



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.*

August 7, 2022 - Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

RECTORY & PARISH OFFICE

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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

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.

(in person)

3rd & 4th Sundays, 8:30-9:30 AM or 4-5PM or 7-8PM

Confirmation classes (virtual)

("God's Park" Pilot Program for 1st, 2nd & 3rd Gr.:
more information to come.)

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-3:00 PM



“Your cart is empty”. That’s a statement familiar to anyone who shops online these days. The website declaring it is only putting a thin veil over their real purpose, which is to get you and me to buy more. Against that pressure, however, is our will power. If it’s strong, we can say “no”. If it’s weak, well there goes our budget. The difference between the two decisions is prompted by something else, namely “wisdom”.

Jesus of course has incomparable wisdom in His “take” on the subject of possessions. We on the other hand, are not always wise. Like impulsive buying, we pressure ourselves too often in the matter of keeping up with the Jones’. We strive to surpass them with our own shiny pile of “stuff”. Does Our Lord want us to hate ourselves for this foolishness? No! If we start doing that, we’ll never have enough love left over for our neighbor as Jesus’ prime commandment tells us. We’ll never get to appreciate what Jesus loves in us either.

The cure for our fixation on possessions is that the elusive item in our hearts, namely faith. A description of faith is “evidence of things not seen”. In our visual age, we tend to believe only what can be seen. So all that we accumulate could fool us into thinking they are the only reality. Faith says differently. In fact, it asks us to believe that when Jesus speaks of a kingdom not of this world, He is speaking of what He knows.

When you catch yourself worrying too much about your buying power, it might be a good time to pray to God for a restored sense of balance.

Mass Intentions for the Week

SATURDAY, August 6th

5:30 PM Mark Groendyk (6th Ann.)

SUNDAY, August 7th

8:00 AM Edmund Josefowicz

10:00 AM John Drew

12:00 PM Karen O’Hare Mahady

MONDAY, August 8th

12:00 PM Stabile & Gaughan Families

Liz & Paul Carter

TUESDAY, August 9th

12:00 PM Alessandra Spagnolo

Nestor Pangilinan

WEDNESDAY, August 10th

12:00 PM Adele & Frank McLaughlin

Grace Ward

THURSDAY, August 11th

12:00 PM Caroline & Salvatore Caiazzo

Joe Finnerty

FRIDAY, August 12th

12:00 PM Laura Kushnir

Frank Bilotta

SATURDAY, August 13th

8:30 AM Rev. Thomas Foye & Family

5:30 PM Mary Weaver

SUNDAY, August 14th

8:00 AM Ana Alvarez

10:00 AM Frank & Maria Ferrucci

12:00 PM Eleanor O’Donnell

Weekday Mass Celebrations & Intentions

Our Monday through Friday Masses continue to be celebrated at 12PM. Two intentions are honored, one for the 8:30 AM Mass which is not currently being celebrated, and one for the 12:05PM Mass.

Pray for...

Please continue to keep in your prayers the sick members, family and friends of our parish: Juan Diaz, Craig Buonomo, Marie Pope, Barry Dugan, Fran Dugan, Anna Marie Borzelli, Claire Latwis, Lisa Cerbone, Mary Phillips-Borzelli, Claire Poli, John J. Borzelli.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK...

Monday: Ez 1:2-5, 24-28c; Ps 148:1-2, 11-12, 13, 14; Mt 17:22-27

Tuesday: Ez 2:8—3:4; Ps 119:14, 24, 72, 103, 111, 131; Mt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14

Wednesday: 2 Cor 9:6-10; Ps 112:1-2, 5-6, 7-8, 9; Jn 12:24-26

Thursday: Ez 12:1-12; Ps 78:56-57, 58-59, 61-62; Mt 18:21 — 19:1

Friday: Ez 16:1-15, 60, 63 or Ez 16:59-63; Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6; Mt 19:3-12

Saturday: Ez 18:1-10, 13b, 30-32; 16:1-2; Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 18-19; Mt 19:13-15

Sunday: Jer 38:4-6, 8-10; Ps 40:2, 3, 4, 18; Heb 12:1-4; Lk 12:49-53

MEMORIALS

SANCTUARY LAMP

In Memory of Jay Jablonski
from John Marino
ALTAR BREAD & ALTAR WINE
In Memory of Charles Bebel
from Eileen Kmec

**THIS Weekend’s Second Collection
is for the Church in Africa
NEXT Weekend’s Second Collection
is for the Parish Assessment**

St. Henry Parish NEWS

Food Pantry Availability

St. Henry FOOD PANTRY is OPEN WEDNESDAYS, 9:30AM–12:30 PM ONLY. Participants may come every 1–2 weeks as necessary. Ring office doorbell – a bag will be brought to you.

St. Vincent Food Pantry is open August 11 & 25, 3 PM- 4 PM ONLY.

Location is in 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.

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.



SCHOOL SUPPLIES Collection

Beginning this weekend, and through the month of August, we will once again be collecting school supplies for needy

children who are attending Catholic schools in inner-city areas. Some suggestions are: Pencils, glue, rulers, crayons, notebooks, children's backpacks, etc.

Collection boxes will be set up in the church lobby. Your help is very much appreciated!



—SIGN UP FOR ELECTRONIC GIVING—

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).

Religious Education

NEW & RE-REGISTRATION

2022-2023 Program

Registration forms were emailed to all families whose children were registered in our program for the 2021/2022 term. ****New registrants must call the Religious Education Office 201-339-0319 or Marie Pope 908-612-6674 so a registration form may be sent to you via email.**

NOTE: We will only be accepting COMPLETED registration forms and payments from both new and re-registrants as follows, in person,

August 7 (Sunday) - 9AM–12PM

August 8 (Mon.) - NO REGISTRATION

August 9, 10, 11 (Tues/ - Thurs.) - 3PM–5PM

August 13 (Sat.)- NO REGISTRATION

Schedule for the rest of August will be advised.

IMPORTANT: For new registrants, your child's BAPTISM CERTIFICATE must accompany his/her registration form in order for it to be processed.

For all re-registrations, please make sure we have a Baptism Certificate on record for your child. If not, please provide it immediately.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION (RCIA)

RCIA is a program for adults over 18 who would like to receive the Sacraments of Communion and/or Confirmation. If you have not been baptized you will receive all three Sacraments which are called the Sacraments of Initiation.

If interested or if you have any questions, call Marie Pope at 908-612-6674, who will be teaching the class in a remote capacity via Zoom.

Calling All the Youth of Our Parish...

I'm looking for volunteers to help our custodian, Keith, and Mrs. DeMoya in our office.

Helping Keith might include outside and inside assistance throughout the Church facilities. The hours would be between 9AM and 12PM during the week. Office help could include paperwork, dusting, cleaning, etc. and would take place when Mrs.

DeMoya is in the office. I'll advise those hours. If you are interested, and have your parents' approval, call me at 908-612-6674. Leave a voicemail with your name and cell number if I don't answer. Thank you in advance for your consideration!
- Marie Pope

It's almost a year since I was diagnosed with leukemia. It has been a wild ride to say the least. I have just completed my 8th cycle of chemo consisting of injections and pills. I have good days and not so good days. However, more good than not! Thanks to God, the families of St. Henry, my family and friends! I would not be where I am without them. My faith is much stronger because of this journey and I will continue to whisper in the devil's ear "I am the storm!" Please keep sending your prayers to heaven. God bless each of you!
Marie Pope

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

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

SUMMER DELIGHTS TRICKY TRAY

St. John Paul II Parish ROSARY SOCIETY is hosting a Tricky Tray on **Sunday, August 14th, 11AM – 3PM**, at the Chandelier Restaurant. The ticket price is \$45, which includes brunch. To purchase tickets, call Helen Venner at 201-437-0156 or Chris Piscitelli at 201-858-5738.

Come and enjoy a delightful afternoon!

PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND

with Father Alfie

November 25th - December 5th, 2022

\$3,288 per person double occupancy
(with Jordan 2 nights - \$3,588)

For further information call:
Imee Macalindong, 551-587-9900,
email imeesjmj@gmail.com
or
Fr. Alfie Pangilinan, 201-201-9937

The ACI Italian Society is hosting a trip to the National Center for Padre Pio, Barto, PA on **Saturday, September 24th**. A bus will leave from St. John Paul II Church, 39 East 22nd St. at exactly 7AM to attend a 10:30 AM Mass followed with a procession. Fee is \$40 (lunch is NOT included). TO reserve your seat or for more information, call Rachel at 201-31 – 6607.

The Archdiocese of Newark RESPECT LIFE

Office will be hosting four upcoming Rachel's Vineyard retreats in 2022 to heal the wounds from abortion.

Sept. 9-11 (English) & October 21-23 (Spanish)
Contact the Respect Life Office for more details by calling 973-497-4350 or email cheryl.riley@rcan.org (English); elvinedoderaquelin@rcan.org (Spanish)

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.

ESL TEACHERS NEEDED

The Bayonne Adult ESL Program (English as a second language), housed at St. Henry's school, is searching for volunteer teachers. You do not have to speak a second language to teach, just an interest to help fellow residents learn English.

The program has morning classes on Tuesday and Thursday, 10AM to 12 Noon and an evening class on Thursday, 6:30 – 8:30 PM. There are two ten-week semesters from October until April. For information, please call Betty Zywicki, 201-344-5691.

St. Henry Parish NEWS – continued

Thank You!

Total Collection thru the weekend of 7/31/22: \$7,057
Consisting of Regular Weekly Offering: \$
Electronic Giving: \$813

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

The Mission Cooperation Collection: \$2,394

Thank you for your continued support and generosity!



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 **Joanne Beckner**,

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.

2022 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 \$41,661. 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 2022 Annual Appeal.

Pledged Total to Date: **\$31,639**

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!

ATTENTION: Eucharistic Ministers

In the near future we hope to begin scheduling Eucharistic Ministers for our weekend Masses as we did in the past.

All Eucharistic Ministers who wish to be included in our scheduling, are asked to call Jean at the Parish Office, 201-436-0857, Ext. 110, with your name, telephone number and Mass preference. Please call as soon as possible.

In the meantime, until we are able to create a schedule, we will continue to have volunteers come up to the altar at each Mass. Thank you!

All Saints Catholic Academy NEWS...

Mr. John Rios, principal, is accepting emails from those interested in applying for openings for teachers' aides in Pre-K3 and Pre-K4. If interested, contact him at johnrios@allsaintscatholicacademy.com or principal@allsaintscatholicacademy.com.

Registrations are still being accepted for the 2022-2023 school year, although there are waiting lists in place for certain grades. Forms are available on the school website, www.ascabayonne.org. If you'd like to schedule a tour, call 201-443-8384, 9AM–1PM, Tuesday through Thursday.

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.

PARISH CENTER RENTAL

If you are interested in renting our Parish Center (28th St., behind the Church) for a private party, please call Jean DiPillo, 201-436-0857, Ext. 110, 9AM–3PM, Monday through Thursday, for availability and more information.



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