

## **Mass Intentions**

#### Prior to Daily Mass

Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet, 7:50 a.m. Come Join Us!

Monday, January 8 ~ The Baptism of the Lord 8:30 Frank Covelli

Tuesday, January 9 ~ First Week in Ordinary Time 8:30 Therese Smayda

Wednesday, January 10

8:30 Gund, Simak and Quinn Families

Thursday, January 11

8:30 Larry Santoiemmo and Son Larry

Friday, January 12

8:30 Ashley Ostrander-Potter

Saturday, January 13 ~ Saint Hilary

4:30 Domenic and Frances Nardolillo

Sunday, January 14 ~ Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 Celebrant's Intention

10:00 Celebrant's Intention

12:00 Our Parish Family

#### This Week at Saint Clare

#### Monday, January 8

Pastoral Council, 7:15 p.m., (HR)

#### Wednesday, January 10

Hispanic Prayer Group, 7:00 p.m. (HR)

#### Opening of the Mass Book

We will open the Mass Book for the first half of 2019 on Tuesday, January 9. We will be in the Harvest Room of the Sister Lucy Center at 9:00 a.m.

Each Mass reservation is a donation of \$10. Each family or individual may reserve three Masses during this six-month period, and one of those may be a Saturday, 4:30 p.m. Mass.

We have a number of Masses available for the second half of 2018. You can schedule any of these Masses in addition to the first half of 2019.



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#### Church of St. Clare **Business Office** Office of Faith Formation Lisa Gros, Business Administrator Lori Mascia, Pastoral Associate 119 113 Mary O'Neill, Administrative Assistant Barbara Dokar, Parish Secretary 101 122 Janet Homa, Accounting 114 Gayle Jameson, Office Assistant 115 Parish Ministries St. Clare Outreach (Voice mail) 161 Fax: 440-646-9648 Youth Ministry, SCYGA 129 Rectory **Business Office & Chapel Hours** Fr. Stanley Klasinski 105 Monday-Wednesday: 9 a.m.-7:30 p.m. Fr. Kevin Estabrook 107 Thursday-Friday: 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Saturday: 9 a.m.-12 p.m. Mass Schedule

#### Corpus Christi Academy Academy Ken Mitskavich, Principal 117 Darice Granito, Administrative Assistant 102 Gina Perlatti, Secretary 118 Fax: 440-449-1497 Aftercare 131 Clinic 132 Gym Kitchen 130 Food Services (Voice mail) 164

#### Saint Clare Parish Mission Statement

Saint Clare Parish is a Roman Catholic community that cherishes its faith tradition, celebrates the sacraments, and cultivates lives of gospel service and stewardship.

#### Readings for the Week of January 7, 2018

Monday Is 55:1-11/Mk 1:7-11

Tuesday 1 Sm 1:9-20/Mk 1:21-28

Wednesday 1 Sm 3:1-10, 19-20/Mk 1:29-39

Thursday 1 Sm 4:1-11/Mk 1:40-45

Friday I Sm 8:4-7, 10-22a/Mk 2:1-12

Saturday 1 Sm 9:1-4, 17-19, 10:1/Mk 2:13-17

Sunday 1 Sm 3:3b-10, 19/1 Cor 6:13c-15a, 17-20/

Jn 1:35-42

#### Pray for Our Sick

Alicia Aguilera, Henry Augusto, Domenic Ciarlillo,
Roger De Penti, Kim DiBurro, Daniel Feola,
Gray Gorman, Patricia Heisler, Al Jurcisek, Tommy Lewis,
Nicholas Lombardo, Pat Minor, Frank Sack,
Timmy Shean, Bob Sheridan, Tavenner Stone,
Lillian Sutter, Bernadette Sweeney,
Paul Traczyk, Tom Warner



## Please Pray for Our Bishop and Seminarians this Week

Bishop Nelson Perez John Inwoo Jeong

Saint Mary

Xavier Macfarland

Borromeo Chad Johnson

Saint Mary

Joseph Mannarino

Borromeo Ian Kelly

Saint Mary

Joseph McCarron

Borromeo Anthony Lee

Saint Mary

Luke McNeill

Borromeo Joseph Menkhaus

Saint Mary

Edward Miller

Borromeo Andrew Morkin Saint Mary

Sean Neville Borromeo

#### Parish Support

Due to the Christmas Holiday, the Parish Support will be reported in next week's bulletin.

#### Saint Clare Calendar Lottery

December 30	Cheri Mackey	\$ 50
December 31	Pete DelBalso	\$300
January 1	Sally Luci	\$200
January 2	Pamela Lanese	\$ 25
January 3	William Wisnor, Sr.	\$ 25
January 4	Patti & John Baucco	\$ 25
January 5	Jim Coschia	\$ 25

Congratulations to all our winners!

#### 2018 Calendar Lottery

The 2018 Saint Clare Calendar Lottery tickets with donations are being received in the business office. The drawings begin January 1. You can return the calendar stubs with your donation in the collection basket during Mass, by mail or in person, at the business office. Proceeds go to the General Fund. Call or stop in at the business office for additional tickets. You can return them all year. The sooner you play, the more drawings you are eligible to win. There is a winner each day of the year.

### Online Giving

The Church of Saint Clare offers to our parishioners the availability of making weekly contributions via electronic funds transfer directly from any bank account or by major credit cards (Visa, MasterCard and Discover). To enroll in the electronic funds transfer program, go to saintclare.net, click on Parish and Online Giving. Online giving can be used effectively on its own or in cooperation with regular offertory envelopes If you would still like to receive envelope packets but also want to give online, you have the option to do so. For a list of FAQs or more information, click on the ONLINE GIVING ACCOUNT.

Thank you for considering Online Giving.





# Symbolon The Catholic Faith Explained

Session 1: The Journey of Faith

An old proverb says the longest journey begins with a single step. The Spiritual Formation Committee of Saint Clare and Saint Paschal invites you to take a step toward a deeper and richer experience of your Catholic faith that will last a lifetime.

This is the first of a ten-part study of the Catholic faith entitled *Symbolon*. We will gather once a month to reflect on God's plan of salvation for us, basing our study on the Creed. Each session includes prayer, video presentations and time for discussion.

So, what is *Symbolon?* In the early Church, Christians described their Creed, their summary statement of faith, as the *symbolon*. The Creed served as a means of Christian recognition. Someone who confessed the Creed could be identified as a true Christian.

Our first session will be held both on January 8 from 6:40 p.m. to 8:10 p.m, in the Kazel Room of Saint Paschal, and on January 11 from 12:30 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. in the Harvest Room at Saint Clare. There is no registration fee, so please just come to become part of this new and exciting adult faith formation program.

If you have any questions or would like further information, call Rosalie Lewis at 440-227-8718 or Barbara Curren at 440-840-5511.



## Recent Baptisms at Saint Clare

Robert Owen Chukayne Michael Green Kozlowski Lucio Giuseppe Soriano Wyatt James Dugan Emma Catherine Herschman

Baptisms are held on the first and third Sundays of the month after the 12:00 p.m. Mass. Call the business office for more information, and to register your child for Baptism.

## Recyclables Bonus Week

River Valley Paper Company is giving Saint Clare an extra \$5/ton during Bonus Week, January 15-19.

Please save your newspapers, magazines, FLATTENED cardboard, junk mail, leftover Christmas cards and wrapping paper, office papers, phonebooks, shredded paper and coupons.