

Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord



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Altar Linens	Pat Para
Altar Servers	Fr. Michal Falgowski
Appalachia	Nina Rangel
Arbor Terrace	Deacon Joe & Don & Jeanne McKenna
Baptismal Prep	Clergy
Bible Groups	Kathy Sisler, Phil Alcock
Carnival	Keith Chesnut
Catholic War Veterans	Deacon Rick Gaydo
Children's Choir	Nina Rangel
Church Décor	Parish Office
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Divine Mercy	Aruni Gooneratne
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Men's Cornerstone	Chuck Havers
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Ushers	Jim Scannelli
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Young Adults	Andrew DeBlock
Youth Band	Nina Rangel
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Registration—Call or email the parish to register

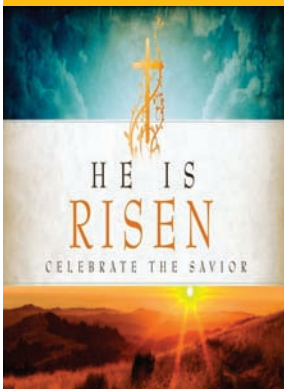
Baptisms—The sacrament is celebrated on each Sunday at 1:00 PM. Please call the parish office to schedule an appointment

Wedding Preparations - Call the parish office to schedule an appointment with the pastor to begin marriage preparation, preferably one year in advance. A Pre-Cana Class will be required.

Visitation of the Sick or Elderly - Call the Parish Office to arrange for visits to the hospital, nursing homes, or home-bound. HIPPA Regulations require that we receive permission from the immediate family, prior to the visit.

March 31, 2024

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Parish Giving

Collection received for the weekend of March 23/24 was \$7,809.
Faith Direct for the month of February was \$14,876

Please consider supporting our Parish through eGiving. Enrolling in online giving will simplify your monthly budgeting while also providing for our Parish.
If you would like to sign up, visit faithdirect.org and enter parish code NJ732
Your kindness is appreciated.

Easter Joy!



Mass Times and Intentions for the Week

Saturday, March 30

8:00 People of the Parish

Sunday, March 31

**7:30 Helen Salerno
Pearl Law**

**9:00 Pearl Law
Brett Smith**

**10:30 Alfred Wujkowski
Hernaro Rochester**

**12:00 Alfredo Rocca
Bertha Abayakoon 80th birthday**

Monday, April 1

12:10 Betty O'Keefe

Tuesday, April 2

12:10 Veronica LaCanfora

Wednesday, April 3

12:10 Grant Morgan

Thursday, April 4

12:10 Mary Jonasik

Friday, April 5

12:10 Isabella Ochoa Ramirez living

Saturday, April 6

**5:00 pm Joseph Yassa & Rosina
Tedeschi
Craig Davidson**

Sunday, April 7

**7:30 Marie Therese "Terry" Liddy
James Allen Schulien**

**9:00 Raphael Hernandez
Matilde Wujkowski**

**10:30 Dianna DeLorenzo
Elizabeth & Anthony Vignola**

12:00 Ellen Letta

Please remember in your prayers:

Our Family & Friends

Sister Laverne, Sister Renee, Joe & Nick Martocci, Rebecca Hollis, Steve O'Neill, Rob Spawn Diane DeVenezia, Joseph DeLorenzo, Vicki Twomey, Kathy Sisler, Peggy Barber, Jerry Warrick, Bill Warrick, Helena D'Estant, Shawn Black, Patti Alcock, Ed Schrak, John O'Leary, Mary Maffeo, Tony Loughlin, Robert Taylor, Doug Prinszano, Sandra Buck, Stephen Burke, Miah Tully, Michael O'Connor, Debbie Dallemolle, Jackie Donnelley, Colleen Dillion & Family, Emma Scannelli.

(Unless you notify the parish office, names will rotate off the list in three months.)

All who serve in defense of our Country, both at home and abroad

MAJ Colin Marino, 1LT Jay Horan, CHAP MAJ Louis Mattina, SSGT Yadira Salcedo, SSGT Nathan Marshall, The deployed airmen of the 514th Air Mobility Wing, the deployed airmen of the 621st Contingency Wing, the deployed airmen of the 914 Air Refueling Wing, SSGT Blake Reidinger, LT Kelsey Bergh, PO1 Timothy Butchko, MJR Gary Windt, LT Patrick Leahey, LCDR Daniel M. Leahey, LT Mark Leahey, LT Ryan Feeney, MJR Stephanie Sittman, SSGT Thomas Sittman, LTR Andrew McGuinness, SSGT Eric Wright, LT Mark Van Orden, MSGT T.J. Hopkins, LT Kian Frederick Steward, LT Tyler Huhn, DC1 Alexander V. Fernandez, CPL Irvin Carrithers, PFC Marcello Czarecki, and CHAP Capt. Michal Falgowski

Our Home-bound Parishioners and friends at

Morris View Health Care,
Sunrise Assisted Living,
Arbor Terrace

Events This Week at Saint Virgil Parish

Mon 4/1: Parish Office Closed

**Tues 4/2: Rosary Society Meeting 1 pm TC
Planning the May Crowning**

**Thurs 4/4: Bible Study 10:30 am TC
Divine Mercy 6:30 pm
First Thursday Adoration 7:00 pm
Bible Study 7:00 pm SV Classroom**

Fri 4/5: First Friday Mass 7:00 pm

Sat 4/6: Easter Egg Hunt 10 am

The parish office will be closed on Monday, April 1st and will reopen on Tuesday, April 2nd at 10:00.

This bulletin had to be submitted early. Note there will be additional Flower Memorials posted in the bulletin Next Sunday, which will be Divine Mercy Sunday.



Evangelization Corner

Alleluia, Alleluia! Let the Holy Anthem Rise, and the choirs of Heaven chant it in the temple of the skies; let the mountains skip with gladness, and the joyful valleys ring with Hosannas in the highest to our Savior and our King!

Alleluia, Alleluia! Like the sun from out the wave, He has risen up in triumph from the darkness of the grave. He's the splendor of the nations, He's the lamp of endless day; He's the very Lord of Glory who is risen up today!

Alleluia, Alleluia! Blessed Jesus, make us rise from the life of this corruption to the life that never dies. May your glory be our portion when the days of time are past, and the dead shall be awakened by the trumpet's mighty blast!



Love

One Another
As I
Have
Loved You
John 13:34



St. Virgil Rosary Society

**Tuesday, April 2, 2024, 1 p.m. in the Tracy Center
May Crowning Planning Meeting**

We will meet to discuss details of the May Crowning taking place on Monday, May 13, 2024, the Memorial of Our Lady of Fatima.

Refreshments available.

A donation of \$1.00 may be given to purchase Food Pantry items, in lieu of a canned good.

In case of inclement weather, please call the parish office at 973-538-1418.



Easter Flowers were donated in loving memory of those listed below. Complete list will be available in our next bulletin.



(In Memory Of)

(Given By)

Edmund and Clara Flynn.....	Jane Flynn
Robin Maura Claffey, Mr. & Mrs. George Claffey, Mr. & Mrs. George Shivas....	Eileen & John Claffey
Morgan Hardy, Carmella & Angelo Simone & Elizabeth Hardy.....	Mr. & Mrs. Patrick Simone
Dennis Paulison & deceased members of the Glanville & Paulison families	Rosemary Paulison
Mary and Angelo Spinola.....	Judy Spinola
Angelina, Bereraino, & Pasquale Salerno, Vincenzo Ibelle, John Patrick Marx.....	Pompea Salerno
Ed Joyce.....	Michael Joyce
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.....	From Dolly Mabin and James Perciante
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Lynne Bransfield, Donald Kirkham, Ruth Kirkham.....	Carole Kirkham
William & Kathleen Gowen, Joseph & Rosemarie Baumann.....	Robert Baumann & Elizabeth Lowe
Michael J Barbone, Sr, Katherine Barbone, Marie Messina.....	Thomas & Rose Ann Fornarotto
Anthony & Anne DeVenezia, Christopher & Margaret Magestro.....	Mr & Mrs N. DeVenezia

Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

We listen to Mary, the Apostle to the Apostles, the first eyewitness of the resurrection, as she preaches to us in the Easter sequence. She says, “Yes, Christ, my hope, has arisen.” And we respond, “Christ indeed from death is risen, our new life obtaining. Have mercy, Victor King, ever reigning!”

Jesus Christ is “wonderful in our eyes” because “the stone which the builders rejected has become the cornerstone.” We know that “by the Lord has this been done” (Psalm 118:22 – 24). God wills the inclusion of rejected and despised people, and the truth of our shared baptismal identity and dignity compels us never to call anyone profane or unclean.

May the resurrection of Jesus Christ, “the one appointed by God as judge of the living and the dead” (Acts 10:42), clear out all the “old yeast of malice and wickedness” and give us “the unleavened bread of sincerity and truth” (1 Corinthians 5:7 – 8). Amen



Feast of the Divine Mercy - April 7th, 2024

2.55 pm - Introduction and the exposition of the Blessed Sacrament.

In respect of this sacred act, we ask that you be there a few minutes prior to the start of the event.

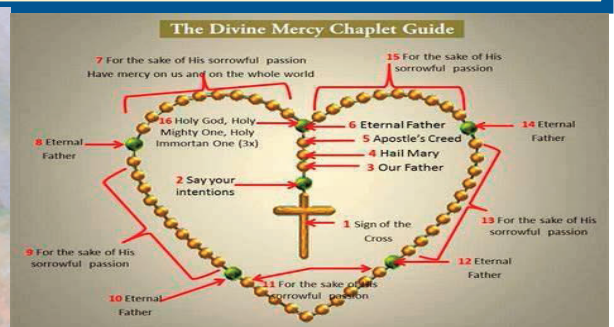
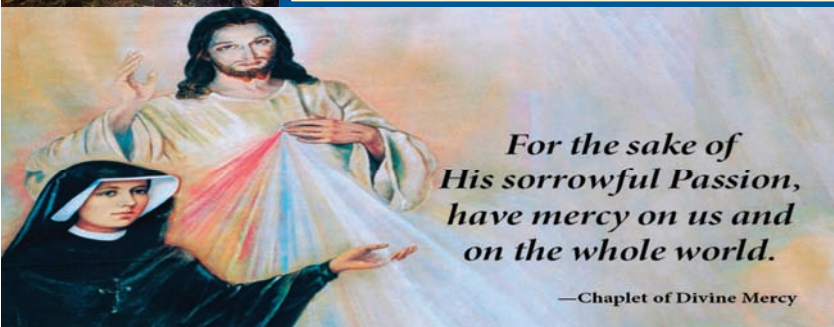
2.55 pm - Introduction & exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

3. 20 pm Reposition of the Blessed Sacrament

3.30 pm A talk by Karen Japzon, founder of John Leaps Evangelization.

4.00 pm Fellowship with refreshments at the Tracy Center.

For more details on the event and to learn how to recite the





The current economic challenges have made it very difficult for all of us, and in particular the working poor of Morris County. Please be generous

Pantry's Biggest Needs
We currently have a low supply of the following items:

- * Cereal - lower sugar preferred
- * Tomato products (sauce, crushed, whole, diced, paste, puree, etc.)
- * Pasta
- * Tuna, Salmon, canned fish
- * Canned meats & meals, ravioli, hash, stew, canned chicken, spaghetti & meatballs, chili
- * Canned Beans (pork & beans, pinto beans, red or white kidney beans, black beans) NOT green beans
- * Rice (in 1 or 2 pound bags)
- * Side dishes: Mac & Cheese, Rice-A-Roni, instant potatoes, Hamburger Helper, etc.
- * Baby Food—Stage 2, Stage 3
- * Baby Diapers—Sizes 3, 4, 5, and 6



Join us for this free family event on
**Saturday, April 6th. Activities, crafts, and
snacks will be available at 10 AM. The
Easter Egg Hunt will start at 10:30 AM.**

Contact Nina at Youthminister@stvirgilparish.org
with any questions

Appalachia Outreach 2024

Youth Ministry/Appalachia Spotlight: Ren Lake



Hi, my name is Ren Lake. I'm a junior at Morristown High School. I love theatre (I construct sets and am a secretary on the Thespian Honor Society board), crocheting, reading, playing the violin, listening to music, hanging out with my friends, and photography. The thing is, I am not a member of St. Virgil's. I have gone to the Church of Christ the King in New Vernon my whole life, and am involved with their youth events and lecturing. I am on the retreat team there, which serves to guide kids going through the Confirmation process. I lead peer discussions, lead and participate in prayer opportunities, and give religious talks based on my experiences and faith. We do retreats, but it doesn't come close to the physical and mental challenges of the Appalachia trip. We do small retreats lasting a few days, in a building that is barely a 5-minute walk from the church. I heard about this retreat from some friends who have been on it and all

about the wonderful things people have done to help those in need in the community of Harlan. I immediately wanted to directly help these people in need. The trip being a 9-day service trip, 11 hours away, doing manual labor to serve the community members is so unique and remarkable to me. I have heard so many stories about the community members, the work, and the environment of the retreat off-site, and this retreat seems so worthwhile to me. I would love the opportunity to grow in my faith. The St. Virgil's Church and community have been so welcoming and open to me, and I want to thank everyone for that. This sponsorship would help me to further my faith journey and use my abilities to help the people of Harlan.

Want to sponsor Ren? To donate online, please visit www.stvirgilparish.org, click "Online Giving", scroll down to "One-Time Gifts", and select Appalachia. Please make sure to write in the candidate you are choosing to sponsor in the "notes" section. You can also access this link by scanning the following QR Code. You can also make a check payable to St. Virgil Parish.



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