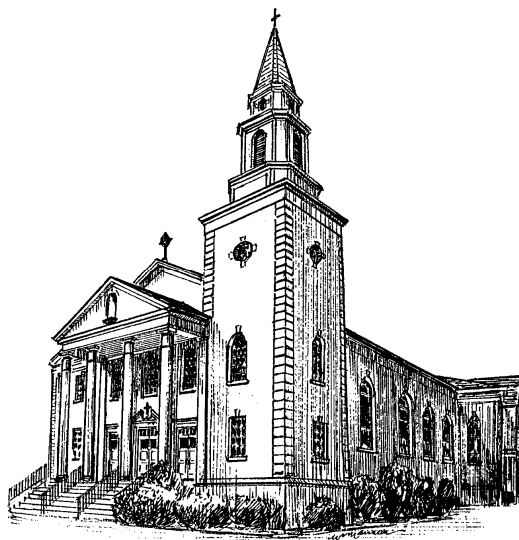


The People of God called to form the Christian Community of

St. Mary's Church

November 13, 2016

***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. 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/RCLA*
Dr. William J. Mascitello, *Pastoral Associate for Catechetics*
Mr. Rudy Asistin, *Business Administrator*
Mr. Ed Kostka, *Director Maintenance and Facilities*
Beth Miloscia, *Youth and Young Adult Ministries*
Coleen Rugani, *Receptionist*
Dory Weiss, *Parish Secretary*
Mrs. Mattea Truppe, *Pastoral Council Chairperson*
Mrs. Janet Kaine, *Parish Trustee*
Mr. Michael Daly, *Parish Trustee*

Parish e-mail: info@stmarysdumont.org
Parish Website: www.stmarysdumont.org

Religious Education Office: 201-384-3062
e-mail: religioused@stmarysdumont.org

Director of Music:
email: music@stmarysdumont.org

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	Nov. 12 - Vigil
5:30PM	Lena and James Fusco
Sunday	Nov. 13 - Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:00AM	Dan Sheehan
10:00AM	Timothy J. Gallagher
12 Noon	Joan A. Lowney
Monday	Nov. 14 - Weekday
7:00AM	In Thanksgiving Vives Family (Living)
8:45AM	James Hans, Jr.
Tuesday	Nov. 15 - Weekday
7:00AM	John Kerner
8:45AM	Salvatore Tagliareni
Wednesday	Nov. 16 - Weekday
7:00AM	Gertrude Vioria
8:45AM	Bridie and Joe Simon
Thursday	Nov. 17 - St. Elizabeth of Hungary
7:00AM	John Ragone
8:45AM	Dr. Peter Carosella
Friday	Nov. 18 - Weekday
7:00AM	Parishioners of St. Mary's
8:45AM	Echio Dy
Saturday	Nov. 19 - Weekday
8:30AM	Martin Bertolini
5:30PM	Gloria Waters
Sunday	Nov. 20 - Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe
8:00AM	Vitus Stangl
10:00AM	Carlos Rene Padilla Castro
12 Noon	John and Dian Rubio (Living)

In Loving Memory



The Bread and Wine offered at this week's Masses are given in memory of John Likely, Jr. requested by his mother.

The Sanctuary Lamp will burn in praise of God and in memory of Luigi Raffa and Stanley Raffa requested by Maria.

The baskets of flowers in the sanctuary for this week is given in memory of Luigi Raffa and Stanley Raffa requested by Maria.



2017 Sunday Missals

Copies of St. Joseph's Sunday missals are now available for purchase. The cost is \$4.00 for each missal.

Sunday – Nov. 13

8:30AM PACT Angels Session LC/School

12:00PM Baptism UC

After 12:00PM Mass PALAD Meeting Simbang Gabi FDVRm

Monday - Nov. 14

After 8:45AM Mass Rosary LC

6:00PM Bell Choir Rehearsal UC

7:00PM PACT Angels Session/Fall Parent Meeting UC/School

7:30PM Social Justice Meeting PJ23Rm

Tuesday – Nov. 15

After 8:45AM Mass Rosary LC

5:30PM Basketball SH

6:30PM Schola Cantorum Rehearsal UC

7:30PM Adult Choir Rehearsal UC

7:30PM Finance Council Meeting FDVRm

Wednesday - Nov. 16

After 8:45AM Mass Rosary LC

7:00PM OLPH Novena LC

7:00PM Arts and Environment Meeting Sacristy

7:30PM Line Dancing SH

7:30PM Yoga (Anne Marie) PJ23Rm

Thursday – Nov. 17

After 8:45AM Mass Rosary LC

1:00PM Knitters and Crocheters FDVRm

7:30PM Yoga (Linda) SFC

Friday – Nov. 18

After 8:45AM Mass Rosary LC

7:00PM Basketball SH

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

Saturday – Nov. 19

After 8:30AM Mass Rosary LC

Second Collection-Black & Indian/Catholic Relief Services

Sunday – Nov. 20

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

8:30AM PACT Saints Session LC/School

11:00AM Confirmation Retreat Team Library

After 12:00PM Mass PALAD Meeting Simbang Gabi FDVRm

6:30PM JWALK Meeting YRm

Second Collection-Black & Indian/Catholic Relief Services

Feast of Christ the King

From the Pastor

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This past week, with everyone's attention focused on the national elections, the Catholic Church was observing National Vocations Awareness Week. This is an annual week-long celebration of the Catholic Church in the United States dedicated to promoting vocations to the priesthood, diaconate and consecrated life through prayer and education. It is also a time for all of us to renew our prayers and support for those who are considering one of these particular vocations. NVAW began in 1976 and since 2014, it has been observed during the first full week of November.

While a severe shortage of priests has troubled most parts of country, for many years our Archdiocese has been blessed with numerous vocations. But as many of our priests approach retirement age, the reality of the priest shortage will soon affect our Archdiocese of Newark. The process of parish mergers and parish closures which has become the norm in so many parts of the country has already begun in here in our Archdiocese. A shortage of priests will force the acceleration of this process.

Before it is too late, each of us must do what we can to promote vocations to the priesthood. We need to encourage young men and not so young men to respond to God's call to serve in the church. The Vocations Office of the Archdiocese of Newark has a website, www.NewPriestsNJ.com with a great deal of information on what each of us can do to promote vocations to the priesthood. We must also work to promote vocations to the diaconate and to consecrated life. Most importantly, we must remember that this should not be limited to one week of the year. Each and every day we must pray for vocations.

Fr. Carey

The Advent Giving Tree

We will again this year, with your support and generosity, 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 26 & 27 (corrected date). If there are any questions regarding the Giving Tree please call Josie Parrella at 201-387-0786.

Learn About Social Justice on Monday, November 14.

The St. Mary's Social Justice Committee will meet Monday, Nov. 14 at 7:30 p.m. in the Pope St. John XXIII room next to the SFC. New members are welcome!

We will begin with a discussion the importance of nature, the environment and Native American concerns. We will also plan for two important events in 2017. Join a great group of parishioners who have so much fun doing God's work. For more information, call the parish office or email Deacon John at deaconjohn@stmarysdumont.org.

Thanksgiving Baskets

We will be **distributing** the baskets on **Nov. 18th**. There is still time if you're planning to contribute a **frozen TURKEY** or **HAM**. They can be dropped off at the Parish Office during office hours, Monday-Friday, 9:00am-6:00pm. Thanks again for your kind generosity. Let's help our neighbors so they will have a bountiful Thanksgiving.



Turkey



Ham

St. Mary's Altar & Rosary Society Annual Christmas Party

St. Mary's Altar & Rosary Society is having their Annual Christmas Party on:

Sunday, Dec. 4
12:30pm - 4:30pm
Madeleine's Petit Paris
416 Tappan Rd.
Northvale, NJ
Cost is \$35 per person

Please return the completed form by Saturday, Nov. 19.

If there are any questions please call Mary Loughlin, 201-387-0162 or Carol McGuire, 201-439-1091.

“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 Nov. 5-6, treasure from our children and their good deeds will be in the Nov. 19-20 bulletin.

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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.

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
- Stagehands

- *Watch them with pride as they participate in the*
- *“Greatest Story Ever Told”!*

Simbang Gabi 2016 celebration will be held on Friday, Dec 16, at 7pm at St. Mary's.

- Rehearsals at Szelest Hall (gym) are on:

Dec 3, Saturday, 2 pm – 5 pm

Dec 11, Sunday, after 12 pm Mass

- Dec 14, Wednesday, 6:00 pm -7:30pm.

Please leave your contact information by Nov 25 with Marichi 201-385-8529 or

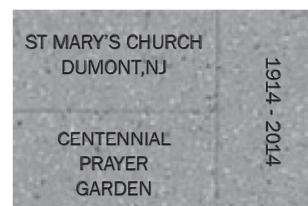
Feb. 19; Mar. 12 & 19; Apr. 16; May 7, 14 & 21;
June 11; Jul. 2, 9, 16, 23, & 30; Aug. 6, 13, & 20 & 27;
Sept. 24; Oct. 1, 15, & 22; Nov. 19; Dec. 3, 10, & 31.

- Tatess 201-486-5852 or
Parish Office 201-384-0557.



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.

J-Walk – St. Mary's Youth Ministry

2016 Christmas Wreath and Grave Blanket

Order Form

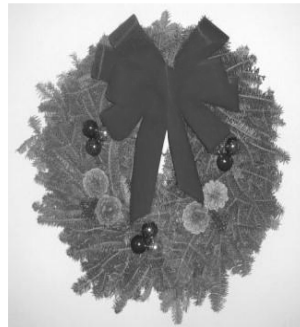
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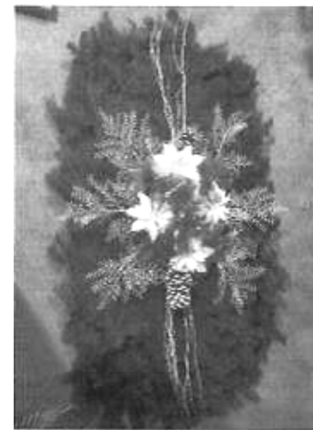
Email: _____

Drop form at parish office or email Beth Miloscia at youthmin@stmarysdumont.orgBy **Monday, November 21, 2016****ITEM A**

Natural Décor Wreath
14 inches
Decorated with
pinecones and berries

**ITEM B**

Holiday Ball Décor Wreath
14 inches
Decorated with pinecones,
berries and Christmas balls

**ITEM C**

Grave Blanket
16 inches by 32 inches
Decorated Balsam Fir

<u>Item</u>	<u>Quantity</u>	<u>Price</u>	<u>Total</u>
A		\$20.00	
B		\$20.00	
C		\$25.00	

Total Amount Due \$ _____

Please enclose payment with this form

Pick-Up December 3rd – 4th after all the Masses at the rectory garage