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“He will glorify me, because he will take from what is mine and declare it to you. Everything that the Father has is mine; for this reason I told you that he will take from what is mine and declare it to you.” - Jn 16:14-15

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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

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WORSHIP SITES

St. Mary, Star of the Sea
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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

June 16, 2019

 **Mass Intentions for the Week**

Sat., June 15 *St. Marguerite D'Youville*
 St. A 4:00 PM All Fathers, living and deceased

Sun., June 16 *Feast of the Most Holy Trinity*
 St. M 7:30 AM All Fathers, living and deceased
 St. A 9:00 AM All Fathers, living and deceased
 St. M 10:30 AM All Fathers, living and deceased
 St. A 12:00 PM All Fathers, living and deceased
 St. M 1:30 PM All Fathers, living and deceased

Mon., June 17 *St. Joseph Cafasso*
 St. M 6:30 AM Catherine Komoski
 St. A 9:00 AM John Yacula, Jr.

Tue., June 18 *St. Gregory Barbarigo*
Priest Convocation—No Masses

Wed., June 19 *St. Romuald*
Priest Convocation—No Masses

Thu., June 20 *St. Vincent Kaun*
Priest Convocation—No Masses

Fri., June 21 *St. Aloysius Gonzaga*
 St. M 6:30 AM Anthony Bonner
 St. A 9:00 AM Mary Beth Reynolds

Sat., June 22 *St. Paulinus of Nola*
 St. A 9:00 AM Marie Witruk
 St. A 4:00 PM Bernadette Kmec

Sun., June 23 *Feast of the Corpus Christi*
 St. M 7:30 AM Lucia Spagnolo
 St. A 9:00 AM Anne Dittus
 St. M 10:30 AM Salvatore Ajosa
 St. A 12:00 PM Arthur Bernard
 St. M 1:30 PM People of the Parish

MEMORIALS

St. A. Sanctuary Lamp Thomas Tooman
 St. A. Wine and Hosts Mary Beth Reynolds
 St. M. Sanctuary Lamp Frank Rizzo
 St. M. Wine and Hosts Daniel Duffy

FOOD PANTRY AND SOUP KITCHEN

Lou and Helen Ambrosio, Louise Ambrosio, Ronald Ambrosio, Diane Bickens, Lois Biondi, Anne Bonner, John Buzinkai, Carole Dean, Augie Gonzalez, Gwen Gonzalez, Noelle Gonzalez, Catherine Komowski, Grace Obedzienski, Mary O'Leary, 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.



"But when He comes, the Spirit of truth, He will guide you to all truth. He will not speak on His own, but He will speak what He hears, and will declare to you the things that are coming. He will glorify Me, because He will take from what is Mine and declare it to you." - Jn 16:13-14

CONVOCATION

Back in May 2018, Cardinal Tobin called of a convocation of all the priests of the Archdiocese of Newark. This meeting will take place this week from Monday—Thursday. The purpose of this event is threefold:

- 1) To forge a collective sense of study and prayer;
- 2) To promote a more intense pastoral charity among priests;
- 3) To make the presbyterate itself a more transparent sacramental sign.

As all the diocesan priests are required to attend, there will be no daily Masses celebrated in our parish from Tuesday—Thursday. On those days, there will be daily Mass celebrated at Mt. Carmel Church at 7am and at 9am in the Cathedral of St. Joseph (the former St. Michael Church.) The parish office will be open and priests will be available for funerals and other pastoral emergencies. Please pray for the priests of the Archdiocese of Newark during this time of prayer and growth.

DON'T MISS THE DISCOUNT

Registration is open for the 2019-20 session of our Religious Education program and classes will begin again in September. The program is intended to pass the gift of faith to the next generation of Catholics. In our parish we do that through classes for students in grades 1—9. It is intended that our youth attend the entire program. During the course of this period, in addition to learning about the Catholic faith, they are prepared to receive the 3 Sacraments of Initiation; Reconciliation, Eucharist and Confirmation. Make sure to register now. There is a \$25 family discount for those who do so before the end of June.

FAITH GIVING

We thank you for your continued generous support of Bl. Miriam Teresa Parish.

06/09	Sunday Collection	\$ 10,072.00
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As we make the transition from the Easter Season into Ordinary Time, the Church offers us 2 feasts to celebrate the mysteries of the Trinity and Corpus Christi. Our faith tells us that there is one God in three Divine Persons. These three Persons are distinct and yet one substance. We see the Trinity in the Gospel at the baptism of Jesus as the Father speaks from above and the Spirit descends in the form of a dove. Theophilus of Antioch first used the term Trinity when in 180 AD he wrote of God, His Word and His Wisdom.

For us, we want to look at this as a math problem where 1+1+1=3, but in reality this mystery of the Trinity tells us that 1+1+1=1! As hard as it is for us to understand, it is important for us to remember that God lives without the limitation of a 3-dimensional universe. He is spirit and life and therefore infinitely more complex than we could imagine.

Sometimes, as is the case with most mysteries, it is important for us to not worry about the complexity, but rather on the simple fact that God is love! It is love which is the bond that holds together Father, Son and Holy Spirit. It is also this same love that binds us to God and to one another! Let us always strive to live that love!

CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION

Next Sunday, the Church celebrates Corpus Christi, the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ. As we have in the past, we will have a procession with the Blessed Sacrament on the streets of Bayonne. This year we will begin with a period of Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament at Mt. Carmel Church. At 3pm the procession will proceed to St. Mary Church where we will celebrate Benediction. We invite our Altar Servers vested in cassock and surplice to help lead the procession followed by those who made their 1st Communion and Confirmation this year. All are invited to join us as we make a public manifestation of our faith in celebration of the Most Holy Body and Blood of the Lord, Corpus Christi.

SHARING GOD'S BLESSING

This past week the 209th family from our parish made a donation to the "Sharing God's Blessing" campaign of the Archdiocese of Newark. They brought the parish pledge total to \$54,285, surpassing the goal of \$50,499. Because of this, each subsequent pledge means that more will come back to us at the end of the annual campaign! Please consider making a pledge to assist the great works of the Archdiocese of Newark. To donate or for more information please visit: <https://donate.rcan.org/ways-to-give>.

CONGRATULATIONS

This past Sunday 3 children were baptized here at St. Mary Church in Bl. Miriam Teresa Parish: Alyssa Fernandez, Savannah Robles and Eric Schaefer, III. Congratulations to them and their families as these little ones begin their personal relationship with the Lord!

STEWARDSHIP CORNER

"But when He comes, the Spirit of truth, He will guide you to all truth..." (JOHN 16:13)

Jesus sent the Holy Spirit to help us know and live the truth. To prepare ourselves, we need to open our hearts to receive this gift before we can give it. Develop a daily prayer routine. Talk and listen to the Holy Spirit. This is best done in silence, when we can hear His response.

MISSION APPEAL

Next weekend, Sr. Regina from Maranatha Caring Mission will speak during all the Masses. This ministry was established to provide free medical clinics in the developing countries, feed the hungry, clothe the naked, provide clean water to the thirsty, and other works as the Spirit directs. It is in keeping with Jesus' words: "whatever you do to the least of My brethren that you do unto Me." The mission at Maranatha is to share the love of Jesus and reach out to the poor. The first clinic was established in 2016, in Nigeria. The people in this area are peasant farmers who live in impoverished, abject, and unhealthy conditions, and lack health care. Maranatha provides free medical care to 13,315 patients and performed 200 free eye surgeries. Over 105 patients are on the waiting list for cataract surgeries. It costs equivalent of \$100 to perform one cataract surgery and \$20 to provide one month of eye care after the cataract surgery. Your support can make a difference in their lives.

PASS IT ON

There were almost 250 youngsters who were enrolled in our parish Religious Education classes. They were taught by a wonderful group of individuals who, grateful for the gift of faith that they received, volunteered to pass that on to the next generation. We are in the process of registering students for the classes which will begin in September. We are in need of volunteers to help as catechists, aides and office workers. If you are willing to help these youngsters learn about the Catholic faith that you practice and treasure, please contact the parish office. You don't need to have all the answers! We will provide all the support you will need. All classes take place at ASCA and the schedule of classes is as follows:

Sunday	8:45am	Grades 1—6
Tuesday	6:30pm	Grades 7—9 and teens
Wednesday	4:00pm	Grades 3—6

PRAYER REQUESTS

For those serving in the Military:

Aedan Herman, Brandon Picerno, Shawn Redondo, Jonathan Weeks

For those who are sick and suffering:

Brayan Batz-Lacan, Hector Brito, Michelle Burns, Mauricio Camacho, Emma Cerrato, Camille Cianci, George Dewan, Lillian DiLorenzo, Carmen Donado, Ada Estupiñan, Nancy Herrera, Agnes Hogan, Mason Johansson, Alice Koenig, Mary Lee, Helen McNulty, Jorge Merino, Mary Lou Pede, Tuskantania Pimentel, Barbara Rotunno, Loretta Seidel, Gregory Trapp, Lilla Trinidad, Humberto Valdez, Diana Van Allen, Joyce Wanamaker, Ezequiel Yost

For those who have died:

George Kiefer

JUNE 16, 2019

ASCA NEWS

Here at All Saints Catholic Academy, our students have “flown up,” graduated or been promoted as our summer vacation begins. This week, the office will be open Monday—Friday from 8—2. We wish everyone a safe and healthy summer vacation!

ASCA is a nationally recognized Blue Ribbon school. Registration for 2019-2020 continues. We invite you to come and visit our school. To schedule a tour or for registration information visit our website, ascabayonne.org or call 201-443-8384.

PARISH PILGRIMAGE

We are in the process of putting together a parish pilgrimage to visit the famous Passion Play in Oberammergau in Germany. The 11 day trip begins 7/19/20 and will include the cities of Munich, Vienna, Budapest and Prague. More information will follow.

A VISIT TO THE SANDS

Bl. Miriam Teresa Parish will be running a bus trip to the Sands Casino in Bethlehem, PA on Sunday, 6/30. The cost of the trip is \$35.00. The casino will be giving \$25.00 back in slot play. The bus will depart from St. Andrew School Parking Lot at 10:30 am and return approximately 7:30 pm. A light breakfast will be served. We will also have 50/50 & prize raffles. If you do not like to gamble, you can enjoy shopping at the outlet mall which is connected to the casino, or enjoy a nice meal at one of the many restaurants. To reserve your seat, please call Maria at 201-437-6014. Don't delay, seats fill up quickly!!! All proceeds from this trip will benefit the parish scholarship fund.

ATTENDS MASS

The “Attends Mass Program” was developed to serve the needs expressed by families of loved ones with autism who are not able to attend the liturgy. The Archdiocese of Newark is working to assess how many families need and want such a program. They are looking for input on experiences and need through an online survey which can be found at RCAN.org/AttendsMassSurvey2019. If you have any questions, contact Anne Masters at 973-497-4309.

SAINTS ALIVE

Even as a young man, Joseph Cafasso loved to attend Mass and was known for his humility and fervor in prayer. After his ordination, he was assigned to a seminary in Turin. There he worked especially against the spirit of Jansenism, an excessive preoccupation with sin and damnation. He used the works of St. Francis de Sales and St. Alphonsus Liguori to moderate the rigorism popular at the seminary.

Joseph recommended membership in the Secular Franciscan Order to priests. He urged devotion to the Blessed Sacrament and encouraged daily Communion. In addition to his teaching duties, Joseph was an excellent preacher, confessor, and retreat master. Noted for his work with condemned prisoners, he helped many of them die at peace with God. Joseph urged one of his former pupils, St. John Bosco, to establish the Salesians congregation to work with the youth of Turin. St. Joseph Cafasso died in 1860 and was canonized in 1947.

THE WEEK AT A GLANCE

Sun., June 16

Mon., June 17

4:00pm Legion of Mary (St. Joseph Room)

Tues., June 18

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

Wed., June 19

7:30pm Holy Name Society (Holy Name Room)

Thurs., June 20

7:00pm Choir Rehearsal (St. Mary Church)

Fri., June 21

7:30pm Bingo (ASCA Cafeteria)

Sat., June 22

9:00—12:00 Food Pantry (St. Joseph Room)

4:00pm Soup Kitchen (ASCA Cafeteria)

Sun., June 23

3:00pm Corpus Christi Procession

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

06/30 CCD Family Discount Deadline

06/30 Bus Trip to Sands Casino

GIFTS OF BREAD AND WINE

The ushers usually ask people to assist by bringing up the communal offering of bread and wine during the Mass. Often the family who have requested an intention for that specific Mass express a desire to do this. If you would like to take part in the offertory procession, please speak with one of the ushers so that they can plan accordingly.

Readings for the Week of June 16, 2019

Sunday: Prv 8:22-31/Rom 5:1-5/Jn 16:12-15

Monday: 2 Cor 6:1-10/Mt 5:38-42

Tuesday: 2 Cor 8:1-9/Mt 5:43-48

Wednesday: 2 Cor 9:6-11/Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

Thursday: 2 Cor 11:1-11/Mt 6:7-15

Friday: 2 Cor 11:18, 21-30/Mt 6:19-23

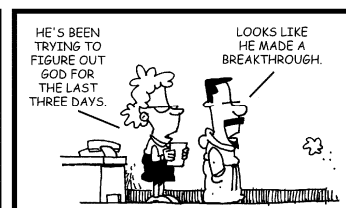
Saturday: 2 Cor 12:1-10/Mt 6:24-34

Next Sunday: Gn 14:18-20/1 Cor 11:23-26/Lk 9:11b-17

LOOKING AHEAD TO NEXT WEEK

Melchizedek, priest of God Most High, offers bread and wine as a blessing upon Abram. Jesus fulfills this offering, giving us His own Body and Blood under the form of bread and wine. Thus is our hunger satisfied in abundance as we make our pilgrim way to the heavenly banquet feast.

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