



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.*

June 2, 2024 The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

RECTORY & PARISH OFFICE

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Served by:

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Served by:

Director of Religious Education: 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*

Mass Schedule

The Lord's Day
Saturday Eve: 5:30 PM
Sunday: 8 AM, 10 AM, 12 PM
Saturdays: 8:30 AM
Weekdays: 12:00PM
Holy Days: (see inside bulletin for Mass times)
National Holidays: 9:00 AM
Parish Access Center: (Hudson County) 201-798-9958

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 is limited. There are no Baptisms during Lent.

Sacrament of Marriage

Please call the Parish Office to make arrangements as soon as possible. The Archdiocesan policy usually requires one year of 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

2023-2024 Program Year

Sundays, 8:30AM-9:45AM: Kindergarten and Grade 5
Sundays, 8:30AM-9:45AM RCIC
Sundays, 8:30AM-9:30AM: Grade 9
Sundays, 4:00PM-5:00PM: Grade 9
Sundays, 7:00PM-8:00PM Grade 9
Wednesdays, 3:45PM-5:00PM: Grade 5
Wednesdays, 6:45PM-8:00PM: Grades 6-8
Grades 1-4 will be enrolled in a digital at-home faith formation program.

Sacrament of the Sick/Homebound

Anointing: Anytime upon request in the home of the sick. Please call the rectory.

St. Henry Parish Office Hours

MONDAY - THURSDAY
9:00 AM - 4:00 PM



Mass Intentions for the Week

SATURDAY, June 1st

- 8:30AM Anne Ferrara
- 5:30PM Rita Trebour

SUNDAY, June 2nd

- 8:00AM Anne Ferrara
- 10:00AM Rosina D. Sildatke (4th ann.)
- 12:00PM Mary & Stanley Cieslak & Sarah Bayers

MONDAY, June 3rd

- 12:00PM Frank Moloney
Rev. Thomas Foye & Family

TUESDAY, June 4th

- 12:00PM Elle, Rita & Balkaren Adjuder & Tajmool Ghany
William Cleary

WEDNESDAY, June 5th

- 12:00PM Ruvee Yao
Sheila Marie Christie

THURSDAY, June 6th

- 12:00PM Cornelius, Catherine & Timothy Cadogan
Venancia Veia

FRIDAY, June 7th

- 12:00PM Patricia Packer
Loretta Brady (2nd ann.)

SATURDAY, June 8th

- 8:30AM Ruvee Yao
- 5:30PM Jake & Kelsey O'Donnell

SUNDAY, June 9th

- 8:00AM Bobby Masangkay
- 10:00AM Roberto Masangkay
- 12:00PM Paul Pope (ann.)

MEMORIALS

SANCTUARY LAMP

ALTAR BREAD & ALTAR WINE

In Memory of Tajmool Ghany, Ellen, Rita & Balkaran Adjuder
From Ferlisha

Thoughts and Reflections: It is truly right and just that we give full recognition, honor, and thanksgiving for what Jesus has given us. It is the Church's true and greatest treasure: the Body and Blood of Christ, "Corpus Christi" in the traditional Latin name of today's feast. This sacrament is Christ himself: body, blood, soul and divinity.

Simply put, it all began when Jesus took real bread and wine and identified Himself with them. With centuries of Church history behind us, concomitant with the development of her doctrine and devotion, more could be said and has been. Saints, male and female, together with popes and theologians have had their say, and we can benefit from them. But the fact remains that we start with the remarkably simple ritual gesture done by a man who was facing death.

It happened by a night two thousand plus years ago in the upper room of a borrowed house in the city of Jerusalem amid that city's most hectic time of year, the annual Passover. It happened in a world lit only by fire. But the greater fire of mutual love between mankind and God has stayed lit, despite the tempest of war and human folly ever since.

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.

PARISH CENTER RENTAL

If you are interested in renting our Parish Center (28th St., behind the Church) for religious related celebrations ONLY as per new Archdiocesan guidelines, please call Nancy at 201-436-0857, Ext. 110, 9AM – 4PM, Monday through Thursday, for availability and more information.

Readings for the week:

- Monday** 2 Pt 1:2-7 Ps 91:1-2, 14-15b, 15c-16 Mk 12:1-12
- 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** Hos 11:1, 3-4, 8c-9 Is 12:2-3, 4, 5-6 Eph 3:8-12, 14-19 Jn 19:31-37
- Saturday** 2 Tm 4:1-8 Ps 71:8-9, 14-15ab, 16-17, 22 Lk 2:41-51
- Sunday** Gen 3:9-15 Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8 2 Cor 4:13-5:1 Mk 3:20-35

St. Henry Parish NEWS



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.

NOTE: For those who use Parish Giving and no longer receive offering envelopes, you can access a list of second collections on our website, www.sthenryrc.org (click on Our Parish at the top of our cover page, then click on Parish Giving on the drop down menu).

Pray for...

Please continue to keep in your prayers the sick members, family and friends of our parish: **Martha Serrano, Liz Noto, Silvio Noto, Chad Perry, Archie Afable, Juan Diaz, Craig Buonomo, Marie Pope, Fran Dugan, Anna Marie Borzelli, Claire Poli and Thomas Cahill.**

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 Nancy 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 – 4PM, or call Nancy if you would like the form mailed to you

A minimum of 3 months membership with St. Henry 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.

Due to the Memorial Day holiday, the offering totals for the week of May 26, 2024 were not known before the early bulletin submission deadline. They will appear in next week's bulletin.



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 died in recent months, especially Blaine Papaccio, 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 Pantry Availability

St. Henry FOOD PANTRY IS OPEN THE FIRST AND THIRD WEDNESDAYS OF EACH MONTH, 10:00AM – 12:00PM ONLY. Proof of Bayonne residency required. One bag per household will be given out. Ring office doorbell – a bag will be brought to you.

Non-perishable food donations are always needed. Your donations may be brought to the Parish Office Monday – Thursday, 9AM – 4PM. Thank you, as always, for your generosity and willingness to help those in need.

St. Vincent Food Pantry is open June 6th & 20th...3 PM- 4 PM ONLY. Location: Rectory Basement (entrance 46th St., ground level, near garage).

2024 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 our ministries and programs need your support.

OUR PARISH GOAL IS \$44,355. The Archdiocese requires us to meet this goal. If we do not, we must contribute the difference between our goal and the actual amount of pledges received. We therefore ask that you prayerfully consider making your gift or pledge to the 2024 Annual Appeal. To date, \$29,711 has been pledged and \$27,641 has been received. Pledge 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.

St. Henry Parish NEWS - continued

Save the Date

Saturday, July 13, 2024

The Feast Day of Saint Henry

Mass at 5:00PM

Celebrants are Cardinal J. Tobin & Bishop G. Studerus

Gala Reception at 7:00PM -The Chandelier

Cost is \$125 per person – includes dinner, beer, wine, soda, DJ & photo booth

Tickets can be purchased at the Parish Office by June 30th. Open seating or paid tables of 10 can be reserved.

Tickets will not be sold at the door.

Come enjoy a night of dancing and sharing with fellow parishioners.



COFFEE for ST. HENRY

Continuing this month, we are asking you to please treat St. Henry Church to a cup of coffee. We will use the proceeds to defray the cost of our Repairs and Maintenance, and hopefully, help shore up our reserves again. “Coffee for St. Henry” envelopes will be by the doors of the church. However much you want to treat St. Henry for, please put the amount inside the envelope. If donating by check, please make it payable to “St. Henry”. You can then drop the envelope in the collection basket. You can do this anytime in the month, and as many times as you wish. At the end each month, we will announce in the bulletin how much we collected, just like the regular collection.

ST. CECELIA FUND St. Henry Church has a proud history of providing excellent sacred music for our Masses and special liturgies. This is financially supported through our parish budget. There are times during the year when we would like to add special music through instrumentalists (brass choir, string quartet, flute, etc.). We also would like to reserve funds to maintain our historic 50 rank pipe organ. We are establishing the St. Cecilia Fund (Patron of Sacred Music) to support these items. You can make a designated contribution of any amount by writing on your check or envelope “FOR ST. CECELIA FUND” and making the check payable to ST. HENRY CHURCH. We encourage you to help support this sacred music effort. The money will be used by the music ministry as the year progresses. You can also indicate your donation is in honor or memory of a named loved one.

ST. HENRY CYO SPRING TRACK 2024



Pictured are the children who raced in the CYO Championship in Rahway, NJ. Pictured from right to left – Madison McCrossen, Jonathan Pawlowski, Jason Moncrief, Denis Wilbeck, Juliana Wilbeck Emily Palomino, Victoria Wilbeck.

All the children ran two races each, well reaching their season’s best times.

Special recognition to Victoria Wilbeck who garnered a 1st (800 Meters) & 2nd (Mile/1600 Meters) place with 2 big Personal Best’s and Emily Palomino with two best times and a strong leadoff leg in the relay event.

Personal best performances by Jonathan Pawlowski, Jason Moncrief, Denis Wilbeck, Madison McCrossen and Juliana Wilbeck in their events.

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



The Knights of Columbus invites men to build their lives on solid ground, to become the spouse, father, and man God created them to be—fulfilled and fully alive. Inspired by Blessed Michael McGivney, St. Joseph, and our four principles—charity, unity, fraternity, and patriotism—our international community of Catholic men comprises more than two million members who wish to grow in faith. Knights support each other and lead our families and parishes through action. Discover your mission at kofc.org/join (Star of the Sea Council 371). For information, call State Membership Chairman, Neal McGarrity (201-223-7967) or [email mcgarritye@aol.com](mailto:mcgarritye@aol.com).

Mother Mary & Saints Pilgrimage to England, Ireland & Scotland. September 16-27, 2024. 12 days—\$4990. Includes RT airfare from Newark, daily breakfasts and dinners, hotel accommodations, professionally guided tours, deluxe motor coach and more. Fr. Abraham Orapangkal, Pastor St. Mathias Parish, Somerset Tour Chaplain. For more information call Juliet Hobson (732) 439-2835 or email: yetjcb@icloud.com

St. Ann's Society is currently taking names for its trip to see "Daniel" at the Sight & Sound Theater on September 24, 2024. For details, call Joanne (201-823-2096) or Rosalie (201-436-9565).

Golden Age senior club is planning a trip to Silver Birches in Hawley, Pennsylvania on October 9, 2024 for their Germanfest. It will be a full day of activities including a strudel making demo, food, music and show. For more information call Colleen at 201-390-6401.

50th Reunion—Bayonne High School Class of 1974

The Bayonne High School Class of 1974 will hold its 50th Reunion on Saturday, October 19th, 2024, at the Newark Liberty International Airport Marriot Hotel. The event will run from 6pm-11pm. Cost is \$180 per person and includes an Italian buffet dinner and dessert, a 4 hour beer and wine open bar, soda, DJ, photo booth, decorations, giveaways and name tags.

A block of rooms has been reserved for those who would like to stay overnight. Room cost is \$139 plus taxes. Parking is free if you are attending the reunion ONLY, but there is a \$10 parking fee if staying overnight.

Tables of 10 may be reserved. Please provide names of tablemates when you send in your payment or as soon thereafter as possible.

Please join us for this milestone reunion that promises to be a night of nostalgia, camaraderie and celebration.

Send in your deposit of \$50 or the full amount of \$180 ASAP. You may pay by check, payable to BHS Class of 1974 50th Reunion and mailed to Roseanne Adams at 19D W. 33rd St, Apr. 2, Bayonne, NJ 07002. If you prefer, you may pay by Zelle to Joe Barbero at 201-745-1172 or by Venmo to Joann (Giannullo) Barbero @ Giovanna-Joann-Barbero.

If you have questions or would like the link for hotel rooms, please contact the Reunion Committee at 1974reunionbhs@gmail.com.

For anyone who is still in touch with any of our classmates, please reach out and encourage them to join us for this milestone reunion.

Those serving on the Reunion Committee are: Joe Barbero, Joann (Giannullo) Barbero, Diane Borkowski, Donna Ward, Fred Creswick, Marilyn Block, Roseann (Pirozzi) Adams, Kathy (Tully) Donovan, Michelle Gaines, Rich (Jake) Jacobson and David Rosenthal.