

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.

February 6, 2022 - Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

RECTORY & PARISH OFFICE

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Served by:

Pastor: Rev. Raul Gaviola Parochial Vicar: Rev. Alfie A. Pangilinan

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Director of Religious Education: Marie Pope Youth Ministers: Rev. Alfie Pangilinan

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

Sacrament of Reconciliation
Saturdays 9:00AM-9:30 AM & 4:30PM - 5:15 PM

Sacrament of Baptism

First Sunday of each month at 1:30 PM. Call the Parish Office to make arrangements. Please call early to schedule, as the number of children to be Baptized on each date will be limited due to the Pandemic. 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

Classes will be VIRTUAL for the 2021-2022 program. Sundays 8:45 – 9:45 AM (Gr. K-5, RCIC 1&2, Catch Up 1&2) Wednesdays 4 – 5 PM (Gr. 1-5); 7 – 8 PM (Junior High) Sundays 9:30 – 10:30 AM or 7 – 8 PM (Confirmation)

Sacrament of the Sick/Homebound Anointing: Anytime upon request in the home of the sick. Please call the rectory.

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)

12 Noon ONLY until further notice

Holy Days: (see inside bulletin for Mass times)

National Holidays: 9:00 AM

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



Everyone struggles with sin and its effects. No one lives a perfect life, and the power of evil always looks for opportunities to tempt us. When we fall, we choose self over all else, even God. We may feel shame, guilt, or remorse. Our conscience will bother us, reminding us that we have failed in our relationship with God and those we should love. We know we are not in a right relationship with God and others, and we need to make it right. Confession, reconciliation and penance are all parts of the process given in the sacrament to help us forgive and be forgiven.

When we recognize the need for change, we begin with confession—identifying the specific things we have done that are sinful. We accept God's grace and make the intention to sin no more. We see that what we have done is not in keeping with our faith and our desire to serve God, and we recommit ourselves to following God's will and living our life in right relationship with God, others, and self. This is reconciliation. We seek and ask for the forgiveness of those we have hurt. And then, we do what we can to make it up to them. This is penance—prayers and sacrifices that directly or indirectly help restore a balance of grace.

Mass Intentions for the Week

SATURDAY, February5th

5:30 PM Paul T. Conway

SUNDAY, February 6th

8:00 AM Paul T. Conway 10:00 AM Frank & Betty Silvay 12:00 PM R. J. Norman

MONDAY, February 7th

8:30 AM Theresa & John Latwis

12:05 PM Anna Gaitan

TUESDAY, February 8th

8:30 AM Dorothy Fehety

12:05 PM Tom Konchalski (1st Ann.)

WEDNESDAY, February 9th

8:30 AM Frances Cassidy
12:05 PM Ah Way & Lily Tsong

THURSDAY, February 10th

8:30 AM Maria Giannaci & Frances Vagan

12:05 PM Vincenza Panico

FRIDAY, February 11th

8:30 AM Adele & Frank McLaughlin

12:05 PM Rose Ferrara

SATURDAY, February 12th

8:30 AM Patricia Creveling 5:30 PM Joanne Gebhardt

SUNDAY, February 13th

8:00 AM Vincenza Panico 10:00 AM Maria Senande 12:00 PM Robert Sekel (1st Ann.)

MEMORIALS

SANCTUARY LAMP,
ALTAR BREAD & ALTAR WINE
In Memory of Paul T. Conway
from Barbara Peters

Weekday Mass Celebrations & Intentions

Our Monday through Friday Mass celebrations are 12 Noon ONLY and Saturday is 8:30 AM. However, we continue to list our regular schedule of weekday Masses (8:30 AM and 12:05 PM) so we can show their intentions, which are currently being honored together at the 12 Noon Mass.

Sunday Masses are regular schedule: 5:30 PM Saturday evening and 8AM, 10AM and 12PM on Sunday.

<u>CONFESSIONS:</u> Saturdays, 9:00AM – 9:30 AM & 4:30PM – 5:15 PM.

Pray for...

Please continue to keep in your prayers the sick members, family and friends of our parish: Craig Buonomo, Marie Pope, Barry Dugan, Fran Dugan, Anna Marie Borzelli, Claire Latwis, Lisa Cerbone, Mary Phillips-Borzelli, Claire Poli, John J. Borzelli.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK...

Monday: 1 Kgs 8:1-7, 9-13; Ps 132:6-7, 8-10; Mk 6:53-56 Tuesday: 1 Kgs 8:22-23, 27-30; Ps 84:3, 4, 5, 10, 11; Mk 7:1-13 Wednesday: 1 Kgs 10:1-10; Ps 37:5-6, 30-31, 39-40; Mk 7:14-23 Thursday: 1 Kgs 11:4-13; Ps 106:3-4, 35-36, 37, 40; Mk 7:24-30 Friday: 1 Kgs 11:29-32; 12:19; Ps 81:10-11ab, 12-13, 14-15; Mk 7:31-37

Saturday: 1 Kgs 12:26-32; 13:33-34; Ps 106:6-7ab, 19-20, 21-22; Mk 8:1-10

Sunday: Jer 17:5-8; Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4, 6; 1 Cor 15:12, 16-20; Lk 6:17, 20-26

SECOND COLLECTIONS

This Weekend, Feb. 5th & 6th: Archdiocesan Assessment

Next Weekend, Feb. 12th & 13th: Fuel & Heat (envelopes are at the doors of church)

St. Henry Parish NEWS

Food Pantry Availability

St. Henry FOOD PANTRY is OPEN WEDNES-DAYS, 9:30AM-12:30 PM ONLY. Participants may come every 1-2 weeks as necessary. Ring office doorbell-a bag will be brought to you.

St. Vincent Food Pantry is open Feb. 17th, March 10th, March 24th, April 7th & April 21st- 3 PM-4 PM ONLY.

Location is in the Rectory Basement (entrance 46th St., ground level, near garage).

Non-perishable food donations are always needed. Your donations may be brought to the Parish Office during the week. Please call ahead to insure Jean is in the office to accept it – 201-436-0857, Ext. 110.

Thank you, as always for your generosity and willingness to help those in need.

2022 Archdiocesan ANNUAL APPEAL

The Annual Appeal funds essential programs and ministries at the heart of our Catholic mission in our four counties in the Archdiocese of Newark - namely to proclaim the gospel, to pass on the faith to future generations particularly through the celebration of the sacraments, and to care for the poor and those on the margins.

Now more than ever, especially during this health crisis, our ministries and programs need your support. Will you prayerfully consider making a gift to the 2022 Annual Appeal?

Pledge/Gift envelopes are located at the doors of our Church. You may bring your envelope to the Parish Office or add a stamp and mail it directly to the Archdiocese of Newark (do not mail cash). As always, your generosity is appreciated!

PARISH CENTER RENTAL

If you are interested in renting our Parish Center (28th St., behind the Church) for a private party, please call Jean DiPillo,201-436-0857, Ext. 110, 9AM — 3PM, Monday through Thursday, for availability and more information.

Religious Education

From Marie Pope:

"Hi Everyone, I hope and pray you and your family are doing well! Just a little update on my health—I was recently hospitalized with COVID, where I received antibodies. I am now at home resting and recuperating . I have been to hell and back since August, operative word "back"! I am the storm! Keep those prayers coming. Thank you! I miss and love you all!"

First Reconciliation has been re-scheduled to **Monday**, **February 28th at 5:00 PM** in the Church. All families have been notified either by email or telephone call. If you have any questions, call Marie at 908-612-6674.

Parish Registration

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, Ext. 110. 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, or received other sacraments here.

To register, complete a registration form at the Parish Office, Monday – Thursday, 9 AM – 3:30 PM, or call Jean if you would like the form mailed to you

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 at St. Henry's must be members of the parish.

St. Henry's PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY

The Prayer Shawl Ministry meets Sundays in the Parish Office, 1PM – 3PM. If you have any questions, please contact Mary Rooth, 201-240-5909.

St. Henry Parish Office Hours MONDAY-THURSDAY 9:00 AM-3:00 PM

Your Christmas Gift for Your Parish

As of this past weekend our Christmas collection totals \$43,085.

Hopefully in the coming weeks we will meet our goal of \$48,000.

We are so grateful for all those who so generously contributed. If you have not already done so, please consider your Christmas gift to your parish. Your gift enables us to keep up with our expenses, both planned and unexpected.

May God bless you all!

Thank You!

Total Collection thru the weekend of 1/30/22: \$4,532 Consisting of Regular Weekly Offering: \$3,259 Electronic Giving: \$1,273

We need \$10,000 each week in order to meet our expenses

Thank you for your continued support and generosity!



Electronic funds transfer enables you to have your parish contributions automatically debited from your checking account or credit card. You choose how much to give, how often to give and what method of payment is to be used. You can also make special offertory donations for second collections, as well as pay for Religious Education registration and sacramental fees. We offer this convenient, secure and simple method of giving through Parish Giving. Log onto St. Henry's website, www.sthenryrc.org, click on the Parish Giving icon and follow the easy registration steps.

OTHER HAPPENINGS—In and Around Bayonne & the Archdiocese of Newark

A Women's Cursillo Weekend - is scheduled for **March 31st** — **April 3rd**. It will be held at the CYO Center, Kearny, NJ. For more information, please call Betty Zywicki at 201-344-5691.

MASS FOR OUR COUNTRY sponsored by the Archdiocese of Newark Office for Evangelization, will take place monthly at Holy Spirit Church, 970 Suburban Rd., Union, NJ—Patriotic Rosary at 7PM; Holy Mass at 7:30 PM, on the following dates:

March 3, April 7, May 5 & June 2 All are welcome to this opportunity to come together and pray for God's blessings and mercy on our country.

How to Report Abuse The Archdiocese takes very seriously any and all allegations of misconduct by members of the clergy, Religious and lay staff of the Archdiocese. We encourage anyone with knowledge of an act of misconduct to inform us immediately so that we may take appropriate action to protect others and provide support to victims of sexual abuse and other misconduct. Individuals who wish to report an allegation of sexual misconduct may do so by calling Karen Clark, Director of the Department for the Protection of the Faithful at 973-497-4254. Victims in need of assistance should call the Archdiocesan Assistance Coordinator at 201-407-3256. They are also encouraged to call the Attorney General of NJ Clergy Abuse Hotline at 855-363-6548.

INCLUSIVE FAMILY MASSES (Archdiocese of

Newark) are particularly adapted for individuals with disabilities, their families and friends, but people from the larger community are also welcome to attend. Call numbers listed for each church for directions.

- St. John the Evangelist, 29 N. Washington Ave., Bergenfield. Contact Rosemarie Flood 201-384-3601
 3:00 PM: 2/6, 3/6, 4/3, 5/1, 6/5
- San Agustin, 3900 New York Ave., Union City Oficina: 201-863-0233
 a las 5:00 PM en Espanol: 2/12, 3/12, 4/9, 5/14
- Church of the Nativity, 315 Prospect St., Midland Park 201-444-6362
 9:00 AM: 2/13, 3/13, 4/3, 5/8
- St. Therese of Lisieux, 120 Monroe Ave., Creskill 201-567-2528

1:30 PM: 2/20, 3/20, 4/9 (Palm Sunday 5:00pm), 5/15 For more information, call the Pastoral Ministry with Persons with Disabilities of the Archdiocese of Newark at 973-497-4309, or email Anne.Masters@rcan.org.

St. Henry Parish 2023 MASS BOOK

Once again this year, we have decided that in order to be safe and avoid having many people in the office all at once, we will not be opening up the new Mass Book as we usually do on a Sunday, in person. Instead we ask those who would like Mass Intentions or Memorial Intentions for 2023 to mail in a list of your requests, written CLEARLY—indicating the date and time, and for whom you wish the intention to be (please also include an alternate date/time for each request), along with your payment, a telephone number and an email address.

You may mail your request, to St. Henry Parish Office, 82 West 29th St., Bayonne, NJ 07002, Attention: Jean

Mass Intentions remain at \$10 each Memorials are: Lamp \$10; Bread \$10; Wine \$15

Intentions will be entered into the Mass Book in the order of our receipt of your list and payment. We are not limiting the amount of Masses you may request, but ask that you be considerate of others who will also be making their requests. If your request cannot be filled as you indicate or with the alternate you provide, I will call or email you to arrange an available date.

Once your Masses/Memorials are booked, a confirmation of your 2023 Intentions will be emailed to you. If you do not have email, please include your address with your list so the confirmation can be mailed to you instead.

Beginning February 14th, you may stop by the office for a Mass Card or Mass Intention, Monday through Thursday, 9AM — 3PM; or if you need a Mass Card and cannot come into the office during our regular hours, you can call Jean at the office, 201-436-0857, Ext. 110, to arrange for pickup/payment.

St. Henry's CALENDAR RAFFLE A GREAT SUCCESS!

Ticket sales for our 2022 monthly Calendar Raffle have come to an end. Our second drawing was Tuesday, February 1st (the winner will be announced in next weekend's bulletin, and is also noted on our website home page).

Drawings will continue on the 1st day of each month through December.

We sold a total of <u>261</u> tickets (of 300) enabling our parish to realize a net profit of <u>\$19,320</u> for this very important fundraiser! Thank you so much to all of you who participated! CONGRATULATIONS to the winners so far, and GOOD LUCK to those whose tickets will be drawn in the coming months!