



This Week

Saturday	April 17 - Vigil
5:30PM	Rose and Patsy Caldera
Sunday	April 18 - Third Sunday of Easter
7:45AM	Parishioners of St. Mary's
10:00AM	Lillian Fleming
12 Noon	Nick Tarabocchia
Monday	April 19 - Easter Weekday
7:00AM	Hugh Galagher
8:45AM	Bill Ramm
Tuesday	April 20 - Easter Weekday
7:00AM	John and Dennis Daly
8:45AM	Angela Rosa Arboritanzza
Wednesday	April 21 - Easter Weekday
7:00AM	Deceased Members of the O'Neill Family
8:45AM	Kathleen T. Loughney
Thursday	April 22 - Easter Weekday
7:00AM	Dennis Daly, Jr.
8:45AM	William Casey
Friday	April 23 - Easter Weekday
7:00AM	Eleanor Schlichting
8:45AM	Ann O'Neill (Living)
Saturday	April 24 - Easter Weekday
8:30AM	Rev. Kenneth Slattery
5:30PM	Amelia and Vincent Amalfitano
Sunday	April 25 - Fourth Sunday of Easter
7:45AM	Kathleen and Charlie McMorrow
10:00AM	Parishioners of St. Mary's
12 Noon	Lucy Mosquera

In Loving Memory



The Bread and Wine offered at this week's Masses are given in memory of Michael, Eileen and Kenneth Kirwan requested by Patrick Kiernan and family.

The Sanctuary Lamp will burn in praise of God and in memory of Crocetta Pidi requested by Joe Pidi.

We ask your prayers for our recently deceased parishioner Margaret Teresa Waters.

Pray for our Sick

If you would like our parish to continue to pray for family, friends or loved ones who are ill and in need of prayer, please call the rectory office – 201-384-0557. We will put their names on the sick list once again and continue our prayer for them. If you want their name to be added to our Prayer Chain, please let us know that as well.

Peter Ramzi..Marie Woehrl..Margherita Bonaldo..Richard Diehl
Ann Youngsworth..Debra Portillo..Marie McDermott..Barbara Fawcett
Woke Family..Pat O'Connor..Alicia McMahon..Mary M..Eileen O'Leary
Ann O'Neil..Anthony Matarazzo..Ben Zangoglia..John R..Maria Cruz
Frank Farrell..Genevive DeVirgilis..Bob Jackson..John Canavan
Carolina Aspiras..Peter Post..Larry Frisby..Carlos Cunha..Hyde Family
Carl Cavera..Carole Chittenden..Nellie Fleming Lorraine Mooney
Maureen G.

Hackensack Walk-in-Center



On Wednesday, April 21st, St. Mary's will be providing the main meal for over 150 guests at the Hackensack Walk-in Center. Food pans are available after each mass at the doors of the church.. If you would like to share your favorite dish, please pick up a pan or two as you leave the church. Dishes can be brought to the rectory on Wednesday, April 21st, 10:00am-2:00pm.

Bible Study Session

Bible Study Our next session for **Bible Study** will take place on **Wednesday, April 21, at 7:30 PM, in the rectory.** We will look at the Letter to the Hebrews and the Letter of St. James. If you would like to come to this session, please read as these two letters ahead of time. **Bring your Bible and join us as we look at God's word.**

Sunday – April 18

7:30AM Feeding at Missionaries of Charity Soup Kitchen, Newark
8:30AM Rel Ed PACT Angels Final Session LC/School
9:00AM-10:00AM Adult RCIA RCA
11:00AM-12:00Noon Kids RCIA Class SFC
11:00AM-12:00Noon Teen RCIA Youth Room
2:00PM-6:00PM Couples for Christ FFL (Mitch) SFC
Baptism
Food Collection

Feast of St. Bartholomew

Monday – April 19

After 8:45AM Mass Rosary UC
7:00PM Confirmation Candidate Session 1 LC/School
7:00PM Rel Ed PACT Angels Final Session with Parent Mtg. UC/School

Tuesday – April 20

After 8:45AM Mass Rosary UC
9:30AM Parents Group B05
3:30PM Rel Ed PACT Angels Final Session with Parent Mtg. UC/School
6:00PM-9:00PM Basketball SH
7:00PM Bereavement Group RCA
7:00PM-9:00PM Adult Choir

Wednesday - April 21

After 8:45AM Mass Rosary UC
4:00PM-5:00PM Children's Choir
5:00PM-6:00PM Bell Choir UC
7:00PM OLPH Novena LC
7:00PM Knitters and Crocheters RCA
7:30PM Bible Study RCA
7:30PM-9:30PM Line Dancing SH
Hackensack Walk-in Program

Thursday – April 22

After 8:45AM Mass Rosary UC
7:30PM-9:00PM Ballroom Dancing SH

Friday – April 23

After 8:45AM Mass Rosary UC
6:00PM-9:00PM Basketball SH
7:30PM Rosary for Peace LC
7:30PM-9:00PM Yoga School's Basement
8:00PM YAM Y & YAM Center

Saturday – April 24

After 8:30AM Mass Rosary UC
8:45AM-12:00Noon Morning with Jesus UC/School

Sunday – April 25

8:30AM Rel Ed PACT Saints Final Session LC/School
9:00AM-10:00AM Adult RCIA RCA
11:00AM-12:00Noon Kids RCIA Class SFC
11:00AM-12:00Noon Teen RCIA Youth Room
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Feast of St. Mark

Caring for God's Creation

As we continue to celebrate the joy of Easter and the beauty and warmth of spring, we look to the earth as it bursts forth into life. We also realize that we are the stewards of creation and given the responsibility to care for God's gift of creation. The Archdiocese of Newark has formulated a program entitled **Caring for God's Creation.** It is a series of seven sessions that seeks to look at issues such as energy, food, water and advocacy on behalf of the earth. The seven sessions are as follows: 1) Creation and Ecology as Sacrament; 2) Consumer Choices; 3) Energy; 4) Food (Part 1); 5) Food (Part 2); 6) Water; 7) Advocacy. **Each session would be held on a Monday evening, beginning on May 3 and would run from 60-90 minutes.** If you would be interested in coming to these sessions – one or more – please call the rectory and let us know. **We will have the sessions if parishioners call in order to participate.**

Easter Collection

Thank you to all who supported St. Mary's by the offering of their treasure on Easter Sunday. Our Easter collection for 2010 amounted to \$28,933.00. As a parish committed to live the Stewardship Way of Life, we know that the donation of our time, our talent and our treasure is a way of thanking the Lord for what God has first given to us. May the Lord touch our minds so that we may see what he has done for us and may he open our hearts to share his goodness with St. Mary's throughout the year.



PACT/Religious Education Program Updates

Final PACT Sessions/Parent Meetings

PACT/Religious Education parents are reminded that there is a parent meeting at this year's final session of PACT/Religious Education.

Sunday program: Sundays April 18th & 25th 8:45 a.m.

Weekday program: Mondays April 19th & 26th, 7 p.m., Upper Church Tuesdays April 20th & 27th, 3:30 p.m., Upper Church

PACT 2010-11 Program/ New Registrations

Do you know of a family with children who have been away from our Religious Education Program, or maybe a family new in town, or a family with children no longer attending a Catholic School?

Will you help spread the Good News about the risen Lord? We are anticipating a need for catechists for Tuesday afternoons (Grades K-5), Monday evenings (Grades 6,7&8), and Sunday mornings (Family PACT/all grades).

First Communion here at St. Mary's

Our candidates will receive First Communion during this Easter season, at our liturgies on the weekends of May 8/9 and May 15/16. Please pray for our candidates, their families, and our whole community here at St. Mary's that we may be strengthened to love and serve the Lord and each other as we receive the risen Lord in the Eucharist.



Confirmation

Confirmation candidates should have completed their Confirmation Interviews. Candidates/parents who still need to set up an interview appointment should call (201) 384-3062.

Candidates should be finishing service projects at this time. Check in around our bulletin for parish events and projects to help with. Service projects may also be worked on in schools, nursing homes, hospitals, aftercare programs, special needs programs, and other places where service is provided for those who need our help.

Confirmation will be celebrated at St. Mary's on Pentecost Sunday, May 23rd at 3:00 p.m. with bishop Edgar M. DaCunha, SDV

Mass for Vocations

Archbishop Myers will be celebrating a special Mass for Vocations on Saturday, April 24, at 6:00 PM, at the Cathedral Basilica of the Sacred Heart in Newark. Following the Mass, there will be a gathering for fellowship and refreshments in the Archdiocesan Center across from the cathedral.

Mass for Emergency Medical Services

The 8th annual Mass for the EMS community will be offered by Bishop Manuel Cruz on Sunday, April 25, at 12:00 noon at the Cathedral Basilica of the Sacred Heart, 89 Ridge Street, Newark. If you are involved in this life-saving service to our local communities, you and your family are invited to join in this Mass dedicated to the members of the Emergency Medical Services community.

Mass for Firefighters

The Archdiocese of Newark will hold its annual St. Florian Mass for firefighters on Sunday, May 2, at the Cathedral Basilica of the Sacred Heart, 89 Ridge Street, Newark, NJ. The Mass will be at 3:00 PM. Come to honor those who serve to protect our communities from the dangers of fire.



St. Mary's Carnival - June 7-12

Mark your calendar! Carnival this year is June 7-12. We will announce soon when pre-sale tickets will be available and when you can bring your items for the white elephant sale.



St. Mary's Youth Ministry (SMYM)

Working With Our Parish Community to Help Our Teens, 7th - 12th Grade, Become Better Versions of Themselves: Physically, Emotionally, Intellectually, & Spiritually

What Events Are Coming Up For Teens?

Sunday, April 18th - "EASTER PARTY & CAR SHOW": (6:30p - 8:30p) Spiritual Formation Center

Friday, April 23rd - "ARCHDIOCESAN COTILLION": (6:30p - 11:30p) This night is a chance for Parish Youth Ministry Programs to honor two teens from their parish for their contributions.

Sunday, May 2nd - "BANKING 101 FOR TEENS AND THEIR PARENTS / INTRODUCTION TO FLOCKING": (6:30p - 8:30p) Spiritual Formation Center

Sunday, May 16th - "N.J. STATE CATHOLIC YOUTH RALLY - 'CALLED TO BE WITNESSES'": Great Adventure. For \$50, you get admission to the park and safari on May 16th, an admission ticket for another day of your choice, free lunch, and an outdoor Mass with thousands of other teens with a New Jersey Bishop celebrating.

We Have Seen The Lord!

"Real Faith TV - Connecting Faith With Life for Teens":

The April 17th episode is "I Disagree-- So You're Wrong!" http://www.realfaithtv.com/RFTV/Home.html

"The Church is Alive": http://www.archny.org/news-events/columns-and-blogs/archbishop-dolans-column/index.cfm?i=16090

"Contemporary Christian Music Song of the Week":

http://www.spiritandsong.com/

Need To Talk To Us? You can meet us at the music platform after the 10:00 Masses, call us at (201) 385-2936, or e-mail us at youthmin@stmarysdumont.org.

We'll see you at Mass! Charlie & Lesa

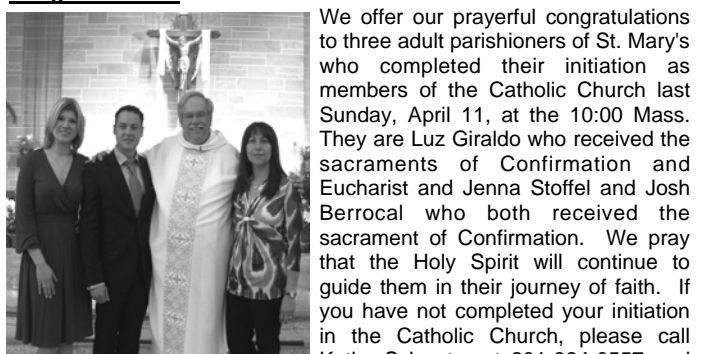
St. Mary's Softball team

Anyone interested in playing on St Mary's Softball team please contact Maria Bernard at 201-385-2094 or e-mail me at sportsrus72@aol.com. The team is open to St Mary's parishioners over the age of 16, male or female. Games are played Sunday afternoons and Wednesday evenings in Dumont or Bergenfield during the months of June and July.

PALAD Corner

Line Dancing Extravaganza! In celebration of the 15th year anniversary of PALAD, we are hosting a fund-raising event for St. Mary's on Saturday, May 1st, starting at 7:30 pm over at the Szelest Hall. There will be short presentations by Line Dancers and Ballroom Dancers. This semi-formal affair offers a whole night of dancing for everyone.

Congratulations!



We offer our prayerful congratulations to three adult parishioners of St. Mary's who completed their initiation as members of the Catholic Church last Sunday, April 11, at the 10:00 Mass. They are Luz Giraldo who received the sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist and Jenna Stoffel and Josh Berrocal who both received the sacrament of Confirmation.