



# Church of ST. CLEMENT

*Sunday, June 19, 2022*

## PARISH MINISTRIES

**Marriage Preparation** Holly Cahill 566-3616, ext 4  
**Baptism Preparation** Holly Cahill 566-3616, ext. 4  
**Religious Education** Tom Sweeney, 566-3616  
**Lector Coordinator** Cathy Boland 290-1338  
**Eucharistic Ministers** Jim Starace 732-566-3616  
**Music Director** Daniel Bucko 908-902-5736  
**Rite of Christian Initiation** Tom Sweeney 566-3616  
**Altar Servers** Tom Sweeney 732-242-9653  
**Ushers** Ron Johnson 290-1371  
**Liturgy Committee** Carol Capasso 583-6958  
**Liturgical Environment**  
Debby Poppelwell 732-772-9890

## SERVICES

**Athletic Director** Phyllis Besso, 970-4487  
**Clement House** Christine King 583-3911  
**Safe Environment Coordinators**  
Amy Colen 908-267-0161  
Bob Tully 848-468-6554

## ORGANIZATIONS

**Altar Rosary Society** Marie Canonico 970-8261  
**Holy Name** Ron Johnson 290-1371  
**Knights of Columbus** Michael Hickey 566-3616  
**Senior Citizens** Lena Hor 732-583-5538

## REV. THOMAS VALA, PASTOR

### CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

**Monday - Friday** 9AM-3PM,  
**Church Office** 566-3616  
Admin@stclementmatawan.org  
**Church Fax** 566-9275  
**CCD Office** 566-3616

**In case of a pastoral emergency 732-858-5187**  
**Reception Center** 591-8180  
[www.TheReceptionCenter.com](http://www.TheReceptionCenter.com)

**Parish Trustees** Bruce Quinn & Linda Shirvanian  
**Parish Religious Education Program PREP**  
[www.stclementreligious.org](http://www.stclementreligious.org)  
**St. Clement Athletic Association**  
[www.stclementsports.com](http://www.stclementsports.com)

**Sacrament of Baptism**  
By appointment only—732-566-3616  
**Sacrament Reconciliation**  
Saturday: 3:30PM-4:15PM  
**Sacrament of Marriage**  
Arrangements should be made one year prior.  
Pre-Cana Conference required.

# Mass Intentions

## CORPUS CHRISTI

### SATURDAY, JUNE 18, 2022

5PM DENNIS KING by Christine & Thomas King  
LILLY NORBUT by the Hartigan family  
KISHON RICHARD by Maria & Hank Montenegro

### SUNDAY, JUNE 19, 2022

8AM ALL LIVING AND DECEASED FATHERS OF ST CLEMENT PARISH  
PEOPLE OF THE PARISH OF ST. CLEMENT  
11AM RONALD THOMPSON by his family  
ALICE LONG by the Settimo family  
ROMANO & CELESTINA NACINOVIC by their daughter & family

### MONDAY, JUNE 20, 2022

8AM ANNMARIE C. THORNLEY by Lisa Caputo & John Zborowski

### TUESDAY, JUNE 21, 2022

8AM WILLIAM PATRICK CONNORS by his sister Pat Meehen

### WEDNESDAY, JUNE 22, 2022

8AM HELEN CORRIGAN by her daughter Virginia

### FRIDAY, JUNE 24, 2022

8AM MARIE DELUCIE by the Vaccaro family

### SATURDAY, JUNE 25, 2022

5PM JOAN WOLF by her sister Ruth  
ANTHONY & JACQUELINE DESIERE by the Gallo family  
FR. JOHN JOSEPH GILLESPIE by Catherine Gillespie

### SUNDAY, JUNE 26, 2022

8AM PEOPLE OF THE PARISH OF ST. CLEMENT  
PETER TIMPONE by his daughter & family  
ANG UH GAN by Richelle & Joe Pickel  
11AM ROSEMARIE PAMPALONE by Adele, John, Jack, Cara Cynthia Nowicki  
MR. & MRS. CHARLES GREGOIRE by Marie & Fred Canonico  
MR. & MRS. FRED CANONICO by Marie & Fred Canonico

### COLLECTION FOR SUNDAY, JUNE 12, 2022

\$12,007.00

### ONLINE COLLECTION FOR SUNDAY, JUNE 12

\$2,323.00

### COLLECTION FOR OUR DIOCESAN ASSESSMENT

\$723.00

### WEDDING BANNS

Julia Malara & Markus Garcia  
Tilda Mannat & Jess Mathew



Greetings everyone, as I mentioned at Mass the past 2 weekends the bishops throughout the country have called for a national Eucharistic

Revival. The revival is about renewing the Church by “enkindling a living relationship with the Lord Jesus Christ in the Holy Eucharist.” The revival will continue through 2022, 2023, and 2024. It is envisioned as a powerful movement of Catholics across the United States, healed, converted, formed and unified through an encounter with Jesus Christ – and sent out in mission “for the life of the world (John 6:51).” Let us pray that Catholics in our nation will be inspired to grow in their love for the Eucharist and come to a greater belief in the Real Presence of Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament.

*Father Tom*

### BAPTISM

We wish to welcome into the family of God and the St. Clement parish community the following children who were baptized here this weekend:

GENNARO ANTHONY & JOSEPH PAUL CASALE  
Children of Tara & Gennaro  
SABINE CHARLOTTE COSENZA  
Child of Erin & Joseph  
MILA KATHERINE KOSE  
Child of Nina & Ahmet  
BEYA GRACE RODMAN  
Child of Rachel & Keith

### CCD 2022/2023 REGISTRATION

Registration for Religious Education Classes starting in September is online. Please see [stelementreligiouslyed.org](http://stelementreligiouslyed.org) for the registration link.

### WOMEN LEADERS IN THE DIOCESE OF TRENTON

The Church of the Nativity will host this conference on Saturday, June 25th from 9am-1:30pm. Three women leaders, including Mrs. Terry Ginther, Chancellor of the Diocese of Trenton, will share their stories of serving within the Church as women, each for more than twenty years. A box lunch will be available for \$15 for those who have pre-registered for the conference; contact the Nativity Parish Office at 732-741-1714, ext. 10 for more information and reservation.

### FLOWERS FOR THE BLESSED MOTHER

If you wish to place flowers at our Blessed Mother statue, in honor or in memory of a loved one, the cost of two arrangements is \$75.00. Please contact the church office.

### SANCTUARY LAMP

Parishioners may donate the Sanctuary Lamp that burns in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament in the Church. These intentions will be on a weekly basis. The suggested donation for the Sanctuary Lamp is \$25.00. Please contact the church office with your request in honor or in memory of a loved one.

*The Sanctuary light is dedicated this week in loving memory of Charles Boas by Mr. & Mrs. Frank Cupak*

## PARISH POLICIES

**Parish Registration**... In order to be recognized as a practicing member of the Parish, it is necessary to be registered and show your presence and support by attendance at Mass, and also through the regular use of Church offertory envelopes.

If you are new to the area and have any questions regarding Parish Registration, please call the Parish Office (732-566-3616). We are committed to serving the pastoral and spiritual needs of our parish, and we ask your prayers, and your commitment, to help meet this goal.

**Weddings**...Please call the Parish Office one year in advance of desired wedding date, BEFORE completing any other arrangements (reception hall, etc.). Weddings are celebrated only for members who have been registered with St. Clement for at least one year.

**The Wedding Liturgy** should be planned with care and interest. On that day you celebrate the beginning of your life together, united to each other and Christ in the Sacrament of Matrimony. This Sacrament is very important and should be given the central focus on this very special day. The following practices are not done at St. Clement: the lighting of the Unity Candle, and the presenting of flowers...this is not part of the Roman Rite. We also ask that flower girls and ring bearers be no younger than 6 yrs.

**Baptisms**...The Sacrament of Baptism is celebrated on the third and fourth Sundays of each month (except during the season of Lent) at 12:30PM. Arrangements must be made in advance.

Prior to the birth of your first child, attendance at the Baptism Preparation Class is mandatory for parents; sponsors/godparents also are encouraged to attend. Classes are held in the Church at 7:30 P.M. For more information, call the Parish Office.

**Sponsorship**...In order to be a sponsor/godparent for Baptism or Confirmation, a person must have received all Sacraments through Confirmation; be at least 16 years of age; be married in the Catholic Church; attend Mass faithfully...also be a registered, actively participating parishioner for a minimum of six months.

**Safe Environment:** All parish volunteers working with minors or vulnerable adults in a direct or administrative capacity and all parish employees must follow the policies set forth by the Diocesan Office of Youth and Child Protection. This includes submitting to a criminal background check through fingerprint analysis and attending the required VIRTUS Awareness Training Program. To begin this process, please create an account at [virtus.org](http://virtus.org) and contact Amy Colen (908-267-0161). Virtus website registration instructions can be found at [dioceseoftrenton.org/policies-forms](http://dioceseoftrenton.org/policies-forms).

**PLEASE LET THE PARISH KNOW IF YOU HAVE A CHANGE OF ADDRESS OR PHONE NO.**

**BEFORE MASS BEGINS, PLEASE TURN YOUR CELL PHONE OFF.**

**ST. CLEMENT OFFERS PARISH GIVING, an On-line Electronic Funds Transfer GIVING PROGRAM. VISIT [www.ParishGiving.org](http://www.ParishGiving.org)**

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***If you would like to bring up the gifts at Mass, please speak to an Usher before Mass begins.***

Ushers are needed at Mass. If you can help, please see one of the ushers. Your help is appreciated.

**RCIA** ...Do you or a loved one wish to deepen your relationship with God? Are you interested in receiving your Baptism, First Communion or Confirmation? Would you like to find out more? Come and see us or give us a call! Cathy Boland (732)290-1338 or Roni Vezeris (732) 591-8658.

**The Altar Rosary Society** meets the first Tuesday of each month (with the exception of July and August) in the Reception Center. 7PM Recitation of the Rosary; 7:30PM meeting. All ladies of the parish are invited. Altar Rosary members attend the First Sunday, 8AM Mass of each month (with the exception of July and August).

**The Holy Name Society** meets the first Monday of each month at 7:30 P.M. in the Church's Cry Room. Men of the parish are cordially invited to attend.

**The Knights of Columbus** meet the second and fourth Monday of each month at 7PM in the Reception Center. Men of the parish are cordially invited to attend.

**ST. CLEMENT SENIOR CITIZENS CLUB** meets every Tuesday morning at 10:30am in the Reception Center. Come and make new friends. There are many activities to enjoy. You need not be a member of St. Clement to join. For more information on our Seniors Club, please call Lena Hor at 732-583-5538. The Seniors sponsor a trip to Atlantic City the third Monday of every month. Call Mary Ann O'Brien at 732-566-0962 for more information on these trips. Tuesday, June 21st join the Seniors while they enjoy Remember When Doo-Wop, with Joe & Sal.

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION:** Please continue to check the Web Page for information regarding Religious Education and Sacraments.

**The Upper Room**, Neptune, sponsored by the Diocese of Trenton, offers many programs. For info, go to [www.facebook.com/upperroomspiritualcenter](http://www.facebook.com/upperroomspiritualcenter). Then click on Like button on Facebook page.

### **Respect Life Chapter**

Please, join us as we pray the Prolife rosary in the church, every Thursday evening at 7:30pm and every Friday morning at 8:30am. For more info, please contact Arminda Rubio-Pito at 732-616-2759 or email at [prolife.mom.9@gmail.com](mailto:prolife.mom.9@gmail.com)





### LONG TERM PRAYER LIST

Please keep in your prayers the following individuals who are dealing with long term health issues: Hilda

Marotta, Diana O'Keefe, Noel Wittenberg, Joan McKenna, Helen Pickel, Marjorie Go Simpler, Lisa Hooker, Art Ubins, Douglas Dobak, Cleveland Neal, Geraldine Gillespie, Rosemary Ravenna, Francesca & Nicole Allen, Gerard M. Conrad, Kate Kikvigze, Noreen Zelenko, Bill Hegarty, Mary Jane Elliott, Jess Mulvihill, Robert Rorke, Angela Laboy, Pat Gallagher, Kristine O'Hara, Maureen Collins-Dougherty



### PRAYERS-FAITHFUL DEPARTED

Prayers for the dead is one of the greatest acts of charity we can perform. The following is a list of the names of members of St. Clement that have recently departed: 05/23/22 Gerard A. DelTufo, Sr.



SVdP provides spiritual, food distribution, emergency financial and other services to those in need. The pantry currently is in need of **bar soap & spaghetti sauce**. Donations may be dropped at the

church office. SVdP provides spiritual, food distribution, emergency financial and other services to those in need. Please call their help line at 732-290-1878 if you need assistance.

### OUR PROMISE TO PROTECT

The Diocese of Trenton is committed to the initiatives outlined in the U.S. Bishop's Charter for the protection of Children and Young People in regard to the reporting and investigation of sexual abuse allegations involving minors.



If you have been sexually abused as a minor by a member of the clergy or anyone representing the Catholic

Church, or if you know of someone who was, you can report that abuse through the diocesan Abuse Hotline: 1-888-296-2965 or via email at [abuseline@dioceseoftrenton.org](mailto:abuseline@dioceseoftrenton.org).

The Diocese of Trenton reports any allegations of sexual abuse to the appropriate law enforcement agencies. Anyone with an allegation is also encouraged to provide that information to local law enforcement authorities

### STARS BY THE SEA

Stars by the Sea at Christ the King Parish is back! Get your tickets for what is to be a spectacular evening of patriotic music, jazz, opera, and Broadway melodies. It is a great way to spend a summer Friday evening. Come take part and enjoy Friday, July 8<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 pm at Star of the Sea Church, 101 Chelsea Avenue, Long Branch, NJ. Tickets are on sale from the business office, 732-222-3216. You may also purchase tickets that evening. Doors will open at 7:00pm. Unfortunately because of prior events in the Church this time must be strictly enforced.

### NOCTURNAL ADORATION

St. Mary's Perpetual Adoration Chapel, 26 Leonardville Rd., Middletown, NJ 07748 will host Nocturnal Adoration on Friday, July 1<sup>st</sup> from 9-10pm. All are invited. If you have a question call Gene Brennan: 732-687-3543

### Special Intentions

Kyle Davis, U.S. Army  
Thomas Labenski, U.S. Navy  
Mark Zeller, LCDR, U.S. Navy  
Daniel Vala, CPT, U.S. Army  
J.P. Maloney, CPO., USMC  
Sean Coughlin, Spc., U.S. Army  
Michael Chiappone, Private 1st Class, U.S. Army  
Markus A Garcia, Corporal, USMC

**THE PARISH WEBSITE IS ACTIVE AND UPDATED REGULARLY.** [www.stclementmatawan.org](http://www.stclementmatawan.org) To include a church activity on our Web Site, email Mr. Quinn at [admin@stclementmatawan.org](mailto:admin@stclementmatawan.org)

### ELECTRONIC GIVING – PARISH GIVING

Contributions for 2021 have been updated and we welcome you to log in to [www.parishgiving.org](http://www.parishgiving.org) to review and enter contributions for the New Year. **PLEASE NOTE:** Only recurring contributions (such as Sunday offering, Building Fund, etc.) will be carried forward. All special (including Christmas and the Holy days) and second collections must be re-entered for the new calendar year. Please also note that you can download a report detailing your contributions for the past year by simply entering the dates in the search field on the contribution history tab (ex 01/01/21-12/31/21). Then click on the pdf icon (on the right hand side of the page) to generate the report.



### THE ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL

Father Tom is pleased to announce that St. Clement has received over \$41,358.00 in pledges for the Annual Catholic Appeal. Our goal is \$60,000. Once the goal has been reached 50% of all subsequent donations will be returned to St. Clement. Please consider making a gift to the appeal.

### CATHOLIC CHARITIES NEWS

Eight months have passed since Catholic Charities Trenton appealed to parishes for donations to aid the 13,000 Afghan refugees housed at the Joint Base McGuire-Dix-Lakehurst. Since then, our donors and parishioners have contributed over \$100,000 used to create recreational centers, theatres, barber shops and salons as well as supply medical needs like glasses and wheelchairs. Additionally, the community rallied with donations of clothes, games and toys delivered directly to the base. A big thank you to everyone who helped sustain these refugees who fled their country with only the clothes on their back. Approximately 500 of our Afghan guests have now settled in NJ. The others have relocated through resettlement centers around the country. Catholic Charities provides assistance with food, housing, crises counseling, drug addiction, domestic violence, and immigration services. If you know a parishioner needing help, please contact us at [www.catholiccharitiestrenton.org](http://www.catholiccharitiestrenton.org) or call 800 -360-7711

### SENSORY FRIENDLY MASS



A Sensory Friendly Mass will be offered on Sunday, June 26th at 3PM at St. Anthony of Padua, 121 Bridge Ave., Red Bank, NJ 07701. A Sensory Friendly Mass is designed for all families with children or adults diagnosed with an autism spectrum disorder or sensory sensitivities. This is a regular Sunday Mass, with flexible environment.