

*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*



*April 20, 2025  
Easter Sunday of the  
Resurrection of the Lord*

*He  
is  
Risen*

# Weekly MASS Intentions

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<b>Saturday</b>	<b>April 19 - Vigil</b> Parishioners of St. Mary's
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>April 20 - Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord</b> 7:45AM Parishioners of St. Mary's 10:00AM Parishioners of St. Mary's 12 Noon Parishioners of St. Mary's
<b>Monday</b>	<b>April 21 - Monday within the Octave of Easter</b> 7:00AM Frank and Rose Miloscia 8:45AM Evan Awen
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>April 22 - Tuesday within the Octave of Easter</b> 7:00AM Concepcion Santos 8:45AM John, Dan and Denis Daly
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>April 23 - Wednesday within the Octave of Easter</b> 7:00AM Florie Fitzgerald 8:45AM Reynaldo Sadsad
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>April 24 - Thursday within the Octave of Easter</b> 7:00AM Marilyn Levinshan 8:45AM Roger Orfila
<b>Friday</b>	<b>April 25 - Friday within the Octave of Easter</b> 7:00AM James McMahon 8:45AM Anthony and Anna Tarabocchia
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>April 26—Saturday within the Octave of Easter</b> 8:30AM Byrne Family 5:30PM Francis Fitzgerald
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>April 27 - Second Sunday of Easter (or Sunday of Divine Mercy)</b> 7:45AM Deceased Members of the Quigley and Ray Families 10:00AM Parishioners of St. Mary's 12 Noon Benjamin M. Canlas



The **Bread and Wine** offered at this week's Masses are given in memory of Robert and Joan Mascarelli requested by Bill and Linda Ebenhack.

The **Sanctuary Lamp** will burn in praise of God and in memory of Robert and Joan Mascarelli and Baby Faith Russo requested by the Russo family.

## This Week



**Sunday – April 20**  
**Easter Sunday - 7:45AM. 10:00AM & 12:00PM**  
10:00AM Choir UC

**Monday – April 21**  
**Easter Monday**  
After 8:45AM Mass Rosary UC  
7:00PM OCIA Rectory

**Tuesday – April 22**  
After 8:45AM Mass Rosary UC

**Wednesday - April 23**  
After 8:45AM Mass OLPH Novena and Rosary UC  
7:30PM Line Dancing SH

**Thursday – April 24**  
After 8:45AM Mass Rosary UC  
5:30pm Irish Step Dancing LS  
8:00PM Basketball (Tuy) SH

**Friday – April 25**  
After 8:45AM Mass Rosary UC  
5:00PM Aramaic School  
8:00PM Basketball SH  
After Basketball Anointing Mass Set-up SH

**Saturday – April 26**  
8:00PM Korean School  
9:00AM Anointing Mass SH  
Collection: Catholic Home Missions Appeal

**Sunday – April 27**  
8:30PM PACT Saints Final Session  
10:00AM Adult Confirmation UC  
10:00AM Choir  
After 12:00PM Mass PALAD EB Meeting FDVRm  
Collection: Catholic Home Missions Appeal

## Stewardship Reflection

### Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

*"...He went about doing good and healing all those oppressed by the devil, for God was with him." (ACTS 10:38)*

We can't give what we don't have. Open your heart to receive God's love, mercy and forgiveness. Then, show the same to others. As God's adopted sons and daughters, we are made in His image and likeness. As Pope Benedict XVI says, "we are made for greatness." Let our lives reflect His light to others. Pray to live a grateful and generous life. Strive for greatness! We are made for more! We are made for God!



One moment in time that changed all of history and there were no witnesses. There was no one present when Jesus was raised from the dead. No one actually saw the Resurrection. No one saw what happened when the love of the Father for his only Son was so great that it destroyed death itself. It is only our faith that enables us to celebrate this moment in time as the greatest event in all of recorded history.

Today we join with Christians throughout the world to celebrate what truly makes us Christians. We celebrate the Resurrection of the One who died for our sins and in this Resurrection we celebrate the hope that we all may share in His eternal glory. In Christ's victory over death, we celebrate our hope in eternal life.

I pray that our celebration of Easter will fill you with the peace that Jesus offered to his disciples that first Easter morning. May we all find joy in knowing that our Savior is truly Risen and may we join Christians throughout the world in an endless song of praise.

**Fr. Carey**

### 2025 Easter Candle

Our sincerest thank you to the following parishioners for memorializing the 2025 Easter Candle:

From Mr. & Mrs. Erwin Cortezano:  
*IMO Maximo C. Lansang and  
Nicanor Cortezano*

From Mr. & Mrs. Lawrence Miloscia:  
*IMO of the deceased members of the  
Hans and Miloscia families.*

From Deacon and Mrs. Kathy Sylvester:  
*IMO Katie Hubert*



### Parish Office Schedule



We want parishioners to know that the parish office will be **closed all day on** Easter Monday, April 21.

### Spring Mass of Anointing



Our Spring Mass of Anointing will be concelebrated on Saturday, April 26 at 11:00 am in Szelest Hall.

We cordially invite all those who are affected by illness or confined at home to come join us as we ask God's healing upon them. 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.

If you need the assistance of the Dumont Ambulance Corp. or ordinary transportation to get to Mass that morning, please call the Parish Office at 201-384-0557.

### Divine Mercy Novena - April 18 - April 26

We invite you to join us as we start with the Divine Mercy Novena. Novena time are as follows:



- April 20, Easter Sunday, the novena can be prayed at home.
- April 21 - 25, the novena will be prayed after 8:45 am Mass.
- April 26, Saturday, after the 8:30 am Mass.
- April 27, Sunday, Divine Mercy. Prayer Service after the 12:00 Noon Mass and social to follow.

### Wedding Anniversary Liturgy

The Archdiocese of Newark is excited to announce that they are once again preparing for the annual tradition of honoring couples in our Archdiocese who will be celebrating five, twenty-five and fifty years of Catholic marriage in the Jubilee Year 2025!

**IMPORTANT:** This year there will be **ONE** anniversary liturgy for all couples from all counties. This liturgy will be celebrated by Cardinal Joseph Tobin on **Sunday, June 1st at 3 p.m.** at the Cathedral Basilica of the Sacred Heart in Newark. All family members are welcome!

***If you would like to participate in this liturgy, you need to come to the parish office and fill in a registration form so that they know the names and the number of those attending the liturgy.***





## ***PACT/Religious Education Program***

### **PACT/Religious Education**

Registration for next year's Sunday PACT/Religious Education Program takes place at our April PACT sessions. And...we are introducing our July 2025 Vacation Bible school!

### **Religious Education for Parish Children in Grades 1-8!**

Our PACT/Religious Education Program is in place for our parish families with children in grades 1 through 8 (we even have a Kindergarten). Religious Education is considered part of the curriculum for Catholic children. For more information about Religious Education and our parish *Parents And Children Together* program, e-mail us at [religiouseducation@stmarysdumont.org](mailto:religiouseducation@stmarysdumont.org) or call (201) 384-0557 Extension 20.

### **New Families Parent Meeting**

Meetings for parents of families new or returning to our parish PACT/Religious Education program are scheduled for Tuesday, June 3<sup>rd</sup> 3:30 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. To RSVP or for more information, e-mail us at [religiouseducation@stmarysdumont.org](mailto:religiouseducation@stmarysdumont.org) or call (201) 384-0557 Extension 20.

### **Vacation Bible School (VBS) – Save the Dates!**



Monday 7/28 through Friday 8/1 Vacation Bible School returns to St. Mary's! The time will be 9:00 a.m. - 12 Noon Each morning we will celebrate God's Great Big Beautiful World with music, crafts, and FUN! Registration in advance is required. For more information e-mail us at [vbs@stmarysdumont.org](mailto:vbs@stmarysdumont.org)

### **Volunteer at VBS!**

Adults/College-age/H.S. teens/and those in 6-7-8<sup>th</sup> grades volunteer together to make our VBS week a huge success. Volunteer as a co-leader, an aide, in the snack area, for recreation, story time, music, or in another way. Remember that all adults who volunteer in the Church are current with *Protecting God's Children* requirements of our Archdiocese of Newark. Give us a call at (201) 384-3062 or e-mail [vbs@stmarysdumont.org](mailto:vbs@stmarysdumont.org) for more information.

### **Catholic Relief Services Rice Bowl**



Don't forget to return your Rice Bowls to the PACT/Religious Education Office or the Rectory/Parish Office. The Rice Bowl program is in its 50<sup>th</sup> year! Why do we participate in the Rice Bowl program? For more information, visit <https://www.crsricebowl.org/>

### **Tuesday First Holy Communion Preparation**



First Communion Preparation Sessions are underway! Please join us in prayer for our families preparing their children to receive Jesus Christ in his Sacrament of the Eucharist for the first time during our Easter season at our masses on the weekends of May 3-4 and May 17-18.

## 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  
Joseph Ament...Brandon Barhydt

## Pray for Our Sick

John Ramzi...Rose O'Shea...Arvin Erd...Gary Barba  
Brian O'Dowd...Margaret Manley...Tom Aquino  
John Romaine...Anne Picciano...Lorraine Rolanti  
Skylar Frye...Scott Tkacz...Sean Hayes...N. Diamond  
Dafina Stewart...Anthony Montagnino...Heather S.  
John Eckel, Sr...Teresita Ariola...Allan Austria  
Dolores Awid...Chelsea Schwerzler...Myra D'Silva  
Stacey Juhlin...Peter Halecky...Betty Delia...Marie F.  
Patricia Adone...George & Gerry Taylor...John R.  
Antonio S...Frank Babiera...Karen and Jerry Kastner  
Karen Dean...Wilma Balingit...Michelle Irimia  
Zenaida Acero...Rosario Pingul...Agapito Pingul  
Bjorn Athayde...Ryan McHugh...Any...Luisa Castro  
Paul Bernard Francois...Daniel Thornton

## 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.

## 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.

## 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*

## 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 collections for April 12 - 13, treasure from our children and their good deeds will be in next week's bulletin.

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**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](http://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 <sup>2025</sup> APPEAL

We are grateful to share that we have already received as of Friday, April 11, 2025, **\$26,633.00** in pledges which is 48% of our goal. Thank you to all who have given so generously! Your support of the 2025 Annual Appeal helps sustain the mission of Christ in our Archdiocese. Please respond to the most recent pastor mailing to help our parish reach goal by June 30 and possibly receive financial incentives!

If you have not yet made your gift, we invite you to prayerfully consider doing so. To make an online gift, please visit [rcan.org/sharing](http://rcan.org/sharing).

Thank you for your prayers, your generosity, and your faithful support of our Catholic mission. May God bless you abundantly!

## TRUSTEE

Mrs. Janet Kaine, *Parish Trustee*

## CONTACT US

**Parish e-mail:** [info@stmarysdumont.org](mailto:info@stmarysdumont.org)

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**Food Pantry:** email: [foodpantry@stmarysdumont.org](mailto:foodpantry@stmarysdumont.org)

**Online Giving:** WeShare  
[stmarysdumont.churchgiving.com](http://stmarysdumont.churchgiving.com).

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# *St. Mary's Altar & Rosary Society Presents: Spring Back Into Bingo*

**Sunday, May 4, 2025**

**St. Mary's Church Szelest Hall (Gym)  
280 Washington Avenue, Dumont**

**Reservations Required: Cost - \$20**

**Includes: 11 Games of Bingo**

**Dessert, Coffee & Tea**

**Doors open at 2pm Bingo starts at 2:30pm**

**Additional Boards \$5**

**Bingo prizes start at \$20 per game**

**Prizes to be split depending on the number of winners per game**

**Must be 18 years or older to play**

**BYOB & Snacks permitted**

**Come join us for a relaxing Sunday afternoon  
and some good old-fashioned fun!**

**Please contact Kathleen Mullins @ 201.310.1159 or email  
[rosaryaltarsociety@stmarysdumont.org](mailto:rosaryaltarsociety@stmarysdumont.org) with any questions**

*Tables of 8. If you do not have a full table, your party will be combined with another table. Please include names & payment for each person at your table.*

Contact Person: 1) _____	Phone: _____
2) _____	6) _____
3) _____	7) _____
4) _____	8) _____
5) _____	

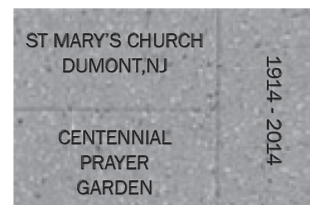
**Amount Enclosed: \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

**Please drop payment and form to the Rectory between 9 am & 5 pm or  
mail to St. Mary's Altar & Rosary, 280 Washington Ave, Dumont NJ 07628**



# St. Mary's Church

## Prayer Garden Memorial Brick



*Memorial bricks for the St. Mary's Prayer Garden may be purchased in memory of a loved one, or to commemorate a special occasion. Bricks are ordered annually and placed in our garden in the spring. If you would like to order a brick, please complete the form below:*

### Engraving Information

Your brick can have up to **3 lines** of wording and numbers **20 characters per line**  
(this includes spaces and punctuation)

Please make sure your engraving information is spelled correctly  
(Please print clearly)

Brick #1


Brick #2


Brick #3 - For more than 3 bricks, please make another copy of this flyer


Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

# \_\_\_\_\_ Bricks @ \$50.00 each = \_\_\_\_\_ (Brick size 4 X 8")

Make Checks Payable to: St. Mary's Church

Mail completed form and donation to: St. Mary's Church, 280 Washington Ave., Dumont, N.J. 07628  
Or drop in collection box or at the Rectory.

**Deadline to submit the form is June 30, 2025**