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EUCCHARISTIC LITURGIES

Mon.—Fri.: 6:30am St. Mary, 9:00am St. Andrew

Sat. 9:00am SA, 4:00pm SA (*Anticipated*)

Sun.: 7:30am SM, 9:00am SA 10:30am SM,
12:00pm SA, 1:30pm SM (*Spanish*)

Holy Days: 6:30am SM, 9:00am SA, 7:00pm SA

PARISH STAFF

Rev. Peter Wehrle	<i>Pastor</i>
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WORSHIP SITES

St. Mary, Star of the Sea
326 Avenue C

St. Andrew the Apostle
2 West 4th Street

RECONCILIATION

Saturdays: 3:00pm—4:00pm, St. Andrew
or by appointment.

BAPTISM

Children of registered parishioners are eligible for the Sacrament of Baptism which is celebrated on the 2nd Sunday of the month (alternating between St. Mary and St. Andrew) except during the Lenten season. Contact the parish office via email at baptism@BMTParish.org.

PASTORAL CARE FOR THE SICK

Any parishioner unable to attend Mass may contact the rectory to make arrangements to receive the Eucharist at home.

MARRIAGES

Arrangements should be started at least one year in advance for the necessary preparation. Parish registration of either the Bride or Groom is required.

PARISH REGISTRATION

Registration is required of all who wish to consider themselves to be parishioners at Bl. Miriam Teresa Demjanovich Parish. *Census forms and collection envelopes are available at the office.*

DEVOTIONS

St. Jude Novena:
Mondays after 6:30 Mass

Miraculous Medal Novena:
Tuesdays after 9:00 Mass

Morning Prayer:
Weekdays after 6:30 Mass
Weekdays before 9:00 Mass

Communal Rosary:
Weekdays after 9:00 Mass

1st Saturday Eucharistic Adoration:
3:00—4:00 (*St. Andrew*)
Benediction following the 4:00 Mass

April 21, 2019

 **Mass Intentions
for the Week**

Sat., April 20		<i>Holy Saturday</i>
St. A 8:30 PM	Michael Inzitari	
Sun., April 21		<i>Easter Sunday</i>
1 st St. 6:30 AM	Giacomo Marziliano	
St. M 7:30 AM	The Connor Family	
St. A 9:00 AM	People of the Parish	
St. M 10:30 AM	Salvatore Ajosa	
St. A 12:00 PM	Jose Jauregui	
St. M 1:30 PM	Mary Dash	
Mon., April 22		<i>St. Adelbert of Prague</i>
St. M 6:30 AM	Thomas Yarcheski	
St. A 9:00 AM	Anna Marie Squillante	
Tue., April 23		<i>St. George</i>
St. M 6:30 AM	Dolores Ferenc	
St. A 9:00 AM	Neil Carroll	
Wed., April 24		<i>St. Fidelis of Sigmaringen</i>
St. M 6:30 AM	Mary Dash	
St. A 9:00 AM	Neil Carrol	
Thu., April 25		<i>St. Mark</i>
St. M 6:30 AM	John Zelinski and family	
St. A 9:00 AM	Patrick Casey	
Fri., April 26		<i>St. Pedro de San José Betancur</i>
St. M 6:30 AM	Andrew Onacilla	
St. A 9:00 AM	Michael Roylance	
Sat., April 27		<i>St. Louis de Montfort</i>
St. A 9:00 AM	Intention of Mary Kalinowski	
St. A 4:00 PM	James Westfall	
Sun., April 28		<i>Octave of Easter</i>
St. M 7:30 AM	Maria and Giuseppe Russo	
St. A 9:00 AM	Joseph Prussak	
St. M 10:30 AM	People of the Parish	
St. A 10:30 AM	Monserrate Osorio	
St. M 12:00 PM	Michael Gerace	
St. A 12:00 PM	Dorothy Riscart	
St. M 1:30 PM	Clemencia Mercedes	

MEMORIALS

St. A. Sanctuary Lamp	Giacomo Marziliano
St. A. Wine and Hosts	Jessica Gallagher
St. M. Sanctuary Lamp	
St. M. Wine and Hosts	Daniel Duffy

FOOD PANTRY AND SOUP KITCHEN

Lou and Helen Ambrosio, Louise Ambrosio, Daniel Bialt, Lois Biondi, Edward Blicharz, Gregory Blicharz, John Buzinkai, Patrick Tierney

PRAYER TO ST. MICHAEL

Saint Michael Archangel,
defend us in battle,
be our protection against the wickedness
and snares of the devil;
may God rebuke him, we humbly pray;
and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly host,
by the power of God, cast into hell
Satan and all the evil spirits
who wander about the world seeking the ruin of souls.



When Simon Peter arrived after him, he went into the tomb and saw the burial cloths there, and the cloth that had covered His head, not with the burial cloths but rolled up in a separate place. Then the other disciple also went in, the one who had arrived at the tomb first, and he saw and believed. - Jn 20:6-8

SIMPLE SUPPER SUCCESS

We enjoyed an evening of fellowship as we came together to help those who have to make due with less. We dined on 5 different homemade soups (chicken, lentil, pasta fagioli, pea and potato), bread and water. At the end of the evening there was over \$1,000 in the donation basket. This will be split between our food pantry and soup kitchen so that we can help our neighbors in their need!

FIRST COMMUNION SUNDAY

Next Sunday, students from our Religious Education Program will be receiving their 1st Communion at Masses at St. Andrew at 10:30am and St. Mary at 12 noon. Those receiving the sacrament are reminded that rehearsal is this Friday, 4/26 at 1pm at St. Mary and at 3pm at St. Andrew.

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

Pope John Paul II designated that we celebrate Divine Mercy Sunday on the Octave of Easter. The Blessed Sacrament will be exposed after the 1:30 Mass in Spanish. At 2:30 we will begin our prayer of the Divine Mercy Chaplet. All are invited to join us as we celebrate the great mercy of God as shown to us through His Son.

RELIGIOUS ED REGISTRATION

Registration is now open for the 2019-20 session of our Religious Education program. Classes begin in September. The program is intended to pass the faith on to those in grades 1—9. During the course of this period, they are also prepared to receive the Sacraments of Reconciliation, Eucharist and Confirmation. There is a \$25 family discount for those who register before the end of June.

FAITH GIVING

This edition of the parish bulletin had an early deadline and so the contributions from Palm Sunday will be reported next week. As always, we thank you for your continued generous support of Bl. Miriam Teresa Parish.



We have spent the past 40 days living the penitential season of Lent to prepare us for this day. The celebration of the Resurrection of the Lord is the greatest feast in the Church. The day that Lord Jesus Christ broke the bonds of death is the reason we gather to remember that Christ has died, Christ is risen and that Christ will come again! In showing us all how to live by the Law of Love, He offered us hope that we can follow His example and one day share in His resurrection and be in His presence forever.

On behalf of the staff of Bl. Miriam Teresa Demjanovich Parish, I wish you and your family a most blessed Easter Season. May this celebration help you to experience the peace, love and hope you need to move ever closer to our risen Lord and Savior!

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS

Bl. Miriam Teresa Parish is offering two scholarships for parishioners. They are in memory of Sr. Charlene Schmidt, SSJ who was the last principal at St. Andrew School and Fr. Thomas Foye who was assigned to St. Andrew in the 1950's and then spent his retirement years at the parish. The awards, one for a girl and the other for a boy, are open to all 8th grade students from public or parochial schools entering the 9th grade in a Catholic High School in September. Families must be registered parishioners and regularly attending Mass in addition to practicing their stewardship of time, talent and treasure toward their parish. Stop by the parish office to pick up an application form and return it to the parish office before 5/15.

THE CARNIVAL IS COMING

Our School and Parish Carnival is fast approaching. This year we will open on Tuesday, 4/30 and continue through Saturday, 5/4. We are especially in need of some strong folks to assist with the set-up beginning at 6:30 next Monday evening, 4/29.

Pre-sale ride tickets are available here in the parish office at a substantial discount. The price of a single ride ticket during the event is \$1.25 and the rides cost from 3—5 tickets. A sheet of 15 tickets can be purchased for just \$10. That is over a 50% savings. Stop by the office to get them while supplies last!

This week the raffle tickets for our SUPER 50/50 were sent to all registered parishioners. The cost is \$5/ticket. If you are not able to purchase them, we ask that you please try to sell them to help support the parish and school. The winner last year received just shy of \$10,000.

SPRING FLEA MARKET

Our Spring Flea Market is back by popular demand and will take place on Saturday, 5/11. Contracts to rent a 6' table are available at the parish office for \$25 each. We will have a few parish tables. Donations of gently used household items and clothing (no furniture) can be brought to the parish office during business hours.

STEWARDSHIP CORNER

"He went about doing good and healing all those oppressed by the devil, for God was with him." (ACTS 10:38)

On this Easter Sunday, open your hearts to receive God's love, mercy and forgiveness. God is love and we are made in His image and likeness. Let our lives reflect His light to others. Pray for guidance on how to live your life and give thanks for all that He has given you.

DONATE ONLINE

Bl. Miriam Teresa Demjanovich Parish has made Online Giving available for our weekly offerings, as well as other parish collections. Donating is simple, safe, and secure and takes less than five minutes. You'll be able to give to any of our collections and view complete financial records at any time. Set up a one-time or recurring donation by following these three easy steps:

1. Click on the "Donate" link from the parish website: BMTParish.org.
2. Select the collection you wish to donate to and click to make a donation.
3. Enter your payment information.

That's it. You can return at any time to edit your donation or to view your financial records. If you have any problems or would like us to help you set this up, you can contact us at the office and we can assist you.

Frequently Asked Questions:

- Q: Which payment methods are accepted?**
A: Contributions from checking accounts, savings accounts, debit cards, and credit cards (Visa, MasterCard, Discover, American Express) are all accepted.
- Q: Do parishioners receive receipts for their donations?**
A: Yes, all contributors enrolled for online giving will receive receipts via e-mail.
- Q: What if parishioners feel uncomfortable not having something to physically drop into the collection basket?**
A: WeShare provides printable donation slips that can be placed into the collection basket.
- Q: Is WeShare safe?**
A: Yes. We implement the safest security standards for online transactions and your privacy is protected at all times. We are certified with the Payment Card Industry (PCI) Data Security Standards (DSS) as a Level 1 Service Provider.

PRAYER REQUESTS

For those serving in the Military:

Jonathan Weeks

For those who are sick and suffering:

Jesus Batz, Bryan Batz-Lacan, Michelle Burns, Ray Calvo, Mauricio Camacho, Danielle Catanio, Nancy Herrera, Gilda Escobar-Mendoza, Mason Johansson, Alice Koenig, Mary Lee, Yulaidy Leiva, Helen McNulty, Caroline Miele, Mary Lou Pede, Angelica Rodriguez, Barbara Rotunno, Humberto Valdez, Ezequiel Yost

For those who have died:

Carlos Ferrer, Robert Masella

Please note that those serving in the Military will be listed in the bulletin for 6 months and those who are sick for 4 weeks. If after that time they are still in need of prayers, then please contact the parish office and we will continue to post their names.

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ASCA NEWS

Happy Easter to all from the faculty and staff of All Saints Catholic Academy. ASCA is a nationally recognized Blue Ribbon school. Registration for 2019-2020 has begun and classes are filling quickly. We invite you to come and visit our school. To schedule a tour or for registration information visit our website, www.ascabayonne.org or call 201-443-8384.

SPREAD THE WORD OF GOD

Our Evangelization Committee has been working to find opportunities to bring the Gospel message to our community. Would you or a loved one like a home visit to strengthen your faith through prayer? Contact the parish office to arrange a visit.

THE GIFT OF FAITH

As a gift to you, Bl. Miriam Teresa Parish offers a free subscription to FORMED.org. This is a resource of programs, movies and e-books for the whole family. Take some time with your entire family to unlock the mystery of the Catholic Church. Go to FORMED.org website and create a free account using the parish code: 8V6MZ7.

BINGO!

Our Bingo games resume this Friday, 4/26. The games begin at 7:30pm sharp in the cafeteria at All Saints Catholic Academy. Over \$1,400.00 in cash prizes are given away every week. Bring a friend to have some fun and try your luck! You must be 18 years old to play and the doors open at 6:00pm. If you'd like to volunteer to help with BINGO, contact the parish office. The following week, 5/3, there will be no Bingo because of the Parish and School Carnival.

PARISH CARNIVAL VOLUNTEERS

Our parish carnival, which helps support our parish community as well as All Saints Catholic Academy is coming up. This year it opens Tuesday, 4/30 and runs through Saturday, 5/4. We need your help. Set-up and Break-down may require heavy lifting. NJ Law prohibits anyone under 18 years of age from working in the game stands. Minors can help with the food and Zeppole tent. Please complete the form and return it to the parish office.

Name: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

I am able to work:

Monday, 4/29	6:00pm	_____	(Set-up)
Tuesday, 4/30	6:45—10:00pm	_____	
Wednesday, 5/1	6:45—10:00pm	_____	
Thursday, 5/2	6:45—10:00pm	_____	
Friday, 5/3	6:45—10:00pm	_____	
Saturday, 5/4	3:45— 7:00pm	_____	
Saturday, 5/4	7:00—10:00pm	_____	
Sunday, 5/5	12:00 noon	_____	(Break-down)

I prefer to work:

Stands: _____ Zeppoles: _____

THE WEEK AT A GLANCE

Sun., April 21

*** No Religious Education ***

Mon., April 22

4:00pm Legion de Maria (St. Joseph Room)
8:00pm Chrism Mass (Cathedral in Newark)

Tues., April 23

*** No Religious Education ***

7:00pm Grupo de Oracion (St. Joseph Room)

Wed., April 24

*** No Religious Education ***

6:30pm Girl Scouts (Andrean Room)

Thurs., April 25

Fri., April 26

1:00pm 1st Communion Rehearsal (St. Mary)
3:00pm 1st Communion Rehearsal (St. Andrew)
7:30pm Bingo (ASCA Cafeteria)

Sat., April 27

4:00pm Soup Kitchen (ASCA Cafeteria)

Sun., April 28

*** No Religious Education ***

2:30pm Divine Mercy Celebration (St. Mary)

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

04/30—05/4 Parish Carnival
05/11 Spring Flea Market
05/13 Confirmation



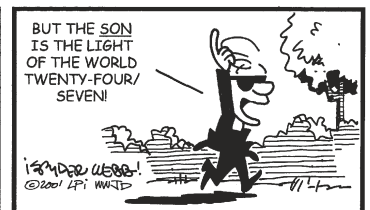
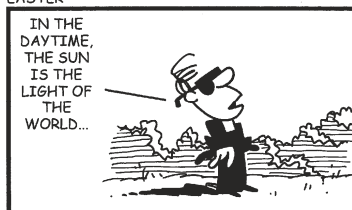
Readings for the Week of April 21, 2019

Sunday: Acts 10:34a, 37-43/ Col 3:1-4/ Lk 24:13-35
Monday: Acts 2:14, 22-33/Mt 28:8-15
Tuesday: Acts 2:36-41/Jn 20:11-18
Wednesday: Acts 3:1-10/Lk 24:13-35
Thursday: Acts 3:11-26/Lk 24:35-48
Friday: Acts 4:1-12/Jn 21:1-14
Saturday: Acts 4:13-21/Mk 16:9-15
Next Sunday: Acts 5:12-16/Rv 1:9-13, 17-19/Jn 20:19-31

LOOKING AHEAD TO NEXT WEEK

As Thomas believed because he saw the risen Jesus, so too were many brought to faith through the various signs and wonders wrought by the apostles. They proclaimed as Lord “the stone rejected by the builders,” “the First and the Last of the One who lives.”

EASTER





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