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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil Masses:
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*
Saturday: 7:00 AM, 9:00 AM

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

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, JUNE 14

5:30 PM Roger Coppinger

7:00 PM (Spanish) Rafael Tobia Alzate

SUNDAY, JUNE 15

7:30 AM For All Fathers

9:00 AM For All Fathers

10:30 AM For All Fathers

12:00 PM For All Fathers

1:15 PM (Spanish) For All Fathers

MONDAY, JUNE 16

7:00 AM Maria Buendia

9:00 AM Rolyda Toledo & Jamie Alejaga

6:30 PM Marivic Silva

TUESDAY, JUNE 17

7:00 AM Fred Owens

9:00 AM Marcelo Andaya Nuluo

6:30 PM Carmen Gonzalez Bernier

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 18

7:00 AM John Cox

9:00 AM Eugenia & Danny Ibero, Alicia Adaniel

6:30 PM Maria Briceño

THURSDAY, JUNE 19

7:00 AM Rolando Paulino

9:00 AM Arturo Avila

6:30 PM Jorge Eurcoy & Ana Torres

FRIDAY, JUNE 20

7:00 AM Loretta Connolly

9:00 AM Cliofe Basco Marquez

6:30 PM Erlinda Enriquez Arce

SATURDAY, JUNE 21

7:00 AM Patricia Sutherland

9:00 AM Esperanza Mendoza

5:30 PM Ignacio Imperial, Jr.

7:00 PM (Spanish) Francisco Moreira & Maria Vera

SUNDAY, JUNE 22

7:30 AM People of The Parish

9:00 AM Ignacio Imperial, Jr.

10:30 AM Adelia Lobaton & Mildred Lobaton

12:00 PM The Knoeller Family

1:15 PM (Spa) Jose Peralta

MASS PRESIDERS

SATURDAY, JUNE 14

5:30 PM - Father Sean Manson

7:00 PM - Father Hector Larrea

SUNDAY, JUNE 15

7:30 AM - Father Sean Manson

9:00 AM - Father Ashton Wong

10:30 AM - Father Sean Manson

12:00 PM - Father Ashton Wong

1:15 PM (Spa) - Father Cesar Infante

MEMORIALS

May 31-June 6 Flowers, Hosts, Wine and Candle (requested by Clare Kaberle)

In honor of Fr. Raymond Filipski - 50th Anniversary of his Ordination

June 7-13 Flowers (requested by Clare Kaberle)

In memory of Rose Kaberle

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.

Prayers for the Deceased

*Please remember
Edward J. Garibaldi
in your prayers.*

Mass Offerings

Day | Parish Giving | Envelopes | Total

May 25	2,827.65	14,607.00	17,434.65
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Dear Brothers and Sisters



This Sunday the Church celebrates what we have experienced of God communicating with us –The Feast of the Holy Trinity.

This has often been referred to, perhaps unfortunately, as the Doctrine of the Trinity. More than a doctrine, the Trinity is a communion of persons.

God is not alone, aloof, distanced, other, beyond, an unmoved mover, or somewhere over the rainbow. God is experienced by us as Love. This love is very close to us. For this reason we are never alone. The love of the Father for the Son, and the love which the Son has for the Father. The love they share is itself so real that it is expressed as a third person, the Holy Spirit. God is a 'person' with an inner life of love. Every love implies a LOVER and a BELOVED and a LOVE that unites them. These 'three loves' make up the love which is God.

One person who knew the Trinity not only as a dogma, but as Love in her life was Elizabeth Catez. At the age of 21, much to the disappointment of many young men, and one in particular who adored her, she joined an enclosed monastery. She entered the Carmelite community in Dijon, and was given the name Elizabeth of the Trinity.

The first time I visited a Carmelite monastery was in Quebec where, with a group of seminarians I once spent Christmas. I was shocked by:

- 1) The beaming joy on the faces of the sisters there –old and young alike- and
- 2) The bars on the windows of the convent.

Speaking to us through a metal grill, the sisters explained the reason for the bars. "People think it's so that we won't escape! But the opposite is true. If they knew how happy we are here they would all want to get in, and since there is not enough room we need the bars to keep them out!"

She wasn't joking. And Elizabeth of the Trinity believed the same thing. She not only believed it, she experienced it, as evidenced in some of the letters and notes she wrote:

"I have found heaven on earth, since heaven is God, and God is in my soul."

"A soul united to Jesus is a living smile that radiates Him and gives Him."

"I can't find words to express my happiness. Here there is no longer anything but God. He is All; He suffices and we live by Him alone."

Each of us has been created in the image of the Love which is the Blessed Trinity. We do not need to enter a Carmelite convent to experience it. Our soul was created out of Love, and was created for Love. Why should we settle for anything less? May the Holy Trinity be received by each of us today, and may all of us - those who live behind bars and those who do not - be filled with heaven itself

Fr. Sean

FATHER'S DAY PRAYER

Heavenly Father, you entrusted your Son Jesus, the child of Mary, to the care of Joseph, his foster father. Bless all fathers and grandfathers as they care for their families. Give them strength and wisdom, tenderness and patience, give them ability to love in a way that reflects your love. Support them in the work they have to do, protecting those who look to them, as we look to you for love and salvation. Help us to love them in a way that would bring honor to You and them. Bless and heal all those wounded by the imperfections of their fathers and grant an eternal rest to our fathers you have called from this life to yourself, through Jesus Christ Lord.

Amen



2025 ANNUAL APPEAL

Thank to all who have already pledged and contributed to the 2025 Annual Appeal.

Our Parish Goal is \$97,012.27, and our Stretch Goal is \$116,414.72.

We have currently received **\$74,241.00** in pledges, and **\$59,087.52** in payment. I would like to invite all parishioners to consider making a pledge, my goal is that everyone in the parish contributes to the Appeal. The Annual Appeal supports numerous ministries throughout the Archdiocese, including: help for the Poor, Retired Priests, Seminary Formation, Catholic Charities. More than that, if we surpass Stretch Goal by the end of June, the surplus comes directly back to our parish, to use for our own needs and projects.

Thank you, Fr, Sean

WEDDING BANNES

ALFREDO D. MANANSALA and **MARLENE C. CASTIGO** intend to be married in the Church of St. John The Baptist Parish, Caba, La Union, Philippines, on July 28, 2025. If anyone is aware of a cause or just impediment why these persons should not be joined together in Holy Matrimony, you are to declare it.

BABY BOTTLE RETURN

Please return your Baby Bottles this weekend or as soon as possible. Baskets will be placed in the front of the church this Sunday, or you may give them to any priest or member of the Respect Life Committee. You may also return them at the rectory.

PLEASE RETURN THEM FILLED OR EMPTY.

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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 2nd Saturday of each month, 12:30- 3:00 pm in the Conlon Hall Cafeteria.

El Shaddai DWXI-PPFI Bergenfield Chapter

Meets 2nd, 3rd & 4th Saturday @ 1:30pm-5:30pm @ Lower Church. Come & Be Blessed by the Praise, Worship & Healing message. For more info, Lourdes Liwanag @ 201.233.8235 or John Teopengco @ 201.658.4032

Anointing Fire Ministry Group

Meets Mondays 7pm-10pm in the Parish Life Center Chapel & the 2nd Friday of the month from 10pm—6:30am for Eucharistic Adoration in the LC.

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- Outlet mall shopping
- Buffet Lunch

Light breakfast and late afternoon snacks will be served.
For details and reservation please contact on or before **June 15, 2024:**
Rena Penecilla ~ 201-245-4970
Fel Sunga ~ 201-328-7996
or any Filipino Apostolate members

Price: *\$175 per person- adult, *\$120 - child (12 and under). *lunch included
\$60 non-refundable reservation fee is required upon reservation.

For Prime seats: \$185 per person- adult, \$130 - child (12 and under). Limited seats only.

Proceeds will go to St. John the Evangelist Church

GLORIFICAR

“El me glorificará, porque primero recibirá de mí lo que les vaya comunicando”.

JUAN 16, 14

ETERNA

“Tanto amó Dios al mundo, que le entregó a su Hijo único.”

JUAN 3, 16

DISCÍPULOS

“Vayan, pues, y enseñen a todas las naciones”.

MATEO 28, 19



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Lancaster, PA

Hora de Salida - 7:30am

Lugar de reunión: Estacionamiento de la Iglesia de San Juan Evangelista R.

Side trips include:

- Outlet mall shopping
- Buffet Lunch

Se servirán desayunos ligeros y meriendas al final de la tarde.

Para más detalles y reservas, contáctese antes del 15 de junio del 2025:

Rena Penecilla - 201-245-4970

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o con cualquier miembro del Apostolado Filipino

Precio: *\$175 por persona - adulto, *\$120 - niño (12 años y menos). *almuerzo incluido

Se requiere un depósito no reembolsable de \$60 al momento de la reserva.

Para asientos preferentes: \$185 por persona - adulto, \$130 - niño (12 años y menos). Solo asientos limitados.

Los ingresos irán a la iglesia de San Juan Evangelista.

GRUPO PARROQUIALES

Grupo	Día	Lugar	Hora
La Palabra	Lunes	Iglesia de abajo	7:30 pm – 9:30 pm
Legión de María	Martes	Capilla del PLC	6:00 pm – 7:30 pm
Emaús Mujeres	Miércoles	Iglesia de abajo	7:00 pm – 9:30 pm
Emaús Hombres	Miércoles	Basement del PLC	7:00 pm – 9:30 pm
Luz y Vida	Jueves	Iglesia de abajo	7:00 pm – 9:30 pm
Preciosa Sangre de Cristo	Viernes	Basement del PLC	8:00 pm – 9:00 pm
Matrimonios Con Cristo	3.er viernes del mes	Iglesia de abajo	7:00 pm – 9:45 pm

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