



*The Parish Community of*

# **Saint Kateri Tekakwitha**

**427 Stanhope Road, Sparta, New Jersey 07871**

**Welcome! Bienvenidos!**

**Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**July 2, 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](http://www.saintkateri.org); [office@saintkateri.org](mailto:office@saintkateri.org)

Find us on  Follow us on Facebook at [www.facebook.com/saintkaterisparta](http://www.facebook.com/saintkaterisparta) for all of the latest news and happenings at Saint Kateri!

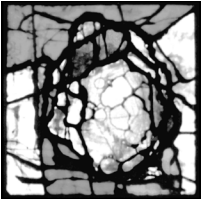
**Religious Education - Grades 1-8** - 973-729-0489

Open: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday  
Cathy Conlee: [skre@saintkateri.org](mailto:skre@saintkateri.org);  
Regina Saveriano: [reginas@saintkateri.org](mailto:reginas@saintkateri.org)

**Youth Ministry** - 973-729-4722 - Open: Sunday, Monday, Tuesday.  
Phyllis Phillips - [skym@saintkateri.org](mailto: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)

**Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
July 2, 2017**

**Happy Birthday, USA.** Two-hundred forty one years ago this week, 13 colonies became a new Nation and commenced her Declaration of Independence from England and the British Empire. As an exceptional Nation, we rightly commemorate this seminal moment in world history. I write this as an American and a Catholic priest, thanking God for these two identities which conflate daily. Yup, there's no way around it: as faithful Christians, we're called to fulfill our civic duties. But as good citizens we're called to safeguard the rights and freedoms endowed by our Creator. You see, both the city of God and the city of man always intersect, emphasizing that our rights, freedoms and dignities do not come from the government. They are not given by any man or woman. They are from God, unalienable. I think this is worth mentioning in these times where it is fashionable among some to discredit both of these identities. Sometimes wealthy influential folks disavow the very Country from which they've profited while demeaning the Christian witness of which they're beneficiaries. Yet as we celebrate our Nation's anniversary, we plainly recognize that both this city of God and this city of man, as it were, have given untold 'cups of cold water to one of these little ones,' whether over the course of 241 years, or two millennia. It is right and just that we celebrate well our Nation's Founding. And this is even more obligatory if we do so as Christians. The city of God and the city of man meet, because they both proclaim the truth of the human person. In the 5th century, it's said that St. John Chrysostom enlisted the working poor to different tasks in the Church, so they might 'not live simply as recipients, but also as respondents' to the graces and gifts of the Christian commission. Such is the fruit of life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness. Celebrate well. When we face God, we'll do so as Christians, but also with this identity known as American.

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, 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 9, 2017 will be for Project Faith.**

**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will be held on Friday, July 7, 2017 from 8:30 to 3:00PM.**

## Mass Intentions

**Monday, July 3: Saint Thomas, apostle**

8:15 AM Ann Martin

**Tuesday, July 4: Tuesday of the Thirteenth week in Ordinary Time**

8:15 AM Kiernan Foley

**Wednesday, July 5: Wednesday of the Thirteenth week in Ordinary Time; Saint Elizabeth of Portugal; Saint Anthony Mary Zaccaria, priest**

8:15 AM Sister Agnes Woods

**Thursday, July 6: Saint Maria Goretti, virgin and martyr**

8:15 AM Deacon Tony Chiocco

**Friday, July 7: Friday of the Thirteenth week in Ordinary Time**

8:15 AM People of the Parish

**Saturday, July 8: Saturday of the Thirteenth week in Ordinary Time; Blessed Virgin Mary**

5:00 PM Kay Brewer  
Audrey Treanor  
Tina Panzarella  
Frank and Eunice Kane

**Sunday, July 9: Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

8:00 AM Alan Esporin

9:30 AM Kay Brewer  
Joseph Mulligan

11:30 AM Anthony Cagno

6:00 PM Walter Graf  
Stella Heidenwolf

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

### Monday

Eph 2:19-22; Jn 20:24-29

### Tuesday

Gn 19:15-29; Mt 8:23-27

### Wednesday

Gn 21:5, 8-20a; Mt 8:28-34

### Thursday

Gn 22:1b-19; Mt 9:1-8

### First Friday

Gn 23:1-4, 19, 24:1-8, 62-67; Mt 9:9-13

### Saturday

Gn 27:1-5, 15-29; Mt 9:14-17

### Sunday

Zec 9:9-10; Rom 8:9, 11-13; Mt 11:25-30

### THANK YOU FOR YOUR STEWARDSHIP OF TIME, TALENT AND TREASURE

	Weekly	Month of June
Regular Collections		\$45,767
Week Ending 06/04/17	12,161	
Week Ending 06/11/17	12,021	
Week Ending 06/18/17	11,654	
Week Ending 06/25/17	9,932	
Budget Monthly Expenses (including Loan Payments)		\$50,000
Month Net Income/(Expense) as of 06/25/2017		(\$4,233)

**Electronic Giving** is available on our website at [www.saintkateri.org](http://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.*



## 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](http://www.patersondiocese.org)"



Thank you to June's Blood and Platelet donors: we collected 85 units of blood. God Bless You~  
Summer is here and our supply of BLOOD has reached EMERGENCY levels. Patients need your help NOW!  
Remember that one donation will help save three lives! Join us at Saint Kateri's next Blood and Platelet Drive on Saturday, July 15, from 7:45 AM to 1:45 pm.

Eligible blood donors are between the ages of 17 to 75 (or older with a doctor's written permission), weigh a minimum of 110 pounds and in good health. Register on-line at: [www.tinyurl.com/StKateriBloodDrives](http://www.tinyurl.com/StKateriBloodDrives) to schedule your lifesaving appointment! Call Mary Stanek at 973-770-0429 or Melissa O'Malley at 201-317-5160 for more information. Walk-ins are always welcome.

## 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.

## Of Possible Interest...



**Soul Injury Awareness Movie  
Saint Kateri Catholic Church  
Saturday, July 15, at 7:00 PM  
Facilitator: Rev. John Drinkard**

Soul Injury is a spectrum of penetrating wounds that occur during trauma, abuse, loss, neglect, and serious illness. It is an overlooked, unassessed wound that subtly robs people of their vitality and separates them from their own sense of self. The intended audience for this event are: veterans; victims of sexual assault, crime, accidents, natural disasters, abuse, neglect, addiction, and burn-out; people who have experienced the loss of personal health or a loved one's health, the death of a loved one, betrayal by a significant other; families of the traumatized; personal and professional caregivers.

The source of traumatic and insidious Soul Injury is unmourning loss and unforgiven guilt or shame. This event will show how soulfully wounded people can love, forgive, and trust themselves to navigate in the world again. We create a safe haven so people can re-own and re-home the parts of themselves that may still be carrying unmourning grief or unforgiven guilt or shame. Re-owning is a process of deliberate discovery of hidden parts of ourselves that previously we had only wanted to avoid. The re-homing process opens a nurturing relationship with the disconnected part of our self so it can feel safe enough to reintegrate.

After the movie, Rev. John Drinkard, a trained Soul Injury Program Leader, will host a question and answer session.

**This is a fee free event.**

The First Presbyterian Church of Sparta

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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](mailto: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, July 2, 2017:** 1:00 PM Natalie Wilson Baptism; Prayer Service for Drew Anderson

**Monday, July 3, 2017:** PC Closed; 7:00 PM Spanish Mass

**Tuesday, July 4, 2017:** PC Closed; 7:00 PM Friends of Bill W.

**Wednesday, July 5, 2017:** 7:00 PM Bereavement Support Mtg; K of C Business Mtg.

**Friday, July 7, 2017:** PC Closed; 8:30 AM Adoration

**Sunday, July 9, 2017:** 8:00 AM Squires Car Wash; 1:00 PM Bryce Dunn Baptism

## 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:**

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**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  
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Regina Saveriano  
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**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

**DIOCESE OF PATERSON**  
**Marian Pilgrimage**

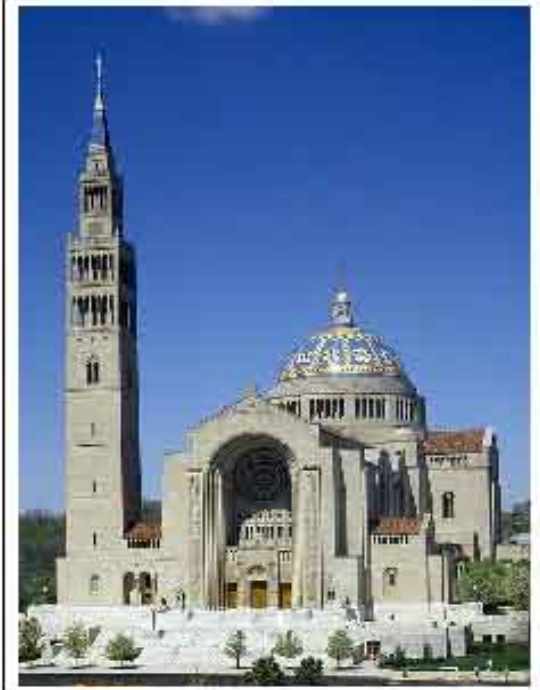
**The Basilica of the  
National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception**

**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**