

## TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SEPTEMBER 30, 2018

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| Sat.      | 9/29     | 4:00 PM   | Mary Beth Kopczynskie by Her Husband, Daughters, and Sons-in-Law |
| Sun.      | 9/30     | 7:30 AM   | Mark Kopczynskie by Henry Kopczynskie and Family                 |
|           |          | 10:30 AM  | For the People   |
| Mon.      | 10/1     | 7:00 PM   | Steve Batcha by His Family                                       |
| Tue.      | 10/2     | 7:00 AM   | Stella and Peter Amentler by Their Children Janet and John       |
| Wed.      | 10/3     |           | NO MASS  |
| Thur.     | 10/4     | 7:00 AM   | William "Mike" Anthony by John and Sandy Sabo                    |
| Fri.      | 10/5     | 7:00 AM   | Joseph R. Malloy and Michael P. Malloy by Joyce                  |
| Sat.      | 10/6     | 4:00 PM   | Steve Korol by Dan Ravina  |
| Sun.      | 10/7     | 7:30 AM   | For the People   |
|           |          | 10:30 AM  | Michael Bobby by His Wife Pat                                    |
|           | <u> </u> | Last Week | end:   |



Sunday \$3,762.00; Dues \$494.00; Care and Education of Priests \$4.00; Poor Box \$347.55

SECOND COLLECTION next weekend is for the Care and Education of Priests.

**MEMORIAL DONATION** of \$100.00 was made in Memory of Norman Ceriani by JoAnne Korol and Barbara Batcha.

MEMORIAL DONATIONS IN MEMORY OF FATHER'S MOTHER, ELENITA KLOTON: \$100.00 by Sally and Les Shupp; \$150.00 by Raymond, JoAnne, and Janet

| CHOIR PRACTICE will be held on   |
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| Tuesday, October 2nd, at 6:00 PM |
| in the church.                   |

**CAPITAL CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE** will meet on Monday, October 1st, at 7:30 PM in the rectory.



Classes have begun. All classes (with the exception of Little Lambs) begin at 9:00 AM. All children must be registered for class. Registration forms are available in the parish office and at each entrance door to the church.



ANNUAL CHILDREN'S WARM WINTER COAT COLLECTION -Winter will be upon us before we know it! We are seeking **new**, warm winter coats as well as warm hats and gloves for the needy children in our Freeland Community. If you would like to donate a coat, gloves, or

hats, you can drop them off at the parish office or place them on the right side of the altar steps by the organ. If you prefer to make a donation, you can drop it off at the parish office or place it in the collection basket marked "Coats." Last year we distributed over 125 coats, hats, and gloves to children who would not otherwise have had a coat at all. All donations must made by Sunday, October 28th. Distribution is November 3rd.



We gotta love Jesus' disciples. HE chose ordinary men and formed them into extraordinary Apostles! It was a process, not an event. Today's Gospel is a part of the formation process for the Apostles. Yes, they were chosen by Him, but they needed some tweaking. Because they were chosen, they thought they

had all the answers - they didn't! The lesson Jesus had to teach them was one of Judgment. The Apostles were condemning someone ELSE for using Jesus' name. The Apostles were a little self-centered and thought THEY had the answers. I believe the Apostles were uncomfortable with these others using the name of Jesus, and their natural tendency was to condemn them. Jesus challenged His apostles not to condemn these folks, but to embrace them. Wow, a completely new teaching! How about you? Do you condemn others? Embrace Jesus and He will make a disciple out of you.



## A VIEW FROM THE PEW, FOOD FOR THOUGHT

"All the darkness in the world cannot extinguish the light of a single candle." Saint Francis of Assisi.



BLESSING OF PETS in honor of the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi will take place at St. Patrick's Parish on Saturday, October 6<sup>th</sup>, at 10:30 AM and at 11:30 AM at Immaculate Conception Parish. All are welcome, especially your owners!



**ROSARY COAST TO COAST** will be held on Sunday, October 7, 2018 at the front of the parking lot at Good Shepherd Church, Drums, at 4 PM. It will be one of about 1,000 sites throughout the United States. The purpose is "to unite with the International Community, to enter fully into the spiritual warfare we are facing and to pray for our respective nations at this watershed moment in history". The Glorious Mysteries of the Rosary will be prayed as it is the Rosary of the day (Sunday) as well as the rosary with which the 54 day Rosary Novena for Our Nation will be concluding. "Catholics across the country are being invited to pray together to call upon God through the powerful intercession of Our Lady of the Rosary to heal our country and return it to Holiness". Bring your own chair, if you feel you would not be able to stand for approximately 45 minutes during this rally.

**PARISH BUS TRIP** to see the play "Run for Your Wife" at the Hunterdon Hills Playhouse, Hampton, NJ on Tuesday, October 9th. Cost is \$75.50 and includes lunch. Call Mary Lloyd 570-578-6720 for reservations. Payment is due with reservation.

