



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 4, 2023 The Most Holy Trinity

RECTORY & PARISH OFFICE

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Served by:

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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

2022-2023 Program Year

Sundays, 8:45—9:45 AM: Kindergarten, 1st/2nd year RCIC, 1st/2nd year Catch-Up, 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th & 5th Gr.

Wednesdays, 4—5PM: 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th & 5th Gr.

Wednesdays, 7—8PM: 6th, 7th, 8th Gr.

3rd & 4th Sundays, 8:30-9:30 AM or 4-5PM or 7-8PM
Confirmation classes (virtual)

1st & 2nd Sundays, 12:00—1:30 PM— RCIA (for adults, 18 or older who wish to receive the Sacraments)

All classes will remain virtual for the remainder of the religious education calendar year.

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 3rd

8:30AM Christine Fiore (1st Ann.)

5:30PM Marilyn Howland

SUNDAY, June 4th

8:00AM Special Intention – Roberto Manangkay

10:00AM Ellen, Rita, & Balkaran Adjuter & Tajmool Ghany

12:00PM William Cleary

MONDAY, June 5th

12:00PM Rev. Thomas Foye & Family

Loretta Brady

TUESDAY, June 6th

12:00PM Helen Trainor

Venancia Vea

WEDNESDAY, June 7th

12:00PM Loretta Brady (1st Ann.)

Alfano & Doria Families

THURSDAY, June 8th

12:00PM Ruvee Yao

Paul Wanagiel

FRIDAY, June 9th

12:00PM Barbara Benedetto

Virginia Rodriguez

SATURDAY, June 10th

8:30AM Edward Powers

5:30PM Matthew Chiaverini

SUNDAY, June 11th

8:00AM Marilyn Skibbie

10:00AM Paul Pope

12:00PM Special Intention – Bobby Masangkay

MEMORIALS
SANCTUARY LAMP,
ALTAR BREAD & ALTAR WINE
In Memory of Ellen, Rita & Balkaran Adjuter
& Tajmool Ghany
From Ferlisha

Thoughts and Reflections... Can you remember a time when you heard an *a capella* choir sing in perfect harmony? Perhaps you have sung in a choir like that. The many voices blend into one voice, the many parts into unified chords, the many notes into a single song. If we can imagine that harmony for an instant, we might hear an echo of the perfect harmony uniting our one God. The three part harmony in God sings a single song of love. It sings of the merciful, faithful love of the Father who nurtures and protects the weak, beloved human family. It sings of the self giving love of Jesus that liberates us from slavishly repeating our sins. It sings of the unifying love of the Holy Spirit that binds us together in love and unity and peace.

As we imagine that harmonious hymn of praise, we might also hear a summons to live in the harmony that the Holy Spirit empowers in us. Our God's love is so powerful that it resounds in the Christian community and invites the whole world to sing along in the never ending hymn of love.

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, Michele Gamatko, Juan Diaz, Craig Buonomo, Marie Pope, Fran Dugan, Anna Marie Borzelli, and Claire Poli .**

PLEASE NOTE:

2023 **Weekday** Mass Intentions scheduled for 8:30 AM and 12:05PM will continue to be honored together at our 12 PM Mass. (Saturday 8:30 AM, 5:30 PM and Sunday 8AM, 10AM and 12 Noon Masses remain the same as always)

Beginning 2024, Weekday Masses will be scheduled at 12 Noon and we will accept 2 intentions for each Mass.

PARISH CENTER RENTAL

If you are interested in renting our Parish Center (28th St., behind the Church) for a private party, please call Nancy at 201-436-0857, Ext. 110, 9AM – 4PM, Monday through Thursday, for availability and more information.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK...

Monday: Tb 1:3; 2:1a-8; Ps 112:1b-2, 3b-4, 5-6; Mk 12:1-12

Tuesday: Tb 2:9-14; Ps 112:1-2, 7-8, 9; Mk 12:13-17

Wednesday: Tb 3:1-11a, 16-17a; Ps 25:2-3, 4-5ab, 6, 7bc-9; Mk 12:18-27

Thursday: Tb 6:10-11; 7:1bcde, 9-17; 8:4-9a; Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5; Mk 12:28-34

Friday: Tb 11:5-17; Ps 146:1b-2, 6c-7, 8-9a, 9bc-10; Mk 12:35-37

Saturday: Tb 12:1, 5-15, 20; Tb 13:2, 6efgh, 7, 8; Mk 12:38-44

Sunday: Dt 8:2-3, 14b-16a; Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20; 1 Cor 10:16-17; Jn 6:51-58

St. Henry Parish NEWS

The Pilgrim Statue of Our Lady of Fatima to visit

St. Henry Parish.

St. Henry will be hosting the Pilgrim Statue of Our Lady of Fatima on June 8th-June 9th. The following is our schedule of activities:

Thursday, June 8th:

10:00am Arrival of Our Lady

Rosary

Private Prayer and Veneration

12:00pm Mass in honor of Our Blessed Mother

Beginning at 1pm until 5pm, the Rosary will be prayed on the hour followed by Private Prayer and Veneration.

At 6pm, we invite everyone to please join us in our community recitation of the Rosary. This would again be followed by Private Prayer and Veneration.

7:00pm Talk on the Message of Our Lady of Fatima by Mr. Ricardo Casimiro

7:30pm Confessions

Friday, June 9th:

The entire morning is dedicated for Private Prayer and Veneration.

12:00pm Mass in honor of Our Lady

Departure



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,

Epecially William Iadanza, Robert Bubnis and Kathleen Czorniewy 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.

Thank You!

Total Regular Offering — weekend of 5/21/23: \$6097

Consisting of Offering at Masses: \$5287

Electronic Giving: \$810

Ascension Collection: \$1642

Total Regular Offering — weekend of 5/28/23: \$7390

Consisting of Offering at Masses: \$6325

Electronic Giving: \$1065

Thank you for your continued support and generosity!

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 6 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.



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).

St. Henry Parish NEWS – continued

Religious Education...Congratulations and God's blessings to the following children who received Jesus for the first time on May 6th at St. Henry Church:

Emily Boddie	Senya Fernando	Jannay Mateo	Layla Schafer	Kaylee Wade
Cristian Castillo	Joan Gunshefski	Logan Molinowski	Euan Selim	Jordyn Zurawski
Daniel DelRosario	Jake Harpe	James Olanowski	Isabella Sicco	
Kate Eakins	Scarlett Hoffman	Savannah Prater	Nathaniel Silva	
Myla Eakins	Mia Lindquist	Summer Rutkowska	Angela Stephanou	
Trinity Fenlon	Scarlett Rose Miranda	Mark Kristofer Santos	Aiden Stisi	



I would like to thank everyone who helped with our religious education and the Sacraments of First Holy Communion and Confirmation for the 2022/2023 program. In particular I would like to recognize Aida Lopez, 2nd grade catechist, who I unfortunately failed to recognize at our communion practices and on the communion days. I am so sorry, Aida, and I want you to know how much you are appreciated, respected, and highly thought of! Thank you to you, your mother, and your entire family for completing all of the communion banners. You are a staple of our parish community. Thank you for all you do.

Our sincere thanks to all the members of St. Ann's Society of Bayonne who gifted each of our First Eucharist children with a chocolate cross lollipops. God bless all of you for your kindness.

Love & Peace, Marie Pope

ST. CECILIA 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. CECILIA 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.

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.

St. Henry Parish NEWS – continued

2023 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.

OUR PARISH GOAL IS \$46,379. To date \$34,147 has been pledged and \$33,067 has been received. 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 2023 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.

Food Pantry Availability

St. Henry FOOD PANTRY IS OPEN THE FIRST AND THIRD WEDNESDAYS OF EACH MONTH, 9:30AM—12:30 PM ONLY. Ring office doorbell—a bag will be brought to you.

St. Vincent Food Pantry is open June 8 & 22... 3 PM- 4 PM ONLY. Location: 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 Monday—Thursday, 9AM—4PM. Thank you, as always, for your generosity and willingness to help those in need.

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.

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

ASCA NEWS: Our 7th graders will receive their school rings Monday morning at a ceremony celebrated in church. Our Senior Choir, The Angelics, will perform their annual Spring Showcase Tuesday evening at 6:30 in the school gym. All are invited and encouraged to attend an evening of "Music Across the Decades." Admission is \$5 per person. We will celebrate and pay tribute to our 8th graders Wednesday morning at a school-wide assembly. Achievement cords will be awarded, a special slideshow is planned, and then the entire student body will line the hallways and "clap out" our graduating class as they exit the school building for the last time. The graduates' Baccalaureate Mass will be celebrated Friday morning at 10am at Blessed Miriam Teresa Parish at St. Mary's Church. Graduation will follow. Students in grades Pre-K3 through 7 will have no school Friday. Our school website has moved. The new address: www.allsaintsbayonne.org. Classes are filling up for the 2023-2024 school year. Please be sure to submit registration paperwork if you have not done so yet in order to secure your child's spot.

PRO-LIFE MASS

Join us to pray as a pro-life community!

Thursday, June 15th, 7:00PM

Holy Family Church, Nutley

Reception to follow

Presented by the Archdiocese of Newark

Respect Life Office and Pro-Life Commission

In gratitude to the Knights of Columbus and the Order of Malta for their support.

ACI is having a fundraiser Flea Market for St. John Paul II Church on Saturday, June 17th and June 24th from 9:30am to 3:00pm in the parking lot of the church—39 East 22nd Street.

**IMMIGRATION HELP FOR UKRAINIANS:
Contact Gintare Grigaite, Esq. at 201-471-7989.**