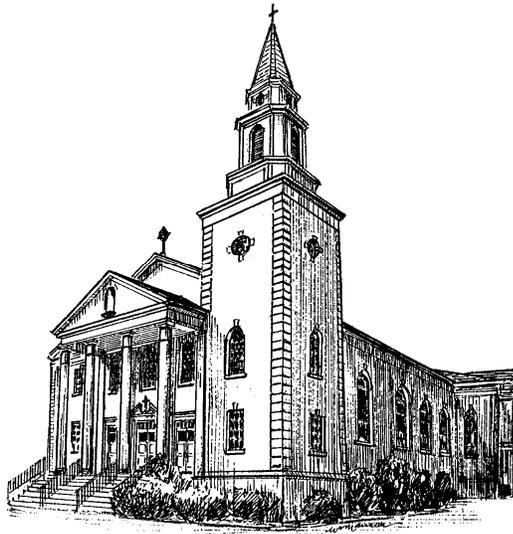


*The People of God called to form the Christian Community of*

# *St. Mary's Church*

*March 7, 2021*

*Third Sunday of  
Lent*



## **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. Janet Kaine, *Parish Trustee*  
Mr. Michael Daly, *Parish Trustee*

Parish e-mail: [info@stmarysdumont.org](mailto:info@stmarysdumont.org)  
Parish Website: [www.stmarysdumont.org](http://www.stmarysdumont.org)

Religious Education Office: 201-384-0557  
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Mass Reservation email:  
[contactus@stmarysdumont.org](mailto:contactus@stmarysdumont.org)

Online giving: WeShare  
[stmarysdumont.churchgiving.com](http://stmarysdumont.churchgiving.com)

## **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, 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm, in the upper 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.









# Spring Food Drive-Thru

## Spring into action!



*Help Our Neighbors in need*



**Items Needed:** Peanut Butter & Jelly, Cereal, Canned Tuna/Meats, Pasta & Sauce, Bisquick & Syrup, Rice Dishes, Mac & Cheese, Cranberry Sauce, Condiments, Toilet Paper Packs of 4, Paper Towels

**Saturday, March 20th 10 a.m. - 12 p.m.**

**Saint Mary's Church 280 Washington Ave, Dumont NJ**

Strict social distancing guidelines must be adhered to.

### **Drop off procedures:**

Please enter the St. Mary's parking lot from Washington Avenue, follow the driveway around the back of the church and then to the area between the church and the rectory. It is preferable that the driver be the only person in the car and wearing a mask.

**All donated food must be non-perishable and be in a bag with handles.**

The bag should be placed in the back seat on the passenger side or in the trunk if the trunk can be opened from inside of the car.

**The driver is not to exit the car.** A volunteer will take the food from the car. We thank everyone in advance for your generosity and for following the social distancing guidelines.



**#Alonetogether**



# 3rd DRIVE-THRU FUNDRAISER

All proceeds to benefit St. Mary's Church.



Courtesy of Google.com

Prepared by: Tastefully British

Includes Choice of:  
Fish and Chips Dinner or  
Chicken and Chips Dinner  
with coleslaw.

Pick up on: Tuesday,  
March 23, 2021

Time: 5:00pm - 7:00pm

Where: St. Mary's  
Rectory Parking Lot

## FISH & CHIPS

OR

## CHICKEN & CHIPS

\$18.00 per Dinner

Advance  
Orders Required by  
March 22, 2021

St. Mary's Church  
280 Washington Ave., Dumont, NJ 07628 // 201-384-0557



**Order Form - Return to the Parish Office**  
**With Payment on March 22 by Noon**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone# \_\_\_\_\_

Fish & Chips: \_\_\_\_\_ x \$18.00 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Chicken & Chips: \_\_\_\_\_ x \$18.00 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Check # \_\_\_\_\_ Cash \_\_\_\_\_ *Make check payable to St. Mary's Church*

Or Order and Pay On-Line at: [stmarysdumont.churchgiving.com](http://stmarysdumont.churchgiving.com)

**St. Mary's Church**  
**2022 Mass Requests BY MAIL ONLY**

The Mass Book for 2022 will open on Wednesday, March 10. Due to Covid-19 restrictions, **this year's requests must be made by mail.** There will be no in-person requests. To ensure that all parishioners have an equal opportunity to request masses for their loved ones, each family may request **Three Sundays or Holydays and Five Weekday Masses in their INITIAL request.** **Beginning April 1<sup>st</sup>, you may request additional masses if desired.** You will receive confirmation of the dates and times you requested.

**Three Sundays or Holydays - \$10.00 Each**

<b>Intention for: (Please indicate if Living)</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Mass Card</b>
1. _____	_____	_____	<b>Yes No</b>
2. _____	_____	_____	<b>Yes No</b>
3. _____	_____	_____	<b>Yes No</b>

**Five Weekdays - \$10.00 Each**

<b>Intention for: (Please indicate if Living)</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Mass Card</b>
1. _____	_____	_____	<b>Yes No</b>
2. _____	_____	_____	<b>Yes No</b>
3. _____	_____	_____	<b>Yes No</b>
4. _____	_____	_____	<b>Yes No</b>
5. _____	_____	_____	<b>Yes No</b>

**Two Bread and Wine - \$50.00 Each**

<b>Intention for: (Please indicate if Living)</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Requested by:</b>
1. _____	_____	_____
2. _____	_____	_____

**Two Sanctuary Lamp - \$30.00 Each**

<b>Intention for: (Please indicate if Living)</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Requested by:</b>
1. _____	_____	_____
2. _____	_____	_____

**Two Flowers - \$50.00 Each**

<b>Intention for: (Please indicate if Living)</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Requested by:</b>
1. _____	_____	_____
2. _____	_____	_____

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **\*Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**\*Email:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Amount Enclosed: \$** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

***\*Required for confirmation. If you want to make other offerings as well as Masses, you must send a separate check for those offerings.***

Please drop off the completed form, with your donation, in the Parish Office during the week, from 9:00am to 5:00pm or in the collection boxes. Please make sure to write on the envelope **2022 Masses.**