

St. Mary-Our Lady of Mt. Carmel

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~ MASSES ~

Saturday Evening

5:00pm, 7:00pm (Spanish)

Sunday

8:00, 9:30am (Spanish), 11:30am

Daily (Mon-Sat)

9:00am – English

Monday & Wednesday

7:00pm – Spanish

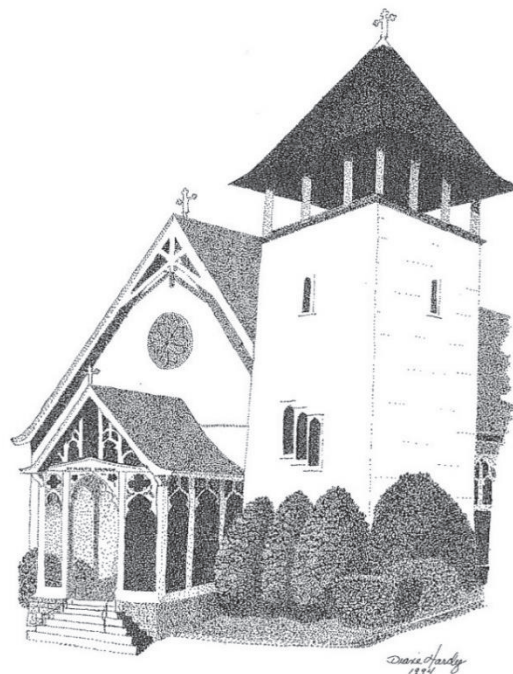
Holy Days

9:00am and 7:30pm (Spanish)

~ OFFICE HOURS ~

Sunday: Closed

Monday through Saturday: 9:30am – 2:00pm



Rev. Francis P. Scanlon

Pastor

Deacon Joe Patrona

Minister of Education

Christine Class

Parish Secretary

Clara Vazquez

Parishioner Outreach

John Griffiths

Minister of Music

Stephen M. Bauert

Maintenance Engineer

Juan M. Cruz

Custodian Assistant

BAPTISMS & WEDDINGS

Please call the Rectory for an appointment with the Pastor or Deacon at (914) 664-5855.

CONFESSIONS

Saturday 4:00 - 4.45pm or call office for appointment

CATHOLIC CHARISMATIC PRAYER MEETING

Wednesdays at 7:30pm in Parish Hall.

Teachings, Witnessing, Scripture Sharing, and more, to give honor and praise to God the Father, Son and Holy Spirit. All ages are welcome!

SPANISH PRAYER MEETING

Every Friday at 7:00 pm in Parish Hall.

First Friday: Holy Hour 6:30 - 7:30 pm

First Friday: Healing Mass 7:30 pm

“Truly you have formed my inmost being; You knit me in my mother’s womb. You knew that I was there – You saw me before I was born.” (Psalm 139: 13, 16) **PRAY FOR THE UNBORN**

ABUSE SURVIVORS: We are grateful you are here today. We are sorry for the intense pain you suffer. We know there are many types of abuse; including sexual, physical, emotional and psychological. We hope you find this Church community a place of sensitivity that does not exacerbate your pain. We pray that you seek the support and help you need. We also pray that God holds you in His gentle loving hands and helps you to heal. Amen

Christmas Toy Drive

Yes, it is December and yes you read it right-Christmas Toy Drive. Starting last weekend and every weekend there will be a box in the vestibule of the church to start collecting toys to give out to the children during the Christmas season.

Christmas Flower & Wreaths

Another beautiful way to remember a family member or friend at Christmas is to dedicate or memorialize a Christmas Poinsettia or Christmas Wreath which will be remembered and you, also in all our prayers during the Christmas Season. There are special envelopes available in which you can make your request and enclose your donation.

Feast of The Holy Family

Prayer for Family Healing Dear God, we commit to you those in our families who have fallen sick. We believe that you are our Healer, our Great Physician. May You be the comfort of our family members who are physically in pain right now. Touch them with Your Healing Hands, Lord. Send forth your Word and heal their diseases. Let Your healing power flow through every cell of their bodies. Loving Father, we also ask that you heal the members of our families who are hurting emotionally. Their affliction is not physical, but we know that they are also in pain. Give them comfort as well, God. Give them the peace that transcends understanding. Heal their hearts, Lord, which may be full of anger, hatred, strife, bitterness, and unforgiveness. Clear their minds of any doubt, anxiety, or depression. Renew in them a peaceful spirit, Lord. Amen. We also pray that You would restore the bonds that have been broken with some of our family members. We know, God, that there is nothing You would want more than feuding relatives to reconcile with each other. But we also admit, Lord, that we cannot do this on our own. For that, we ask Your Holy Spirit to surround us with Your love. May we be filled to the brim with love, that it may overflow and we may share it with our families. Allow us to be instruments of Your blessings to them. In due time, Lord, let our relationships also be restored. All these we pray in Your Name, Amen.

Mass Intentions - December 31 - January 7, 2023

Sunday, 12/31	8:00 am – Robert Mojica Jr (Deceased) 9:30 am – Manuel Lopez (1Month in Heaven) 11:30 am – Dolores Gongora (Deceased)
Monday, 1/1	9:00 am – All our Parishioners 10:30 pm – All our Parishioners
Tuesday, 1/2	9:00 am – Patricia Maia (Health)
Wednesday 1/3	9:00 am – Frank Calamari (16 th Anniversary in Heaven) 7:00 pm – Gianni Velez (Birthday Blessing)
Thursday, 1/4	9:00 am – Michael & Julie Ricca (Health)
Friday, 1/5	9:00 am – Jorge Hernandez (Deceased) 7:30 pm – health of Clara Vazquez
Saturday, 1/6	9:00 am – Kelechukwu & Omeke Family (Living, Special Intention) 5:00 pm – Paul Zwolak (Living) 7:00 pm – Haydee Ramirez (Deceased)
Sunday, 1/7	8:00 am – Shirley Hernandez (Deceased) 9:30 am – Ana María Martínez (Deceased) 11:30 am – Ruth Kayser (Deceased)



Online parish giving. <https://www.parishgiving.org/>

Parish Office Hours: Mon – Sat 9:30 – 2:00; **Closed:** Sunday

Colecta de juguetes navideños

Sí, es diciembre y sí, lo leíste bien: colecta de juguetes navideña. A partir del pasado fin de semana y todos los fines de semana habrá una caja en el vestíbulo de la iglesia para empezar a recolectar juguetes para regalar a los niños durante la temporada navideña.

Flores de Navidad y guirnaldas

Otra hermosa forma de recordar a un familiar o amigo en Navidad es dedicar o conmemorar una Poinsettia o Corona de Navidad que será recordada y usted, también en todas nuestras oraciones durante la temporada navideña. Hay sobres especiales disponibles en los que puedes hacer tu solicitud y adjuntar tu donación.



December 17, 2023 \$

December 18, 2022 \$

Fiesta de la Sagrada Familia

Oración por la curación familiar Querido Dios, te encomendamos a los miembros de nuestra familia que se han enfermado. Creemos que eres nuestro Sanador, nuestro Gran Médico. Que seas el consuelo de los miembros de nuestra familia que están sufriendo físicamente en este momento. Tócalos con Tus Manos Sanadoras, Señor. Envía tu Palabra y sana sus enfermedades. Deja que Tu poder sanador fluya a través de cada célula de sus cuerpos. Padre amoroso, también te pedimos que sanes a los miembros de nuestra familia que están sufriendo emocionalmente. Su aflicción no es física, pero sabemos que también sufren. Dales consuelo también, Dios. Dales la paz que trasciende el entendimiento. Señor, sana sus corazones, que pueden estar llenos de ira, odio, contienda, amargura y falta de perdón. Limpiar sus mentes de cualquier duda, ansiedad o depresión. Renueva en ellos un espíritu de paz, Señor. Amén. También oramos para que restablezcas los lazos que se han roto con algunos de los miembros de nuestra familia. Sabemos, Dios, que no hay nada que quieras más que los parientes en disputa para reconciliarse entre sí. Pero también admitimos, Señor, que no podemos hacer esto solos. Por eso, le pedimos a Tu Espíritu Santo que nos rodee de Tu amor. Que seamos llenos hasta los topes de amor, que se desborde y lo compartamos con nuestras familias. Permítenos ser instrumentos de tus bendiciones para ellos. Señor, a su debido tiempo, que nuestras relaciones también sean restauradas. Todo esto lo oramos en Tu Nombre, Amén.



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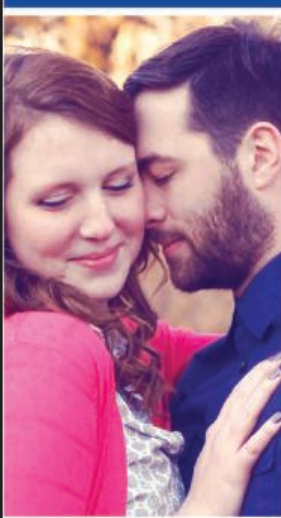
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