



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.*

September 18, 2016 - Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

RECTORY & PARISH OFFICE

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Served by:

Pastor: Rev. Raul Gaviola
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RELIGIOUS EDUCATION OFFICE

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Served by:

Parish Catechetical Leader: Marie Pope
Youth Ministers: Rev. Alfie Pangilinan
Marie Pope

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*

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 & 3rd 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 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.



The church teaches about social justice in a wide variety of topics--labor, housing, health care, and racism, just to name a few. Is there an area the church needs to focus on more today? There are many ways to measure the size and scope of problems. The cost of the injustice, or how difficult or costly it is to fix, or the number of people affected, or the impact on innocent lives are all valid ways to determine what areas are priorities and where one's attention should be focused. Many of these arguments are used in political debate, especially before an election.

But the biggest problem facing the church, as a community of faith and as an institution, is not a specific problem, but a social attitude. For many reasons, our society has grown indifferent to human suffering. People are no longer affected or outraged when others are killed, children are starving, or disease is left unchecked. People have their own problems and are often so busy that they do not have the time or energy left to focus attention on the needs of others. Our lack of concern or our feeling of powerlessness allows the evil of human suffering to continue without resistance. There is no hope, no promise of tomorrow, no sense that something can be done to help others in need. But we can do something, as faith tells us. No problem is bigger than God.

When each of us does our part, even in a small way, the world is a better place for everyone. Never underestimate the power one person has to make a difference.

Pray for...

Please continue to keep in your prayers the sick members, family and friends of our parish: **Kara Sullivan, Gary DeCarlo, Michael Sheehan, Irene Bock Fisher, Marie Brady, Bill Thomas, Ramon King**
 (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)

Mass Intentions for the Week

SATURDAY, September 17th

5:30 PM Bernard Trainor &
 Sophie & Konstanty Raskowski

SUNDAY, September 18th

8:00 AM Hubert Ward
 10:00 AM Adelina & Anthony Ferragine
 12:00 PM Rev. Thomas Foye & Family

MONDAY, September 19th

8:30 AM Rev. Eugene Hazewski
 12:05 PM Ellenmarie Wall

TUESDAY, September 20th

8:30 AM Carla Hartnett
 12:05 PM Carla Hartnett

WEDNESDAY, September 21st

8:30 AM Paula Semczyk
 12:05 PM Jose Gomez

THURSDAY, September 22nd

8:30 AM Marie Kellner
 12:05 PM Grace & Manuel Agulleiro

FRIDAY, September 23rd

8:30 AM Nicholas Klaich (1st Ann.)
 12:05 PM Anna Rose Kidd

SATURDAY, September 24th

8:30 AM Rev. Msgr. Michael J. Mulligan (49th Ann.)
 5:30 PM Mary Phelan & Thomas Maher

NEXT SUNDAY, September 25th

8:00 AM Therese Foran & William Foran
 10:00 AM Mae Savo
 12:00 PM Patrick & Mary O'Donnell

MEMORIALS

SANCTUARY LAMP,
 ALTAR BREAD & ALTAR WINE

In Memory of
 Dec. Mem. Charles J. Tobey, Sr. Family
 from Pauline Tobey

READINGS FOR THE WEEK...

Monday: Prv 3:27-34; Ps 15:2-5; Lk 8:16-18

Tuesday: Prv 21:1-6, 10-13; Ps 119:1, 27, 30, 34, 35, 44; Lk 8:19-21

Wednesday: Eph 4:1-7, 11-13; Ps 19:2-5; Mt 9:9-13

Thursday: Eccl 1:2-11; Ps 90:3-6, 12-14, 17bc; Lk 9:7-9

Friday: Eccl 3:1-11; Ps 144:1b, 2abc, 3-4; Lk 9:18-22

Saturday: Eccl 11:9 — 12:8; Ps 90:3-6, 12-14, 17; Lk 9:43b-45

Sunday: Am 6:1a, 4-7; Ps 146:7-10; 1 Tm 6:11-16; Lk 16:19-31

St. Henry Church 750 Club

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

DRAWING: Sunday, December 18, 2016 @ 5 PM

**at the St. Henry Parish CHRISTMAS PARTY
 which will be held at St. Vincent Robinson Hall
 (Look for more information in the bulletin shortly)**

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 and on specific Sundays in the vestibule of Church (will be announced). Also, Ticket Request Forms are available beginning this weekend. 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.

Our first 750 Club Raffle was very successful and our hope is that this raffle will be even better, with all 750 tickets sold!! Tell your family and friends! Your support of St. Henry Parish is very much appreciated!

St. Henry Parish NEWS

This Week...

SATURDAY, September 17th

9:00 AM Flea Market

SUNDAY, September 18th

8:45 AM Religious Education classes

11:00 AM Family Time

MONDAY, September 19th

6:30 PM Girl Scouts

TUESDAY, September 20th

6:45 PM Religious Education classes

7:30 PM Line Dancing

WEDNESDAY, September 21st

3:45 PM Religious Education classes

7:00 PM SJMJ

THURSDAY, September 22nd

FRIDAY, September 23rd

10:00 AM Faith Sharing

7:00 PM Gatekeepers

7:00 PM SJMJ

SATURDAY, September 24th

6:00 PM Couples for Christ

SUNDAY, September 25th

8:45 AM Religious Education classes

1:00 PM Prayer Shawl Ministry

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 Pangllnan,** 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.

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.

Religious Education...

St. Henry Religious Education Registration continues throughout September, Mon. – Thurs. 9 AM to 12 Noon; Tues. evenings 6:00–8 PM, and Wed. afternoons 3:00–5 PM.

(The Religious Education Office WILL NOT BE OPEN on Fridays and Saturdays, but will be open Sundays 8–10 AM.

Religious Education classes begin:

- ♦ Sunday, Sept. 18th: Pre-K to 5th grades, RCIC & catch-up
8:45 AM to 9:45 AM
- ♦ *Tuesday, Sept. 20th: 6th, 7th & 8th grades (Jr. High)
6:45 PM to 8 PM
- ♦ Wednesday, Sept. 21st: 1st to 5th grades
3:45 PM to 5 PM

*On Tuesday, Sept. 20th, all Junior High students are asked to arrive at 6:15 PM to select the “component” of their choice. Information will be sent home mid to late August.

Registration Fees: 1 child—\$100; 2 or more children—\$150
Sacramental Fees \$75 for both Sacraments of Reconciliation and Eucharist, per child.

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) begins the first Monday of October (10/3). For more info., call Marie Pope at 201-339-0319.



Please join me and Father Alfie in congratulating Marie Pope, who will be honored by the Bayonne Youth Center Board of Bayonne for her dedication, commitment and work with the youth of St. Henry Parish and the community of Bayonne. Marie will be honored at the Chandelier Restaurant on Friday, October 28th. In order for everyone to have the opportunity to congratulate Marie, an invitation is extended to all of our parishioners to join us in the **Parish Center on Sunday, October 30th, following the 12 Noon Mass.** Light refreshments will be served. - Fr.

St. Henry FLEA MARKET
Third Saturday of Each Month
NEXT DATE: SATURDAY, October 15th,
9 AM–3 PM
For more information, or to rent tables,
call Barbara Silvay at 201-339-0319.

St. Henry's Children's TRACK TEAM

All children are invited to join our cross-country team which will participate in races on Saturday mornings this Fall. Races are gradual stepped distances according to age. The focus is recreation and physical development. Participation is emphasized, not competition. Training continues Wednesday, 9/21 at 6:30 PM, at the blue track in Hudson County Park, Bayonne. The first meet will be Saturday, September 24th. For more information, email Al Long at alexlong@spwax.com.

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, Oct. 14th, 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.

Live Christ, Share Christ will hold the following in the basement of St. Vincent de Paul Church:

Sept. 24 (Sat.) 2—4:30 PM Adult Retreat/Assembly with Fr. Carl Arico. Theme: The Holy Eucharist

Oct. 29 (Sat.) 8:30 AM—4:30 PM—Youth Retreat (12—16 years old)

For more info. Call Jerry/Angie Pimental, coordinators at 201-310-8579 or email angiepimental@gmail.com.

ST. PETER'S PREP, Jersey City will host its 2016 Fall Open House on **Sunday, October 2nd, 1—4 PM.** For more information, call 201-547-6389.

ST. DOMINIC ACADEMY, Jersey City will host an Open House on **Thursday, October 13th (6-8 PM) and Sunday, October 16th (1-3 PM).** SDA also announces "Walk Through Wednesdays" when parents (and students, if they are available) will be able to visit SDA every Wednesday beginning Sept. 21, between 10—11:30 AM. No appointment is necessary. For more information, call Andrea Apruzzese at 201-434-5938, Ext. 14.

REGIS HIGH SCHOOL, New York, NY will host an OPEN HOUSE for Catholic boys and their parents on **Columbus Day, Monday, October 10th, 1—4 PM.** For more information, call Eric DiMichele at 212-288-1100, Ext. 2057.

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.

HOLY FAMILY ACADEMY Class of 1976 will hold its 40th Reunion on **October 29th** at the Breakers, Spring Lake, NJ, 5—9 PM. Tickets are \$80. For more info. email Mary Ellen Koscs-Fleming at mwfleming1@embarqmail.com.

From the ARCHDIOCESE OF NEWARK:

20/20 Pro-Life Vision Conference: Saturday, October 1st

Please come to the 20/20 Vision Conference on Saturday, October 1st, 8:30 AM to 5:00 PM at Evangel Church, 1251 Terrill Rd. in Scotch Plains, NJ. This historic, non-denominational event is designed to incrementally end abortion by collaborating with churches and educating the public about the humanity of the babies in the womb. There will be world-class pro-life speakers. Cost is \$65/person. Pre-registration is required. Please call 973-497-4500 or visit BabiesintheWombFeelPain.com for more information. This initiative has the support of the NJ Catholic Conference of Bishops.

ARCHDIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE

The Archdiocese of Newark is holding a pilgrimage on **Saturday, Oct. 22nd** to the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in Washington, DC. Activities at the Basilica include an outdoor Carillon Concert, Organ Recital, Recitation of the Rosary and Mass. You are invited to join the contingent from Bayonne. Buses will leave from St. Andrew School at 7 AM and return by 11 PM. Cost is \$40/person which includes transportation as well as a bagel and juice for breakfast. There will be time for lunch and dinner on your own in Washington. The deadline to register/pay is Friday, 10/14. Reserve your seat by calling Blessed Miriam Teresa Parish at 201-437-4090

Calling All Girls (Kindergarten through 12th Grades) JOIN BAYONNE GIRL SCOUTS:

Learn more about troops meeting in Bayonne. Fun activities, service to others, trips and outdoor fun, make new friends **FRIDAY, September 23rd, 6:30—8:30 PM, St. John Paul II Parish Center, 39 East 22nd St.** For more info., call Christine Peters at 201-401-6547

The Sisters of St. Joseph ESL PROGRAM

re-opens on October 11th. Registration will take place in the Bayonne Library Gallery every Tuesday & Thursday in September, 10 AM to 1 PM. There is a registration fee of \$15. Everyone who wants to attend the classes has to register in the Library—those who want to continue with us and newcomers.

Morning classes (beginner, high beginner, low intermediate and high intermediate) are held in St. Henry School building 10 AM to 12 Noon every Tuesday and Thursday, starting October 11th. Night classes (beginner, intermediate and high intermediate) are also held in St. Henry School building 6:30 to 8:30 PM every Thursday, starting October 13th. Any other inquiries can be made by email to kayssi@optimum.net

- Sister Kay, SSJ

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...

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 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.

Thank You!

Our Collection for Sunday, 9/11 was \$6,696
 The Eastern Europe collection was \$2,284
 (Last year, 9/14/15, our collection was \$6,936)
 The Children's Collection was \$18
 Electronic Giving: 8/28—\$360 and 9/4—\$360
 We need \$8,000 each week
in order to meet our expenses

Thank you for your continued support and generosity!



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

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

We welcome into our parish community the following Christians who were Baptized in recent months at St. Henry Church:

Gabriel D. Canoja	Malia Mae Bragen	Hannah Mary Mansoor
Valentina Trasatti	Dean Paul Dos Reis	Joshua Paul Mansoor
Mason Hunter Davila	Mark Russel Fernandes	Maia Dario Alchamat
Scarlett Victoria Hoffman	Sonia Mary Fernandes	Rhys Romeo Balmaceda
Angelo Miguel Nieves	Tyler Jason Halsey	Lydia Ann Marie Mejia-DeFina
Ian Michael Stewart	Aaron Ethan King	Daniel Lucas Sanchez
Bianca Krystal Tashay Williams	John Joseph Lewandoski	Luna Sofia Sanchez
Ann Camille Yuscavitch	Jolee Reese Perlez	
Camryn Elizabeth Wexler	Elizabeth Ann Mansoor	
Aiden James Amadeo	Caleb Matthew Mansoor	

"a time to love..."

We congratulate and pray God's blessings for the following couples who were married at St. Henry Church in recent months:

William Formica & Dana Vecchiarelli	Dean Largmann & Irene Orrego Hernandez
Daniel Breznak & Rose Hanna	William Borke III & Sharon Cassidy
Sean Schafer & Maureen Lennon	Eric Delnero & Jessica Bendert
John Dondero, Jr. & Linda Grossman	George Chicolo III & Christine Terranova
Christopher Singh & Christine Corrales	

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

Remember in your prayers those of our parish, family, friends and community who have recently died, 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.

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, Sept. 22nd, Oct. 6th & Oct. 20th, 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 food pantry, located in our Rectory Office, is available 9 AM—3 PM weekdays. Bring picture ID.

New Air Conditioning System

As of Monday, September 12th, we have received **\$16,699.37** toward this project. We thank all those who have so generously responded. I continue to ask all of you to prayerfully consider how you can help us defray the cost of this substantial but very necessary project. Your donation in whatever amount you decide will be gratefully accepted and appreciated!

Please make checks payable to St. Henry Church, with a notation at the bottom "for A/C". Thank you!

- Father Raul