

SAINT MARY'S PARISH

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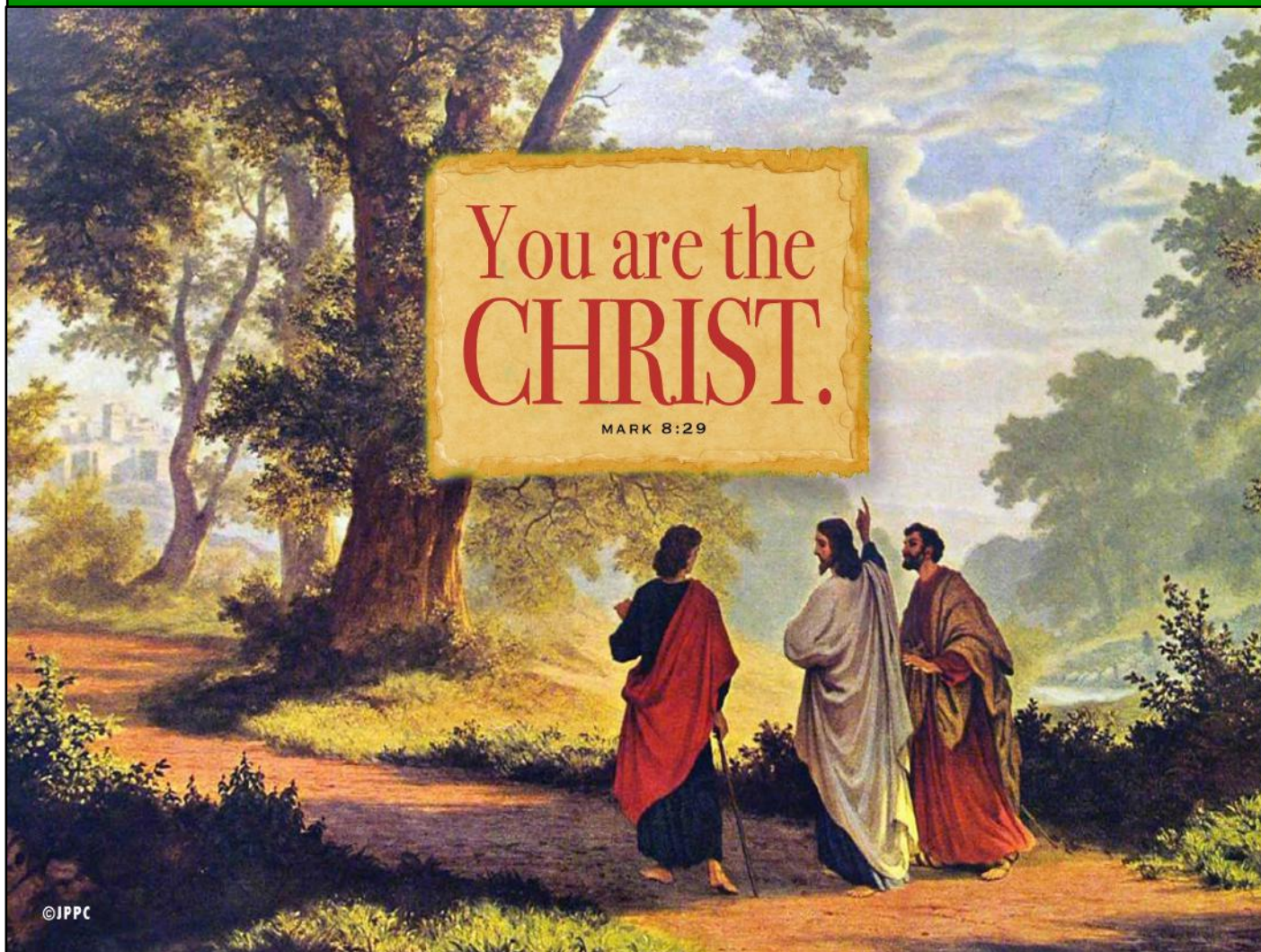
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24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

September 12, 2021



MASS SCHEDULE

SATURDAY EVENING VIGIL MASS 5PM

SUNDAY 7:30AM, 10AM, 12 NOON

MONDAY- FRIDAY 12:10PM IN THE PARISH CENTER CHAPEL

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

INDIVIDUAL CONFESSIONS SATURDAYS 4-4:45PM



Mass Intentions

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WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE

Weekday Mass will take place Monday- Friday
in the Chapel in the Parish Center.

Saturday, September 11

5:00PM French & DiStaulo Families

Sunday, September 12

7:30AM James Cafone

10:00AM Robert Morr (1 year anniversary)

12:00PM The McMahon Family

Monday, September 13

9:00AM The Puleo Family

Tuesday, September 14

12:10PM John "Jack" Suffren

Wednesday, September 15

12:10PM Piero Santi

Thursday, September 16

12:10PM Tammy Roberts

Friday, September 17

12:10PM Roseann Cardo

Saturday, September 18

5:00PM Delcine Mary Berbary

Sunday, September 19

7:30AM Nick Makarow

10:00AM Jim & Catherine Ronacher

12:00PM Rosemary & Michael Cox

Hosts for each Mass have been donated by
The Rosary Society

We are currently unable to accept Mass intentions here at St. Mary's as our 2021 Masses are all filled. No date for the 2022 Mass book opening has been set at this time.

We do have available Vigil Lamps at the Shrines of the Blessed Mother, St. Gerard or Divine Mercy (\$20) or the Sanctuary Lamp (\$10) that you can offer for one week in honor of or in memory of the person of your choosing. As always, your intention will be noted in the bulletin.

ST. MARY'S CHURCH IS SERVED BY:

Parish Administrator
Reverend Thomas D. Nicastro

Parochial Vicar
Reverend Rafal T. Smola,
Deacon Ron Ronacher
Deacon Carl Lordi

Director of Faith Formation
Anthony G. Armando,

Patrick Perrone, *Trustee*
Anne Scheidel, *Trustee*

PARISH CENTER BUSINESS HOURS

145 St. Mary's Place
Monday-Thursday 9am-4pm
Closed on Fridays

Keep in touch with us!

TEXT [STMARYSNUTLEYTO 84576](tel:STMARYSNUTLEYTO84576)

OR CONNECT WITH US ONLINE AT:

stmarysnutley.flocknote.com



*Vigil Lamps for the Week of
September 12 – September 18*

Blessed Mother Lamps dedicated
in Memory of

Pat Quinn

St. Gerard Lamps dedicated in
Memory of

A.J. Ronacher

Divine Mercy Lamps dedicated for
Special Intention of

Adelynn Maddela

Sanctuary Lamp dedicated in
Memory of

Robert Morr



Save the Date February 5th 2022

St. Mary's Knight's of Columbus 100th Anniversary

Please mark your calendar for this special event and attend the celebration at our Council Hall, 150 Chestnut Street, starting at 6:30 p.m., cocktails and dinner included. Tickets will be sold in advance. Please support this special event. Contact Grand Knight, Phil Urso, with any questions 973-951-1999.

Rosary Society Meeting September 15th

Please join us on Wednesday, September 15th at 7pm in Monsignor Walsh Hall (basement of the Church) for a General Meeting of St. Mary's Rosary Society.

We are going to be discussing our future plans and our new fundraiser. Because we are unable to utilize the cafeteria of the Phoenix Center at this time, we had to schedule our meeting for Wednesday, as it is the only day Msgr. Walsh Hall is available. Please plan to attend. Light refreshments will be served.

Do you want to serve God?
Do you want to serve your church?

Do you want to be an altar server?
Talk with your parent.

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Altar Servers Needed

Any student who is in the 4th grade or above who would like to be an altar server, please contact the Parish Center to leave a message for Deacon Ron or email margaret@stmarysnutley.org. We hope to have a program in place by September.

Serenity in getting back to basics.



Obtain a sense of peace in simplifying your Sundays. Visit our parish website at <https://www.stmarysnutley.org> and sign up for online giving today. Free up time for the basics. Thank you for giving,

Parish Giving offers secure flexible online giving for our parishioners who would like to make their donations online using a credit card or bank transfer. You never have to bring cash or checks to church. Giving electronically also helps the church save money and plan the budget. Check out the website listed for benefits and details.

Parish Giving
simple. secure. convenient.

Faith Formation Classes 2021-22

At this time, we are offering the option for classes on Sunday mornings (8:30am-9:45am), Wednesday afternoons (4pm-5:15pm) or home-study. For more details, please see the Faith Formation Website: <http://stmarysnutleyccd.blogspot.com/>

Registration for Grades K-8 has been emailed to families who attended classes last year and those new families who have contacted us. If you have not received it, please email us and we will get it out to you. We ask that all families register by September 16, so that we can be prepared for the start of classes on Sunday, September 26 & Wednesday, September 29.

If you know of any families who will have a child entering Grade 1 in the fall, please let them know that they should also register their child for Faith Formation Classes. Children need two years of catechesis before they receive the Sacraments of First Penance & First Holy Communion. Any new families or returning families can email Anthony (armandoa@stmarysnutley.org) to find out more information and to be added to our contact list.



Faith Formation

Our Confirmation Program for 9th Graders will begin in October 2021. Confirmation classes will be held twice a month on Thursday evenings from 7-8:30pm. Online registrations were emailed to all families who had a child in our 8th Grade program last year.

We Need You! Our Children Need You! God Needs You!

Our classes are taught by a volunteer staff of catechists and we are currently in need of more people willing to help pass on the faith to our children on both Sundays and Wednesdays. We Need Your Gifts & Talents to provide quality religious education and provide the best classroom experience possible for our 400 students. We are looking for people who are willing to serve and share their faith as a Catechist or an Assistant Catechist.

You do not need to be a theologian, you just need a servant's heart and a love for God, we can help you with the rest! If you are nervous about doing it alone, ask a friend and you can teach together as a team!! We will equip you with the tools to help you pass on the faith and to help the students in your class. In addition to the rewards of sharing your faith and helping our parish, you will also receive a \$50.00 discount off of the registration fee.

A Prayer for the Start of the 2021 School Year

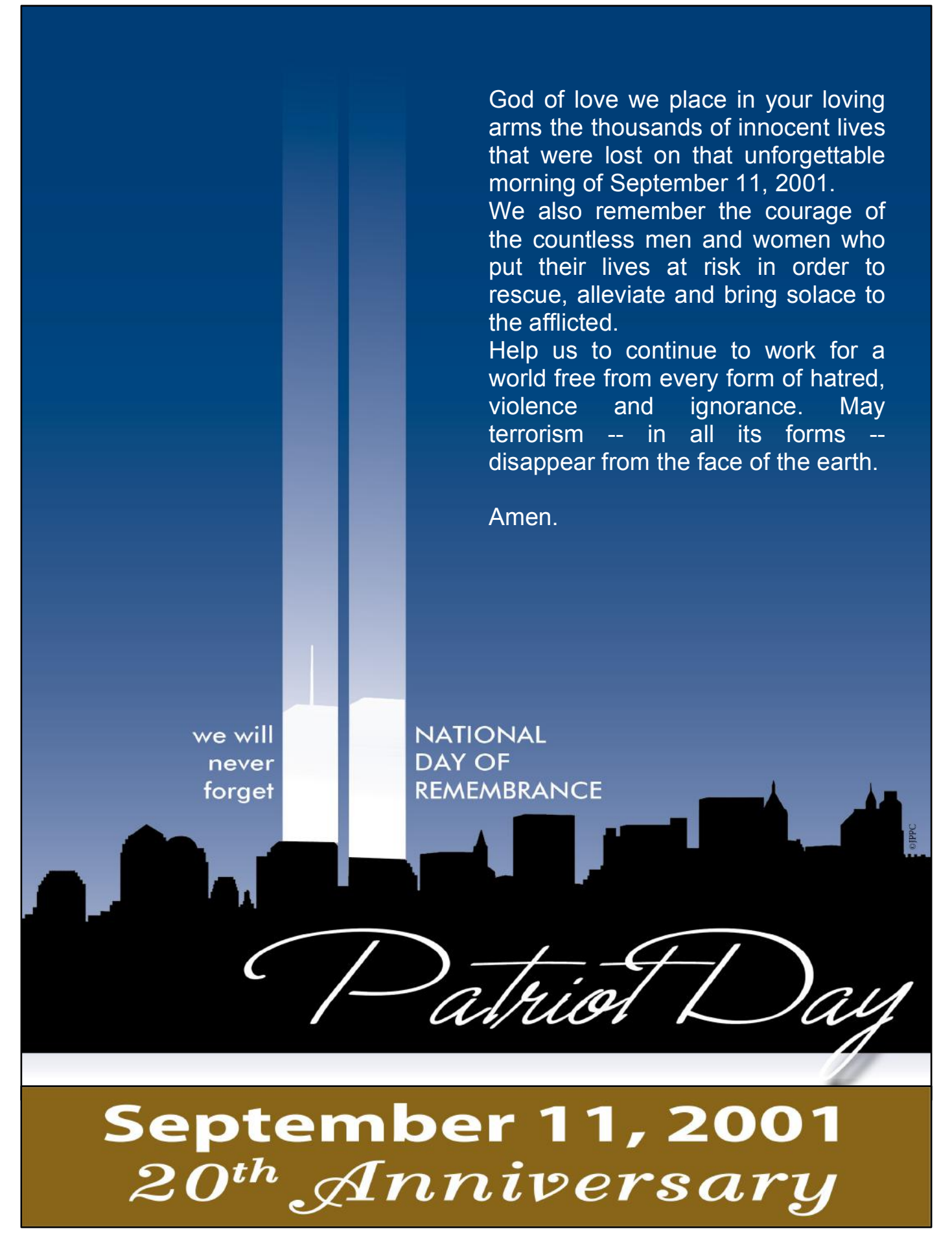
Merciful God,

We are grateful for the resilience, innovation and determination our students, teachers, school staff, parents and administrators demonstrated and developed over the past year. We begin this new school year in prayer because we are anxious for our students to resume school in person, yet still be safe from COVID-19.

We pray for a better year; for a safe return to classrooms; for the health of students, teachers and school staff; for school boards and administrators under pressure to make difficult decisions; and for parents exhausted by the uncertainty and constantly changing plans.

Help us, Holy God, to bear with one another in love as we face the new challenges this year will inevitably bring. We pray that our teachers banked enough summer renewal to face any new disruptions. We ask that the hard lessons students learned in since the start of this pandemic will give them the confidence and courage to face whatever lies ahead. With confidence in your ability to do more than we ask or imagine, we pray that faith will deter fear and hope will bring new life.

Bless us, Holy God, in our efforts to protect and care for students so they can focus on their healthy development and their studies. Lead us all to health and healing. In Christ's name we pray, Amen.



God of love we place in your loving arms the thousands of innocent lives that were lost on that unforgettable morning of September 11, 2001.

We also remember the courage of the countless men and women who put their lives at risk in order to rescue, alleviate and bring solace to the afflicted.

Help us to continue to work for a world free from every form of hatred, violence and ignorance. May terrorism -- in all its forms -- disappear from the face of the earth.

Amen.

we will
never
forget

NATIONAL
DAY OF
REMEMBRANCE

Patriot Day

September 11, 2001
20th Anniversary

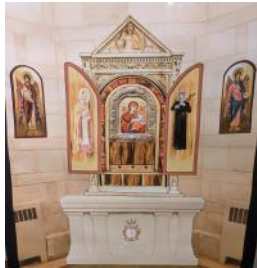
We are thankful for your consistent stewardship. ©JPPC

ADMINISTRATOR'S WISH LIST

From time to time, I will list things we are looking to purchase for the Church or to enhance the beauty of St. Mary's. I will not order anything until someone expresses interest in donating the necessary funds so it will not cost St. Mary's anything.

All donated items can be in memory of or in honor of a person or family.

1. Donations for Our Lady's Chapel in the old Baptistry location
2. Outdoor Shrine of the Blessed Mother
3. Pedestals for Church for decorating for Christmas, Easter and other special occasions
4. Tabor Stand for Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament in the Church



Saint Feast Days this Week

September 13 - [St. John Chrysostom](#)

September 14 - [Exaltation of the Holy Cross](#)

September 15 – [Our Lady of Sorrows](#)

September 16 – [St. Cornelius](#)

September 18 – [St. Joseph of Cupertino](#)



Food Pantry



NUTLEY FAMILY SERVICE BUREAU
973.667.1884 • 169 Chestnut Street, Nutley, NJ 07110

St. Mary's Church is no longer taking/distributing food to those in need. During the pandemic Nutley Family Service Bureau took responsibility for continuing with this necessary service and is still doing so. All non-perishable, not expired food donations can be dropped off any time at the bin located at the rear of 169 Chestnut St. For questions about food donations, please call 973-667-1884 Ext. 2 or visit <https://www.nutleyfamily.org/food-pantry> for more information or to inquire about assistance.

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD
24TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME **SEPTEMBER 12, 2021**

Reading I: Isaiah 50: 4c-9a

Even though he has experienced much suffering, the prophet exudes confidence because God is his help.

Reading II: James 2: 14-18

This famous passage makes an obvious observation. If a person accepts the facts of God's revelation, then a certain way of life, his/ her "works," should reflect that belief, with all its expected consequences.

The Gospel: Mark 8: 27-35

The first self-originated "poll" from Jesus seeks to know what the outside world thinks of Him. Then comes the first Passion prediction and its consequences for authentic discipleship.



Father, Look upon our brothers and sisters who are ill, whom we now remember in a special way:

In the midst of illness and pain, may they be united with Christ, who heals both body and soul. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.



Eternal rest grant unto them,

*Alfonsina Kaminsky
Josephine Luland
Florence C. Perillo*

*O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.
Amen.*



Confession

Saturdays 4:00-4:45pm in the Church, or by appointment

Care of the Sick

Communion will be brought to any parishioner confined to home, upon request; those who are seriously ill, or weak from the burden of years, should request the Anointing of the Sick.

Marriage

Contact a priest to make arrangements. The Bishops have directed that the normal preparation time is a year or more.

Baptisms

Baptisms are the 3rd Sunday of each month, at 1:30PM. Please call at least a month in advance to make arrangements. Baptismal prep classes will be held on Saturday, the week before Baptisms (the second Saturday of the month), at 1:00 PM in Walsh Hall (lower level of the Church).

Good Shepherd Academy (973-667-2049; www.gsanutley.org)

Our Catholic grade school sponsored by the Archdiocese of Newark

Religious Vocations

If you think you may have a vocation, speak to one of our priests, or call the Archdiocesan Vocations Office (973-497-4366).