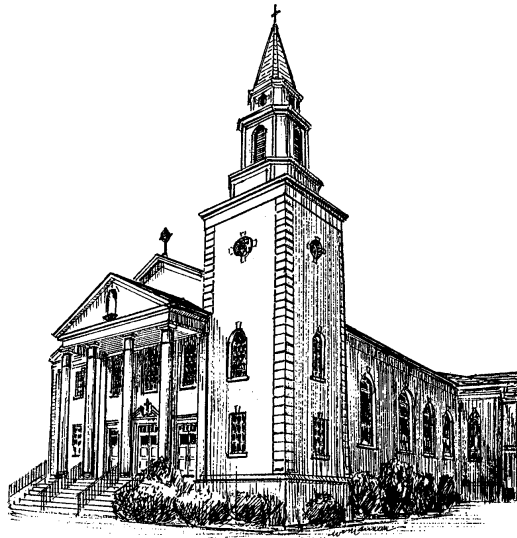


The People of God called to form the Christian Community of

St. Mary's Church

November 15, 2015

*Thirty-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. Patrick W. Donohue, *Administrator*
Rev. Michael S. P. Trainor, *Parochial Vicar*
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Mr. Joel Condon, *Director of Music Ministry*
Mrs. Kathleen Sylvester, *Pastoral Associate for Liturgy/RCIA*
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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 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	Nov. 14 - Vigil
5:30PM	Parishioners of St. Mary's
Sunday	Nov. 15 - Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:00AM	Brendan Rooney
10:00AM	Anatalia Laya
12 Noon	Salvatore Tagliareni
Monday	Nov. 16 - Weekday
	Sts. Margaret of Scotland and Gertrude
7:00AM	Yolanda Santos (Living)
8:45AM	Bridie and Joe Simon
Tuesday	Nov. 17 - St. Elizabeth of Hungary
7:00AM	Marie Grace Feulner
8:45AM	Emily Stevens
Wednesday	Nov. 18 - Weekday
	The Dedication of the Basilicas Of Sts. Peter and Paul; St. Rose Philippine Duchesne
7:00AM	Eugene and Gertrude Vilorio
8:45AM	Mona O'Brien
Thursday	Nov. 19 - Weekday
7:00AM	Gloria Waters
8:45AM	Joan Barry
Friday	Nov. 20 - Weekday
7:00AM	Lillian Giuliano
8:45AM	Robert Trennes
Saturday	Nov. 21 - The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary
8:30AM	- Memorial Mass

Teresa Sobieralski **Cecelia Sinclair**
Carmelita Aduna

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5:30PM	Morris Laskau
Sunday	Nov. 22 - Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe
8:00AM	Parishioners of St. Mary's
10:00AM	Amparo Gamaro
12 Noon	John and Dianne Rubio (Living)

In Loving Memory



The Bread and Wine offered at this week's Masses are given in memory of Bochicchio and Reilly families requested by Mr. & Mrs. Bochicchio.

MEMORIALS The Sanctuary Lamp will burn in praise of God and in memory of Trudis and Gene Viloria requested by Judy and Helen.



Sunday – Nov. 15

7:30AM Feeding at Missionaries of Charity Soup
Kitchen, Newark
8:30AM PACT Angels Session LC/School
Baptism
After 12:00PM Mass PALAD Simbang Gabi
Meeting FDVRm
2nd Collection-Black & White/Catholic Relief Svcs.

Monday - Nov. 16

After 8:45AM Mass Rosary LC
6:00PM Bell Choir Rehearsal UC
7:00PM PACT Angels Session / Fall Parent Meeting
UC/School
7:30PM Filipino Choir Rehearsal UC
7:30PM Social Justice Meeting PJ23Rm

Tuesday – Nov. 17

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

Wednesday - Nov. 18

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

Thursday – Nov. 19

After 8:45AM Mass Rosary LC
1:00PM Knitters and Crocheters FDVRm
7:00PM Bereavement Support Group MSRm
7:30PM Yoga (Linda) SFC

Friday – Nov. 20

9:30AM & 6:00PM Distribution of Thanksgiving
Baskets LC
5:30PM Basketball SH

Saturday – Nov. 21

After 8:30AM Mass Rosary LC
9:00AM - 3:00PM Elks SH

Sunday – Nov. 22

8:30AM PACT Saints Session LC/School
10:00AM Mass Youth Recognition Blessing Enrico
(Youth) & Richard (Adult)
11:00AM PACT Confirmation Retreat Team School
11:00AM RCIA for Young Adults MSRm
After 12:00PM Mass PALAD Simbang Gabi
Meeting FDVRm
6:30PM Youth Group JWALK Meeting YRm

Feast of Christ the King

The baskets of flowers in the sanctuary for this week is given in Thanksgiving of Jaycon.



PD Reflections,

This past week we marked Veteran's Day. Since we need to prepare the bulletin early I have been reflecting on this commemoration. When I was in Hackensack I used to participate in the ceremony on the Green which takes place each year at 11 AM. The 11th hour of the eleventh day of the eleventh months recalls the armistice which ended World War I in 1918. The so-called war to end all wars has sadly been inaccurate.

My family had many veterans. My mother had four brothers and a sister who served while my father and his three brothers were all in World War II. One of them did not return and is buried in the Philippines. Several years ago they named bridges in our area after veterans who gave their lives so there is a John F. Donohue bridge in Saddle River. Several years ago I was at lunch after a funeral with several bishops, and one of them who was the pastor of St. Gabriel's Parish told me that he had driven over my uncle's bridge. Archbishop Gerety quickly commented, "Gee, Pat, I didn't know you were related to George Washington."

There are fewer veterans from WW II around these days, the members of what Tom Brokaw's called the Greatest Generation. However, there are veterans of the Korean and Vietnam wars and recent years have seen American troops in Iraq and Afghanistan. Many of these soldiers return wounded physically or mentally die to post traumatic stress. Sadly as governments try to cut budgets, the care available for these veterans is limited.

Let us pray for peace in our world that the list of veterans does not grow longer. Let us pray for veterans that they receive the help they need to lead productive lives when they return home.

Fr. Pat

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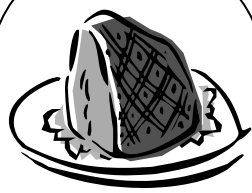
THANK YOU

Many thanks to Malu Canlas, her committee, and volunteers for the wonderful job they did for making Autumn Festival (formerly know as International Night) a success. Good food, good music and of course good time with friends and loved ones. Again thank you very much.

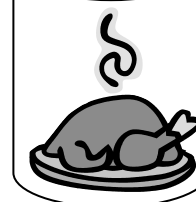
Thanksgiving Baskets

It is time to start collecting food for Thanksgiving Baskets. We ask that if everyone brings one or two items, listed below, between now and when we distribute the baskets on Nov. 20th, we will be able to fill the baskets. Most of all, if anyone can contribute a **frozen TURKEY** or **HAM** please do so. Turkey or Ham can be brought to the Rectory and we will store them in. our freezers. Thanks again for your kind generosity. Let's help our neighbors so they will have a bountiful Thanksgiving.

Ham



Turkey



Stuffing
Instant Potatoes
Rice
Macaroni & Cheese
Dry Soup

Apple Sauce
Yams

Dessert Items:
Jello/Pudding
Cake & Brownie
Mix

Canned Goods:

Cranberry Sauce
Fruits
Vegetables
Pasta
Soup
Tuna
Beans
Pork & Beans
Spaghetti Sauce

Drinks:

Juices
Coffee
Tea
Powdered Milk

Paper Goods:

Napkins
Toilet Paper
Paper Towels

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.”

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Collection Nov. 7 - 8	\$10,904.25
Same Weekend 2014	\$ 9,633.00

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*Here are some of the good deeds that the children of St. Mary's did as a way of showing their love of God and of our parish. We hope that they will always know how important what they do for God and for us truly is. Even though they are still young, they can give us a wonderful example to follow.*

***“I said my prayers.” “I helped someone.”  
“I got up to let an elderly sit down.”  
“I fed the dogs.” “I cleaned the table.”  
“I say sorry when I did mistakes.”***

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Peter Ramzi...John Ramzi...Donald Trainor
Suzanne West...Dan and Jean Pope...Riley Rose
Rose O'Shea...Teagan Davis...Donna Khuri...John K.
Ramzi Khuri...Sean Fleming...Marcus Flaherty
Sean Hayes...Sandra Edmonds...John Perrotta
Hailey van Weathering...Lyla McMahon...Dona
Tom Jones...Ilene Levine...Crystal Stiefel...Fred
Clare Leonard...Rita Crowley...Curita Timeteo
Rosemarie, William, and Mildred Dellner
Lisa Nallen...Peggy Dunshee...Angelina Uvenio
Kristi Marie Carbonaro...Constance Cookson
Fran Morrissey...Lisa Nallen...Mary Szymanski
George DiCostanzo...Catherine...Barbara Moran
Betty & Joseph Kuprel...Donna Van Kleeck
Theresa Giacalone...Steve Charowsky...John Dillon
Tricia Rankin...Marlene Nappi...Nancy Quiroz
Anthony Vonatzingen..Tina Dore..Frank McKeon
Jim Hans...Emily DelVecchio...Mary Fuley
Frank Uvenio...Angelina...Isabel...Gustavo Puerta

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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.

The Advent Giving Tree

Advent is a time to rejoice in the birth of Jesus; the season of Hope, Peace, Love and Joy. As part of the Advent spiritual journey we invite you to participate in the Giving Tree. This year, with your support and generosity, we will provide gifts to families through the Dumont Department of Human Services and The Nurturing Place (formerly The York Street Project) in Jersey City.

Gift tags become available the weekend of November 28 & 29. If there are any questions regarding the Giving Tree please call Josie Parrella at 201-387-0786.

Copies of St. Joseph's Sunday missals are now available for purchase. The cost is \$4.00 for each missal. They can also be purchased at the parish office Monday to Friday, 9:00AM - 6:00PM.



PACT/Religious Education Program

PACT/Religious Education Weekday Parent Meetings

Our weekday PACT parents (Monday and Tuesday programs) attend four special parent sessions each year. Weekday PACT parents may attend either Monday evening or Tuesday afternoon. The Fall/pre-Advent meetings are:

Monday, 11/16 at 7:00 p.m.

OR

Tuesday 11/17 at 3:30 p.m.

Our Sunday PACT parents attend each session with their children.

Confirmation Retreat Team

For those already confirmed who are helping with retreat, the November meeting is 11/22 after the 10:00 mass.



First Penance/Reconciliation/Confession will be celebrated here at St. Mary's on Saturday, December 5th. Please pray for our candidates, families, and our parish family that we may always seek reconciliation with our forgiving Lord.



Bereavement Session

Our session date is Thursday, November 19. All meetings are held in the Parish Office from 7:00 – 8:15 PM. If you are interested in joining us, please contact the Parish Office at 201-384-0557.

Offerings Still Available

2016 Bread & Wine:

May 22; Jun 12, & 19; July 3 & 10; Aug. 7, 21, & 28
Sept. 4, 11, 18, & 25; Oct. 2, 9, 16 & 23; Nov. 13 & 20;
Dec. 18.

2016 Sanctuary Lamp:

May 15 & 22; July 17 & 31; Aug. 7, 21, & 28; Sept. 18,
Sept. 25; Oct. 2, 9, 16 & 23; Nov. 27; Dec. 11.

PALAD Corner

Lucky Weeks Club Winner:

Raffle# 6 - Drawing Date: 11/04/2015

Name: Teresita Joaquin

All drawings are held at Szelest Hall at 7:30 p.m. on Wednesdays. Winners need not be present. Proceeds to benefit St. Mary's Air Conditioning Project.

Calling All Parents/Youth of St. Mary's Church !!!

We are now putting together the cast for the Nativity for our annual *Simbang Gabi* (Advent Night Mass) celebration. Sign your children/yourself up for any of the following roles/positions:

*Angels (girls) and shepherds (boys), ages 3-12

*3 Kings (3 boys) and Innkeepers (3 girls),
ages 12-15

*Nativity children's choir

*Stagehands

Watch them with pride as they participate in the "greatest story ever told"!

Simbang Gabi 2015 celebration will be held on Friday, Dec 18, at 7pm at St. Mary's, Dumont.

Rehearsals at Szelest Hall (gym) are on:

Dec 6, Sunday, after 12 pm Mass

Dec 13, Sunday, after 12 pm Mass

Dec 16, Wednesday, 6:00 pm -7:30pm.

Please leave your contact information

by Nov 28 with Marichi 201-385-8529, or

Tatess 201- 486-5852, or parish office 201-384-0557.

St. Mary's Altar & Rosary Christmas Party

St. Mary's Altar and Rosary is having their Annual Christmas Party at Madeleine's Petit Paris on Wednesday, Dec. 2nd at 7:00PM. All women of the parish are welcome! The cost is \$45.00 per person. Reservation deadline is Monday, Nov. 23rd. Please check the flyers at the doors of the church for more information.

Knights of Columbus

Next Regular Meeting – Monday November 16th at 8PM followed by a lecture with Father Paul Cannariato, the pastor of St. Mary's in Closter.

Blood Drive – Sunday November 21st from 9AM to 2PM at the Council.

Corporate Communion - at St. Mary's Church - Sunday November 29th at 10AM. Please assemble about 15 minutes before Mass in the vestibule. Continental breakfast will follow at the Council. RSVP to Ken at 516-220-9333 or email kof1345reservations@gmail.com.

J-Walk – St. Mary's Youth Ministry

2015 Christmas Wreath and Grave Blanket

Order Form

Place Order weeks of November 22, November 29 –
Pick-Up December 13, 2105 (at Rectory Garage)

Name: _____

Contact Person Phone # _____ Email: _____

Drop form at parish office or email stmarysjwalk@gmail.com Payment due upon delivery.

14 " Double-Sided Decorated Balsam Wreath

Quantity

_____ @\$20.00 each = \$ _____

Pick choice of wreath

_____ Natural décor wreath, pine cones and berries

_____ Holiday ball wreath, pine cones & Christmas balls

Balsam Fir Decorated Grave Covers 16" x 32 "

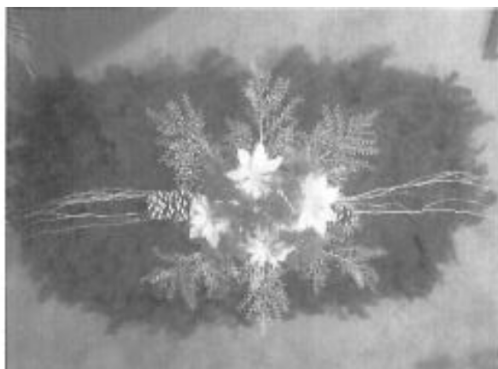
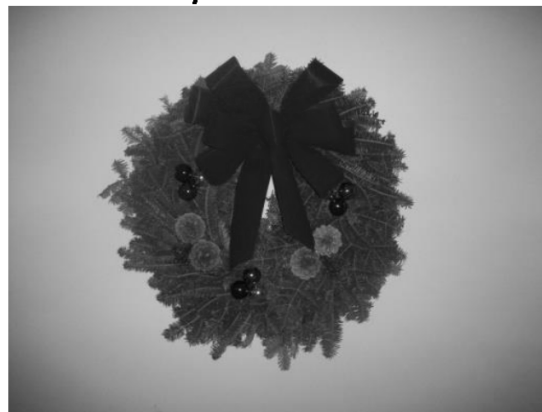
Quantity

_____ \$25.00 each = \$ _____

Natural Décor Wreath



Holiday Ball Décor Wreath



Advent Wreath Making



Cookies and
Hot Chocolate
will be served

**Sunday, November 29, 2015
9:00AM–1:30PM
Spiritual Formation Center**

Fresh Evergreens and blue ribbon will be provided. Wreath forms and candles are available for purchase.

Each family should bring:

- Wire, scissors, glue gun (if you have one)
- Ribbons, nuts, pinecones, cinnamon sticks or anything else to decorate the wreath.
- **Please let us know if you will attend so we can have the necessary supplies.**

REGISTRATION FORM

Family Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

Number of: Adults _____ Children _____

_____ We will need a form and candles. (\$10)

_____ We will only need candles. (\$5) *(If your family has a wreath form from a previous year, please bring it with you.)*

Please make checks payable to St. Mary's Church.

Questions or concerns?

Please call Felicia at 201-385-2285 or e-mail feliciaarrigoitia@yahoo.com