



Church of the Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 8:30 AM
5:30 PM Sunday Vigil Mass

Sunday: 8:00 AM
10:00 AM
11:45 AM

Weekdays: 7:30 AM
Monday Holidays 8:30 AM

Holy Days of Obligation:
7:30 AM, 12:05 PM, 7:30 PM

Holy Hour Exposition and Adoration of the
Blessed Sacrament will be held every
Wednesday from 9:00 a.m. con-
cluding with Benediction at 2:00 p.m.
Private confession is available

SACRAMENTS

Baptism: Baptisms are celebrated on Sunday at 1:00 PM. Please call the Parish Office for dates and family orientation.

Marriage: Diocesan Common Policy requires that the Parish be notified one year in advance of intention to marry. Pre-Cana is also required at St. Paul Inside the Walls.

Confessions: Saturday 4:00 - 5:00 PM. Anytime by request. Please call the Parish Office for an appointment.

Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick: will be administered upon request prior to a scheduled hospital admission or before any elective surgery. Please call the Parish Office at 973-694-5700. All calls are kept confidential.

Bilingual sacraments are available upon request.

PRIESTLY, RELIGIOUS LIFE AND LAY VOCATIONS

If God calling you to a life of service as a Priest, or Religious, please contact Fr. Ed Rama at the Vocation Office of our Diocese of Paterson: 973-777-2955 or speak to our Pastor.

*Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time
August 30, 2020*

Masses for the Week

Saturday, August 29-Vigil, Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:30 p.m. +Corinne Barrett by Maria & Frank DeGrazia

Sunday, August 30-Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. Mass for the people of the parish

10:00 a.m. +Frank Armenio by loving wife & family birthday remembrance

11:45 a.m. +Jay Frost by her family

Monday, August 31

7:30 a.m. +David Marrocco by family

Tuesday, September 1

7:30 a.m. +Patrick Donovan

by Janice & Mike DeBenedetto

Wednesday, September 2

7:30 a.m. +Paul DiPetrillo by Janice & Mike DeBenedetto

Thursday, September 3-St. Gregory the Great, pope

7:30 a.m. +Souls in Purgatory by Josephine Robertiello

Friday, September 4

7:30 a.m. +Bob Scharf by Mary Ann & Stacy anniversary remembrance

Saturday, September 5-St. Teresa of Calcutta

8:30 a.m. +Robert Schreibeis by Fran Iczkowski

Vigil, Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:30 p.m. +Mario Gentile by Carrie & Marcel Fohlinger

Sunday, September 6-Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. Mass for the people of the parish

10:00 a.m. +Joseph Mistrick, love, Trish & Greg Frost anniversary remembrance

11:45 a.m. +Geraldo Zaccardi love, the Bock girls birthday remembrance

Remember Annunciation Parish in Your Will

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sun., Aug. 30: Jer 20:7-9; Rom 12:1-2; Mt 16:21-27

Mon., Aug. 31: 1 Cor 2:1-5; Lk 4:16-30

Tues., Sept. 1: 1 Cor 2:10b-16; Lk 4:31-37

Wed., Sept. 2: 1 Cor 3:1-9; Lk 4:38-44

Thu., Sept. 3: 1 Cor 3:18-23; Lk 5:1-11

Fri., Sept. 4: 1 Cor 4:1-5; Lk 5:33-39

Sat., Sept. 5: 1 Cor 4:6b-15; Lk 6:1-5

Sun., Sept. 6: Ez 33:7-9; Rom 13:8-10; Mt 18:15-20

22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

August 30, 2020

503 Come, Follow Me

406 The Jesus Song

362 I Am The Bread Of Life

726 Lead Me, Lord



Be transformed by the
renewal of your mind,
that you may discern
what is the will of God,
what is good and pleasing and perfect.

— Romans 12:2

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 5 – 5:30 P.M.

LECTOR: Jeanette Hartman

GREETER: Brian Langan, Paul Veltri

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 6 – 8:00 A.M.

LECTOR: Eva May

GREETER: Chuck Donovan, Joanne Antinora

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 6 – 10:00 A.M.

LECTOR: Mike DeBenedetto

GREETER: Debbie Brophy, Daniela Ferrara

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 6 – 11:45 A.M.

LECTOR: Maria DeGrazia

GREETER: Frank DeGrazia

WEEKLY OFFERING REPORT

Aug. 9, 2020

coronavirus

Amt. of Collection.....\$5,163.00

From 56 Envelopes.....\$3,575.00

Loose Collection.....\$243.00

Online Giving.....\$1,345.00

Aug. 16, 2020

coronavirus

Amt. of Collection.....\$4,208.00

From 34 Envelopes.....\$2,492.00

Loose Collection.....\$156.00

Online Giving.....\$1,560.00

Aug. 23, 2020

coronavirus

Amt. of Collection.....\$2,201.00

From 54 Envelopes.....\$2,173.00

Loose Collection.....\$28.00

Online Giving.....\$1,430.00

"Honor the Lord with your wealth, with the first
fruits of your produce." (Prov 3:9)

BLESSED MOTHER FLOWER MEMORIAL

For those who wish to remember a loved one at a weekend Mass, may we suggest offering the flowers for the Blessed Mother altar, which will be there for the weekend and into the week following. The flowers will be ordered by the parish and mention of the intention will be made in the bulletin. The cost of flowers for the Altar of our Blessed Mother is \$35.00. You may also donate the Sanctuary Lamp for a specific weekend. The cost is \$10.00

If you would like to donate the flowers or the Sanctuary Lamp, please call the Parish Office 973-694-5793.

From the Desk of Fr. Ricardo

Today's gospel offers us a practical lesson in developing the virtue of humility. Humility is a hard-sell. The spirit of our age encourages us to make ourselves noticed, to stand out from the crowd, to create our importance with "selfies" and "posts". According to our social standards, humility is for the weak, or even for "losers." Think of people on reality shows, who parade their foolish concerns before vast audiences just to get their names out there. In this atmosphere, success doesn't have much to do with achievement. Celebrity is the goal. Its purpose is to gain status, prestige, and "followers."

Unlike the culture, most religious traditions esteem the humble person. Thomas Merton said that to be socially proud was to be artificial; to be humble was to be real. Humility is the foundation of a relationship with God. It lets us see what our bond with God is. He made us. We need to stop trying to make ourselves. We belong to Him. Humility is radical dependence upon and trust in God.

The practice of humility gives us perspective about ourselves. During our morning prayers, while we sip our first heavenly coffee of the day, do we pray from the "height of our pride and our will," or do we pray "out of the depths" of a humble and contrite heart. Humility is the root of prayer. The gift of prayer enables us to recognize, as St. Augustine claimed, that "we are beggars before God."

Humility should also be the foundation of our relationship with others. In our encounters with our brothers and sisters, are we full of our own opinions, preconceptions, and ideas. Are we full of ourselves? We need to empty ourselves to create genuine dialogue and understanding. Do we follow a pecking order and seek to use it to our advantage just like those guests choosing the seats of honor at the Pharisee's banquet? Let's hope not. In the Kingdom of God, every person is equal.

Do we welcome and invite into our lives, those who are of no business or social benefit to us, those who can do nothing for us? Humility alerts us that the Kingdom of God stands in sharp contrast to the honor and shame system of our world. In this gospel, Jesus is touching upon matters of great importance. He gives good advice. Don't think too highly of yourself. Be modest.

Humility is the way God wants us to approach Him and to treat each other. It is the way God treats us. God has given us all good things for no good reason. God invites us to do the same for others. Jesus invites us to take our faith seriously, to live and act differently.

In Dante's Purgatorio, a sinner guilty of a life of pride and self-importance escapes hell and just makes it to Purgatory through one single act of humility. He humbled himself to save a friend.

"The humble shall be exalted."

SILVER WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS

Couples, were you married in 1995? The Diocese of Paterson invites you to celebrate your 25th wedding anniversary during a special mass to be offered at the Cathedral of St. John the Baptist in Paterson, NJ. Bishop Sweeney will serve as main celebrant on this joyful occasion to be held:

Sunday, November 8, 2020 at 3:30 p.m.

Arrangements can be made by contacting the parish office. **The deadline to register is Thursday, October 1, 2020.** You will receive additional information from the Office of Family Life once your registration has been processed. *Congratulations on this joyous occasion!*

Please Pray for the Sick and the Recently Deceased

Dear Father of love and mercy, hear our prayers for the sick members of our community and for all who are in need: Fran Juchniewicz, Dave Murphy, Evelyn Boissonneault, Bernadette Jaros, Dora Sannasardo, Hank Oswald, Fr. Dan Kelly, Msgr. Mark Giordani, Gianna Matthews, Jim Piatti, Silvio Peroni, and Barbara Kohan



+Dr. Jack Magnifico

Mass for the Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time August 30, 2020 will stream live at 10:00 a.m.

Streaming Mass links.

<https://www.facebook.com/ABVMWayneNJ/>

And on the Music Ministry page:

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/L.R.MusicMinistry/>

NEW PARISHIONERS

We welcome all new parishioners to our parish and invite you to introduce yourself to the Priest after Mass or visit us at the Parish Office to register. **If you have been attending our Church regularly but have not registered we invite you to do so.** Also, if you would like to have your house blessed please give us a call at 973-694-5700. We look forward to meeting you.

**Parish Office Summer Hours
During July thru September 4
the Parish Office will be open
Monday thru Thursday
from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
On Friday the Office will close at 1:00 p.m.**

PARISH CONTACTS

Eva May's Prime Timers Trips: Eva May 973-696-5427

Knights /Columbus: Mike DeBenedetto, Grand Knight
973-628-0767

Prime Timers: George Halas, Vice-President 973-633-8655

Society for the Poor: Joanne Tamaro 973-628-1556

Women's Bible Study: Alice Sujkowski – 973-790-8535

Public Square Rosary Rally for Police

Please join us in a Rosary Rally on Sat., Sept. 12, 2020 from 12 noon to 1 p.m. in front of the Wayne Municipal Building, 475 Valley Road, Wayne. We will pray for America's return to God and for God to protect our honorable and brave police. We will meet at the center flag pole. Bring your rosary, mask and chair. Social distancing will be followed so individuals and family groups will stay 6 feet apart.

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

Looking for something out of this world?

Something with a longer and deeper
view of yourself, your family, your job,
the world in which we live?

Something?

Some ONE to believe in?

Something MORE?

RCIA speaks to the hearts of adults who may be considering or re-considering the Catholic Faith. Perhaps you were raised in a different faith tradition or were baptized a Catholic but never received the rest of the Sacraments; perhaps you come from no faith tradition at all. RCIA is a journey of inquiry that explores the Catholic Faith. We will meet weekly in a group setting to learn about the Lord; who God is and who He is inviting us to be. We do this from within the Annunciation Parish community which provides companionship, support and witness. You are most welcome to join us. If you are interested in knowing more about the program please call the Parish Office at 973-694-5700.

SAVE THE DATE

9/11 Memorial Mass

Friday, September 11, 2020

11:00 a.m.

Presider: Auxiliary Bishop Manny Cruz
Archdiocese of Newark

Please don't forget us!

Please don't forget us! During the summer months as people travel sometimes our collections decrease significantly – putting a heavy strain on our parish budget. Please remember that we rely on a steady Sunday collection income in order to remain within budget. Thank you for all of your generosity.

Now it's even easier to use your phone to give to the church.

Go to www.abvm-wayne.org and sign up for Online Giving. Simply click on 'create an account'. Then, enter the needed information, and submit. You will get an email with a verification link to finish setting up your account. If you do not see the email, check your spam folder. It's that simple to give anytime and from anywhere using a computer, smartphone or tablet.

Part-Time Position Available

The Diocese of Paterson Development Office in Clifton is seeking a part-time data entry applicant for seasonal employment. Hours are flexible and not to exceed 30 hours per week. Responsibilities include accurate data entry of campaign pledges and payments and other pertinent donor information into donor database. Computer skills and advanced typing skills are a plus. Any interested parties should contact the Development Office at 973-777-8818, ext. 218 for further details.

Parish Food Pantry

Our parish collects food for the needy every weekend. Please bring nonperishable food and offer it as your gift to those in need. Donations can be left at the Chapel entrance.

Building up Faith and Tradition

Our church and campus are very beautiful. I believe that you and I share the commitment to keep it that way. The very popular word for this kind of supervision and attention is *stewardship*. We use it in connection with public funds and resources and the environment. We also use it in reference to our participation in church related matters. The mandate to be stewards first appears in the Book of Genesis. Adam is given the control and oversight of all of God's creation. So, stewardship is both an obligation and an honor. On every level, we are to supervise and be held accountable for all of the things that have been given by God to our care.

As your pastor, I have undertaken the careful management of parish funds and the conservation and preservation of this physical property very seriously. It is my obligation, and it is my honor. Your generosity and your concern for our shared facilities are part of your stewardship role. With that in mind, I would like to share with you some of the recent *housekeeping* that has been done. Because most of you are homeowners, you understand the necessity of taking care of the maintenance and up-keep of homes and property.

~Fix all exterior lighting

~Repair all cracks in sidewalks around the campus

~Move Bl. Mother statue to front island & place on pedestal

~Repair lights around Rosary walk

~Repair damaged sprinkler heads

~Repair of leaks in roof of the Parish Center

~Repair of lighting inside the church

~Parking lot repair (in progress)

**To locate Mass when you are away
for the weekend or on vacation
go to www.Masstimes.org or
call 734-794-2100 or get the phone
application at the
Apple store.**

September 2020

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<i>All dates subject to change. Please call the Parish Office at 973-694-5700 before scheduling any events.</i>		1	2 ~Holy Hour 9:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. Chapel	3	4 ~Parish Office closes at 1:00 p.m.	5 ~Confession 4-5 p.m.
6 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time	7 LABOR DAY ~Mass: 8:30 a.m. ~Office closed	8	9 ~Holy Hour 9:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. Chapel	10	11 ~Parish Office hours resume-closing at 4:30 p.m. ~9/11 Memorial mass 11:00 a.m. church	12 ~Confession 4-5 p.m.
13 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time ~K/C mtg. 11:15 a.m. Diocesan Assessment	14	15	16 ~Holy Hour 9:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. Chapel ~Women's Bible Study 9:45-11:45 a.m. community room	17	18	19 ~Confession 4-5 p.m.
20 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time	21	22 ~Staff mtg. 3:00 p.m. Parish Office	23 ~Holy Hour 9:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. Chapel	24	25	26 ~Confession 4-5 p.m.
27 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time	28	29	30 ~Holy Hour 9:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. Chapel ~Women's Bible Study 9:45-11:45 a.m. community room			

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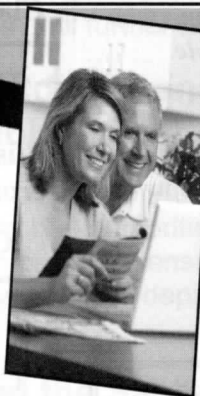
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