



ST. MARY
 OF THE
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CONCEPTION

PARISH

254 Second Street, Jersey City, NJ 07302

www.stmarysparishjc.com

Daily Masses:

Monday—Friday: 7:00 am English
 [Monday: Holy Hour 7:00-8:00 pm]

Tuesday & Thursday: 7:00 pm Spanish

Saturday: 9:00 am English

Saturday Anticipated Mass:

5:30 pm English

2000 Hail Mary's 8:00am—5:00 pm,
 (last Saturday of the Month)

Confessions: Saturday 4-5pm

Sunday Masses:

8:00 am English

9:00 am Tagalog [First Sunday]

10:00 am Spanish

12:00 noon English

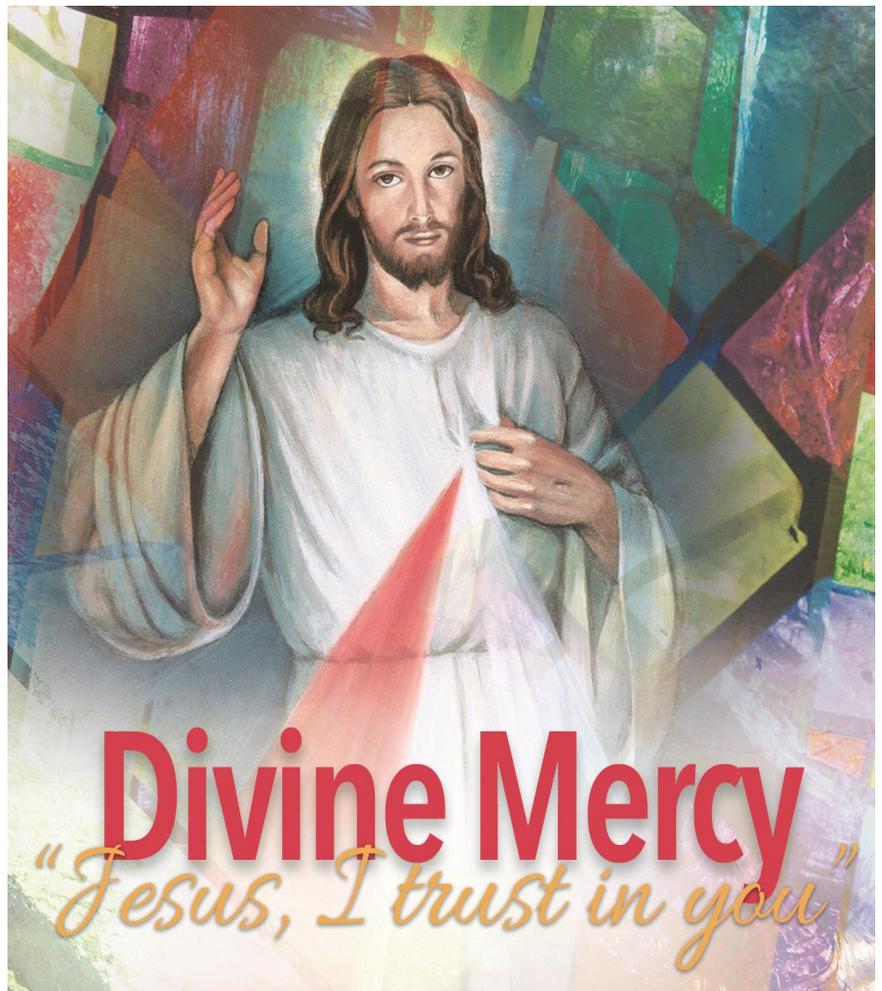
Parish Office Located At

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ST MARY'S JERSEY CITY

Served by one another and by:

Our Priests

Rev. Eustace Edomobi, D.Min. Pastor
 Rev. Duberley Salazar, Parochial Vicar

Our Parish Deacons:

Deacon Pedro Gonzalez
 Deacon Leopoldo Polanco
 Deacon Cesar Sarmiento

Parish Assistant and Bookkeeper: Carmen Gonzalez

Religious Education: Grades 1-8: Freddy Burke

Office Assistant: Alexis Mendoza

Sacristans: Rosalia Mendoza & Leandro Ogando

Trustees: Purita Berrios & Deacon Cesar Sarmiento

Please be safe and know you are in our daily Prayers!

Come and join us and create a Christ-Centered Community where Strangers become Friends and Friends become Family!

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY: APRIL 24, 2022

MASS SCHEDULE: April 25 – May 1, 2022

MONDAY	April 25, 2022
7:00 AM	+Marciano Pangasnan For Santiago L. Muzones' physical healing
7:00 PM	Holy Hour
TUESDAY	April 26, 2022
7:00 AM	For Santiago L. Muzones' physical healing
7:00 PM	+Donato Reyes
WEDNESDAY	April 27, 2022
7:00 AM	For Santiago L. Muzones' physical healing
THURSDAY	April 28, 2022
7:00 AM	For Santiago L. Muzones' physical healing +Pedro Berrios
7:00 PM	In Thanksgiving to the Lord of the Miracles
FRIDAY	April 29, 2022
7:00 AM	For Santiago L. Muzones' physical healing
SATURDAY	April 30, 2022
9:00 AM	Memorial Mass
5:30 PM	+Rodolfo and Rafael Lozada For Santiago L. Muzones' physical healing
SUNDAY	May 01, 2022 Third Sunday of Easter
8:00 AM	For Santiago L. Muzones' physical healing
9:00 AM	(Tagalog) +Cora Bisogno +Evelyn Phillips
10:AM	People of the Parish
12:00 PM	+Regina Arias + Manuel Maria Gonzalez

Sacramental Preparation

Sacrament of Marriage: For those who plan to get married, arrangement must be made with a priest at least one year before the wedding; to ensure adequate preparation please contact the office.

Infant Baptisms: Please contact Deacon Cesar Sarmiento for our family preparation program and to set a date. Please call 201-434-8500 or email deaconsarmiento@aol.com.

Adult Education (RCIA) For Adult Sacraments of Baptism, Holy Eucharist and Confirmation please contact Rene Tolentino 201-434-8500.

Religious Education: For Religious Education of our Children from Grades 1-8; please call Freddy Burke: 201-434-8500.

Holy Orders: Young men and women who have a calling to the priesthood or religious life call Archdiocesan office: 973-497-4365

Sick /Homebound: If you or your beloved ones are seriously ill, anticipating surgery; or homebound and in need of Holy Communion or Anointing of the Sick, please call our Parish Office (201) 434-8500.

Parish Registration: New Parishioners and those not registered, please fill the registration form at the back of the church or online. Please inform the Parish Office when you move.

POPE'S INTENTION FOR APRIL 2022

Health Care Workers

We pray for health care workers who serve the sick and the elderly, especially in the poorest countries; may they be adequately supported by governments and local communities.

Peace Prayer – St Francis of Assisi:

Lord, make me an instrument of your peace. Where there is hatred, let me sow love; where there is injury, pardon; where there is doubt, faith; where there is despair, hope; where there is darkness, light, and where there is sadness, joy.

TIME, TALENT & TREASURE

Holy Thursday Collection:	\$ 491.00
Holy Land collections (Good Friday)	\$ 1,016.00
Easter Sunday	\$ 4,619.00
Total	\$ 6,126.00

Thank you for your Generosity

Remember to Pray: For all those in our Parish Community who are physically or spiritually ill, may the Lord in His kindness heal their illness, and encourage them in their adversities; and may He receive with joy the prayers we offer for them in all our Masses.

MEMORIAL SANCTUARY CANDLES

Sanctuary Candles are available for \$5.00 each. These candles burn in front of the Blessed Sacrament at the church or in the chapel. Please call the office with your request.

VELAS PARA EL SANTISIMO EN MEMORIA DE UN SER QUERIDO

Las velas están disponibles a \$5.00 c/u las cuales serán encendidas al frente del Santísimo Sacramento en la capilla o en la Iglesia. Favor llame a la oficina si desea ofrecer una de ellas.



St. Mary's Sanctuary

In loving Memory of + Jose Edgar Arias

St Boniface Chapel

In loving memory of + Deceased Parishioners of St. Mary's

The Bread and Wine is offered this week:

In loving memory of + John Quirk

OUR PARISH DEVOTIONS

- FIRST FRIDAY MASS:** 7:00am St. Boniface Chapel
- FIRST FRIDAY MASS & ADORATION:** 7PM-9PM Main Church
- FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTION:** 9:00am-10:30am, Main Church
- EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION:** 7pm-8pm Mondays, St. Boniface Chapel
- GRUPO DE ORACION:** Tuesdays after 7pm Mass, St Boniface Chapel,
- OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP:** Wed. after 7am Mass, St. Boniface
- COFRADES DEL SAGRADO CORAZON DE JESUS:** 2nd. Sunday 12:00pm
- OL OF ALTAGRACIA GROUP:** 3rd Sunday of the Month, 12:00pm
- 2000 HAIL MARY'S:** Last Saturday of the Month., 7:30am –7pm

JESUS, WE TRUST IN YOU

On the Second Sunday of Easter, we hear the Gospel about the 'doubting Thomas.' But, most importantly, on this Sunday, we celebrate the Feast of the Divine Mercy.

Jesus is inviting us to share in His Mercy by participating in His life, Mission and Resurrection. During His earthly life, Jesus opened the door of Mercy to sinners. Even while on the cross, His words were of Mercy, especially to the criminal on His right who asked for remembrance in His kingdom.

Jesus also asked the Father to forgive His persecutors. After His resurrection, He encountered His Disciples who deserted Him at His time of Agony and extended to them His gifts of peace, mercy and forgiveness. Today, Jesus is calling us to the banquet of His Mercy, where our sins are forgiven, and our wounds healed.

How can we repay such a great merciful love coming from a faithful friend than to return His love by loving Him in our brothers and sisters, showing them mercy and kindness?

This week, Jesus needs us to continue the work of extending mercy to all peoples by way of evangelization both in our Parish and in the Archdiocese. As part of our works of returning His mercy, if you have made your contribution to the Archdiocesan Annual Appeal, we highly grateful. But if you have not, please do so as soon as you can. God will continue to reward you.

Have a blessed week.

Fr Eustace Edomobi

Sunday of Divine Mercy

"Jesus said to them again, 'Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you.'" (John 20:21)

Peace – the first gift of the risen Lord. Just as Jesus sent the apostles out into the world, so too, He sends us. As Stewards of Jesus, we are called to be compassionate and merciful; and not with just those who are our friends, but also with our "enemies." Think of someone in your life who you need to reconcile with. Call them right now or better yet, go visit them.

FOOD PANTRY:



Our food pantry has returned to St. Mary's Church premises, 254 2nd Street, and will continue from there twice a month on the 1st & 3rd Saturday of the month: 7-8:30am. Please take note of that and pass the news to our recipients. Your donations to the food pantry are welcome.

Nuestra dispensa de comida ha retornado a nuestra Parroquia de Sta. María– 254 Calle Segunda y continuará dos veces por mes el Primer y el tercer sábado de cada mes. Por favor tomar nota de ello y pasar la noticia a otras personas.

YOUTH MINISTRY

If you are interested in our youth group please contact Maria Cabral: Theyouthofthelord@gmail.com

The account of Thomas' doubt assures us that even Jesus' followers, and those who have seen with their eyes, could struggle with belief. Thomas' story can help us during the times that we face doubt.

- ◆ Continue to grow your faith in Jesus through Scripture and tradition. Enrich your spiritual life through reading. Consider asking a parish staff member to suggest an author or look for suggestions in the local Catholic newspaper or magazine.
- ◆ Through your actions, help others who struggle with their faith. Perhaps a friend or family member is not convinced that going to church is worth their time. Tell him or her about how your belief in Jesus affects your decisions, outlook on life, and hope for eternal life.
- ◆ Accompany a person who is struggling with faith. Spend time just listening to the person. Remember, as pope Francis states in The Joy of the Gospel, the Church "is a place for everyone, with all their problems."

Archdiocesan Annual Appeal 2022

If you have not made your 2022 Archdiocesan Annual Appeal, please do so today! Envelopes may be found in the back of the Church for your convenience. Thank you for your support! _____

Si aun no ha hecho su promesa a la Campaña Anual Arquidiocesana 2022, lo puede hacer hoy! Hay sobres en la parte de atrás de la Iglesia por su conveniencia. Gracias por su apoyo!

300 CLUB

Join or **RENEW** **TODAY**, this will be a big help to your Church and to your family. Prizes will be drawn on the last Friday of the month. Dues: \$10.00 a month, \$120 a year payable all at once or in 2 installments.

PLEASE GET INVOLVED

If you would like to share your Time, Talent and Treasure with our Church, please contact our Priests or call the Parish Office. Thank you. To volunteer as a Lector, an Usher, Altar Server, or to sing with the Choir, please contact the Parish Office. All volunteers are subject to safe environmental procedures as directed by the Archdiocese of Newark. THANK YOU!

DAILY MASS READINGS FOR THE SECOND WEEK OF EASTER

25 Mon Saint Mark, Evangelist red Feast 1 Pt 5:5b-14/Mk 16:15-20

26 Tue Easter Weekday white Acts 4:32-37/Jn 3:7b-15

27 Wed Easter Weekday white Acts 5:17-26/Jn 3:16-21 (269)

28 Thu Easter Weekday white/red/white [Saint Peter Chanel, Priest and Martyr; Saint Louis Grignion de Montfort, Priest] Acts 5:27-33/Jn 3:31-36

29 Fri Saint Catherine of Siena, Virgin and Doctor of the Church white Memorial Acts 5:34-42/Jn 6:1-15

30 Sat Easter Weekday white/white [Saint Pius V, Pope] Acts 6:1-7/Jn 6:16-21

1 SUN THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER white Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41/Rv 5:11-14/Jn 21:1-19 or 21:1-14 (48) Pss III 2 Mon
Saint Athanasius, Bishop and Doctor of the Church .

ARCHDIOCESAN ANNUAL APPEAL 2022

We are asking for all of us to make a pledge or a one-time donation to the 2022 Archdiocesan Annual Appeal for the upkeep of our Archdiocese of Newark.

Our gift to the Archdiocesan Annual Appeal is part of our personal commitment to Christian Stewardship. It is a way of giving thanks to God by returning a portion of the blessings God has given us. The Word of God says: *Let us not grow tired of doing good, for in due time we shall reap our harvest, if we do not give up, Galatians 6:9.*

The ideal way to give is to make a pledge and determine an amount you can manage monthly. Feel free also to make a one-time gift. Making a monthly gift enables you to give generously in balance with your other important economic responsibilities at this time of Covid. We are requesting you to take a moment and fill out your pledge cards which can be found on the pews or at the back of the Church.

Thank you for your prayerful consideration as always. Please keep safe and may the Lord continue to bless you and your family.

CAMPAÑA ANUAL ARQUIDIOCESANA 2022

Estaremos iniciando nuestras promesas a la Campaña Anual Arquidiocesana de 2022 para el mantenimiento de nuestra Arquidiócesis de Newark.

Su donación a la Campaña Anual es parte de nuestro compromiso personal con la corresponsabilidad Cristiana. Es una forma de dar gracias a Dios devolviendo una parte de las bendiciones que Dios nos ha dado. La Palabra de Dios dice: No nos cansemos de hacer el bien, porque a su tiempo segaremos nuestra mies, si no desmayamos, Gálatas 6:9.

La forma ideal de donar es hacer una promesa y determinar una cantidad que pueda administrar mensualmente. Siéntase libre también de hacer un regalo único. Hacer una donación mensual le permite dar generosamente en equilibrio con sus otras responsabilidades económicas importantes en este momento de Covid. Le pediremos que se tome un momento y llene su tarjeta de compromiso.

Gracias por su consideración y oración como siempre. Por favor, manténgase saludable y que el Señor continúe bendiciéndolo a usted y a su familia.