

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.*

October 24, 2021 - Thirtieth 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*

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

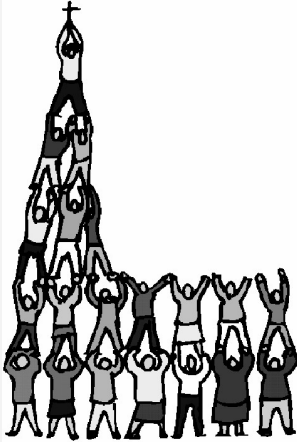
Classes will be VIRTUAL for the 2021-2022 program.
Sundays 8:45–9:45 AM (Gr. K-5, RCIC 1&2, Catch Up 1&2)
Wednesdays 4–5 PM (Gr. 1-5); 7–8 PM (Junior High)
Sundays 9:30–10:30 AM or 7–8 PM (Confirmation)

Sacrament of the Sick/Homebound

Anointing: Anytime upon request in the home of the sick. Please call the rectory.

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



We all have a relationship with God, defined and measured in various ways. At the very least, we can say God is Creator and we are his creation. But to take it to a more personal level, look for patterns in your friendships. How did you and your friends get to be friends? Do you discuss personal topics such as faith? The answers to these questions give you an idea as to how your own relationship with God grows. Communication, spending time together and getting to know each other are essential to forming the bonds of a relationship.

In faith formation, these same things are important. We all come to know God and know about God through prayer, the church community, the Bible, sacraments, the faith witness of others, the saints, and our own backyard discussions. “Cradle Catholics” had the teaching and example of their parents. Those who come to the faith later in life need the example and support of the Church. For everyone, a relationship with God might be summarized in the image of Adam being touched by the finger of God that is painted on the ceiling of the Sistine Chapel. We reach out to God and God reaches back.

Mass Intentions for the Week

SATURDAY, October 23rd

5:30 PM Renee Marinus

SUNDAY, October 24th

8:00 AM Marie & Francis Fitzsimmons

10:00 AM John G. Nicaretta

12:00 PM John Rooth

MONDAY, October 25th

8:30 AM Julia & John Lukaszewski & Family

12:05 PM Special Intention—Maria Sgambellone

TUESDAY, October 26th

8:30 AM Mary Latwis

12:05 PM Kathleen Kelder (Ann.)

WEDNESDAY, October 27th

8:30 AM Reynaldo De Chavez

12:05 PM Richard Sucato

THURSDAY, October 28th

8:30 AM Mary & John Latwis & Family

12:05 PM Reynaldo De Chavez

FRIDAY, October 29th

8:30 AM Theresa Sabeh

12:05 PM William Foran

SATURDAY, October 30th

8:30 AM Eliseo Ramos

5:30 PM Joey Wilchinsky

SUNDAY, October 31st

8:00 AM Judy Blom

10:00 AM Frank & Catherine Silvay

12:00 PM Celestino, Laura & Von Rico Ong

Weekday Mass Celebrations & Intentions

Our Monday through Friday Mass celebrations are 12 Non 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: Steve Gallo, Craig Buonomo, Marie Pope, Barry Dugan, Fran Dugan, Anna Marie Borzelli, Claire Latwis, Lisa Cerbone, Mary Phillips-Borzelli, Claire Poli, John J. Borzelli.

MEMORIALS

SANCTUARY LAMP,
ALTAR BREAD & ALTAR WINE
In Memory of Richard Sucato
from Barbara Peters

READINGS FOR THE WEEK...

Monday: Rom 8:12-17; Ps 68:2, 4, 6-7ab, 20-21; Lk 13:10-17

Tuesday: Rom 8:18-25; Ps 126:1b-2ab, 2cd-3, 4-5, 6; Lk 13:18-21

Wednesday: Rom 8:26-30; Ps 13:4-5, 6; Lk 13:22-30

Thursday: Eph 2:19-22; Ps 19:2-3, 4-5; Lk 6:12-16

Friday: Rom 9:1-5; Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20; Lk 14:1-6

Saturday: Rom 11:1-2a, 11-12, 25-29; Ps 94:12-13a, 14-15, 17-18; Lk 14:1, 7-11

Sunday: Dt 6:2-6; Ps 18:2-3, 3-4, 47, 51; Heb 7:23-28; Mk 12:28b-34

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 Nov. 4th & Nov. 18th, Dec. 2 & Dec. 16 - 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.

Thank You!

Total Collection thru the weekend of 10/17/21: \$7,299
Consisting of Regular Weekly Offering: \$6,221
Electronic Giving: \$1,078

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

Mission Sunday Collection: \$1,791

Thank you for your continued support and generosity!

St. Henry's PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY

I hope all of you have been safe and healthy during this pandemic and keeping busy. I will be in the Parish Office on Friday, November 5th, between the hours of 1PM and 3PM to receive any completed projects you may have. In addition, we will be starting up again on **Sunday, November 14th** in the Parish Office, 1 – 3PM, and hope to see you all there. If you have any questions, please reach out to me, 201-240-5909. Hope to see you soon. Mary Rooth

Thank You!

We received the following note from Sacred Heart School in Jersey City, one of the schools we sent our donation of school supplies to recently:

*"To Everyone at St. Henry's – Thank you! Thank you! Thank you! Your outreach and support are such a blessing. And our heartfelt thanks for remembering the children of Sacred Heart School. Your compassion for our children, understanding of the challenges they face and wonderful generosity are truly touches of God's grace that give us boundless hope!
With much gratitude,
Sr. Frances & the Sacred Heart School Family"*

Religious Education

PLEASE NOTE:

If you need to reach the Religious Education Office, please call 201-339-0319 and leave your name & telephone number with a BRIEF message, and someone will get back to you at their earliest convenience. (Please do not call, text or email Marie Pope with questions)

If you'd like to reach out to Marie by card or note, please send to: Karen Schmitt, 74 Cascades Ave., Howell, NJ 07731.

From Marie Pope:

Hi all of my loves! I miss you all very much. I once again want to thank you for all the prayers, get well messages, gifts, your children's beautiful cards, etc. Words are so inadequate, but I just want you to know how much I appreciate receiving all of them.

Just a little update on my condition. I am in the hospital, released on a Friday and then re-admitted on the following Tuesday. I will receive a bone marrow biopsy this Friday to see if the chemo is working. I have received numerous blood and platelet transfusions. I ask for your continued prayers.

On another note, I so miss being in the office performing my responsibilities. September was 24 years of doing what I love so much – ministering to God's children and my many catechists and volunteers. I ask that you applaud Shena DeMoya, Lisa Cerbone, Matthew Elder, and the other volunteers who were literally thrown into my position to help get our 2021/2022 program up and running. I hope and pray your registration process was positive, and when you see Shena and Lisa that you thank them profusely, because if it were not for them and all they did I don't know what our program would be today.

As I lay in this hospital bed I realize the importance of faith and the support of family and friends. Most importantly – how fragile life is. No one is promised tomorrow. Make every minute count. Love one another as He loves us. Forgive always.

One last thing, please pray for Debbie Lucas-McGady, her husband Frank, her nephews, brother and sister-in-law and other family members. Debbie was a staple of St. Henry Church and our Religious Education program for over 25 years. If your child was taught by Debbie, prepared by her to receive the sacraments, attended the Confirmation retreat and her cancer witness talk, the children's liturgy, tour of the church – the list is endless – you and your child were blessed! Unfortunately I could not attend Debbie's funeral, but in closing, everyone should be a Debbie. Rest in peace, my friend. Thank you for all of your contributions to God's children. Love you and miss you!

- Marie

MASS OF REMEMBRANCE Deceased of November, 2020 - October 2021

We will celebrate a Mass of Remembrance on Sunday, November 7th at 12 Noon, for all those who were buried from St. Henry Parish from November, 2020 through October, 2021. We have extended a personal invitation to the families of the deceased. Please be with us as we celebrate and remember those who have been commended to our God from St. Henry Parish over the past year.

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

ST. ANN'S SOCIETY of Bayonne is planning a fun one-day bus trip to Lancaster, PA on **Wednesday, November 3rd**. The trip includes bus transportation, nice matinee lunch buffet and the live play "Mamma Mia" at the Dutch Apple Dinner Theater. It also includes a raffle ticket and a stop at the nearby Bird in Hand Family Market. Bus departs 7:45 AM from 4th Street and Broadway. The cost is \$130 per person. If interested call Joanne at 201-823-2096 or Rosalie at 201-436-9565.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES of the Archdiocese of Newark will host its **4th Annual Benefit Concert for the Homeless** on Saturday, November 13th, at the Union County Performing Arts Center in Rahway, **featuring Tommy James and the Shondells**.

All proceeds from tickets sales will directly support the agency's homeless programs and services which provide assistance to thousands of individuals and families each year.

Tickets can be purchased directly from UCPAC @ 732-499-8226 or www.ucpac.org. You may also contact Peter Ruccione at Catholic Charities @ 973-818-4060 or pruccione@ccannj.org for more information.

Enjoy a great night of classic 60's music and support a worthy cause.

CATHEDRAL BASILICA 2021/2022 Concert Series has begun. Go to www.newarkbasilica.org/concert-series for more information.

MASS FOR OUR COUNTRY sponsored by the Archdiocese of Newark Office for Evangelization, will take place monthly at **Holy Spirit Church, 970 Suburban Rd., Union, NJ**—Patriotic Rosary at 7PM; Holy Mass at 7:30 PM, on the following dates:

Nov. 4, Dec. 2, Jan. 6,

Feb. 3, March 3, April 7, May 5 & June 2

All are welcome to this opportunity to come together and pray for God's blessings and mercy on our country.

INCLUSIVE FAMILY MASSES (Archdiocese of Newark) are particularly adapted for individuals with disabilities, their families and friends, but people from the larger community are also welcome to attend. Call numbers listed for each church for directions.

- St. John the Evangelist, 29 N. Washington Ave., Bergenfield. Contact Rosemarie Flood 201-384-3601
3:00 PM: 11/7, 12/5, 1/2, 2/6, 3/6, 4/3, 5/1, 6/5
- San Agustin, 3900 New York Ave., Union City
Oficina: 201-863-0233
a las 5:00 PM en Espanol: 11/13, 12/11, 1/8, 2/12, 3/12, 4/9, 5/14
- Church of the Nativity, 315 Prospect St., Midland Park
201-444-6362
9:00 AM: 11/14, 12/24 (5:30 pm), 1/9, 2/13, 3/13, 4/3, 5/8
- St. Therese of Lisieux, 120 Monroe Ave., Creskill
201-567-2528
1:30 PM: 11/21, 12/19, 1/16, 2/20, 3/20, 4/9 (Palm Sunday 5:00pm), 5/15

For more information, call the Pastoral Ministry with Persons with Disabilities of the Archdiocese of Newark at 973-497-4309, or email Anne.Masters@rcan.org.

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.

**St. Henry's Choir
CALLS YOU TO JOIN!**

After being off a year due to COVID rules, the Choir is resuming starting in November. We ask you to seriously consider joining the group. We will be singing at the 10AM Sunday Masses and for special services such as Christmas.

We rehearse in the Church on Tuesday evenings, 7:00 – 8:30 PM. Our first rehearsal is November 2nd.

No previous musical training is necessary, only a love of singing. Do consider participating in this important ministry. It will help beautify our Advent and Christmas seasons at St. Henry.

Any questions, call our Director Chad Perry, 201-935-5727.

**St. Henry's
MONTHLY CALENDAR RAFFLE**
PRIZE: \$1,000 PER MONTH
Drawn on the 1st of each month,
January, 2022 through December, 2022
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 in the Parish Office, Monday through Friday, 9AM to 4PM.

Also, for your convenience, below is a tear-off form which can be completed and mailed in to the office along with your payment. Upon receipt of your form and payment, a ticket will be entered into the drawing and your ticket stub will be mailed to you.

NOTE: There is no need to complete a request form if you come in to the office to purchase a ticket.

Our Calendar Raffle has been a very successful fundraiser for our parish. If you purchased a ticket for our 2021 raffle, you still have TWO 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!

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)

**ST. HENRY CHURCH - 2022 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)