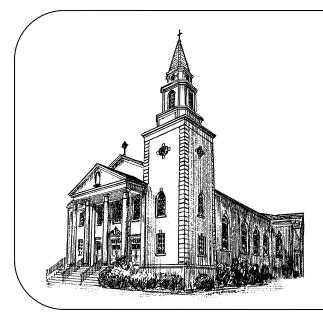
#### The People of God called to form the Christian Community of

## St. Mary's Church

May 1, 2022

Third Sunday of

Easter



#### **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 Sheila Romaine, Religious Ed. Secretary & Safe Environment Coordinator

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

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email: music@stmarysdumont.org

Online giving: WeShare 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, &

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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.

#### NO CONFESSIONS ON HOLY SATURDAY

#### 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.

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Saturday April 30 - Vigil 5:30PM Helen Zawaski

Sunday May 1 - Third Sunday of Easter

7:45AM Thomas McMahon

10:00AM Joseph C. Perrone and Deceased Members of the Perrone and

**Manna Families** 

12 Noon Alice and George Ramm

Monday May 2 - St. Athanasius

7:00AM Nora Sullivan 8:45AM Joel Johny (Living)

Tuesday 7:00AM May 3 - Sts. Philip and James Nodie and Ted McCarthy (Living)

8:45AM Alekutty Lukose

Wednesday May 4 - Easter Weekday 7:00AM Parishioners of St. Mary's

8:45AM Leonardo Santos

Thursday May 5 - Easter Weekday

7:00AM Marie Keegan 8:45AM Jose Tumaneng

Friday May 6 - Easter Weekday

7:00AM Brendan M. Thornton

8:45AM Betty Curtin

Saturday May 7 - Easter Weekday

8:30AM Alphonso Parrella 5:30PM Lawrence Magni

Sunday May 8 - Fourth Sunday of Easter

7:45AM Thornton Family
10:00AM Betty Duffy
Amanda Puiz Fee

12 Noon Amanda Ruiz Escobar

#### In Loving Memory

The Bread and Wine offered at this week's Masses are given in memory of Olivia Reekie and Sarah Falloon requested by Josie Parrella.

God and in memory of Emma Cachuela requested by the Cachuela Family.

We ask your prayers for our recently deceased Ronald McMahon, Patricia A. Morris and Stosica Crvaric.

#### <u> 2022 Available Offerings</u>

Bread and Wine: Dec 4 & 18.



Sunday – May 1

10:00AM Choir A 3:00PM PACT First Communion UC

Monday - May 2

7:00PM May Crowning and Altar & Rosary Meeting SH

Tuesday - May 3

5:30PM Irish Step Dancing SH

8:00PM Basketball SH

Wednesday - May 4

9:15AM OLPH Novena UC 7:30PM Line Dancing SH

Thursday – May 5

5:30PM Irish Step Dancing LS

Friday - May 6

5:00PM Aramaic School

6:00PM Eucharistic Adoration

8:00PM Basketball SH

Saturday – May 7

8:00AM Korean School

Sunday – May 8

10:00AM Choir B

3:00PM JWalk Meeting YRm

#### Stewardship Reflection

By David Baranowski

#### 3rd Sunday of Easter

"...Peter was distressed that Jesus had said to him a third time, 'Do you love me?' and he said to him, 'Lord, you know everything; you know that I love you.' Jesus said to him, 'Feed my sheep.'" (JOHN 21:17)

How often do you actually say the words "I love you" to Jesus, to family members, or to friends? We are made to be in relationship with God and each other. Sincerely telling someone that you love them is the best gift you can give them because it comes from your heart. You are giving them the gift of yourself. We all crave love. Tell someone you love them every day.

#### Holy Hour with Eucharistic Adoration - May 6th

On Friday, May 6th, we will have a Holy Hour with Eucharistic Adoration beginning at 6:00pm in the Upper Church. Reposition will begin at 7:00 p.m. Please join us and spend some time with Jesus. All are welcome.

# From the Pastor

While it is impossible to count on the weather, there are certain signs of spring you can count on. Along with birds nesting and flowers blooming, a sure sign of spring is the celebration of First Holy Communion.

This weekend, 39 young members of our parish will approach the Eucharistic table for the very first time. They had been preparing and waiting for this special day. They will come forward, their faces filled with joy. You can see it in their eyes; they know they were about to receive a most special gift.

Would it not be wonderful if we could all approach the Eucharistic table with the same sense of wonder and awe? Instead, we come forward because we always come forward. We follow the person in front of us because that is what everyone does. We say "Amen" because that is what you are supposed to say. But do we every stop and think about what we are being given? Do we truly appreciate the awesome gift we have the opportunity to receive?

The covid lockdowns reminded us how difficult it can be when we were not able to receive the Eucharist and these little ones remind us that the Eucharist is a truly special gift that should never be taken for granted. Every time we receive the Body of our Lord, we need to recall the overwhelming joy of our First Holy Communion. We need to be aware that it could possibly be our Last Holy Communion. We need to cherish this special gift as if it were our Only Holy Communion.

#### Fr. Carey

#### ~\*~\*~\*~\*~\*~\*~\*~\*~\*~\*~\*~\*~\*~\* Altar & Rosary May Crowning

Join us on Monday, May 2nd at 7:00pm in the upper church. New Members are welcome!

#### **Closing Mass**

Today, May 1st at 2:00pm at the Sacred Heart Cathedral in Newark is the Closing Mass for the 500th Anniversary of Philippine Christianity. His Eminence Joseph Cardinal Tobin is the Main Celebrant and Homilist.

#### Serving in the Military

We ask God to keep in his care all those who are serving overseas in our armed forces. They are listed below and we ask your prayers for them.

John Eckel III...Jaelon Magat...Sean Flanagan Steven Serpa...Brian Manley...James Francis Ward Christopher Smaldone...John Murray...Steve Sullivan Brandon Barhydt...Joseph Ament...Jeffrey Steiner Anthony Dunkin...Vincent Mazzilli

#### **Pray for Our Sick**

John Ramzi...Rose O'Shea...Sean Hayes...Arvin Erd Scott Tkacz...James Carney...Hector Montero Tom Phelan...James Pellettere...Skylar Frye Anthony Montagnino...Cris Kelly...Danny Santulli George DiCostanzo...Myra D'Silva...Angela Darata Dennis Murray...Nancy Caggiano...Michael Hayes Eric Granada...Joseph Pierre-Antoine...Annette Mr. & Mrs. Joe Paquiz...SSND Wilton...Diane Lang Kristi Carbonaro...Carol Anne Barry...Ted Widman Joseph Vaccaro...Dorothy Peterson...Jim Nicholas Barbara Castaldi...Nicholas Ippolito...Tina Fortalesa Frank Martin...Rolando Joaquin...Tienne Myers James Hughes...Hector Montero, Jr...Kevin Rainey Michael Falcone...Mary Ann Ragone...Rose Klenck Patricia Adone...Teresita Ariola...Jeannie Kweders Mariantonia DiCostanzo...Anita Hucke Jonathan Jacoby...Laura Kibala...Fergus Begley James Fazzari...Kathleen Oates 

#### **Wedding Anniversary Liturgies**

The archdiocese is once again preparing the annual tradition of honoring those couples in our Archdiocese who will be celebrating five, twenty-five and fifty years of valid marriage for the Catholic faithful in the year 2022!

These anniversary liturgies will be celebrated by Cardinal Joseph Tobin in the Cathedral Basilica of the Sacred Heart in Newark as follows:

May 15, 2022 3:00 PM 50 years (All counties) Since they we were unable to host these celebrations in 2020 and 2021, any couple who would have celebrated their Gold Anniversary in those years can also join them. Please note, whether the milestone anniversary took place in 2020, 2021 or 2022, the certificates will still say Silver or Gold, not 26, 51 etc.

If you would like to participate in one of these liturgies, you need to come to the parish office and fill in a registration form or if you're receiving the weekly update, go to the Anniversary Liturgies section and follow the instructions to access the form.

Email the completed registration form to contactus@stmarysdumont.org or you can drop off the form at the parish office, Monday to Friday, 9:00am-5:00pm. *Deadline is Wednesday, May 3.* 

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#### PACT/Religious Education Program

#### Register Now for our 2022-23 Year!

Our PACT/Religious Education Program is offered to St. Mary's families with children in grades 1-8 who do not attend Catholic school. We are even planning on having a Kindergarten class!

Re-registration materials have been distributed to our PACT families. Please take a moment to register, even if you are not able to enclose your family's donation with the registration at this time.

#### **New Parents/Families**

To inquire about Religious Education and sacrament preparation, call or e-mail us at (201) 384-0557 ext. 20 or <a href="mailto:religioused@stmarysdumont.org">religioused@stmarysdumont.org</a> for more information. Parents of families new to us attend an orientation appointment here at St. Mary's. Registration and participation at St. Mary's parish is required.

#### Religious Education: Getting back on track...

We are in the process of helping our parish families get back on track with their Religious Education. Have your children been away from Religious Education? Contact us. Do you know a Catholic family with children who should be participating in Religious Education? Refer them to us at this time. Call us at (201) 384-0557 ext. 20 or e-mail <a href="mailto:religioused@stmarysdumont.org">religioused@stmarysdumont.org</a>

#### **Confirmation Monday Virtual Preparation Session & Retreat**



Our final monthly virtual preparation session for Confirmation is Monday 5/9/22 at 7:00 p.m. Links will be sent via e-mail.

The Confirmation Retreat experience will be held here at St. Mary's on Saturday, May 21st beginning 1:00 p.m. and ending with the 5:30 p.m. mass.

#### **Confirmation Service Project**

Information has been distributed regarding participation in the collection of personal hygiene products for Oasis. Please bring toiletries in a bag or box marked "Religious Education Office" or "Confirmation" by 5/13/22.

#### **First Communion**



Please take a moment to pray for our First Communicants and their families, that those who received the Risen Lord this weekend may be nourished spiritually and empowered to serve the Body of Christ.

#### Please Let Us Know

The Parish Office would like to ask a favor of you in order to avoid the additional postage expense that comes from receiving undeliverable offering envelope sets. Church offering envelopes are mailed at a third class rate, and unlike first class mail they are not forwarded to temporary addresses. If you have a change of address please email us at info@stmarysdumont.org or call the Parish Office at 201-384-0557. Thank you.

#### **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)

	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>
Collections: April 23 - 24	,\$5,745.00	\$4,926.00
Weekly On-Line Giving	1,002.00	<u>1,444.00</u>
Total	<u>\$6,747.00</u>	\$6,370.00

There are also other ways to support the parish such as using our On-Line Giving: WeShare (please see below for instructions) or you can call your bank if they can do on-line payment on your behalf. We greatly appreciate your continued support to St. Mary's.

#### WeShare On-Line Giving



If you have already signed up to give a recurring gift on line, thank you. If not, please consider signing up today. With WeShare, you can set up weekly or monthly donations to our parish. Simply follow the following steps:

1. Type the link:

#### stmarysdumont.churchgiving.com.

- 2. Select the collection of your choice
- 3. Set-up your donation amount, payment type and frequency.

Once you set-up your account, donations will automatically deduct from your account. It's that simple! You don't have to worry about writing a check.

Your continued support to St. Mary's is very much appreciated.

#### <u>St. Mary's Church</u> 2023 Mass Request Form

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9:00am to 5:00pm or in the collection boxes.

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# TEEN SPIRIT PERSONAL HYGIENE DRIVE



## ST.MARY'S 2022 CONFIRMATION CANDIDATES Need your help!

Please donate from the list below and help our Confirmation Candidates who will fill individual male and female personal hygiene boxes for their peers in need.

Bring donations now through May 13<sup>th</sup> to:
ST. MARY'S RECTORY
or our RELIGIOUS ED OFFICE
PLEASE MARK DONATIONS ST. MARY'S RELIGIOUS ED/CONFIRMATION

#### ITEMS NEEDED:

TOOTHBRUSHES, TOOTHPASTE, FLOSS, ALCOHOL-FREE MOUTHWASH, SHAMPOO, CONDITIONER, BRUSHES, COMBS, HAIR GEL, BAR SOAP, BODY WASH, LOOFAS, DEODORANT, BODY LOTION, BABY WIPES, PERSONAL SIZE TISSUES, NAIL CLIPPERS, DISPOSABLE SHAVERS, SHAVING CREAM, AFTER SHAVE, FEMININE HYGEINE PRODUCTS, HAND SANITIZER, CHAPSTICK, BODY SPRAY, POWDER, PAIN RELIEVERS, FIRST-AID CREAM, BANDAIDS, MULTI-VITAMINS

#### Donations will be brought to:

#### OASIS, A HAVEN FOR WOMAN & CHILDREN

If you have any questions please call the Religious Ed office at 201-384-0557, Ext. 20, or email us at religioused@stmarysdumont.org

# Saint Mary's Altar & Rosary Society Invites you to... ...

PAINT NIGHT

## Whimsical Watermelons

Friday \*ALL SUPPLIES INCLUDED\*

Friday May 13, 2022

7:30pm-10pm

\*Please <u>DO NOT</u> arrive before 7:20 pm as parking will be limited before then RSVP May 6, 2022

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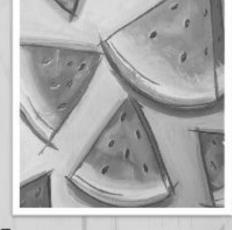
Szelest Hall

B.Y.O.B. & SNACKS \*ADULTS ONLY\*

\$35.00 per person

Contact: Lynne Vietri (201)384-0557

Payment: St. Mary's Altar & Rosary Society (Check or Cash)



### Saint Mary's Altar & Rosary Society Create Night

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