



The People of God called to form the Christian Community of

St. Mary's Church

280 Washington Avenue, Dumont, NJ 07628 Parish Office: 201-384-0557

June 2, 2024

***The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ
(Corpus Christi)***



Weekly MASS Intentions

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Saturday	June 1 - Vigil
5:30PM	John P. Murray
Sunday	June 2 - The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi)
7:45AM	Mary Woke
10:00AM	Parishioners of St. Mary's
12 Noon	Simone Borges and Marie Annette Fulgado
Monday	June 3 - St. Charles Lwanga and Companions
7:00AM	Valeria Santos
8:45AM	Anne Duffy
Tuesday	June 4 - Weekday
7:00AM	Elizabeth Rosa
8:45AM	Leonardo D. Santos
Wednesday	June 5 - St. Boniface
7:00AM	James Hans, Jr.
8:45AM	Matthew Connel
Thursday	June 6 - Weekday
7:00AM	Mena Hamill (Living)
8:45AM	Esther Cabanilla
Friday	June 7 - The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus
7:00AM	Carol McGuire
8:45AM	Delfin Carretas
Saturday	June 8 - The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary
8:30AM	Vir Torres
5:30PM	Sister Mary Mulchay
Sunday	June 9 - Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
7:45AM	James Boyle
10:00AM	Roz Callahan
12 Noon	Parishioners of St. Mary's



The **Bread and Wine** offered at this week's Masses are given in memory of Luis and Carmen Alvarez requested by their children.

The **Sanctuary Lamp** will burn in praise of God and in memory of Anne Duffy requested by Anne Marie and Jim Bishopp.

This Week



Sunday – June 2

10:00AM Choir UC
Food Collection Weekend

Monday – June 3

After 8:45AM Mass Rosary UC
7:00PM RCIA Rectory
8:00PM Basketball SH

Tuesday – June 4

After 8:45AM Mass Rosary UC
3:30PM New Parent Meeting Library/School
5:00PM Irish Step Dancing SH/LS
7:00PM New Parent Meeting Library/School

Wednesday - June 5

After 8:45AM OLPH Novena and Rosary UC
7:30PM Line Dancing SH

Thursday – June 6

After 8:45AM Mass Rosary UC
5:30PM Irish Step Dancing LS
8:00PM Basketball (Tuy) SH

Friday – June 7

After 8:45AM Mass Rosary UC
6:00PM Eucharistic Adoration
8:00PM Basketball SH

Saturday – June 8

8:00AM Korean School

Sunday – June 9

10:00AM Choir UC
7:00PM JWalk Final Meeting YRm

Stewardship Reflection

Feast of Corpus Christi

“Then he took a cup, gave thanks, and gave it to them and they all drank from it.” - MARK 14:23

Jesus, the perfect steward, gave thanks, just before He gave Himself up for us, completely for our salvation. He offers us the same chance to drink from His cup. In the bread and wine, we meet Christ personally. If we follow Him, drinking from His cup means we offer our own self-sacrifice, using all of our gifts for the benefit of others and to do His work on earth.



Today we celebrate the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ, traditionally called Feast of Corpus Christi. Two months ago, on Holy Thursday, we celebrated the institution of the Eucharist. Today we celebrate the Real Presence of Christ in this Sacrament; we celebrate the Body and Blood, Soul and Divinity of Jesus in the Eucharist.

This feast dates back the 13th Century. It was proposed by St. Thomas Aquinas and was instituted by Pope Urban IV in order to create a feast focused solely on the Holy Eucharist. Traditionally, this feast was celebrated on the Thursday following Trinity Sunday and was considered a Holy Day of Obligation. In days gone by, large Eucharistic processions would be part of the celebration of this great feast.

This year, as we celebrate this feast perhaps we might recall the joy and wonder we felt when we received First Holy Communion. For me, this feast always reminds me of the countless times I have had the privilege of giving someone Viaticum. Viaticum is given to someone who is dying. It is the last Communion a person received and it literally means "Food for the Journey." Perhaps, every time we receive Holy Communion we should consider it Food for the Journey. We always need to remember, that on the journey of life Christ is always with us. In the Eucharist, we know we have the Real Presence of Our Lord.

Fr. Carey

Sick and Homebound Visit

If you or know someone who can't come to the church and wanted to receive communion, do confession, or wanted to talk to a priest, please call the parish office at 201-384-0557. Fr. Carey will be glad to visit you.

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.

John Murray...Anthony Dunkin...Lorenzo Cortezano

Pray for Our Sick

John Ramzi...Rose O'Shea...Arvin Erd...John M. Kathleen Oates...Ann Marie Maurice...Myra D'Silva Steve Riccardi...Brian O'Dowd...Perfecto de Vera Michael Hayes...Ted Widman...Arsenia Carrasco Michele Patetta...John Romaine...Anne Picciano Robert Baccollo...Joseph Welsh...Jonel Tinio...Anya Carmelo Abbruzzesi...Baby Colton Lewis...Gary Barba Perla Biron...Skylar Frye...Scott Tkacz...Sean Hayes N. Diamond...Joan Lyons...Perla Biron...June H Patricia Adone...George Taylor...Tom Aquino Francis Martin...Maureen Martin...Ryan Heckman Josefina Caoli...Jeanne Kwederis...Miss Giusi S. Mariantonia D...Fran D...Sr. Kathleen Doyle CSJP Daniel Robbins...Katie Hubert...Dolores O'Dowd Carole Chittenden...Alisen Herman...Fidel Ronque Jing Santamaria...Nicole Sorce...Audrey Maguire Baby Jason Aldo...Jeannine...Billy Schweizer...Kevin Lourdes Santamaria

Thank You



I am a big believer in that "it is better to have it and not need it than to need it and not have it." This could be said of many things but is this case; I am using this old adage with regard to a defibrillator.

As you probably know, a defibrillator is a medical device use to help someone who is suffering from cardiac distress. In NJ, they are required by law in many public building such as schools and gyms. Thanks to generous donation from our Altar & Rosary Society, St. Mary's now has one in our Church. I pray that we will never need to use it. I am grateful that if we ever do need it, we now have it.

Fr. Carey



PACT/Religious Education Program

PACT/Religious Education Program Re-registration has begun!

Our regular PACT/Religious Education sessions have concluded and we shift our focus on re-registration for next year's program. Information and reminders have been sent home for those who have missed our final PACT meeting. Parents are asked to remember to register for next year's program to ensure that we are able to plan accordingly. Have you changed a phone number- or have a new cellphone? Do you receive e-mails with important updates from St. Mary's PACT and from the parish? Have you moved? As you re-register, please ensure that your contact information is correct so that we may contact you when necessary.

New Families – PACT/Religious Education Program

PACT is a family program provided for all parish families with children in grades 1-8 who do not attend Catholic schools (we also have a small Kindergarten group). Children who attend regular Religious Education or Catholic school are then prepared separately for First Communion, Penance, and Confirmation.

New Families Parent Meetings – June 4th

Parents of families new to the program meet with our director for a brief orientation. Two meetings are scheduled on Tuesday, June 4th- 3:30 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. To R.S.V.P. or for more information e-mail religioused@stmarysdumont.org or call (201) 384-0557 extension 20. Thank you!

Part-time Custodian/Janitor Needed



St. Mary's Church is seeking to hire a part-time custodian/janitor. Duties include opening the Church each morning and providing general custodial services throughout the church and school building. Other duties as assigned. Hours are Monday to Friday, 6 am to 11:00am. Interested candidates should call the Rectory, 201-384-0557.

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)

Since we have to submit the bulletin early, the collection for May 25 - 26 and the good deeds from our children will be in next week's bulletin.



Electronic/Online Giving is a convenient no hassle method, of making your Sunday offertory to the church. For more

information or to sign up you can visit **stmarysdumont.churchgiving.com** from WeShare company. You can also contact the parish office for more details .

We greatly appreciate your continued support to St. Mary's.

ANNUAL ²⁰²⁴ APPEAL

The 2024 Annual Appeal is underway! We have **\$42,930.33** already pledged. This is approximately **97%** of our goal, from **175 families** as of Friday, May 23, 2024.

The outpouring of support from many parishioners like you helps sustain the important ministries across the Archdiocese of Newark. These programs help to make our own parish a more vibrant place of worship.

If you have yet to give, please visit www.rcan.org/sharing or scan the QR code.

Thank you for your prayers and support.



Job Alert PT K-8 Spanish Teacher

St. Joseph School located in Oradell, NJ is looking to hire a part-time Spanish teacher for grades K-8 for the 2024-2025 school year. This is a 10-month position (September-June), Monday-Friday, from 9:30am-2:45pm.

If interested please submit cover letter and resume to **Kassie M. Pierinelli**, Principal at pierinellik@sjsusa.org.

Knights of Columbus ST. JOHN'S COUNCIL #1345



PASTA NIGHT

Friday June 14th, 2024
From 6:30pm - 8:30pm

ALL YOU CAN EAT BUFFET OF:



- Bread
- Penne Pasta with Sauce
- All Beef Meatballs
- Cookies, coffee, tea
- Tap Beer, Wine, & Soda Included

Call or text Ken A. at 1-516-220-9333 or email
kofc1345reservations@gmail.com to RSVP

\$15 per person
Children 13 and older \$10
Immediate Family max \$50

Catholic Daughters Gladly Heyliger/Mary Carly Scholarship

CDA Court 1639 is offering up to \$1,000.00 scholarship to an 8th grade student entering a Catholic High School in September. For an application, please send a self-addressed, stamped envelope to Dr. Marie Woke, 20 Kensington Court, Norwood, NJ 07648.

Knights of Columbus

June 9-10th, the Knights will be selling muffins after all masses. The proceeds of the muffin sales become direct contributions to St. Mary's. Please support the parish and have a snack.

Upcoming Events

Bergen Catholic High School

The Bergen Catholic Junior Crusaders Leadership Academy Program is a 4 day program dedicated to rising 5th & 6th graders to educate them on effective leadership skills. Registration can be found on the Bergen Catholic website. For questions, please email the admissions office at admissions@bergencatholic.org.

The Bergen Catholic LEAD ON Program is a three-week summer enrichment program for 7th and 8th -grade students. It offers diverse subjects like Sports Analytics, Broadcast Media & Journalism, Leadership, Engineering Principles, Legal Business Environment, and Scientific Investigations. The program emphasizes social growth, maturity, and friendship-building in small classes, alongside team-building activities and community service opportunities. Registration can be found on the Bergen Catholic website. For questions, please the email admissions office at admissions@bergencatholic.org.

Dominican University New York

Dominican University New York is pleased to announce a 33% Tuition Discount for any MS in Education graduate degree program offered to full-time teachers, staff, administrators and guidance counselors employed at a Catholic elementary or secondary School.

For more information, please contact Janet Barron at janet.barron@duny.edu or at 845-848-79008



Register Now! Saint Joseph School Oradell, NJ



- Caring faculty and staff
- National Blue Ribbon School of Excellence
- Small class sizes
- Learn self discipline
- STEM activities
- National Junior Beta Club
- Before and After Care
- Academic Excellence in a Faith-Based Environment
- Middle States Accreditation

NEW

Pre-K 2
to
Grade 8

visit our website
www.sjsusa.org



More Info Call Us
201-261-2388

St. Mary's Church
2025 Mass Requests By Mail Only

The Mass Book for 2025 is now open. This year's requests will once again be made by mail only. There will be no in-person requests. To ensure that all parishioners have an equal opportunity to request masses for their loved ones, each family may request Three Sundays or Holydays and Five Weekday Masses in their INITIAL request. Beginning Monday, June 3rd, you may request additional masses if desired. You will receive confirmation of the dates and times you requested.

Three Sundays or Holydays - \$10.00 Each

Table with 4 columns: Intention for: (Please indicate if Living), Date, Time, Mass Card. Rows 1-3.

Five Weekdays - \$10.00 Each

Table with 4 columns: Intention for: (Please indicate if Living), Date, Time, Mass Card. Rows 1-5.

Two Bread and Wine - \$50.00 Each

Table with 3 columns: Intention for: (Please indicate if Living), Date, Requested by: Rows 1-2.

Two Sanctuary Lamp - \$30.00 Each

Table with 3 columns: Intention for: (Please indicate if Living), Date, Requested by: Rows 1-2.

Name: Phone:*

Email:* Amount Enclosed: \$

*Required for confirmation. Mass Requests is one check and offerings for Bread & Wine and Sanctuary Lamp is another check, two checks in total.

Please drop off the completed form, with your donation, in the Parish Office during the week, from 9:00am to 5:00pm or in the collection baskets. Please make sure to write on the envelope 2025 Masses.

THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST (CORPUS CHRISTI) JUNE 2, 2024

PASTORAL STAFF

Rev. Stephen A. Carey, *Pastor*
Rev. David W. Milliken, *In-Residence*
Deacon John L. Sylvester, *Permanent Deacon*
Mr. Luis Chavez, *Director of Music Ministry*
Mrs. Kathleen Sylvester, *Pastoral Associate for Liturgy/RCIA*
Dr. William J. Mascitello, *Pastoral Associate for Catechetics*
Mr. John Weiss, *Business Administrator*
Beth Miloscia, *Youth and Young Adult Ministries*
Dory Weiss, *Parish Secretary*
Sheila Romaine, *Religious Ed. Secretary & Safe Environment Coordinator*

TRUSTEES

Mrs. Janet Kaine, *Parish Trustee*
Mr. Michael Daly, *Parish Trustee*

CONTACT US

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Food Pantry: email: foodpantry@stmarysdumont.org
Online giving: WeShare
stmarysdumont.churchgiving.com.

EUCCHARISTIC LITURGY

Saturday Eve: 5:30 pm
Sunday: 7:45 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, 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm, in the upper church.

Sacrament of Penance

Saturday: 4:00 - 4:45 pm
Private confessions at any time. Please call the parish office.
NO CONFESSIONS ON HOLY SATURDAY

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.

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