



# 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 31, 2020 - Pentecost Sunday

### 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

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201-935-5727

Trustees: Claire Latwis and Colleen Raccioppi

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 1 - 5, 1st & 2nd year Catch-Up, RCIC & Special  
Needs: Sundays, 8:45 AM - 9:45 AM

Pre-K & Kindergarten classes are held once a month on  
the Third Sunday of each month.

Grades 1 - 5: Wednesdays, 3:45 - 5 PM

Junior High (Gr. 6, 7 & 8): Tuesday evenings, 6:45 - 8 PM

Junior High (Gr. 6, 7 & 8): Wednesdays early evening,  
5:30 - 6:30 PM

Confirmation (Gr. 9): 1st & 2nd Sunday of each month,  
10:30 - 11:55 AM, followed by 12:00 PM Mass (begins October)

RCIA: Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults who would like  
to become Catholic, full members of the Church. Classes are  
held the 1st & 2nd Sunday of each month, 1:30 - 2:30 PM or  
3:00 - 4:00 PM

Call Marie Pope at 201-339-0319 for more information.

### *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.



Fear has a way of imprisoning, away from the outer world, but also from our inner world, taking away our freedom to hope, imagine and dream. But then along comes the risen Lord, arms outstretched, heart wide open, bearing gifts to transform our lives. The first gift is peace, which translates as all good things, physically, mentally and spiritually – all that is needed to be alive inside. This peace is a gift that the world cannot give.

The second gift is a mission: we are sent, as Jesus was sent, by the Father. Where? To the world – to bring life.

The third gift is the Holy Spirit, given for the forgiveness of sins. The Holy Spirit is the gift of the Father and the Son, given to us at baptism, again at Confirmation, and whose gifts are given to the Church and its members for the good of all.

### Mass Intentions for the Week

- SATURDAY, May 30th**
- 5:30 PM Lucy, John & John, Jr. DeSena
- SUNDAY, May 31st**
- 8:00 AM Joseph Castellano
- 10:00 AM Catherine Ceimo
- 12:00 PM Emily Driscoll
- MONDAY, June 1st**
- 8:30 MA Edward Whitney
- 12:05 PM Allan Rickvalsky
- TUESDAY, June 2nd**
- 8:30 AM Francia Kallos
- 12:05 P Monica & Frank Karahuta
- WEDNESDAY, June 3rd**
- 8:30 AM Michael Gomez, Jr.
- 12:05 PM Allan Rickvalsky
- THURSDAY, June 4th**
- 8:30 AM Rev. Thomas Foye & Family
- 12:05 PM William Cleary
- FIRST FRIDAY, June 5th**
- 8:30 AM Bridget Ludlow
- 12:05 PM Hugh Crosson
- SATURDAY, June 6th**
- 8:30 AM Harold Reed
- 5:30 PM Venancia Vea
- SUNDAY, June 7th**
- 8:00 AM William & Winifred Lucas
- 10:00 AM Edward Dugan
- 12:00 PM Adelino Feteira

### Pray for...

*Please continue to keep in your prayers the sick members, family and friends of our parish: Deity Estor, Sierra Smith, Maria Teresa Escototo Balictar, Olivia Blanca Moncion, Regina Rozario Lopez, Florence Vayda, Anna Marie Borzelli, Laurie Riccardi, Fran Dugan, Alekzander Heath, Cecil Lim, Rich Marchitto, William Rodas, Claire Latwis, Ryan Kuchta, Alexandra Lee Hughes, Dawn Eastmead, Lisa Cerbone, Pedro Medina, Jay Jablonski, Adam Plan, Jasmine Reyes, Preciosa Merced, Karen Mengo, James Leung, Mary Phillips-Borzelli, Joanie Robin, Alessandra Spagnolo, Antoinette Lamberti, Claire Poli, John J. Borzelli, George Glom, Kara Sullivan, Gary DeCarlo, Bill Thomas*

### READINGS FOR THE WEEK....

**Monday:** Gn 3:9-15, 20 or Acts 1:12-14; Ps 87:1-2, 3 and 5, 6-7; Jn 19:25-34  
**Tuesday:** 2 Pt 3:12-15a, 17-18; Ps 90:2, 3-4, 10, 14 and 16; Mk 12:13-17  
**Wednesday:** 2 Tm 1:1-3, 6-12; Ps 123:1b-2ab, 2cdef; Mk 12:18-27  
**Thursday:** 2 Tm 2:8-15; Ps 25:4-5ab, 8-9, 10 and 14; Mk 12:28-34  
**Friday:** 2 Tm 3:10-17; Ps 119:157, 160, 161, 165, 166, 168; Mk 12:35-37  
**Saturday:** 2 Tm 4:1-8; Ps 71:8-9, 14-15AB, 16-17, 22; Mk 12:38-44  
**Sunday:** Ex 34:4b-6, 8-9; Dn 3:52, 53, 54, 55, 56; 2 Cor 13:11-13; Jn 3:16-18

### MEMORIALS

### SANCTUARY LAMP

### ALTAR BREAD & ALTAR WINE

In Memory of Bishop Thomas Donato  
from Stephen D'Alessio



As the public celebration of Mass has been suspended until further notice, we are live-streaming via our Facebook page St. Henry RC Church, Masses taking place at St. Thomas Chapel (in the Rectory) or St. Benedict Chapel (in the Church), Monday through Saturday at 12 Noon and Sundays at 10 AM.

You will note that the Mass Intentions for our regular scheduled Masses are still being listed in our bulletin and are being honored by our priests as they celebrate each daily live-streamed Mass.

## St. Henry Parish NEWS

### This Week...

Because of the Corona Virus pandemic, the following have been suspended, until further notice:

- ◆ Religious Education classes
- ◆ Choir Practice
- ◆ Servants of Jesus, Mary & Joseph and The Gatekeepers prayer groups meetings
- ◆ Prayer Shawl Ministry meetings
- ◆ ESL classes
- ◆ Pre-School Playhouse
- ◆ Private Parties

**WE WILL UPDATE AS MORE INFORMATION IS RECEIVED.**

The Parish Office and Religious Education Office are closed until further notice. All Religion classes and activities have been suspended. If necessary, you may call and leave voicemail. Your call will be returned as soon as possible.

**ROSARY SOCIETY News...NOTE:** Due to the Corona Virus pandemic, all upcoming meetings have been suspended until further notice.

### Food Pantry Availability

**ST. HENRY FOOD PANTRY is CLOSED until further notice.**

**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL FOOD PANTRY AND SOUP KITCHEN are CLOSED until further notice.**

### St. Henry Church

#### WINDOW RESTORATION COLLECTION

**Total to Date: \$136,825**

**The next Window Restoration Collection is the week-end of June 20th & 21st.** Envelopes are included in your quarterly packet of offering envelopes, or you may use a plain white envelope with your name and "Window Restoration" marked on it. Mail or drop off your offering to the parish office, or your contribution can be made via Parish Giving, accessed on our website, [www.sthenryrc.org](http://www.sthenryrc.org). We thank you for your generous support of St. Henry Parish.

### Religious Education...

Congratulations to all of our 2020 graduates. Although the official graduation ceremony will not take place, what will take place is the history you have made through the many years of preparing, studying, achieving the memories which no one can take away from you. You will always remember you were the Class of 2020, which in itself will be memorable for many reasons...the renewal of family, the appreciation of learning, the true meaning of friendships, the selflessness of many, many essential workers, the enormous amount of kindness, the need for faith and prayer, and unfortunately the loss of many lives due to this Coronavirus, and most important to be truly thankful if this virus has not touched your lives and that of your families.

Class of 2020, you have graduated to the stage of your life where you will be making a difference, maybe not walking on the stage at your graduation ceremony to receive your diploma, but rather walking onto the "stage of life". Apply what you have learned, experienced and accomplished – in essence continue to be the change you wish to see in the world, due to the changes you have experienced through this pandemic. Class of 2020, the Stage of Life is yours! God bless! - Marie Pope

Please keep our Confirmation Candidates in your prayers, as they would have received the Sacrament of Confirmation on Sunday, May 24th:

Jessica Birtwistle  
George Brattole  
Nadine Cantonjos  
Nicholas Chiaravallotti  
Sarah Dziekan  
Matthew Elder  
Hannah Fernandez  
Mackenzie Finn  
Mathias Florez  
Andres Giron  
Declan Good  
Nichole Haley  
Owen Hundley  
Emma Kearney  
Vance Larwa  
Raffaelina Leone  
Christina Lupo

Draven Mack  
Maksymilian Malak  
Cadence Mulcahy  
Dominic Okonkwo  
Julian Pagan  
Angel Perez  
Douglas Pipher  
Natalie Ramos  
Jacob Rogalski  
Andrew Russo  
Piotr Sakowicz  
Tyler Sapp  
Jacinta Tero  
Rothmond Tero  
Jasmine Tiamson  
Anthony Ward  
Keiron Yap

Let us also acknowledge and pray for the following Confirmation Candidates who attended classes at St. Henry Religious Education but would have received the Sacrament of Confirmation at their own parishes:

Kyler Alcebar (St. Vincent de Paul)  
Thomas Gray (Blessed Miram Teresa)  
Olivia Smith (Blessed Miriam Teresa)

The Holy Spirit will guide you until you officially receive the gifts of Wisdom, Understanding, Counsel, Fortitude, Knowledge, Piety, Fear of God, on your Confirmation day. God bless each of you!

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



**FEEL GOOD ABOUT YOURSELF... Donate Blood.** NEW JERSEY BLOOD SERVICES hold blood drives in the **PINE ROOM of St. Henry's School**. 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.

The **June 5th date has been cancelled** due to the Corona Virus Pandemic. The hope is to be able to have the July 10th and August 7th drives, but these dates are tentative at this point.

### All Saints Catholic Academy...

The school is currently accepting registrations for the 2020-2021 school year. Due to the current circumstances, typical tours of the school cannot be offered. However, virtual tours are posted on the school website, [www.ascabayonne.org](http://www.ascabayonne.org); one is specific to the Pre-Kindergarten program and the other for Kindergarten through Grade 8. If you are interested in registering and would like more information with personal interaction, email principal Sr. Rita Marie Fritzen ([rfritzen@ascabayonne.org](mailto:rfritzen@ascabayonne.org)) and she will coordinate it for you. Sr. Rita may also be reached by telephone, 201-443-8384, Tuesday and Thursdays, 9 AM to 11 AM.

Sr. Rita and the faculty continue to keep all school families in their prayers.

**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.

## ST. HENRY PARISH NEWS - continued

### Corona Virus Pandemic

*Our Church is open for PRIVATE PRAYER as follows: Monday – Saturday, 8 AM to 11 AM and Sunday, 11:30 AM to 1 PM. In addition, CONFESSIONS will be heard on SATURDAYS, 10:30 AM – 11:00 AM. Both myself and Fr. Alfie will be available for Confession, one in the Reconciliation Room and one in St. Benedict Chapel.*

**IMPORTANT: PLEASE WEAR A FACE MASK IN THE CHURCH AT ALL TIMES, AND PRACTICE SOCIAL DISTANCING.**

*We continue to celebrate our daily Masses PRIVATELY and are livestreaming via our Facebook page (St. Henry RC Church) Monday through Saturday at 12 Noon and Sunday at 10:00 AM.*

*We await additional directives from the Archdiocese concerning the beginning of public Mass celebrations in the Church. We will advise as soon as we hear.*

*As I have shared previously, we are grateful for your consistent efforts as we try to keep up with our ongoing expenses. Many of you are sending in your offerings or donating electronically through Parish Giving. If you have not already done so, please consider doing what you can to help.*

*Let us continue to pray for our Lord's guidance as we safely and patiently begin the process of returning to our beloved Church.*  
- Fr. Raul

### From the ARCHDIOCESE OF NEWARK...

**Marriage Anniversary Liturgies—2020 THE ANNIVERSARY LITURGIES THIS YEAR HAVE BEEN CANCELLED DUE TO THE CORONA VIRUS PANDEMIC.**

**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.

**WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER**—With the hustle and bustle of the holidays over, don't you and your spouse deserve a beautiful weekend away together? If you agree then you'll want to attend a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. For more information, visit [www.wvme.org](http://www.wvme.org), or call Mike and Janet Turco, 973-427-7016 or email [mikeandjanetwvme@gmail.com](mailto:mikeandjanetwvme@gmail.com).

**The above is for future information only, as due to the Corona Virus Pandemic, all meetings and activities are suspended until further notice.**

### Thank You!

**Total Collection thru the weekend of 5/24/20: \$1,674**

**Consisting of Mail-In/Drop-Off Offerings: \$882**

**Electronic Giving: \$792**

(last year, 5/2/19, our church offering was \$6,936)

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

*Many of you are mailing your envelopes, dropping off at the Rectory mailbox, or signing up for Parish Giving. THANK YOU! Your support and generosity means everything, especially during these very difficult times.*



*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 Jun Ong**

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.