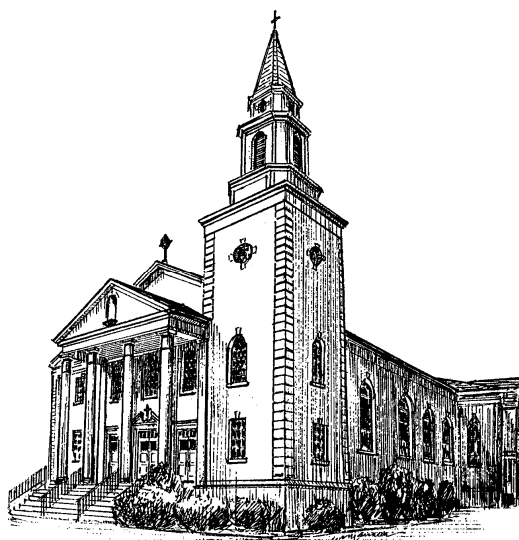


*The People of God called to form the Christian Community of*

# *St. Mary's Church*

*January 26, 2020*

*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. Thomas Pendrick, *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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## **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>Jan. 25 - Vigil</b>
5:30PM	Tom McGuire
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Jan. 26 - Third Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>
7:45AM	Dennis Dalton
10:00AM	Parishioners of St. Mary's
12 Noon	Vincent and Ellen McLaughlin
<b>Monday</b>	<b>Jan. 27 - Weekday</b>
7:00AM	Sean Martin
8:45AM	James Voto
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Jan. 28 - St. Thomas Aquinas</b>
7:00AM	Eileen Johnson
8:45AM	Niko Koliavras
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Jan. 29 - Weekday</b>
7:00AM	Dennis Dalton
8:45AM	Michael O'Neill
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Jan. 30 - Weekday</b>
7:00AM	Angelina Luciano
8:45AM	Patrick and Tim Joyce
<b>Friday</b>	<b>Jan. 31 - St. John Basco</b>
7:00AM	Margaret Hellstern
8:45AM	Gus and Mary Pappas
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>Feb. 1 - Weekday</b>
8:30AM	Jack Lynch
5:30PM	Parishioners of St. Mary's
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Feb. 2 - The Presentation of the Lord</b>
7:45AM	Helen Zawaski
10:00AM	Paul Joseph Consentino
12 Noon	Domenick Colavito

### *In Loving Memory*



The Bread and Wine offered at this week's Masses are given in memory of Michael Coleman requested by Rose O'Shea.

The Sanctuary Lamp will burn in praise of God and in memory of John Kerner requested by Madelyn Kerner.

We ask your prayers for our recently deceased Dorothea Williams, Mary Ann Ryan, Thomas McKenna and Clara McGrinder.

### Available Offerings for the Year 2020

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

Feb. 16; Mar. 22; Jun. 7; Aug. 23 & 30; Oct. 4, 18 & Oct. 25; Dec. 13.

### **Sunday – Jan. 26**

8:30AM PACT Saints Session LC/School  
9:15AM RCIA Kids MSRm  
After 12:00PM Mass PALAD EB Meeting FDVRm  
6:30PM JWALK Meeting SH

### **Monday - Jan. 27**

After 8:45AM Mass Rosary LC  
6:15PM Bell Choir Rehearsal UC  
7:00PM PACT Angels Session UC/School  
7:30PM Basketball SH  
8:00PM RCIA MSRm

### **Tuesday – Jan. 28**

After 8:45AM Mass Rosary LC  
3:30PM PACT Angels Session UC/School  
7:00PM Baptism Class Library

### **Wednesday - Jan. 29**

After 8:45AM Mass Rosary LC  
7:00PM OLPH Novena LC  
7:30PM Line Dancing SH

### **Thursday – Jan. 30**

After 8:45AM Mass Rosary LC  
7:30PM Adult Choir Rehearsal UC

### **Friday – Jan. 31**

After 8:45AM Mass Rosary LC  
7:15PM Basketball SH

### **Saturday – Feb. 1**

After 8:30AM Mass Rosary LC  
10:00AM - 6:30PM Confirmation Retreat  
4:00PM Parent Meeting Church/School/Mass

### **Sunday – Feb. 2**

#### ***Presentation of the Lord***

9:15AM RCIA Kids MSRm  
Blessing of Candles

### **Un-Decorating the Church**

**Thank You!**

To all who helped take down the Christmas decorations. It's amazing how quickly it all comes down and the number of people who showed up to help. Again, thank you.

### **Eucharistic Adoration - Feb. 7th**



On Friday, February 7th, we will have Eucharistic Adoration after the 8:45 a.m. Mass in the Lower Church. Reposition begins at 7:00 p.m. Please join us and spend some time with Jesus.

As we approach the 50 anniversary of the first Earth Day, it is important to remember our Christian duty to care for God's great creation and how Pope Francis reminds us of our duty. Please read the first of a series of articles from Deacon John Sylvester on this issue.

Fr. Carey

On Care for Our Common Home (This is the first in a series of articles on Laudato Si')

The Encyclical

On June 18, 2015, Pope Francis released an Encyclical Letter, Laudato Si', On Care for Our Common Home. April 22, 2020 will mark the 50th anniversary of Earth Day. So between now and April 22 we will look at the Encyclical and address some of the issues it raises. But first some common questions:

What is an encyclical letter? An encyclical is a "circular letter" to be spread throughout a community. (The word comes from the Greek egkyklios, with kyklos meaning a circle.) It is one of the highest forms of communication by the pope and usually deals with some aspect of Catholic teaching — clarifying, amplifying, condemning or promoting one or a number of issues.

Is an encyclical letter considered an infallible teaching of the Pope? While an encyclical is to be taken seriously by the faithful, and to be used by bishops and theologians in their teaching capacity, it is not an infallible teaching.

Is this the first encyclical on the environment to be written by a Pope? Yes, but previous popes have addressed the necessity of protecting the environment. Pope Paul VI, Pope John Paul II and Pope Benedict XVI have all addressed the environment in various forums. Their thoughts will be the subject of future articles.

Is this encyclical based solely on the Pope's personal opinion? As in most encyclicals, the Pope frequently quotes scripture, the catechism and previous Popes' writings to support his position. What is unusual is that the Pope quotes documents from various bishops' conferences, such as the New Zealand, Mexican, Portuguese, Paraguayan and United States Conference of Catholic Bishops.

Next week: Documents by the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops on the environment.

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.

(Deuteronomy 16:10)

Table with columns for 2020 and 2019, listing Collection Jan. 19 - 20 and Fuel amounts.

Treasure from our children: \$21.00

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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 helped someone. I said my prayers. Laundry I talked with parents about lesson.

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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.

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2019 Contribution Statements

If you want a statement regarding your 2019 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.

Christmas Collection

Thank you to all those who offered their tithe, their treasure, to St. Mary's at Christmas. I am grateful to announce that this past Christmas, our collection totaled \$37,396.00.

For what you offer, may the Lord bless you as you help your parish to fulfill its mission of service.

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## **ST. MARY'S CHURCH**

### **2019 Christmas Flower Offering**

#### ***Donated By***

#### ***Memory Of***

Mr. Thomas Locola	Sarah Locola & Rocco Locola
Mr. & Mrs. Anthony Lopez	
Mr & Mrs. George Magno	Pilar L. Magno, Damaso G. Magno, Teresito L. MAGno & Edgar O. Lazo
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	Pablo T. Naong, Paula Sabug, Bernardo Bayundar, Leonora Quiaoit, & Potenciana Naong
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Mrs. Diana McCullough	Joseph McCullough, Dennis & Emelia Walsh & Francis & Mary McCullough
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Mrs. Mary Murphy	Tom Murphy
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Ms. Celeste Occidentale	
Mr. & Mrs. Brian O'Dowd	O'Dowd Family & Priano Family

## 2019 Christmas Flower Offering—Cont'd.

Partial List

*Donated By**Memory Of*

Mr. & Mrs. Brian O'Dowd	O'Dowd Family & Priano Family
Mr. & Mrs. Timothy O'Keefee	
Mr. & Mrs. Nestor Olegario	Gene & Trudis Vilorio, Carmelita Aduna, Cecilia Sinclair
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Mr. Patrick O'Neill	Anne O'Neill, Ruth O'Neill, Michael O'Neill & Judy O'Neill
Mrs. William O'Shea	William O'Shea, Sr. Bridget O'Shea, Sr. & Elizabeth Gavin
Mrs. Emmanuel Palmares	
Robert Patetta	Frances & Esther
Ms. Justina Josie Parrella	John Dombroski & Olivia Reekie
Carmen Pena	Miguel Angel Santiago, Francisco Pena, Celena Andujar & Ivan Saud
Mr. & Mrs. Limuel Penaflor	
Mrs. Anne Picciano	Ben Picciano
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Mr. & Mrs. Filip Pindulic	The Pindulic & Telesmanick Deceased Families
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Mr. & Mrs. Richard Romaine	Mary Barry & Veronica Romaine
Mr. Renzo Rosica	
Mr. & Mrs. Antonio F. Rosal	Deceased Parents
Mr. & Mrs. Salvador Ruiz	Milagros Ramos, Olivia Ruiz, Jose Paulino, & Milagros Fernandez
Mr. & Mrs. Richard Russo	Robert & Joan Mascarelli & Baby Faith Russo
Dr. & Mrs. Geoffrey J. Sadock	Bishop Robert Harvey
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Estrellita Santiago	Maria Santiago, Rosie Santiago & Onofre Santiago
Joseph Scalia	Maria Scalia
Ms. Linda Scandiffio	Frank & Dolores Scandiffio, Rose Difilio
Mr. & Mrs. John A. Scarpantonio	Gilma de Vasquez, John & Rachael Scarpantonio, Madeline Tramontano, Gustavo & Alicia Almeida
Georgeanne Scarpelli	Joan & George Alvarez & Emile Scarpelli

St. Mary's Church  
Invites you to our Country Beefsteak  
Elevator Fundraiser



Saturday, 2/22/20 at 7:00 p.m. - 11:00 p.m.  
Szelest Hall

Admission is \$50 pp. and includes Nightingales Beefsteak,  
Jakes Country Band with Instructed Line dancing,  
Soda, Cofee, Tea, Dessert,  
and a fun time with friends!

This is a BYOB event



Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

This is a first come first serve basis and seats 12 guest at a table. If you are seating with a group of friends please send payment & reservation together.

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| 11. _____ | 12. _____ |

Tricky Tray and 50/50 tickets will be sold at the event.  
Completed forms can be dropped off by 2/18/20 at the rectory/parish office.

Mail to:

St. Mary's Church, Attention: Beefsteak Fundraiser, 280 Washington Ave, Dumont, NJ 07628

Questions? Call Sheila Romaine at 201-384-0557, Ext. - 20