



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)

July 7, 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.stmargaretlfnj.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



SATURDAY, July 6

5:30 PM Mildred & Joseph Kubat

SUNDAY, July 7, 2024

Fourteenth Sunday of the Church Year

9:00 AM Peter & Julia Kolankowski

11:30 AM Casimir Katkowski

MONDAY, July 8

12:00 PM Elvin Lister

TUESDAY, July 9

12:00 PM Elvin Lister

WEDNESDAY, July 10

12:00 PM Leona Orlando

THURSDAY, July 11

12:00 PM Aurora Sochaczwski

FRIDAY, July 12

12:00 PM Gasparo Morin

SATURDAY, July 13

5:30 PM William Brennan

SUNDAY, July 14, 2024

Fifteenth Sunday of the Church Year

9:00 AM Nicolina Hroncich

11:30 AM Marta Ann De Candia [6A]

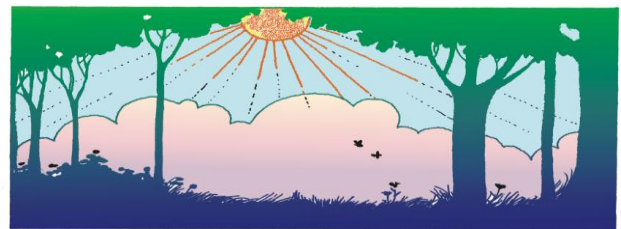
**Memorials
Bread & Wine
And
Sanctuary Candle
People of Our Parish Family**

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

Catherine Mary Moncello	Anthony Deli
Michele Porta	Valerie Vernay
Camilla Leventhal	Julian Morgan
Nicole Grano	Baby Amato Jordan
Johanna Hanush	Lena Vitalle
Julio Sanchez	Robert Zienkiewicz
Florence Navarro	John Ratynski
Arline Hrbek	Paula Kelnhofer
Jacqueline Palmadessa	Barbara Demczynszyn
Robin Toscano	Caroline Ruppert Hubert
Brandon Kingsley	Ron Ruppert
Robert & Carolyn Salzman	Chris Lynch
Tom Greaux	MaryMirrop
Pia Maria Pignataro	Victor Ruggiero
George Stauble	Michael & Stephen Demczynszyn



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.

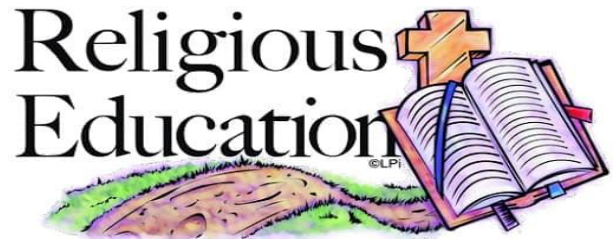


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FYI * Please **do not** touch or add flowers or rosaries to statues **inside** or **outside** church grounds, as they are leaving marks and destroying them. Thank you



*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*



Saint Margaret of Cortona Religious Education

**Registration for 2024-2025
Religious Education is now open**

**To register please go to the parish
office Monday through Thursday from
10AM -4PM and complete the
registration paperwork or download
the registration forms from the website
St. Margaret of Cortona Catholic
Church in Little Ferry.**

(stmargaretlfnj.org)

**All forms must be dropped off at the
parish office. The fee for one child is
\$110.00 for 2 children, \$140.00 and
\$160.00 for 3 or more children.**

**Checks can be made payable to
Saint Margaret of Cortona Church.**

**Grades 1 and 2 - One Sunday each
month 10:40 AM to 11:50AM**

**Grades 3, 4, 5 - Tuesdays -
3:30 PM - 4:30 PM**

**Grades 6, 7,8 - Tuesdays
6:30 PM - 8:00 PM**

**If you have any questions, please
contact the parish office. 201-641-2988**



June 30, 2024

\$2,500



St. Margaret's 2024 Goal	\$24,229
Number of Pledges	103
Amount of Pledges	\$27,119
As of July 1	

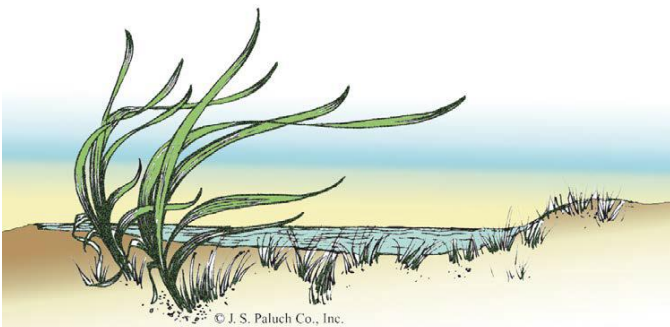
****New Summer Sunday Mass**

Schedule Times

Beginning Sunday

May 26, through September 1, 2024

9:00 AM and 11:30 AM



Bow Down for the Blessing

YOU MAY bow to receive a blessing at the end of Mass. The words asking you to do so have been slightly revised. In the past, the deacon or priest has said words such as these: “Bow your heads and pray for God’s blessing.” Now, however, you hear this formula: “Bow down for the blessing.”

The Final Blessing does not always include this invitation. You hear it only when the blessing is extended in one of two ways. In a Solemn Blessing, the priest offers a threefold formula addressed to the people, who answer “Amen” to each part. In a Prayer over the People, the priest addresses God, concluding with the phrase “Through Christ our Lord,” which prompts the people to answer “Amen”. If either extension is made, you are invited to bow before it, and you receive the usual blessing after it: “May almighty God bless you, the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit.”

The deacon issues this invitation because he instructs the people concerning their actions, whether to share the Sign of Peace or to be dismissed from the gathering. He may also assign postures such as kneeling, standing, and bowing. In the deacon’s absence, the priest performs this function. The revised English translation of the Mass has changed the words to reflect the invitation in Latin, which makes no mention of the head, and instead implies a low bow of the upper part of the body. The third edition of *The Roman Missal* has removed the permission for the priest or deacon to use other expressions, thus restricting him to one formula: “Bow down for the blessing.”

Ironically, the rubrics of the Mass never instruct the people to carry out this posture, but the implication, of course, is that they do.

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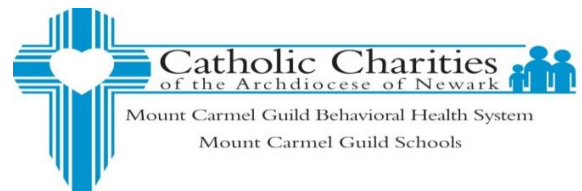
NATIONAL EUCHARISTIC REVIVAL

June 11, 2022 – Pentecost 2025

“What more can be given us Christians? [The Father] gives us His Son, who is of His own substance; His Son who is begotten from all eternity in the splendor of His glory; His Son who is the sole object of His most tender joy. He allows this most adorable Son to be sacrificed and to die upon a cross for us. ... But divine love goes further. It is not enough to have given Him in the adorable mystery of the Incarnation by becoming man and dying for us upon a cross. This same God comes to us every day under the appearance of bread and wine in the august Sacrament of the Eucharist in order to unite Himself most intimately to our hearts: to attend to us, to sustain us, and to share His most tender delights.”

St. Anthony Mary Claret (1807 – 1870)

A Time to Relax



Summertime is a time to relax. During this leisure time, would you be willing to go through your closets to get rid of all those unwanted heavy winter clothes which served you so well during the winter season? We also need small appliances, shoes, linens, sheets, towels, stuffed animals, novels, knickknacks, tools, toys, and children’s books. Please donate them to the Catholic Charities Donation Bin(s) located on the Church ground. Thank you for helping Catholic Charities continue its mission.