

CHURCH OF THE ANNUNCIATION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY



11/23/2025

OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST,
KING OF THE UNIVERSE

“Amen, I say to you,
today you will be with me in Paradise.” - Lk 23:43

Our Parish



45 Urban Club Road
Wayne, NJ 07470
www.abvm-wayne.org
office@abvm-wayne.org
Office: 973-694-5700



Scan the Code to Visit
our Website

Parish Office Hours:

Monday - Friday 9:00am - 2:00pm

Mass Times:

Saturday 8:30am
5:30pm Sunday Vigil Mass
Sunday 8:00am
10:00am
11:45am
Weekdays 12:05pm

Adoration of the Blessed Sacraments:

Wednesdays 9:00am - 2:00pm
Please maintain a reverent silence.
Confession is also available

Sacrament of Confession:

Saturdays 4:00pm - 5:00pm

Parish Contacts

Rev. Ricardo Ortega, Jr.,

Pastor | 973-694-5700

Ms. Wynne S. Garcia,

Parish Secretary/Local Youth Protection
Safe Environment Coordinator | 973-694-5700

Mrs. Niurka Mendoza,

Parish Accountant | finance@abvm-wayne.org

Mr. Brian Langan,

Finance Committee Chairperson | 973-694-5700

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Mrs. Carmela Enriquez,

CRE | 201-257-2765 | faith@abvm-wayne.org

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Youth Minister | youthministry@abvm-wayne.org

Mr. and Mrs. Guirales,

Fellowship | 973-694-5700

Mass Intentions

Saturday, November 22nd

8:30am - † Paul Tanis.

5:30pm - FIO Dale Butera's Birthday Blessings by Kay Como.

Sunday, November 23rd

Our Lord Jesus Christ King of the Universe

8:00am - † Ninfa Salazar by Loving Niece.

10:00am - FIO Ann Marie Vena Birthday Blessings
by Jackie & Mike DeBenedetto III.

11:45am - FIO Natividad Valdivia's Fast Recovery
by Loving Sister & Friend.

Monday, November 24th

12:05pm - † Mark D. Mailly.

Tuesday, November 25th

12:05pm - † Josephine Tritac by Joey Helmrich.

Wednesday, November 26th

12:05pm - † Jean & James Ribauda
by Loving Daughter Etta Ribauda.

Thursday, November 27th - Thanksgiving

10:00am - † Felisa Versoza by Joe & Vicki Versoza.
† Peter Bello by Nina Bello.

Friday, November 28th

8:30am - † Inocencia Estrella Ortega.

Saturday, November 29th

8:30am - † Eva May.

5:30pm - † Helen Niebojewski Anniversary Remembrance.
† Robert Kolesar Anniversary Remembrance
by Marlene Kolesar.

Sunday, November 30th - 1st Sunday of Advent

8:00am - † Cesar A. Elera by loving daughter.

10:00am - Michael DeBenedetto Jr. Birthday Blessings
by Mike & Jackie DeBenedetto.

11:45am - † Angelica Lagraver by loving granddaughter.



THE 2025 & 2026 MASS BOOKS ARE OPEN



To give more parishioners the opportunity to reserve
Masses, we kindly ask that you limit your request to three.

**Mass Intentions are \$15 each,
or \$20 if you would like a card included**

For any information contact the Parish Office

Ministry Schedule

Saturday, November 29th - 5:30pm

Lector: Greg Schmitt

Server: Melissa Ziemba

EMHC: Colette P. | Alex & Carmela Enriquez

Greeter: Colette Perri | Carmela Enriquez

Sunday, November 30th - 8:00am

Lector: Tom Dempsey

Server: Agnel Kannamkulathel

EMHC: Ana & Maria Siby | Kathy Lau

Greeter: Amanda Pierce | Diana Guirales

Sunday, November 30th - 10:00am

Lector: Isabella Ortiz Puente

Server: Raphaella & Racheleen Tindoc

EMHC: Daniel & Tibisay Ortiz | Pablito Ramos

Greeter: Joan Miller | Reggie Tindoc

Sunday, November 30th - 11:45am

Lector: Lorie Fen

Server: Juan Manayath

EMHC: Sal & Lorraine Seminerio | Renju Sen

Greeter: Frank DeGrazia | George Fen

Weekly Offering

November 16, 2025

From Envelopes	\$2,103.00
Loose Collection	\$809.00
Online Giving	\$1,058.00
Donut Man Event Donation	\$130.00
Net Amt. of Parish Collection	\$4,100.00
Catholic Home Missions	\$507.00

Envelope Usage

Registered Households	445
Households Receiving Envelopes	384
Households Using Envelopes	73
Online Givers	33

Thank you for your continued generosity!



The request of the dying thief: *Jesus, remember me* is remarkable. Jesus is enduring one of the most shameful forms of execution devised by human beings. He is surrounded by hostile and mocking crowds. Above His head is a sign that reads *Jesus of Nazareth, King of the Jews*.

Although emptied of power and status, He exercises His divinity. He wages war against sin and Satan, and beyond that death. It is the divinity of Christ that makes conclusive the priesthood and kingship exercised here by Jesus. His perfect sacrifice is the decisive victory over the forces of evil. Jesus did not sin nor yield to the temptations of Satan: He defeated the forces of both. He embraced death to defeat and disempower it. The value of His sacrifice, the perfection of His virtue are shown in the Resurrection and the Ascension. He now rules, on the right hand of the Father, King of the entire universe.

The Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe marks a fitting end to the Church's liturgical year. His kingship will be revealed at the end of time, in full public glory forever, as He reigns with His Father over a New Creation.

Today, we look forward from our place in time. We pray and prepare for His coming. We ask to be remembered. As we move to Advent, let the glorious kingship of Christ permeate our outlook all year long.

Christ, be all in all.

Rev. Ricardo Ortega, Jr.

Thank you



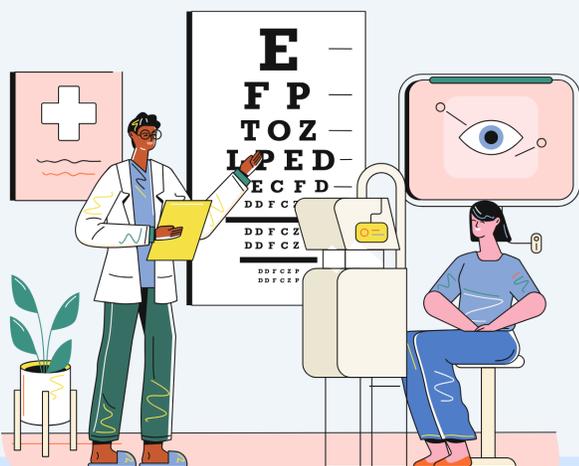
We extend our deepest gratitude to the Knights of Columbus and to everyone who generously contributed to make the Donut Man event possible. Thanks to your support, it became a truly beautiful and successful family celebration. We are blessed to have a community that comes together in this way.



FREE EYE TESTING



Community Room
November 23, 2025 | 10:45am-1pm



Contact for any questions: Lou Zecca | 201-248-1503 | louzecca@gmail.com

Altar Linen Ministry Schedule

November 23rd - Lizy Nirappil
December 7th - Ruth Gerardino
December 21st - Diana Guirales



COFFEE SHOP SCHEDULE

November 23rd - Anna Siby
November 30th - Tom & Mary Dempsey
December 7th - Bich Nguyen
December 14th - Jazmin Diaz



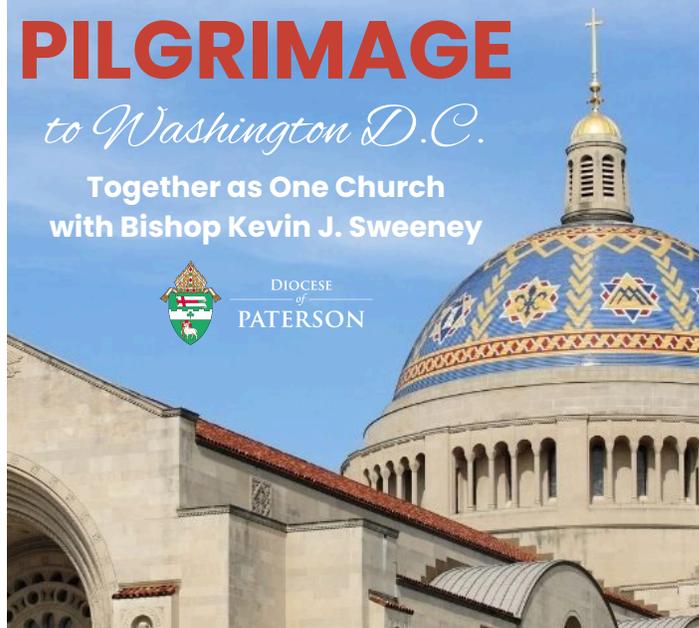
PILGRIMAGE

to Washington D.C.

Together as One Church
with Bishop Kevin J. Sweeney



Diocese
of
PATERSON



Mark your calendar today!
Saturday, October 17, 2026

More info to come.

SPECIAL INVITATION!

NIGHT OF SOLIDARITY AND HOPE
FOR OUR BROTHERS AND SISTERS



HOLY MASS PRESIDED BY
BISHOP KEVIN SWEENEY



HOMILY DELIVERED BY
FR. GARY GRAF

OUR LADY OF FATIMA & ST. NICHOLAS
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 25TH, 7PM
153 WASHINGTON PL, PASSAIC, NJ 07055

SERVING IN OUR MILITARY

We honor our veterans and pray for the safe return of loved one serving here and abroad. A prayer list of those actively serving will be published our bulletin. Please keep them in your prayers.

- **Matthew J. Agrusti**, Second Lieutenant, US Marines
- **CPL Axsel Consten**, Marine
- **Chastity Consten**, Air Force
- **Brooke Provda**, Air Force
- **Staff Sgt. Ross Devine**, Special Forces
- **Matt Doss**, US Army
- **Lilliana Gemma**, Second Lieutenant, US Marines
- **Matthew Gemma**, USMA
- **Justin Greenberg**, Second Lieutenant, US Marines
- **Ensign Morgan La Sala**, Navy Flight School
- **Sam Oswald**, Air Force
- **Master Sgt Rick Van Eycke**, Marines
- **Nick McNerney**, US Army

To include a family member, call 973-694-5700 or email office@abvm-wayne.org.

Please Pray for the Sick

Dear Father of love and mercy, hear our prayers for the sick members of our community and for all who are in need:

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| Adam Lytle | Eleanor Redfearn | Marienna Silva |
| Ann McKiernan | Flavia Langan | Michael Lacatena |
| Barbara Kohan | Franco Teixeira | Michelle Colucci |
| Barbara Pluhar | Frances Iczkowski | Mario Ziemba |
| Bernadette Jaros | Francesca Inzani | Msgr. Herbert Tillyer |
| Bernice Green | Garry Bielous | Olga Ojeda |
| Brian A. David Perri | Jack Teng | Patricia Din |
| Bill Meyers | Joanna Antinora | Peggy Favocci |
| Carmelo Luvera | John Cappo Jr | Phillys Perone |
| Chuck De Meola | Jaelyn Salta Machia | Rosemary Petro |
| Cynthia Dollbaum | Lilia Caning | Silvio Peroni |
| Daniel Destefano | Lorraine Churchill | Theresa DeSalvatore |
| Dave Murphy | Maria Rodriguez | Thomas DeLorenzo |

Amen.

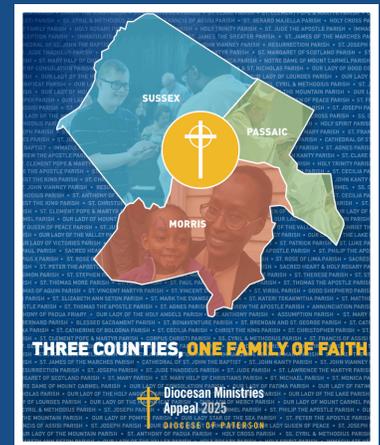


Dear Parishioners,

The Diocesan Ministries Appeal is still ongoing. Please continue supporting it through your donations —reaching our parish goal will not only aid diocesan ministries but also provide a rebate that benefits our own parish community.

Please consider a donation to the 2025 Diocesan Ministries Appeal.

Scan the QR code below or visit www.2025appeal.org to make a gift today.



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Parishioner Registration

First and Last Name: _____

Address: _____

Cellphone: _____

Email Address: _____

Sacraments Completed:
(Not Required)

Baptism

Communion

Confirmation

Matrimony

Welcome to the Church of the Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary.
Please complete the new family registration. If you have any questions, please call the Parish Office at 973-694-5700.