



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.*

November 4, 2018 - Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time



The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed

**Remember our beloved dead, especially those who have died this past year,
November, 2017 - October, 2018
and have been buried from St. Henry Parish**

*Adoracion Louro
Edward Francis Powers
Patrina Ann Watkins
Connie Sackawitch
Marilyn Monaco
Mary Daly
Edna Gass
Helen Marie Sheehan
Catherine DiTommaso
Mary Ransom
Domenica Dolores Gironda
Damian Greiner
Raffaelina Leone
Barbara A. Katulka
Conchetta Pona
John A. Nesnay
George Harold Smith
Diann Corcoran
Arthur C. Colacino
Michael P. O'Brien
Ellen Bonner-Heister
Eugene Giannobile
Carmela Setaro
Dolores Phillips
Isabella Rebecca Perry*

*Patricia Petronick
Julius DeRosa, Jr.
Eleanor McCusker
Michael W. Gunsheski
Mario Antonio Whittaker
Ann Jablonski
Caitlin Sarah Lipyanka
Patricia Ann Cleary
William Myer
Janice Ann Scott
James Iorio
James Howe
Anthony Cantale
Angeline Meadus
Carolyn Jean Cito
Maria O'Neill
Donald W. Byrnes
Maria Cadayona Balandra
Joseph Gorski
Robert Moersdorf
Ruvee Yao
Walter Latko
William Alvarez
Georgianne Falat
John Falat*

*Ronald E. Jablonski
Angel R. Dias
Jean Braikovich
Paulette Picarelli
John J. Delaney, Sr.
Julie Glock
John May
Frank F. Henrich
Carmen Nunez
Mary Rusnak
James Justin Corcia
Rosetta Gallagher
John W. Mahoney, Jr.
John Henry Schmitt
Louis Squitieri
Marisa Mango
John Marino, Jr.
Eugene Danowski
Hugh Boyle
Charles Raia
Giacomo Roda
Harold Sklenar
Helen Wasko*



People are naturally curious about the future and especially what happens after death. Whenever a discussion comes up about life in heaven or Catholic customs regarding burial, there are always questions about belief in ghosts, people coming back to haunt others, etcetera. All this is fueled by some pretty amazing stories about people's experiences with ghosts, or young children seeing deceased relatives that they never met in life, or other unexplainable occurrences dealing with the deceased.

There are many different practices and beliefs about the afterlife. Catholics believe in an afterlife and we also believe we communicate with those who have died, but in a rather unique way. All people, living and deceased, belong to the one body of Christ from whom we cannot be separated. When the church prays or worships or expresses herself, it is the one body that does so. We speak of the communion of saints; we ask the intercession of those who have gone before us; we believe we shall see them again. In life and in death, we belong to Christ as his body, the church. It's not just a vision or a voice

from the grave. It is the hope and promise of eternal life. Faith does not attempt to explain the strange occurrences that are so glorified on television and in the movies. We place our confidence and interest and hope in Jesus.

Mass Intentions for the Week

SATURDAY, November 3rd

5:30 PM Joan Mannion (6th Ann.)

SUNDAY, November 4th

8:00 AM Jose Otero

10:00 AM Adelina & Anthony Ferragine

12:00 PM Hubie Ward

MONDAY, November 5th

8:30 AM Rev. Thomas Foye & Family

12:05 PM Robert Vayda (Ann.)

TUESDAY, November 6th

8:30 AM Jack Sheridan

12:05 PM Lisa Granato

WEDNESDAY, November 7th

8:30 AM William, Matilda, Eddie & Tom Kmec

12:05 PM Special Intention—Mary Ellen Strauser

THURSDAY, November 8th

8:30 AM Vincent Hahn, Thomas Finnegan

& Anne Boden

12:05 PM Harry Searls (7th Ann.)

FRIDAY, November 9th

8:30 AM All Souls

12:05 PM Maria & Vito Polera

SATURDAY, November 10th

8:30 AM Mae E. Cassidy

5:30 PM Joan Marino

SUNDAY, November 11th

8:00 AM Juan Formoso

10:00 AM Gladys & Wayne Ferragine

12:00 PM Philip Gagliardo

MEMORIALS
SANCTUARY LAMP,
ALTAR BREAD & ALTAR WINE
In Memory of Gloria LeFante
from the Terriogo Family

*"The angels surround and help the priest
when he is celebrating Mass"*

- St. Augustine

Pray for...

*Please continue to keep in your prayers the sick members, family and friends of our parish: **Georgene Kennedy, Audrey Venus, Marie Harkness, Dawn Eastmead, Lisa Cerbone, Pedro Medina, Chris Dearing, Jay Jablonski, Adam Plan, Jasmine Reyes, Preciosa Merced, Karen Mengo, Ruth Burke, James Leung, Mary Phillips-Borzelli, Joanie Robin, Kimberly Allen, Alessandra Spagnolo, Antoinette Lamberti, Claire Poli, John J. Borzelli, George Glom, Kara Sullivan, Gary DeCarlo, Michael Sheehan, Irene Bock Fisher, Bill Thomas***

READINGS FOR THE WEEK....

Monday: Phil 2:1-4; Ps 131:1bcde, 2, 3; Lk 14:12-14

Tuesday: Phil 2:5-11; Ps 22:26b-27, 28-30ab, 30e, 31-32; Lc 14:15-24

Wednesday: Phil 2:12-18; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14; Lk 14:25-33

Thursday: Phil 3:3-8a; Ps 105:2-3, 4-5, 6-7; Lk 15:1-10

Friday: Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12; Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9; 1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17; Jn 2:13-22

Saturday: Phil 4:10-19; Ps 112:1b-2, 5-6, 8a and 9; Lk 16:9-15

Sunday: 1 Kgs 17:10-16; Ps 146:7, 8-9, 9-10; Heb 9:24-28; Mk 12:38-44 or Mk 12:41-44

Mass of 
Remembrance

TODAY, November 4th at the 12:00 PM Mass, we will celebrate the Mass of Remembrance for all those of our parish who have died this past year. We have extended a personal invitation to the families of the deceased to join us. Please be with us in prayer and remembrance of those who have been commended to our God. We pray through the mercy of God that they may rest in peace.

For the month of November, an inscription book is set up at the Baptismal Font. Please feel free to list those relatives, friends and special people, who are now deceased.

St. Henry Parish NEWS

This Week...

SATURDAY, November 3rd

SUNDAY, November 4th

12:00 PM	Remembrance Mass
1:00 PM	Prayer Shawl Ministry
1:30 PM	Baptisms
3:00 PM	Private Party

MONDAY, November 5th

TUESDAY, November 6th - Election Day

10:00 AM	ESL
7:00 PM	Choir Rehearsal

WEDNESDAY, November 7th

7:00 PM	SJMJ
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THURSDAY, November 8th

10:00 AM	ESL
6:30 PM	ESL

FRIDAY, November 9th

1:00 PM	Blood Drive
7:00 PM	Gatekeepers
7:00 PM	SJMJ

SATURDAY, November 10th

9:00 AM	Spotlight class
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SUNDAY, November 11th

11:00 AM	Rosary Society meeting
1:00 PM	Prayer Shawl Ministry

NEXT St. Henry FLEA MARKET
SATURDAY, November 17th, 9 AM—3 PM
 For more information, or to rent tables,
 call Barbara Silvey at 201-339-0319.

St. Henry's Prayer Shawl Ministry meets every Sunday from 1—3 PM in the Rectory office. We welcome anyone interested in joining us! Yarn or monetary donations are always gratefully accepted and may be dropped off at the Parish Office, 82 West 29th St., 9 AM—4 PM weekdays.

Join Us...

- **TUESDAYS: 7:30 PM, LINE DANCING**, Parish Center. No experience necessary! For more info. call Norma Lardizabal at 201-844-4475.
- **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 Pangilinan**, 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...

For information, class closings, etc., please go to our Facebook page—**St. Henry Religious Education**.

THERE ARE NO SUNDAY CLASSES, CONFIRMATION CLASSES OR RCIA CLASSES TODAY, NOV. 4TH AND NEXT SUNDAY, NOV. 11TH.

A very special thank you to all who helped with our October Parish Family Time! There will be NO Parish Family Time for NOVEMBER. Please support the Rosarians' Bake Sale on Sunday, November 18th.

The Archdiocesan Youth Discipleship awards this year will be presented to Jericho Oconer and Isabella Alvarez; the Archdiocesan Light of the World award will be presented to Shena DeMoya, who all represent St. Henry Parish. The presentation will be held on Sunday, November 18th, 3 PM at the Cathedral Basilica of the Sacred Heart in Newark. All are welcome to attend. Congratulations and thank you to the recipients.

Our First Reconciliation meeting and selection of First Eucharist date will take place on **Thursday, November 29th at 7 PM** in the Pine Room. There will be no make-up meetings.

Our Annual Halloween celebration was filled with goblins, princesses, witches, skeletons, baby dolls and many more! Over 100 children, families and friends attended. The Pine Room was decorated with the most amazing decorations ever, thanks to Rich Marchitto, his daughter Nicole and Dennis. Thank you so much for the awesome job you did! Special thanks to Jazmine and James Hernandez for the great balloon decorations and the donation of toilet paper which the children used to decorate each other as mummies. Music was provided by our very own Dennis Grau, a Junior High catechist. Special thanks to Rich from N.J. Funky Foto who did an excellent job taking pictures with his photo booth equipment. We really appreciate his responding to us with such short notice and the awesome finished product. Hot dogs with all the dressings were provided by my cousins Keith and Barbara Cole. We also had thirty pizza pies (by Mike's Pizzeria) and trays of salad, cookies beverages. Thanks to Lisa who did the tattoos for the children. As the children departed they were given a Halloween craft "Shine Bright Little Light". Let your light shine. There are too many people to list, who helped in so many ways to enable this Halloween celebration at St. Henry's to be the best ever! Thank you to everyone! You know who you are! God bless!

If you are in need of a Thanksgiving Turkey, please call Marie Pope at 201-339-0319. Leave only your first and last name and a telephone number where you can be reached.

Attention: ST. HENRY LECTORS
Lector Workbooks are available in the Sacristy this weekend. Please pick up your copy (labeled with your name) as soon as possible. Thank you!

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



FEEL GOOD ABOUT YOURSELF...

Donate Blood. NEW JERSEY BLOOD SERVICES hold their blood drives the 2nd Friday of each month in the **PINE ROOM of St. Henry's School**. The next drive will take place **Friday, Nov. 9th, 2018 at 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.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL PARISH Simbang Gabi group will host a dinner dance to support St. Vincent's fundraising on **Saturday, 11/27 Dinner Dance in Robinson Hall**. Tickets, purchased in advance, are \$25. At the door, \$30. Fun begins 6:30 PM and ends 11:30 PM. To purchase your ticket, call 201-436-2222 or mail your check payable to St. Vincent de Paul to 979 Avenue C, Bayonne. On the memo line of your check, write Dinner Dance and include your phone number.

The ST. JOHN PAUL II PARISH Event Committee will hold a Tricky Tray Luncheon on **Saturday, December 1st, 11AM to 3 PM** in the St. John Paul II—Mt. Carmel Parish Center, 39 East 22nd St., Bayonne. For tickets, please contact Mary Szemiot at 201-436-2023

ALL SAINTS CATHOLIC ACADEMY'S 10TH Annual Gala, honoring Richard Rutkowski, Sharon Nadrowski and Alice Miesnik, will be held **Saturday, February 23rd** at Nicotra's Ballroom in Staten Island. Please reach out to ascagala2018@gmail.com if you have any questions.



Interfaith Thanksgiving Service

The entire community of Bayonne is invited to join in worship at the annual Interfaith Thanksgiving Service on **Monday, November 19th at 7 PM**. This year the service will be held at **St. Vincent de Paul Church**, 979 Avenue C, Bayonne. Light refreshments will be served following the service. Worshippers are asked to bring non-perishable food items for distribution to the needy throughout Bayonne.

Parish NEWS continued...

St. Henry's BEREAVEMENT MINISTRY Support Group

As part of the Bereavement Ministry at St. Henry Parish, a support group for those grieving the death of a loved one will be offered. There will be a series of six sessions of information, mutual sharing and support. Our Mission is to serve all people in a holistic care who have experienced the death of a loved one; Our Goal is to offer spiritual support and the healing comfort of God to those who mourn; Our Vision is to offer compassionate Catholic ministry that will assist those people throughout the grief process in a safe environment with others who are traveling the same road. If interested, contact the rectory, 201-436-0857.

ASCA News...

- Delicious Orchards fundraiser ends Monday. Call the school office if you'd like to place an order.
- Keep the 8th grade students in your prayers as they take the HSPT, the Archdiocesan high school entrance exam.
- For more information about registering your child or to schedule a tour, call the office at 201-443-8384.

HOMEOWNERS ASSISTANCE: If you or a loved one are falling behind on your mortgage payments, owe more than your house is worth or are in danger of foreclosure, call or text 201-993-5060 to understand your options and how to get back on your feet. Help is offered, free of charge.

PILGRIMAGES with JMJ Travel & Tours International, LLC: Holy Land: Oct. & Nov. 2018; Greece & Turkey: Nov. 19—30. For more information call Imee at 551-587-9900; email: imeesimi@yahoo.com, or Jean at St. Henry Rectory, 201-436-0857.

From the ARCHDIOCESE OF NEWARK...

SUPPORT GROUPS FOR PARENTS GRIEVING THE DEATH OF A CHILD, sponsored by the Office of Family Life Ministries of the 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 each month 7:30 PM; St. Peter the Apostle Church Rectory Basement, 445 Fifth Ave., River Edge, third Monday of each month 7:30 PM.

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.

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. 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, were brought up here or attended St. Henry's school. To register, come to the rectory office, between 9 AM and 4 PM weekdays and simply complete a registration card. If this is not possible, call Jean at the rectory office. 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.

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 **TUESDAYS & THURSDAYS, 10 AM—12 NOON (ONLY)**. NOTE: Bring current picture ID.

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 **Thursdays, Nov. 15 and Dec. 6 & 20** 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.

Thank You!

Total Collection for the weekend of 10/28/18: \$7,786.50
consisting of - **Church Offering: \$7,254.50**

(last year, 10/30/17 offering was \$6,586)

Electronic Giving: \$526

Children's Collection: \$6

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

Thank you for your continued support and generosity!

ROSARY SOCIETY News...

The next Rosary Society meeting will take place next **Sunday, November 11th**, after the 10 AM Mass and recitation of the Rosary. All ladies of the parish are invited to attend the meeting, and all parishioners are welcome to pray the rosary with us in Church after Mass.

Our **FALL BAKE SALE** will be held after all the Masses on **Sunday, November 19th** in the Parish Center. Volunteers are needed for the sale, as well as homemade or store bought baked goods, which can be dropped off at the Parish Center at 7:45 AM. Monetary donations are also welcome. Call Roseann Hogan at 201-565-5638.!

TO ALL YOUNG ADULTS:

St. Henry's Young Adult Ministry will be **meeting regularly every second Friday of the month**, 7 PM at the Parish Rectory, **starting Friday, November 9th**. This group is open for individuals between the ages of 18-39. Single or married are welcome. If you're interested in joining, please email us your contact information to sthenryyam@gmail.com.

Our next meeting, Friday, November 9th, will include a potluck! We will be discussing future social and community events. We look forward to welcoming you.

New Hymnals for our Masses

Beginning the last weekend of November, we will be using new, permanent hymnals at our Liturgies. These books will remain in the pews for a number of years. They will replace our paperback "missalettes" which are discarded and re-purchased every year (like a subscription). The new hymnals, called RITUAL SONG, are hardcover, sturdy, and beautifully printed. They include a vast number of songs and hymns which we already use. About half the music is traditional Catholic hymnody and half contemporary or folk culture music. Our sung Mass responses will not be changed. The new hymnals will also include the Sunday readings for each week printed in full. This important change to permanent hymnals will save our parish thousands of dollars. And by not wasting paper nor causing carbon emissions by disposal of the books, we will contribute to a sound environment..

Note that these new hymnals are to remain in the church and not be taken home.

Donations for our New Hymnals

You are invited to donate a hymnal in memory or in honor of a loved one. This will help lower the initial cost for making this change. The donation requested is \$20 per hymnal.

Envelopes are at the entrances of the church. Fill in the requested information and enclose your donation. You can place the envelope in the offering basket or send it in to the Parish Office, 82 West 29th St., Bayonne, NJ.

A bookplate will be inserted in the back cover of the hymnal to acknowledge your donation and name the person you have memorialized or honored. Thank you for your support of this project!

St. Henry Church

WINDOW RESTORATION COLLECTION

Total To Date:

\$43,490

The next monthly collection will be the weekend of November 10 & 11. 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; 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 for your generous support of St. Henry Parish.