

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.

July 2, 2023 Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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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

8:30 AM Saturdays: 12:00PM Weekdays:

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)

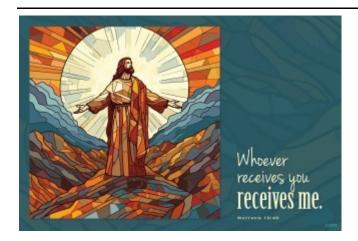
1st & 2nd Sundays, 12:00-1:30 PM-RCIA (for adults, 18 or older who wish to receive the Sacraments)

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, July 1st

8:30AM Lucilo O. Nubla (ann.)

5:30PM Rose Barbero

SUNDAY, July 2nd

8:00AM Thomas & Marie Albi

10:00AM Inocencio Inigo

12:00PM Laura Garces deLeon & Rosina Sildatke

MONDAY, July 3rd

12:00PM James & Marie Harkness

Vito & Cheara Aiello

TUESDAY, July 4th

9:00AM Cornelius, Catherine, & Timothy Cadogan

WEDNESDAY, July 5th

12:00PM Judy Blom

Donald Tomassi

THURSDAY, July 6th

12:00PM Patricia Packer (1st ann.)

Laura Garces de Leon

FRIDAY, July 7th

12:00PM Joseph Levine

Gabe & Elsie Doria

SATURDAY, July 8th

8:30AM John Drew

5:30PM Marilyn Howland

SUNDAY, July 9th

8:00AM Antoinette Mugrace

10:00AM Carlo Barbero

12:00PM Thomas Dolan

MEMORIALS SANCTUARY LAMP, ALTAR BREAD & ALTAR WINE In Memory of Harold Delaney, Jr. From his wife Mary

Please Note:

Mass on Tuesday, July 4th, - *Independence Day* -will take place at 9:00AM. There will be no NOON Mass.

The parish office will also be closed that day.

Thoughts and Reflections...Children are painfully aware of what it feels like to be outsiders, outcasts, or unwelcomed members of a group. Teenagers and adults grapple with acceptance issues. Yet, being accepted carries a price tag. If we want to make the team, we have to practice. If we want friends, we have to be friends. If we want to be part of the family, we have to enter into the spirit of family and adapt and adjust to those around us with love.

We have to decide what to do with God's call. To be comfortable with God's invitation, we might need to do some soul-searching or make some life-changing decisions. The price tag of God's call is living the commandment to love on a day-to-day basis. The benefits of responding to God's call, however, far outweigh the costs. Responding to God's call sets us free.

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: Eph 2:19-22; Ps 117:1bc-2; Jn 20:24-29

Tuesday: Gn 19:15-29; Ps 26:2-3, 9-10, 11-12; Mt 8:23-27 **Wednesday**: Gn 21:5, 8-20a; Ps 34:7-8, 10-11, 12-13; Mt 8:28-34 **Thursday**: Gn 22:1b-19; Ps 115:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9; Mt 9:1-8

Friday: Gn 23:1-4, 19; 24:1-8, 62-67; Ps 106:1b-2, 3-4a, 4b-5; Mt

9:9-13

Saturday: Gn 27:1-5, 15-29; Ps 135:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6; Mt 9:14-17; **Sunday**: Zec 9:9-10; Ps 145:1-2, 8-9, 10-11, 13-14; Rom 8:9, 11-

13; Mt 11:25-30

St. Henry Darish NEWS



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 Kelsey O'Donnell 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 6/25/23: \$6,749

Consisting of Offering at Masses: \$5,904

Electronic Giving: \$845

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.

COFFEE for ST. HENRY



Beginning 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. 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 of the month, we will announce in the bulletin how much we collected for the month, just like the regular collection.



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).

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Tuesday is the 4th of July. This birthday of our nation is also a time for us to pause and give thanks to God for all the gifts that we have received from living in this great nation. Our pride as Americans enriches our pride as Christians. We will cele brate the liberty and justice in life and also celebrate the liberty from sin and the justice of being a people formed in the image of God. May we thank God for our nation and thank our nation by being the best Americans we can be. God Bless America!

The Mass on Tuesday will take place at 9:00AM. The Parish Office will be closed in observance of the holiday.

The Order of the Clerics Regular Minor (Adorno Fathers) will be visiting our parish the weekend of July 8th and 9th. The Adorno Fathers came into existence in the 16th century. They are a religious Order of priests and brothers who profess the vows of Poverty, Chastity, Obedience and Not Seeking Ecclesiastical Dignities, following the example of Jesus Christ, who Himself was poor, chaste, obedient, and humble. Centered on the Holy Eucharist, they desire to sanctify themselves by imitating in their lives, the Paschal Mystery of Christ. They humbly try to live out today, the miracles of faith, hope, and charity inherited from their holy founders. Today they are engaged in carrying out humanitarian works as the source of hope and encouragement to the people afflicted by dire socio-economic conditions who they serve.

The Adorno Fathers serve in parishes where they share their motto, "For the Greater Glory of the Risen Christ" and spirituality with the people of God.

In addition to proclaiming the Gospel and witnessing, they work in social fields such as: adoptions, hospitals and clinics, schools, aqueducts, feeding centers, community building, and churches. They are involved in pastoral activities of the parishes they serve, as well as welcoming and supporting the recovery of addicts and ex-convicts. They are a small community with less that one hundred priests and professed brothers, but with God's grace, inspiration of the Lord Jesus Christ and the Charism of the Holy Spirit, they strive to be efficient and faithful in staying to their task and mission as religious.

There will be a collection at all masses to support the work of the Adorno Fathers.

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 Grand Knight, John Norris (201-436-1492) or State Membership Chairman, Neal McGarrity (201-223-7967) or <a href="mailto:em

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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 July 6th and July 20th 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.

ROSARY SOCIETY NEWS: On Tuesday, July 4th, The Patriotic Rosary will be recited after the 9am mass. Please join us as we pray for our country.

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.

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 \$37,819 has been pledged and \$36,889 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.

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.