

The Parish of Our Lady of Hope

Saint Jerome
Church

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Sunday: 7:30 AM and 11:00 AM
Daily: Wednesday-Friday-Saturday 8:30 AM
Confessions: Saturdays 4:00-4:45 PM

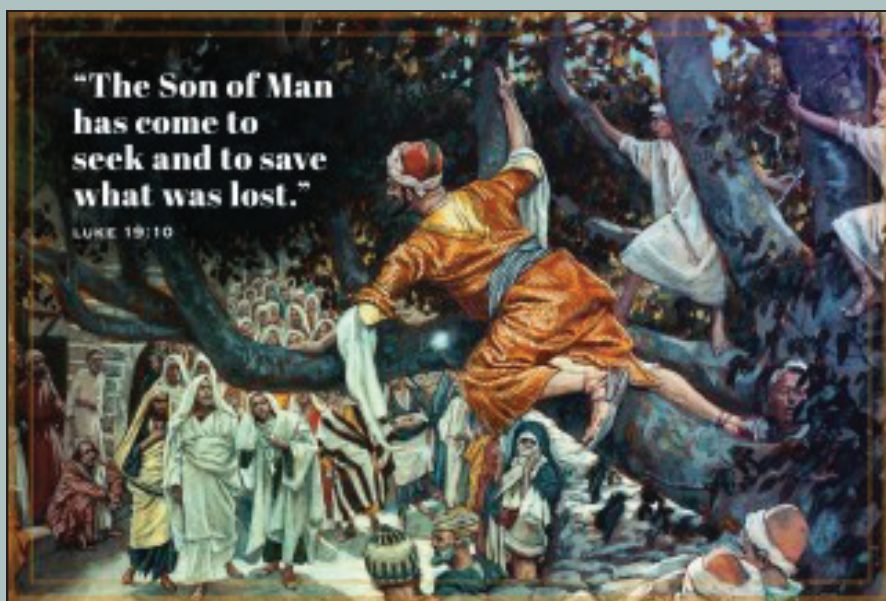


Saint Mary of the
Assumption Church

46 Richmond Avenue
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Saturday Vigil Mass: 5:00 PM
Sunday: 8:00 AM and 10:00 AM
Daily: Monday - Thursday at 9:00 AM
Confessions: Saturdays 4:00-4:45 PM

Mission Statement

Through the intercession of Mary our Mother and Saint Jerome,
we the parish families of Our Lady of Hope
are called to live and proclaim the Gospel of Jesus Christ.
We strive to grow as a vibrant and welcoming community
through worship, evangelization, and ministry to those in need
by sharing the resources, time, and talents given to us by God.



October 30, 2022 * Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time



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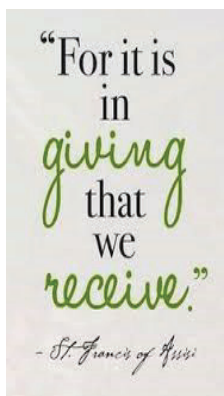
Weekly Collection and Attendance

May the good Lord bless you for your generosity

St. Jerome

St. Mary of the Assumption

Saturday/Sunday, Oct. 22/23, 2022		
5:00 pm Mass	\$726.00	85 people
7:30 am Mass	\$1,533.00	78 people
11:00 am Mass	\$1,571.00	89 people
Online Giving	\$923.00	39 families
Total	\$4,753.00	256 people
Last year same weekend total	\$5,264.00	259 people



Saturday/Sunday, Oct 22/23, 2022		
5:00 pm Mass	\$702.00	67 people
8:00 am Mass	\$915.00	79 people
10:00 am Mass	\$4,105.00	100 people
Online Giving	\$687.00	28 families
Total	\$6,409.00	246 people
Last year same weekend total	\$6,936.77	257 people

World Missions: \$1,048.00 —Thank You!

World Missions: \$1,188.00 —Thank You!



Our Lady of Hope Parish Goal : \$60,000

Collected thus far: \$45,068.77 / 127 Donors 75 % of Goal

Please help us meet our goal, donations can be made **on line**
www.dioceseoftrenton/catholicappeal or cards with
envelopes may be picked up near the exits.



Bishop O'Connell's Catechetical Series on the Eucharist



The three remaining installments of the series will cover:

- ♦ **Part Three (Nov. 1)** – Excerpts from great theologians, saints, Scripture, emphasizing the unchanging fundamental belief in the Eucharist
- ♦ **Part Four (Nov. 8)** – Excerpts from Papal, Vatican II, U.S. Bishop's documents demonstrating continuity and constancy of Eucharistic doctrine
- ♦ **Part Five (Nov. 15)** – Eucharistic Lexicon including words, terms and expressions describing or referring to Holy Eucharist or its celebration

The Catechetical Series on the Eucharist will be available in text, video and podcast and can be accessed at

DioceseofTrenton.org/eucharist-series .

A Letter from Father Sheldon

Dear Parish Family,

Sometimes, Salvation enters into one's life by surprise. We don't plan it but God does. But always the initiative comes from God. Salvation is for everyone. But we hear that some people might not to be saved because they don't take even a tiny effort to meet Salvation. Salvation always seeks us. Give it a chance.

That is what happened to sinner Zaccheus in the gospel. His curiosity led him to meet Jesus. Climbing the sycamore tree was a gesture of opening his heart to Jesus. He wanted to see Jesus. But it was Jesus who wanted to see him. Salvation entered into his life. His life was about to change.

Our encounter with Jesus will always change us for the better. But like Zaccheus we need to climb the tree of humility. Unafraid of ridicule and criticisms from society. Society might label us unworthy of meeting Jesus. But Jesus came to seek you out. He even wants to stay in our homes, our hearts. If you let him stay, you will be surprised that you will be capable of doing good deeds you have ever been wanting to do.

Zaccheus became fearlessly forgiving and generous. We can be.

May I make then a little reminder for the members of the "House of Hope":

We are doing good in our effort to support the Bishop's Annual Catholic Appeal. We have given about 75% of our goal of \$60,000.00. We need to give a little bit more. If we reach our goal, we will be given a rebate. Let us continue with our effort to contribute to the Bishop's appeal together as a parish family. We still have two months.

Please check our schedule of Masses for All Souls Day and All Saints Day.

Praying for you and with you.

Fr. Sheldon



All Saints Day Masses—Tuesday, November 1:

8:30 AM & 7:00 PM @ St. Jerome Church

9:00 AM @ St. Mary's Church

All Souls Day Masses—Wednesday, November 2

9:00 AM @ St. Mary's Church –Bereavement Mass

8:30 AM @ St. Jerome Church

7:00 PM @ St. Jerome Church - Bereavement Mass



2023 Mass Book is now OPEN

For mass intentions, please call or email the Parish Office for Church of request. The \$10 stipend is due at time of request for each mass intention once availability is confirmed. Please include who mass is for and requested by.

St. Jerome: 732-222-1424
office@ladyofhopeparish.org

St. Mary: 732-531-1409
stmary@ladyofhopeparish.org



The Parish of Our Lady of Hope and the local chapter of the Knights of Columbus will be collecting **non-perishable food** to support Mercy Centers' Thanksgiving Day Food Drive. There will be container at the main entrance of St. Mary's Church where donations may be placed. Donations may be placed in either main entrance or side entrance for St. Jerome Church. **All donations must be made no later than November 6, 2022.** Suggested items include stove top stuffing, canned vegetables & gravy, instant potatoes, and canned cranberry sauce. Thank you in advance for your continued support which is greatly appreciated.

Saint Jerome Church

Mass Intentions

Saturday, October 29	5:00 PM	Michael Gannon The Monteleone family
Sunday, October 30	7:30 AM	Mary, Pat & Tom Piro Nancy Torre
	11:00 AM	Living and Deceased Parishioners Ceil & Robert Pontecorvo The Hammarberg family
Tuesday, November 1 <i>All Saints Day</i>	8:30 AM	Novena Mass from the submitted list of deceased loved ones
	7:00 PM	
Wednesday, November 2 <i>All Souls Day</i>	8:30 AM	Novena Mass from the submitted list of deceased loved ones
	7:00 PM	Bereavement Mass
Friday, November 4	8:30 AM	Michael Gannon Special Intentions for St. Jerome School Families & Staff
Saturday, November 5	8:30 AM	Healing for Marie Curtis
	5:00 PM	Michael D'Annunzio Tony Strollo Mom & Dad Mom & Dad
Sunday, November 6	7:30 AM	Living and Deceased Parishioners Shirley Rapp Greg & Terri Bordiuk
	11:00 AM	Frank Bulzis Doreen & Mark Bulzis

Pope Francis Prayer Intentions for November *Children Who Suffer*

We pray for children who are suffering, especially those who are homeless, orphans, and victims of war; may they be guaranteed access to education and the opportunity to experience family affection.



"The Rosary Altar Society of Our Lady of Hope Parish," invites everyone to reserve flowers in front of the Blessed Mother and Sacred Heart Statues at St. Jerome Church. The donation is \$15 each and can be for loving memorials, birthdays, anniversaries, or any special intentions. Please contact Robin Stillings for available dates at 908-309-2976 or email: gymwrat51@gmail.com

Attention Ladies Bowlers Needed



Join the St. Jerome Bowling League and help support the St. Jerome PTA

We bowl Wednesday mornings at 10:00 AM Shore Lanes at the Asbury Circle

Call Kitty Mandica for more details or to join
732-259-0406

The Parish of Our Lady of Hope
joyfully welcomes our newly baptized:

Lilliana Karen Bellino
Daughter of Michael Bellino & Tiffany Tomaini



Rosary-Altar Society

Membership meeting Monday, Nov. 7 @ 7 PM in the St. Jerome Rectory Conference Room. Corporate Mass on Saturday, Nov. 12 @ 8:30 AM in St. Jerome Church. See you in November! And in December too! On Dec. 5, we'll be combining our (very short) meeting with our Christmas celebration and a celebration of the RAS' 65th anniversary.

This weekend raffle tickets are being sold at all Masses to benefit New Jersey Right to Life, the state's oldest organization dedicated to protecting all human life-from conception to natural death.



Mark Your Calendars! Our Lady of Hope Parish
and St. Jerome School students
Friday, November 4, 2022 @ 4:00 pm
@St. Jerome Church



Saint Mary of the Assumption Church

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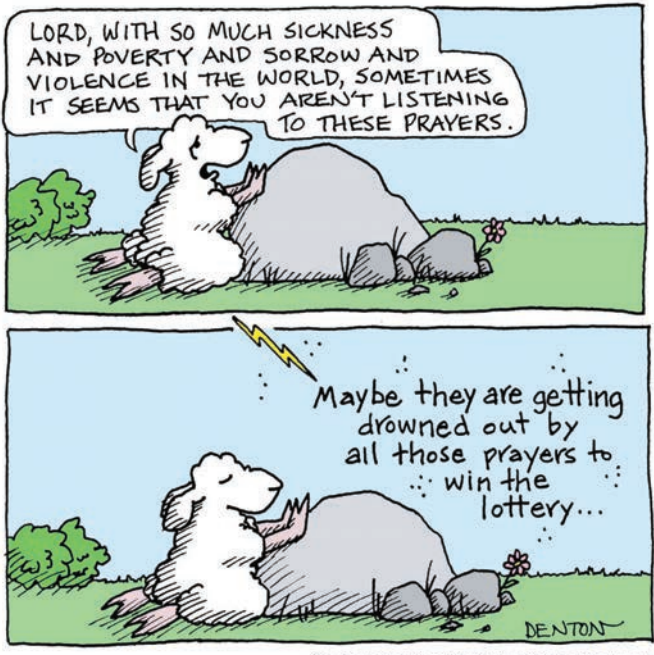
Saturday, October 29	5:00 PM	Mary Carvalho Mr. and Mrs. Illiano James & Sandra Carasia (In memory of wedding anniversary) Their daughter, Marilyn
Sunday, October 30	8:00 AM	John Solecki Mary & Bob Waitt Sam Boyd, Sr. Michelle & Chris Rogers
	10:00 AM	Margaret Dix Olga Clough & Matthew Mahon Marion Zeller Cronheim The Cronheim family
Monday, October 31	9:00 AM	Deceased members of the Morrissey family
Tuesday, November 1 <i>All Saints Day</i>	9:00 AM	Novena Mass from the submitted list of deceased loved ones
Wednesday, November 2 <i>All Souls Day</i>	9:00 AM	Bereavement Mass
Thursday, November 3	9:00 AM	Philip J. Paxson Diane Ailor Healing for Carolyn Vargo Theresa J. Trocchia
Friday, November 4		Adoration 3:00—6:00 PM
Saturday, November 5	5:00 PM	Maria Di Iusto Mr. and Mrs. Kulka Ginny (Virginia) Marmora Barbara & Victor Calvo
Sunday, November 6	8:00 AM	Paul McGrade Michelle & Chris Rogers Virginia Marmora Barbara & Victor Calvo
	10:00 AM	Eloina Padilla (5th Anniversary) Ingrid Pasquale Ferragine (4th Anniversary in Heaven) Marie, Kent, Ginger & Daniel

REQUIESCANT IN PACE

Please remember in your prayers the happy
repose of the souls of :

Edward Hatfield
John E. Squeo

*Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord,
And let perpetual light shine upon them*



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"Your imperishable spirit is in all things! Therefore you rebuke offenders little by little."

Sheepish Question:
When my desires are consistent with God's, how can I effectively invite others to join in?

LORD, HEAR OUR PRAYER

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

Week 1: Peter Bernhardt, Karen Daly, Bob & Joan Day, Fr. Doug Freer, Jim Shanahan, Howard White, August Wreiole

Week 2: Sam Britton, Bernice Cobb, Marge Edelson, Frank Marsico, Carole Mueller, Rob Norman, Regina Roche, Frank Signorelli, David, Maureen & Myra Walther, Sammi Yanni

Week 3: Katherine Mueller, Stephanie Sassola, Bob Scally

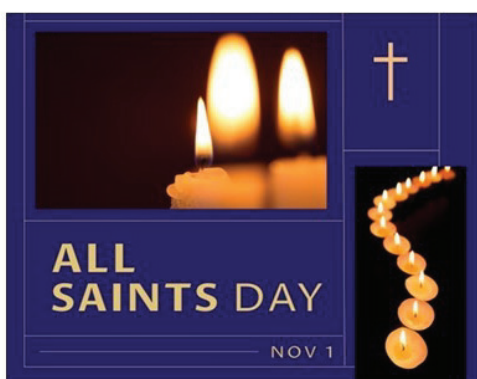
Week 4: Marie Curtis, Bill Prihel, Dan Sloan

Also, we continually keep in our prayers all those who are serving in our Armed Forces.

**The names will be listed for four weeks unless you contact the
rectory office at office@ladyofhopeparish.org or
call 732-222-1424 to extend **



UPCOMING



All Saints Day is for [remembering people](#) who have died and are in eternal life with God. It is a holy day of obligation to honor all saints and martyrs including all known and unknown, especially our loved ones and families.

Mass Schedule for All Saints Day, Tuesday, November 1, 2022.

Saint Jerome: 8:30 am Children will attend.

7:00 pm Mass

Saint Mary: 9:00 am



All Souls' Day is for [remembering people](#) who have died. All Souls' Day is all about the members of your own family and [family tree](#). It's a day for being with family, sharing memories of loved ones, and honoring traditions. Mass Schedule for All Souls Day, Wednesday, November 2, 2022.

Saint Jerome: Mass 8:30 am

7:00 pm Mass and Bereavement Service for Deceased from Nov.1, 2021 to Oct. 31, 2022 at 7:00 pm.



Please join us as we pray for the Parish Confirmation class who will be confirmed on Friday, November 4, 2022 at 4:00 pm.

May they be opened to the gifts of the Holy Spirit .
May we know them by the fruits of the Holy Spirit.

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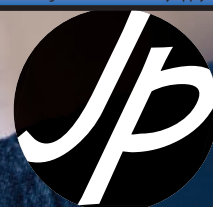
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