# The People of God called to form the Christian Community of

# St. Mary's Church

April 10, 2016

Third Sunday of

Easter



#### **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 Barone, Parochial Vicar

Rev. Patrick W. Donohue, In-Residence

Deacon John L. Sylvester, Permanent Deacon

Mr. Joel Condon, Director of Music Ministry

Mrs. Kathleen Sylvester, *Pastoral Associate* for *Liturgy/RCIA* 

Dr. William J. Mascitello, *Pastoral Associate* for Catechetics

Mr. Rudy Asistin, *Business Administrator*Mr. Ed Kostka, *Director Maintenance and*Facilities

Katie Sylvester, Youth Ministry
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Director of Music:

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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 the parish office.

#### 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 Apr. 9 - Vigil

Catherine, Henry, Patrick and 5:30PM

Harry Quigley

Apr. 10 - Third Sunday of Easter Sunday

8:00AM Mary Lennon 10:00AM Celestino Sy 12 Noon Toribio Almendra

Apr. 11 - St. Stanislaus Mondav

7:00AM John M. Joyce 8:45AM Ita Kelly

Tuesday Apr. 12 - Easter Weekday Onesimo and Edwin Guerrero: 7:00AM Lourdes and Sammie Gorospe

8:45AM Marian Reitano

Wednesday Apr. 13 - Easter Weekday

In Thanksgiving Vives Family (Living) 7:00AM

8:45AM Noreen Reilly

**Thursday** Apr. 14 - Easter Weekday

James McMahon 7:00AM 8:45AM Eduardo Villamaria

**Friday** Apr. 15 - Easter Weekday 7:00AM Bridget and Michael O'Neill

8:45AM **Timothy Woerner** 

Apr. 16 - Easter Weekday Saturday

8:30AM Melody Kostka

5:30PM John and Michael Joyce

**Apr. 17 - Fourth Sunday of** Sunday

**Easter** 

8:00AM Tim Keating

Francesco Schettino 10:00AM

12 Noon Susan Holmes

# In Loving Memory



The Bread and Wine offered at this week's Masses are given in memory of Toribio Almendra requested by Cecil Almendra.

# Special Intentions

The Sanctuary Lamp will burn in praise of God and for the intentions of Angelina Luciano.

# **Memorial Opportunity** 2016 Easter Candle



The Easter candle for this year is available to be memorialized. The Cost of the Candle is \$900.00. We are offering 2 memorial opportunities of \$450.00 each or 3 of \$300.00 each. If interested, please stop by the parish office.



Sunday - Apr. 10

10:15AM Kids RCIA SFC

11:00AM RCIA for Young Adults PJ23Rm 2:00PM CFC-FFL Meeting (Mitch) SFC

6:30PM JWalk Meeting YRm

Second Collection-Catholic Home Missions Appeal

Monday - Apr. 11

After 8:45AM Mass Rosary UC

7:30PM Social Justice Meeting PJ23Rm

Tuesday – Apr. 12

After 8:45AM Mass Rosary UC

5:30PM Basketball SH

6:15PM Schola Choral Rehearsal School 7:30PM Adult Choir Rehearsal School

Wednesday - Apr. 13

After 8:45AM Mass Rosary UC

7:00PM OLPH Novena LC

7:00PM Arts and Environment Meeting Sacristy

7:30PM Line Dancing SH

7:30PM Yoga (Anne Marie) PJ23Rm

Thursday – Apr. 14

After 8:45AM Mass Rosary UC

1:00PM Knitters and Crochetters FDVRm

5:00PM Basketball SH

7:30PM Yoga (Linda) SFC

Friday - Apr. 15

After 8:45AM Mass Rosary UC

Saturday - Apr. 16

After 8:30AM Mass Rosary UC

**Food Collection** 

Sunday – Apr. 17

7:30AM Feeding at Missionaries of Charity Soup

Kitchen, Newark

8:30 AM PACT Angels Final Session/CCM 8th

"Grad" LC/School

10:15AM Kids RCIA SFC

Food Collection

# <u> Anointing Mass – April 23rd</u>



On Saturday, April 23rd, we will gather for our spring Anointing Mass at 11:00 a.m. in Szelest Hall. If you need a ride to the Anointing Mass, please call the parish office at 201-384-0557 and let us know.

We invite all of our parishioners in need of this sacrament to this wonderful celebration of God's healing, whether that need is due to sickness or age. For those who wish, there will be an opportunity to go to the Sacrament of Reconciliation before the Mass. We hope you will be able to join us for a light luncheon following Mass.

# From the Pastor

I want to thank everyone who helped to make our parish celebration of Easter so wonderful. The number of people who attended the liturgies of the Sacred Triduum as well as those who came on Easter Sunday was truly amazing. I think the size of the congregations demonstrates the hunger many have to know the Risen Christ.

Special thanks go to all those who were involved in the music ministry for the Easter liturgies. There was certainly a joyful noise being raised to our Lord. And another special thank you goes to those who helped to decorate the church for our celebrations. Music, flowers, crowds of people; everything came together as a wonderful reflect of God's love.

Easter Sunday is over but our celebration of Easter is not. The church celebrates Easter for 50 days. From now through Pentecost, we continue to celebrate the mystery of God's love in Resurrection of Christ; a love so great that it has conquered death for all time.

### Fr. Carey

#### **Easter Collection**

Thank you to all who supported St. Mary's by the offering of their treasure on Easter Sunday. As a parish committed to live the Stewardship Way of Life, we know that the donation of our time, our talent and our treasure is a way of thanking the Lord for what God has first given to us.

We will publish on the weekend of April 16-17 how our parishioners offered to St. Mary's a portion of their treasure in the Easter collection.

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#### **Bread & Wine:**

July 10; Aug. 21, & 28; Sept. 18; Oct. 16.

#### **Sanctuary Lamp:**

July 17 & 31; Aug. 21, & 28; Sept. 18 & 25; Oct. 16 & Oct. 23.

#### God's Plan for Giving:

"The measure of your free-will offering shall be in proportion to the blessing the Lord, your God, has bestowed on you."

(Deuteronomy 16:10)

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Since we have to submit the bulletin early, the collection for March 27 (Easter), April 2-3, treasure from our children and their good deeds will be in the April 16-17 bulletin.

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#### Stewardship Prayer

Dear Lord.

O Divine Giver of all gifts, grant us the daily graces we need to follow closely in the footsteps of Jesus in the way we live out our lives and make use of our gifts.

Daily, may we renew with You our small part of the world by allowing Your will to be accomplished in and through us.

Help us to trust in Your love for us and to grow in our fidelity and relationship with You.

We thank You for the trust You place in us as stewards of our personal gifts. May the Holy Spirit guide us in placing our time, talent and treasure at the service of each other so that together we may faithfully witness the Christian message and thus become your holy people. Amen.

## <u>Hackensack Walk-in Shelter:</u> <u>April 20, 2016</u>



Our next trip to Hackensack Walkin Shelter will be Wednesday, April 20th. Pans will be available the

weekend of April 16/17.

Due to new regulations, the shelter suggested to prepare only the following dishes:

#### Chicken, Rice, Meatloaf, Mashed Potatoes, and any types of Vegetables

The drop off location is the Knights of Columbus, 61 Armour Place, Dumont, between 10:00 am-2:00 pm on Wednesday. Phone number is 201-387-9750.

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# Serving in the Military

We ask God to keep in his care all those who are serving overseas in our armed forces. They are listed below and we ask your prayers for them.

Wayne Lawton...Michael Bianco...Kyle Zownir
Alicia Newball..Anthony Hacket, Jr.
Donald Dickson...Anthony Dunkin
Christopher Lynch...Brian Collins...Bobby Dellner
Tyler Thompson...Michael Whitford
James R. Melady...Ryan Shireman
Joshua M LaBazzetta...Aidan Nugent
Alvin Joseph Garabiles...Christopher Cookson
Christopher Minayn...Christopher Kishbach
Major David Christopher Pierson
Charles Bennett...James Markert...Patrick Booth
If you have a relative serving in the military, please
call the parish office so that we can add his/her
name and offer a prayer for him/her.

#### **Pray for our Sick**

Peter Ramzi...John Ramzi...Rose O'Shea
Joan Polis..Tom Phelan...Dona...Steven Martin
Suzanne West..Donald Trainor...Kristi Carbonaro
Hailey van Weathering..Lyla McMahon...Mary Faley
Teagan Davis...John Dillon...George DiCostanzo
James Hans...Peggy Dunshee...Rita Padrevito
Rosemarie, William and Mildred Dellner...Greg
Angelina Uvenio...Frank Uvenio...Jeryl Jacobi
Tom Jones...Ilene Levine...Christopher Bishopp
Pat Barclay...Theresa Giacalone...Joseph Greico
Wilberta Schreiber...Marlene Canning...John Kerner
Anna Furlani...Marcel Billages...Chevy Nieves
Joseph DiBellis...Rhiannon McMahon...Sean Hayes

# Rosary Linen Schedule - April

# Patient Privacy Reminder

A reminder to all parishioners, due to Patient Privacy regulations, hospitals cannot notify us when our parishioners are in the hospital. Please let us know or have someone call us so that one of the priests can visit you. Thank you for your understanding.

#### All Are Welcome!

Please join the Altar and Rosary Society every first Saturday of the month at 7:30am in the church to say the rosary.

#### **Knights of Columbus**

**Next Meeting** – Monday April 18<sup>th</sup> at 8PM.

**April 13<sup>th</sup>** – Rosary for Peace at 7:30PM at the Council.

**April 16**<sup>th</sup> – Texas Hold 'Em sponsored by the Twin Boro Columbian Club. Buffet and check-in starts at 6PM. Reservations required! You can call Ken A at 516-220-9333 or

email kofc1345reservations@gmail.com.

**Sunday April 17th** - Please support one of our more important fundraisers for the Council - The Scholarship Fund Pancake Breakfast, from 9AM to 1PM. The menu includes pancakes, Irish bangers and hash browns, with juice and coffee and tea. It's only \$8 for Adults, \$4 for children under 12, with a family maximum of \$25. Walk-ins welcome but reservations preferred.

Please call or text Ken at 1-516-220-9333 or email <u>KofC1345Reservations@gmail.com</u> with your reservation.

On Saturday **April 23rd**, we will host our annual Special Children's Show and Dance. This year's show is called: *This is It!* - a musical revue with scenes from award winning musicals. Please join us to support a worthy cause. The night will begin with hors d'oeuvres before the show starts and a prime rib dinner immediately following the show with a DJ for your dancing pleasure. The cost is \$40 per person and reservations are required. You can call Ken at 516-220-9333 or

email kofc1345reservations@gmail.com.

The Council is open on Friday evenings from 8-11PM. We're located at 61 Armour Place, just off of Prospect Avenue in Dumont. Why not stop in and learn more about us!

Hall Renting & Catering - Planning a party soon? Email kofc1345rentals@gmail.com or check our website: www. kofc1345.org.

# **ARE YOU REGISTERED?**

We have people coming to St. Mary's on a regular basis who need a form of some kind filled out and, when we check our records, we find that they are not registered parishioners. Before we could fill out and sign the form, you have to be a registered active parishioner for at <u>least six months</u>. The best way to know that you are registered is the fact that you receive collection envelopes, either on a regular basis or only at Christmas or Easter.

**PLEASE** – save yourselves and the parish staff a great deal of time and trouble – **come to the rectory office and register!** 



### PACT/Religious Education Program

#### **APRIL PACT/Religious Education PARENT MEETINGS**

It seems hard to believe, but it is time to think about our final *PACT Parent Meetings* and registration for next year's program! Check your color-coded schedule for more details. This year's final parent meetings are as follows:

Sunday Angels, 4/17 Sunday Saints, 4/24 Monday Angels, 4/18

### <u>Final Tuesday</u> First Holy Communion Session



Our final preparation session for First Communion is scheduled for <u>Tuesday 4/26.</u> Please check parent packets for the time of practice for First Communion and other important information.

Please pray for our First Holy Communion candidates, their families, and our parish community, that we may follow St. Augustine's words on the Eucharist, to "Believe what you see, see what you believe and become what you are: the Body of Christ."

# **Confirmation Preparation**



*Monday Confirmation Preparation* sessions begin <u>Monday, 4/25 at 7:00 p.m.</u> Sponsor forms or other paperwork for Confirmation should be brought to our office before this session. Check your candidate/parent packet for more details.

Please take this opportunity to pray that our candidates— and all of us— may be open to the outpouring of the Holy Spirit in our lives.

# **Open House at Saint Peter's Prep**

Saint Peter's Preparatory School will be holding its Spring Open House on Sunday, April 17 from 1:00 – 3:00 pm at the school's campus in historic downtown Jersey City. Faculty and staff as well as coaches, students and parents, will be present to answer questions about the school, and tours of the campus will be provided. Founded in 1872, Saint Peter's Prep is an independent, college preparatory school for boys and it remains New Jersey's only Jesuit high school. For more information on the Spring Open House, please call 201-547-6389.

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### <u>Join a 10 Day</u> <u>Catholic Pilgrimage in Ireland</u>

Led By Deacon Joe from Our Lady Queen of Peace, Maywood July 2-12, 2016 (11 DAYS / 9 NIGHTS)

It will be run by Perillo Tours. Here are the highlights. It is an easy trip for people who have difficulty walking!! Mass every day with visits to: Waterford, Rock of Cashel, Blarney Castle, Ring of Kerry, Killarney, Clare & the Burren, Ennis, Knock Shrine, Westport, Ballinger Abbey, Dublin and much much more! Full Irish breakfast every day and dinner with wine or beer every evening. Medieval Banquet also a Farewell Dinner& Show in a Famous Dublin Music Pub. Flying Aer Lingus from JFK all included in the price.

If you are interested contact Dcn. Joe at: dcnjmantineo@gmail.com or Church: 201-845-9566 ext.119 r Home: 201-791-6180 for further details.

# St. John's Golden Age, Bergenfield

#### Presents...

# Trip to Montreal and Quebec City and Canada's Capital City - Ottawa

Sunday to Friday, June 26 to July 1, 2016; 6 days - 5 nights (lodging); 5 Breakfasts and 5 Dinners. Member price per person is \$632 (Double Occup.) Non-Member price per person is \$634 (Double Occup.). \*Add \$200 for single occupancy.

If interested, please call as soon as possible Donna or Fred Bellottie at 201-384-2798 for more details/information/payments, etc.

# Academy of the Holy Angles

#### First Annual STREAM Competition for Girls

All Girls in grades 6—8 are invited to participate in Academy of the Holy Angels first annual STREAM Competition on Wednesday, April 27 from 4:00 - 7:30! Showcase your skills in Science, Technology, Religion, Engineering, Art, and Math! Enter as an individual or team up to 4 members. PRIZES will be awarded for each category! Full competition rules and online registration can be found at: www.holyangels.org/admissions/stream-competition.

**Spring Open House** on Wednesday, April 20 from 6:30-8:30. Formal presentation will begin at 6:45. Last tours leave at 7:45pm. For more information or to register, please visit: www.holyangels.org/admissions.

# Transfiguration Academy News

Mulan, Jr.

April 15th and 16th ~ 7pm Conlon Hall

**Transfiguration Academy Drama Club** presents *Mulan*, *Jr*. Based on Disney's Oscarnominated film, *Mulan Jr*. is a heartwarming celebration of culture, honor and the fighting spirit. Come see the wonderful talent of our actors, musicians and dancers! It's the perfect opportunity to introduce young children to live theater. We hope to see you all there. Advance tickets are available at the school office.

**Tuition Raffle:** Do you or someone you know have tuition bills to pay? Buy a raffle ticket— you could win a prize to help pay that tuition bill. First prize is \$2500, 2<sup>nd</sup> prize is \$1500 and 3<sup>rd</sup> prize is \$1000 — payable to any accredited school/institution of the winner's choice. Each ticket is \$5 and can be purchased at the school office during school hours. The drawing will be held on April 15 after the 7 PM performance of Mulan, Jr.

Save the Date: The annual HSA Tricky Tray/Pasta Dinner will be held on Friday, May 13 in Conlon Hall. Tickets are \$18 before May 6<sup>th</sup>, \$20 after May 6<sup>th</sup> and at the door, and \$10 for children (dinner only) if purchased before May 6<sup>th</sup>, \$12 after May 6<sup>th</sup> or at the door. Please come out for a night of great prizes and delicious food to support our school. For more information please contact Ann Gangi at 201-349-3870.

"Tiger for a Day" during spring break: Find out about our Tiger for a Day program - let your child spend a day with us during the upcoming spring break and experience all that we have to offer. For more information and/or to schedule a tour of the school please call (201)384-3627 or email us at principal@transfigurationacademy.org. Please visit our website at

transfigurationacademy.org and follow us on Facebook.



# WE ARE LIVING STONES

Rev. Stephen Carey and the St. Mary's Campaign Leadership Committee cordially request the pleasure of your company at an informational reception regarding the We Are Living Stones Capital Campaign on:

Thursday, April 14th at 7:30 p.m. or Monday, April 18th at 7:30 p.m.

Both receptions will be held in Szelest Hall

Please R.S.V.P. by Monday, April 11th by calling the Parish Office at (201) 384-0557, emailing frcarey@stmarysdumont.org or returning this card via the mail or offertory basket.

<ul> <li>☐ Yes, I/we will attend the Campaign Reception on:</li> <li>☐ Regretfully, I/we cannot attend.</li> </ul>	
NAME	# ATTENDING
PHONE	EMAIL