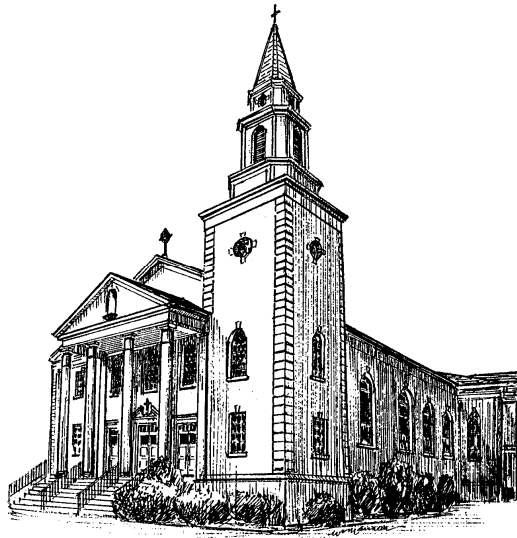


The People of God called to form the Christian Community of

St. Mary's Church

January 24, 2016

*Third Sunday in
Ordinary Time*



Mission Statement

We the Roman Catholic community of St. Mary's, united in the Eucharist and under the guidance of St. Mary of the Assumption, strengthen our faith by praising God, proclaiming His word, sharing His love with all people and serving those in need.

**St. Mary:
Pray for Us**

Rev. Stephen A. Carey, *Pastor*
Rev. Michael S. P. Trainor, *Parochial Vicar*
Rev. Michael Barone, *Parochial Vicar*
Rev. Patrick W. Donohue, *In-Residence*
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Mr. Joel Condon, *Director of Music Ministry*
Mrs. Kathleen Sylvester, *Pastoral Associate for Liturgy/RCLIA*
Dr. William J. Mascitello, *Pastoral Associate for Catechetics*
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Eucharistic Liturgy

Saturday Eve: 5:30 pm
Sunday: 8:00 am, 10:00 am, 12:00 pm
Holydays (except Saturday): 7:00 am, 8:45 am, & 7:30 pm
Weekdays: Monday - Friday 7:00 am & 8:45 am
Saturday: 8:30 am
Holiday: 9:00 am on Major Civil Holidays

Religious Devotions

Miraculous Medal Novena: Saturday following 8:30 am Mass.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

First Friday of the month, 8:00 am - 7:00 pm, in the lower church.

Sacrament of Penance

Saturday: 4:00 - 4:45 pm
Private confessions at any time. Please call rectory.

Sacrament of Marriage

Common policy of the Archdiocese of Newark asks that arrangements be made one year in advance. Engaged couples must call to make an appointment to speak to a priest.

Sacrament of Baptism

Parents should register for the Baptism Preparation Program at the rectory...even before the baby is born!

Catechumenate

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults is the process by which adults (and children who have reached the age of reason) are prepared to receive the sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and Holy Eucharist. If you, or someone you know, would like to inquire about becoming a Catholic, please call the parish office.

Ministry to the Sick and Homebound

The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick is available to be celebrated with anyone in need. Please do not wait until death is imminent to contact the parish regarding an ill family member. Eucharistic Ministers and others serve our community by visiting and bringing Communion to the sick and homebound. Please call the parish office if you wish such a visit.

God's Plan for Giving - Tithing

Tithing is God's plan to support His Church. Full tithing means 10% of gross income to God. We ask half of this, or 5%, for your parish Church. The other 5% goes to your favorite charities.

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Saturday	Jan. 23 - Vigil
5:30PM	Thomas McGuire
Sunday	Jan. 24 - Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:00AM	Nora Sheehan
10:00AM	John Roche
12 Noon	Farrell and Abelson Deceased Members
Monday	Jan. 25 - The Conversion of St. Paul the Apostle
7:00AM	Kathleen Tilling
8:45AM	Anita Dy
Tuesday	Jan. 26 - Sts. Timothy and Titus
7:00AM	John D'Arco
8:45AM	Edward Kneisler
Wednesday	Jan. 27 - Weekday
7:00AM	Theodore Froomjian
8:45AM	Margaret Dunlea
Thursday	Jan. 28 - St. Thomas Aquinas
7:00AM	Judy O'Neill (Living)
8:45AM	Theresa Corcoran
Friday	Jan. 29 - Weekday
7:00AM	Rose Trill (Living)
8:45AM	Patrick and Sean Joyce
Saturday	Jan. 30 - Weekday
8:30AM	Lillian Rathbun
5:30PM	Carmen Galvez
Sunday	Jan. 31 - Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:00AM	Dennis Dalton
10:00AM	Sergio Nepomuceno
12 Noon	Bernie O'Connor

Special Intentions



The Bread and Wine offered at this week's Masses are given for the intentions of Arthur and Eleanor King for their 56th Wedding Anniversary.

In Loving Memory

The Sanctuary Lamp will burn in praise of God and in memory of Thomas McGuire requested by Carol and Matt.



Eucharistic Adoration - February 5th

On Friday, February 5th, we will have Eucharistic adoration after the 8:45 a.m. Mass. Reposition starts at 7:00 p.m. Hope you all can join us.



Sunday – Jan. 24

8:30AM PACT Angels Session LC/School
10:15AM Kids RCIA SFC
11:00AM PACT Confirmation Retreat Team School
6:30PM Way of the Cross Practice UC

Monday - Jan. 25

After 8:45AM Mass Rosary LC
6:00PM Bell Choir Rehearsal UC
7:00PM PACT Angels Session UC/School

Tuesday – Jan. 26

After 8:45AM Mass Rosary LC
3:30PM PACT Angels Session UC/School
5:30PM Basketball SH
6:15PM Schola Choral Rehearsal School
7:30PM Adult Choir Rehearsal UC

Wednesday - Jan. 27

After 8:45AM Mass Rosary LC
7:00PM OLPH Novena UC
7:30PM Line Dancing SH
7:30PM Yoga (Anne Marie) PJ23Rm

Thursday – Jan. 28

After 8:45AM Mass Rosary LC
1:00 Knitters & Crocheters FDVRm
7:30PM Yoga (Linda) SFC

Friday – Jan. 29

After 8:45AM Mass Rosary LC
7:00PM Cub Scouts SH

Saturday – Jan. 30

After 8:30AM Mass Rosary LC
8:00AM-1:00PM Cub Scouts Pine Derby SH
7:00PM-9:30PM Girl Scouts Dance SH

Sunday – Jan. 31

8:30AM PACT Saints Session LC/School
10:15AM Kids RCIA SFC
11:00AM RCIA for Young Adults PJ23Rm
6:30PM Way of the Cross Practice UC
PALAD EB Meeting after 12:00PM Mass SFC

Items Needed for St. John's, Newark

As the parish is aware, men and women from St. Mary's go to St. John's Parish in Newark on the second Friday of each month to prepare and to serve a noon meal. It is our way of serving the needs of those who are in desperate need.

Right now we are in need of new or gently used white socks and new underwear for men. If you could donate one or two of the items above, please drop them off at the Parish Office. We greatly appreciate your generosity.

From the Pastor



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Because of abortion, a baby will die today. That child may have grown up to be a scientist that would have discovered a break-through treatment for cancer. A child that was aborted yesterday might have been a great artist. A child will die tomorrow who was supposed to be a world-class musician. How many children have to die because of abortion? How many of those aborted may have grown up to change the world?

It is estimated that 93% of the abortions performed in this country are for “social reason,” meaning there was no threat to the mother’s health and the pregnancy was not the result of incest or rape. The child was simply not wanted and so it was thrown away. How much has our world been diminished by all those special gifts from God that has simply been thrown away?

You probably saw nothing on the news about it but this past Friday, thousands of people marched in Washington on the anniversary of the 1973 Supreme Court decision which legalized abortion in this country. They marched to give witness to our belief in the dignity of life in all its stages. They marched to give witness to our belief that every child conceived has a right to be born. They marched to simply say that abortion is a throwing away of a precious life.

In 1994, at the National Prayer Breakfast in Washington, D.C., Mother Teresa of Calcutta addressed the gathered leaders of our nation with the following words, “The greatest destroyer of peace in the world today is abortion.” It is our job as followers of Jesus Christ to work for world peace. It is our job as followers of Jesus Christ work for the end of abortion in our nation. It is our job as followers of Jesus Christ to protect the dignity of all human life in all its stages.

Fr. Carey

PS: In the rear of the Church there are flyers from “Lighthouse Pregnancy Resource Center.” Please take a flyer and learn how each of us can make a difference.

Thank You!

From Our Food Pantry Group:

We wish to thank all our parishioners and different groups who so generously gave to our Christmas food collection. In addition, thank you for the monetary donations made which enables us to give Stop and Shop food certificates for perishables. We were able to give out over 55 baskets to families who really expressed gratitude to our parish for being so caring. We also would like to offer thanks to our town DPW who have assisted us in distribution of the baskets to the schools.

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From Our Hackensack Walk-in Shelter Group:

Our heartfelt thank you to all who donated food to feed our guests in the Hackensack Walk-in Shelter on Jan. 6th. We received about 60 trays and fed around 120 people. Our thanks goes to the volunteers as well who delivered and served the food.

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From Kathy Sylvester:

Thank you, Thank you to all who helped to take down the Christmas decorations. I never ceased to be amazed at how quickly it all comes down and the number of people who show up to help. Blessings on the New Year!

Ash Wednesday Simple Supper



We’ve only just gotten past Christmas, but Lent is around the corner. How can we as a parish community prepare? Join us for our Lenten Simple supper on Ash Wednesday at 6 pm in the Spiritual Formation Center of the school. The supper consists of soup, bread, and peanut butter and jelly sandwiches for the kids. The cost is simply a free-will offering which is donated to St. John’s Soup Kitchen in Newark. It is a good gather as a parish community as we begin our journey of Prayer, Fasting and Almsgiving, the disciplines of Lent. All are welcome, please call the parish office 201-384-0557, to let us know you are coming

Old Palms Wanted



Please bring your old palms to the church or the parish office so we can burn them on Monday, Feb. 8th at 7:15pm by the rectory garage, which will provide us ashes to be used on Ash Wednesday, Feb. 10th.

SAINT MARY'S CHURCH
2015 Christmas Flower Offering

<i>Donated by:</i>	<i>In Memory of:</i>
Ms Theresa Mertz	Mary O'Donovan
Mr Richard W Donadio	
Mr & Mrs Brian O'Dowd	
Mr Elmer Ong	
Mrs Kim Cherevas	Susan Stvan
Mr & Mrs Louis Toupin	Mary & Fred Ross & Grace Toupin
Ms Justina Josie Parrella	John Lindsell
Mrs Amelia Garcia	
Mrs James J Boyle	James Boyle
Mr & Mrs Robert J Callahan	Bisoeno & Callahan Families
Mr & Mrs Beethoven Buenaventura	Lilia & Dalmacio Berja, Ohmar Berja
Ms Lourdes Sy-Trujillo	Mr & Mrs Francisco Sy
Mr & Mrs Roderico Lopez	
Mr & Mrs Kenny P D'Silva	
Mr & Mrs Gary Buchheister	Rose Berlotini, Anne Healey
Mr & Mrs Joseph f De Noia	De Noia & Schettino Families
Mr & Mrs Robert Kenter	Kenter & Guyer Family
Mrs Michael McCabe	
Mr & Mrs Gilbert Rhein	Siggia, Rhein & Minotti Families
Mr & Mrs Rudolfo Asistin	Asistin/Dimarucot Families (Deceased)
Mrs Lena O'Malley	O'Malley & Fitzgerald Families
Mr & Mrs John Brady	
Mrs Elvira Criscuolo	Theodore Criscuolo
Mr & Mrs Arthur King	
Mrs Virginia Brown	Joseph Sr. – Joseph Jr., Richard Brown
Mrs Arthur T Rudolph	Rudolph & Svetin Families
Mr & Mrs Valerio Laya	Deceased Members of Santos-Laya Families
Mr & Mrs Vincent Ramella	
Ms Helen Vioria	Mr & Mrs Eugenio Vioria, Gertrude Vioria, Carmelita Adam
Margaret Arroyo	
Mr Albert C Taxter	Anne Taxter
Mr & Mrs Mark J Capalbo	
Patrick McDermott	Francis & Catherine McDermott
Mr & Mrs Brian M Murray	Murray & Zawaski Families
Mr & Mrs Luis F Barragan	Leonor De Florez
Mr & Mrs Mathew Hayes	
Mr & Mrs Richard Delia	Richard Delia, Jr
Mr Thomas A O'Brien	
Mr Joseph Pidi	Dolly & Vito Pidi
Lynda McGowan	Alexander McGowan Vetere
Mr & Mrs John M Foley	Foley & Reilly Family
Mr & Mrs Matthew McKenna	
Miss Kristie L Moclair	Alphonse & Bernice DeMarco, Joseph & Freida Levitzki
Mrs Mary Conboy	Rod Conboy
Mr Edward S Cebulski	Martha Cebulski
Miss Myla M Roxas	Happy New Year!
Mr & Mrs Anthony Bello	
Kay Ramm	
Ms Antoinette Williams-Powell	Ms Lasina Ahmad
Mr & Mrs Michael Gildea	
Beverly Serafini	Serafini Family
Mr & Mrs Lawrence Miloscia	Deceased Members of the Miloscia & Hans Families

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Mr & Mrs Marco Martinucci	Matteo Martinucci
Ms Roberta Elwell	Berania & Mazza Family
Eugenio C Mateo	
Mrs Mary A Pappas	Gus Pappas
Miss Olga Randazzo	Randazzo Family
Ms Linda Moreno	Salvatore & Bridget Sorce
Mr & Mrs Danny Mastropierro	
Mr & Mrs Patrick J Oates	Oates & O'Reilly Family
Mr & Mrs William J Treacy	
Mr Rocco S Molinaro	Helen O'Shea, James Bell
Mrs Dominick Alba	Alba & Cribbin Families
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Mr & Mrs John Monteverde	Daniel Nolan
	Margaret Hiltenbrand & Theresa Corcoran
Mr & Mrs Dennis Schuck	
Mr & Mrs Raymond E Harris SR	Richardson Harris & Douglas
Mrs John Creegan	Johan/Annie Creegan, Annie/Harry Barrett
Mr & Mrs Gilbert Espejo	Lilia Gomez, Leticia Girado, Anador Girado, Gualberfo Espejo
Ms Dorothy Ietto	
Mr & Mrs Paul Martinelli	The Mergenthal Family
Mary Trasmundo	Emil Trasmundo
Mr & Mrs Enrico S Cudiera	
Mr & Mrs Jerome Montagnino	Franz & Montagnino Family
Ms Roseanne Falcon	Carmen Galvez
Mr & Mrs Thomas B Collins	John & Mary Collins
Ms Erlinda A Riguerra	
Timothy O'Keeffe	
Mr & Mrs John P Sullivan	Joyce & Sullivan Family
Mr & Mrs Michael J Cremin	Cremin & McMorrow Family
Mr & Mrs Kevin Strohmeier	
Mr & Mrs Philip Alloca	James Bannon
Mrs Mary Fitzgibbon	Richard Fitzgibbon
Mr & Mrs John Kashuba	
Dominic Morin	
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Ms Maria Pia Guinto	
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Jaelyn Bishopp	Fr. Szelest
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