



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.*

March 31, 2019 - FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT

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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)

RCIA (adults): 1st & 2nd Sun. of ea. Month, 1:30 PM

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 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.



Temptation is powerful because it appeals to our human weakness and our desire for power, wealth, control, or personal satisfaction. Evil disguises itself as something good and we are enticed to make a choice. Our will is weakened each time we give in to something for selfish reasons, especially things we do not wish to choose. It is not something we can totally avoid, because temptation is not something we create or sometimes recognize, but rather it comes from evil. But it would be a mistake to think of temptation only in terms of things that are really sinful. Temptation gains its strength by wearing down our will to choose good. If we fail in the small choices, we are all the more likely to fail in the bigger ones.

Herein lies the wisdom of the church in encouraging us to make small sacrifices and to do Lenten penance. In these practices of self-denial, we strengthen our will to choose, our ability to recognize good, and our desire to avoid evil. The balance of power shifts from evil to good, from temptation to resistance. We then overcome evil in the small struggles of daily life and are more attuned to the prompting our conscience to choose good.

Mass Intentions for the Week

- SATURDAY, March 30th**
5:30 PM Alyce Piscopo
- SUNDAY, March 31st**
8:00 AM Mr. & Mrs. K. Draganchuk
10:00 AM Miguel Quintela
12:00 PM Laumenato, Filippo & Salvatore Scibetta
- MONDAY, April 1st**
8:30 AM William Myer
12:05 PM Connie Marino-D'Anna
- TUESDAY, April 2nd**
8:30 AM Anthony Cantale
12:05 PM Patricia Petronick
- WEDNESDAY, April 3rd**
8:30 AM Ann Meadus
12:05 PM Patricia Cleary
- THURSDAY, April 4th**
8:30 AM Ann Meadus
12:05 PM Charles Siwek, Sr.
- FIRST FRIDAY, April 5th**
8:30 AM Raymond Pe
12:05 PM Louise Hoyt
- SATURDAY, April 6th**
8:30 AM Caitlin Lipyanka
5:30 PM Joseph & Stella Jablonski
- SUNDAY, April 7th**
8:00 AM Jimmy Rokicki
10:00 AM Joseph Giannullo
12:00 PM John Rooth

MEMORIALS

SANCTUARY LAMP

Special Intention—Alexandra Kowalski
from her godmother
ALTAR BREAD & ALTAR WINE
In Memory of Patricia & William Tobey
from Laura & Pauline

Pray for...

Please continue to keep in your prayers the sick members, family and friends of our parish: **Cecil Lim, Rich Marchitto, William Rodas, Claire Latwis, Ryan Kuchta, Alexandra Lee Hughes, Marie Harkness, Dawn Eastmead, Lisa Cerbone, Pedro Medina, Chris Dearing, Jay Jablonski, Adam Plan, Jasmine Reyes, Preciosa Merced, Karen Mengo, James Leung, Mary Phillips-Borzelli, Joanie Robin, Kimberly Allen, Alessandra Spagnolo, Antoinette Lamberti, Claire Poli, John J. Borzelli, George Glom, Kara Sullivan, Gary DeCarlo, Michael Sheehan, Irene Bock Fisher, Bill Thomas**

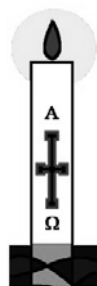
READINGS FOR THE WEEK....

Monday: Is 65:17-21; Ps 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11-12a, 13b; Jn 4:43-54
Tuesday: Ez 47:1-9, 12; Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9; Jn 5:1-16
Wednesday: Is 49:8-15; Ps 145:8-9, 13cd-14, 17-18; Jn 5:17-30
Thursday: Ex 32:7-14; Ps 106:19-20, 21-22, 23; Jn 5:31-47
Friday: Wis 2:1a, 12-22; Ps 34:17-18, 19-20, 21, 23; Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30
Saturday: Jer 11:18-20; Ps 7:2-3, 9bc-10, 11-12; Jn 7:40-53
Sunday: Is 43:16-21; Ps 126:1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 6; Phil 3:8-14; Jn 8:1-11

MEMORIALIZE

Our 2019 EASTER CANDLE

We extend the opportunity, once again, for someone to memorialize our Easter Candle. If you are interested in donating the Easter Candle in memory of a loved one, kindly call Jean at the Parish Office, 201-436-0857. The Cost of the candle this year is \$300. The opportunity will be given to the first caller. Thank you!



Lenten COMMUNAL PENANCE SERVICE

Monday, April 8th – 7:30 PM at St. Henry Church

Join us this Lenten Season for a Penance opportunity which we offer together with our partner parish, St. Vincent de Paul Church

St. Henry Parish NEWS

This Week...

SATURDAY, March 30th

7:00 PM Couples for Christ

SUNDAY, March 31st

8:45 AM Religious Education classes

11:00 AM Rosary Society meeting

1:00 PM Prayer Shawl Ministry

MONDAY, April 1st

TUESDAY, April 2nd

10:00 AM ESL

6:45 PM Religious Education classes

7:00 PM Choir Rehearsal

7:30 PM Line Dancing

WEDNESDAY, April 3rd

3:45 PM Religious Education classes

5:30 PM Religious Education classes

7:00 PM SJMJ

THURSDAY, April 4th

10:00 Am ESL

6:30 PM ESL

FRIDAY, April 5th

7:00 PM Gatekeepers

7:00 PM SJMJ

SATURDAY, April 6th

9:00 AM Pre-school Playhouse

SUNDAY, April 7th

8:45 AM Religious Education classes

10:30 AM Confirmation classes

1:00 PM Prayer Shawl Ministry

1:30 PM RCIA classes

St. Henry's Prayer Shawl Ministry

St. Henry Prayer Shawl Ministry continues to meet on Sunday afternoons, 1–3 PM, in the Rectory office. If you are interested in our ministry, please stop by with any questions you might have. If you are not able to join us on Sunday afternoons, please consider working on projects at home. We will supply the yarn; you supply the knitting needles or crochet hooks!

Yarn or monetary donations are always gratefully accepted and may be dropped off at the Parish Office, 82 West 29th Street, 9 AM–4 PM, weekdays.

Join Us...

- **TUESDAYS: 7:30 PM, LINE DANCING**, Parish Center. No experience necessary! For more info. call Norma Lardizabal at 201-844-4475.
7:00 PM Parish Choir, Church
- **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.
- **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 Pangilinan**, 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...

For information, class closings, etc., please go to our Facebook page—**St. Henry Religious Education**.

Confirmation classes will be held Sunday, April 7th and April 14th (last class) 10:30–11:55 AM, followed by 12 PM Mass.

RCIA classes: April 7th at 4 PM with sponsors at St. Henry School. April 14th (last class) at 4 PM with sponsors at St. Henry Church (enter 28th St. side glass door).

St. Henry will be hosting the **All Saints Soup Kitchen** for the month of June. Planning meetings will take place on Sunday, March 31st and Sunday, April 28th, following the 12 PM Mass in St. Henry's School (enter through main doors, press buzzer at the right side). For more information, call Marie Pope at 201-339-0319 or 908-612-6674.

A very special thank you to Debbie Lucas-McGady for facilitating our First Eucharist Retreat once again Saturday, March 22nd. The children and their parents/guardians had a wonderful experience as the Last Supper was reenacted by the children. The children also designed their own bread, depicting the host, as it was baked and later held up as the Mass was replicated. A thank you to all the children whose teachable moments turned into three hours of learning about the Eucharist, which they will receive in May. It was a very special day!

A very special thank you to Shena DeMoya and her team for preparing the First Eucharist banners for distribution to the families of our First Eucharist children. The banner will hang on each child's pew, designating that as their family pew. Each family will decorate their banner with items of importance to them. Their last name has been glued to the banner and cut outs of crosses, bread, grapes, chalice, church, etc. were also provided to the families for inclusion on their banners. Also, a special thank you to Aida Lopez, who too was part of the First Eucharist Team, but was unable to help complete the banners as she was ill. Aida, you are in our thoughts and prayers. The First Eucharist team consisted of Isabella and Jocelyn and Lilly De Moya, along with 3 of our Confirmation candidates, Sonia Del Piave Diaz, Tristan Vallo and Francis Manzano. A total of 70 banners were prepared. Again, thanks to all who helped make this very special project "special". All completed banners should be returned ASAP, no later than Sunday, April 28th and Wednesday, May 1st. If you have any questions, call Marie Pope at 201-339-0319 or cell 908-612-6674.

NEXT St. Henry FLEA MARKET
SATURDAY, May 18th, 9 AM–3 PM
For more information, or to rent tables,
call Barbara Silvey at 201-339-0319.

The St. Henry Young Adult Ministry

Meet, chat and mingle with other young adults by sending an email to sthenryyam@gmail.com. Email us to learn more about St. Henry Young Adult Ministry, or to be added to our distribution list, or to become an active member.

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



**GIVE BLOOD
SAVE LIFE**

FEEL GOOD ABOUT YOURSELF...

Donate Blood. NEW JERSEY BLOOD SERVICES hold blood drives in the **PINE ROOM of St. Henry's School**. The next drive will take place **Friday, June 14, 2019, 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. VINCENT DE PAUL will have Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament (Holy Hour) every Wednesday, 7 PM and every First Friday after 8 AM Mass (8:30 AM to 6:30 PM). Confession is available at 6:30 PM followed by 7 PM Holy Eucharist Mass, Exposition and Sacred Heart devotion.

THE BAYONNE PULASKI PARADE MEMORIAL COMMITTEE

is happy to announce that Kamilla Domanski has been selected as the 2019 Bayonne Contingent Marshal of the Tri-State Pulaski Day Parade. All are invited to attend the sashing brunch to be held in Kamilla's honor at the Chandelier Restaurant on **Saturday, April 6th, 11:30 AM**. To purchase tickets call Claire Vodarski at 201-616-8830 or Ann Dworzanski at 201-436-2244.

The WINDMILL ALLIANCE, Bayonne, will hold their Annual Recognition Dinner and Art Auction on **Friday, April 26th, 6 PM** at the Chandelier Restaurant. Pete Amadeo, Jill and Jim Pustorino and the Garden State Episcopal CDC will be honored for their selfless support to the Windmill's mission, which is to serve the developmentally disabled adults in our community. Tickets are \$100 each. All are invited to the celebration! Call 201-858-4460, Ext. 11 for ticket and journal ad opportunities.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL will hold their **Spring Craft and Vendor Event** on **Sunday, April 28th, 9 AM—2 PM**. Handmade crafts, breakfast and baked goods available. Call 201-436-2222 for tables and more information.

ALL SAINTS CATHOLIC ACADEMY & BLESSED MIRIAM TERESA PARISH will hold their **CARNIVAL** on **Tuesday—Saturday, April 30th—May 4th** at 19 West 13th St., Bayonne. Hours are Tuesday—Fri, 7—10 PM; Saturday 4—10 PM. Advance ride tickets available at BMT parish office, 326 Avenue C, 201-437-4090, secretary@bmtparish.org.

BLESSED MIRIAM TERESA PARISH will hold their **Spring Flea Market** on **Saturday, May 11th**, at St. Andrew's School, 126 Broadway, **9AM—3 PM**. Rental: \$25/6' table (non-refundable). Contact BMT office, 201-437-4090.

Parish NEWS continued...

Listening Session

The season of Lent is a time for conversion and growth. It is a time to prepare ourselves to become more like Christ. The current situation in which the Catholic Church finds herself is troubling to comprehend. For most of us, there is a combination of concern for the Church and her future along with anger and confusion about the Church that we love. Deacon Peter Fiori, a staff member of RENEW International, is coming to Bayonne to facilitate a listening session on **Monday, April 1st at 7 PM**. The session will take place in the Andreaton Room at St. Andrew School, which is located at the corner of Broadway and 4th Street. Everyone is invited to join us as we walk together on the pathway of hope and healing.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL PARISH, Bayonne, will celebrate its 125th Anniversary of formation on **Saturday, June 1st**. There will be a Mass, concelebrated by Cardinal Tobin, at 5 PM, followed by a dinner dance in Robinson Hall (church basement). Ticket cost will follow. As part of the celebration, t-shirts will be sold after every Mass at \$15 each. There will be a historical tour of the church on **June 8th**, time to be announced. In addition, there will be a souvenir journal published. Ads may be obtained by emailing t.hansen1@att.net or by calling St. Vincent rectory at 201-436-2222. For more information, call 201-436-2222 between 9 AM and 2 PM weekdays.

PILGRIMAGES with JMJ Travel & Tours International, LLC: For more information call Imee at 551-587-9900; email: imeesjmj@yahoo.com, or Jean at St. Henry Rectory, 201-436-0857.

From the ARCHDIOCESE OF NEWARK...

SUPPORT GROUPS FOR PARENTS GRIEVING THE DEATH OF A CHILD, sponsored by the Office of Family Life Ministries/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 ea. month 7:30 PM; St. Peter the Apostle Church Rectory Basement, 445 Fifth Ave., River Edge, third Monday of ea. month 7:30 PM.

Marriage Anniversary Liturgies—2018

The Archdiocese of Newark will honor those couples in the Archdiocese who will be celebrating **5, 25 or 50 years of Christian marriage** in the year 2019. The Liturgies will be celebrated by Cardinal Joseph Tobin at **3:00 PM** in the Cathedral Basilica of the Sacred Heart in Newark:

Sunday, April 28th - 50 years

Sunday, June 2nd - 5 years & 25 years

Members of St. Henry Parish who wish to participate in this wonderful recognition of the strength and stability of Christian marriage in today's society, are asked to call Jean at the Rectory office to register, 201-436-0857. As there are deadlines for registration, please call ASAP.

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.

Thank You!

Total Collection for the weekend of 3/24/19: \$10,587
consisting of - Church Offering: \$10,119
 (last year, 3/26/18, which was Palm Sunday, the collection was \$10,415)
Electronic Giving: \$465
Children's Collection: \$3

We need \$10,000 each week in order to meet our expenses
Thank you for your continued support and generosity!

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

ST. HENRY FOOD PANTRY located in our Rectory Office, is available **WEDNESDAYS, 9:30 AM to 12:30 PM (ONLY)**.

NOTE: Bring current picture ID. NOTE NEW DATE!

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 is open **Thursdays, April 11th & 25th**, 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. VINCENT'S SOUP KITCHEN will take place on the above Thursdays, 5—6 PM in the Church basement.

ROSARY SOCIETY News...

St. Henry's Rosary Society will meet TODAY, March 31st at 11AM in the parish center, after the 10 AM Mass and recitation of the Rosary. All are invited to pray the rosary with us; all women of the parish are invited to the meeting.

Our **SPRING BAKE SALE** is **Sunday, April 14th**, Palm Sunday, after all the Masses. Volunteers are needed to set up, sell and clean up, as are donations of baked goods and raffle cakes. Monetary donations are also appreciated. Call Roseann at 201-565-5638 to volunteer/donate.

Lenten Holy Hour

Blessed Miriam Teresa Parish will host a Lenten Holy Hour each Wednesday during Lent. The time of prayer will begin at 7 PM at St. Andrew Church. It will consist of a period of Adoration of Blessed Sacrament during which priests will be available for the Sacrament of Reconciliation. The evening concludes with sung Vespers and Benediction. All are welcome to attend.

St. Henry Church

WINDOW RESTORATION COLLECTION

Total Collection (Feb. 9 & 10)	3,712
Previous Total	65,616
Total To Date:	\$69,328

The next monthly collection for the Window Restoration is THIS WEEKEND, April 13th & 14th.

Envelopes are included in your quarterly packet of offering envelopes. Contributions can also be made via Parish Giving, accessed on our website, www.sthenryrc.org; envelopes are also available at the doors of church (make sure to fill in your name and parishioner number if known); or use a plain white envelope marked "Window Restoration" and your name and parishioner number. No other envelope should be used!). We thank you for your generous support of St. Henry Parish.

SPECIAL NOTE: Our bank has advised us that they cannot accept checks for deposit written in any color ink other than blue and black. Also, checks written in pencil will not be accepted. We appreciate your cooperation!

Calling Girls & Boys for Spring Track 2019

The children of St. Henry Parish are again invited to join our parish track team. We will participate in the "Olympic Spirit" Spring Outdoor Track Series for Catholic schools and parishes in Hudson County. Meets are held on Saturdays at the track in Hudson County Park, Bayonne. Practices have begun at the BHS track (above the ice rink) and continue 4/6 & 4/13 (11:15AM for ages 6-7 & 12 Noon for ages 8-above). The series gets underway on Saturday, May 4th, and continues for 7 weeks. Children will compete in races within their age groups, distances varying week to week. More information and questions, call Al Long 201-437-6798.

Lenten Reflection

with Father Roy Regaspi
Saturday, April 13th, 2 -4 PM
at St. Vincent de Paul Church
with light refreshments

Lent—2019 Church of St. Henry

Lenten Prayer

Weekday Morning Prayer—Monday—Saturday, 8:15 AM

Weekday Masses—Monday—Friday, 8:30 & 12:05 PM; Saturday, 8:30 AM

Confession—Saturdays 9 AM to 9:30 PM and 4:30 to 5:15 PM

Stations of the Cross

Fridays, 7 PM—Reflection and prayer in the Church presented by the Gatekeepers. Continues April 5th, & April 12th.

Communal Penance Service

Monday, April 8th at 7:30 PM at St. Henry Church. We join together with our partner parish, St. Vincent de Paul, to offer our parishioners the opportunity to start anew this Lenten Season.

Living Stations of the Cross

Good Friday, April 19th at 7:30 PM, presented by the youth of St. Henry Parish

Almsgiving -Operation Rice bowl: This Lenten discipline asks us to give up one meal a week and contribute the cost of that meal to the Rice Bowl program. Rice Bowl provides food to the hungry throughout the world. Rice Bowls will be available at the doors of the Church, the Religious Education Office and the Rectory Office. Deadline to return rice bowls is two weeks after Easter. Please contact the Religious Education office with any questions, 201-339-0319.