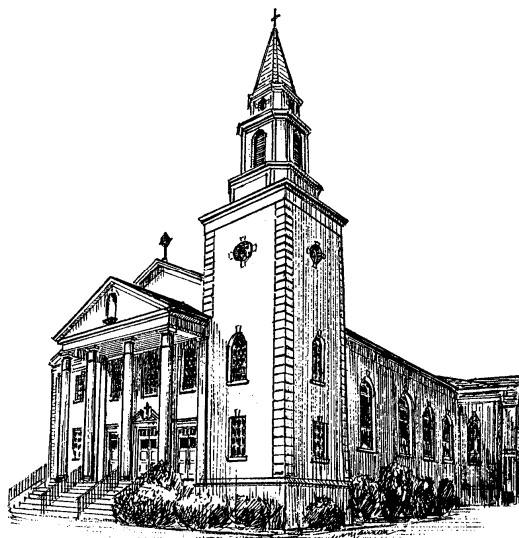


The People of God called to form the Christian Community of

St. Mary's Church

August 27, 2017

*Twenty-First 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/RCIA*
Dr. William J. Mascitello, *Pastoral Associate for Catechetics*
Mr. Rudy Asistin, *Business Administrator*
Beth Miloscia, *Youth and Young Adult Ministries*
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: religiously@stmarysdumont.org

Director of Music:
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Eucharistic 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, 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.



Saturday Aug. 26 - Vigil
5:30PM Mike McDonough

Sunday Aug. 27 - Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time
7:45AM Angie Uvenio
10:00AM Richard Bishopp
12 Noon Parishioners of St. Mary's

Monday Aug. 28 - St. Augustine
7:00AM Kathy Palumbo
8:45AM Sharyn D'Silva (Living)

Tuesday Aug. 29 - The Passion of St. John the Baptist
7:00AM Renato Cachuela (Living)
8:45AM Fr. Theodore Szelest 10th Anniversary

Wednesday Aug. 30 - Weekday
7:00AM Gabriel Devine
8:45AM Rose Bove

Thursday Aug. 31 - Weekday
7:00AM Kathleen and Jim Hughes
8:45AM John Walters

Friday Sept. 1 - Weekday
7:00AM Frank Dooley
8:45AM Helen Low

Saturday Sept. 2 - Weekday
8:30AM Christopher Connelly
5:30PM Parishioners of St. Mary's

Sunday Sept. 3 - Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
7:45AM Stanley Raffa
10:00AM Rita Padrevito
12 Noon Bob Holowacz

In Loving Memory



The Bread and Wine offered at this week's Masses are given in memory of Mary Piccinich and Josephine DeCristafaro requested by Mattea and Robert Truppe and The Piccinich Families.

The Sanctuary Lamp will burn in praise of God and in memory of Pablo Naong requested by May Malaluan.

We ask your prayers for our recently deceased Michael Andrew King, Kathleen R. Boyd, and Jeanne Collins Helbock.

Summer Schedule

Friday, Sept. 1st, will be the last day that the Parish Office will **close at 3:00 PM.** Beginning Friday, September 8th, the Parish Office is back to regular schedule

Sunday – Aug. 27
PALAD EB Meeting after 12:00Noon Mass FDVRm

Monday - Aug. 28
After 8:45AM Mass Rosary LC
7:00PM RCIA Catechetical Session MSRm

Tuesday – Aug. 29
After 8:45AM Mass Rosary LC
7:00PM Baptism Class

Wednesday - Aug. 30
After 8:45AM Mass Rosary LC
7:00PM OLPH Novena LC
7:30PM Line Dancing Sh

Thursday – Aug. 31
After 8:45AM Mass Rosary LC

Friday – Sept. 1
After 8:45AM Mass Eucharistic Adoration.
Reposition starts at 7:00PM LC

Saturday – Sept. 2
After 8:30AM Mass Rosary LC
Second Collection - Eastern Europe

Sunday – Sept. 3
Second Collection - Eastern Europe

Offerings Available

Bread & Wine:

2018: Jan. 28; Mar. 11 & 18; Apr. 8, 22, & 29;
May 6 & 13; Jun 3, 10, & 24; Jul 1, 8, & 22;
Aug. 5, 12, & 26; Sept. 2, 23, 30; Oct. 14 & 21;
Nov. 18 & 25; Dec. 9 & 30.

Sanctuary Lamp:

2018: Mar. 18; Apr. 15, 22, & 29; May 6 & 20;
Jul 1, 8, 15, & 22; Aug. 12, & 26; Sept. 2, 9,
Sept. 16, 23, & 30; Nov. 4, 18; Dec. 2 & 9.

Eucharistic Adoration - Sept. 1st



On Friday, September 1st, we will have Eucharistic Adoration after the 8:45 a.m. Mass in the Lower Church. Reposition begins at 7:00pm.

Please consider spending time in prayer and adoration of Jesus. All are welcome.

From the Pastor

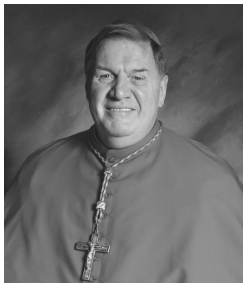
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The recent events in Charlottesville, VA have forced us as a nation to confront the reality that hatred and bigotry are still part of the American landscape. Comments from various leaders at either end of the political spectrum have only served to further polarize the debate.

Below is the statement from Cardinal Tobin about the events in Charlottesville. As his Eminence points out, we are a land of immigrants. We have come from every continent on the planet and we represent every race and ethnicity. In this country which proudly proclaims our belief that “All men (and women) are created equal,” we must recognize the unique gifts that each person and each ethnicity brings to our nation. We are called to see that our diversity only serves to enrich the tapestry of American culture.

As we move beyond the events of Charlottesville, we must reject those ideal that are contrary to Christian teaching. Instead we must focus on what we share. We are all children of God. Created in the divine image, we must look for the face of Christ in everyone we meet and trust that God’s love is greater than all hate.

Fr. Carey



**Statement of
Cardinal Joseph W. Tobin, C.Ss.R.,
Archbishop of Newark,
on the Events in Charlottesville, VA**



The one and a half million Catholic men, women and children of the Archdiocese of Newark – people who trace their roots to every continent of the world and represent every race and ethnicity – view with horror the recent events in Charlottesville and condemn the racism and vicious rhetoric that contributed to this tragic moment in our nation’s history. We stand in prayer and solidarity with all people of good will and we witness to our Christian calling to “love your enemies...that you may be children of your heavenly Father.” (Mt. 5:44-45)

In the wake of her daughter’s brutal death, the mother of Heather Heyer told reporters in Charlottesville that “hate cannot fix the world. Hate only creates more hate.” We join her in rejecting the brutality that killed her child, contributed to the deaths of two Virginia State Troopers and left dozens injured. While we denounce such violence, we also call for a thorough examination of racial bigotry and intolerance in the light of reason and love. “For everyone who does wicked things hates the light and does not come toward the light, so that his works might not be exposed” (Jn 3:20). Dark words and deeds must be met with light and love.

Please Save the Date -
The Bernard Family Benefit

One year old Addison Palardy, granddaughter of Past Grand Knight Barry Bernard and Maria Bernard of St. John's Council #1345 was born with a condition that will require her to receive special hormone treatments for her entire life. Barry's service to the Knights of Columbus has been extensive, also serving as a District Deputy, and Faithful Navigator of Bishop O'Connor Assembly #647. The Bernard family are also active members of St. Mary's church for many years serving as Eucharistic ministers, youth ministers, readers, CCD teachers, and choir members. Now his family needs our help!

St. John's Council, together with St. John's Columbiettes, and Troop 1345 Boy Scouts, is hosting a fundraiser asking all its members, family, and friends to come out on Saturday, September 23rd from 4pm to 9pm for a special evening to assist her family in providing Addison the care she needs. Tickets are \$25.00 and all proceeds from this evening will go directly to the family.

The menu for the evening will consist of tossed salad, penne marinara, meatballs, sausage and peppers with onions, chicken fingers and fries (kids menu), coffee, tea & dessert. Cash beverages will be available. Advance reservations are a MUST! Call or text Ken A at 1-516-220-9399, or email: kofc1345reservations@gmail.com.

If you cannot attend and wish to make a donation, make check payable to Addison Palardy Medical Fund, and mail to: Addison Palardy Fund, P. O. Box 211, Dumont, NJ 07628.

Please help us to help this happy, smiling child continue to smile and grow up healthy and experience all that God has in store for her.

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Hackensack River Keepers offers Eco-Cruises on the Hackensack River through October. For more information or to book a cruise go to hackensackriverkeeper.org or call 201-968-0808. Learn more how this river and the Meadowlands are vital to our area.

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Senior Center Trip

The Dumont Senior Center is going to Resorts in Atlantic City on Tuesday, August 29th. If you're interested, please call Donna at 201-387-5040.

Knights of Columbus

Save the Dates—As our Columbian year begins, please keep an eye out for details on these upcoming events: Bernard/Parlady benefit (Sept. 23), Italian Night (Oct. 7), Adult Halloween Party (Oct. 28), Children's Halloween Party (Oct. 29), Filipino Night (Nov. 18), Christmas Party (Dec. 9). Thank you for your support throughout the year.

Curious about becoming a Knight of Columbus? - Email us at:

KofC1345Membership@gmail.com to learn about the Order and our charitable works, and how you can help. We are in need of members of all ages.

Hall Renting & Catering—Planning a party soon? Call Norm Saunders at 201-832-0105, email TBCCrentals@gmail.com or check our website: www.kofc1345.org. The hall is available with or without catering.

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Cooperative Admissions Program

Attention families of 8th grade students planning to attend Catholic high school in Fall 2018!

The High School Placement Test (HSPT®) administered as part of the Cooperative Admissions Program for Catholic high schools will be given on Friday, November 10, 2017. Registration for this exam is online at www.njcoopexam.org beginning September 1st. For more information about the Cooperative Admissions Program go to www.catholicschoolsnj.org.

Additionally, the Catholic high schools are holding their annual HS Expo admission fairs. Parents and students can meet with representatives from many Catholic high schools from 7:00-8:30 p.m. on the following dates at these locations:

Tues., Sept. 26 at Visitation Academy,
222 Farview Ave., Paramus

Wed., Sept. 27 at the Archdiocesan Center,
171 Clifton Ave., Newark

Thurs., Sept. 28 at Primary Prep/St. Aedan,
41 Tuers Ave., Jersey City

For directions and more information, visit www.catholicschoolsnj.org or call 973-497-4260.

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St. Francis Gift Shop

The St. Francis Gift Shop at 253 Knickerbocker Road, Tenafly will reopen on Thursday, Sept. 7th with a wide selection of religious and gift items reduced by 30 - 50%. Hours are Thursday, Friday, Saturday from 10 am to 3 pm. There will be a selection of Christmas items drastically reduced.

St. Mary's Altar & Rosary Society

We welcome new members

Celebrate your faith as a member of St. Mary's Altar & Rosary Society! For eighty-one years, women of our parish have gathered in friendship and sisterhood, and with a great devotion to our Blessed Mother, to support our church and each other. We invite you to become a part of our beautiful ministry.

St. Mary's Altar & Rosary Society was recognized by the Archdiocese of Newark with a special medallion and certificate to acknowledge our years of service. We are proud to continue the tradition and celebrate our 81st anniversary this September. We meet the first Tuesday of each month at 7:00 pm in the Spiritual Formation Center in St. Mary's School building. Membership is a special way to live your faith with lots of friendly faces, interesting programs, and opportunities for good deeds. And the refreshments are always yummy, too!

Altar & Rosary Activities and Concerns:

- ♥ Annual Communion Breakfast
- ♥ Altar Linens Committee
- ♥ Spring & Fall Masses of Anointing
- ♥ Christmas Party
- ♥ Springtime Overnight Retreat
- ♥ Parish Irish Soda Bread & Baked Goods Sale
- ♥ Parish Easter Candy Sale
- ♥ Donations to the Parish
- ♥ Recitation of the Rosary, 1st Saturday in Church
- ♥ Support for St. Mary's CCD and Youth Group
- ♥ St. Mary's Carnival
- ♥ May Crowning and Installation of Officers



Every October, we have a celebration of welcome for new members.

We would be happy to welcome YOU as a new member of St. Mary's Altar & Rosary Society.

If you are interested in becoming a member, please fill out this form and mail it or leave it at the Rectory. – OR, call Carol McGuire at 201-439-1091 or Mary Loughlin at 201-387-0162.

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_____ yes, please contact me about joining St. Mary's Altar & Rosary Society!

Name: _____ Phone No.: _____

Our first meeting of the new year will be Tuesday, September 5th at 7:00 p.m.

Membership Dues \$5.00 Annual.