeks. One task we need someone for is vacuuming the worship area. Contact the office if you want to see if this could fit into your schedule.

Shopping on Amazon Prime Days July 15 & 16?



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Or go to <http://tinyurl.com/lx7c83s>

VOLUNTEER SCHEDULES

Office Angels

Wed., July 17..... L. Caprio

Wed., July 24..... J. Santoro

Store Cards

July 13 and 14

5:30 p.m. J. Eacovalle

8:00 a.m. V. Hoffart

10:30 a.m. D. Hunt

July 20 and 21

5:30 p.m. C. Crescenti

8:00 a.m. R. Durham

10:30 a.m. H. Quigley

Church Center Plant Watering

Week of July 14..... A. Soltesz

Week of July 21..... D. Lance

Church Center Cleaning

July 18..... Team E

July 25..... Team F

Counting

July 15..... Malone / Kosakowski

July 22..... Kucharski / Gagen

Altar Flowers

July 20..... M. Perez

July 27..... K. Heimall

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