

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 18, 2021 - Sixteenth 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

Saturdays: 8:30 AM

Weekdays: (8:30 AM & 12:05 PM)

12 Noon ONLY until further notice

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 will be limited due to the Pandemic. 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

Due to the COVID 19 Pandemic, St. Henry Religious Education classes will be held remotely for the 2020/2021 program year.

New and Re-registration is now CLOSED.

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. Please call the rectory.



A question arises from time to time – “What does God look like?” Without any full scriptural description of Jesus to go by, we only have hints, as in Our Lord’s famous answer to His apostle Philip: “He who sees Me sees the Father”. But we’re not as fortunate as Philip was, even without the details we might yearn to have. Yes, we do have the holy Shroud of Turin, but that at best gives us an idea of what Jesus our God looked like in death, and not in life.

So along come our imaginations, as varied as there are people living on the planet with us. Add in the portraits of great artists. Then we have to factor in the faces of the many actors who have taken on the role of Jesus for movies about Him. We may have a favorite.

The four evangelists who grace our world with their gospels apparently had no interest in this subject, which means that neither did the Holy Spirit who is, after all, their inspiration.

The gospels are mainly interested in being catechetical instruments for their readers to get to know and love Jesus. To acknowledge Him as the “Way, the Truth and the Life”. But every now and then the Holy Spirit lets us deduce certain characteristics of Christ that lead us to picture His face and enhance our devotion. Take the words of St. Mark: “Jesus saw the crowd and His heart was moved with compassion, for they were like sheep without a shepherd”. We can picture a look of concern on His face, and the look of love in His eyes.

There is our belief that we can see Him in the face of others. The people around our dining room table to start. Then on to the faces of our friends old and new. Strangers everywhere.

Mass Intentions for the Week

SATURDAY, July 17th

5:30 PM Elsie Doria

SUNDAY, July 18th

8:00 AM Ruvée Ann Yao

10:00 AM Felipe Senande

12:00 PM Special Intention -

Dean & Irene Largmann

MONDAY, July 19th

8:30 AM Grace Calcaterra

12:05 PM Grace Ward

TUESDAY, July 20th

8:30 AM Carlo Montalbano

12:05 PM Robert Zietek

WEDNESDAY, July 21st

8:30 AM Maria Giannaci

12:05 PM William McLaughlin

THURSDAY, July 22nd

8:30 AM Stabile & Donohue Families

12:05 PM Grace Calcaterra

FRIDAY, July 23rd

8:30 AM Antonio Pineiro

12:05 PM Raymundo Banez Alaguena

SATURDAY, July 24th

8:30 AM Maurice Henriquez, Jr.

5:30 PM Maria Doria (1st Ann.)

SUNDAY, July 25th

8:00 AM Judy Blom

10:00 AM Maria Senande

12:00 PM Toni Pinto

MEMORIALS

SANCTUARY LAMP,

In Memory of Leo & Caroline Francione
from their children, grandchildren
and great-grandchildren

ALTAR BREAD & ALTAR WINE

In Memory of Toni-Lynn Napolitano
from Arlene & Michael Feuer

Weekday Mass Celebrations & Intentions

Our Monday through Friday Mass celebrations are 12 Noon ONLY and Saturday is 8:30 AM. However, we continue to list our regular schedule of weekday Masses (8:30 AM and 12:05 PM) so we can show their intentions, which are currently being honored together at the 12 Noon Mass.

Sunday Masses are regular schedule: 5:30 PM Saturday evening and 8AM, 10AM and 12PM on Sunday.

CONFESSIONS: Saturdays, 9:00AM–9:30 AM & 4:30PM–5:15 PM.

Pray for...

Please continue to keep in your prayers the sick members, family and friends of our parish: Thomas Nordt, Barry Dugan, Fran Dugan, Krisa Oppenheimer, Deity Estor, Sierra Smith, Maria Teresa Escototo Balictar, Olivia Blanca Moncion, Regina Rozario Lopez, Florence Vayda, Anna Marie Borzelli, Alekzander Heath, Cecil Lim, 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: Ex 14:5-18; Ex 15:1bc-2, 3-4, 5-6; Mt 12:38-42

Tuesday: Ex 14:21 — 15:1; Ex 15:8-10, 12, 17; Mt 12:46-50

Wednesday: Ex 16:1-5, 9-15; Ps 78:18-19, 23-24, 25-26, 27-28; Mt 13:1-9

Thursday: Sgs 3:1-4b or 2 Cor 5:14-17; Ps 63:2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9; Jn 20:1-2, 11-18

Friday: Ex 20:1-17; Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11; Mt 13:18-23

Saturday: Ex 24:3-8; Ps 50:1b-2, 5-6, 14-15; Mt 13:24-30

Sunday: 2 Kgs 4:42-44; Ps 145:10-11, 15-16, 17-18; Eph 4:1-6; Jn 6:1-15

St. Henry Parish NEWS

Religious Education

Food Pantry Availability

St. Henry FOOD PANTRY is OPEN WEDNESDAYS, 9:30AM – 12:30 PM ONLY. Masks are required. Participants may come every 2-3 weeks, as necessary. Ring office doorbell – a bag will be brought to you.

St. Vincent Food Pantry will be open Thursdays, July 22nd; (CLOSED THE MONTH OF AUGUST), 3 – 4 PM ONLY.

Location is the 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 during the week. Please call ahead to insure Jean is in the office to accept it – 201-436-0857, Ext. 110.

Thank you, as always for your generosity and willingness to help those in need.

All Saints Catholic Academy NEWS...

ASCA office Summer Hours are Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays, 9AM to 1PM.

Full in-person instruction will be offered for the 2021-2022 school year. If you are a new family, registration forms are available on ASCA's website, www.ascabayonne.org. Any questions, call the school office at 201-443-8384.

Parish Office SUMMER HOURS

Monday – Thursday

9 AM - 4 PM

CLOSED FRIDAYS

Regular hours will resume after Labor Day.



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

Hi All! I know God has a plan for each of us! I'm dealing with some health issues and now I need to find an apartment. If you know of an available 1 bedroom apartment on the first floor, please call me at 908-612-6674. Please keep me in your prayers and I will keep you in mine!

Registration – 2021-2022 Program

In-person registration for the 2021-2022 Religious Education Program will be as follows:

Mondays, 3PM – 5PM

Wednesdays, 3PM – 5PM

Fridays, 10AM – 12PM

Classes are:

Kindergarten – 5th Grade

* includes 1st and 2nd year catch-up & RCIC

Sunday, 8:30AM – 9:45AM

1st – 5th Grades

Wednesday, 3:45PM – 5PM

Junior High (6th, 7th 7 8th Grades

Wednesdays, 6:45PM – 8PM

Confirmation Students

3rd & 4th Sunday of each month, beginning October, 10:30AM – 11:55 PM. Mass attendance at 12 Noon.

All families must be registered at one of the four parishes in Bayonne. However, the child/children may attend any one of the 4 Religious Education programs. Times and days of the week of classes are printed on the registration forms. You may register your family for St. Henry Parish while completing the Religious Education registration form.

Note: Children receiving Sacraments must do so at the parish where the family is registered.

Registration Fees:

\$75/child; \$125 two or more children, until September 1, 2021 – fees then increase to \$100/child and \$150 two or more children.

Sacramental fees:

\$75/child for both the sacraments of Reconciliation and Eucharist

\$100/child for Confirmation

*Sacramental fees do not increase at any time.

Registration and Sacramental fees may be paid by check payable to St. Henry Church, cash (a receipt will be provided) or Money Order. We will not accept online payments.

For additional information, please call (DO NOT EMAIL) Marie Pope at 201-339-0319 or 908-612-6674.

Thank You!

Total Collection thru the weekend of 7/4/21: \$6,088
Consisting of Regular Weekly Offering: \$4,635
 (Last year at this time our Church was closed due to the pandemic)
Electronic Giving: \$1,453

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

Archdiocesan Assessment Collection: \$1,761

Total Collection thru the weekend of 7/11/21: \$7,873
Consisting of Regular Weekly Offering: \$6,460
 (Last year at this time our Church was closed due to the pandemic)
Electronic Giving: \$1,413

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

Archdiocesan Retired Priests Collection: \$1,859

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 Jean 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—3:30 PM, or call Jean if you would like the form mailed to you

Remember that membership with your 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.

2021 Archdiocesan ANNUAL APPEAL

To date, **\$27,267** has been pledged toward our goal of \$50,174. Your donation helps sustain the important ministries across the Archdiocese of Newark. These programs help to make our own parish a more vibrant place of worship.

If you have yet to give, please pick up a pledge form at the back of the church or visit www.rcan.org/sharing. Thank you for your support!

From the Archdiocese of Newark...

The Archdiocese of Newark Respect Life Office will be hosting two upcoming Rachel's Vineyard retreats to heal the wounds from abortion.

Retreat dates are **September 10-12, 2021 (English)** and **October 22-24, 2021 (Spanish)**

Contact the Respect Life Office for more details by calling 973-497-4350 or email cheryl.riley@rcan.org (English) or elvinedoderaquelin@rcan.org (Spanish)

A Note from Bishop Gregory Studerus about HUDSON CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL:

"With my offices established last year on the campus of Hudson Catholic High School, I have come to see and know the quality of, and the dedication to, Catholic education being offered here. To see the renewal and growth of this important Catholic institution impressed me deeply, especially as I witnessed the creativity and professional skill with which the school met the great challenges of the pandemic that affected us all.

Hudson Catholic maintains its important and fundamental identity as a Catholic school, encouraging, and in many cases introducing, our Catholic faith to young people as it forms them with all they need educationally to meet their goals in life.

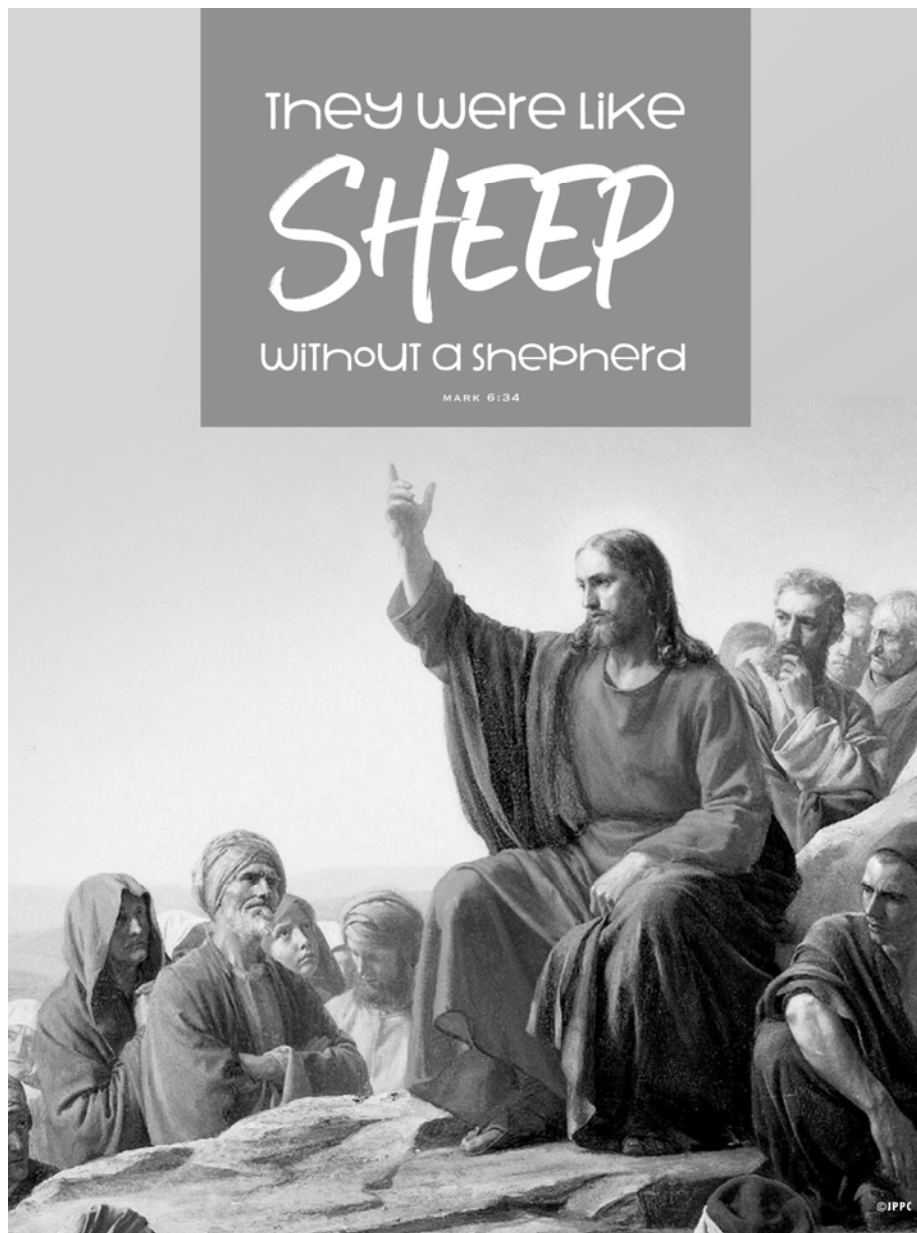
Let me encourage you, as you consider decisions about your children's future, to give serious consideration to our Hudson Catholic High School. Please feel free to contact the high school to learn of the many opportunities the school offers, including through its association with St. Peter's University.

Sincerely yours,

Most Rev. Gregory Studerus

Auxiliary Bishop for Hudson County"

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.



The Little Sisters of the Poor

The Little Sisters of the Poor are committed to preserving the original charism of their Foundress Saint Jeanne Jugan, by giving happiness to the elderly and meeting their needs at this difficult time. This year, the Little Sisters are unable to come to our parish themselves, but their needs are current especially during this present health crisis. Their website, www.littlesistersofthepoortotowa.org can be accessed to providing info as to how to send monetary donations online and also provides their address at which any offerings can be mailed. May their holy patron, St. Joseph, protect you always.