

St. Catherine of Siena

31 Asbury Road, Farmingdale, New Jersey 07727

December 21, 2014

Weekend Mass Schedule:

Saturday: 4:30 P.M.

Sunday: 8:00 A.M., 10:00 A.M., 11:30 A.M.

Weekday Masses @ Chapel, 9:00 A.M. :

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, & Friday

Miraculous Medal Novena:

Monday, following 9:00 A.M. Mass

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:

1st Friday, following 9:00 A.M. Mass to 11 A.M.

Holy Day Masses: As announced in bulletin

Confessions: Saturday - 3:30 to 4:00 P.M.

Baptism Classes: 3rd Wed. of each month

Parish Office Hours

Monday thru Friday: 8:30 A.M. to 3:00 P.M.

Religious Education Office Hours

Monday 8:30 A.M. to 7:00 P.M.

Wednesday: 8:30 A.M. to 5:30 P.M.

Rev. Angelito I. Anarcon, Pastor

Deacon Joseph Prioli

Deacon Daniel Sakowski

Director of Religious Education: Kyle Galante

Parish Office Secretary: Carol Morton

Religious Education Secretary: Janice Deakyne

Sacristan: Ruth Ziznewski

Organist: Judy Hyer

Parish Trustees: Cindy Ventura and Dean Wright

Mass Intentions

SATURDAY, December 20, 2014

4:30 PM **Frank & Florence Mikorski** r/o Niece, Terry Kelly

SUNDAY, December 21, 2014

8:00 AM **Eustace Nedd** r/o Nigel & Jacqueline Storey

Sharon Storey & Gertrude Persaud r/o Nigel & Jacqueline Storey

Frank Sardone r/o Son, Frank, Debi & Frankie

10:00 AM **Parishioners**

11:30 AM **Margie Gulfin** r/o Martinez Family

Dylan Joyce r/o Grandmother

Karen Amalfa r/o Ben & Celeste Talcott

WEDNESDAY, December 24, 2014

4:00 PM **Edward & Dennis Mongon** r/o Wife, Clare & Mother

Michael Sansevere r/o Sansevere Family

Thomas Druback r/o Wife, Ann

6:00 PM **Parishioners**

12:00 PM **Don & Ed Dugan and E.J. Lejeune** r/o Family

THURSDAY, December 25, 2014

8:00 AM **Billy Costello** r/o Mom & Dad

10:00 AM **Parishioners**

11:30 AM **Eleanor & Rodney King** r/o Daughter, Suzanne DeGrande & Family

Annunziata & Carmelo De Grande r/o Son, Peter DeGrande & Family



Contacts:

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Mass Schedule:

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Parish Office:

732-938-5375

Religious Education:

732-938-6229

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732-938-3260

Pastor's Office:

732-938-5375 ext. 7

Deacon Joe:

732-938-5375 ext. 9

Deacon Dan:

732-938-5375 ext. 3

Parish Bookkeeper:

732-938-5375 ext. 8

St. Vincent de Paul:

732-938-3454

Weekday Masses at St. Catherine's Chapel, 9:00 AM 1 W. Main St, Farmingdale

Mass Intentions:

Monday, December 22 2014

Rev. Eugene T. Keenan

Tuesday, December 23, 2014

Nancy FitzGerald r/o Family

Friday, December 26, 2014

Rev. Eugene T. Keenan



Dear Parishioners,

Let us use our imagination as we reflect on the theme of the readings this 4th Sunday of Advent. A young man and a young woman in love as their love relationship develops. They begin to think about the future. They dream about their home. Where will it be and how many rooms? They were discussing how many children will be born to them. Their hopes and dreams form the foundations on which they will build a successful relationship, which they hope will be strong enough to survive all the challenges and trials and difficulties that life will throw at them. Their house will be their home, the dwelling place where their love for each other will continually grow and mature, where they will bring up their children, where they will live happily ever after through good and bad times, through sickness and health, until their life reaches a peaceful end.

These are questions which young people should have been discussing in as much as they long to live together for the rest of their lives. There are so many negative influences to discourage their dreams that not so many are ready for the commitment that marital relationship requires. Many just live together to see if it will work for them. They know only too well how many relationships break down in bitterness, regret, and frustration.

The message of the readings today is a message of hope to overcome such negativity. Notice that it too, is a love story. It is the story of the Lord our God, who loves us so very much that he wants to live with us, to build a home with us. The prophets had taught the people to trust that God would be faithful to that promise to David, and today we hear of that trust finding its fulfillment when Mary says: "Let what you have said be done to me." God doesn't give up on fickle humanity. God believes that men and women are worthy of God's love, and so establishes God's dwelling place on earth among the people of Israel, in the house of David. And now in Mary, God's presence is affirmed by the Incarnation of Christ, God's Son. As we will celebrate in the coming season of Christmas, Christ was born to be the King and savior not just of the people of Israel but of the whole world. This is what St. Paul is telling in his letter to the Romans and to us, that this now has to be made known to the pagans so that everyone may know just how much God loves them and wants to share God's life with them for all eternity.

Feast Day of OUR Lord's Nativity. "THE WORD WAS MADE FLESH."

The Word who has become flesh is not just the child of Mary, cared for by Joseph, her husband. He is not just the one whose birth is announced by the angels, witnessed first by shepherds and visited by visitors from the East. The Word is God's ultimate reaching out to everyone of us as God's children. Because to all who do accept the Word of God, God gives the power to become children of God. Hence as we step back from the canvas of Christmas stories, we no longer see just the story from the past but we come in contact with, enter into a relationship with God who has been reaching out to come into our lives. And that's the reason we celebrate Christmas. A Blessed Christmas to all,

Father Angelito

The Parish Office will be **closed** from Tuesday, December 23 thru Friday, December 26. It will reopen on Monday, December 29. The Religious Education Office/CCD will be **closed** on December 24, 29, & 31.



Fourth Sunday of Advent

The child to be born will be called holy, the Son of God.

-Luke 1:35

12/28/14 Weekly & Diocesan Assessment

ADVENT and CHRISTMAS SCHEDULE

Evening Prayers and Benediction

Sunday, December 21 @ 7:00 PM CHAPEL

Followed by fellowship and refreshments

Christmas Mass Schedule

Christmas Eve

4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (Children's Mass) - 12:00 Midnight

Christmas Day

8:00 AM - 10:00 AM - 11:30 AM

Reconciliation

Saturday, December 27 @ 3:30 - 4:00 PM



CONGRATULATIONS & BEST WISHES TO ...

**MICHAEL BALESTRIERI
ELIZABETH ACKERMANN**

who were married at St. Catherine of Siena Church on Saturday, December 13, 2014.

Children's Choir Performance on Christmas Eve

Wednesday, December 24, at 6 PM

Note—the Children are not singing on the 4th Sunday

SICK RELATIVES AND FRIENDS: Joe Diamond, Bob Fort, Angie Gorda, Edward Kress, Mike Lubniewski, Lauren MacArthur, Betty McCann, John Masterson, Esther Peraza, Marjorie Seagriff, George Zieminski

Tuesdays, First & Third - January 6

7:00 PM RCIA Conference Room

Tuesdays, January 6 thru March 24

7-8:30 PM Christian Yoga Chapel Call 732-938-3139

Thursdays, Beginning January 8

10 AM Legion of Mary Conference Room

Saturday, January 10

9 AM Men's Prayer Group Chapel Call 732-477-7567

Wednesday, January 21

7:30 PM Baptism Prep Class Church

Monday, February 9

7:30 PM Society of St. Vincent de Paul Parish Hall

Thursday, February 12

7:00 PM Rosary Altar Society Church & Parish Hall

Homebound Ministry If a homebound family member, friend, or neighbor would like to receive Holy Communion, visits, or calls, contact the Parish Office.

Christmas adornments are dedicated in memory of our loved ones who live in our hearts and for all special intentions to be remembered at the Christmas Masses. We have made every effort to record your intentions accurately; please forgive any typographical errors. Sincerest thanks to everyone who contributed to this year's 2014 CHRISTMAS MEMORIALS.

All Lost Loved Ones

Mr. & Mrs. Michael Bruen
All Parents & Brother-in-Law
 Mr. & Mrs. Anthony Mielnicki
Dan Angelo
 Joyce Angelo
Michael Anthony Anzano
 Mr. & Mrs. Anthony Anzano
Cathy Taylor Attara
 Mr. & Mrs. Frank Sardone
Kathy Ayala
 Mr. & Mrs. John Nahrebne
Kevin Barry
 Mr. & Mrs. Robert Conley
Rita Bennett
 Mr. & Mrs. Paul Reid
Frank & Pauline Berta
 Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Scotto
Patricia Bicca
 Julie DeLuca
Barbara & George Bosko
 Ann Bosko
Jess Brissette
 Granddaughter,
 Marlene & George Gravatt
Pete Brissette
 Granddaughter,
 Marlene & George Gravatt
Grace & John Buonavita
 Grace Pellechia
Helen & Harold Burke
 Mr. & Mrs. Brian Burke
Neil Callahan
 Mr. & Mrs. Robert McCarthy
Joseph Caltagirone Sr.
 Beverly Caltagirone
Bonnie Calvey
 Mr. & Mrs. Charles Favilla
Bernardetta & Antonio Camporeale
 Mr. & Mrs. Amedeo Pagano
Margo Carabetta
 Mr. & Mrs. Richard Eskew
Joao & Preciosa Cardoso
 Mr. & Mrs. Manuel Afonso
John Carney
 Mr. & Mrs. Lawrence Beckerle
Olga Castellano
 Mr. & Mrs. Jeffrey Jones
Joseph Cebulak
 Mr. & Mrs. Jack Sliwa
Daniel Cherellia
 Mr. & Mrs. Frank Sardone
Enrico Ciampi
 Daughter, Rosa Garcia & Family
Charline Clancy
 Mr. & Mrs. Robert Johnson
Laura Conway
 Mr. & Mrs. Edward Conway
Billy Costello
 Mr. & Mrs. William Costello

Cranmer, Gifford & Perri Family

Patricia Cranmer
Louis D'Onorio De Meo
 Mr. & Mrs. Emilio D'Onorio De Meo
Luigi D'Onorio De Meo
 Mr. & Mrs. Ferdinando D'Onorio De Meo
Diamante D'Urso
 Mr. & Mrs. Anastasios Lyrstis
Luigia D'Urso
 Mr. & Mrs. Emilio D'Onorio De Meo
Luiginina D'Urso
 Mr. & Mrs. Ferdinando D'Onorio De Meo
David da Silva, Sr.
 Dolores da Silva
Joseph Davis
 Mr. & Mrs. Robert Mueller
Elmer R. Deakyne
 Mr. & Mrs. Donald Deakyne
Deceased
Ambrose Family Members
 Mr. & Mrs. Robert Ambrose
Deceased
Camia & Sagarese Family Members
 Margaret Camia
Deceased
Dugan & Masterson Families
 Mr. & Mrs. John Masterson
Deceased Family & Friends
 Mr. & Mrs. Daniel Sakowski
Deceased
Morro & Shapiro Families
 Mr. & Mrs. Anthony Morro
Annunziata & Carmelo DeGrande
 Suzanne & Peter DeGrande
Phillip Delbert
 Janice Delbert
Frances & James DeLuca
 Mr. & Mrs. Louis Polce
John N. DeLuca
 Julie DeLuca
Deceased
DeMeno/Olivieri Family Members
 Mr. & Mrs. Mark DeMeno
Geraldine Devine
 Mr. & Mrs. Robert Devine
Amparo Millan Dominguez
 Mr. & Mrs. Manuel Pineiro
Donations
 Mr. & Mrs. Ryan Boyle
 Mr. & Mrs. Norman Bouchard
 Mr. & Mrs. Robert Butler
 Mr. & Mrs. Lou Ciccone
 Mr. & Mrs. Michael Cordaro
 Mr. & Mrs. Mark Dalton
 Mr. & Mrs. John Dougher
 Michael Goerke
 Dorothy Gratton
 Mr. & Mrs. David Ivanicki
 Mr. & Mrs. David Jordan
 Mr. & Mrs. Philip Pondaco
 Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Serrantonio
 Mr. & Mrs. Stephen Tyrrell

Dougherty Family

Mr. & Mrs. Robert McCarthy
Jeanne Douglas
 Mr. & Mrs. Alexander Ust
Don Dugan
 Lucy Dugan
Elias Family
 Mr. & Mrs. Cyril Elias
Earle Emmons
 Grace Emmons
Ralph & Caroline Favilla
 Mr. & Mrs. Charles Favilla
Robert & Helen Feeley
 Mr. & Mrs. Robert Conley
Sandor & Ann Fekete
 Mr. & Mrs. Stephen Magyarits
Tony Gambale
 Tricia & Colin Miller
Joseph Garafola
 Mr. & Mrs. Brian Piro
Laurie Gentile
 Family & Friends
Alfred Goerke & Family
 Dolores & Richard Goerke
Cecil Gravatt
 Son, George & Marlene Gravatt
Olive Gravatt
 Son, George & Marlene Gravatt
Hankel Family
 Mr. & Mrs. George Hankel
Husband, Chris
 Anita Dorey
Ierardi & Giuliano Families
 Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Ierardi
Stella & John Jankowski
 Theresa Kelly
Louis Johnson
 Mr. & Mrs. Timothy Lindon
B. Everett Jones
 Mr. & Mrs. Jeffrey Jones
Dylan Joyce
 Anne Hilker
Keegan & DeCongelio Family
 Mr. & Mrs. John Keegan
Mr. & Mrs. Arthur Kennedy
 Mr. & Mrs. Kevin Kennedy
Eleanor & Rodney King
 Suzanne & Peter DeGrande
Koenig Family
 Mr. & Mrs. Cyril Elias
Alex Kontos
 Mr. & Mrs. Brian Burke
John T. Korello
 Mr. & Mrs. Jack Novielli
LaRocca & DelPriore Families
 Ella LaRocca
William Layton
 Lucy Dugan
Jacques LeGrand
 Col. & Mrs. Dean Wright
Living & Deceased
Infante Family Members
 Mr. & Mrs. Anthony Infante

Loved Ones

Donna Lee
Joseph & Lottie Magyarits
 Mr. & Mrs. Stephen Magyarits
Kathleen & James Maher
 Mr. & Mrs. Walter Kelso
Edward & Grace Malone
 Mr. & Mrs. Paul Reid
Martin & Kneucker
 Mrs. & Mrs. Bruno Kneucker
Vicenta Martinez
 Mr. & Mrs. Jose Martinez
Mrs. Angelina Martins-Zahn
 Mr. & Mrs. Kevin Kennedy
Angela Mazzucco
 Mr. & Mrs. Edward McDonnell
Annie McGee
 Daniel McGee
William V. McMahan
 Eleanor McMahan
Norman Megill
 Granddaughter,
 Marlene & George Gravatt
Ida Megill
 Granddaughter,
 Marlene & George Gravatt
Danny Murphy
 Mr. & Mrs. Robert Johnson
Dolly & Gerry Murphy
 Mr. & Mrs. Robert Johnson
Joan H. Nagle
 Melissa Boege
**Jack Nagle and the
 Rest of The Nagles & The Clarks**
 Danella Nagle
Raymond Nagle, Jr.
 Melissa Boege
Nash & Hilker Families
 Anne Hilker
Thomas & Anna Neary
 Mary Ann Percaccio
Barbara Nedd
 Mr. & Mrs. Sherlock Storey
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 Mr. & Mrs. Jack Novielli
Andrew Nuccio
 Mr. & Mrs. Andrew Nuccio
Eileen O'Connell
 Mr. & Mrs. Paul Murray
Frank Obrochta
 Wife, Mary
Marti Obrochta Hauser
 Mother, Mary
Peter Oraboni
 Katherine Oraboni
Joseph Papasso
 Mr. & Mrs. Frank Papasso
William Pellechia
 Grace Pellechia
Mary T. Pellechia
 Nick Pellechia
Frank Percaccio
 Mary Ann Percaccio
Patsy & Angelina Percaccio
 Mary Ann Percaccio

Gertrude Persaud
 Mr. & Mrs. Sherlock Storey
Michael & Ann Phillips
 Mr. & Mrs. Richard Sowpel
Teresa & George Picard
 Dolores Picard
Nicholas Piccolo II
 Ida Piccolo
Nicholas Piccolo III
 Ida Piccolo
Rina Piro
 Mr. & Mrs. Brian Piro
Josephine & Louis Polce
 Mr. & Mrs. Louis Polce
Mary Potter
 Granddaughter,
 Marlene & George Gravatt
Raymond Potter
 Granddaughter,
 Marlene & George Gravatt
Bonnie Putz
 Mr. & Mrs. Michael Attanasio
Curtis & Ruth Reid
 Mr. & Mrs. Paul Reid
Consuelo Remigio
 Gladys McTighe
**Consuelo, Sal & Theresa
 Remigio**
 Mr. & Mrs. Jose Martinez
**Remigio, Roman, Morales &
 Santiago**
 Mr. & Mrs. Edwin Morales
Sally Rooney
 Pat Rooney
Frances & Albert Rosamilia
 Daughter, Carol Morton & Family
Anna & John Rossini
 Mr. & Mrs. John Touhey
Gus Rubinacci
 Martha Rubinacci
Jane Sabelli
 Mr. & Mrs. Robert Devine
Alfonso Sammarco
 Annette Sammarco
Lawrence J. Santaniello
 Mr. & Mrs. Donald Deakyne
Frank & Marie Sardone
 Mr. & Mrs. Frank Sardone
Michael Goerke
 Mr. & Mrs. Emilio D'Onorio De Meo
Frank & Josephine Scotto
 Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Scotto
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 Friends**
 Mr. & Mrs. Reynold Alfano
Bob Seagriff
 Wife, & Children
Dorothy & Anthony Siniscalco
 Mr. & Mrs. Richard Giordano
Zbigniew Sliwa
 Mr. & Mrs. Jack Sliwa
William Smith
 Mr. & Mrs. Frank Sardone
John & Ann Sowpel
 Mr. & Mrs. Richard Sowpel
Dominick Spinelli
 Mr. & Mrs. Brett Sabio
George Steinecke
 Helen Steinecke

Michael Storey
 Mr. & Mrs. Sherlock Storey
Phyllis Storey
 Mr. & Mrs. Sherlock Storey
Sharon Storey
 Mr. & Mrs. Sherlock Storey
Sherlock Storey
 Mr. & Mrs. Sherlock Storey
Monica Ann Talcott
 Her Family
Alton L. Tillett
 Mary Jean Griffith
Garry Tonon
 Lilo Tonon
Betty Tracey
 Mother, Lillian Winthers
Eugene Sr. & Eugene Jr. Travinski
 Mr. & Mrs. Walter Kaczor
Tomas & Amalia Vicente
 Lydia Leon
David & Greg Volk
 Dolores Picard
Richard E. Walker
 Marie Walker
Margaret & Paul Wilke
 Mr. & Mrs. Cyril Elias
Charles Winthers
 Daughter, Marlene & George Gravatt
Charles Winthers
 Wife, Lillian
Carrie Lynn Wolfe
 Tricia & Colin Miller
Kathryn Wright
 Col. & Mrs. Dean Wright
Mattus, Tessie & Edward Zalewski
 Diane Brennan

