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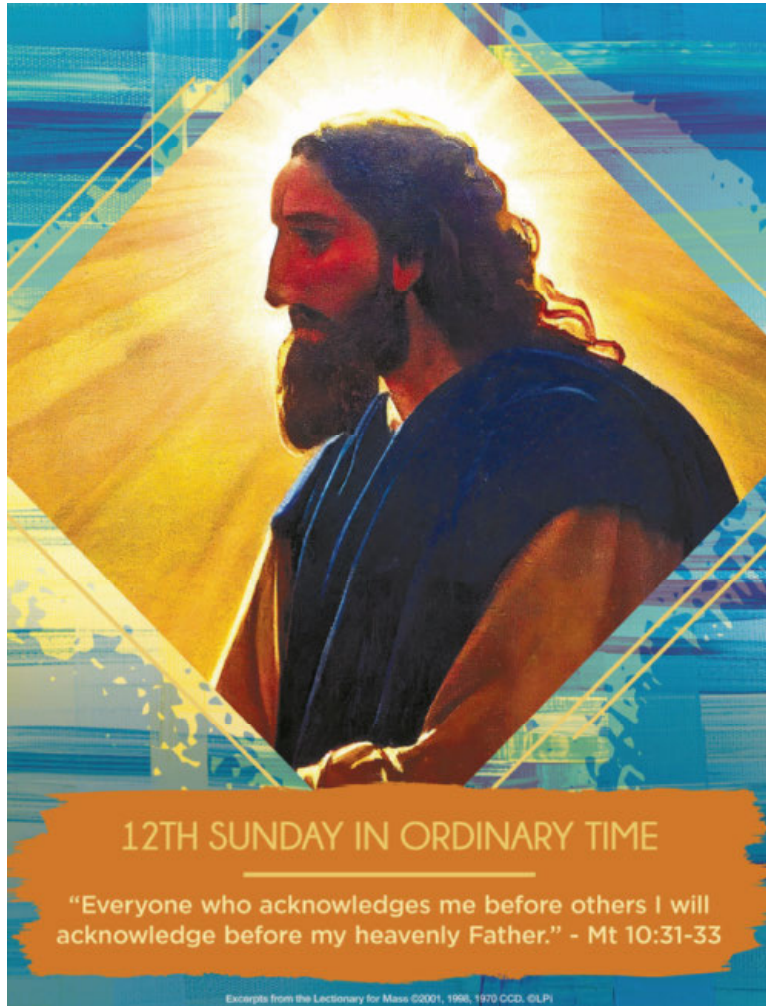
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SUNDAY, JUNE 25, 2023

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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>June 24</u>
5:30 pm	Maria Josefa Torres
7:00 pm (Español)	Ana Maria and Juana Cortez
Sunday	<u>June 25</u>
7:30 am	The People of the Parish
9:00 am	Dante Sevidal Nabua
10:30 am	Cirilo Sapitula
12:00 pm	Kathleen Downey
1:15pm (Español)	Manuel Peña
Monday	<u>June 26</u>
7:00 am	Nilda Redoblado
9:00 am	Gerard Arrellano—2nd Anniversary
7:30 pm	Eduardo H. Torres
Tuesday	<u>June 27</u>
7:00 am	Alvin Palcon Cuison
9:00 am	Rafael Mendoza
7:30 pm	Natividad B. Torres
Wednesday	<u>June 28</u>
7:00 am	Marianito A. Perez
9:00 am	Florence & Joseph Doyle
7:30 pm	Dominic Fitzroy McFarlane
Thursday	<u>June 29</u>
7:00 am	Jose G. Lozada, Jr.
9:00 am	Rosendo De Jesús
7:30 pm	Peter Paul Fernandez
Friday	<u>June 30</u>
7:00 am	John Weldin
9:00 am	Valentino Tablong
7:30 pm	Rebecca Acuña Sarcauga
Saturday	<u>July 1</u>
7:00 am	Deborah Ilano
9:00 am	Legion of Mary Birthday Celebrants
5:30 pm	Imelda Dermady
7:00 pm (Español)	Donato & Vicente Zambrano
Sunday	<u>July 2</u>
7:30 am	The People of the Parish
9:00 am	In Honor of St. Gertrude
10:30 am	Beatrice & Stephen McLaughlin
12:00 pm	Angelina Oggioni
1:15pm (Español)	Hilda Faña
5:30pm (Tagalog)	Special Intention

Join us
2,000 Hail Marys

July 1st

First Saturday of each month

6:30am-4:30pm

Adoration Chapel ramp side



Come & join us to honor Mary, Our Beloved Mother.



Our Lady of Perpetual Help

For our annual anniversary observance of the establishment of the novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help in our parish, you are invited to join in a procession with her image around our parish grounds on **Wednesday, June 28, after 6:30pm Benediction.** Novena prayers will follow as usual at 7pm.

Prayers for the Deceased

Please remember

JoAnn Geist and Antoinette Walsh
in your prayers.



Come & Pray

Adoration This Week:

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



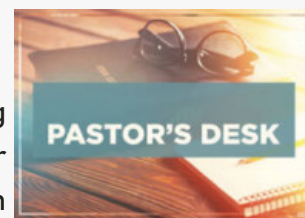
*Congratulations & Happy Retirement,
Monsignor Richard!*

*Thank you for your 50 years
of priestly ministry and 25 years serving our
parish community! You'll be greatly missed.*

May the Lord's blessings be always upon you.

Dear Parishioners,

This is my last bulletin “desk” as your pastor. As you know, I will be retiring effective July 1st. Fr. Sean will be starting on Saturday, and will have a message for you for next weekend. Please welcome him with the same open arms and open hearts with which you welcomed me almost 25 years ago!



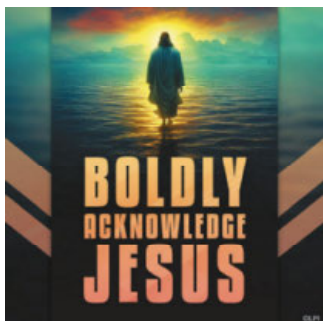
I conclude with the simple verses I used at the close of my marvelous anniversary reception last month:

More than 75 years since my birth, living life on planet earth.
 Almost 50 years ordained a priest, A fitting occasion for this night's feast.
 Close to 25 years leading this flock. Time sure flies, even without a clock.
 All of you here have played a part in enriching my life and touching my heart.
 I helped you, or you helped me: That is the way things should always be!
 Each one welcome, personally unique, Images of Christ Whom all should seek.
 Meetings and schedules soon will cease; From these, retirement will bring release!!
 A calmer pace, an ocean view, More time to treasure thoughts of you.
 I'll be back here now and then, Looking forward to seeing you again.
 Thank you for all for this marvelous day. Your love means more than I can say!

CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL OUR PARISHIONERS WHO HAVE MADE A PLEDGE TO THIS YEAR'S ANNUAL APPEAL! Our total IS **NOW \$112,030.00** which is **over 107%** of our stretch goal of **\$104,591.00**. If those who have already made pledges can complete their payments before **June 30**, (for a total of \$7,014.00), or if new families can make a pledge, and pay it off at the time of the pledge, we will not only be able to receive rebates of half over our goal but also can receive an additional 1% in assessment reductions. This would be an extra benefit to our parish. Either way, thank you for your cooperation!

- Msgr. Richard Arnholds, Pastor

Stewardship: Sharing our Time, Talent, and Treasure!



“Everyone who acknowledges me before others I will acknowledge before my heavenly Father.” MATTHEW 10:32

Would others know that you are Catholic by the way you act and speak? Do you share your Catholic faith with others? Do you defend your Catholic faith when the situation arises or do you remain silent? Do you pray in public before meals? Pray for the strength & courage to be a joyful witness of our Catholic faith when the opportunity presents itself. Let us become the radiant light and bold witness that we are called to be!

Our Sunday Offering: Mother's Day Sunday, May 14, 2023 — \$21,816.73 ~ May 8, 2022 — \$23,537.01

Annual Appeal the 2023
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Estimados Feligreses,

Este es mi último "Escritorio" del boletín como su pastor. Como saben, me retiraré a partir del 1 de julio. El Padre Sean comenzará el sábado y tendrá un mensaje para ustedes el próximo fin de semana. ¡Por favor les pido que le den la bienvenida como lo hicieron conmigo hace 25 años con sus brazos y corazones abiertos!



Concluyo con los sencillos versos que utilicé al final de mi maravillosa recepción de aniversario el mes pasado:

Más de 75 años desde mi nacimiento, viviendo la vida en el planeta tierra.
 Casi 50 años ordenado sacerdote, una ocasión apropiada para la fiesta de esta noche.
 Cerca de 25 años guiando este rebaño. El tiempo vuela, incluso sin reloj.
 Todos ustedes han jugado un papel en enriquecer mi vida y tocar mi corazón.
 Yo les ayudé, y ustedes me ayudaron: ¡Así deben ser siempre las cosas!
 Cada uno acoge, personalmente, Imágenes de Cristo que todos debemos buscar.
 Las reuniones y los horarios pronto cesarán; De estos, la jubilación traerá la liberación!!
 Un ritmo más tranquilo, una vista al mar, Más tiempo para atesorar los pensamientos de ustedes.
 Volveré aquí de vez en cuando, esperando verlos de nuevo.
 Gracias a todos por este maravilloso día . ¡Vuestro amor significa más de lo que puedo decir!

¡Felicidades a todos nuestros feligreses que se han comprometido con la Llamada Anual de este año! Nuestro total ES AHORA \$112,030.00 que es más del 107% de nuestro objetivo de \$104,591.00. Si aquellos que ya han hecho promesas pueden completar sus pagos antes del 30 de junio, (por un total de \$7,014.00), o si las nuevas familias pueden hacer una promesa, y pagarla en el momento de la promesa, no solo podremos recibir descuentos de la mitad sobre nuestro objetivo, sino que también podremos recibir un 1% adicional en reducciones de evaluación. Esto sería un beneficio adicional para nuestra parroquia. De cualquier manera, ¡gracias por su cooperación!

- Monseñor Richard Arnholts, Párroco

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

"A cualquiera que me reconozca delante de los demás, yo también lo reconoceré delante de mi Padre que está en el cielo".
 MATEO 10:32

¿Pueden los demás reconocer que usted es católico por la forma en la que habla y actúa? ¿Comparte su fe católica con otros? Si se presenta el caso, ¿defiende su Fe Católica o se queda callado? ¿Reza en público antes de las comidas? Rece para tener la fuerza y la valentía de ser un testigo jubiloso de nuestra fe católica cuando se presente la oportunidad. ¡Transformémonos en la luz radiante y los testigos valientes que estamos llamados a ser!

Nuestra Ofrenda Dominical: Domingo—Dia de las Madres, 14 de mayo 2023 — \$21,816.73 ~ 8 de mayo 2022 — \$23,537.01

Llamada Anual ^{la 2023}
 Nuestra Fe en Acción



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Pennies for Pilgrims



Next weekend after all the Masses, some of our parish youth who wish to attend World Youth Day with Pope Francis this summer will be asking your assistance of any contribution you might make to help defray the cost of this pilgrimage. As always, your generosity is appreciated.

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.

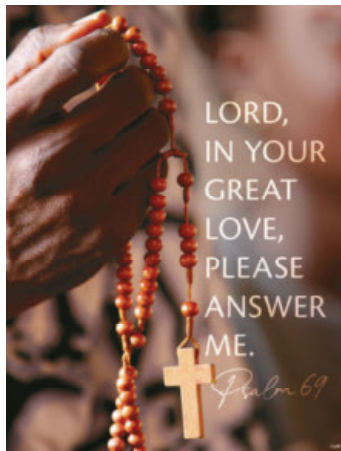


Registration for 2023-24 RELIGIOUS ED is now OPEN



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

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



Rosary for Life
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12th Sunday
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"Are not two sparrows sold for a small coin? Yet not one of them falls to the ground without your Father's knowledge. Even all the hairs of your head are counted. So do not be afraid; you are worth more than many sparrows."
Mt 10:29-31

St. John's Food Pantry

Thank you for your generosity in supporting St. John's food pantry so we can assist needy families. *This month we need the following items: cereal, canned tuna, canned fruit, coffee, rice, cooking oil, and pasta.* May the Lord bless you always.

Help Wanted

St. Mary's Church is seeking to hire a part-time custodian. Duties include opening the Church each morning & providing general custodial services throughout the building. Other duties as assigned. Hours are Monday to Friday, 6 am to 10:30am. Interested candidates should call the Rectory, 201-384-0557.



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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

Peregrinación



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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martes, miércoles y jueves

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