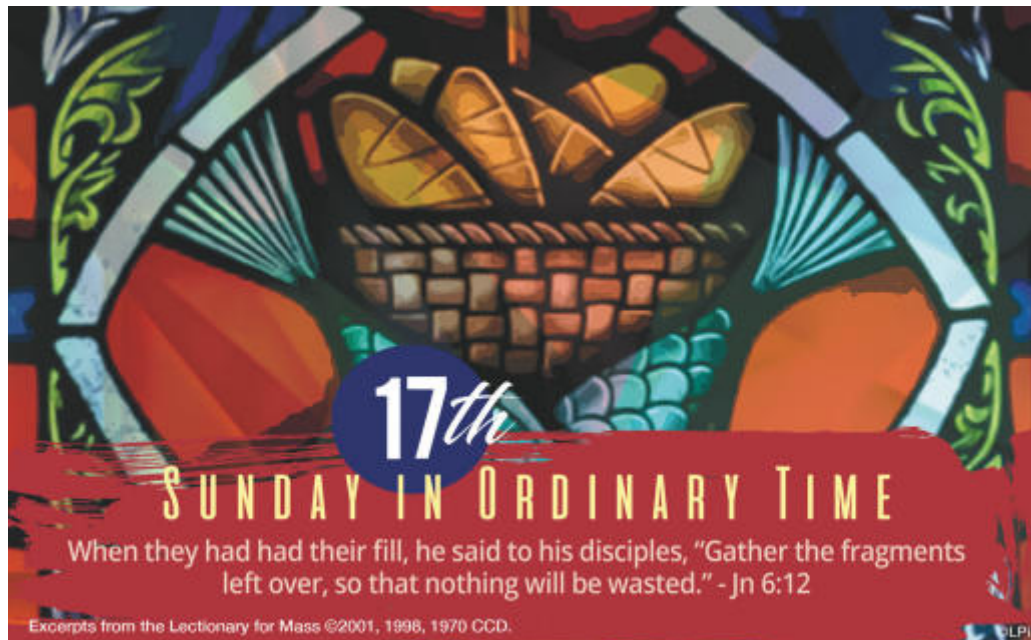




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Sun.:	7:30am SA	9:00am SA
	10:30am SA	12:00pm SA (Español)
Holy Days:	6:30am SM	9:00am SA 7:00pm SA

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St. Mary, Star of the Sea
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St. Andrew the Apostle
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RECONCILIATION

Saturdays: 3:00 - 4:00, St. Andrew Church
or by appointment

BAPTISM

Children of registered parishioners are eligible for the Sacrament of Baptism which is normally celebrated on the 2nd Saturday 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 Theresa 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 4:00 Mass

July 25, 2021

Blessed Miriam Teresa Demjanovich Parish



Sat., July 24 *Seventeenth Sunday of Ordinary Time*

4:00 pm (St. Andrew) *Pro Populo*

Sun., July 25

7:30 am (St. Andrew) Clare Powanda
9:00 am (St. Andrew) Brian Law
10:30 am (St. Andrew) Allan D. Haughton-James
12:00 pm (St. Andrew) Indalecio Mamani Pari

Mon., July 26

6:30 am (St. Mary) Clare Powanda
9:00 am (St. Andrew) Florence Prestifilippo

Tue., July 27

6:30 am (St. Mary) *Weekday of Ordinary Time*
Claire M. Plodkowski
9:00 am (St. Andrew) Zbigniew Darzynkiewicz

Wed., July 28

6:30 am (St. Mary) *Weekday of Ordinary Time*
Vincent Bottino
9:00 am (St. Andrew) Jay Hughes

Thu., July 29

6:30 am (St. Mary) *Sts. Martha, Mary and Lazarus*
Frances Mescavage
9:00 am (St. Andrew) Irene Jantas

Fri., July 30

6:30 am (St. Mary) *St. Peter Chrysologus*
Clare Powanda
9:00 am (St. Andrew) Robert Flynn

Sat., July 31

9:00 am (St. Andrew) *St. Ignatius of Loyola*
Theodore Kessler
4:00 pm (St. Andrew) Mark Harrington

Sun., August 1 *Eighteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time*

7:30 am (St. Andrew) *Pro Populo*
9:00 am (St. Andrew) Margaret Muntzner
10:30 am (St. Andrew) James F. Rowan
12:00 pm (St. Andrew) Consuelo Gonzalez Fajardo

Memorials

St. Andrew

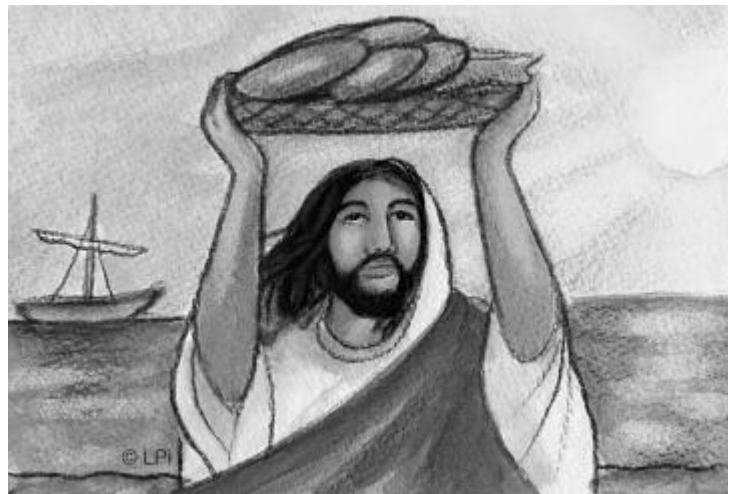
Sanctuary Lamp Margaret Weeks
Wine and Hosts Margaret Weeks

St. Mary

Sanctuary Lamp Marilyn Duffy
Wine and Hosts

Food Pantry and Soup Kitchen

Lou, Helen, Louise, and Ronald Ambrosio; Lois Biondi; John Buzinkai; James H. Clark, Jr.; Catherine Long



Jesus said, "Have the people recline." Now there was a great deal of grass in that place. So the men reclined, about five thousand in number. When they had had their fill, He said to his disciples, "Gather the fragments left over, so that nothing will be wasted." - Jn 6:10, 12

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Prayer Requests

For those serving in the Military:

Joseph Barbarise, Vincent Barbarise, Brandon Materowski, Joseph Materowski, Brandon Picerno, Shawn Redondo, Jonathan Weeks

For those who are sick and suffering:

Gladys Astudillo, Hector Brito, Raymond Bober, Bernadette Burke, Victoria Cabello, Raymond Calvo, Daniel Cotter, Magaly Diaz, Irma Fernandez, Maria Fernandez, John Fitzpatrick, Clare Gannon, Irma Gomez, Marilyn Joyce Hager, Nancy Herrera, Jeanette Jensen, Aaron Jones, Barbara Kelly, Anthony Kotowski, Msgr. Larry Miller, Maria Socorro Mora, Michael Morris, Vito Moscato, Richard Nugent, Sandra Ortega, Rita Paragone, Tyhesa Payne, Argentina Rodriguez, Barbara Rotunno, Lorraine Seidel, Mitchell Seidel, Theresa Sullivan, Ralph Tedesco, Gregory Trapp, Humberto Valdez, John Wilson, Ezequiel Yost

For the Recently Deceased:

Harold Driscoll, Petronila LaFontaine de Padua, Heidi Rosig

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.

Faith Giving

As always, thank you for your continued generous support of the Parish, especially during these difficult and uncertain times!

July 18: **Sunday Collection** **\$5515**
 Grounds & Maintenance **\$3467**

Seventeenth Sunday of Ordinary Time

Notes from the Pastor

Earlier this year, Pope Francis added St. Martha's siblings to the celebration of her Feast Day. Henceforth, we will be celebrating the Memorial of Sts. Martha, Mary and Lazarus on July 29.

The story of these three siblings is quite remarkable. Because of their closeness to the Lord, they are drawn into a scenario that reveals the Glory of God, brings about the conversion of many Jews, and precipitates Jesus' crucifixion.

Jesus received the news from his sisters that Lazarus was ill implying that He should come quickly. Regardless of the urgency, Jesus delayed His departure for Bethany for two more days. Then, just before departing, He tells His disciples that Lazarus is dead and that, for their sake, He's glad He wasn't there. He's glad because He intends to perform a miracle that will make it necessary for them to believe in Him. He's going to raise Lazarus from the dead.

Jesus' trip to Bethany was not without peril. The Jews were already plotting His death because He had just claimed identity with the Father. So, He cautiously approaches the home of Martha, Mary and Lazarus, waiting at a distance, perhaps on the outskirts of town, to be greeted by Martha and then Mary. So sudden was Mary's departure from her home that the Jews who were with her followed. They thought she was going to Lazarus' tomb and they wanted to console her. Instead, they find themselves following her to meet Jesus. What happens next, however, was the stupendous miracle. Martha and Mary take Jesus by the hand and lead Him to Lazarus' tomb where, once again, He identifies Himself with the Father before raising Lazarus from the dead. Having witnessed this great miracle, many came to believe in Him. In fact, so great was the impact of Lazarus' resurrection that they plotted to kill him, too. This miracle seems to have been the straw that broke the camel's back. The chief priests and Pharisees immediately plotted Jesus' demise. It was just a few days before Jesus' last Passover.

The reasons for Jesus' crucifixion are numerous. Aside from being accused of blasphemy, Jesus exposed the hypocrisy of the chief priests and Pharisees who overburdened the faithful with norms too difficult to fulfill. While religious norms are important, what Jesus wants more than anything is a heart that simply loves Him for who He is. That is the story of Martha, Mary and Lazarus. Three Christians who believed Him and loved Him because He was "the Christ, the Son of God, He who is coming into the world", "the Resurrection and the Life".

Calendar Raffle Winners

Congratulations, Mark and Jayne Thomas! Mark and Jayne won \$1000 in the July drawing of the 2021 Calendar Raffle. Their ticket will be returned to the tumbler and will be eligible to win five more times this year.

Religious Education Registration

Registration for the 2021-2022 session of our Religious Education program is open for Grades 1-9. We will have face to face instructions in All Saints Catholic Academy this year. Classes will begin in September according to the following schedule:

Grades 1 - 6	Sunday	8:45 - 10:15 am.
Grades 7 and 8	Tuesday	6:30 - 8:00 pm.
Grade 9 (Confirmation)	every other Tuesday	6:30 - 8:00 pm.

Registration forms have been emailed to all returning families. If you are new to the program, forms are available in the parish office weekdays from 9:30 am to 6:00 pm.

How to Report Abuse

The Archdiocese takes very seriously any and all allegations of misconduct by members of the clergy, Religious and lay staff of the Archdiocese. We encourage anyone with knowledge of an act of misconduct to inform us immediately so that we may take appropriate action to protect others and provide support to victims of sexual abuse and other misconduct.

Individuals who wish to report an allegation of sexual misconduct may do so by calling Karen Clark, the Director of the Department for the Protection of the Faithful at 973-497-4254. Victims in need of assistance should call the Archdiocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator at 201-407-3256. They are also encouraged to call the Attorney General of NJ Clergy Abuse Hotline at 855-363-6548.

Everyday Stewardship

St. Therese of Lisieux made a point of going the extra mile in kindness towards those people who really got under her skin. It was part of her own brand of Everyday Stewardship — thanking God for all His creation, even the parts with which, in her own humanness, she struggled to cope.

I think about this a lot when I challenge myself to give thanks for things that bother me and people who challenge me. When I do this, I envision Christ giving thanks over those insufficient loaves. How many of us would see that paltry little basket and kick a rock in frustration because we can't feed all our people? "You didn't give me enough, Lord! You didn't give me enough patience, enough money, enough creativity, enough stamina to be a good steward. If you had given me more, I could also give more!"

In those moments of despair, we need to take a good look at the life God has given us. We need to look at the trials and the challenges and the shortcomings. The hopes that didn't pan out, the disappointments that keep cropping up. Somewhere therein lies what we need to be the steward God asks us to be, just as St. Therese's own stewardship was defined by the people she simply couldn't stand.

God does not give us all we want. He does not give us all we ask for. He does us one better: He gives us all we need. It's all in the basket. — TEW

July 25, 2021

2022 Mass Book

The 2022 Mass book will open on Monday, August 2 at 10:00 am. As in years past, each family will be limited to three Masses during the first month. Then, on Tuesday, September 7, you will be able to arrange for additional Masses. There is no limit to the memorials of the Sanctuary Lamp or Wine & Hosts. The donation for Masses and Memorials is \$10. Please use the form below to facilitate the process. Requests submitted by mail, in the Sunday Collection, or over the phone will be processed at the close of business on Monday, August 2.

Requested by _____

Address _____

Email _____

Phone _____

Mass Intentions

Name _____

Date _____

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Memorials

Name _____

<i>Date</i>	<i>Type</i>	<i>Where</i>
_____	<input type="checkbox"/> Wine & Host	<input type="checkbox"/> SA
	<input type="checkbox"/> Sanctuary Lamp	<input type="checkbox"/> SM

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ASCA News

All Saints Catholic Academy bids farewell to two of its teachers – both Mrs. Rose Barbieri and Mrs. MaryAnn Gilson have retired. Mrs. Barbieri taught 3rd grade for the Archdiocese of Newark for 48 years, first at Saint Mary, Star of the Sea School and then ASCA. In addition to being an excellent teacher with tremendous classroom management skills, Mrs. Barbieri is known for her quiet and pleasant demeanor.

Mrs. Gilson taught for the Archdiocese of Newark for 35 years in nearly all grades. Though most of her career was spent as a science teacher, Mrs. Gilson's recent tenure was in first grade where she enjoyed being back with the little ones. Her cheerful disposition resonated well with the students, parents, and colleagues. We congratulate both these women on their much-deserved retirements and thank them for their steadfast service to the families of the Bayonne community of the Archdiocese of Newark and their commitment to Catholic education.

The Week at a Glance

Sun., July 25

Mon., July 26

Tue., July 27

Wed., July 28

Thu., July 29 • Holy Hour (including an opportunity for Confession), St. Andrew Daily Mass Chapel, 7 pm

Fri., July 30

Sat., July 31

Sun., Aug. 1

Readings for the Week of July 25, 2021

Sunday: 2 Kgs 4:42-44/Eph 4:1-6/Jn 6:1-15

Monday: Ex 32:15-24, 30-34/Mt 13:31-35

Tuesday: Ex 33:7-11; 34:5b-9, 28/Mt 13:36-43

Wednesday: Ex 34:29-35/Mt 13:44-46

Thursday: Ex 40:16-21, 34-38/Jn 11:19-27 or Lk 10:38-42

Friday: Lv 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37/Mt 13:54-58

Saturday: Lv 25:1, 8-17/Mt 14:1-12

Next Sunday: Ex 16:2-4, 12-15/Eph 4:17, 20-24/Jn 6:24-35

Looking Ahead to Next Week

The Lord provides heavenly food for the Israelites to eat. Jesus proclaims Himself to be the very bread of life. We lay aside our way of life to be created anew in His image.

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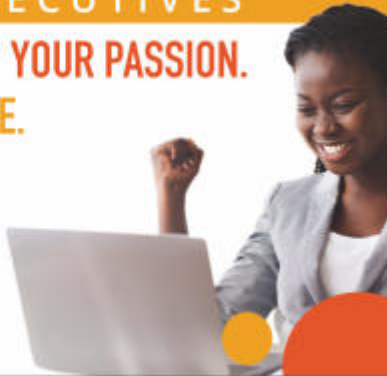
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