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January 15, 2023 • Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

*Now I have
seen and
testified that
he is the*

Son of God.

John 1:34

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When at Mass, we call on Jesus several times as the Lamb of God—at the beginning in the Gloria and twice in preparation for Communion. Pray for our world this day to recognize Jesus as the Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world.

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Saturday 5:30 pm	<u>January 14</u> Minda Azachee, Patricia and Vicente Napoles
7:00 pm (Español)	Carlos Zuniga y Zoila Bermeo
Sunday 7:30 am	<u>January 15</u> The People of the Parish
9:00 am	Bienvenida Calingan—1st Anniv.
10:30 am	The Cannova and Jones Families
12:00 pm	Madelyn McHale
1:15 pm (Español)	Steve Denyko
Monday 7:00 am	<u>January 16</u> Patricia Sutherland
9:00 am	Orlando Rodriguez
7:30pm	Jovita Duaves
Tuesday 7:00 am	<u>January 17</u> Lamia Yamin
9:00 am	Catalina Lorna & Gregoria Canlas
7:30 pm	Sp. Int.: The Healing of the Francisco Family
Wednesday 7:00 am	<u>January 18</u> Lucia Grandgererd
9:00 am	Joseph Kelly
7:30 pm	Diana Thoens
Thursday 7:00 am	<u>January 19</u> Angelica Camacho
9:00 am	Josefina G. Mendoza
7:30 pm	Filemon Quiroz
Friday 7:00 am	<u>January 20</u> Mauro Tobes
9:00 am	Anthony Gonsalves
7:30 pm	Simeon & Dolores Reyes
Saturday 7:00 am	<u>January 21</u> Alfred Cialone
9:00 am	Josephine Cerrato
5:30 pm	Madelyn McHale
7:00 pm (Español)	Sp. Int.: Accion de Gracias por los 30 años de matrimonio de John y Diana Jaramillo
Sunday 7:30 am	<u>January 22</u> The People of the Parish
9:00 am	Romeo Sarmiento
10:30 am	Cirilo Sapitula
12:00 pm	Pat Lynch
1:15 pm (Español)	Policarpa Arias

Prayers for the Deceased

Please remember
Teofila Marcelo, Fr. Brendan Quinn &
Mary Patricia McHale
in your prayers.

Special Collection

Next weekend, the first of our annual “National Collections” will be taken as a second collection at all the weekend Masses. This combined collection includes the Catholic Communication Campaign, Evangelization, and the Church in Latin America. See the inserts in today’s bulletin about these. Extra envelopes are available at the doors of the church.

2022 Contribution Statements

We will soon be preparing contribution statements for 2022 for those who request them and who use our parish envelope system. Please fill out the form at the bottom of page 3 or 4 and return it to the rectory office or in the collection basket. They should be mailed in early February. Those who participate in our Parish Giving electronic system will receive an emailed statement of their contributions toward the end of this month, sent directly from Parish Giving. Please watch your email!

Right to Life March

After a long break due to Covid, the Knights of Columbus will be traveling to DC on Friday, January 20th for the annual March for Life. The bus leaves at 6am from St. John's parking lot, (Bergenfield) and will drop us off at the Mall in DC; we depart from St. Peter's Church in DC and arrive back at St. John's approximately 10pm.

The cost is \$25.00 per person and \$50.00 per family. Please join our local Knights in this very important mission for those that don’t have a voice - “The Unborn”.

For more information, contact GK Gerry Flood
(914) 343-5508.

The 2023 Annual Appeal has begun! Each year we are invited to participate in the Annual Appeal, which is an opportunity to support essential ministries and programs of our Archdiocese. Your sacrificial support makes it possible for us to carry out the important work that we are called to do as missionary disciples of Jesus.



Please consider participating in this year’s Appeal to help make a significant difference in many lives within our Archdiocese.

Please make a gift online today by visiting rcan.org/sharing or join us for In-Pew Weekend on February 4th-5th.

Pastor's Desk

Dear Parishioners,

The 2023 Annual Appeal has begun! You should have received in the mail or will receive an invitation from Cardinal Tobin to consider making a financial sacrifice to support this year's Annual Appeal. We are grateful for your generosity and we rely on it because it helps support essential ministries and programs of our Archdiocese. Your support to the Annual Appeal helps us accomplish across the Archdiocese what we would not be able to do alone.

Our parish stretch goal is \$104,591, which is the same as last year. There are two financial benefits to our parish if we achieve this goal. First, if we reach this goal in cash by June 30th, our parish is eligible for as much as \$18,158.00 savings on our fiscal obligations to the Archdiocese. Second, all monies pledged over goal as of June 30th will make us eligible for a 50% rebate, which comes back to our parish, unassessed, to be used as needed. From last year's appeal we realized close to \$24,000.00 in rebates!

The other 50% will be used to support Archdiocesan parishes in need. Our Archdiocese is one Church, and the Annual Appeal is an intentional way to demonstrate our own Stewardship. It invites us to reflect on our blessings bestowed upon us from God and challenges us to share those blessings with others. This gives us the resources to bring Christ to those who need Him the most, to make ministry possible and to expand the good works of our parish and our Archdiocese.

I have made my gift to the Appeal. Please consider taking a step with me this year on this Stewardship journey by responding directly by mail to Cardinal Tobin's invitation to support the Appeal, or you can make you commitment here at Mass at our in-pew weekend next month. Thank you for all you do for our parish and for our Archdiocese!

Msgr. Richard Arnhols, Pastor

Stewardship: Sharing our Time, Talent, and Treasure!

"Now the Lord has spoken who formed me as his servant from the womb..." ISAIAH 49:5

God have given each of us different gifts. In order for God's plan to work, you have to do what God is calling you to do and I have to do what God is calling me to do. And guess what? God has given each of us a different plan! So, stop comparing yourself to others. Don't let envy and jealousy enter your life. Be thankful for the gifts God has given you and become the saint that God is calling you to be.

Our Sunday Offering: Sunday, December 4, 2022 — \$17,078.93 ~ December 5, 2021 — \$17,047.57

Request for Church Contribution Statement 2022

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____ Envelope Number: _____

Please fill out, detach, and place in collection basket or return to rectory. Statements will be mailed in early February.

Escritorio del Párroco

Estimados Feligreses,

¡La Llamada Anual de 2023 ha comenzado! Probablemente ya lo recibieron por correo o recibirá una invitación del Cardenal Tobin para considerar hacer un sacrificio financiero para apoyar la Llamada Anual de este año. Estamos agradecidos por su generosidad y confiamos en ella porque ayuda a apoyar los ministerios y programas esenciales de nuestra Arquidiócesis. Su apoyo a la Llamada Anual nos ayuda a lograr en toda la Arquidiócesis lo que no podríamos lograr solos.

Nuestra meta parroquial es de \$104,591, lo mismo que el año pasado. Hay dos beneficios financieros para nuestra parroquia si logramos esta meta. Primero, si alcanzamos esta meta en efectivo para el 30 de junio, nuestra parroquia es elegible para un ahorro de hasta \$18,158.00 en nuestras obligaciones fiscales con la Arquidiócesis. En segundo lugar, todo el dinero prometido sobre la meta a partir del 30 de junio nos hará elegibles para un reembolso del 50%, que vuelve a nuestra parroquia, sin tasar, para ser utilizado según sea necesario. ¡Desde la apelación del año pasado obtuvimos cerca de \$24,000.00 en reembolsos!

El otro 50% se utilizará para apoyar a las parroquias arquidiocesanas que lo necesiten. Nuestra Arquidiócesis es una Iglesia, y la Llamada Anual es una forma intencional de demostrar nuestra propia corresponsabilidad. Nos invita a reflexionar sobre las bendiciones que Dios nos ha otorgado y nos desafía a compartir esas bendiciones con los demás. Esto nos da los recursos para llevar a Cristo a quienes más lo necesitan, para hacer posible el ministerio y expandir las buenas obras de nuestra parroquia y nuestra Arquidiócesis.

He hecho mi donación a la Llamada. Considere dar un paso conmigo este año en esta jornada de Corresponsabilidad respondiendo directamente por correo a la invitación del Cardenal Tobin para apoyar la Llamada, o puede comprometerse aquí en la Misa el fin de semana del próximo mes. ¡Gracias por todo lo que hace por nuestra parroquia y por nuestra Arquidiócesis!

Monseñor Richard Arnholz, Párroco

Administradores: ¡Compartiendo Nuestro Tiempo, Talento, Y Tesoro!

“Y ahora dice el Señor, que desde el seno materno me formó para que fuera yo su siervo...” ISAÍAS 49:5

Dios nos da diferentes dones a cada uno de nosotros. Para que el plan de Dios funcione, usted tiene que hacer lo que Dios lo llamó a hacer y yo tengo que hacer lo que Dios me llamó a hacer a mí. ¿Y adivina qué? ¡Dios tiene un plan diferente para cada uno de nosotros! Así que deje de compararse con los demás. No deje que la envidia y los celos entren en su vida. De gracias por los dones que Dios le ha dado y transfórmese en el santo que Dios lo está llamando a ser.

Nuestra Ofrenda Dominical: domingo, 4 de diciembre 2022 — \$17,078.93 ~ 5 de diciembre 2021 — \$17,047.57

Solicitud de Declaración de Contribución de la Iglesia 2022

Nombre: _____ Teléfono: _____

Dirección: _____ No. de Sobre: _____

**Por favor, complete, separe y coloque en la canasta de la colecta o devuélvala a la rectoría.
Las declaraciones serán enviadas por correo a principios de Febrero.**

Our Strategic Goal

As a Church, we now move into Ordinary Time. “Ordinary” comes from the Latin root for “order,” which is why we line the Sundays up on the calendar and count them—with “ordinal” numbers—one by one. The orderly way we proceed through the liturgical year reminds us that our faith offers a strategic goal for our lives: eternal happiness with God, who is love. Today’s readings share stories of believers who order their daily activities toward the goal of sharing God’s love. Isaiah embraces his role as God’s servant and works to bring glory not only to Israel, but to the entire world. In a similar way, Saint Paul identifies himself as Christ’s witness in the world and reminds the Corinthians of their life goal: “to be holy.” The Gospel shows us John the Baptist, servant and witness, attentive to God’s loving orders, the divine plan for salvation. Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co., Inc.

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Open House - Sunday, January 29, 2023
11:00am - 3:00pm (by appointment)
Wednesday, February 1, 2023
5:30pm - 7:00pm (by appointment)

New registrations for the 2023 - 2024 academic school year begins in mid February Please call or email Mrs. Walsh in our school office for more info. ewalsh@academyolmc.org
201-567-6491.

St. John’s Prayer Groups

Legion of Mary ~ Meets each Saturday, 9:30am-11:00am in the Lower Church (English)

Padre Pio Prayer Group ~ Meets on the 3rd Saturday of each month, 3pm—5pm in the Lower Church.

St. John’s Youth Group - Meets on Sunday 7pm-9pm, Youth Room, Lower Church. For more information contact Eric Acosta, ericacosta7@msn.com

EL Shaddai DWXI-PPFI Bergenfield Cell Group - meets 2nd & 4th Saturday 1:30pm-5:30pm in the Lower Church. Come & Be Blessed by the “Healing Message”. For more info, contact Lhot Liwanag at 201.233.8235 or John Teopengco at 201.658.4032.

Anointing Fire Ministry Group - Meets Mondays 7pm-10pm in the Parish Life Center Chapel. Also, meets the 2nd Friday of the month from 10pm—6:30am for Eucharistic Adoration & Praise, in the Lower Church.

Sacraments

Penance - Saturdays: 1:00pm-2:00pm in the Church.

Baptisms - English - 3:00pm
2nd & 3rd Sundays of the month
Spanish—2:45pm—4th Sunday of the month

Instructions for parents will be held on the 1st Sunday of the month in English at 1:30pm in the Parish Life Center Basement and the 3rd Sunday of the month in Spanish at 2:45pm in the Parish Life Center Gathering Room for parents having their first child baptized. All parents must be registered parishioners and present the child’s birth certificate at the time of arranging the baptism. Godparents must be practicing Catholics, at least sixteen years of age, who have received the Sacraments of Confirmation & Eucharist, and, if married, the Sacrament of Matrimony. Sponsor certificate must be presented at least one week before Baptism.

PLEASE NOTE! We are accepting registrations for Baptisms for February and beyond.

NO BAPTISMS DURING LENT—FEBRUARY 22—APRIL 7

Please call the Rectory at 201-384-0101 for information.

Matrimony - Arrangements for a wedding should be made at least one year in advance. Please contact one of the priests, 201-384-0101.

Food Pantry

Scripture tells us, "It is more blessed to give, than to receive." You are truly blessed for your willingness to help others. Thank you so much for your generosity!

Food items needed in January:

Cereal, oatmeal, canned tuna, tomato sauce, mac&cheese

If you would like to volunteer to assist the St. John's food pantry team, please contact Joe McHale 201-655-1073, joemc1217@gmail.com

Come & Pray

Adoration This Week:

Tuesday 12pm—5:30pm
Wednesday & Thursday 12pm—6:30pm



Memorial Fund / Special Intention

We are now offering weekly memorial opportunities for the hosts that are used at Mass, the Sanctuary Candle, and flowers for the altar.

If you would like to contribute to this memorial fund, while at the same time being able to remember living or deceased loved ones in a special way, please stop by the rectory. The memorial items will be listed in the appropriate week’s bulletin.

Altar Bread (Hosts) - \$50.00
Altar Flowers— \$50.00/basket
(1 or 2 baskets)
Sanctuary Candle—\$20.00

FIESTA DE NTRA. SRA. DE ALTAGRACIA

Sábado, Enero 21



Misa: 7:00 pm
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Donación: \$10

Compartir: Después de Misa
Conlon Hall (Gym)
Buffet y Música En Vivo

Solicitud de Declaración de Contribución

Próximamente estaremos preparando declaraciones de contribución 2022 para quienes las soliciten y que utilicen nuestro sobres parroquiales. Complete el formulario al final de la página 3 o 4 y devuélvalo a la oficina de la rectoría o en la canasta de la colecta. Los enviaremos por correo a principios de febrero. Aquellos que participen en nuestro sistema electrónico Parish Giving recibirán un estado de cuenta por correo electrónico de sus contribuciones hacia fines de este mes, enviado directamente desde Parish Giving. ¡Por favor, mire su correo electrónico!

Grupos Parroquiales

La Palabra ~ lunes, Iglesia de abajo de 7:30pm ~ 9:30pm

Legión de María ~ martes, Capilla del Parish Life Center de 6:00pm ~ 7:30pm

Tienda del Encuentro ~ martes
Basement del Parish Life Center de 7:00pm ~ 10:00pm

Emaús Mujeres ~ miércoles, Iglesia de abajo de 7:30pm ~ 9:30pm

Emaús Hombres ~ miércoles, Basement del Parish Life Center de 7:30pm ~ 9:30pm

Grupo de Oración Luz y Vida ~ jueves, Iglesia de abajo de 7:30pm ~ 9:30pm

Devoción a la Preciosa Sangre de Cristo ~ viernes
Basement del Parish Life Center de 8:00pm ~ 9:00pm

Ministerio Matrimonios Con Cristo ~ tercer viernes del mes,
Iglesia de abajo de 8:00pm ~ 9:45pm

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Próxima Preparación para la

Consagración Total a Jesús por María

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Iniciamos el martes 24 de Enero a las 7:30 pm

Parroquia:
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Más información escribir a los siguientes números de whatsapp:

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La Llamada Anual 2023

¡La Llamada Anual 2023 ha comenzado! Cada año estamos invitados a participar en la Llamada Anual, que es una oportunidad para apoyar los ministerios y programas esenciales de nuestra Arquidiócesis. Su apoyo sacrificial nos permite llevar a cabo el importante trabajo que estamos llamados a hacer como discípulos misioneros de Jesús.



Por favor considere participar en la Llamada Anual de este año para ayudar a hacer una diferencia significativa en muchas vidas dentro de nuestra Arquidiócesis.

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