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SEPTEMBER 15, 2024



WHO DO YOU SAY

I AM?

Mark 8:30

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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, 6:30 PM
Tuesdays-6:30 PM Spanish

Penance: Saturdays 1:00 PM-2:00 PM in the Church

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION OFFICE

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Baptism

Please call the rectory at 201-384-0101 to schedule your baptism and confirm your attendance at the instructional meeting.

The **Parent Instructional** meeting is held the **1st Sunday of the month at 1:30 PM** and the **3rd Sunday at 2:45 PM in Spanish.**

Baptisms are held the **2nd & 3rd Sundays of the month at 3 PM in English** and the **4th Sunday of the month at 2:45 PM in Spanish.**

Parents **must** be registered parishioners and provide the child's birth certificate, and have godparents who are **practicing Catholics.**

Godparents need to be at least sixteen, confirmed, received the Eucharist, and if married, have the Sacrament of Matrimony.

A sponsor certificate, **for each Godparent**, must be provided a week prior to the baptism.

Matrimony

All wedding arrangements should be made **ONE** year in advance, **please call the rectory** at 201-384-0101 to **make an appointment** with a priest.

We encourage that you get an updated baptismal certificate.

Sunday Offering: August 31st & Sept. 1st—\$12,257

Through Parish Giving: \$2,731.27. Total collection: \$14,988.27

Sunday Offering: Sept. 7th & 8th—\$13,787

Through Parish Giving: \$3,413.71. Total collection: \$17,200.71

St. John's Religious Education

BACK TO CLASS

Still Accepting Registration

Classes Start on **September 15th, 2024**

there's still time!

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email: stjohnsreligiouseducation@gmail.com

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Venue: Conlon Hall, 18 N Williams St. Bergenfield, NJ 07621
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For Information please scan the QR code OR contact the following:

St. John Rectory 201-584-0106
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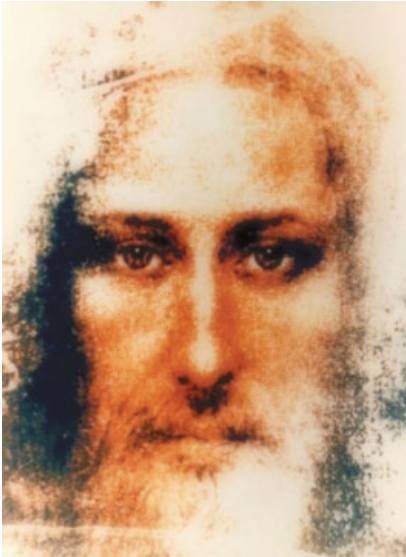
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Dear Brothers and Sisters

Jesus asked his disciples, "Who do people say that I am?"
Peter said to him in reply, "You are the Christ."



Jesus! O Christ! Jesus Christ!
Today these words are most frequently used as swear words. People utter them to vent anger - Jesus! Or to explode with frustration - O Christ! And to express amazement or surprise - Jesus Christ!
50 years ago this would have been unheard of. No one would use the name of God in such a way. Today, it is commonplace.

No one vents anger shouting – O Buddha
No one explodes with frustration crying out – Muhammad
No expresses amazement or surprise by exclaiming – Krishna

But for Jesus there is no such reverence. In fact, there is to be no serious talk whatever about him today. Serious talk about Jesus causes extreme embarrassment.
People will talk about God, because that is safe, very vague.
At the work, at the ball game, in the supermarket, or at the deli, people talk about God, they will even ask him to bless you.

But if someone asked Jesus to bless you....!

People will talk about the Church or the Vatican, but you must not mention Jesus Christ, at work, in school, the park, the deli, or anywhere else.

If you do, you will be recognized as an odd-ball, a religious crank, or at least as a little fanatical.

You can talk about the founders of other religions, and you will be considered enlightened. You can talk about the Dalai Lama, or Krishna, or Gandhi; but not about Jesus.

Why?

Because Jesus Christ is a very specific Word of God,
And Jesus Christ is a very specific Word from God.

And in front of any specific word from God we tend to recoil.
It is too threatening – renounce yourself, take up your cross.
It is too personal – anyone who loses his life will find it.

We can speak about God, but God must never speak!

All who speak specific words from God meet with resistance, as does poor old Isaiah in the first reading today. And when Jesus Christ spoke a specific word about himself he too met with resistance and rejection.

Every week in the liturgy Jesus continues to speak to us.
His Word is always very specific. His word is always definite.

To his Word may we offer no resistance.

Fr. Sean

Para Español por favor escanea el código



MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 14

5:30 PM Belza Family
 7:00 PM (Spanish) Betty Guzman

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 15

7:30 AM The People of the Parish
 9:00 AM Esperanza Lorenzo & Lourdes Tiamsic - Anniv.
 10:30 AM Nicomedes Nacor - Heavenly Birth.
 12:00 PM Agueda Hipolito
 1:15 PM (Spanish) Maria Magdalena Jaque & All Souls

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 16

7:00 AM Adelina M. Exconde
 9:00 AM John Beiga - 21st Anniversary
 6:30 PM Alice Jairam - Death Anniversary

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 17

7:00 AM Aaron Manuel - Birthday & Thanksgiving
 9:00 AM Vicente & Violeta Palma
 6:30 PM (Spanish) Sergia & Ecio Veliz

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 18

7:00 AM Pablo Santiago
 9:00 AM Dominic E. Francisco
 6:30 PM Ricardo De Leon

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 19

7:00 AM Exuperancio Cabrera
 9:00 AM Primitiva R. Cesar
 6:30 PM Sp. Int. John Paul Alker

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 20

7:00 AM Heide Dequito, Danny & Eugenia Ibera
 9:00 AM John & Nora Reilly
 6:30 PM Nellina Marchioli

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 21

7:00 AM Eugene Milla - Birthday
 9:00 AM Dionisia Reyes Flynn
 5:30 PM Katherine & Richard Ascolese
 7:00 PM (Spanish) Juana & Jacobo Sanchez

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 22

7:30 AM People of the Parish
 9:00 AM Michael Burns
 10:30 AM Frank, Sally, & Annette Demaggio
 12:00 PM Leo G. Donohue
 1:15 PM (Spanish) Colombia Arenas & Blanca Zambrano

Prayers for the Deceased

Please remember Kathleen Noel in your prayers

New Hope is celebrating 39 years of helping first time single mothers and their babies by hosting their Gala on Wednesday October 9, 2024 at Seasons Pascack Rd Washington Twp from 6:30-10:30. Cocktail hour, dinner, dancing, 50/50 raffle, tricky tray, silent auction, Special Grand Prize.

Contact New Hope at 201-722-4705 for tickets and information. Thank you!

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 Psalm 128:1

Bergenfield Cell Group
6th Year Thanksgiving Anniversary

Saturday, 5 October 2024
 9:00 am - 4:30 pm
 Holy Mass at 11:00 am

Rev Fr. Brad Mazawa, Eucharistic Celebrant, Pastor, St John the Evangelist Church, Contact Person: Lisa Leasing (201) 219-8255
 Rev Fr. Oliver Nilo, Eucharistic Co-Celebrant, Spiritual Director, Bergenfield Cell Group
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RCIA
a journey of faith

Adults seeking to enter the Catholic Church, either unbaptized or baptized in another denomination, are invited to inquire about our Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults preparation program which will begin in the fall. This program is also open to baptized Catholics who have not received First Communion or Confirmation.

For more information, contact Deacon Jim for English or Fr. César for Spanish at the rectory.

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- GRUPOS PARROQUIALES**
- La Palabra ~ lunes, Iglesia de abajo 7:30pm ~ 9:30pm
 - Legión de María ~ martes, Capilla del Parish Life Center 6:00pm ~ 7:30pm
 - Tienda del Encuentro ~ martes, Basement del Parish Life Center 7:00pm ~ 10:00pm
 - Emaús Mujeres ~ miércoles, Iglesia de abajo, 7:30pm ~ 9:30pm
 - Emaús Hombres ~ miércoles, Basement del Parish Life Center 7:30pm ~ 9:30pm
 - Grupo de Oración Luz y Vida ~ jueves, Iglesia de abajo, 7:30pm ~ 9:30pm
 - Devoción a la Preciosa Sangre de Cristo ~ viernes, Basement del Parish Life Center, 8:00pm ~ 9:00pm
 - Ministerio Matrimonios Con Cristo ~ tercer viernes del mes, Iglesia de abajo 7:30pm ~ 9:45pm

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Los adultos interesados en unirse a la Iglesia Católica, ya sea que no estén bautizados o que hayan sido bautizados en otra denominación, pueden informarse sobre nuestro programa de preparación para el Rito de Iniciación Cristiana para Adultos, que dará inicio en otoño. Este programa también acoge a católicos bautizados que no hayan completado la Primera Comunión o la Confirmación.

Para más detalles, contacte al diácono Jim para inglés o al p. César de español en la rectoría.

Peregrinacion Mariana a España, Francia y Portugal en Mayo de 2025

Precios aprox. \$4,700 todo incluido. Las fechas precisas, al igual que el precio se confirmaran más adelante. Por ahora déjenos sus datos escaneando con su celular el siguiente código QR.

Nuestra Ofrenda Dominical:

31 de agosto y 1 de septiembre 2024 — **\$12,257,**
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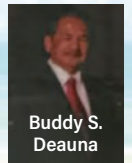
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