



# 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.*

## September 20, 2020 Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

### RECTORY & PARISH OFFICE

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Email: [sthenryrc@optonline.net](mailto:sthenryrc@optonline.net)  
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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)  
12 Noon ONLY until further notice  
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

### *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)  
10:30 AM - 11:00 AM until further notice  
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.



We believe that God never changes. As we pray in the Glory Be, “as it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end.” He is the same God past, present and future. All time and all ages belong to him. He is the origin and source of all life.

However, the church’s understanding of God and our faith experience as a community grows and develops. The church finds herself in different cultures and customs and traditions and languages, each of which lends itself to different ways by which we worship God. Language, art, and music do change and we use them to give praise and worship to God. Things change in church so that we have a better and closer relationship to God.

Some change is more difficult than others, especially when it seems as though we change for the sake of change. People will often lament the great things of the past or feel that something has been lost that was of great value that served us well. Change may not be as complete or as neat as we would like it to be. But as generations before us have done, we do our best to give praise and worship to God using the things of our culture and time, to preach the Gospel and live out our faith.

## Mass Intentions for the Week

<b>SATURDAY, September 19th</b>	
5:30 PM	Edward Bock & Irene Bock
<b>SUNDAY, September 20th</b>	
8:00 AM	John Nicaretta
10:00 AM	Lillian & Anthony Currao
12:00 PM	Patty Savo, Alice & Patrick Maita
<b>MONDAY, September 21st</b>	
8:30 AM	Antonietta Turrisi
12:05 PM	James Harkness
<b>TUESDAY, September 22nd</b>	
8:30 AM	James Harkness
12:05 PM	Anthony Brescia
<b>WEDNESDAY, September 23rd</b>	
8:30 AM	Nicholas Klaich
12:05 PM	Antonio Talao, Jr.
<b>THURSDAY, September 24th</b>	
8:30 AM	Rev. Msgr. Michael J. Mulligan (53rd Ann.)
12:05 PM	Therese & William Foran
<b>FRIDAY, September 25th</b>	
8:30 AM	Dorothy Gagliardo (4th Ann.)
12:05 PM	Amanda Veal
<b>SATURDAY, September 26th</b>	
8:30 AM	George & Helene Minisci
5:30 PM	Andrew Polashock
<b>SUNDAY, September 27th</b>	
8:00 AM	Rev. Thomas Foye & Family
10:00 AM	Manuel Senande
12:00 PM	Anthony, Mark & Angelo Ferrara

**MEMORIALS**  
**SANCTUARY LAMP,**  
**ALTAR BREAD & ALTAR WINE**  
In Memory of Nicholas D’Angelo  
from St. Henry’s Prayer Shawl Ministry

### The PARISH OFFICE is OPEN

**Monday - THURSDAY, 9 AM – 4 PM**

Masks are required; social distancing will be practiced; please do not come in if you have a fever or are ill.

**THE FOOD PANTRY IS OPEN WEDNESDAYS, 9:30 AM TO 12:30 PM. MASKS REQUIRED.**

The Religious Education Office will accept visitors by appointment only. Please call Marie Pope at 201-339-0319, Ext. 115, or 908-612-6674.

## Pray for...

*Please continue to keep in your prayers the sick members, family and friends of our parish:* **Krisa Oppenheimer, Deity Estor, Sierra Smith, Maria Teresa Escototo Balictar, Olivia Blanca Moncion, Regina Rozario Lopez, Florence Vayda, Anna Marie Borzelli, Laurie Riccardi, Fran Dugan, Aleksander Heath, Cecil Lim, Rich Marchitto, William Rodas, 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:** Eph 4:1-7, 11-13; Ps 19:2-3, 4-5; Mt 9:9-13  
**Tuesday:** Prv 21:1-6, 10-13; Ps 119:1, 27, 30, 34, 35, 44; Lk 8:19-21  
**Wednesday:** Prv 30:5-9; Ps 119:29, 72, 89, 101, 104, 163; Lk 9:1-6  
**Thursday:** Eccl 1:2-11; Ps 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14 and 17bc; Lk 9:7-9  
**Friday:** Eccl 3:1-11; Ps 144:1b and 2abc, 3-4; Lk 9:18-22  
**Saturday:** Eccl 11:9—12:8; Ps 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14 and 17; Lk 9:43b-45  
**Sunday:** Ez 18:25-28; Ps 25:4-5, 8-9, 10, 14; Phil 2:1-11 or 2:1-5; Mt 21:28-32

## Weekday Mass Celebrations & Intentions

As you know, our Monday through Friday and Saturday morning Mass celebrations are at 12 Noon ONLY (in order to save on energy costs). You will note, however, that the Mass Intentions for our regular schedule of Masses (8:30 AM and 12:05 PM) are listed in our bulletin. The intentions for 8:30 AM and 12:05 PM are being honored together at the 12 Noon Mass Monday through Friday; the 8:30 AM Saturday morning Mass is honored at 12 Noon that day.

Also, until further notice, Confessions are heard Saturday mornings, 10:30 – 11 AM.

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

## St. Henry Parish NEWS

### Food Pantry Availability

**ST. HENRY FOOD PANTRY WILL BE OPEN  
WEDNESDAYS, 9:30 AM TO 12:30 PM.  
MASKS ARE REQUIRED TO ENTER.  
SOCIAL DISTANCING WILL BE PRACTICED.**

**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL FOOD PANTRY will be open on Thursday, October 1st, 3PM to 4:30 PM only, in the school yard. Masks and social distancing required. Future dates to be determined and will be announced.**

**Non-perishable food donations are 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.**

**Because of the Corona Virus pandemic, the following have been suspended, until further notice:**

- ◆ **Choir Practice**
- ◆ **Servants of Jesus, Mary & Joseph and The Gatekeepers prayer groups meetings**
- ◆ **Prayer Shawl Ministry meetings**
- ◆ **ESL classes**
- ◆ **Private Parties**

**Religious Education classes will be held remotely for Fall 2020. The decision for any changes will be revisited in January, 2021. See more information under the Religious Education heading in this bulletin.**

### 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 and a registration card will be 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.

## Religious Education

### St. Henry Religious Education NEW & REGISTRATION – 2020-2021

New and Re-Registrations will continue Monday, September 21st through Wednesday, September 30th, 3:00 PM to 6:00 PM.

If these days and times are not concurrent with your needs, please call Marie Pope at 201-339-0319. All registrations must be done in person. No registration forms will be mailed home. For more information, call 201-339-0319.

### ASCA News...

ASCA Annual Calendar Raffle has begun. Each \$20 ticket affords you 10 opportunities to win a sizeable cash prize. Tickets may be purchased from school families or by contacting the office at 201-443-8384.

For more information about All Saints Catholic Academy, go to their website, [www.ascabayonne.org](http://www.ascabayonne.org).

Let us pray for each other. Be well and please stay safe.

### America Needs Fatima Rosary Rally

The annual America Needs Fatima Rosary Rally will take place on **Saturday, October 10th at 12 Noon**, in front of the Our Lady of Fatima statue at St. Vincent's Church. Volunteers are needed to recite a decade of the rosary in Spanish, Italian, Polish and Tagalog. The first half of the decade prayers will be in each language, the second half in English.

Please call Roseann at 201-565-5638 to volunteer. Please join us in uniting our prayers with rosary rallies nationwide as we pray for our country.

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



### FEEL GOOD ABOUT YOURSELF...

**Donate Blood.** Questions /schedule an appointment for whole blood or ALYX (automated collection for red cells), call 1-800-933-2566.

**NOTE: We have been notified by Blood Services that at this time, as they now need a much larger space in order to comply with social distancing, they will not be holding blood drives in St. Henry's Pine Room. PLEASE WATCH FOR INFORMATION ABOUT THE POSSIBILITY OF FUTURE DATES HERE AT ST. HENRY'S.**

**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.

### From the ARCHDIOCESE OF NEWARK...

#### **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.

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**WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER**—With the hustle and bustle of the holidays over, don't you and your spouse deserve a beautiful weekend away together? If you agree then you'll want to attend a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. For more information, visit [www.wwme.org](http://www.wwme.org), or call Mike and Janet Turco, 973-427-7016 or email [mikeandjanetwwme@gmail.com](mailto:mikeandjanetwwme@gmail.com).

**The above is for future information only, as due to the Corona Virus Pandemic, all meetings and activities are suspended until further notice.**

## ST. HENRY PARISH NEWS - continued

### St. Henry's MONTHLY CALENDAR RAFFLE 2021

**PRIZE: \$1,000 PER MONTH**  
**Drawn on the 1st of each month,**  
**January, 2021 through December 1, 2021**  
**TICKET COST: \$120 EACH**  
**ONLY 300 TICKETS WILL BE SOLD**  
**You have 12 chances to win**  
**and the winning ticket is re-entered**  
**so you may win multiple times.**

Tickets are on sale at the Parish Office, Monday through Thursday, 9 AM to 4 PM. And for your convenience you may download a ticket request form on our website, [www.sthenryrc.org](http://www.sthenryrc.org) (you may also find it on the last page of our bulletin) and mail it in to the office along with your payment. Upon our receipt of your form and payment, a ticket will be entered into the drawing and your ticket stub will be mailed to you. **Note:** No need to complete a request form if you come in to the office to purchase your ticket.

This year's calendar raffle has been a very successful fundraiser for our parish and if you purchased a ticket you still have three more chances to win!

Your participation is important to the financial health of the parish. As always, we are grateful for all you do to support our Parish of St. Henry!

### Thank You!

**Total Collection thru the weekend of 9/13/20: \$6,455**  
**Consisting of Regular Weekly Offerings: \$5,283**  
**Electronic Giving: \$1,172**  
(last year, 9/16/19, the Regular Weekly Offering was \$5,086)

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

**The Catholic University collection: \$839**

**Many of you are mailing your envelopes, dropping off at the Rectory mailbox, or signing up for Parish Giving.**  
**THANK YOU! Your support and generosity means everything, especially during these very difficult times.**

**NOTE:** It has been brought to our attention that emails have been circulating (specifically, a gmail account) in Fr. Raul's name. These emails are not from Fr. Raul and appear to be some sort of scam. We ask you to delete and do not open these emails. Thanks!

## Guidelines for Sunday Celebration of the Mass - St. Henry Church

St. Henry is now open for Sunday Masses at 5:30 PM Saturday and 8AM, 10AM and 12 Noon Sunday. All Masses, except for the 8 AM, will be livestreamed.

Until we fully reopen, Confessions will continue to be heard on Saturdays at 10:30 AM to 11:00 AM. Both Fr. Raul and Fr. Alfie will be there. Daily Mass, Monday through Saturday will be only at 12 Noon and will be livestreamed.

We are asking those who will attend to please:

1. Check your temperature at home first to insure you do not have a fever. If you are feeling ill, please stay at home.
2. We understand that you have your favorite places in Church, but please occupy the front rows first. This would avoid people walking all over to find available seats.
3. If you see that the Church is already full, you can stay in your cars or in the area and follow the Mass through our livestream on our Facebook page, *St. Henry RC Church*. Come Communion time, you can go inside to receive, or one of the priests or ministers will go out by the main door to give out Communion. Note, however, that no Communion will be given once Mass is over.
4. Wear a mask while in the church.
5. Practice social distancing. Seats are marked by blue tape. Only families who stay in the same house can be seated together.
6. Do not shake hands during the Sign of Peace.
7. For Communion, remain in your seats. The Priest or Minister will come to you to give you Communion. Communion will be received in hand only. The chalice with the Blood of Christ will not be ministered. Anyone who does not wish to receive communion should place their arms across their chest to signify this.
8. We will need 4 Eucharistic Ministers to help with Communion. If you are comfortable coming up, please do so. Use the hand sanitizer, then distribute Communion with a mask on.

**Important Note:** The dispensation from the obligation to attend Sunday Mass, issued by Cardinal Tobin, still continues.

We are grateful that many of you consistently send in your weekly offerings. It greatly helps with our ongoing expenses. If you have not done so, please consider doing what you can to help. You may mail your contributions to or drop off at the parish office. You may also sign up for Parish Giving. Information on this is located on our parish website, [www.sthenryrc.org](http://www.sthenryrc.org), home page, top right.

For whatever inconveniences these guidelines may cause, we apologize in advance and ask for your patience and understanding. We are trying our best to accommodate everyone while keeping them safe.

Let us continue to pray for the Lord's guidance as we patiently and safely begin the process of returning to our beloved Church. May God continue to bless you all and keep you safe.

**If you cannot, or would prefer not to, come in to the office to purchase your ticket, please complete the following form for each purchaser and mail with your payment to St. Henry Parish Office, 82 West 29th St., Bayonne, NJ 07002, Attn: Jean (your ticket will be entered into the drawing and the stub will be mailed to you)**

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### ST. HENRY CHURCH – 2021 CALENDAR RAFFLE Ticket Request Form

**NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_

**ADDRESS:** \_\_\_\_\_

**PHONE NO.:** \_\_\_\_\_ **EMAIL:** \_\_\_\_\_

**NO. OF TICKETS:** \_\_\_\_\_ X \$120/Ticket = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

\*checks to be made payable to St. Henry Church  
SEPARATE REQUEST FORM TO BE COMPLETED FOR EACH PURCHASER (form may be duplicated)