

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.*

July 30, 2017 - Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

RECTORY & PARISH OFFICE

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Served by:

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Marie Pope

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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*

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 sched-
uled 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 & 2nd Sun. of ea. Month, 10:30 -
11:55 AM, followed by 12 PM 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 celebrat-
ed 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.



Some say conversation is a lost art in our fast-paced, technological world. Perhaps it is faster and more efficient to send a text message, get a quick response, and move on to the next task. Not so, according to communications experts, who maintain that while technology is a great tool, it cannot be considered a substitute for the human bonds that develop when people engage in face-to-face conversation. We need to connect with one another – to look into each others’ eyes, to listen to tone of voice as well as spoken words, and to respond after thinking about and reflecting on what someone has just said to us.

God invites us to conversation. Remember what it feels like when a friend or a friend confides in you. God invites that same personal conversation. God invites us to talk about many things – the necessities as well as the niceties of life. God wants

the same satisfaction we feel in sharing conversation with others.

Mass Intentions for the Week

SATURDAY, July 29th

5:30 PM Rose Marie Cardella

SUNDAY, July 30th

8:00 AM John & Jennie Costa

10:00 AM Rita B. Cassidy

12:00 Pm Antonio Rodrigo (37th Ann.)

MONDAY, July 31st

8:30 AM Florence Vida

12:05 PM John Degenova

TUESDAY, August 1st

8:30 AM Emiliana Miller

12:05 PM Mary Carroll

WEDNESDAY, August 2nd

8:30 AM John J. Hurley, Jr.

12:05 PM Terry Borkowski

THURSDAY, August 3rd

8:30 AM Mae E. Cassidy

12:05 PM Mary Elizabeth Carroll

FRIDAY, August 4th

8:30 AM Florence Vida

12:05 PM Dec. Mem. Moreton Family

SATURDAY, August 5th

8:30 AM Marianna Gromadzka

5:30 PM Steve Wexler

SUNDAY, August 6th

8:00 AM Mark Groendyk (1st Ann.)

10:00 AM Michelle Margaritonda

12:00 PM Eileen & Frank DiCorcia

MEMORIALS

SANCTUARY LAMP

ALTAR BREAD & ALTAR WINE

In Memory of Bishop Thomas Donato
from a parishioner

Pray for...

Please continue to keep in your prayers the sick members, family and friends of our parish: Clara Nally, Daniel Gilligan, Sal Fogu, Joanie Robin, Kimberly Allen, Georgene Kennedy, Dolores Philips, Debbie Smith, Alessandra Spagnolo, Antoinette Lamberti, Claire Poli, John J. Borzelli, George Glom, Kara Sullivan, Gary DeCarlo, Michael Sheehan, Irene Bock Fisher, Marie Brady, Bill Thomas (Please note that in order to keep our list current, names will be removed from our list every two months. If you wish to have your name listed or re-listed for two months, please call Jean at the parish office, 201-436-0857)

Readings for the Week...

Monday: Ex 32:15-24, 30-34; Ps 106:19-23; Mt 13:31-35

Tuesday: Ex 33:7-11; 34:5b-9, 28; Ps 103:6-13; Mt 13:36-43

Wednesday: Ex 34:29-35; Ps 99:5-7, 9; Jn 11:19-27 or Lk 10:38-42

Thursday: Ex 40:16-21, 34-38; Ps 84:3-6a, 8a, 11; Mt 13:47-53

Friday: Lv 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37; Ps 81:3-6, 10-11ab; Mt 13:54-58

Saturday: Lv 25:1, 8-17; Ps 67:2-3, 5, 7-8; Mt 14:1-12

Sunday: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9; 2 Pt 1:16-19; Mt 17:1-9

St. Henry Parish Office

SUMMER HOURS

Monday through Thursday, 9 AM – 4 PM
CLOSED FRIDAYS

Paver Inscription Forms

We would like to remind all those who received their Paver Inscription Form – if you have not already done so, please return your completed form to the Parish Office, 82 West 29th Street. If you do not wish to have a paver, we still need you to return the form with your name and a notation stating that.

Thank you!

PLEASE NOTE: Plans for the layout of the pavers are posted on the bulletin boards at the side doors. Please take a look!

St. Henry Parish NEWS

This Week...

SATURDAY, July 29th

6:30 PM Couples for Christ

SUNDAY, July 30th

1:00 PM Prayer Shawl Ministry

MONDAY, July 31st

TUESDAY, August 1st

7:30 PM Line Dancing

WEDNESDAY, August 2nd

9:00 AM St. Ann's Society breakfast

7:00 PM SJMJ

THURSDAY, August 3rd

FRIDAY, August 4th

7:00 PM SJMJ

7:30 PM Gatekeepers

SATURDAY, August 5th

7:00 PM Private Party

SUNDAY, August 6th

1:00 PM Prayer Shawl Ministry

1:30 PM Baptism

St. Henry FLEA MARKET
SATURDAY, August 19th, 9 AM – 3 PM
 For more information, or to rent tables,
 call Barbara Silvy at 201-339-0319.

Our Flea Market of Saturday, July 15th was a great success! Thank you to the 70 vendors who supported the Flea Market.

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 Pangillinan**, 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.** 1–3 PM. In the Rectory.

Religious Education...

Registration and Re-Registration continues through August and early September. Fees are as follows:

1 child - \$100; 2 or more children - \$150

Sacramental Fees:

Reconciliation/First Communion - \$75/child

Confirmation - \$100/child

Registration & Re-Registration will take place Monday through Thursday, 9 AM to 12 Noon and Tuesday evenings, 6–8 PM.

The Religious Education Office is CLOSED ON FRIDAYS.

Important Change in the Registration Process for 2017/2018:

If your child/children were registered and attended our Religious Education Program for the 2016/2017 time frame, you do not have to complete a new Registration form for 2017/2018 as long as we have a form on file. You may pay the registration fee by check or money order (payable to St. Henry Church) or you may use our Parish Giving Program

(www.parihgiving.org). Cash must be processed in person.

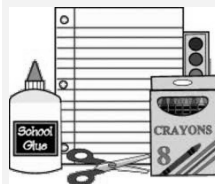
RCIA – Rite of Christian Initiation - If you are an adult and would like to receive the Sacraments of Baptism, Communion and Confirmation or you would like to become Catholic, we have a program that can accommodate your needs. RCIA classes begin in October. Classes are held on the 1st & 2nd Monday of ea. month beginning Oct. 2nd, 7 to 8 PM in St. Henry School. Catch-Up Classes – If your child/children will be in 3rd grade and above in the Fall and have been Baptized, but have not received First Communion, we have a program that can prepare them to receive First Communion. It is a 2 year program and classes are held on Sunday mornings 8:45to 9:45 AM.

RCIC – Rite of Christian Initiation for Children – If you have a child/children who have not been Baptized, we have a 2 year program that can assist you and your child/children to prepare to receive all three Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, First Communion and Confirmation).

Some Good Deeds by our Religious Education children:

Saying my prayers and being "super" good; I listen to my parents; helping grandma walk; listening in Church; holding the door at the restaurant; behaving; help nana clean up all the toys in the toy room; doing great in school; giving grandma first aid; playing guitar for grandma; helping friends clean; helping mom in the house; cleaning up my room...

SCHOOL SUPPLIES Collection



Beginning the weekend of **August 5th & 6th** and through the month of August, we will once again collect school supplies for needy children who are attending Catholic schools in inner-city areas. Some suggestions are: pens, pencils, glue, rulers, folders, crayons, children's backpacks, etc. Collection boxes will be set up in the church next weekend. Thank you for your help!

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 2nd Friday of each month in the **PINE ROOM of St. Henry's School**. The next drive will take place **Friday, August 11th at 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.

A HEALING HEART (after an Addiction Death)

Franca Kirsch and Aurora Chiarella will begin a bereavement group for those who lost their loved ones to the disease of addiction and to promote a healing heart. The group will meet the 1st and 3rd Thursday of each month beginning September, 7:30—9 PM. Anyone is welcome. Meetings will take place in St. Vincent de Paul rectory basement (46th St. off Avenue C).

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.

Parish NEWS continued...



As you know, we have two Catholic Charities donation bins set up in the school parking lot. All forms of used clothing, shoes, linens, towels, stuffed animals, books, and small household items are accepted. All items donated are sold and the proceeds are used to support the many programs for the needy as provided by Catholic Charities.

We appreciate your donations, however, if the item doesn't fit into the bin, unfortunately it cannot be accepted. Please DO NOT leave items on the ground outside the bins.

Parish Registration

Formal membership with the parish in which you feel comfortable creates a sense of family. Your parish 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 god-parent 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.

From the ARCHDIOCESE...

I LOVED THE WEDDING. INVITE ME TO THE MARRIAGE. LOVE, GOD. A Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend can help you do that!

Marriage Encounter is 44 hours where married couples can get away from jobs, kids, chores, and phones—and focus only on each other. If you'd like greater depth, growth, and enrichment in your relationship, you'll like the difference a Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend can make! For more information contact Janet and Mike Turco 973 427-7016 or 609 335 - 6880 (njwme@peoplepc.com) or go to njwme.org.

SUPPORT GROUPS FOR PARENTS GRIEVING THE DEATH OF A CHILD, sponsored by the

Office of Family Life Ministries of the Archdiocese of Newark, are led by trained facilitators—parents who have personally experienced the death of a child. Groups meet: St. Thomas the Apostle Church Parish Center, 60 Byrd Ave., Bloomfield, first Wednesday of each month 7:30 PM; St. Peter the Apostle Church Rectory Basement, 445 Fifth Ave., River Edge, third Monday of each month 7:30 PM.

St. Henry Parish Restoration Fund Capital Campaign

As St. Henry's Restoration Capital Campaign has come to an end after 5 years, we will begin preparation for the installation of the pavers on the plaza in front of our Church which will take place in October. Those who have pledged and completed their payment of \$1,620 or more may have one paver.

At this time, we offer the opportunity for others to purchase a paver: Those who have pledged and paid under \$1,620 to the Restoration Fund can make a payment for the difference; and those who did not donate to the Restoration Fund initially can now buy a paver for \$1,620. Please call or stop in to the Parish Office to make arrangements.

Deadline for this opportunity is August 1, 2017

We are very grateful to all those who so generously supported our Restoration Fund Capital Campaign and we are very excited to see it to its end with the installation of these pavers which will honor our parishioners, families and friends while further enhancing the beauty of our Church.

(To clarify: This is St. Henry's Restoration Fund Campaign which began in June, 2012. This is not the "We Are Living Stones" campaign which has been going on in the past few weeks.)

FOOD NEEDED! *With more and more people in need coming to us for food, our supply quickly becomes depleted. Your donations of non-perishable foods, would be greatly appreciated: **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.** Food may be left in the boxes in church or brought directly to the parish office. THANK YOU!!*

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 closed the month of August**, 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). See Mary Ann A. with any questions while you are there.

St. Henry food pantry, located in our Rectory Office, is available **TUESDAYS & THURSDAYS, 10 AM—12 NOON (ONLY)**. NOTE: Bring picture ID.

St. Henry BEREAVEMENT MINISTRY

Perhaps during the death of a loved one you met with one of our Bereavement Ministers. These ministers offered you the condolence of the parish community and helped you to plan the funeral Mass. The Bereavement Ministry now needs your help. Today we ask you to consider joining this ministry. There will be individual training to prepare you to meet with the families. If you are interested in sharing your time and becoming a part of this growing ministry, please call the rectory office at 201-436-0857.



To everything there is a season and a time to every purpose under heaven (Ecclesiastes 3:11)

"... a time to be born..."

"a time to love..."

"... a time to be born to eternal life..."

Remember in your prayers those of our parish, family, friends and community who have recently died, especially **Vito Narcisi, William Wyres & Louis Sabbers**, as well as those who have died in the service of our Country

"... and a time for peace in all the world..."

Pray for our servicemen and women at home and abroad.

Thank You!

Our Collection for the weekend of 7/23: \$6,290.50
(last year, 7/25/16 our collection was \$5,561)
the Children's Collection was \$5

Elect. Giving for 7/16 was \$622
(separate from weekend collection)

We need \$8,000 each week
in order to meet our expenses

Thank you for your continued support and generosity!

PARISH CENTER RENTAL - If you are interested in renting our Parish Center (28th Street, behind the Church) for private parties, please call Jean DiPillo at 201-436-0857, 9 AM—4 PM, Monday through Friday, for availability and more information.

A Summer Blessing



**May you walk with God this summer
in whatever you do wherever you go.**

**Walking with God means...
walking with honesty and with courage,
walking with love and respect
and concern for the feelings of others.**

**May you talk to God this summer
and every day, and in every situation.**

**Talking with God means...
praying words of praise
for the beauty of creation,
saying prayers of thanks for friends and good times,
asking God's help in all your decisions,
expressing sorrow when you have failed.**

May you talk with God every day.

Amen.