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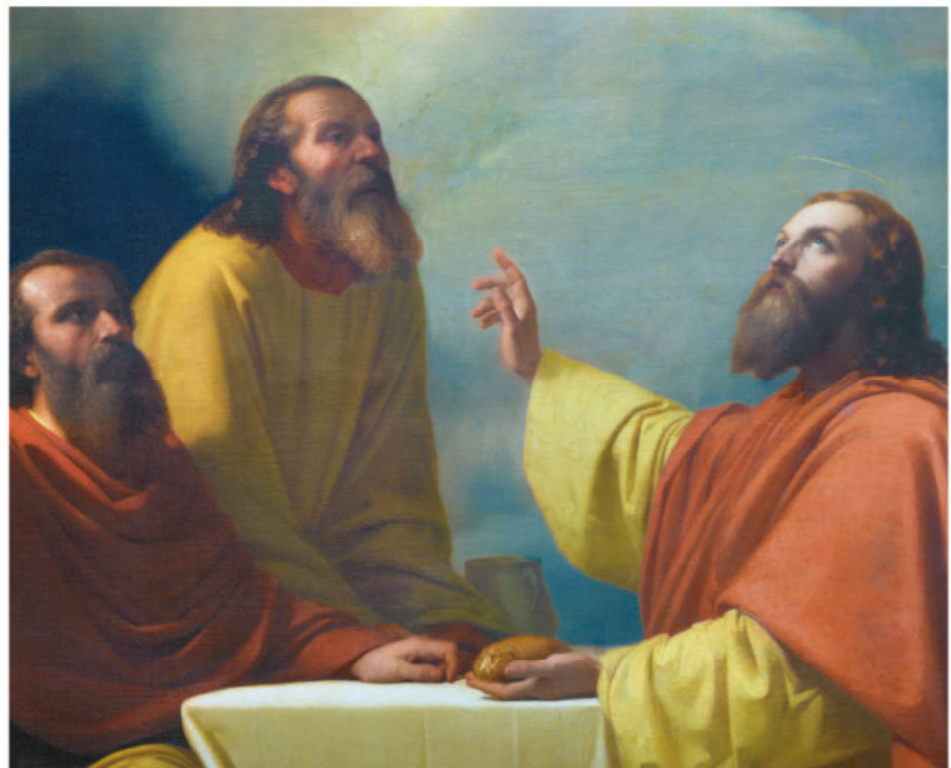
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SUNDAY, MAY 14, 2023

6TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

"I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate to be with you always, the Spirit of truth." - Jn 14:16-17a

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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil Mass:
5:30 PM, 7:00 PM (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>May 13</u>
5:30 pm	Delmy A. Escobar
7:00 pm (Español)	Sp. Int.: The Tom Family
Sunday	<u>May 14—Mother's Day</u>
7:30 am	The People of the Parish
9:00 am	For All Mothers
10:30 am	For All Mothers
12:00 pm	For All Mothers
1:15p m (Español)	Para Todas Las Madres
Monday	<u>May 15</u>
7:00 am	Librada & Juan Dalisay
9:00 am	Christine Donovan
7:30pm	Gasper Caro
Tuesday	<u>May 16</u>
7:00 am	Domenic E. Francisco
9:00 am	Patrick & Helen Gorman
7:30 pm	William Walsh—1st Anniversary
Wednesday	<u>May 17</u>
7:00 am	Philip Go
9:00 am	Jaime Lomibao
7:30 pm	Rodolfo Kabigting
Thursday	<u>May 18</u>
7:00 am	Rogelio Pugada
9:00 am	Samuel Stilianopulous
7:30 pm	Ines Toriano
Friday	<u>May 19</u>
7:00 am	The Unborn Babies
9:00 am	Pastora Tan
7:30 pm	Alfred & Claire Cialone
Saturday	<u>May 20</u>
7:00 am	Danny Ibera
9:00 am	Verna & John Orlando
5:30 pm (Bilingual)	Sp. Int. Monsignor Richard J. Arnholms on his 50th Anniversary
7:00 pm (Español)	NO 7PM MASS
Sunday	<u>May 21—The Ascension of the Lord</u>
7:30 am	The People of the Parish
9:00 am	Cirilo Sapitula
10:30 am	Deacon James Detura & Family
12:00 pm	In Honor of St. Gertrude
1:15p m (Español)	Ana Maria Almonte



**Registration for 2023-24
RELIGIOUS ED begins May 18!**

All current families will receive information in the mail next week, followed by an email from Parish Giving on or around May 18.

If you are new to our program, or your child did not attend in 2022-23, please contact us after May 18 for information & registration, 201-384-3601 or email roflood@yahoo.com.

Spread the word to family and friends with school-age children who are not yet receiving faith formation!

We hope that our young people who were confirmed will continue growing in faith through the St. John's Youth Group contact, Eric Acosta, ericacosta7@msn.com for information.

**World Youth Day 2023~ Portugal
St. John's Neo-catechumen Youth
Fundraiser**

Bake Sale Menus available for order and local delivery:
siadely@hotmail.com

Mother's Day flower and plant sale weekend of **May 13 and 14**. Sale after all masses. Flower bouquets and plants.

Multi family garage sale during **May 6 & 7**, 9:00 am-5:00 pm.
431 Cypress Court
New Milford, NJ 07646



Please come and support our youth. God makes miracles during these encounters and calls many young men and women to a life of serving HIM!

Contact Siadely Meade at siadely@hotmail.com with any questions or issues.



Come & Pray

Adoration This Week:
Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday
12pm—4:00pm

Respect Life

This weekend, the Respect Life Committee will be handing out Baby Bottles to be filled with change, which will be donated to the three Crisis Pregnancy Centers we support throughout the year. **We will be collecting the bottles on or before Father's Day.** Please be as generous as you can. The centers are always most grateful for our help.



Pastor's Desk

Dear Parishioners,

Our annual Parish May Crowning will take place at the 10:30am First Communion Mass today.

It is hard to believe that what has taken months in planning is now coming so soon! My Golden Jubilee Mass and reception celebration on Saturday, May 20th is now less than a week away. Given the anticipated timing and attendance, this will be a bilingual Mass at 5:30pm. We will NOT have a Spanish Mass next Saturday evening, May 20th. Everyone is welcome to the Mass. Only invited guests and those who have made reservations may attend the adult reception following the Mass.

Those who receive church offering envelopes will notice that there is both an Ascension envelope and a Sunday envelope for next weekend. As you may remember, our archdiocese and our state has joined most of the rest of the country in observing the Solemnity of the Ascension on the 7th Sunday of Easter, rather than on a Thursday when fewer people can attend. Please put both envelopes in the single collection next weekend as we count on the support which both these collections represent.

I am so grateful for all those who have made pledges for the Annual Appeal. Our total IS NOW \$100,755.00 which is over 93% of our stretch goal of \$104,591.00. I am confident that we can reach our pledge stretch goal, as we did last year, by June 30th! It requires the response of those who have not yet decided. This will bring extra benefits back to the parish. Payments can continue until December 31st. I encourage every parish family to send a 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.

Msgr. Richard Arnholts, Pastor

Stewardship: Sharing our Time, Talent, and Treasure!

"For it is better to suffer for doing good, if that be God's will, than for doing evil." 1 PETER 3:17

The old line says "if you want to make God laugh, tell him your plans." Many of us are diligent in our planning and making sure things are progressing smoothly. Then disaster strikes, we don't get the result we anticipated or an unforeseen problem arises. Many times, we may respond negatively and ask, "Why me? I did everything right!" Here's the thing – adversity humbles us and reminds us of our dependence on God and not on our own self-reliance. Rest assured; God has a better plan in store for you.

Our Sunday Offering: Palm Sunday, April 2, 2023 — \$23,037.40 ~ April 10, 2022 — \$21,279.72

Annual Appeal the 2023
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Your gift will truly make a difference. Thank you for your prayers and support.

Escritorio del Párroco

Estimados Feligreses,

Nuestra Coronación de Mayo Parroquial anual tendrá lugar hoy a las 10:30 am en la Misa de Primera Comunión.

Es difícil creer que lo que ha tomado meses en la planificación está llegando tan pronto! La Misa de mi Aniversario de 50 años y celebración el sábado 20 de mayo será en menos de una semana. Debido al tiempo y la asistencia esperada, esta será una Misa bilingüe a las 5:30pm. NO tendremos una Misa en Español el próximo sábado 20 de mayo. Todos son bienvenidos a la Misa. Solo los invitados y los que hayan hecho reservaciones pueden asistir a la recepción de adultos después de la Misa.

Aquellos que reciben sobres de ofrenda de la iglesia notarán que hay un sobre de Ascensión y un sobre de domingo para el próximo fin de semana. Como recordarán, nuestra arquidiócesis y nuestro estado se han unido con el resto del país para observar la Solemnidad de la Ascensión el 7º domingo de Pascua, en lugar de un jueves para darle la oportunidad a más personas para asistir. Por favor, ponga ambos sobres en la única colecta el próximo fin de semana, ya que contamos con el apoyo que ambas colecciones representan.

Estoy muy agradecido a todos los que han hecho promesas para la Llamada Anual. Nuestro total ES AHORA \$100,755.00 que es más del 93% de nuestro objetivo de \$104,591.00. ¡Estoy seguro de que podemos alcanzar nuestro objetivo de las promesas, como lo hicimos el año pasado, para el 30 de junio! Requiere la respuesta de aquellos que aún no han decidido. Esto traerá beneficios adicionales a la parroquia. Los pagos pueden continuar hasta el 31 de diciembre. Animó a cada familia parroquial a enviar un 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.

Monseñor Richard Arnhols, Párroco

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

“Es mejor sufrir por hacer el bien, si así lo quiere Dios, que por hacer el mal”. 1 PEDRO 3:17

Un viejo dicho dice “si quieres hacer reír a Dios, cuéntale tus planes”. Muchos de nosotros somos diligentes para planificar y asegurarnos que las cosas progresaran sin contratiempos. Entonces sucede un desastre, no obtenemos el resultado que habíamos esperado o se presenta un problema imprevisto. ¿Muchas veces respondemos negativamente y nos preguntamos, “¿Por qué a mí? Si lo hice todo correctamente”. Ese es el caso - la adversidad nos humilla y nos recuerda que dependemos de Dios y no de nuestra propia autosuficiencia. Tenga la seguridad, Dios tiene reservado un plan mejor para usted.

Nuestra Ofrenda Dominical: domingo de Ramos, 2 de abril 2023 — \$23,037.40 ~ 10 de abril 2022 — \$21,279.72

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*Please note:
There will be no 7pm Mass in Spanish on Saturday, May 20th. The 5:30pm Bilingual Mass will be in Honor of Monsignor Richard J. Arnhols' 50th Anniversary.*

MASSES:
May 13 —5:30pm
May 13 — 7pm—Spanish
May 14 @ 10:30am

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June 9-10, 2023

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Armed Forces Day—May 20

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ST. JOHN'S FOOD PANTRY
Food items needed at this time: pasta, cereal, tuna, mac & cheese, rice, cooking oil, peanut butter and jelly.

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 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.

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Hechos: 1:8

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**Viernes
19 de Mayo
7:30 pm
Iglesia de Abajo
(Basemant)**

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¡Feliz Día de las Madres!



Atención:

**No habrá Misa a las
7:00pm en Español el
sábado, 20 de mayo.**

**La Misa a las 5:30pm
será Bilingüe en
honor al
50 Aniversario de
Monseñor
Richard J. Arnhols**

El Padre César les extiende la invitación a la peregrinación del próximo año a Italia, El Vaticano y Tierra Santa. No tenemos fecha ni precios aun, pero probablemente la fecha sea entre finales de junio y finales de agosto. Esto quiere decir que desde ya pueden empezar ahorrando, ya que hay más de un año. Por ahora les compartimos este código QR, el cual puede escanear con su celular y allí le saldrá un formato



para que deje algunos datos básicos si está interesado en la peregrinación, y tan pronto tengamos fechas y precios, le contactaremos.

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ESPIRITU
SANTO"**

HECHOS 2:1-4

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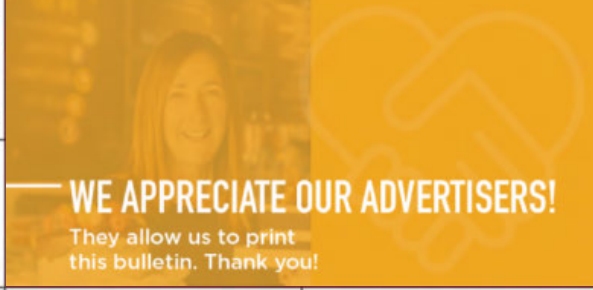
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