



The Parish Community of

Saint Kateri Tekakwitha

427 Stanhope Road, Sparta, New Jersey 07871

Welcome! Bienvenidos!

**Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time
June 25, 2017**

Parish Staff

Fr. Thomas Fallone, J.D.
Pastor

Fr. Wilder Alexander Londono
In Residence
Director of Migrant Ministry
Diocese of Paterson

Fr. Ben Williams
Weekend Assistant

Deacons and their Ministries

Drew Calandriello
Sick and Migrant Ministries

Charles Mathias
Retreats
Adult Enrichment

Glen Murphy
Sick and Migrant Ministries

Religious Education

Cathy Conlee
Regina Saveriano

Youth Minister
Phyllis Phillips

Music Director
Marc G. Dalio

Office Manager
Jeanne Hoskin

Jennifer Dottinger
Administrative Assistant

Cathy Pivowar
Trustee

Robert Medina
Trustee

Celebration of the Eucharist:

Saturday Evening: 5:00 PM
Sunday Morning: 8:00, 9:30, 11:30 AM and 6:00 PM
Daily Mass: Monday - Friday 8:15 AM

Holyday: Vigil 7:30 PM; Holy Day - 8:15 AM and 12:00 PM
6:00 PM Mass will not be held on holiday weekends.

Eucharistic Adoration every first Friday of the month after the 8:15 AM Mass ending with Benediction at 3:00 PM.

Sacrament of Reconciliation: (Penance) - Saturdays: 4:00-4:30 PM (Reconciliation Chapel) By appointment at any other time. Communal Celebrations are held during Advent.

Spanish Mass: 7:00 PM every 1st, 4th and 5th Mondays of the month; a hospitality dinner to follow the mass on the 4th Monday of the Month. Sacrament of Reconciliation is celebrated before and after Mass.

Rosary Service

We pray the Rosary every Thursday after the 8:15 AM morning Mass. It is followed by the Novena of the Miraculous Medal. All are welcome.

Sacraments

Baptism: Baptisms will be celebrated at the 11:30 AM Mass the first Sunday of the month or Sundays at 1:00 PM. Please call at least 8 weeks in advance of the date of baptism.

Sacrament of Marriage: Arrangement should be made one year in advance of the marriage date.

Parish Center - 973-729-1682 - Fax: 973-729-0702

Hours: 8:30 AM to 3:00 PM Monday through Thursday.
Closed Fridays effective May 26, 2017 through September 1, 2017

Saint Kateri Web Site: www.saintkateri.org; office@saintkateri.org

Find us on  Follow us on Facebook at www.facebook.com/saintkaterisparta for all of the latest news and happenings at Saint Kateri!

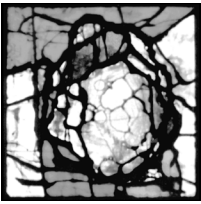
Religious Education - Grades 1-8 - 973-729-0489

Open: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday
Cathy Conlee: skre@saintkateri.org;
Regina Saveriano: reginas@saintkateri.org

Youth Ministry - 973-729-4722 - Open: Sunday, Monday, Tuesday.
Phyllis Phillips - skym@saintkateri.org

The Schools of the Catholic Academy of Sussex County

973-729-6125 Ext. 225
Rev. George A. Brown School (Pre-K to Gr. 4)
Pope John XXIII Middle School (Gr. 5 to 7)
Pope John XXIII High School (Gr. 8 to 12)



Blast from the Past(or)

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*Fear no one, says Jesus. Fear this, says the bumper sticker on the pick-up truck in front of me, whose driver apparently does not grasp that the left lane is for passing and not for cruising sub-speed limit, holding a line of cars behind him at bay. Luckily, I made the driver aware of his error. Unfortunately, he did not appreciate my valuable, gentle and firm fraternal correction. He happened to be a very large man. But anyway, what of this 'fear'? Should we not fear? Or should we fear this? Today we 'hear the whisperings of many, terror on every side.' We have not changed much since Jeremiah's lament, or even since Eden, for that matter, where we first feared God as a petulant rival. All sin begins with fear. What's more, fear is often hedged as a commodity over and against values that are called 'insensitive, 'offensive,' or 'intolerant.' I fear many things, including heights, Joy Behar, air travel and the fact that the McRib is only available for a limited time. But the power of Christ compels us to fear nothing. Such were the first words uttered by the first Polish Pope: **be not afraid**, and such is our lesson for today. We're called from the fear of Eden to the grace of courage offered by God. When we project our own capricious frailty on God Who is Love, fear consumes all. But when fear says its prayers, we are again made whole. Indeed, all the 'whispers' are very loud today, but 'fear not little flock, for it is in your Father's good pleader to give you the Kingdom' (Lk 12: 32). Or maybe I could recite some Emily Dickinson to my pick-up truck friend: **to fight aloud is very brave, but gallanter, I know, who charge within the bosom, the cavalry of woe.***

God Bless you!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Prayers for the Sick: We pray for Terri Mohr, Doreen McGrotty, Eileen Benedetti, Tom Heller, Karl Meyer, Joan Shaw, Gloria Hernandez, Eileen Regis, Deacon Chuck Mathias, Deacon Gerry Leary, Katie Hoffman, Betty Walker, Jan Fenton, Karen Lisicki, Todd Copen, Stephanie Agudelo, Patty Ingram, Joseph Benik, Robert Paris, Jim Doran, Annie Dinan, Richard Kriete, Brittany Johnson, David Pope, Jen Barry, Tami Wacker, Ann Martin, John Regan, Joseph McNally, Marc DiCianni, Gregory Fredericks, Al & Jackie Schneider, William Martin, Larry Price, Jr., Shawn Nemece, Vincent Wilson, Jim Regan.

The second envelope on July 2nd, 2017 will be for Parish Maintenance.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR STEWARDSHIP OF TIME, TALENT AND TREASURE

	Weekly	Month of June
Regular Collections		\$35,836
Week Ending 06/04/17	12,161	
Week Ending 06/11/17	12,021	
Week Ending 06/18/17	11,654	
Budget Monthly Expenses (including Loan Payments)		\$50,000
Month Net Income/(Expense) as of 06/18/2017		(\$14,164)

Electronic Giving is available on our website at www.saintkateri.org under the information tab. A consistent, reliable means of giving your gift to Saint Kateri Parish.

We are thankful for all those parishioners who contribute to the financial support of our church and who take stewardship seriously.

Mass Intentions

Monday, June 26: Monday of the Twelfth week in Ordinary Time

8:15 AM Father Joseph LoGatto

Tuesday, June 27: Tuesday of the Twelfth week in Ordinary Time

8:15 AM Anthony Cagno

Wednesday, June 28: Saint Irenaeus, Bishop and Martyr

8:15 AM Edward Lawrence Burdette

Thursday, June 29: Saints Peter and Paul, Apostles

8:15 AM Manny Reis

Friday, June 30: Friday of the Twelfth week in Ordinary Time

8:15 AM People of the Parish

Saturday, July 1: Saturday of the Twelfth week in Ordinary Time

5:00 PM Kay Brewer
Richard Henritz

Sunday, July 2: Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 AM Jackie Keane

9:30 AM Joseph Wehmeyer

11:30 AM Frances Prelich
Jeffrey Faller

6:00 PM Marie Sortino

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday

Gn 12:1-9; Mt 7:1-5

Tuesday

Gn 13:2, 5-18; Mt 7:6, 12-14

Wednesday

Gn 15:1-12, 17-18; Mt 7:15-20

Thursday

Vigil: Acts 3:1-10; Gal 1:11-20; Jn 21:15-19

Day: Acts 12:1-11; 2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18; Mt 16:13-19

Friday

Gn 17:1, 9-10, 15-22; Mt 8:1-4

First Saturday

Gn 18:1-15; Mt 8:5-17

Sunday

2 Kgs 4:8-11, 14-16a; Rom 6:3-4, 8-11; Mt 10:37-42



Parish News

10 SIGNS OF A SAFE PROGRAM FOR CHILDREN & YOUTH

1. **Screening** of staff / volunteers.
2. Adults trained in **safe environment strategies** and signs of abuse .
3. **Code of conduct** enforced.
4. **Open Communication** between parents and staff / staff and children / children and parents.
5. **Parents** always **Welcome**.
6. Children educated in **right relationships** & what to do if a relationship isn't right.
7. All children treated with **Dignity and Respect**.
8. **Clear Rules and Expectations**, consistent reinforcement / consequences
9. **Adequate supervision of youth**, team approach—accountability—no 1:1 isolation
10. All **abuse** is **reported**.



Diocese of Paterson
(973) 777-8818

"If any person may have been abused by any priest, they should immediately contact their local County Prosecutor's Office and the Diocese's Victims Assistance Coordinator: Peggy Zanello at 973-879-1489. You may also be in touch with either of the Diocesan Response Officers: Rev. Msgr. James T. Mahoney, Vicar General and Moderator of the Curia, 973-777-8818 Ext. 205 or Sister Joan Daniel Healt, S.C.C., Chancellor/Delgate for Religious, 973-777-8818 Ext. 248.

The entire text of the Policy of the Diocese of Paterson in Response to Complaints of Sexual Abuse is available on the diocesan Web site: www.patersondiocese.org"

Prayer Service

Please join fellow parishioners on Sunday, July 2nd at 2 PM for a prayer service, including recitation of the rosary, for two-year old Drew Anderson, who suffers from Tay-Sachs, a severe degenerative disorder.

Praying the rosary together is powerful when asking God for His Mercy.

Drew and his family look forward to your participation in this service, and thank you for keeping him in your prayers for a medical miracle.

Faith Formation (K- grade 8)

**REGISTRATION IS OPEN
thru July 14th:**

- stop in the office Monday thru Thursday (9-3)
- (OR) mail your registration and tuition
- students will be placed in class groupings during the last week of July
- class times fill quickly
- Visit our website for registration forms and more information:
<https://saintkateri.org/faithformation>

The Faith Formation Office will be closed from July 16th thru the 21st.

Catholic Academy News....



~ Here are Reverend Brown School students who were presented with new bicycles as a result of perfect attendance! The bicycles were presented to the students by Mrs. Patricia Klebez during the schools morning assembly. The students parents were also in attendance for the big surprise.~


Of Possible Interest...

**Our Lady Queen of Peace Carnival
July 5th - 8th**

Wednesday–Saturday 6:00 pm–10:00 pm

\$25 Wrist Bands Every Night

209 US Highway 206 Branchville



The First Presbyterian Church of Sparta
32 Main Street, Sparta, New Jersey 07871
Office Phone: 973/729-6197; Fax: 973/729-1638
www.fpcsparta.org

Pet Ministry

February 2017

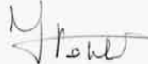
Dear Friend,

The First Presbyterian Church of Sparta has recently begun a Pet Ministry. We are serving the pet owners in the community by providing food to those who seek assistance through the **Sparta Ecumenical Food Pantry**, thereby enabling them to keep their pet companion. We have 2 therapy teams that visit people in nursing homes, rehabilitation facilities or shut-ins. We also provided resources for bereavement and health concerns on our webpage.

We are faced with the challenge to provide a regular weekly supply of pet food for the SEC food pantry. To that end, we would like to invite caring partners to participate in collecting pet food for one month a year in their congregation. We believe that by joining our efforts with those of other congregations in the community on a monthly rotating basis we will be able to ensure the regular supply of pet food that the customers of the food pantry need. We would really appreciate if you would consider whether this is something that you feel called to do.

We will be pleased to contact you in the new year to see whether you would be willing to participate and to answer any of the questions that you may have. Meanwhile, do not hesitate to contact us at 862-266-2203 or at petministry@fpcsparta.org for additional information.

Blessings,



Frederique Poulet
Chair, Pet Ministry

Our Mission Statement
We are a Christ-centered, Bible-based church called to exemplify the love of our Father revealed and experienced in His Son, Jesus Christ, and by the power of the Holy Spirit seeking and spreading the good news of God's love and salvation for all through:
Love, Varied Worship Experiences, Prayer, Faith, Healing, Education, Youth Ministries and Mission Work

Pet Ministry Donations can be placed in the Gathering Space.

Parish Events Calendar

Sunday, June 25, 2017: 1:00 PM Mason Adams Baptism

Monday, June 26, 2017: 7:00 PM Spanish Mass and Hospitality

Tuesday, June 27, 2017: 7:00 PM Friends of Bill W.

Wednesday, June 28, 2017: 5:30 PM Moran/Mazzucco Rehearsal

Friday, June 30, 2017: Parish Center Closed;
2:00 PM Moran/Mazzucco Wedding

Saturday, July 1, 2017: 7:00 PM OLL Friends of Bill

Sunday, July 2, 2017: 1:00 PM Natalie Wilson Baptism; 2:00 PM Prayer Service for Andrew Anderson

Parish Ministries/Contact Persons:

- Abortion Alternative: 1st Way Hotline:** 800-848-5683
- Adopt a Family**
Mary Beth Dowd 973-945-3355
- Adoration Society**
Chip Leiher 973-527-3785
- Adult Enrichment:**
Deacon Chuck Mathias 973-786-6811
- Altar Care:**
Bernadette Bizzarro 973-726-0849
- Altar Servers:**
Jerry Scanlan 973-770-0987
- Art & Environment (Church):** Paige Fitzpatrick 973-219-5204
(Plant Care)
Candala Roslan 973-271-7624
(Art Committee)
- Baptism Preparation:**
(Please call Parish Center first)
- Bell Choir:**
Mary Jo Mathias 973-786-6811
- Bereavement Ministry:**
Laura Entwistle 973-726-8978;
Grace Davis 973-697-3853
- Blood Drive**
Mary Stanek 973-770-0429
- Cub Scouts Pack #295**
Todd Muth - jtoddmuth@yahoo.com
Cell: 862-266-2390
- Cursillo**
John Belvidere 973-729-6462
- Ecumenical Prayer Service Knoll View**
Steve and Martha Wille 973-729-7668
- Eucharistic Ministers:**
Pat Kane: 973-726-0197
- Evangelization**
- Everybody Shops**
Paige Fitzpatrick 973-219-5204
skeveryoneshops@gmail.com
- Feed the Working Poor**
Janet and Stephen Goodwin 973-729-0446
- Focolare Movement (The Work of Mary)**
Jim & Mary Jane Milway 973-726-6224
- Food Pantry - SEC**
Valerie Macchio 973-729-6197x15
secfpl2013@gmail.com
- Inter Religious and Ecumenical Dialogue:** Jim & Mary Jane Milway 973-726-6224
- Knights of Columbus**
Jim Brocato 973-729-6485
- Squires Circle**
Nick Cutrone 973-786-6844
cutronekofc@gmail.com
- Squire Roses**
Jennifer Dottinger 862-432-0276
Nancy Scanlan 973-262-4404
katerirose@saintkateri.org
- Lectors:**
Vince Bell - 973-525-7499
vince.bell@aon.com
- Little Angels**
Kris Harms 973-600-2859
- Liturgy Committee:**
Mary Jo Mathias 973-786-6811
- Liturgy of the Word with Children:**
- Manna House:**
Michael Smith 973-534-3811
boltrep9@gmail.com
- Migrant Ministries:**
Ed & Pam Madzy 973-726-0789
- Hispanic Network Hotline:** 1- 877-724-5112
- Ministry to the Sick:**
Dea. Drew Calandriello 908-813-1535
Dea. Glen Murphy 973-449-6095
- Music Director:**
Marc G. Dalio 973-534-5399
marcd@saintkateri.org
- Platelet Donations:**
Melissa O'Malley 201-317-5160
- Prayer Shawl Ministry**
Sandy Cangemi 973-726-3549
- Prayer Team**
Lorraine Insley 973-726-8261
Lorraine.augostini@ymail.com
- Public Relations**
- Religious Education 973-729-0489**
Cathy Conlee, Grades 1-8
skre@saintkateri.org
Regina Saveriano
reginas@saintkateri.org
- Respect Life**
Joe DeLuca 973-726-7392
- RAINBOWS - Children's Grief Support Group:**
Dale Walsh 973-729-7833
- RCIA:**
Ed & Pam Madzy 973-726-0789
- SC Interfaith Hospitality Family Faith**
Patrick Dunn 201-835-0571
- Vocations to Priesthood or Religious Life:**
973-729-1682
- Vocations Committee:**
973-729-1682
- Welcomers (Ushers):**
Cathy Brauer - cathy401@gmail.com
- Youth Ministry (grades 9-12):**
Phyllis Phillips - 973-729-4722
skym@saintkateri.org
- Youth Choir/Music Ensemble:**
Art Suriano 201-841-1090

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Marian Pilgrimage

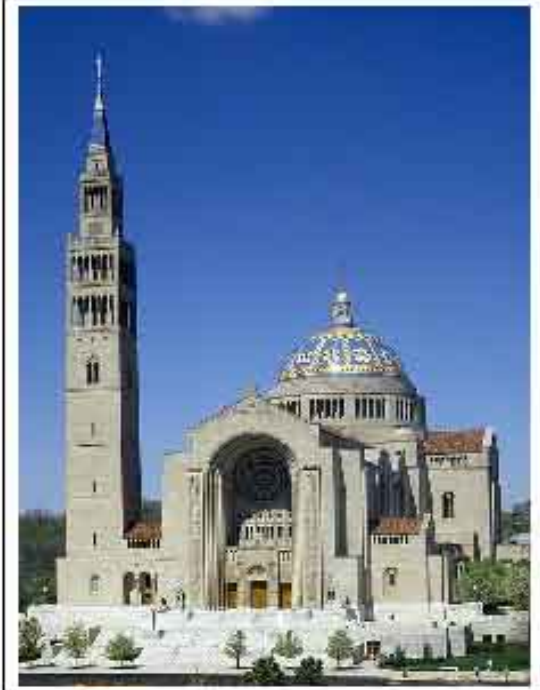
**The Basilica of the
National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception**

October 21, 2017

The Spiritual Journey includes:

- **Holy Mass – Bishop Serratelli**
- **Confessions in Crypt Church**
- **Catechetical Presentations**
- **Rosary (multi-lingual)**
- **Devotional Time**
- **Divine Mercy**
- **Exposition of the Blessed
Sacrament**

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**Join as one Diocese  
in our Nation's Basilica  
in Washington, DC**



**One-Day Pilgrimage includes -**

- Transportation and Gratuity \$49/person
- All day activities at Shrine
- Rest Stop going ~ Meal Stop return
- Depart Washington 4:15pm

**OVERNIGHT OPTION – Depart Friday, October 20<sup>th</sup>**

- **Friday-** visit the Shrine of St. Jude and the Baltimore Basilica (America's First Cathedral)
- Includes Tours and Daily Mass
- Accommodations at Westin Hotel, Falls Church, VA
- Banquet
- **Saturday-** Breakfast
- Transportation and Gratuity  
\$259 DOUBLE OCCUPANCY - \$335 SINGLE OCCUPANCY  
PLEASE CALL PILGRIMAGE OFFICE  
FOR MORE INFORMATION AND TO REGISTER

**Diocesan Pilgrimage** – the presence of so many in one place in an act of worship to Almighty God and devotion to our Blessed Mother, is a great source of blessings for the Church of Paterson. Make a true pilgrimage of faith to honor our Blessed Mother, as patroness of the Church in the US. Be inspired in the largest Roman Catholic Church in the Americas.

**For more information contact your  
Parish Coordinator**

**Diocesan Pilgrimage Office ~ Fr. Michael A. Rodak ~ Director ~ 973 728-8162  
1911 Union Valley Road ~ Hewitt, NJ 07421**

**Contact the Parish Office to Register/ Payment:  
Jennifer Dottinger, 973-729-1682, jennd@saintkateri.org**