



ST. MARY
— OF THE —
IMMACULATE
CONCEPTION
PARISH

254 Second Street
Jersey City, NJ 07302
www.stmarysparishjc.com

Daily Masses:

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

Tuesday & Thursday: 7:00 pm Spanish

Wednesday: 7:00pm Adoration / Rosary

Saturday: 9:00 am English

Saturday Anticipated Mass:

5:30 pm English

2000 Hail Mary's 8:00am—6:00pm
(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 Is Located At

209 Third Street, Jersey City, NJ 07302

Office hours: Monday-Friday: 9AM-5PM

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ST MARY'S JERSEY CITY

Served by one another and by:

Our Priests:

Very Rev. Eustace Edomobi, D.Min. Pastor

Rev. Duberley Salazar, Parochial Vicar

Our Parish Deacons:

Deacon Pedro Gonzalez

Deacon Leopoldo Polanco

Deacon Cesar Sarmiento

Deacon Leandro Javier Ogando

Parish Assistant and Bookkeeper: Diana Encalada

Religious Education: Grades K—High School: Freddy Burke

Office Assistant: Alexis Zhu

Sacristans: Rosalia Mendoza & Kathy Sison

Maintenance: Benny DeCastro

Music Director: Eric Fahner

Trustees: Purita Berrios & Deacon Cesar Sarmiento

WELCOME TO OUR VISITORS!

We thank you for choosing to worship at the Church of Saint Mary of the Immaculate Conception!

We welcome your participation in songs and prayers.
If you would like to become our parishioner we can assist with your journey of faith.

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

FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME : JULY 5, 2026

MASS SCHEDULE: July 6 — July 12, 2026

MONDAY	July 6, 2026
7:00 AM	Thanksgiving for Rodrigo Ricardo +Marie Higgins; +Fr. Romulo Bueno +Msgr. Merlin Logronio Holy Hour
7:00 PM	
TUESDAY	July 7, 2026
7:00 AM	Thanksgiving for Micah Bonafe Conversion of Kate Horton +Marina M. Baisas
7:00 PM	Special Intention of Mary Joseph +Jesus Reyes
WEDNESDAY	July 8, 2026
7:00 AM	Special Intention of Christopher Francis Conversion of James Horton
7:00 PM	Rosary, Adoration, Divine Mercy
THURSDAY	July 9, 2026
7:00 AM	+Irene Higgins +Rowena Ferry +Zosima "Chuchi" Calingasan
7:00 PM	
FRIDAY	July 10, 2026
7:00 AM	Special Intention of Judith Mankowski Special Intention of Sarah Jean
SATURDAY	July 11, 2026
9:00 AM	Memorial Mass — Tree of Life +Eileen Quirk +Dolores Tolentino
5:30 PM	Thanksgiving for Joseph Silvestri Healing of Melissa Aro +Lorenzo & Juliet Solivio
SUNDAY	July 12, 2026
8:00 AM	+Nancy Acosta Lopez +Ricardo Somoza +Peter Burke
10:00 AM	+Olga Amurrio +Jose Cavares +Claudina Jarquin
12:00 PM	People of the Parish

Sacramental Preparation & Parish Registration

Sacrament of Matrimony: 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 Parish office.

Religious Education (CCD): For Religious Education of Children & Teens from Grades Kindergarten - High School; please contact Freddy Burke: stmarys2093rdst@gmail.com or visit the parish website for more information on program enrollment and classes.

Adult Education (OCIA): For Adult Sacraments of Baptism, Holy Eucharist and Confirmation please contact Rene Tolentino (stmarys2093rdst@gmail.com) or visit our parish website for more information.

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 the sacraments 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 on the parish website. Please email the Parish Office (stmarys2093rdst@gmail.com) when you have a change of address or move away from the area.

POPE'S INTENTION FOR JULY 2026:

For Respect for Human Life.

Let us pray for the respect and protection of human life in all its stages, recognizing it as a gift from God.

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

Collection Sunday, June 28, 2026 : \$2,752.00

Online Donation : \$2,178.00

Second Collection : \$ 914.00

We thank our parishioners for your continued support and use of your weekly envelopes.

Agradecemos a nuestros feligreses por su continuo apoyo y uso de sus sobres semanales.

Thank you for your Generosity! Gracias por su generosidad!

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 or visit 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

Por Acción de Gracias Yolanda Muñoz

St. Boniface Chapel

+Deceased parishioners of St. Mary's Parish

The Bread and Wine is offered this week for:

+Felices difuntos de la parroquia de Santa María

OUR PARISH DEVOTIONS

SILENT ADORATION MONDAYS: 7:00PM St. Boniface Chapel

FIRST FRIDAY MASS & ADORATION: 7PM-9PM Main Church

FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTION: 9:00am-10:30am, Main Church

ROSARY/DIVINE MERCY/ ADORATION WEDNESDAYS: 7pm 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, 8:00am – 6pm

CATHOLIC ACTION OF MARY: First Sunday 11AM, St Bridget's Library

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS: First Sunday 1PM, St Bridget's Library

Reflection

"Come to me all you who labor and are burdened, and I will give you rest." Mt 11:28

This is an invitation from our Lord Jesus to come to him, all of us who are burdened by so much rules and regulations to enter the kingdom of heaven when his message and commandment are both simple and not complicated. This is his message -the Father loves us and wants us to be with him at all times and He sent his son, Jesus, to show us the way. Jesus offers us salvation for free. He has paid the price with his own life. All we have to do is accept his offer, we don't have to prove anything. Just come to him with complete surrender, trust and humility, ask forgiveness for all the wrongs that we have done, forgive others in return and continue to love God and our neighbors, not burdensome and simple enough.

Deacon Cesar Sarmiento

Venezuela Collection

Cardinal Joseph W. Tobin has asked the parishes of the Archdiocese of Newark to prayerfully and generously support those affected by the recent earthquake in Venezuela. A second collection will be taken up the weekend of July 25 & 26. Parishioners also may make donations directly to Catholic Relief Services at www.crs.org.

STEWARDSHIP

"For my yoke is easy, and my burden light."
- MATTHEW 11:30

When we think of being good stewards, we may think that God is asking too much of us when He calls us to generously share our time, talent and treasure. However, we must remember that we are not "owners" of anything, we are merely "stewards" of the gifts God has given us. All He is asking is that we give back a small portion, in gratitude, of what He has already given to us.

FOOD PANTRY



Our food pantry is open every 1st & 3rd Saturday of the month: 7am—8:30am, located at 254 2nd Street (Marian Hall). Donations of nonperishable foods and grocery gift cards are always welcomed.

Nuestro banco de alimentos abre el primer y tercer sábado de cada mes, de 7:00 a 8:30 h, en 254 2nd Street (Salón Marian). Se agradecen las donaciones de alimentos no perecederos y tarjetas de regalo de supermercado.

YOUTH MINISTRY

If you are interested in our youth group please contact
Deacon Cesar Sarmiento : deaconsarmiento@aol.com

Viviendo Nuestra Fe

"El Corazón de Cristo es éxtasis, es salida, es donación es encuentro". El papa Francisco nos pide tomar en serio el corazón con sus consecuencias sociales. Esto significa unir inteligencias y voluntades para pacificar nuestras comunidades, tener los ojos puestos en el orbe entero y en los proyectos comunes que funden el equilibrio de las personas y de las sociedades desde el interior (ver *Dilexit nos*, 28s).

- ♦ Identifique a las personas sabias de su entorno que aporten talento al bienestar común.
- ♦ ¿Qué le ha impedido a usted ser una persona agradecida? ¿Cómo ha vencido esos impedimentos?
- ♦ ¿Cómo proyecta socialmente su grupo o comunidad de fe los valores que promueve?

Veneración de la reliquia de los Mártires Mexicanos

Los Caballeros de Colón invitan a todos a la veneración de la reliquia de los mártires mexicanos el lunes 13 de julio de 2026 a las 6:30 p. m. en la capilla de San Bonifacio.

La Guerra Cristera, que tuvo lugar entre 1926 y 1929, fue una rebelión contra el gobierno anticatólico de México. Este gobierno opresor estaba decidido a destruir la fe católica de su pueblo. Se clausuraron instituciones católicas, se expulsó al clero extranjero y el sacramento del Bautismo, así como la celebración de la Misa, se convirtieron en delitos. Los 25 mártires de la Guerra Cristera —en su mayoría sacerdotes católicos— fueron ejecutados por desafiar al gobierno opresor y continuar ejerciendo su ministerio.

Llamamiento misionero de los Hermanos del Sagrado Corazón

Los Hermanos del Sagrado Corazón visitarán nuestra parroquia el fin de semana del 11 y 12 de julio para realizar una campaña misionera. Se dedican a la educación, el ministerio parroquial, la labor social, la consejería, la pastoral juvenil, la pastoral universitaria, el entrenamiento deportivo y el trabajo misionero, tanto local como en el extranjero.

Su misión es la evangelización de los jóvenes, especialmente de aquellos que son pobres y carecen de esperanza.

Colecta para Venezuela

El cardenal Joseph W. Tobin ha pedido a las parroquias de la Arquidiócesis de Newark que apoyen, con espíritu de oración y generosidad, a los afectados por el reciente terremoto en Venezuela. Se realizará una segunda colecta el fin de semana del 25 y 26 de julio. Los feligreses también pueden hacer donaciones directamente a Catholic Relief Services a través del sitio web www.crs.org.

Readings for the Week of the 14th Sunday of Ordinary Time Year A

6 Mon Weekday *green/red* [Saint Maria Goretti, Virgin and Martyr] Hos 2:16, 17c-18, 21-22/Mt 9:18-26

7 Tue Weekday *green* Hos 8:4-7, 11-13/Mt 9:32-38

8 Wed Weekday *green* Hos 10:1-3, 7-8, 12/Mt 10:1-7

9 Thu Weekday *green/red* [Saint Augustine Zhao Rong, Priest, and Companions, Martyrs] Hos 11:1-4, 8e-9/Mt 10:7-15

10 Fri Weekday *green* Hos 14:2-10/Mt 10:16-23

11 Sat Saint Benedict, Abbot *white* Memorial Is 6:1-8/Mt 10:24-33

12 SUN FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME *green* Is 55:10-11/Rom 8:18-23/Mt 13:1-23 or 13:1-9 Pss III

MISSION APPEAL NEXT WEEK: BROTHERS OF THE SACRED HEART

The Brothers of the Sacred Heart will come to visit our parish on the weekend of July 11 & 12 for a mission appeal. They are involved in education, parish ministry, social work, counseling, youth ministry, campus ministry, coaching, home and foreign missionary work.

Their mission is the evangelization of young people, especially those who are poor and without hope.

Veneration of Mexican Martyr's Relic

The Knights of Columbus would like to invite everyone to the Veneration of Mexican Martyrs' Relic on Monday, July 13, 2026 at 6:30pm in St. Boniface Chapel.

The Cristero War, which took place between 1926 and 1929, was a rebellion against the anti-Catholic government in Mexico. This oppressive government was set on breaking down the Catholic faith of its people. Catholic institutions were shut down, foreign clergy members were banished, and the sacrament of Baptism and the celebration of the Mass became crimes. The 25 martyrs of the Cristero War, a majority of whom were Catholic priests, were put to death for defying the oppressive government and continuing to carry out their ministry.



2027 Mass Intention Book

Mass Book for 2027 is now open. Please call the Parish office, email us at stmarys2093rdst@gmail.com, or stop by the parish office from Monday-Friday, 10am-4pm to arrange Masses for living or deceased members of your family.

You may also dedicate The Tabernacle Candle, or offer the Bread and Wine in loving memory of a loved one.

Infant Baptisms

Parents wishing to have their child(ren) Baptized at our parish must be registered parishioners for at least 4 months or bring a letter from your parish of origin.

Parents and Godparents must attend Pre Baptismal classes before the Baptism.

Infant English Baptisms are celebrated on the first Saturday of the month and infant Spanish Baptisms are on the fourth Saturday of the month.

Please visit our website <https://stmarysparishjc.com/> or our parish office for the Baptism Request Form and dates for the Pre Baptismal classes. The Baptismal Request Form must be emailed to both Deacon Cesar (deaconsarmiento@aol.com) and the parish office (stmarys2093rdst@gmail.com).