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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil Mass:
5:30 PM, 7:00PM (Spanish)

Sunday Masses:
7:30 AM, 9:00 AM, 10:30 AM, 12:00 PM
1:15 PM - Spanish

Daily Masses:
Monday—Friday
7:00 AM
9:00 AM
7:30 PM



Saturday	<u>February 25</u>
5:30 pm	Maria Alvarado
7:00 pm (Español)	Por la Santísima Madre María
Sunday	<u>February 26</u>
7:30 am	The People of the Parish
9:00 am	Eugene Iglar
10:30 am	Tomas & Rosario Chua
12:00 pm	Edward J. Edone
1:15 pm (Español)	Salustiana Hernandez— Anniversary
Monday	<u>February 27</u>
7:00 am	Sr. Joanne Rusch
9:00 am	Joan Sommers
7:30pm	Miguel Arellano—2nd Anniversary
Tuesday	<u>February 28</u>
7:00 am	Graciano Vargas, Jr. & Gloria Manasan Vargas
9:00 am	William Shine
7:30 pm	Sally D. Lee (Mother) - 16th Anniv. & Madeline Geraci—9th Anniversary
Wednesday	<u>March 1</u>
7:00 am	Gerald McGowan
9:00 am	Bridget Coyne
7:30 pm	Dominic E. Francisco
Thursday	<u>March 2</u>
7:00 am	Patricia Sutherland
9:00 am	Candida Alan
7:30 pm	Sp. Int.: Fritz Bautista—Thanksgiving
Friday	<u>March 3</u>
7:00 am	Imelda Dermady
9:00 am	Rosalinda Medado
7:30 pm	Arendt Arnhols—Birthday
Saturday	<u>March 4</u>
7:00 am	Jovita Duaves
9:00 am	Legion of Mary Birthday Celebrants
5:30 pm	Stanley & Sally Jendrysik
7:00 pm (Español)	Cesar Augusto Herrera
Sunday	<u>March 5</u>
7:30 am	The People of the Parish
9:00 am	Ricardo & Leoncia Corona
10:30 am	Maureen & Philomena Mc Laughlin
12:00 pm	In Honor of St. Gertrude
1:15 pm (Español)	Maria Virgelina Mejia Gaviria

Prayers for the Deceased

Please remember

Kevin F. Smith, Dominick S. Dedio, Richard G. Garcia, and Rev. Msgr. David Hubba in your prayers.

Memorial Fund/Special Intention

Week of February 25th — March 3rd

Sanctuary Candle & Altar Bread

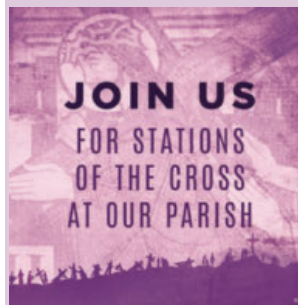
In loving memory of John R. Stellabotte
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Please note: There will not be a Baptism Class on March 5th.



A SEASON FOR SLOWING DOWN

During this sacred season, we will intentionally slow down so that we can pay closer attention to our relationship with God, our neighbors and our planet. Reflect on how the pillars of prayer, fasting & almsgiving can guide your journey for a more enriching Lenten experience. How can practicing these pillars help you to live in solidarity with our sisters and brothers around the world? Visit crsricebowl.org to learn more.



Español
Los viernes a las 6:00 pm
en la Iglesia Principal
(excepto el Viernes Santo)

English
Fridays at 6:45 pm in
the Main Church
(except Good Friday)



Come & Pray

Adoration This Week:
Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday
12pm—6:30pm



Pastor's Desk



Dear Parishioners,

Your pledges for the Annual Appeal are a little over \$17,000.00 so far, keeping pace with last year. I encourage every parish family to send your completed pledge form back to the Archdiocese, or use one of the envelopes in the church, or scan the QR code to make your pledge.

I remind you of our Friday Stations of the Cross during Lent, Operation Rice Bowl opportunities, and our Spanish Lenten Retreat next Saturday. Of course, we continue to offer Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament most Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday afternoons. The Holy Hour in Spanish tomorrow at 8pm will be held in the lower church, as there will be a special Rite that I will be celebrating with one of our Neocatechumenal communities in the main church. As usual, we will have our First Friday Holy Hour in English at 8pm in the main church, followed by overnight adoration in the Notre Dame Chapel of the Parish Life Center until 6:45am on Saturday morning. Please consider spending some time in prayer with Jesus during the course of the night. You can sign in using the binder in the church vestibule, so that we are sure that every hour is covered.

Looking ahead a bit, the annual Bergen County St. Patrick's Parade will take place on Sunday, March 12, starting at the southern end of Bergenfield at 2pm, with the reviewing stand on our church steps. As in the past, to help with traffic flow, our Spanish Mass on Sunday, March 12 will be rescheduled to 12:30pm, in the Lower Church. Also, keep in mind that March 12th is the day we move our clocks an hour ahead for Daylight Saving Time!

Msgr. Richard Arnhols, Pastor

Stewardship: Sharing our Time, Talent, and Treasure!

"It is written: 'The Lord, your God, shall you worship and him alone shall you serve.'" MATTHEW 4:10

Tempted between the riches and power of this world and service to God, Jesus chose service to His Father. If we wish to truly follow Jesus, we, too, must decide to turn away from worldly power and riches and put God at the center of our lives. Lent is our time to prune ourselves of earthly things, and develop and nurture heavenly things. Lent is time to repent and let go of the other "gods" we have put before God.

Our Sunday Offering: Sunday, January 15, 2023 — 16,712.00 ~ January 9, 2022 — \$14,409.95

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Escritorio del Párroco

Estimados Feligreses,

Sus promesas para la Llamada Anual son un poco más de \$17,000.00 hasta ahora, manteniendo el ritmo del año pasado, animo a cada familia parroquial a enviar su formulario de compromiso completado a la Arquidiócesis, o usar uno de los sobres en la iglesia, o escanear el código QR para hacer su promesa.



Les recuerdo el Viacrucis cada viernes durante la Cuaresma, las oportunidades de ayudar con la Operación Platos de Arroz y nuestro Retiro de Cuaresma el próximo sábado. También, seguimos ofreciendo la Adoración del Santísimo Sacramento la mayoría de los martes, miércoles y jueves por la tarde. La Hora Santa en español mañana a las 8pm se celebrará en la iglesia de abajo, ya que habrá un rito especial que estaré celebrando con una de nuestras comunidades neocatecumenales en la iglesia principal. Como siempre, tendremos nuestra Hora Santa los primeros viernes del mes en Inglés a las 8pm en la iglesia principal, seguida de la adoración nocturna en la Capilla del Parish Life Center hasta las 6:45am el sábado por la mañana. Les invito a pasar un tiempo en oración con Jesús sacramentado en el transcurso de la noche. Usted puede firmar el libro que está en el vestíbulo de la iglesia, para que estemos seguros de que cada hora está cubierta.

Mirando hacia adelante un poco, el desfile anual del Condado de Bergen de San Patricio tendrá lugar el domingo 12 de marzo, comenzando en el extremo sur de Bergenfield a las 2 pm, con el stand de revisión en nuestros pasos de la iglesia. Como en el pasado, para ayudar con el flujo de tráfico, nuestra Misa en español del domingo 12 de marzo será reprogramada a las 12:30pm, en la Iglesia de abajo. Además, tenga en cuenta que el 12 de marzo es el día en que movemos nuestros relojes una hora por delante para el horario de verano!

Monseñor Richard Arnholts, Párroco

Administradores:

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“Está escrito: ‘Adora al Señor tu Dios y sírvele solamente a él’ ” MATEO 4:10

Tentado a elegir entre las riquezas y el poder de este mundo y el servicio a Dios, Jesús eligió servir a Su Padre. Si queremos realmente seguir a Jesús, nosotros también debemos decidir alejarnos del poder y las riquezas mundanas y poner a Dios en el centro de nuestras vidas. La cuaresma es nuestro tiempo para reducir nuestras cosas terrenales, y desarrollar y cultivar las cosas celestiales. La cuaresma es el tiempo para arrepentirse y dejar ir a los otros “dioses” que hemos puesto delante de Dios.

Nuestra Ofrenda Dominical: domingo, 8 de enero 2023 — \$16,658.00 ~ 9 de enero 2022 — \$14,592.79

Solicitud de Declaración de Contribución de la Iglesia 2022

Nombre: _____ Teléfono: _____

Dirección: _____ No. de Sobre: _____

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ARCHDIOCESE OF NEWARK

2023 LENTEN REGULATIONS

1. The days of both Fast and Abstinence during Lent are Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. If possible, the fast on Good Friday is continued until the Easter Vigil (on Holy Saturday night) as the "paschal fast" to honor the suffering and death of the Lord Jesus, and to prepare ourselves to share more fully and to celebrate more readily His Resurrection.

The other Fridays of Lent are days of Abstinence.

On a day of Fast, only one (1) full meal is permitted, and two (2) smaller meals, which, if added together, would not exceed the main meal in quantity.

Those between the ages of 18 and 59 are obliged to fast.

On a day of Abstinence, no meat may be eaten.

Those who have reached the age of 14 are obliged by the law of abstinence.

2. The obligation to observe the laws of Fast and Abstinence "substantially", or as a whole, is a serious obligation.

3. The Fridays of the year, outside of Lent, are designated as days of penance, but each individual may substitute for the traditional abstinence from meat some other practice of voluntary self-denial as penance.

4. The time for fulfilling the Paschal Precept (Easter Duty*) extends from the First Sunday of Lent, February 26, 2023 to The Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity, June 4, 2023.

*Canon 920, §1. *All the faithful, after they have been initiated into the Most Holy Eucharist, are bound by the obligation of receiving Communion at least once a year.*

Archdiocese of Newark

Wedding Anniversary Masses

The Office for Family Life Ministry is excited to announce it will once again honor archdiocesan couples celebrating 5, 25, & 50 years of Catholic marriage with special anniversary Masses at the Cathedral Basilica of the Sacred Heart this Spring. These anniversary liturgies will be held in the Cathedral Basilica of the Sacred Heart in Newark as follows below. The 50th Anniversary Mass will be celebrated by Cardinal Tobin. The 5th & 25th Anniversary Mass will be celebrated by Bishop Gregory Studerus.

April 16, 2023 3:00pm ~ 50 years (All counties)

May 7, 2023 3:00pm ~ 5 years & 25 years (All counties)

If you would like to register, please call the rectory.



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 April 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.

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.



UN TIEMPO PARA IR MÁS DESPACIO

Durante este tiempo santo, nos proponemos ir más despacio para poner más atención a nuestra relación con Dios, con el prójimo y con nuestro planeta. Reflexiona sobre cómo los pilares de la oración, el ayuno y la limosna pueden guiarte a vivir en solidaridad con nuestros hermanos de todo el mundo? Visita crsplatodearroz.org para saber más.

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Bergenfield, NJ

Retiro de Cuaresma

Sábado, Marzo 4; 8:30 am - 3:30 pm
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Estamos felices de anunciarles que nuevamente estamos preparando la tradición anual de honrar aquellas parejas en nuestra Arquidiócesis que estarán celebrando 5, 25, or 50 años de casados por la iglesia católica en el año 2023. Las liturgias de Aniversario serán celebradas en la Catedral Basílica del Sagrado Corazon en Newark en las fechas:

Aniversario Bodas de Oro (50) Abril 16, 2023
5 Años de Aniversario de Bodas Mayo 7, 2023
Aniversario Bodas de Plata (25) Mayo 7, 2023

Si desea registrarse, por favor llame a la rectoría.

ARQUIDIÓCESIS DE NEWARK REGLAMENTO DE LA CUARESMA 2023

Los días de ayuno y abstinencia durante la Cuaresma son el Miércoles de Ceniza y el Viernes Santo. Si es posible, el ayuno del Viernes Santo se continúa hasta la Vigilia Pascual (en la noche del Sábado Santo) como el "ayuno pascual" para honrar el sufrimiento y la muerte del Señor Jesús, y para prepararnos para compartir más plenamente y celebrar más fácilmente Su Resurrección. Los otros viernes de Cuaresma son días de abstinencia.

En un día de ayuno, solo se permite una (1) comida completa, y dos (2) comidas más pequeñas, que, si se suman, no excedería de la comida principal en cantidad.

Los que tienen entre 18 y 59 años están obligados a ayunar.

En un día de abstinencia, no se puede comer carne. Las personas que han cumplido 14 años están obligadas por la ley de abstinencia.

La obligación de observar las leyes de Ayuno y Abstinencia "substantialmente", o como un todo, es una obligación seria. Los viernes del año, fuera de la Cuaresma, son designados como días de penitencia, pero cada individuo puede sustituir la tradicional abstinencia de la carne por alguna otra práctica de abnegación voluntaria como penitencia.

El tiempo para cumplir el Precepto Pascual (Deber Pascual*) se extiende desde el primer domingo de Cuaresma, 26 de febrero de 2023, hasta la Solemnidad de la Santísima Trinidad, 4 de junio de 2023.

Parroquia San Juan Evangelista
Bergenfield, NJ

LA MISA DE NIÑOS

Domingo, Marzo 5
1:15 pm

Si desea que su niño(a) sirva en la misa,
regístralo(a) enviando un texto a:
Domingo Almonte: (917)443-4730
Padre Cesar: (201)254-7737

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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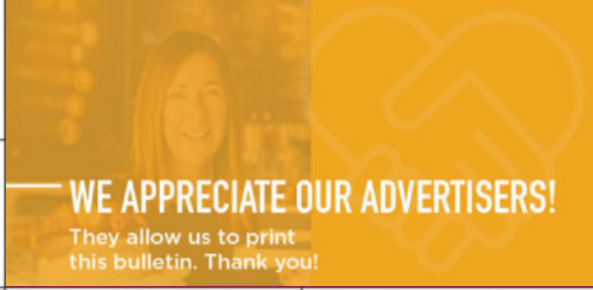
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