



**Church of the
Guardian Angel**
A STEWARDSHIP PARISH

Blessed be God forever

***320 Franklin Turnpike
Allendale, New Jersey 07401***

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

We, the people of Guardian Angel Parish in the Archdiocese of Newark, are a community of Catholic Christians being formed by the Gospel of Jesus Christ. As a community open to the power and gifts of the Holy Spirit, we strive to work, share, and enjoy life as a witness to the true meaning of Christian Living.

We believe our mission is:

- To be a community of loving and caring people.
- To teach and witness the Good News of Jesus Christ.
- To celebrate that Good News in Sacraments and Prayer.
- To minister to all people in their spiritual and physical needs.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Please call Jo Ann Del Gatto at 201-981-7081 to arrange for infant baptism and parental instruction.

**SACRAMENT OF
CONFIRMATION**

Please call 201-934-5554 for information about teen sacramental preparation.

SACRAMENT OF EUCHARIST

The LORD'S DAY

Saturday Eve - 5:30 p.m.

(Sunday Obligation)

Sunday - 7:30 a.m., 10:00 a.m., 11:30 a.m.

WEEKDAYS: Monday - Friday - 9:00 a.m.

(Rectory Chapel)

HOLY DAYS: schedule posted in bulletin.

**SACRAMENT OF
RECONCILIATION**

Saturday - 4:30 p.m. to 5 p.m. and by appointment.

SACRAMENTS FOR THE SICK

Please contact the Rectory for the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick and to request Communion for the homebound.

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

Please call the Rectory at least one year in advance.

SACRAMENT OF HOLY ORDERS

Please contact Father Charlie or the Archdiocesan Vocations Office at 973-497-4365.

**RCIA -*The Rite of
Christian Initiation of Adults***

If you are an adult interested in becoming Catholic, or if you are a baptized Catholic who would like to receive the Sacrament of Eucharist and/or Confirmation, please call Fr. Charlie at 201-327-4359 or Susan Brown at 201-327-2360.

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Pastoral Council

Parish Pastoral Council meets in the Rectory on the second Monday of the month at 7:30 P.M.

Prayer Chain Ministry

Coordinator: Arlene Sabino (201) 934-8441

STEWARDSHIP OF TIME AND TALENT

Ministry of Worship

Adult Leaders for Children's Church
Robin & Brian Galvin (201) 327-0889
Altar Linens Jean Borzilleri (201) 818-1559
Altar Server Patrick Donahue (201) 962-2119
Collection Counters Frank Anello (201) 934-1331
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion
Mary O'Flaherty (201) 652-5286
Monthly Rosary Kathie Brach (201) 236-3116
Music/Choir Ministry
Andrew Monticello (201)-925-4756
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Baptismal Preparation Ministry
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Rey Escalon (201) 934-7436
Cornerstone - Women's Spirituality
Carolyn Blake (201) 825-1931
RCLA - Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults
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Ministry of Faith Formation (Cont'd)

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New Energies Susan Bolton (201) 825-9105
Pastoral Council Fran Lang (201) 934-8163
Stewardship Committee Jean Escalona (201) 825-3817

Ministry of Community Building

Carnival Irene Nayden (201) 327-4936

Ministry of Youth Stewardship

Festival of Carols Andrew Monticello (201)-925-4756
Living Stations Andrew Monticello (201)-925-4756
Youth Group (Grades 6-8, 9-12)
(201) 934-5554
Youth Mass Music Ministry
Andrew Monticello (201)-925-4756



CURRENT THREATS TO RELIGIOUS LIBERTY

USCCB Fact Sheet

2015

In his speech to the European Parliament in November 2014, Pope Francis asked, “In the end, what kind of dignity is there without the possibility of freely expressing one’s thought or professing one’s religious faith?” Pope Francis has repeatedly emphasized that it is incomprehensible and alarming that people continue to suffer discrimination, restriction of their rights and even persecution for publicly professing their faith. Undeniably, “Serious violations inflicted on this basic right [religious freedom] are causes of serious concern,” and all people must work to defend “the intangible dignity of the human person against every attack.” Yet, religious liberty continues to be under threat, even in the United States:

- *HHS mandate for sterilization, contraception, and abortion-inducing drugs.* The mandate of the Department of Health and Human Services forces religious institutions to facilitate and/or fund a product contrary to their own moral teaching. Further, the federal government tries to define which religious institutions are “religious enough” to merit protection of their religious liberty.
- *Catholic foster care and adoption services.* Boston, San Francisco, the District of Columbia, and the State of Illinois have driven local Catholic Charities out of the business of providing adoption or foster care services—by revoking their licenses, by ending their government contracts, or both—because those Charities refused to place children with same-sex couples or unmarried opposite-sex couples who cohabit.
- *State immigration laws.* Several states have passed laws that forbid what they deem as “harboring” of undocumented immigrants—and what the Church deems Christian charity and pastoral care to these immigrants.

- *Discrimination against small church congregations.* New York City adopted a policy that barred the Bronx Household of Faith and other churches from renting public schools on weekends for worship services, even though non-religious groups could rent the same schools for many other uses.
- *Discrimination against Catholic humanitarian services.* After years of excellent performance by the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops’ Migration and Refugee Services (MRS) in administering contract services for victims of human trafficking, the federal government changed its contract specifications to require MRS to provide or refer for contraceptive and abortion services in violation of Catholic teaching.
- *Christian students on campus.* In its over-100-year history, the University of California Hastings College of Law has denied student organization status to only one group, the Christian Legal Society, because it required its leaders to be Christian and to abstain from sexual activity outside of marriage.

In his Apostolic Exhortation, *Evangelii Gaudium*, Pope Francis clearly outlined the importance of a preserving a robust sense of religious freedom. He argued that a “healthy pluralism... does not entail privatizing religions in an attempt to reduce them to the quiet obscurity of the individual’s conscience or to relegate them to the enclosed precincts of churches, synagogues or mosques.” Therefore, it is essential that a proper sense of religious pluralism be fostered and defended not just in the United States, but throughout the world.

What can you do to ensure the protection of religious freedom at home and abroad?

The U.S. Bishops have called for a Fortnight for Freedom from June 21 to July 4, 2015.

Please visit www.fortnight4freedom.org for more information on this important time of prayer, education, and action in support of religious freedom!

MASSSES for the WEEK

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Sunday July 5
 5:30 pm Jerry Tamburello
 7:30 am William Taylor, Sr.
 10:00 am Barbara Kunisch
 11:30 am In Thanksgiving 40th Anniversary
 Kathie and Stan Brach

Monday July 6
 9:00 am Hilda DeAngelis

Tuesday July 7
 9:00 am Leah Morrison

Wednesday July 8
 9:00 am Gerard Gaimo

Thursday July 9
 9:00 am People of the Parish

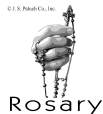
Friday July 10
 9:00 am Raymond Bitzer

Saturday July 11
 5:30 pm Joan Cedarholm

Sunday July 12
 7:30 am Kaye F. Farkas
 10:00 am Barbara Kunisch
 11:30 am Barbara Kunisch

DAILY MASS MOVED TO CHURCH

As is our custom, our celebration of 9 a.m. Mass Monday-Friday is moved from the rectory chapel to the Church during our summer "Angel Wings" religious education program. Therefore, we will continue to have daily Mass in the church this week July 6th to July 10th.



ROSARY

Our parish will have its monthly Rosary Devotion Monday evening at 7:30 in the Church. All are welcome.

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Guardian Angel is a tithing parish. Biblical tithing means 10% of gross income to God. We ask half of this, or 5%, for your Parish Church. The *June 28th collection was \$7,736 with \$4,845 from the collection basket and \$2,891 from Faith Direct. Thank you for your continued generosity! Our Faith Direct enrollment code is NJ513 at www.faithdirect.net.*

What is the best way to ensure our parish receives the support needed for our operating expenses and ministries during the busy summer months? eGiving through *Faith Direct!* Please enroll today by visiting www.faithdirect.net. Our church code is NJ513. Increased enrollment with *Faith Direct* will help stabilize our parish finances during the coming summer months when many families are away on vacation. Thank you for your continued support of our parish family with your time and talents as well as treasure! Fr. Charlie

READINGS FOR THE WEEK



Sunday: Ez 2:2-5; Ps 123:1-4; 2
 Cor 12:7-10; Mk 6:1-6a
 Monday: Gn 28:10-22a; Ps 91:1-4, 14-15ab; Mt 9:18-26
 Tuesday: Gn 32:23-33; Ps 17:1b, 2-3, 6-7ab, 8b, 15;
 Mt 9:32-38
 Wednesday: Gn 41:55-57; 42:5-7a, 17-24a; Ps 33:2-3, 10-11,
 18-19; Mt 10:1-7
 Thursday: Gn 44:18-21, 23b-29; 45:1-5; Ps 105:16-21;
 Mt 10:7-15
 Friday: Gn 46:1-7, 28-30; Ps 37:3-4, 18-19, 27-28,
 39-40; Mt 10:16-23
 Saturday: Gn 49:29-32; 50:15-26a; Ps 105:1-4, 6-7;
 Mt 10:24-33
 Sunday: Am 7:12-15; Ps 85:9-14; Eph 1:3-14 [1:3-10];
 Mk 6:7-13

SAVE THE DATE

OUR 2ND ANNUAL GOLF OUTING!

Last year was a great success and lots of fun! So mark your calendars now and plan to join us by yourself, or with a foursome for a day of golf (or even just the closing banquet!) on **Tuesday, September 22nd** at the **Knoll Country Club** located in Parsippany, NJ. Watch the bulletin for more information. To volunteer to help with planning or oversight of the day, please contact Father Charlie.



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July's Showcase Items

Bags of Can of Coffee, Small Bags of White Rice And Toilet Paper

These items have been identified by the Center for Food Action as most needed for the month of July. If each family donates at least one of each of these items on a weekly basis, we can make a tremendous impact. These items can be left at the Food Pantry in the back of the Church throughout the week. If you have any questions or comments feel free to contact Sue Zitolo at 201-934-9372, szitolo@aol.com or John Lowe at 201-327-9397, john.lowejr@att.net. Thank you for your generosity.

STEWARDSHIP BULLETIN REFLECTIONS

14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

"As the Lord spoke to me, the spirit entered me and set me on my feet, and I heard the one who was speaking say to me, 'Son of man, I am sending you...'" (EZEKIEL 2:2-3)

God asks each of us to do some special work for Him. He gives us the resources we need to do His work. However, do we listen to God when He calls? Do we get up on our feet and give our talent to do the work He asks of us? Remember, God doesn't call the equipped, he equips the called.



YOUTH NEWS

Mini Family Bible Study

Reading: 2 Corinthians 12:7-10

Read through the complete passage to start then go through the verses asking questions such as:

V. 7 'And to keep me from being too elated by the abundance of revelations, a thorn was given me in the flesh, a messenger of Satan, to harass me, to keep me from being too elated.'

Questions: Why would it be bad that St. Paul be "too elated"? What can we lose sight of when things are going smoothly and it seems like we are just fine on our own?

V. 8-9 'Three times I besought the Lord about this, that it should leave me; but he said to me, "My grace is sufficient for you, for my power is made perfect in weakness." I will all the more gladly boast of my weaknesses, that the power of Christ may rest upon me.'

Questions: Is there a prayer of yours that seems to continuously go unanswered? Why might God appear to deny us seemingly good things? What does it mean when the Lord said "power is made perfect in weakness"? St Paul says, "I will all the more gladly boast of my weaknesses" how does that fit in with our current culture where our worth seems to be placed on our strengths and accomplishments?

V. 10 'For the sake of Christ, then, I am content with weaknesses, insults, hardships, persecutions, and calamities; for when I am weak, then I am strong.'

Questions: How is it possible for us to be strong when we are weak? Can you think of a current situation in your life where you could apply this attitude and see where God is actually giving you strength?

The Mission Team will be working at two locations this year here is a description of the locations:

Beacon House is a community based program that provides academic, cultural, athletic, recreational and nutritional needs to at-risk youth 5-18 living in Edgewood Terrace in NE Washington. YNIA will provide in the general summer camp program activities in and outdoors.

Merrick Center is an agency serving families that are financially challenged to meet their socio-economic needs of daily living in an inner-city environment. YNIA volunteers will assisting in an all girls program to include art/craft, recreational, cultural encounters, and self esteem building activities.

CONTACT YOUTH MINISTRY:

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We in the Religious Education office wish you and your families a very safe and happy 4th of July.

God, Our Father, Giver of Life, we entrust our nation to your loving care. You are the rock on which this nation was founded.

You alone are the true source of our cherished rights to life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness. Reclaim this land for your glory and dwell among your people.

Send your spirit to touch the hearts of our nation's leaders. Open their minds to the great worth of human life and the responsibilities that accompany human freedom. Remind your people that true happiness is rooted in seeking and doing your will.

Through the intercession of Mary Immaculate, patroness of our Land, lead us into a new culture of life. We ask this through Christ, Our Lord, Amen.

Our first week of Angel Wings 2015 has been full of fun, learning and prayer. This year the children are learning all about being disciples. Last week, among other projects, the children made church bird houses to remind them to love and respect all of God's creations. Next week they will prepare stew for the St. John's Soup Kitchen. Each day there are exciting art projects all tied into our ongoing themes. New songs are learned and sung during our daily closing Prayer Services. The children in our program gather together with Fr. Charlie and their catechists every day at 12:00 noon in the church for scripture and song. Please join us one day. We will be here Monday through Thursday this week.

Finally on Friday July 10th the children will participate in 9:00 Mass at which they will lead the singing and the readings. Everyone is invited and encouraged to come. It promises to be a joyous and uplifting experience for everyone. Daily 9:00 Mass will be in the church again all week this week.

SUMMER RECTORY OFFICE HOURS

During the summer months of July and August, the Rectory Office will close at 2:00 p.m. on Friday.

The office will be open Monday to Thursday from 9:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

July 6th to July 9th the Rectory Office will be open 9am to 3pm.

July 10th the office will be open 9am to 2pm.



If you stop by after hours to drop off mail, please use the mail slot in the red door of the Rectory. In case of an emergency, please call 201-327-4359.

TRUE FREEDOM



True Freedom is found in our Lord Jesus Christ who liberated us from sin through his death and resurrection.

As we rejoice with our fellow-Americans for the independence we enjoy in the United States, let us never forget those who are restricted by the chains of poverty.

Why not celebrate your freedom by an act of kindness? One way to do this is by donating your unwanted clothing, shoes, and small household items to the Catholic Charities donation bin **located on our property on the right at the entrance to the small parking.** Thank you.



“MUSIC FOR A SUMMER NIGHT XI”

“People, Places & Things”

SATURDAY – JULY 18, 2015

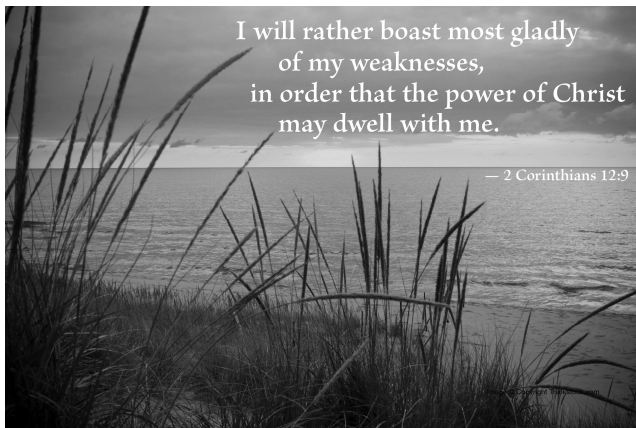
7:30 PM

St. Anthony’s Church – Northvale

****FREE ADMISSION****

Performances by:

Father Jerry Hahn * Corinn Somers * Peter Greco
Michael Luipersbeck



IMPORTANT CHURCH WEBSITES:

The Church of the Guardian Angel
www.guardianangelallendale.parishesonline.com

Guardian Angel Photo Ministry
www.guardianangel.shutterfly.com

The Holy See www.vatican.va

The Archdiocese of Newark www.rcan.org

The Catholic Advocate www.rcan.org/advocate

Away for the weekend? Go to: www.masstimes.org

CURRENT LINK TO CATHOLIC ADVOCATE:

http://www.editions.us.com/catholicadvocate_061715

New Energies

PARISH PARTNERSHIP PROGRAM

Church of the Presentation: Visit the website at www.churchofpresentation.org for more information, and the parish bulletin.

St. Luke Church: Visit www.churchofstluke.org for more information and parish bulletin.

Bereavement Ministry Fall Session Begins in September

“We are told that time will heal the grief, but it is in taking the time to grieve that we are healed.”

The Bereavement Ministry of Church of the Presentation offers support to anyone who has recently experienced the loss of a loved one. The trained and compassionate facilitators from St. Luke’s, Guardian Angel and Church of the Presentation will navigate you through the grief process with discussions about loneliness, anger, guilt, family dynamics, and inner healing. You are invited to attend eight sessions presented over the course of eight weeks. This is a safe, confidential place to find support and understanding from those who have experienced a similar loss.

Registration is required and there is no fee. Early registration is suggested as groups are limited in size. For registration, information, and one-on-one support until the group begins, call 201-327-1313 ext. 872 and someone will return your call.

Hold Your Next Event At Guardian Angel

Auditorium Capacity 325 People

Msgr. Salemi Hall Capacity 75 People

Fully Air Conditioned

- Communion/Confirmation/Graduation Parties
- Retirement/Birthday Parties/Sweet 16
- Dance Recitals/Competitions
- Community/Corporate Meetings
- Holiday Parties/Repast Luncheons

For rental information Call **201-783-5414**

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