



# ST. HENRY R.C. CHURCH

82 West 29th Street  
Bayonne, New Jersey 07002

## *Our Mission*

*The Parish Family of St. Henry  
seeks to continue the mission started by its founders over a century ago.  
With Jesus Christ as our model, centered in the Eucharist,  
we will teach the gospel message and apply it to our everyday lives.  
Our family will be a shining beacon of Christian hope and love  
to the people of Bayonne.*

**April 17, 2016 - Fourth Sunday of Easter**

### **RECTORY & PARISH OFFICE**

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#### *Served by:*

**Pastor:** Rev. Raul Gaviola  
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**In Residence:** Rev. Raphael Lee  
**Deacon:** Rev. Mr. Danny Rodrigues

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#### *Served by:*

**Parish Catechetical Leader:** Marie Pope  
**Youth Ministries**

**Director of Music Ministries:** Chad Perry  
201-935-5727

**Trustees:** Claire Latwis and Bernard (Jay) Jablonski

**Parish School:** *We are part of an excellent co-sponsored Elementary school - All Saints Catholic Academy. For more information, call 201-443-8384 or visit website [www.ascabayonne.org](http://www.ascabayonne.org)*

### *Mass Schedule*

**The Lord's Day**  
**Saturday Eve:** 5:30 PM  
**Sunday:** 8 AM, 10 AM, 12 PM  
**Saturdays:** 8:30 AM  
**Weekdays:** 8:30 AM & 12:05 PM  
**Holy Days:** (see inside bulletin for Mass times)  
**National Holidays:** 9:00 AM

**Parish Access Center:** (Hudson County) 201-798-9958

### *Novenas*

**Miraculous Medal Novena:** Saturdays after 8:30 AM Mass;  
**St. Jude Novena:** Wednesdays after the 8:30 AM and 12:05 PM Masses

### *Sacrament of Reconciliation*

**Saturdays 9 - 9:30 AM and 4:30 - 5:15 PM**  
Confessions will be heard any time at the Rectory. Please call 201-436-0857.

### *Sacrament of Baptism*

First Sunday of each month at 1:30 PM. Call the Parish Office to make arrangements. Baptismal Instruction will be scheduled prior to Baptism. There are no Baptisms during Lent.

### *Sacrament of Marriage*

Please call the Parish Office to make arrangements as soon as possible to insure time for adequate preparation for this Sacrament. We look forward to helping you prepare for your wedding day and marriage.

**Blessing of your Marriage:** If you have been married civilly or in another religious tradition, and would like to have your marriage blessed in the Roman Catholic Church, please call the parish priests for more information.

### *Teaching the Good News*

**Grades Pre-K to 5, Catch-Up, RCIC, Special Needs Children:** Sundays 8:45–9:45 AM

**Grades 1 to 5:** Wednesdays 3:45–5 PM

**Junior High (Gr. 6, 7, 8):** Tuesday Evenings 6:45–8 PM

**Grade 9 Confirmation:** 1st Sun. of ea. Month, 10:30–11:55 AM, followed by 12 PM Youth Mass (beginning October)

### *To Become Catholic or Complete the Sacraments*

For details about a life-changing journey called the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) for those who have not been Baptized and wish to do so; or information for Baptized Catholics (children, teens or adults) who have not yet celebrated the Sacraments of First Eucharist and/or Confirmation and now wish to do so, please call Marie Pope at 201-339-0319.

### *Sacrament of the Sick/Homebound*

**Anointing:** Anytime upon request in the home of the sick.  
**Communion:** A priest or Eucharistic Minister of the parish will bring Communion to those parishioners confined to home. Please call the rectory.



Identity theft". It's a pair of words that were never put together as a crime until there were credit cards and computers. But it's an element of modern life with lots of victims. If you've never been one of those, you would not know how scary and upsetting such theft can be. It brings on a very intrusive correction process in its wake, and a residual fear that stays with you for a while. Something akin to that happens when Satan leads us into losing our spiritual identity as members of Christ's flock.

Just as we have to keep track of our online purchases and monitor our credit cards, so we have to be on guard against all of Satan's attempts to steal our spiritual identity. One of them is over familiarity in our faith practices. We have been told in so many homilies and referred to in so many retreats and religious publications that we are "the Good Shepherd's flock" that it has no impact. We tend to view it as a cliché. Our practice of the faith could become rote. So we skip Mass almost casually, or let too much time intervene between confession, and so forth.

Our Christian identity is not safe from theft just because we declare it. We can forfeit it by sin and in that way rob ourselves. But we have been given our faith and the sacraments to help us in the effort to prevent that from happening by striving each day to live better than we did the day before. Then, when the number of our days runs out, we will be glad for the struggle. We will have arrived at that great day when we will stand outside heaven's gate and hear Jesus say, "I recognize you. Please come in."

## Mass Intentions for the Week

**SATURDAY, April 16th**  
5:30 PM Joseph Jablonski

**SUNDAY, April 17th**  
8:00 AM Dorothy Heger  
10:00 AM Patrick & Mary O'Donnell  
12:00 PM Maria Isabel Tome do Mar

**MONDAY, April 18th**  
8:30 AM Carol Fisette  
12:05 PM Charles Walewski

**TUESDAY, April 19th**  
8:30 AM Jerome Stabile Sr. & Jerome Stabile Jr.  
12:05 PM Maureen Polito

**WEDNESDAY, April 20th**  
8:30 AM Carlo Iazzetta  
12:05 PM George Hudak

**THURSDAY, April 21st**  
8:30 AM Frank D'Elia  
12:05 PM Michael G. Garilano

**FRIDAY, April 22nd**  
8:30 AM Louise Mongiello  
12:05 PM Maria Gonzalez

**SATURDAY, April 23rd**  
8:30 AM Martin Cassidy  
5:30 PM Joseph & Stella Jablonski

**NEXT SUNDAY, April 24th**  
8:00 AM Rose Bruder  
10:00 AM William Polero  
12:00 PM Michael Cleary

**MEMORIALS**  
SANCTUARY LAMP,  
ALTAR BREAD & ALTAR WINE  
In Memory of Jackie Dugan  
from Colleen & Mike Raccioppi



## Pray for...

*Please continue to keep in your prayers the sick members, family and friends of our parish:* Irene Segó, Robin Kuzma Delikat, Antoinette Lamberti, Kenny Healy, Darlene Lopez, Michael DeFazio, Elaine DeMartini, Liam Morley, Laurie Bauer, Hannah Cabrera, Daniel Gilligan, Rich Marchitto, Gloria Russell, Joseph Lillo, Marie Brady, Ruth Busick, Arthur Vatalaro, Jun Ong, Gary Truitt, Kathy McNally, Agnes May, Tajmool Ghany, Jeanmarie Malanga, Emma & Jerry, John May, Irene Bock Fischer, Daniel Norton, Sharon Delaney, Jayna Ann Morrell, Maria Tibay, Vanessa Palen, Kim Ortiz, Marie Jacobson, Pat Mayer, John Williams, Samantha Davis, Pamela Fucci, Robertas Kuckailis, Maggie Doyle

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK...

**Monday:** Acts 11:1-18; Ps 42:2-3; 43:3, 4; Jn 10:11-18  
**Tuesday:** Acts 11:19-26; Ps 87:1b-7; Jn 10:22-30  
**Wednesday:** Acts 12:24 — 13:5a; Ps 67:2-3, 5-6, 8; Jn 12:44-50  
**Thursday:** Acts 13:13-25; Ps 89:2-3, 21-22, 25, 27; Jn 13:16-20  
**Friday:** Acts 13:26-33; Ps 2:6-11ab; Jn 14:1-6  
**Saturday:** Acts 13:44-52; Ps 98:1-4; Jn 14:7-14  
**Sunday:** Acts 14:21-27; Ps 145:8-13; Rv 21:1-5a; Jn 13:31-33a, 34-35

Thank You!

I wish to thank everyone who planned, coordinated and participated in the beautiful Liturgy for my Installation as Pastor of St. Henry Parish last Sunday. It was heartwarming to see so many of you in attendance.

The reception at St. Vincent Robinson Hall afterwards was wonderful! Thank you to everyone who gave so much of their time by planning, decorating, setting up, serving, furnishing music, cleaning up, etc. which enabled everything to come together so smoothly, providing such an enjoyable time for all.

My heartfelt thanks to all those who joined me in celebrating this joyous occasion. I am so pleased to be able to serve you as pastor of this great parish of St. Henry.

- Fr. Raul

# St. Henry Parish NEWS

## This Week...

### SATURDAY, April 16th

9:00 AM Flea Market

### SUNDAY, April 17th

8:45 AM Religious Education classes

10:00 AM Family Mass/Family Time

12:00 PM CONFIRMATION

### MONDAY, April 18th

6:00 PM Girl Scouts

### TUESDAY, April 19th

10:00 AM ESL

6:45 PM Religious Education classes

7:00 PM Choir Rehearsal

7:30 PM Line Dancing

### WEDNESDAY, April 20th

3:45 PM Religious Education classes

7:00 PM SJMJ

### THURSDAY, April 21st

10:00 AM ESL

6:30 PM ESL

### FRIDAY, April 22nd

10:00 AM Friday Morning Faith Sharing

1:00 PM Blood Drive

7:00 PM SJMJ

7:00 PM Gatekeepers

### SATURDAY, April 23rd

11:00 AM Relay for Life Tea Party

7:00 PM Private Party

### SUNDAY, April 24th

GIRL SCOUT COOKIE SALE—After All Masses  
(Parish Center)

8:45 AM Religious Education classes

4:00 PM Private Party

## Join Us...

- **TUESDAYS: 7:30 PM, LINE DANCING,** Parish Center. No experience necessary! For more info. call Norma Lardizabal at 201-844-4475.
- **WEDNESDAYS: 7:30 PM, Devotion to Our Mother of Perpetual Help,** every Wednesday at 7:30 PM. First Wednesday—Novena Mass @7:30 PM—St. Benedict Chapel.
- **1ST & 3RD THURSDAYS: 1:30 to 3 PM, Faith Sharing & Intercessory Prayer Group** (held at C. Poli's home, 201-858-2675). Drop prayer intentions in the box in the Church vestibule.
- **FRIDAYS: 10:00 AM, Scripture Study/Faith Sharing.** Rectory Conference Room. Bring your Bible.
- **FRIDAYS: 7:30 PM, Gatekeepers Charismatic Prayer Community,** every Friday at 7:30 PM. First Friday- Novena and Healing Mass @ 7:30 PM, St. Benedict Chapel.  
2nd & 3rd Fridays: Join Fr. Alfie Pangllinan, Parochial Vicar of St. Henry Church, in our BIBLE STUDY GROUP, as he guides us and helps us explore and discuss the Word of the Lord together.  
Novena to Señor Santo Nino every Friday @7:30 PM, St. Henry's Parish Center.
- **SUNDAYS: Prayer Shawl Ministry,** Sundays, 1–3 PM in the Rectory.

## Religious Education...



9th Grade & RCIA Confirmation will take place today, April 17th at the 12 Noon Mass. Most Rev. John W. Flesey will preside. Bishop Flesey and the late Bishop Thomas Donato were ordained Auxiliary Bishops of Newark at the same time and were very good friends. We appreciate and are blessed to have Bishop Flesey with us, and we know Bishop Tom will be smiling down in approval of his friend, Bishop John, presiding over our 2015/2016 9th Grade and RCIA Confirmation candidates.

Congratulations to all! Please continue to pray for our Confirmation candidates.

### Registration – 2016/2017

Re-registrations and new registrations for the 2016/2017 Religious Education Program will begin on **Sunday, April 3rd through Thursday, September 8th.**

All children presently registered will receive a letter and registration form with our April 2016 calendar (one registration form per child in the family). Registration forms must be completed for all children attending our program. As the letter states, all four (4) Religious Education Programs in Bayonne have been unified.

For all new registrants, and if your child is presently in our program and you are enrolling a new child, registration must be done in person at our Religious Education Office, 625 Avenue C (across from City Hall). Hours of registration are: Monday – Thursday, 9 AM to 12 Noon; Tuesday evenings, 6–8 PM; and Wednesday, 3 PM–5 PM.

If you would like your child to begin preparation for First Eucharist, please be aware that it is a two (2) year program beginning in First Grade. Registration must be done in person. If your child is new to our program, a copy of his/her Baptismal Certificate must be provided either upon registration or after, if he/she was not baptized at St. Henry Parish. If your child is unbaptized and you wish your child to receive Baptism and First Communion, registration must be done in person. For additional information, please call Marie Pope at 201-339-0319. Thank you!

Please continue to pray for our Catechist, Frederick Bacarisas, who went off to boot camp for the U.S. Navy in Illinois. Frederick will be missed by his 5th grade students and all of us at our Religious Education program and parish of St. Henry. Please keep Frederick and all of our military personnel in your thoughts and prayers!

Some GOOD DEEDS by our Religious Education children: *playing the piano; giving money to the Rice Bowl; being good to my sister; doing my homework; helping my dad food shop; listening in class; paying attention; donating clothes to the needy; being good for nana; taking care of my brother when he was sick; helping my mom fold laundry; helping another student learning social studies; giving flowers to my cousin; praying to God; being quiet in church; helping my teacher make cinnamon rolls; being very good...*

## OTHER HAPPENINGS - In and Around Bayonne & the Archdiocese of Newark



### FEEL GOOD ABOUT YOURSELF...

**Donate Blood. NEW JERSEY BLOOD SERVICES** hold their blood drives the 2<sup>nd</sup> Friday of each month in the **PINE ROOM of St. Henry's School**. The next drive will take place

**Friday, APRIL 22nd, 1 PM—7 PM.** Questions /schedule an appointment for whole blood or ALYX (automated collection for red cells), call 1-800-933-2566. Appts. encouraged, walk-ins welcome! For platelets, call 1-866-758-5387.

**ST. PETER'S PREP**, Jersey City, will hold its Spring Open House **TODAY, April 17th, 1—3 PM.** Faculty, staff, coaches, students and parents, will be present to answer questions about the school and tours of the campus will be provided. For more information, please call 201-547-6389.

**PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND 2016** with Fr. Raul Gaviola (optional trip to Rome) - **September 27 to October 6.** Total cost \$3,088 per person. For more information and reservations, contact Imee at 551-587-9900 or email [imeesjmj@yahoo.com](mailto:imeesjmj@yahoo.com).

**How to Report Abuse** - The Archdiocese takes very seriously any and all allegations of sexual misconduct by members of the clergy, Religious and lay staff of the Archdiocese. We encourage anyone with knowledge of an act of sexual misconduct to inform us immediately so that we may take appropriate action to protect others and provide support to victims of sexual abuse. Individuals who wish to report allegation of sexual misconduct may do so by calling the Archdiocesan Office of Child & Youth Protection at 973-497-4011.

### From the ARCHDIOCESE OF NEWARK:

**THE FATHER'S HEART**, for all dads of children with special needs, will meet on the following Wednesdays, 7:30 to 9:00 PM at **St. John the Evangelist**, Parish Life Center, 15 North Washington Avenue, Bergenfield, NJ:

**April 20th, May 18th & June 15th**

Come join other dads who understand the joys and struggles you live with as the father of sons and daughters with special needs. Refreshments are provided. Any questions, contact Deacon Jim Detura at 201-747-0713 ([jdeturarph@aol.com](mailto:jdeturarph@aol.com)) or Anne Masters at 973-639-6536 ([masteranrcan@gmail.com](mailto:masteranrcan@gmail.com)).

### WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER -

Looking for a new way to let your spouse know you love them in the midst of your jobs, car pooling the kids, and trying to keep up with your house and yard? Tell him or her they're still #1 in your life...share a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend with each other. For more information, call Mike and Janet Turco at 973-427-7016 or 609-335-6880, or email [njwwwme@peoplepc.com](mailto:njwwwme@peoplepc.com).

**Military Families:** are you getting ready to deploy? Is your family trying to reconnect after deployment? Marriage Encounter offers tools of communication that have kept many military marriages strong and happy throughout the ups and downs of military service. Contact your local chaplain or call Mike and Janet Turco, phone numbers above, for more info.

## Parish NEWS continued...

### Your Easter Offering

As of Sunday, 4/10/16, our total is now \$39,094. We are so close to reaching our budgeted amount of \$40,000 and are confident we can still do so. If you have not already done so, please consider making an offering for Easter; and to all those who have, may God bless you for your generosity! Your gift is vital in helping us meet our expenses.

### Grounds & Maintenance Committee

We would like to re-establish this very important ministry of parish members who have knowledge/experience with general maintenance, plumbing, electrical, construction, etc. to help the parish look at how we can best care for our facilities. We would meet about 3—4 times per year. If you have such knowledge and would be interested in helping, please contact the Rectory office at 201-436-0857. Thank you!

### ASCA News...

- ASCA will participate in the Bayonne Chapter of UNICO's "Walk for Schools" walk-a-thon on April 23rd at Stephen R. Gregg Park. Please support ASCA by walking or donating as a sponsor.
- The annual ASCA Gala was held on April 9th. Congratulations to this year's honorees: Thomas Keating, Jane Dullea and St. Mary's City-Wide Pee Wee Basketball represented by Msgr. Lawrence Miller, Diane Liming and Jane Mattiello.
- ASCA's Annual Carnival, in conjunction with Blessed Miriam Teresa Demjanovich Parish, will be held Tuesday, April 25th through Saturday, April 30th. Join in the fun!
- Open registration is ongoing for grades Pre-Kindergarten 3, Pre-Kindergarten 4 and Kindergarten through Eighth grades for the school year 2016/2017. Call the school office, 201-443-8384, for an appointment to tour the school and meet the teachers.
- Check ASCA's website, [ascabayonne.org](http://ascabayonne.org), for additional news and information.

## ROSARY SOCIETY News...

The next meeting of the Rosary Society will be on **Sunday, May 1st, 11:15 PM** in the Parish Center, after the 10 AM Mass and recitation of the Rosary. This will be the final meeting of the season.

## Parish Registration

Formal membership with the parish in which you feel comfortable creates a sense of family. It is your spiritual home. We invite you to register with St. Henry Parish. If you are not sure whether or not you are already registered, call Jean at the rectory office – 201-436-0857. However, if you are not receiving offering envelopes or various parish mailings, chances are you are not registered. Keep in mind that a person is not automatically a registered member because they were married here, were brought up here or attended St. Henry's school.

To register, come to the rectory office, between 9 AM and 4 PM weekdays and simply complete a registration card. If this is not possible, call Jean at the rectory office.

Remember that membership with your parish is a requirement if you wish to be a godparent or a sponsor for Confirmation. Parents who wish to have their child baptized or who wish to register their child for religious education must be members of the parish.



## Ministry of Consolation and Compassion

The Ministry of Consolation and Compassion at St. Henry Parish, also known as the Bereavement Ministry, is in need of volunteers. During this Year of Mercy, won't you consider being part of this ministry? There will be training and meetings throughout the year. If you are interested, please call the rectory at 201-436-0857.

## St. Henry Parish

### 2017 MASS BOOK Opening

The 2017 MASS BOOK will open for intentions on **Sunday, May 15th, after the 8:00 AM Mass, in the Rectory Office**. In order to keep waiting time minimal, we will accept **4 Mass Intentions and 1 Memorial Intention per person** on that day. Additional intentions will be taken beginning Monday, May 16th. Whoever cannot make their request in person on May 15th may come in or send in their request with another person beginning Monday, May 16th.

**FOOD NEEDED!** With more and more people in need coming to us for food, we find that our supply has become low. We would appreciate your donations of non-perishable foods, such as: **soups, tomato sauce, peanut butter, box/bag rice, box/can potatoes, cereals, oatmeal, pasta, tuna, other canned, jarred or boxed food items such as fruits, meats, etc.** As always, we are grateful for your generosity!

## Food Pantry Availability

As part of our partnership with St. Vincent de Paul Parish, St. Henry Bayonne parishioners who are in need of food may access the Food Pantry at St. Vincent's. The **Pantry will be open Thursday, April 21st, 3—5 PM** and is located in the Rectory basement (entrance 46th St. ground level, near garage). **IMPORTANT:** In order to receive food you must indicate that you are from St. Henry Parish and bring with you current picture I.D. and current proof of residence (utility bill indicating your address in Bayonne).

**REMINDER:** St. Henry Parish has a small food pantry, located in our Rectory Office, available 9 AM—3 PM weekdays. Bring picture ID.

## Thank You!

Our Collection for Sunday, 4/10 was \$7,806  
 The Catholic Home Missions Collection was \$2,260  
 The Children's Collection was \$15  
 Electronic Giving for 4/3 was: \$431  
**We need \$8,000 each week**  
**in order to meet our expenses**

*Thank you for your continued support and generosity!*

## INTRODUCING...

### St. Henry Church 750 Club

#### OUR NEW CASH RAFFLE!

**Only 750 tickets will be sold — \$50 ea.**

**DRAWING: Sunday, June 26th @ 1:30 PM**

If all 750 tickets sold, prizes will be \$10,000 grand prize; \$2,500 second prize; two \$1,000 prizes and six \$500 prizes. If less than 750 sold, prizes will be based on percentage of total collected (Grand Prize 26.66%; Second Prize 6.66%; two prizes at 2.66%; and six prizes at 1.333%).

Tickets will go on sale shortly at the Rectory Office (9AM to 5PM weekdays) the Religious Education Office (9AM to 12 Noon weekdays), and on specific Sundays in the vestibule of Church (will be announced). Also, Ticket Request Forms are available in Church. They may be completed and returned to the rectory with your payment (by mail or via the offering basket at Mass). Upon receipt of your form/payment a ticket(s) will be filled out and entered into the Raffle and the top portion will be mailed to you as your receipt.

We are very excited about our new Fundraiser and know it will be a great success! Please plan to purchase your ticket(s) in support of St. Henry Parish!

