



The People of God called to form the Christian Community of

St. Mary's Church

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Mass Schedule

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: 7:00 am & 8:45 am
Saturday: 8:30 am
Holiday: 9:00 am on Major Civil Holidays

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!

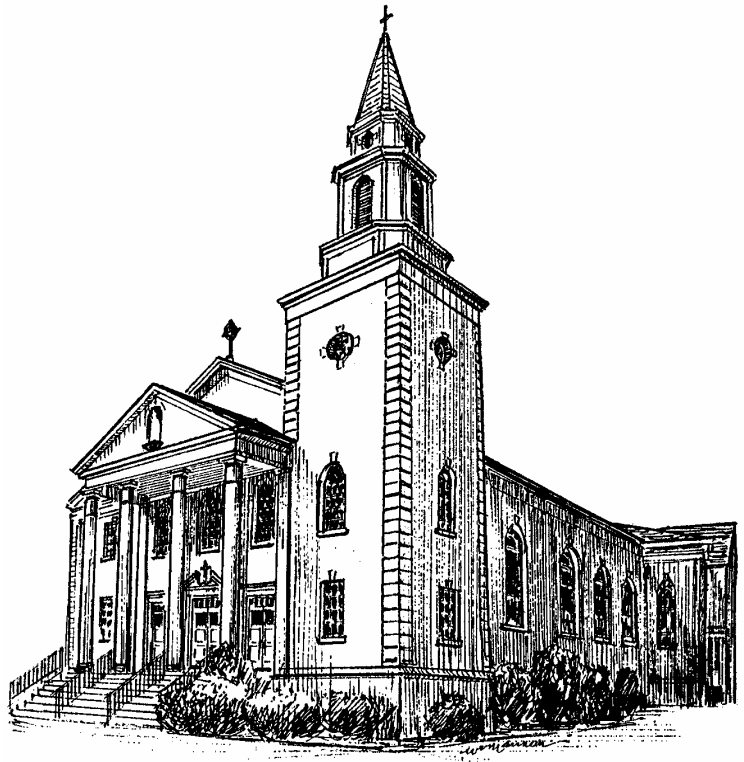
Religious Devotions

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

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

First Friday of the month, 9:00 am - 7:00 pm, in the lower church.

Twenty-Third Sunday in
Ordinary Time
September 8, 2013



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**Co-Sponsored School of St. Mary's, St. John
and Ascension**

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



Saturday	Sept. 7 - Vigil
5:30PM	Willie, Elena and Elmer Padaloy (Living)
Sunday	Sept. 8 - Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
7:45AM	Fr. Theodore Szelest
10:00AM	Pedro Lepon
12 Noon	Parishioners of St. Mary's
Monday	Sept. 9 - St. Peter Claver
7:00AM	Valerio Laya (Living)
8:45AM	Peggy Keating
Tuesday	Sept. 10 - Weekday
7:00AM	Phil O'Connell
8:45AM	Peggy Keating
Wednesday	Sept. 11 - Weekday
7:00AM	Michael Sullivan
8:45AM	Breeda O'Connor (Living)
Thursday	Sept. 12 - Weekday
	The Most Holy Name of Mary
7:00AM	Timothy and Nora Sheehan
8:45AM	Timothy Sheehan
Friday	Sept. 13 - St. John Chrysostom
7:00AM	Martin Cain (Living)
8:45AM	Michael McCabe
Saturday	Sept. 14 - The Exaltation of the Holy Cross
8:30AM	Rene Magbanua
5:30PM	Parishioners of St. Mary's
Sunday	Sept. 15 - Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time
7:45AM	Frances Zanker
10:00AM	Frances Bishopp
12 Noon	Andrea Banzil

In Loving Memory

The Bread and Wine offered at this week's Masses are given in memory of Donald Murray requested by the Murray family.

The Sanctuary Lamp will burn in praise of God and in memory of Josephine DeCristofaro requested by the Dore and Maurice families.



We ask your prayers for our recently deceased Asuncion (Anna) Mecca and Patricia O'Connor.

Sunday – Sept. 8

9:00AM Catechist Meeting/New Catechist Meeting Library-School

Birth of the Virgin Mary. Social to follow after the 10:00AM Mass SFC.

After All Masses Blood Drive Lower Lot Eastern Europe Collection

Monday – Sept. 9

After 8:45AM Mass Rosary LC

7:00PM Catechist Meeting/New Catechist Meeting Library-School

7:30PM Parish Council Meeting FDVRm

Tuesday – Sept. 10

After 8:45AM Mass Rosary LC

3:30PM Catechist Meeting/New Catechist Meeting Library-School

5:30PM Basketball SH

Wednesday - Sept. 11

After 8:45AM Mass Rosary LC

7:00PM Knitters and Crocheters FDVRm

7:00PM OLPH Novena LC

7:30PM-9:30PM Line Dancing SH

Thursday – Sept. 12

After 8:45AM Mass Rosary LC

7:30PM Yoga (Linda) SFC

Friday – Sept. 13

After 8:45AM Mass Rosary LC

10:00AM St. John's Food Kitchen, Newark

7:00PM Basketball SH

Saturday – Sept. 14

After 8:30AM Mass Rosary LC

11:00AM Memorial Mass for Helen Timmers

Food Collection

Mission Appeal

Feast of the Holy Cross

Sunday – Sept. 15

7:30AM Feeding at Missionaries of Charity Soup Kitchen, Newark

11:00AM New Parent Meeting Library-School

All Masses Catechetical Blessing

Food Collection

Mission Appeal

Schedules:

Daily Masses

We are back to the regular schedule of two daily Masses - 7:00am & 8:45am.

Parish Office Hours

Beginning Friday, Sept. 13, the parish office will once again be open until 8:00 PM on Friday evenings.

Serving in Afghanistan

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

- Wayne Lawton...Michael Bianco...Kyle Zownir
- Alicia Newball...Angelica Peji...Anthony Hacket, Jr.
- Donald Dickson...Edward Bryan Frago
- Anthony Dunkin...Christopher Lynch...Brian Collins
- Tyler Thompson...Michael Whitford
- James Phillips...James R. Melady...Ryan Shireman
- Joshua M LaBazzetta...Aidan Nugent
- Alvin Joseph Garabiles...Christopher Cookson
- Christopher Minayn...Christopher Kishbach
- Major David Christopher Pierson
- Capt. Peter Messina

If you have a relative serving in Afghanistan, please call the rectory so that we can add his/her name and offer a prayer for him/her.

Pray for our Sick

- Peter Ramzi...John Ramzi...Dona...Larry Rubin
- Roberto Choi...Helen Smyth...Yolanda DiCola
- Sara Kinzler...Ali McMahan...Anita Harry
- Donald Trainor...Suzanne West...Bob Jackson
- Bob Dondero...Emily Stevens...Brian J. Murphy
- Rita Crowley...Lorraine Riordan...Vivian Peene
- Sr. Peggy McGaffney, SSND...Bill Bochicchio
- Eileen O'Leary...Melody Andres...Kathy Gallagher
- Lidia Belulovich...Peggy Dunshee...Richie
- Eileen & Marcus Flaherty...Richard Fitzgibbon
- Hailey van Weathering...Melody Andres
- Lyla McMahan...Kristi Marie Carbonaro
- William, Robert and Mildred Dellner...Nancy Quiroz
- Deborah Gallager...Mary Fuhrman...Kathy Jury

Rosary Linen Schedule:
September - October 2013

- Sept. 8 Mary Boyle
- Sept. 15 Eleanor King
- Sept. 22 Roz Callahan
- Sept. 29 Margaret Kennedy
- Oct. 6 Joan DiPaola
- Oct. 13 Sue Schettino

The following offerings are still available for :

2013:

Sanctuary Lamp - Nov. 17.

2014:

Bread & Wine - Jan. 5 & 12; Feb. 9; Mar. 16;
Apr. 27; May 4, 11, 18, & 25; June 8 & 22.
Sanctuary Lamp - Mar. 9, & 16; Apr. 27; May 4;
June 22.

***A Thought from
Ven. Miriam Teresa:***



Since He is the Author of all law, He can dispense with His own rulings, if He so chooses. There are numerous cases: Magdalen, the penitent thief, Saul. In an instant God perfected in them that supernatural life which ordinarily He accomplishes, provided man consents, only in a lifetime. He had His own motives in so doing; it is for us not to question, but to admire and glorify.

(G.P., p. 83)

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Please pray for her Canonization and visit our new painting of her located in the vestibule of our church.

**Prayer for Canonization**

*Most Holy and Blessed Trinity, Whom Sister Miriam loved so ardently, grant that we, like her, may become ever more conscious of Your Divine Presence within our souls. We implore You to show signs that Your humble servant enjoys glory with You in Heaven, and to hasten the day when we may render her a public tribute of our veneration and love.*

*Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit, as it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end.  
Amen.*

**Archbishop's Annual Appeal**



Thank you to our many parishioners who have already made their pledge to the 2013 Archbishop's Annual Appeal. As of Aug. 14th, 220 families pledged for a total of **\$42,546.00**. With your help, we can reach and hopefully surpass our **goal of \$52,917.00**.

If you have not done so, please remember to return your completed pledge envelope for the Archbishop's Annual Appeal. You may place the envelope in the collection basket or bring it to the parish office.





"I am a Christian and I will remain a Christian even to the point of death. Only to God will I offer my life. Even if I had a thousand lives, I would still offer them to him."

- San Lorenzo Ruiz

September 28 is the feast day of **Saint Lorenzo Ruiz** (1600-1637), Dominican missionary, the first saint of the Philippines, and the first Filipino martyred for the faith. Lorenzo Ruiz was a layman, married, and had two sons and a daughter. Born in Binondo, Manila, in 1600, he received his education from the Dominicans. He was an altar boy and later, helper and clerk-sacristan in the church of Binondo. He excelled in calligraphy, from which he probably made his living. An adverse event made him leave the Philippines in 1636. Lorenzo joined some missionary priests bound for Japan. There he was arrested and imprisoned together with his companions, because of their Christian faith. Lorenzo went through agonizing punishment when he refused to renounce his faith. He gave his life that faith may live in the hearts of many. Pope John Paul II described Lorenzo Ruiz as the *"most improbable of saints"*.



St. Mary's Church in Dumont, NJ

Celebrates

The Feast of San Lorenzo Ruiz

**Sunday, September 22, 2013**

**12 Noon Mass**

Celebrant: Rev. Dominic G. Ciriaco

Followed by Novena (9<sup>th</sup> day)

Fellowship at the Spiritual  
Formation Center