# ST. VERONICA CHURCH

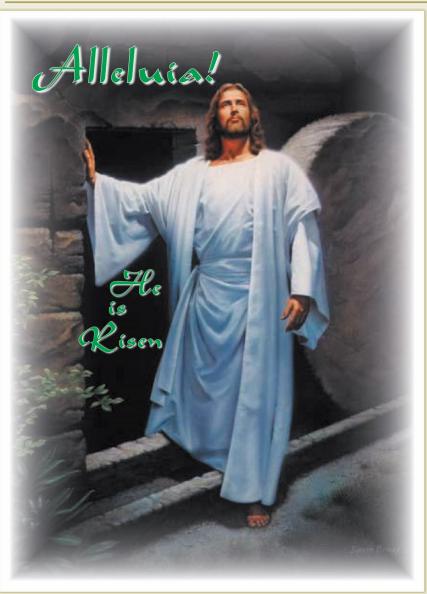
### **Rectory Office Hours:**

Monday 9:00AM-4:00PM
Tuesday- 9:00AM-4:00PM
Wednesday 1:00PM –7:00PM
Thursday 9:00AM-4:00PM
Friday—CLOSED
First Saturday of the month 9:00-12:30PM



#### Mass Schedule

Daily: Monday-Friday: 12 Noon Saturday: 8:00AM & 4:00 PM Sunday: 7:30, 9:00, 10:30, 12 Noon Live Stream Masses on Sat. 4PM & Sun.10:30AM



Pastor: Rev. Peter James Alindogan Parochial Vicar: Rev. John Chang

Deacons: Charles R. Daye, Jr.

John Franey Nick Stranieri

Business Manager:

Linda Dickinson-Pancila

Lay Trustees: Claire McCarthy

Edward Hamill

Religious Education & Youth Ministry

Coordinator:

Sr. Ann Norton, C.R., DRE

Religious Ed Support Staff:

**Tuesday Overton** 

Elia Landino

Pastoral Associate: Sr. Cecilia Berdar, C.R.

Director of Music: Marietta Racancoj

Pastoral and Support Staff:

Cheryl Wegner

Mother Seton Academy Principal:

Dr. Karen Juliano

Rectory: 732-363-4200 Rectory Fax: 732-370-3891 Convent: 732-364-2361

Religious Education: 732-364-4137

MSA Office: 732-364-4130

APRIL 17, 2022 EASTER SUNDAY

4215 Route 9 North Howell, New Jersey 07731 www.stveronica.com



Parish Emails: office@stveronica.com communications@stveronica.com

### We are called to Sanctify

#### Mass Intentions for this Week



Easter SUNDAY, April 17 - The Resurrection of the Lord 7:30
MONDAY, April 18 12;00 Angie CaleondroGerri Porter Guillermo PadronMedina Family
TUESDAY, April 19 12:00 Karl FahringerPatrick & Eileen McCarthy Osvaldo FrancesinaMedina Family
WEDNESDAY, April 20 12:00 Int. of Diana MorrisFamily Carlos DiazKaren & Russ Gilbert
THURSDAY, April 21 12:00 Ricardo Soriano Evelio Francesena Medina Family
FRIDAY, April 22 12:00 Carol GeppitiLarry & Debbie Landis Bill WegnerEd & Mary Althaver
SATURDAY, April 23 8:00am Patrick McBride John & Sheila McBride Bill WegnerNick & Sandi Accisano 4:00pm Corinne KerodHoffman Family Kent RowlandToni & Connie LaBella
SUNDAY, April 24 7:30 Dec. Member of Ricker Family People of the Parish
12:00 Ella Floyd Bo & Bill Rieker  David Stewart Bill & Cheryl Wegner

### Miraculous Medal Novena Prayer

said Monday after the 12 Noon Mass and Monday evenings at 8:00PM Pray for

Peace in the

Ukraine



### Readings for the Week

**Sunday**: Acts 10:34a, 37-43; Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23; Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8; Jn 20:1-9 or Lk 24:1-12 or (at an afternoon or evening Mass) Lk 24:13-35

**Monday**: Acts 2:14, 22-33; Ps 16:1-2a and 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11; Mt 28:8-15

**Tuesday**: Acts 2:36-41; Ps 33:4-5, 18-19, 20 and 22; Jn 20:11-18

Wednesday: Acts 3:1-10; Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8-9; Lk 24:13-35 Thursday: Acts 3:11-26; Ps 8:2ab, 5, 6-7, 8-9; Lk 24:35-48 Friday: Acts 4:1-12; Ps 118:1-2, 4, 22-24, 25-27a; Jn 21:1-14 Saturday: Acts 4:13-21; Ps 118:1, 14-15ab, 16-18, 19-21; Mk 16:9-15

**Sunday**: Acts 5:12-16; Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24; Rev 1:9-11a, 12-13, 17-19; Jn 20:19-31

#### **Church Sanctuary Candle**

If you would like to donate a Sanctuary Candle for a loved one, please contact the rectory office at 732-363-4200. Candles will be in memory of/or intentions for the named individual for one week. Cost: \$15.00



Sanctuary Candle
Week of April 17, 2022
Bob O'Malley, Sr.
Wife, Terry

### Eucharistic Adoration Good News!!!

**Perpetual Adoration Chapel** 



"The Christian life needs to be nourished by attentive listening to God's word and, above all, by the cultivation of a personal relationship with the Lord in

Eucharistic adoration, the privileged "place" for our encounter with God". Pope Francis

30 hours still need adorers, especially weekends.

All are invited to sign up for an hour of Eucharistic Adoration at the Chapel available 24/7. It is never too late to sign up. Don't let occasional commitments discourage you; we have substitute procedures and partners. Ministries and prayer groups may also sign up for a specific hour with a contact person.

All adorers must be registered for health and safety reasons and limited seating; no walk-ins.

To become a registered adorer or for information contact: Debbie at <u>drev514@aol.com</u> or leave message at 732-367-7750.

Spanish speaking contact person: Clari 732 567-1409

### Notes from Fr. PJ

Dear Friends in Christ,

Peace and Joy!

How did we know, really know and also understand, that Jesus Christ rose from the dead? May I present to you three reasons why:

1. Somebody told me about it. They were the first century witnesses who said Jesus is alive after being dead. Their stories were recounted through generations and compiled in what we now call the New Testament. I believe what they said, and I know they would never lie. They were the minority then.



- 2. The resurrection of our Lord has stood the test of time. A lot of things start off good but soon fizzle out. Fame fades, fads and fashions go. Only the real thing stands the test of time. As long as there is life on earth, there will be people like you and me talking about the resurrection of Jesus Christ, talking about Easter Sunday.
- 3. I believe in the resurrection, because I have experienced it (and I love it). The first century disciples had difficulty explaining it at first, but had it easier when they felt it. The best proof of the resurrection is not in what they witnessed, but in how they responded to what they saw, on how Jesus rising from the dead changed them for the better. It made them courageous, brave and zealous in talking about our Lord, even to the point of martyrdom and death.

The real power of Easter is not in its great hymns, the lilies and the flowers adorning the sanctuary, or the great Hallelujah chorus. It is in ways that our lives are moved from death to life, from a sealed tomb to an open doorway, from despair to hope.

That is Easter. That is Resurrection. And truly, Christ is risen! Alleluia!

Have a blessed one as we all journey to the Blessed One,

Fr. PJ

**St Veronica Parish is hiring** the full-time position of **Parish Catechetical Leader, PCL** which also is known as the Director of Religious Education, DRE, or Director of Faith Formation, DFF.

Parish Catechetical Leader, PCL, will develop, maintain, and administer the faith formation needs of the parish. He/she will be responsible for overseeing the daily operation of the Department of Religious Education (RE), Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA), Sacramental Preparation and Adult Faith Formation (AFF) Programming.



The qualified candidate with determine and strategically plan the faith formational needs for the parish under the leadership of the Pastor. The candidate will be responsible for the recruitment, training and spiritual formation of catechists, formation ministry leaders and volunteers for multiple ministries.

#### Job Qualifications:

The position requires a Master's Degree in Theology or related field. Proven leadership skills, and effective oral and written communication skills are necessary for success. Proficiency in Microsoft Word, Excel, Power Point, and electronic communication is a required, along with availability for evenings and weekends, as needed. The successful candidate must be a practicing Catholic in good standing.

No telephone calls will be accepted.

Please submit your resume, two professional references and one personal reference to: Linda Dickinson-Pancila Linda.Dickinson@stveronica.com

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## **SACRAMENTS**



Sacrament of Baptism: Every 2nd & 4th Sunday



Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturday: 2:30-3:30PM



Anointing of the Sick: Parishioners facing surgery or struggling with illness may request the Sacrament

For more information, please call the rectory.

#### **Prayer Intentions**

Please pray for the sick, the homebound and those who have requested us to remember them in prayer:



Sean A. Ronald G. Alice N. Edward B. Gloria G. Ben R. Chris B. Bob H. Joe R. George C. Tina L. Rilev R. Edward S. Ali D. Roger L. Greg M. Glenda W. Alicja F. Elizabeth Z. Gavin F. John M.

Please note: Prayers for the sick, the homebound and those who have requested us to remember them in prayer will be acknowledged in the bulletin for 8 weeks. If anyone would like to add someone to the list, please contact the rectory.



### **Divine Mercy Sunday Devotion** April 24, 3:00 pm

The Divine Mercy Novena will begin on Good Friday, April 15th, immediately following the outdoor Stations of the Cross, in the Church, The Novena will conclude Divine Mercy Sunday at 3:00 pm.

"I realize more and more how much every soul needs God's mercy throughout life and particular, at the hour of death.

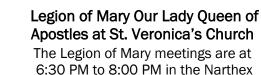
This Chaplet of Divine Mercy mitigates God's anger as He himself told me." St. Faustina (No. 1036)



St. Veronica's Parish Family wishes to welcome those who have become members through the Sacrament of Baptism.

Abigail Marie, daughter of George & Carrieann Catanzard Peyton Ryan, daughter of Ryan and Deanna Hills Stella Star, daughter of Robert & Sarah Sosis Alivia, daughter of Salvatore & Samantha Day Mia Ann. daughter of Anthony & Rita Pace Miles Noel, son of Michele & Matthew Garcia-Vega

Thank you for the gift of life.



on Mondays. For questions, please contact Curia president

Rosalie Angeles, rangeles14@yahoo.com, or Carlos Diaz Our Lady Queen of Apostles, cdiazir@optonline.net



### Come sing with the choir!!!

Bring a friend or come make some new friends and get some service hours for school and/or confirmation while you're at it! It also looks great on college applications!

### **SCHEDULE**

Teen/Young Adult Choir Practices: Wednesdays 7:30-8:30 and/or Fridays 3:30-4:30 (sings every other Sunday Mass)

Kids Choir Practices: Wednesdays 3:30-4:30 (sing 1st Sunday of the month)

Adult Choir: For info email Marietta

For details or questions, please email Marietta Music@stveronica.com

Thank You

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### Seder Meal Thank you

On Wednesday April 6 many parishioners gathered together at 7:00pm in the cafeteria to celebrate the Seder Meal, a traditional form of fellowship which not only commemorates the Jews' deliverance but also hope for the coming kingdom of God.

Celebrating the Seder Meal also draws the relationships between the Passover and important New Testament truths.































On behalf of Fr. PJ Alindogan and Fr. John Chang, we would like to extend our sincerest appreciation to all who have attended the Seder Passover Dinner. It was well attended and celebrated by our parish community as well

as members of St. Aloysius, St. Rose and the Church of Holy Innocents. Thank you to the many helpers in making this meaningful celebration a success. St. Veronica could not be more blessed celebrating this tradition year after year without loving and kind people such as yourselves. You are one of the reasons that makes St. Veronica Parish strong and united!



Faithful Servant of God, Maria Fay Dublon

### Stewardship: Time, Talent & Treasure

Adopt-A-Tree Campaign Looking for Sponsors:

Sponsor the planting of a tree or bush on the Parish Grounds. To date 7

trees and 14 bushes planted in the fall have been sponsored. Two medium crepe myrtles planted in the convent yard remain to be sponsored from the fall 2021 planting.

More trees and bushes will be planted this spring.

To sponsor a tree or bush, please contact the business manager, Linda at Linda.dickinson@stveronica.com 732-363-4200 x 245

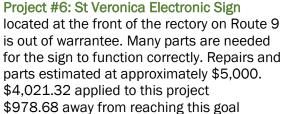


### Special Project Collection Accounting

Special Projects Collected to date: \$41,007.50 July \$3390, Aug. \$8917, Sept. \$3660.50, Oct. \$4145, Nov. \$4,264, Dec. \$3495.

Jan. \$3899, Feb. \$4013, March \$5224

Project #5: Church camera surveillance system Goal = \$16410.40 Goal reached!! \$10,000.00 Restricted gift received from donor. \$6410.40 applied to this project Update on this work: We are still waiting for the parts to arrive for the updated cameras to be installed.



Project #7: Church Lighting - repairs and upgrades to all church lighting. Update chandlers to LED. Replace spot lights above sanctuary and altar. Add additional spot lighting to Stations of the Cross. This work is still being priced out. Repairs, labor and parts are estimated at approximately \$20,000.

#### THANK YOU

for your continued stewardship to St. Veronica Parish's Special Projects Collection which enables us to complete much needed projects!!

Without you and your generosity, St Veronica could not complete this work.

Now is a great opportunity to switch from envelopes to online giving.

St Veronica Parish Online Giving

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St. Veronica is committed to providing you with a secure and accessible way to give online.



### To set up a new online account, please Scan this barcode or Visit:

https://giving.parishsoft.com/app/giving/stvhowell or you can go to the parish website www.stveronica.com and click on the parish soft logo which will take you directly to the parish soft online giving portal.

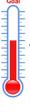
#### To create an account:

- Click on link to online portal (above)
- At top of the online giving page click on SIGN IN
- At bottom of the sign in page you will see the blue words that say create an account. Follow steps to create an account.

#### Set up reoccurring donations:

- Log into your account
- Look at section of page that says MY DONATIONS
- Click on the words one time or reoccurring donation. You will see a blue line under reoccurring.
- You must process one donation at a time so please Select your fund – Ex: regular weekly, Easter ... If you select second collection and select your sub fund... Ex: special projects
- Decide the frequency of your donation. Ex: weekly, monthly, annually so you know how much to enter in the \$ amount box
- Pick a date using the little calendar square that the donation will be processed each month, week, year...
- Check processing fee box if you wish to cover this expense for the parish.
- Select your payment method. You only have to enter this information once. Each additional reoccurring donation you make can use the same payment method.
- Click submit
- Repeat these steps to set up and process additional donations.

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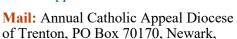


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When making an ACA donation please note St Veronica, Howell

Online: Scan the QR code or visit website to make a gift https://dioceseoftrenton.org/



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**Text:** ACA to 53555 Call: 609-403-7197

Distributions, Bequests, Charitable Annuities and Cryptocurrency can be coordinated by contacting Dept of Development 609-403-7197

What does Love got to do with it? "Love is something that we do." Bishop O'Connell

catholicappeal

**Additional Gift Options:** Gifts of Stock, IRA

Matching gifts accepted

Parish goal: \$90,000 Pledged: \$53.222.00 Donors: 167 Avg gift: \$318.69 Percent to Goal: 59%

LIVING A Everything we have is a gift from God that we are to use to help others.

Due to the early submission of the bulletin SHARING OUR TREASURE and the weekly expenses for the week of April 10, 2022 will be reported next week.

ECTIONS.

Thank you for the sacrificial stewardship and continued support of our Parish. May God bless you for the sacrifices you make.

### **Food Pantry Needs**

Coffee Tea Juice Shelf-stable milk Assorted canned beans

Canned chicken Canned salmon Canned tuna Canned fruit Instant oatmeal Pancake mix Syrup

Peanut butter Jelly Rice Pasta Pasta sauce

Macaroni and cheese Snacks Laundry detergent

Paper towels Toilet paper

cans are not needed at this time. **Tissues** 

Soup &

vegetable

Please drop off all food donations in the wagons in the Church Narthex. For more information on food available and pick up information please contact

> pantry@stveronica.com No expired food, please! Thank you Pantry Hours -Tuesday 10:00AM-12:00PM Wednesday 4:30PM-6:00PM

Snow Removal costs incurred this winter totaled \$27,384.30.This includes snow plowing for two snowstorms (1/19 and 1/29-31), shoveling of steps, sidewalks and entrance ways and nine salt drops for the parking lot and sidewalks.

St Veronica Parish is looking for seasonal help with snow plowing, clearing parking lots and walkways and salting sidewalks for future storms. Please contact the parish office 732-363-4200



Our CRS Rice Bowl journey has ended, but our prayers, fasting and almsgiving continue as we seek a closer relationship with God and our global family. Let us hold in our hearts our sisters and brothers in Guatemala, Bangladesh and Rwanda and commit to share our Easter

joy with those in our local community and around the world.

\*\* Don't forget to turn in your CRS Rice Bowl in the narthex on April 24th. Please send in donation in check form made payable to St Veronica with Rice Bowls in the memo line. or donate online at crsricebowl.org/give. THANK YOU

### We are Called to Educate



walking with purpose

Coming to St Veronica this Fall

Walking With Purpose (WWP)
Woman's Bible Study

Co-Coordinators, facilitators and participants desired to bring this program to St Veronica.

Please call Linda for more information. 732-363-4200 x 245 Linda.dickinson@stveronica.com



Sr. Ann Elizabeth Norton, C.R., Director of Religious Education Religioused@stveronica.com 732-364-4137

Religious Education students are on Easter vacation.

Classes will resume April 25th.

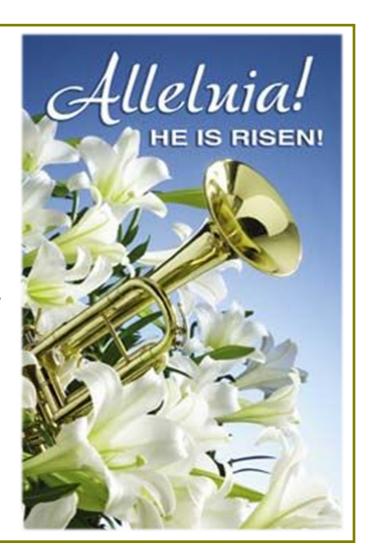
Happy Easter!

On Easter morning, we continue our joyful celebration of the Resurrection of Jesus. We are filled with Easter joy, the same joy that the Virgin Mary and the Apostles must have felt when they realized that Jesus was no longer dead, but truly alive! The glorious victory of Jesus over sin and death cannot be confined to one day!

The good news that Jesus has triumphed is our news to spread throughout all the world. We are sent forth to be Christ's messengers, bringing the good news that sin and death do not have the final word. Heaven's gates have been opened for us by our Savior.

"Death is swallowed up in victory. Where, O death, is your victory? Where, O death, is your sting?" (1Corinthians 15:54-55).

Christ is Risen! Indeed He is Risen!
Alleluia, Alleluia



### We are called to develop and Serve



To join events committee, to help run events or offer ideas Please contact Linda 732-363-4200x 245, linda.dickinson@stveronica.com

## St. Veronica's 60th Anniversary Celebration July 1, 2022 - June 30, 2023

St. Veronica's 60th Anniversary Celebration begins July 1, 2022 and runs through June 30, 2023.

Special events and fun activities are being considered for this special time in the life of the parish and her parishioners.

Your input and expertise is needed so planning can begin. An Event committees are being formed.

Volunteers are needed to help plan special events, fun activities for all ages and fundraisers. Some suggested events/activities include a parish picnic, adult dinners, basket raffle, Super 50/50, 60th Anniversary Gala, golf outing, Fun Run, and more.

Looking for volunteers to gather photos from the past 60 years for a 60th Anniversary book. Please send in pictures via email (.jpeg) of you & family at a parish event from the past 60 years.

THANK YOU to all who participated in **St Veronica's CLEAN-UP** held on Saturday, April 2 from 9:00 to 1:00pm.

Twenty-five adult parishioners, parish staff, St Veronica youth, and Boy Scout Troop 300 members worked together to accomplish the following project saving the parish thousands of dollars in spring landscaping & clean-up costs:

- Continued clearing the fence line from the rectory to the field of vines and leaves
- Picked up the leaves along the field fence across from the rectory and school
- Pulled out the dead mums in front of the church and at the school entrance
- Cut back dead plants/flowers at church steps
- Weeded at the grotto
- Picked up sticks by side of church.
- Blew out, raked up and removed leaves and weeds at church garden areas and grassy area of fire lane
- Cut down dying tree from side of church
- Blew out and removed leaves from school entrance
- Raked up and removed pine cones from under the trees across from convent
- Cleared dirt from curb collecting in front of and blocking the drainage trench













### We are Called to Develop & Serve

### St Alfonso **Retreat House**

755 N Ocean Ave, Long Branch, NJ (732) 222-2731



**Upcoming Retreat Dates for Women:** 

**APRIL** 22-24, 29-MAY 1 MAY 13-15, 20-22 **JUNE 24-26 AUGUST** 2-4 (Mid-week)

> **OCTOBER** 7-9, 14-16 **NOVEMBER** 11-13

**Upcoming Retreat Dates for Men: JULY** 22-24

**SEPTEMBER** 9-11, 16-18, 23-25 **OCTOBER** 21 – 23 (Statewide K of C)



April 29-May 1, 2022

GIFT FROM THE SEA

WOMEN'S CONTEMPLATIVE **WEEKEND** 

"Patience, patience, patience, the sea teaches. Patience and faith." Anne Morrow Lindbergh,

Come and be inspired by the classic book, Gift From the Sea. Explore insights about wholeness, balance of life, work, relationships and spiritual guidance. Please come having read the book.

Mass included. Arrival: 5:00-6:00pm. Departure: 1:00pm (Presenter: Paulette Cicero, M.Th., CSD)

Cost: \$350

Please call St. Joseph By the Sea at 732-892-8494 to register or for additional information

## **Blood Drive**

Monday, April 25, 2022 1:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Grand Knights Room 401 Bartley Road Jackson, NJ 08527

Sponsored By: Howell - Jackson #6201 and St. Monica #11529

**Knights Of Columbus** 



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communications@stveronica.com

All bulletin ads must be received by the Friday prior to the following weekend's bulletin. THX Ads may be altered depending on space availability.

Previous weeks bulletin available on our website.



For up to date parish information. please visit the parish website:

www.Stveronica.com