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PARISH MEMBERSHIP: Welcome! New parishioners are asked to register at the parish office as soon as possible.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK: In case of serious illness at home, phone the parish office. For hospital patients this is done by the hospital chaplain. In case of emergency call the parish office.

BAPTISM: Arrangements must be made by the parents through the parish office. Baptismal sessions for parents are required.

WEDDINGS: Please make arrangements at the parish office one year prior to the date of the wedding.

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PARISH WEBSITE -- www.parishholycross.org
THE WEEK AT A GLANCE

Monday, August 1
-Legion of Mary, 7 pm, ICC Basement

Tuesday, August 2
-Bingo, doors open 4:30 game 7:00 pm

Wednesday, August 3
-Fund Raising Committee, STA R., 6:30 pm
- Miraculous Medal Novena followed by Rosary, 6:30 pm, St. Michael’s Church
-Adoration at St. Mary’s C., 8:30 am – 3 pm

Thursday, August 4
-Adoration at ICC, 8:30 am - 6:00 pm
-Scripture Classes, 10 am, ICC Rec. Dining Rm.

Saturday, August 6
- Eucharist Adoration, Miraculous Medal Novena & Rosary, ICC after 8:00 am Mass.
- Parish Yard Sale, STA R., 8 am- 12 pm.

THE BOOK CLUB

The Parish of the Holy Cross Book Club will resume this Monday evening, 08/01, in the basement of St. Mary's church. We will be reviewing chapters 10-12 of Jesus - A Pilgrimage. The topics will be the beatitudes, forgiveness, and the parables of Jesus. Feel free to join in the discussion whether you have read the book or not. Light refreshments will be served. Hope to see you there!

PARISH NEWS...

CATHOLIC WAR VETERANS

Casino Bus Trip
When: Wednesday, August 3rd
Where: Resorts
Cost: $20.00, Receive $25.00 slot cash back. Cost includes drivers tip.
Details: Bus leaves Upper Deerfield Wal Mart 9 am sharp. Please arrive no later than 8:45 am.
MONEY GUARANTEES YOUR SEAT
Info/seat: 451-7418

ANNUAL YARD SALE

Saturday, August 6
8 am-12 pm
St. Teresa of Avila Church Basement
Items in good condition may be dropped off from 2-4 PM, At: St. Teresa's Church Basement.
On, August 3rd, 4th, & 5th
Come on out on August 6th and get some great bargains!
By: Altar & Rosary Society

BISHOP CELEBRATING FARM MASS

We are inviting the community to come and join us at an evening Mass. Bishop, Dennis Sullivan, will be celebrating the farm Mass.

On: Saturday, August 13th.
At: Larchmont Farms, 201 Rt. 77
Elmer, NJ
At: 7:00 pm
All are invited!

STEWARDSHIP: GENEROSITY

“Take care to guard against all greed, for though one may be rich, one’s life does not consist of possessions.” Luke 12:15

The Gospel message today is so contrary to our modern culture where advertising continually tries to convince us that our value lies in the things we possess. Jesus showed us that our true value lies in the way we live our lives. He challenges his Stewards to not store up or hoard material possessions, but rather to live a grateful and generous lifestyle.

Weekly Contributions
July 23 – July 24, 2016
$11,341.00

A FAMILY PERSPECTIVE

In today’s gospel Jesus teaches us: “One’s life does not consist of possessions.” We spend so much time working to obtain more stuff; we don’t have time for the people in our lives. What is enough? Are the words of Jesus, “You fool”, meant for us?
**BLESSING OF THE SEA**

The Altar Rosary Society will be traveling to Ocean City on August 15, For Blessing of the Sea. They will meet at STA parking lot at 7:30 am and depart at 7:45 am. Mass is at St Augustine’s Church, located at 13th & Wesley St. at 10 am. Procession to the ocean will follow. We will have lunch at Yesterday’s Restaurant which 15 minutes from the boardwalk. We will be leaving OC after lunch approx. 2-3 pm. Carpooling will be available. RSVP Jean Brown at 455-3199.

**Altar Servers Recruitment**

Your child is invited! If your child received 1st Communion and wants to become an Altar Server, we are having four day training. From: Monday, August 22, 23, 24, and 26. From: 10:00 am-12:00 am, At STA. On Friday the 26 the training will conclude with an Altar Server Picnic All servers are welcome, There will be games and food. This will be a great time for our current servers to meet and welcome the new recruits! The Picnic will be at STA parking lot.

**PARISH FESTIVAL/CHICKEN BARBECUE**

Sunday, September 11, 2016
St. Teresa of Avila Church/Grounds
10:30 am – Mass
12:00 pm – 5 pm Festival / BBQ Tickets: $10.00

**ONE DAY RETREAT**

Altar Rosary Society will be going on a day retreat – Sept. 21, 2016, on “You are the Light of the World. Let your light Shine Before all,” at Saint Mary by the Sea Retreat House in Cape May. Please call Jean Brown to register at 455-3199. All are welcome.

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

The Fundraising Committee is working on the 5th Annual Parish Festival/Chicken BBQ. We will need workers to volunteer their time throughout the day. If you are interested in volunteering in any capacity and for Donations to the Chinese Auction please call Alice Vain at 455-5675. Bakers can contact Terry Catalana at 451-7918 or Laura Chew – 451-5588.

**CHICKEN BARBECUE**

Benefit of 55th Annual ROSENHAYN VOL. FIRE & RESCUE CO. SUNDAY, AUGUST 7, 2016
On Fire Co. Grounds * 12 Noon to 6 PM * Rain or Shine *LIVE MUSIC * Refreshments *
Tickets: $10.00
ALL ARE WELCOME!!!

**R.C.I.A.**

(Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) will begin for our Parish of the Holy Cross on Wednesday, September 28th, 7:00-8:30 PM, at Immaculate Conception Rectory

R.C.I.A. is an open door and loving welcome from Jesus to ALL that feel a calling to become Roman Catholic. There is never any “force” or “obligation” on anyone.

R.C.I.A. is also for baptized Catholics who have not received the Sacraments of First Communion and / or Confirmation.

R.C.I.A. is a beautiful, graced-filled invitation to update our faith and knowledge of God and God’s Church. For more information, call Joan Frith (856-534-3464) or Deacon Chris Nichols (609-805-6284).
SAINT MARY’S CHURCH

Saturday, July 30, 2016, 4:30 pm  
Florence Gentile: Everett & Marycatherine Brogen  
Reiner Bidic: Matilda Colt  
James A. Ronchetti, Jr.: Dominick & Phyllis Buono  
Ann Brago: Mary Visconti & Family  
Edward Rycklicki: Nancy & Bill Graham  

Sunday, July 31, 2016, 9:30 am  
Reiner Bidic: Carol Lippincott  
Florence Gentile: Margaret Mary Propert  
Ann Brago: Tina Bidic  
Ann Bonek: Kathy Pipitone  
Jean Reichmann: Verna, Alice & Michelle  

Monday, August 1, 2016, 8:00 am  
Ann Brago: Altar and Rosary Society  
Gloria Noto: Tony & Mary Jane Stanzione  

Tuesday, August 2, 2016, 8:00 am  
Mary Frith: Carrie & Ethan Schaeztke  
Nancy Ewing: Joan Frith & Family  

Wednesday, August 3, 2016, 8:00 am  
Giorgio, Anna, Frank, Lena & Marian LoBiondo: LoBiondo Family  
Joseph Camino: Family  

Saturday, August 6, 2016, 4:30 pm  
Gasper & Jennie Sparacio: LoBiondo Family  
Reiner Bidic: Michael, Dena & Trevor Brogen  
Florence Gentile: Mike & Dianne Cocove  
Ann Brago: Mr. & Mrs. George Olivio & Family  
Ann Bonek: Dominick & Phyllis Buono  

Sunday, August 7, 2016, 9:30 am  
Frank Cushane: Cushane Great Grand Children  
Reiner Bidic: Alice Olszewski & Family  
Ann Brago: Billy Sharon Riggins  
Nancy Ewing: Deacon Chris & Dale Nichols  
Gordon C. Ely: Gene & Terry  

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

Sunday, July 31, 2016, 8:00 am  
Anna May Hitchner: Ron & Lisa Thomas & Family  
Vincent Hitchner, Sr.: Celeste Hitchner & Family  
Mary Lippincott: Laura Chew  
Angelo Chiari: Steve Kutney  
Reiner Bidic: Mario & Holly D’Agostino  

Dom, Julio 31, 2016, 7:00 pm  
+Eusebio Chávez Soriano, +Paulina Ramírez Santiago y sus tres hijos: Su Familia  

Martes, Agosto 2, 2016, 7:00 pm  
Misa en El Campo Toluquenos  

Miercoles, Agosto 3, 2016, 7:00 pm  
Misa en Iglesia Santa Teresa de Avila  

Thursday, August 4, 2016, 8:00 am  
Marie D’Agostino: Holly & Mario D’Agostino  

Jueves, August 4, 2016, 7:00 pm  
Misa en Iglesia San Miguel, Cedarville  

Friday, August 5, 2016, 8:00 am  
Stanislaw & Maria Jurewicz: Family  
Special Intention for Angel Lopez: Reyna Mendez  

Saturday, August 6, 2016, 8:00 am  
Special Intention for Angel Mendez: Reyna Mendez  
Nancy Ewing: The Coleman Family  

SAINT TERESA CHURCH

Saturday, July 30, 2016, 5:00 pm  
Loretta DiMatteo: Rachel, Anthony & Denise Diorio  
Faith Connolly: Anna Sorrentino  
Al Uber: Judy & Family  
Samuel Alcorn, Sr.: Steve & Marsha Smith & Family  
Luigi D’Ascoli: Anthony, Rachel & Denise Diorio  

Sunday, July 31, 2016, 10:30 am  
Nancy Ewing: Herman Girock & Family  
Tom Farnoly: Bob & Ann Cole  
Ken Coleman: Maryann & Arthur Knudson  
John A. Luciano: The DeVita Family  
Angel Rosario: The Santomo Family  

Domingo, Julio 31, 2016, 12:30 pm  
Por el confort de todos los enfermos de la parroquia y sus familias.  

Saturday, August 6, 2016, 5:00 pm  
Rosaria Campisi: Josephine Volgente & Family  
Edward J. Quinn, Sr.: Family  
Mary Lack: Maryanne & Bob Fralinger  
Faith Connolly: Jean & Paul Ritter  
Luigi D’Ascoli: Ann Sorrentino  

Sunday, August 7, 2016, 10:30 a.m  
John & Agnes Haberler: Herman Girock & Family  
Annie Dailey: Family  
Deceased Members of the Hemighaus Family: Jim & Jane Hemighaus  

Domingo, Julio 31, 2016, 12:30 pm  
Por las Intenciones de Todos los Parroquianos  

SAINT MICHAEL CHURCH

Sunday, July 31, 2016 11:30 am  
Joseph Sorantino: Anthony & Gwen Sorantino  
Fred Bernardini: Mr. & Mrs. Eugene Miletta, Sr.  

Sunday, August 7, 2016 11:30 am  
Michael & Mary Sullivan: Sullivan Family  
Ruth & William Mussari & Daughter, Maureen: LuAnn & Russ  

SAINT ANTHONY CHURCH

Sunday, August 14, 2016, 11:30 a.m.  
All Living and Deceased Members of the Yawczak Family: Kathryn Daniels  

Sunday, August 28, 2016, 11:30 a.m.  
For All Parishioners, Living & Deceased
El Club de lectura de la Parroquia de la Santa Cruz se reunirá este lunes por la noche, 1 de Agosto, en el sótano de la Iglesia de Santa María en Rosenhayn. Estaremos repasando el capítulo de 10-12 de Jesús – *Un Peregrinaje*. El tópico será las beatitudes, perdón, y las parábolas de Jesús. Siéntase libre de participar en la discusión ya sea que haigas leído el libro y no. Refrigerio ligero será servido. ¡Espero verte ay!

**VETERANOS DE GUERRA CATÓLICOS**

**Viaje en Autobús**

**Cuando:** Miércoles, 3 de Agosto

**Lugar:** Resorts

**Costo:** $20.00, Recibirás $25 (para maquinas) Costo incluye propina.

**Detalles:** Autobús saldrá de Upper Deerfield Wal Mart a las 9 am en punto. Por favor llegar no más tarde de las 8:45 am.

**DINERO GARANTIZA TU ASIENTO**

Info/asientos: 451-7418

**VENTA ANUAL DE GARAJE**

**Sábado, Agosto 6**

**8 am-12 pm**

**Sótano de Iglesia de Santa Teresa**

Pueden traer artículos en buena condición de 2-4 PM, EN:

Sótano de Iglesia Sta. Teresa. El: 3, 4, y 5 de Agosto.

¡Ven a obtener buenos precios!

**MISA ESPECIAL GUADALUPANA**

Por la intención de todos los benefactores de la celebración de Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe. Tendremos misa especial en la iglesia Inmaculada Concepción seguida por nuestra primera reunión de planificación Guadalupana 2016.

**Día:** 8 de agosto

**Horario:** 7:00 pm

**OBISPO CELEBRARA MISA EN EL CAMPO**

El Obispo, Dennis Sullivan, estará celebrando la misa en el campo el 13 de agosto. En el campo de los duraznos.

En: Larchmont Farms, 201 Rt. 77

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**¡Todos están invitados!**

**MISA EN LOS CAMPOS**

Martes: Toluqueños,

Misa en: Campo Los Toluqueños

961 Whig Lane, Monroeville, NJ

Miércoles: Sunnyslope

Misa en: Iglesia Santa Teresa de Ávila

Jueves: Sheppard Farms

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Misa en: Iglesia San Miguel

367 Main Street, Cedarville, NJ

Sábado: Larchmont Farms

Campo Los Duraznos

201 Rt. 77, Elmer, NJ

**RECLUTANDO MONAGUILLOS**

Que ya haiga hecho su Primera Comunión. Dias de entrenamiento serán:

**Agosto 22, 23, 24, y 26.**

El viernes 26 después del entrenamiento tendrán una comida para que compartirán con los monaguillos actuales de 12:00 pm – 2:00 pm.

**Entrenamiento:** 10:00 am – 12:00 pm

Lugar: Iglesia Santa Teresa de Ávila y terreno.

**FESTIVAL PARROQUIAL / POLLO ASADO**

Domingo, Septiembre 11, 2016

Santa Teresa de Ávila Iglesia/Terreno

**Después de misa de 10:30 am**

Festival/Pollo Asado: 12 pm -5 pm

Boletos: $10.00
FESTIVAL PARROQUIANO / El Comité de Recaudación de Fondos está trabajando en el Festival Parroquial Quinto Anual / BBQ Chicken programado para el domingo 11 de septiembre de 2016. Vamos a necesitar trabajadores para ofrecer su tiempo durante todo el día. Si usted está interesado en ser voluntario en cualquier capacidad o a Donar para la Subasta China por favor llame a Alice Vain en 455-5675. Los que puedan donar pan pueden ponerse en contacto con Terry Catalana al 451-7918 o Laura Chew - 451-5588.

A todos los Padres de Familia con hijos en edad escolar les avisamos que las INSCRIPCIONES para la EDUCACIÓN RELIGIOSA están ABIERTAS. Inscribiremos durante los meses de julio y agosto. Pase a la oficina de la Inmaculada de 5-9 pm o durante el día en la oficina de Santa Teresa de Ávila de 9 am-3 pm.

(Rito de Iniciación Cristiana para Adultos) Comenzará en nuestra Parroquia de la Santa Cruz, este año el jueves, 1 de septiembre de 7 a 9 de la noche en el sótano de la rectoría de la Inmaculada Concepción.

R.I.C.A. es una puerta abierta y bienvenida de Jesús para todos los adultos que sientan una llamada a ser Católicos Apostólicos y Romanos. Nunca será una “obligación” o “a fuerza” para nadie asistir al programa.

R.I.C.A. también es para los Católicos bautizados que no han recibido los sacramentos de la Primera Comunión o la Confirmación.

R.I.C.A. es una bella invitación, llena de gracia para actualizarnos en nuestra fe y conocer a Dios y a la Iglesia de Dios. Para más información llame a Tere Ponce (856-221-3456) o a la Hna. María de Jesús Herrera (856-455-9960).
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