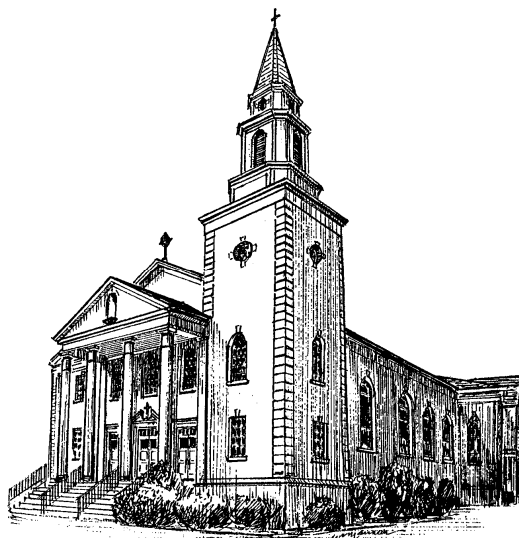


*The People of God called to form the Christian Community of*

# *St. Mary's Church*

*February 3, 2019*

*Fourth 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. John Weiss, *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*

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email: [music@stmarysdumont.org](mailto:music@stmarysdumont.org)

## **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**

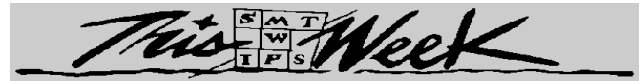
The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults is the process by which adults (and children who have reached the age of reason) are prepared to receive the sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and Holy Eucharist. If you, or someone you know, would like to inquire about becoming a Catholic, please call the 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.



<b>Saturday</b>	<b>Feb. 2 - Vigil</b>
5:30PM	Paul Joseph Consentino
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Feb. 3 - Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>
7:45AM	Helen Zawaski
10:00AM	Parishioners of St. Mary's
12 Noon	Dominick Colavito
<b>Monday</b>	<b>Feb. 4 - Weekday</b>
7:00AM	Sylvia Apuzzo
8:45AM	Bridget and Michael O'Neill
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Feb. 5 - St. Agatha</b>
7:00AM	Karen Camporeale
8:45AM	Rodolfo Santos, Sr.
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Feb. 6 - St. Paul Miki</b>
7:00AM	Lea Maniaci
8:45AM	Martin O'Brien
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Feb. 7 - Weekday</b>
7:00AM	Rosemarie Lanzell
8:45AM	German Coutinho
<b>Friday</b>	<b>Feb. 8 - Weekday</b>
7:00AM	Clemencia P. Awen
8:45AM	Elena Moreno (Living)
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>Feb. 9 - Weekday</b>
8:30AM	Annie Fitzgerald
5:30PM	Alice and George Ramm
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Feb. 10 - Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>
7:45AM	Felisa Padaloy
10:00AM	Michael Jeffers, Christine Reilly and Eileen Serpa
12 Noon	Parishioners of St. Mary's

### ***In Loving Memory***



The Bread and Wine offered at this week's Masses are given in memory of Joan and George Alvarez requested by their family.

The Sanctuary Lamp will burn in praise of God and in memory of Carmen and Luis Alvarez requested by their grandchildren.

We ask your prayers for our recently deceased Dorothy Garipoli.

### **Sunday – Feb. 3**

#### **Feast of St. Blaise**

Blessing of the Throats after all Masses

### **Monday - Feb. 4**

After 8:45AM Mass Rosary LC

6:00PM Bell Choir Rehearsal UC

7:00PM PACT Angels Session UC/School

7:30PM Parish Council Meeting FDVRm

### **Tuesday – Feb. 5**

After 8:45AM Mass Rosary LC

3:30PM PACT Angels Session UC/School

6:00PM Basketball SH

7:00PM Altar & Rosary Meeting SFC

### **Wednesday - Feb. 6**

After 8:45AM Mass Rosary LC

7:00PM OLPH Novena LC

7:30PM Line Dancing SH

7:30PM Yoga (Anne Marie) PJ23Rm

7:30PM Book Discussion: Building a Bridge FDVRm

### **Thursday – Feb. 7**

After 8:45AM Mass Rosary LC

7:30PM Yoga (Linda) SFC

7:30PM Adult Choir Rehearsal School

### **Friday – Feb. 8**

After 8:45AM Mass Rosary LC

9:30AM St. John's Kitchen, Newark

7:15PM Basketball SH

### **Saturday – Feb. 9**

After 8:30AM Mass Rosary LC

2019 Sharing God's Blessing Annual Appeal

### **Sunday – Feb. 10**

8:30PM PACT Angels Session LC/School

2019 Sharing God's Blessing Annual Appeal

6:30PM JWalk Meeting YRm

### **2020 Mass Book**

The Mass book for 2020 is now open. If you would like to request Masses for family and loved ones, please stop by the parish office.

### **2019 Offerings Available**

#### **Bread & Wine:**

Apr. 14; Jun. 30; Jul. 7; Aug. 11; Sept. 22; Nov. 17.

#### **Sanctuary Lamp:**

Jul 28; Sept. 22; Oct. 20; Nov. 17.

## From the Pastor

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Members of the American Legion and the V.F.W. will join us this weekend at the 10:00 am mass as we celebrate a special mass in honor of Four Chaplains. On February 3, 1943, an American troop transport ship, the S.S. Dorchester, was torpedoed by a German U-boat as it traveled between New York and Greenland. 675 of the 904 men on the Dorchester were lost. The sinking of Dorchester was the worst single loss of American personnel of any American convoy during World War II.

The sinking of Dorchester is best remembered because of 4 men who died that day; 4 military chaplains who helped men into life boats, gave their life jackets to others and prayed together as the ship sank. These 4 chaplains were Methodist minister George L. Fox, Reformed Church in America minister Clark V. Poling, Rabbi Alexander B. Goode and Catholic priest John P. Washington. Congress established February 3 as "Four Chaplains Day" to commemorate this act of heroism, and on July 14, 1960, created the Chaplain's Medal for Heroism, presented posthumously to the next of kin of each of the chaplains by Secretary of the Army on January 18, 1961.

Fr. John Patrick Washington was born and raised in Newark, NJ and in 1935, was ordained a priest of the Archdiocese of Newark. A commemorative stamp issued by the US Post Office in 1948 bears a picture of these 4 men with the words "These Immortal Chaplains...Interfaith in Action." Today, St. Mary's honors these men as we remember their faith and their heroism.

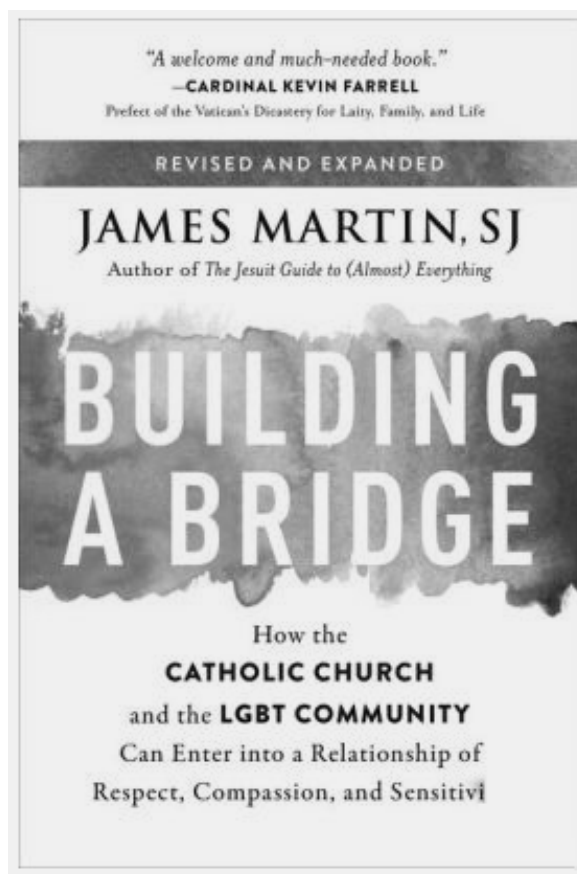
*Fr. Carey*

### **2018 Contribution Statements**

If you want a statement regarding your 2018 contributions, please call the parish office and give us your name, address and envelope number. We will get the statement to you in a timely fashion.

## Book Discussion Group Building a Bridge

Our Archbishop, Cardinal Joseph Tobin, has said "In too many parts of our church LGBT people have been made to feel unwelcome, excluded, and even shamed." A recent book by James Martin, SJ, *Building a Bridge: How the Catholic Church and LGBT Community Can Enter Into a Relationship of Respect, Compassion, and Sensitivity*, has become a controversial book within and outside the church. Why? At St Mary's we continue to explore that simple question in the second of three sessions this Wednesday, February 6, and the final session, February 13th at 7:30 PM in the Parish Office (located in the rear of the rectory). All are welcome! The only course material would be purchasing Fr. Martin's book (the revised and expanded edition) at a cost of \$14.99 or less (order on-line from Barnes and Noble, Amazon and others) and your presence. Please contact Deacon John Sylvester at [deaconjohn@stmarysdumont.org](mailto:deaconjohn@stmarysdumont.org) for any questions.







## Cornerstone Reunion

Sunday, March 24, 2019

The Fiesta, 255 Route 17

**RSVP Deadline: February 10, 2019**

Cost is \$50 per person

It will begin with Mass at 10 a.m. and then we will have a terrific brunch — well actually if you look at the menu below — Breakfast and Lunch and maybe even dinner! The hours for the brunch will be 11 - 3 p.m. This event will be a wonderful time to revisit old friends, share memories...

### *Cornerstone Reunion Brunch Menu*

*Variety of Fresh Seasonal Fruits*

*Assorted Rolls, Danish, Muffins and Bagels with*

*Cream Cheese and Jelly*

*Scrambled Eggs*

*Home Fries*

*French Toast with Maple Syrup*

*Bacon*

*Sausage Links*

*Omelet and Waffle Stations*

*Garden or Caesar Salads*

*Rice Pilaf*

*Tenderloin of Beef Tips Stir-Fry*

*Hand Carved Roasted Turkey with Cranberry Dressing*

*Corned Beef*

*Baked Ziti*

*Mimosas, Bloody Mary's and Screwdrivers*

*Soft drinks, Coffee, Tea, Brewed Decaf and Assorted Juices*

*Dessert*

.....Let the Good Times Roll.....

St. Mary's Fundraising Committee presents:

# *Mardi Gras*

## *Dinner Dance*

Saturday, February 23, 2019

6:30 P.M.

### **Szelest Hall**

DJ Music & Dancing, Tricky Tray Gift Baskets, Door Prizes,  
Fun Giveaways, Dinner Show, 50 /50,

Food catered by **Dante's Place** Italian Restaurant of Leonia  
B.Y.O.B.

**Tickets: \$35.00 per person.**

Please make checks payable to

St. Mary's Church with Mardi Gras on the memo line

If you would like to purchase ticket, please complete the form below.

All proceeds to benefit the Elevator Fund



### ***Mardi Gras Dinner Dance***

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Seating with: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

# \_\_\_\_\_ Tickets @ \$35.00 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Check # \_\_\_\_\_ / Cash \_\_\_\_\_

Mail completed form with the check to:

St. Mary's Church, 280 Washington Ave., Dumont, NJ 07628 or

Drop in collection box or at the parish office marked Mardi Gras.

**Deadline to Purchase Ticket is Friday, February 15th**