

# 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 25, 2019 - Twenty First Sunday in Ordinary Time**

### **RECTORY & PARISH OFFICE**

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#### *Served by:*

**Pastor:**                      **Rev. Raul Gaviola**  
**Parochial Vicar:**        **Rev. Alfie A. Pangilinan**

### **RELIGIOUS EDUCATION OFFICE**

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#### *Served by:*

**Director of Religious Education:**    **Marie Pope**  
**Youth Ministers:**                      **Rev. Alfie Pangilinan**  
                                                          **Marie Pope**

**Director of Music Ministries:**      **Chad Perry**  
                                                          **201-935-5727**

**Trustees:**    **Claire Latwis and Colleen Raccioppi**

**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](http://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**  
**Holy Days: (see inside bulletin for Mass times)**  
**National Holidays: 9:00 AM**

**Parish Access Center:** (Hudson County) 201-798-9958

### **Novenas**

**Miraculous Medal Novena:** Saturdays after 8:30 AM Mass;  
**St. Jude Novena:** Wednesdays after the 8:30 AM and 12:05 PM  
Masses

### **Sacrament of Reconciliation**

**Saturdays 9 - 9:30 AM and 4:30 - 5:15 PM**  
Confessions will be heard any time at the Rectory. Please call  
201-436-0857.

### **Sacrament of Baptism**

First Sunday of each month at 1:30 PM. Call the Parish Office  
to make arrangements. Baptismal Instruction will be sched-  
uled prior to Baptism. 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**

**Grades 1-5, 1st & 2nd year Catch-Up, RCIC & Special  
Needs:** Sundays, 8:45 AM-9:45 AM

**Pre-K & Kindergarten** classes are held once a month on  
the Third Sunday of each month.

**Grades 1-5:** Wednesdays, 3:45-5 PM

**Junior High (Gr. 6, 7 & 8):** Tuesday evenings, 6:45-8 PM

**Junior High (Gr. 6, 7 & 8):** Wednesdays early evening,  
5:30-6:30 PM

**Confirmation (Gr. 9):** 1st & 2nd Sunday of each month,  
10:30-11:55 AM, followed by 12:00 PM Mass (begins October)

**RCIA:** Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults who would like  
to become Catholic, full members of the Church. Classes are  
held the 1st & 2nd Sunday of each month, 1:30-2:30 PM or  
3:00-4:00 PM

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.  
**Communion:** A priest or Eucharistic Minister of the parish  
will bring Communion to those parishioners confined to  
home. Please call the rectory.



A woman hung up the telephone very slowly, saying to her husband, “well, there is good news and there is bad news. The good news is that your mom and dad are coming to the wedding after all, the bad news is that your brother is coming with them”. The woman’s husband and his brother had had a terrible argument a few years ago and had not spoken since.

Have you ever hoped someone would not come to an event you were hosting, or scheduled it when you knew the person wouldn’t be available? Are there people whose presence in the seat next to you at Sunday Mass would make you uncomfortable? Many of us wish that certain people were outside the reach of God’s love. Scripture proclaims that those people have as much right to “recline at the table in the kingdom of God” as

we do—or more. They suggest that if we want the Lord to “open the door for us” we must be willing to open the door to everyone. Perhaps by giving up our self-righteousness our words and actions will tell the Good News of God’s all-inclusive love.

## Mass Intentions for the Week

### SATURDAY, August 24th

5:30 PM Bishop Thomas Donato (4th Ann.)

### SUNDAY, August 25th

8:00 AM Joseph Levine

10:00 AM Bishop Thomas Donato (4th Ann.)

12:00 PM Bishop Thomas Donato (4th Ann.)

### MONDAY, August 26th

8:30 AM Josephine Russell

12:05 PM Elvira & Giuseppe Ciraco

### TUESDAY, August 27th

8:30 AM Sr. Frances Gervase

12:05 PM Joseph & Antoniette Senatore

### WEDNESDAY, August 28th

8:30 AM A. Lago

12:05 PM Frank & Catherine Silvay

### THURSDAY, August 29th

8:30 AM Thomas Kelley

12:05 PM Yvonne Sherkness

### FRIDAY, August 30th

8:30 AM Bianica Cennimo

12:05 PM Special Intention—John D’Alessio

### SATURDAY, August 31st

8:30 AM Christopher Bentley

5:30 PM William Garda

### SUNDAY, September 1st

8:00 AM Ellen Heister

10:00 AM Jack & Frances Soranno

12:00 PM Federico Inigo

## MEMORIALS

### SANCTUARY LAMP

In Memory of Thomas Hourican  
from JoAnn Brady

### ALTAR BREAD & ALTAR WINE

In Memory of Thomas Hourican  
from the Dougherty Family

## Pray for...

Please continue to keep in your prayers the sick members, family and friends of our parish: **Fran Dugan, Alekzander Heath, Cecil Lim, Rich Marchitto, William Rodas, Claire Latwis, Ryan Kuchta, Alexandra Lee Hughes, James & Marie Harkness, Dawn Eastmead, Lisa Cerbone, Pedro Medina, Chris Dearing, 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, Michael Sheehan, Bill Thomas**

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK....

**Monday:** 1 Thes 1:1-5, 8b-10; Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b; Mt 23:13-22

**Tuesday:** 1 Thes 2:1-8; Ps 139:1-3, 4-6; Mt 23:23-26

**Wednesday:** 1 Thes 2:9-13; Ps 139:7-8, 9-10, 11-12ab; Mt 23:27-32

**Thursday:** 1 Thes 3:7-13; Ps 90:3-5a, 12-13, 14 and 17; Mk 6:17-29

**Friday:** 1 Thes 4:1-8; Ps 97:1 and 2b, 5-6, 10, 11-12; Mt 25:1-13

**Saturday:** 1 Thes 4:9-11; Ps 98:1, 7-8, 9; Mt 25:14-30

**Sunday:** Sir 3:17-18, 20, 28-29; Ps 68:4-5, 6-7, 10-11; Heb 12:18-19, 22-24a; Lk 14:1, 7-14



## ST. HENRY PARISH PICNIC

### Sunday, September 15th

12 Noon Mass at the Amphitheater at  
16th Street Park, Bayonne  
followed by our Family

### Barbecue

1PM – 5 PM

Hamburgers, Hot Dogs, Corn,  
Music, Fun Bus, Face Painting



Ticket cost for the BBQ will be \$8 (age 5 and up)

TICKETS WILL BE SOLD AT THE PARISH OFFICE

9AM – 4PM, Monday through Thursday,  
or call Joe Barbero at 201-745-1172.

Proceeds, including the 2nd collection at the 12:00 PM Mass,  
will go the Catholic War Veterans Post 1612

## St. Henry Parish NEWS

### This Week...

#### SATURDAY, August 24th

7:00 PM Private Party

#### SUNDAY, August 25th

1:00 PM Prayer Shawl Ministry

2:00 PM Couples for Christ

#### MONDAY, August 26th

#### TUESDAY, August 27th

#### WEDNESDAY, August 28th

7:00 PM SJMJ

#### THURSDAY, August 29th

#### FRIDAY, August 30th

7:00 PM Gatekeepers

7:00PM SJMJ

#### SATURDAY, August 31st

9:00 AM Flea Market

7:00 PM Private Party

#### SUNDAY, September 1st

1:00 PM Prayer Shawl Ministry

1:30 PM Baptisms

2:00 pm Couples for Christ

### St. Henry's Prayer Shawl Ministry

St. Henry Prayer Shawl Ministry continues to meet on Sunday afternoons, 1–3 PM in the Rectory Conference Room. If you are interested in our ministry, please stop by with any questions you might have. If you are not able to join us on Sunday afternoons, please consider working on projects at home. We will supply the yarn, you supply the knitting needles or crochet hooks.

**NEXT St. Henry FLEA MARKET**  
**SATURDAY, August 17th, 9 AM–3 PM**

For more information, or to rent tables,  
call Barbara Silvay at 201-339-0319.

### PARISH CENTER RENTAL -

If you are interested in renting our Parish Center (28th Street, behind the Church) for private parties, please call Jean DiPillo at 201-436-0857, 9 AM–4 PM, Monday through Friday, for availability and more information.

### Join Us...

- **TUESDAYS: 7:00 PM Parish Choir**, Church
- **WEDNESDAYS: 7:30 PM, Devotion to Our Mother of Perpetual Help**, every Wednesday at 7:30 PM. First Wednesday—Novena Mass @7:30 PM—St. Benedict Chapel.
- **FRIDAYS: 7:30 PM, Gatekeepers Charismatic Prayer Community**, every Friday at 7:30 PM. **First Friday** - Novena and Healing Mass @ 7:30 PM, St. Benedict Chapel.  
**2nd & 3rd Fridays:** Join **Fr. Alfie Pangllinan**, Parochial Vicar of St. Henry Church, in our **BIBLE STUDY GROUP**, as he guides us and helps us explore and discuss the Word of the Lord together.  
**Novena to Señor Santo Nino** every Friday @7:30 PM, St. Henry's Parish Center.
- **SUNDAYS: Prayer Shawl Ministry**, 1–3 PM. In the Rectory.

### Religious Education...

#### ST. HENRY RELIGIOUS EDUCATION HOURS FOR NEW & RE-REGISTRATION – 2019/2020 TERM

Religious Education Office Hours are: Monday – Thursday, 9AM to 12PM; Tuesday Evenings, 6PM to 8PM; Saturday, Aug 24, 10AM to 12PM; Saturday, Sept. 7, 10AM to 1PM; Sunday, Sept. 8, 1PM to 3PM

#### CLASSES BEGIN:

**SUNDAY: September 15th – 8:45AM to 9:45AM**  
Pre-K, Kindergarten, 1st - 5th Grades,  
1st & 2nd year Catch-Up & RCIC &  
Special Needs classes

**TUESDAY: September 17th – 6:45PM to 8:00PM**  
Junior High classes, 6th, 7th & 8th grades

**WEDNESDAY: September 18th – 3:45PM to 5:00PM**  
1st to 5th Grades

Special Needs – 1st Wednesday of ea.  
month, beginning October 2nd

**WEDNESDAY: September 18th – 5:30PM to 6:30PM**  
6th, 7th & 8th Grades

#### Attention:

Letters were mailed home to the families whose children were enrolled in our Religious Education Program for 2018/2019. If your child was enrolled in our program and you did not receive a letter with registration form and September calendar, call Marie Pope at 201-339-0319.

Letters with component selection form and catalog were mailed to all parents/guardians of Tuesday Junior High students where were enrolled for 2018/2019. If your child was enrolled in our program for 2018/2019, and you did not receive a letter, call Marie Pope at 201-339-0319. All new registered Tuesday evening Junior High students for the 2019/2020 program should also have received a letter with pertinent information.

Letters to perspective Confirmation Candidates have been mailed. If your child is entering the 9th Grade in September and has been registered in our Religious Education Program previously, and did not receive a letter, call Marie Pope at 201-339-0319 or cell 908-612-6674.

If you have not completed a 2019/2020 Registration form for your child/children, please contact our Religious Education Office at 201-339-0319. If you have mailed a check or money order without a registration form, you must complete a registration form for each child who will be attending St. Henry's Religious Education Program. If you need blank Registration forms, please stop by our office and pick up a copy or copies. For more information, please call Marie Pope at 201-339-0319.

### Walking With Jesus Campaign

*I am with you always—Matthew 28:20*

Let's walk with Jesus and help those boys and girls in our Parish and community who are in need of SNEAKERS:

Buy a pair of SNEAKERS to donate; donate

"gently used/clean SNEAKERS; or donate a

Gift Card to purchase SNEAKERS

CAMPAIGN BEGINS SUNDAY, SEPT. 15TH through SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 30TH Drop off at St. Henry School or deposit in containers located at the entrance of the Church. For more information, call Marie Pope at 201-339-0319 or cell 908-612-6674

## OTHER HAPPENINGS - In and Around Bayonne & the Archdiocese of Newark



**GIVE BLOOD  
SAVE LIFE**

**FEEL GOOD ABOUT YOURSELF... Donate Blood.** NEW JERSEY BLOOD SERVICES hold blood drives in the **PINE ROOM of St. Henry's School.** The next drive will take place **Friday, November 8, 2019, 1 PM—7 PM.** Questions/schedule an appointment for whole blood or ALYX (automated collection for red cells), call 1-800-933-2566. Appts. encouraged, walk-ins welcome! For platelets, call 1-866-758-5387.

### The Sisters of St. Joseph (ESL) Classes

**REGISTRATION** will take place in the **Bayonne Library** (2nd Fl):

**For MORNING Program**, (10AM to 12PM - September 17 to December 19):

**Wednesday, August 21st, 1PM to 4PM; Monday August 26th, 1PM to 4PM; and Thursday, September 5th, 10AM to 1PM.**

**For EVENING Program**, (6:30PM to 8:30PM - September 19th to December 19th):

**Thursday, August 22nd and Thursday, September 12th, 7:00 to 8:30 PM**

Classes are held at St. Henry School. Everyone has to register, including those who were in our 2018-2019 classes. Bring something that shows your name, address, phone number and country where you were born. You may email Sister Kay at [kayssj@optimum.net](mailto:kayssj@optimum.net), with questions. The school office is closed during the summer, but Sister Kay will get your emails.

### The Sisters of St. Joseph English as a Second Language (ESL) Program

will be starting its seventeenth year in Bayonne on September 17th for the morning classes (10AM—12 Noon) and September 19th for the evening classes (6:30—8:30 PM). The program relies completely on the generosity of volunteers, and we have been blessed all these years. You may have experience in some form of teaching or transferrable skills, or perhaps you would like to assist a teacher. Mostly needed is a desire to help those who want to learn English. Think about it—pray about it. If you would like to join our group of teachers and share in this ministry, please contact Sr. Kay Coll, SSJ by email—[kayssj@optimum.net](mailto:kayssj@optimum.net).

**St. Peter's University Arts on Bergen** presents The Music of Ryan Cayabyab on **Friday, October 4th, 7 PM**, at St. Aedan's Church, the St. Peter's University Church, 800 Bergen Avenue, Jersey City. Tickets are \$50 and \$25 and are available at St. Peter's University Campus Ministry Office. For more information email [universitymusic2saintpeters.edu](mailto:universitymusic2saintpeters.edu) or call 201-433-6800.

**Adult S.E.A.R.C.H. for Christian Maturity** Retreat Weekend for those 25 years of age and older, will take place **October 18-20**. For an application or more information contact Maureen or Victor Badaracco, [mbadara247@gmail.com](mailto:mbadara247@gmail.com). Applications are also available at Blessed Miriam Teresa Demjanovich Rectory, 325 Avenue C, Bayonne.

**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.

**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL CHURCH, Bayonne**, will host "Salute to the Stars of Opera", presented by Sons of Italy, Rev. Dominic J. Del Monte Lodge No. 2560, on **Sunday, October 20th, 3 PM**. Donation is \$20 in advance; \$25 at the door (refreshments to follow downstairs). Tickets may be purchased by contacting Marie 201-858-0520, Elaine 201-339-2904 or Grace 201-823-0293.

**ST. ANN'S SOCIETY** is having their 85th Annual Fund-raiser Luncheon at the Chandelier on **October 20th, 12 Noon**. Tickets are \$35 and are selling fast. Please call Rachel at 201-243-0678.

**ST. JOHN PAUL II PARISH** will sponsor a trip to Lancaster Pennsylvania Sight and Sound, **Saturday, December 7th at 8:30 AM**. Bus will leave from St. John Paul II Church (East 22nd St.). Cost is \$140/person which includes transportation, lunch and the show. To reserve your seat, call Elisabetta 201-858-2069, Rachel 201-310-6607 or Lucia 201-858-8582.

### From the ARCHDIOCESE OF NEWARK...

#### 12th ANNIVERSARY MASS HONORING SAN LORENZO RUIZ & SAN PEDRO CALUNGSOD

The Filipino Apostolate of the Archdiocese of Newark announces the 12th Anniversary Concelebrated Mass honoring San Lorenzo Ruiz and San Pedro Calungsod at the Cathedral Basilica of the Sacred Heart on **Sunday, September 22nd at 3 PM**, with Most Rev. Daniel Patrick Yee Parcon, Bishop of Talibon, Bohol, Philippines as the main celebrant and preacher. Light reception to follow after Mass at the Archdiocesan Center. Contact Jess Tivino if you need a bus ride, 201-906-1803 or email [jtivino@verizon.net](mailto:jtivino@verizon.net).

#### WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER—

Married couples, give your marriage a well-deserved vacation. Plan to go on a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend and come back with a marriage that is refreshed and full of energy! The next weekend in North Jersey will be held on **September 27-29**. Go to [www.wvme.org](http://www.wvme.org) to find other weekend dates and locations. For more information contact Mike and Janet Turco at 973-427-7016 or 609-335-6880, or email [mikeandjanetwvme@gmail.com](mailto:mikeandjanetwvme@gmail.com).

#### SUPPORT GROUPS FOR PARENTS GRIEVING THE DEATH OF A CHILD

sponsored by the Office of Family Life Ministries/Archdiocese of Newark, are led by trained facilitators—parents who have personally experienced the death of a child. Groups meet: St. Thomas the Apostle Church Parish Center, 60 Byrd Ave., Bloomfield, first Wednesday of ea. month 7:30 PM; St. Peter the Apostle Church Rectory Basement, 445 Fifth Ave., River Edge, third Monday of ea. month 7:30 PM.

**SURVIVING DIVORCE: A 3 Day Retreat**, sponsored by the Archdiocese of Newark, will take place Saturday, September 28th, October 26th and November 16th. Each session runs from 9AM to 1PM and are held at OLBS, 28 Roseland Avenue, Roseland. Each day features different presentations which cover topics of shock, denial, anger, grief, guilt, forgiveness and much more. There will be video presentations and small group discussions, as well as testimonies of Catholic men and women who have experienced divorce and who are witness to the healing power of Christ in their lives. The cost of the entire retreat is \$20 and includes the cost of the personal guide book, refreshments and lunch. For more information contact Lauren Tamara, Family Life Ministries at 973-497-4327 or [lauren.tamara@rcan.org](mailto:lauren.tamara@rcan.org).

## Parish NEWS continued...

**FOOD NEEDED!** With more and more people in need coming to us for food, our supply quickly becomes depleted. Your donations of non-perishable foods, would be greatly appreciated: **soups, tomato sauce, peanut butter, box/bag rice, box/can potatoes, cereals, oatmeal, pasta, tuna, other canned, jarred or boxed food items such as fruits, meats, etc.** Food may be left in the boxes in church or brought directly to the parish office. THANK YOU!!

### Food Pantry Availability

**ST. HENRY FOOD PANTRY** located in our Rectory Office, is available **WEDNESDAYS, 9:30 AM to 12:30 PM (ONLY)**. NOTE: Bring current picture ID. NOTE NEW DATE!

As part of our partnership with St. Vincent de Paul Parish, St. Henry Bayonne parishioners who are in need of food may access the Food Pantry at St. Vincent's. The Pantry is open **September 5th & 19th and October 10th & 24th (closed in August)** and is located in the Rectory basement (entrance 46th St. ground level, near garage).

**IMPORTANT:** In order to receive food you must indicate that you are from St. Henry Parish and bring with you current picture I.D. and current proof of residence (utility bill indicating your address in Bayonne). See Mary Ann A. with any questions while you are there.

**ST. VINCENT'S SOUP KITCHEN** will take place on the above Thursdays, 5—6 PM in the Church basement.

### St. Henry Church

#### WINDOW RESTORATION COLLECTION

**Total To Date: 100,913**

**The next monthly collection for the Window Restoration is the weekend of September 21st & 22nd.**

Envelopes are included in your quarterly packet of offering envelopes. Contributions can also be made via Parish Giving, accessed on our website, [www.sthenryrc.org](http://www.sthenryrc.org); envelopes are also available at the doors of church (make sure to fill in your name and parishioner number if known); or use a plain white envelope marked "Window Restoration" and your name and parishioner number. No other envelope should be used!). We thank you for your generous support of St. Henry Parish

### ROSARY SOCIETY News...

St. Henry's Rosary Society will start their new season on **Sunday, September 8th** in the Parish Center, after the 10 AM Mass and recitation of the Rosary. All parishioners are always welcome to pray the Rosary with us. All women of the parish are welcome at the meetings.

### September 11 Annual Interfaith

#### Prayer Service & Candlelight Vigil – 2019

On **Wednesday, September 11th, at 7 PM**, the Bayonne Remembers – September 11 Committee will hold its 18th Annual Interfaith Prayer Service and Candlelight Vigil at the **Teardrop sculpture** at Bayonne's September 11 Memorial at Harbor View Park on the Peninsula at Bayonne Harbor. With scripture readings, prayers, reflections and music, we will remember all those who perished on September 11, 2001, as well as the victims who perished at the first bombing of the World Trade Center in 1993. All are invited to join us. For more information, contact Fr. Joe Barbone at 973-376-3044 or email [jbarbone@aol.com](mailto:jbarbone@aol.com).

### Thank You!

**Total Collection for the weekend of 8/18/2019: \$5,693**  
 consisting of - **Church Offering: \$5,285**  
 (last year, 8/20/18, our church offering was \$6,170)  
**Electronic Giving: \$405**  
**Children's Collection: \$3**

**The Feast of The Assumption Collection: \$2,046**

**The Pastoral Solidarity Fund for the Church**

**in Africa Collection: \$1,464**

**We need \$10,000 each week**

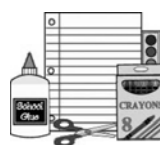
**in order to meet our expenses**

*Thank you for your continued support and generosity!*

### Newark Archdiocesan PILGRIMAGE

The Archdiocese of Newark is sponsoring a one-day pilgrimage to the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception, Washington, DC on **Saturday, October 26th**. The pilgrimage will take place under the leadership of Cardinal Joseph W. Tobin. The feature of the day will be a rosary devotion and a concelebrated Mass in the Basilica of the National Shrine.

A bus that will leave from St. Henry Church at 6:00 AM and return approximately 6:00 PM. Cost is \$45 per person, non-refundable and will include a light snack. As there are only 47 seats available, fully paid reservations will be taken at our parish office on a first come, first serve basis during regular hours, 9 AM to 4 PM, Monday through Thursday. See Jean. Plan now to be part of this archdiocesan act of love and devotion in honor of Mary, the Mother of the Church.



### SCHOOL SUPPLIES COLLECTION

We continue, through September 1st, to collect school supplies for needy children attending Catholic schools in the inner-city areas. Some suggestions: pencils, glue, rulers, folders, crayons, backpacks... Collection boxes are set up in the church lobby. Thank you!

### Ministry of Consolation and Compassion

*Offering Hope to those who Grieve*

*Bereavement Ministry Support Group*

We invite all those who may be grieving from the loss of a loved one to join us. Come, find comfort in the company of others and know you are not alone. This is a safe, confidential place to offer support, peace, hope and understanding in a non-judgmental setting from those who have experienced a similar loss. The meetings will be held at St. Henry Parish Center, **beginning September 9th for 5 weeks. Registration is required**, there is no fee. Call Jean at 201-436-0857

*If you know someone who is grieving a loss, please pass this information on to them.*