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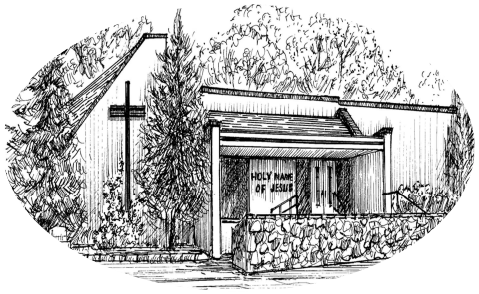

Rev. Bejoy Thomas, *Temp Administrator*

Deacon Thomas J. Abbamont

Welcome to All!
Our Parish Family invites all to be active and participating members in every aspect of parish life! We care for each other and want to worship and serve our Lord and one another.

Rectory

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Fax: 914-930-5156
Office Hours: Monday-Thursday
9am to 4pm
Except Holidays
Website: www.holynameofjesuschurch.org

Religious Education Office

Phone: 914-949-1422
Email: HNJRE@aol.com
Fax: 914-930-5154

Mass Schedule

SATURDAY: 5:00pm
SUNDAY: 8:00am, 10:00am & Noon
HOLY DAYS: Vigil: 5:00pm
7:15am, 9:00am & 6:30pm

Monday - Friday 7:15am & 9:00am
Saturday: 9:00am
Morning Prayer: Daily - 8:30am

Miraculous Medal Devotion

Monday Devotions after the 9am Mass

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday: 4pm-4:45pm or by appt

GET REAL!

Those of us who flatter ourselves that we have a "realistic" view of the world may listen to the first reading today and say, "Get real!" when we hear Luke's account of the early, Elysian days of the Christian movement. All seems to be rosy, lots of wonders are performed, everyone shares selflessly, they eat together in "exultation," and the Lord added to their numbers? Well, who wouldn't be attracted to a group like this? From the wind that swept through the upper room at Pentecost as the Spirit of God blew over the face of the waters in Genesis, and the fire that appeared over each disciple as the light appeared at the dawn of creation, Luke's intent in Acts is to show a new creation, a restoration of creation's original goodness through the working of the Holy Spirit. It is the Spirit who continues to make us into the Body of Christ. We may occasionally, like Thomas in the Gospel, say, "Get real!" but our ultimate reality in the Spirit is to work continually to make our Christian community a new creation, one in which others will find God's joy and beauty.

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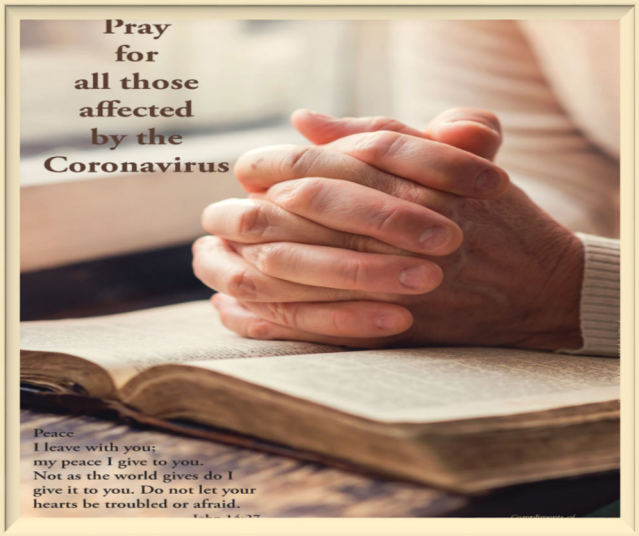
SAINT ANSELM (1033-1109)
April 21

For anyone disheartened at how easily contemporary discussions of disputed church-state issues escalate from civil discourse to shrill polemic, Anselm provides perspective. Grounded in the Benedictine Rule's balanced "prayer and work," this monk-scholar, called from his abbey to become Archbishop of Canterbury, was thrust into firestorms of political intrigue, himself the target of warring bishops and nobles, kings and popes. Yet from depths of inner peace, Anselm wrote this moving exhortation by which today's *Liturgy of the Hours* celebrates him: "Rise up, insignificant man! From your preoccupations, flee a while. From your turbulent thoughts, hide for a time. Your crushing responsibilities cast aside. Your burdensome business lay down. Free a little space for God. Rest a little while in him!" "Faith seeking understanding" was his strikingly contemporary motto; and though renowned as an erudite philosopher-theologian, Anselm also left personal letters, profound for their insights on Christian friendship. Along with those, he composed "A Prayer for My Friends" and "A Prayer for My Enemies," reminding us that those who love God most passionately are also those who love others most humanly.—**Peter Scagnelli, Copyright © J. S.** Paluch Co.



Please note:

All 7:15am Masses are privately being said by Fr Bejoy and all other Masses will be reassigned to other days when our situation is over. Any questions please call the Rectory. Thank you

PRIVATE PRAYER
Our Church is open everyday
7am until 12 noon

Mass Intentions

Saturday, April 18
9:00am Rose Riccardo
5:00pm Luciano Corsini

Sunday, April 19
8:00am The Engelbracht Family
10:00am Michael Dolan, Sr
12:00pm Robert Pruner, Sr

Monday, April 20
7:15am Rosary Altar Society Ladies born in April
9:00am Adele Zappi- Living

Tuesday, April 21
7:15am For All The People
9:00am John Flood

Wednesday, April 22
7:15am Patrick Grosso
9:00am Nicholas Suriano, Jr.

Thursday, April 23
7:15am Michael Flynn
9:00am Deceased Members of the Rush Family

Friday, April 24
7:15am Cathleen Carmody
9:00am Larry & Sally Notare

Saturday, April 25
9:00am Joseph & Helena Kosiuba
5:00pm Felix Mercadante

Sunday, April 26
8:00am Andrew Mola, Sr
10:00am Benny DiMaggio
12:00pm Jim Murphy

Pray for all the souls of our faithfully departed especially Patrick Maguire, Mary Maguire, all those who died from the Coronavirus and for all those who have no one to pray for them, grant eternal rest unto them O Lord

Prayer Lists

A.B.C.
Justina Antonio
Mary Ellen Avolese
Ben Balldasam
Peter Barbieri
Nancy Battistelli
Nick Cacciola
Michael Capasso
Jeff Caponera
Frank Carnazza
Andrea Damato
Donald DeLandri
Anita DelVecchio
Matthew Phillips
Ed Delliveau
Frankie Dezell
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Joseph DiCioccio
Rev. Ralph DiOrio
Alexandria Diemoz
John Edwards
Sable Regina Fields
Jason Fiore
Isabella Fountain
Terry Franzken
Fr. Michael Gambi
Emily Gerstle
Fred Gillu
Michelle Kaprinski
Judy Keegan
P.A.L.
Gavin Little
Billy Loua
Theresa Luparrello
Holly Lynch
Maria Magnotta
Joshua Jayden
John McGuire
Flavia Mirasole
Francesco Mirasole
Jaspare Miranda
Alexa Nitting
Dan Oderifero
Dennis Pierce
Ginger Ragusa
Frankie Ragusa
Madeline Ragusa
Frank Rotelline
Daniel Schoen
Traci Sinapi
Ida Sorgie
Ann Spaziante
Carol Tucciarone
Meredith Grace Windisch
Adriana Xhudo

Our MILITARY

Stephanie Athanasatos, U.S.. Coast Guard
Jonathan Alicea, U.S. Air Force
Lt. Jr Grade Louis DePaolis, U.S. Coast Guard
Capt. Peter M Kavanagh III, U.S. Army
Capt. Kyle J. Kavanagh, U.S. Marine
Sgt. Kyle Ross Martin, U.S. Marine
Alyson Oderifero, US Air Force
Christopher T. Oderifero, Sr. Airman, Air Force
Clayton Perry, U.S. Air Force
Seamen Benjamin Scher, U.S. Coast Guard
Robert Soderquist, U.S. Marine Lance Capt.
Daniel Spies, U.S. Army
Major Michael Tillson, U.S. Army
For all our Armed Forces both home and abroad, **may the Lord watch over and protect them!**

Served by:

Mrs. Fran Berger, Acct/*Parish Manager*
Mrs. Janan Lane, *Rel. Ed Coordinator*
Mr. Robert DeLuccia, *Trustee*
Mrs. Fritzi Mc Clintock, *Trustee*
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Mrs. Suzanne Gerbosi, *Children's Choir*
Mr. Brian Morrow, *Parish Council Pres*
Ms. Angela Giustino, *Website Designer*

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

April 19th Divine Mercy
May 21st Ascension Thursday

All Holy Name of Jesus events have been postponed until further notice. Please see our website as it is updated daily. Thank you.

ANNOINTING OF THE SICK

The sacrament is available to any Catholic over the age of reason who is seriously ill, preparing for surgery or suffering the effects of age.

Please call the rectory to make an appointment with Fr. Bejoy .

RAS SCHOLARSHIP

HNJ Rosary Altar Society is offering a $500 scholarship to any High School Senior who is a member in good standing at HNJ Church and has provided service to the HNJ. The application and requirements are available on our website.

SOCIAL CONCERNS and PRAYER SHAWL

Maureen McLoughlin call 914-946-9334
MMCL16@optonline.net
Christine Stephens call 914-761-7243
crosestephens@optimum.net

SWIMMING SUPPLIES NEEDED

Swim supplies (swimsuits, towels, goggles and caps) collected will be donated to the boys and girls who participate in weekly swim lessons and summer camp at the Non-Profit organization of the Boys and Girls Club in Mount Kisco.

Who: Kiera Naughton- HNJ 8th Grade Religious Education Student and Marlins Swim Team Member.
Why: For the Boys and Girls Fun Club in Mount Kisco
What: Towels, swimsuits, goggles and caps for both boys and girls. Monetary donations will also be accepted.
Sizes: Swimsuits of All Sizes (Small, Medium, Large, Extra Large)
Contact: Kiera Naughton/Lauren Naughton 914-497-4293 with questions.

This collection has been postponed until further notice

We welcome all who celebrate with us. If you would like to register in our Parish, or if changes were made after you registered, please fill out this form and mail/bring it to the rectory.

The fastest and simplest way of supporting the parish is with online giving and signing up at We share which is Online giving. Use the link at our website:
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Any questions call Fran at 914-610-0312

Iso please sign up for flocknotes or parish pay by following the links on our website at www.holynameofjesuschurch.org

Name:_____

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"I Can't Believe It!"

Directions:

1. In a small bowl, mix ¼ cup water with 1 tablespoon of baking soda.
2. Place the bowl inside a larger bowl.
3. What do you think will happen if you add ¼ cup vinegar to the mixture. Why do you think that?
4. Add the vinegar.
   *What happened?
   *Were you right?
   * Why do you think it happened?

GOD'S WORD FOR CHILDREN!

Second Sunday of Easter

Jesus appeared to His disciples and said, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you." Then Jesus breathed on them and said, "Receive the Holy Spirit."

Acts 2:42-47 Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24
1 Pt 1:3-9 Jn 20:19-31

Directions: Put the following words in alphabetical order.

PEACE	DISCIPLES	FATHER
JESUS	HOLY	SPIRIT

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____
6. _____

1. DISCIPLES 2. FATHER
3. HOLY 4. JESUS
5. PEACE 6. SPIRIT

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The Little Ones Jim Burrows

Jesus said to them again, "Peace be with you;
as the Father has sent me, I also send you." Jn 20:21

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God's Word for Children

Acts 2:42–47 tells us how the believers lived.
They took care of each other.
Decide which of the letters will complete this sentence about them.
Write that letter in the blanks.

h n r

T_ey sold w_at
t_ey _ad,
t_en s_ared
w_at was
made.

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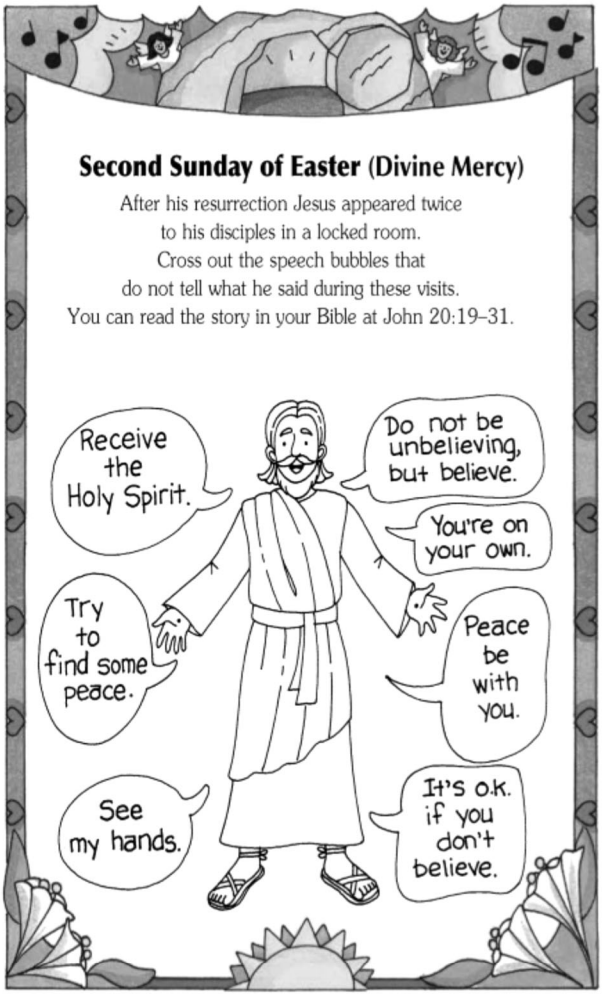
Second Sunday of Easter (Divine Mercy)

After his resurrection Jesus appeared twice
to his disciples in a locked room.
Cross out the speech bubbles that
do not tell what he said during these visits.
You can read the story in your Bible at John 20:19–31.



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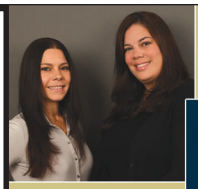

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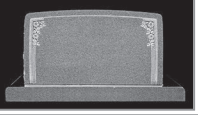

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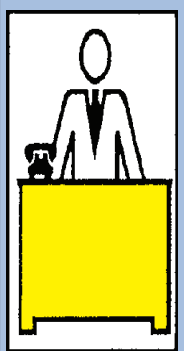

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