



# 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.*

**May 21, 2017 - Sixth Sunday of Easter**

### **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:*

**Director of Religious Education:** 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](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 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 & 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 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.



The Spirit of God was alive and well in the early church. The early Christians took magnificent risks to practice the faith they knew and loved. Their enthusiasm renewed the people of God. We can benefit from their example as we continue showing our families how to live as "Easter People". One way to show our faithfulness this Easter season is to fortify our prayer life with daily family prayer. Pray with a specific focus, deciding together on something to include in your prayers. Are you thankful for a special blessing or a gift? Perhaps you need God's help with a project or goal. You may pray for a specific individual or for the good of humanity as a whole. Different intentions may occur each day. Call on the Spirit to hear your prayer and to make good on the promise that God will make a home with us.

Prayer time is a wonderful opportunity to ask the saints to intercede with God for us. Combined with our focus on prayer, their help might be just what is needed to stir the power of the Spirit in our lives.

## Mass Intentions for the Week

<b>SATURDAY, May 20th</b>	
5:30 PM	Chester Latwis
<b>SUNDAY, May 21st</b>	
8:00 AM	Nicholas & Yolanda Mugrace
10:00 AM	Lillian & Michael Raccioppi
12:00 PM	Albert Fetchko III
<b>MONDAY, May 22nd</b>	
8:30 AM	Helen Drexler
12:05 PM	Patricia Polera
<b>TUESDAY, May 23rd</b>	
8:30 AM	Joe & Ann Cacciatore
12:05 PM	Catherine Anne Sapara
<b>WEDNESDAY, May 24th</b>	
8:30 AM	Charles Junior (1st Ann.)
12:05 PM	Joan Marino
7:00 PM	People of St. Henry Parish
<b>THURSDAY, May 25th—Feast of the Ascension</b>	
8:30 AM	Loreto Castillo
12:05 PM	Guiseppe Doria
<b>FRIDAY, May 26th</b>	
8:30 AM	Rocco Danzi, Sr.
12:05 PM	Maria Socorro-Lopez
<b>SATURDAY, May 27th</b>	
8:30 AM	Joseph & Antoinette Senatore
5:30 PM	Mary Lombardi
<b>SUNDAY, May 28th</b>	
8:00 AM	Doris & Tom Kerrick
10:00 AM	Bishop Thomas Donato
12:00 PM	Anna & Martin Broderick

**Thursday, May 25th** is the Feast of the Ascension. Traditionally, this is the day that Jesus completed his work on earth and returned to the Father. This is the day that Jesus asked his followers to continue the work of spreading the Gospel for all to hear. As a Holy Day of Obligation, we ask our parishioners to join us for Mass.



Masses will be held: Vigil at 7:00 PM on Wednesday, May 24th; 8:30 AM and 12:05 PM on Thursday, May 25th.

## Pray for...

*Please continue to keep in your prayers the sick members, family and friends of our parish: **Arlene Flores, Georgene Kennedy, Dolores Philips, Debbie Smith, Alessandra Spagnolo, Antoinette Lamberti, Tajmool Ghany, Claire Poli, John J. Borzelli, George Glom, 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)*

## Readings for the Week...

**Monday:** Acts 16:11-15; Ps 149:1b-6a, 9b; Jn 15:26 — 16:4a  
**Tuesday:** Acts 16:22-34; Ps 138:1-3, 7c-8; Jn 16:5-11  
**Wednesday:** Acts 17:15, 22 — 18:1; Ps 148:1-2, 11-14; Jn 16:12-15  
**Thursday:** Acts 1:1-11; Ps 47:2-3, 6-9; Eph 1:17-23; Mt 28:16-20 (Ascension); otherwise Acts 18:1-8; Ps 98:1-4; Jn 16:16-20  
**Friday:** Acts 18:9-18; Ps 47:2-7; Jn 16:20-23  
**Saturday:** Acts 18:23-28; Ps 47:2-3, 8-10; Jn 16:23b-28  
**Sunday:** Acts 1:12-14; Ps 27:1, 4, 7-8; 1 Pt 4:13-16; Jn 17:1-11a; or (Ascension) Acts 1:1-11; Ps 47:2-3, 6-9; Eph 1:17-23; Mt 28:16-20

**St. Henry Church 750 CLUB Raffle**  
will be drawn in the Parish Center  
at **1:30 PM TODAY, May 21st!!**

**LAST CHANCE TO GET YOUR TICKET!**  
TICKETS WILL BE SOLD THIS WEEKEND  
AFTER ALL THE MASSES  
IN THE CHURCH LOBBY

PLEASE SUPPORT OUR PARISH FUNDRAISER.

TICKET SALE AS OF MONDAY, MAY 15TH:

**265 Tickets**                      **Total of \$13,250**  
**LET'S GET THAT TOTAL UP**  
**BEFORE THE DRAWING TODAY!**

## St. Henry Parish NEWS

### This Week... #

#### SATURDAY, May 20th

5:30 PM First Communion  
7:00 PM Private Party

#### SUNDAY, May 21st

8:45 AM Religious Education classes  
12:00 PM First Communion  
1:30 PM 750 Club Raffle Draw

#### MONDAY, May 22nd

6:30 PM Girl Scouts

#### TUESDAY, May 23rd

10:00 AM ESL  
7:00 PM Choir Rehearsal  
7:30 PM Line Dancing

#### WEDNESDAY, May 24th

7:00 PM SJMJ

#### THURSDAY, May 25th—Feast of the Ascension

10:00 AM ESL  
6:30 PM ESL  
7:30 PM Rosary Society City-Wide Presidents mtg.

#### FRIDAY, May 26th

10:30 AM Faith Sharing  
7:00 PM Gatekeepers  
7:00 PM SJMJ

#### SATURDAY, May 27th

7:00 PM Private Party

#### SUNDAY, May 28th

1:00 PM Prayer Shawl Ministry

### St. Henry FLEA MARKET

Next: SATURDAY, June 17th, 9 AM—3 PM

For more information, or to rent tables,  
call Barbara Silvy at 201-339-0319.

### 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...

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all of our parents/guardians for bringing your children to our Religious Education Program this year. TODAY, May 21st is our last day of Religious Education classes.

Registration and re-registration continues through June 30th, Monday to Thursday, 9 AM to 12 Noon and Tuesday evenings 6 PM to 8 PM. For more information, please call me at 201-339-0319.

Today is our final Parish Family Time following the 10 AM Mass. Come make a music video in the Pine Room. Free will offering. Refreshments will be served.

Have a safe, joyful Summer! See you in September. May God continue to bless each and everyone of you as you continue on your faith journey.

Very special thanks to all of our catechists, assistant catechists, adult and youth volunteers, and all who helped make this year's Religious Education Program, Parish Family Times and all of our other activities so awesome and wonderful. God bless each and every one of you as you continue on your faith journey over the Summer!

Reminder: An All Catechists meeting will be held on **Tuesday, June 6th at 7 PM** in the Pine Room. Please make every effort to attend. Food will be served.

Thank you, Marie Pope

We will continue our tradition of **Vacation Bible Camp** as we've done for the past 9 years to be held in the Parish Center. This year we will have 2 weeks:

**July 10—July 14 (9:30 AM to 3:30 PM)**

**August 14—August 18 (9:30 to 3:30 PM) Bayonne**

Registration Fees: 1 child—\$55 per week; 2 children—\$70 per week; 3 or more children—\$95 per week. Registration forms may be picked up in our Religious Education Office. Fees must accompany registration forms. We have eliminated our payment plan. For more information, call Marie Pope

Thank you to God for His Son, Jesus, whom our children received for the first time:

#### Saturday, May 13th, 5:30 PM Mass

Ava Burr	Cody Weisman
Leila Rutkowski	Victoria Wozniak
Jonathan San Pedro	Alexa Yuscavitch
Elysmaria Velarde	

#### Sunday, May 14th, 12:00 PM Mass

Nicholas DeMoya	Clara Koranteng
Arabella Alcantara	Kasey LoPresti
Anica Contreras	Alexander Lupianez
Bernard Dalina	Autumn Miller
Leoben Dalina	McKenzie Ramsey
Loribel Dalina	Ariana Vargas
Alyana Gonzalez	

A big thank you to our catechists for their love, guidance and support: Angel Abrams, Jessica Becker, Lisa Cerbone, Shena DeMoya, Tommy Lake, Aida Lopez, Debbie Lucas-McGady, Nicole Marchitto, Shuli Wang.

## 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, June 9th 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.

### From the ARCHDIOCESE...

**MEMORIAL DAY MASSES** will be held on **Monday, May 29th at 11 AM:**

Holy Cross Cemetery, North Arlington (Cardinal Joseph W. Tobin, main celebrant)

Gate of Heaven Cemetery, East Hanover (Rev. Msgr. Robert Emery, main celebrant)

Maryrest Cemetery, Mahwah (Rev. Msgr. Thomas Nydegger, main celebrant)

St. Gertrude Cemetery, Colonia (Most Rev. Manuel Cruz, main celebrant)

Holy Name Cemetery, Jersey City (Rev. Msgr. Gregory Studerus, main celebrant)

Christ the King Cemetery, Franklin Lakes (Most Rev. John Flesey, main celebrant)

Holy Sepulchre Cemetery, East Orange (Rev. Philip Waters, main celebrant)

**GENNESARET**, a retreat designed to provide a spiritual and temporal oasis for men and women suffering with a life-changing illness, will be held the weekend of **May 19, 20 & 21** at the Archdiocesan Retreat Center, Kearny, NJ. The retreat begins 2:15 PM and ends with closing prayer service on Sunday at 1:30. There is no cost. For more info., call Linda Dapobianco at 732-608-7277.

### 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.

**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 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.

**NEXT SUNDAY, May 28th**, we will welcome the Veterans' organizations of Bayonne who will gather with our parish community to honor the war dead by prayer and ceremony, following the 12 Noon Mass at the flag pole on the lawn. Please plan to join us!

NOTE: There will be ONE Mass on Memorial Day, Monday, May 29th—at 9 AM. Please join us!



### We Are Living Stones Campaign

You recently received an invitation to attend a reception to inaugurate the *We Are Living Stones* Capital Campaign taking place throughout the Archdiocese of Newark. There is one reception left and it will be held on Sunday, June 4th, after the 12:00 PM Mass, in the Parish Center. If you haven't already attended a reception please plan to attend this one. Call the Parish Office at 201-436-0857 or email [sthenryrc@optonline.net](mailto:sthenryrc@optonline.net) to RSVP so that we can prepare for the appropriate number of guests.

We are in a challenging and exciting period in our history as a Catholic community. We have an opportunity to be the living stones that we as Catholics are called to be, and to leave a legacy for the faithful that follow.

### Your EASTER Offering

**As of Sunday, May 14th**, our total Easter Offering is **\$41,863!** 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.

**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.



**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!!

We remind you that St. Henry Parish offers “Enhanced Stewardship through Electronic Funds Transfer”. Electronic Funds Transfer enables you to have your parish contributions automatically debited from your checking account or credit card. We are partnered with Parish Giving to offer this program to all of our parishioners. Parish Giving is simple, secure and convenient. To get started, log on to our website, [www.sthenryrc.org](http://www.sthenryrc.org), click on the Parish Giving logo and follow the easy registration steps.

### 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 Thursdays, June 8th & 22nd, July 13th & 27th (closed the month of August), 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). 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.

### Thank You!

**Our Collection for last weekend, 5/14/27 was: \$7,922**  
 (last year, 5/16 our collection was \$7,884)  
**The Communicating God’s Word collection was \$2,531**  
**Elect. Giving for 5/7 was \$536**  
 (separate from weekend collection)  
**the Children’s Collection was \$24**  
**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 recently at St. Henry Church:

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|----------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| <b>Elise Gagaring Tabucbuc</b>   | <b>Rory Grace Mack</b>         |
| <b>Mykayla Maddisyn Trinidad</b> | <b>Ella Grace Morin</b>        |
| <b>Aiden Joseph Aballo</b>       | <b>Charlotte Grace Musante</b> |
| <b>Liam Stephen Buzinkai</b>     | <b>Charleigh Rose McCurnin</b> |
| <b>Patton John Buzinkai</b>      | <b>John Joseph McDonough</b>   |
| <b>Alexander James Koval</b>     | <b>Damian Joshua Padilla</b>   |
| <b>Kyrie James L. Lizaso</b>     | <b>Julianne Axl Torres</b>     |
| <b>Gavin Matthew Marcin</b>      |                                |

**“a time to love...”**

We congratulate and pray God’s blessings for the following couples who were recently married at St. Henry Church:

- Thomas Walsh, Jr. & Francesca Bugliaro**  
**Christopher DeMarinis & Erica Mulleano**  
**Joseph Milone & Christine Mruz**  
**Blake Xenitelis & Stephanie Burger**

**“... 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.