

THE PEOPLE OF GOD CALLED TO BE THE CATHOLIC COMMUNITY OF

St. Cecilia Church

120 Kearny Ave., Kearny, New Jersey 07032

www.stceciliakearny.org ~ June 11th, 2023, The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ



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Sunday 9:30am - 1:30pm

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Parish Code: DQNKPN

MASS SCHEDULE

Monday-Friday 7am(Chapel) &
12pm(Church) English

Tuesday 7pm(Church) Español

Wednesday 7:30pm(Chapel)
Português

Saturday 8am(Chapel) English

Saturday 5:00 pm English
(Mass of Anticipation)

Sunday 9:00am Português

10:30am English

12:00pm Español

RECONCILIATION, **CONFESIONES, RECONCILIAÇÃO**

Saturday: 1:00pm - 2:00pm
(Church)



St. Cecilia Mission Statement

We, the people of God called to be the Catholic Community of St. Cecilia, are a diverse and multi-cultural community of believers, joined together by a common bond of love for our Lord Jesus Christ while preserving the uniqueness and traditions of our ethnicity. With a united spirit, we strive to serve our Lord, His Church, and our community through prayer, worship, ministry and evangelization, and to share our faith and our talents in service to one another.

Baptisms, Bautismos, Baptismos

1o Domingo da mes as 1:30pm	Português
2do Domingo del mes a la 1:30pm	Español
3rd Sunday of the month at 1:30pm	English

Contact Fr. Juan Carlos Velasquez at (201) 991-1116 x20, or jcvelasquez@stceciliakearny.org

Classes for Baptism are held the Saturday before the Baptism at 12 Noon in the Parish Center. Parents and Godparents are required to attend.

Religious Education, including First Communion and Confirmation (CCD) for children

Classes will be held in person every Sunday from 9 am – 10:20 am in the School Building. Sacramental Preparation classes will also meet once a month (for all those within their two preparatory years of the Sacrament).

Marriage, Matrimonios, Casamentos

Please call the priest at least one year in advance.
Por favor llamar al sacerdote un año antes de la boda.
Deven falar com o sacerdote com um ano de antecedencia.

Anointing of the Sick

Anointing of the sick, please call the Parish Center.
Unción de los enfermos, llamar al Centro Parroquial.
Unção dos Doentes, Por favor chamar Centro Parroquial.



Support the Catholic Home Missions Appeal today! Nearly 40% of dioceses in the United States and its territories are considered mission territories because they are unable to fund essential pastoral activities needed in their communities. Your support funds religious education, seminary formation, lay ministry training, and other programs that build vibrant faith communities right here in the United States. Please be generous. More information can be found at www.usccb.org/home-missions.

This Week at Saint Cecilia's:

Mon 6/12

12:30pm Rosary Society meeting - PC basement

Tues 6/13

7:30pm-9:00pm Spanish Prayer Group - Church basement

Fri 6/16

7:30pm-9:00pm English Bonds of Marian Love Prayer Group - PC basement

7:30pm-9:30pm Spanish Bonds of Marian Love Prayer Group - Church basement

7:30pm-9:30pm HSMK Spanish Rosary- Chapel

Sat 6/17

9:00am Martha's Ministry - Church cleaning

1:00pm Divine Mercy Novena - Church

Sun 6/18

10:30am Estudio Bíblico - Sótano de la Rectoria

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for the infirm of our parish ©JPPC

To sign up to give online, go to:
www.stceciliakearny.org or
www.parishgiving.org.



Collections/Colectas/Administração

6/04/23

1st collection: \$4,818.00

2nd collection: \$495.00

Online Giving: \$265.00

As always, thank you for your generosity.

Masses for the Week of June 11th, 2023
The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

Saturday, June 10

5:00pm † Karen Guziejewski (Birth Remem.)

Sunday, June 11

9:00am (P) † Eloina Lucero (3rd Anniversary)

10:30am † Asuncion Benavidez

12:00pm (S) † Diomedes Gonzalez (2nd Anniv.)

Monday, June 12

7:00am † Edgar Ospina

12:00pm † Manuel Rebelo

Tuesday, June 13

7:00am In Thanksgiving to the Sacred Heart

12:00pm † Laura Riu (11th Anniversary)

7:00pm (S) † Eliseo Aleman (1st Anniversary)

Wednesday, June 14

7:00am † Eileen McGuire & Joyce Orchowski

12:00pm † Jorge Riberiro

7:30pm(P) People of the Parish

Thursday, June 15

7:00am † Edwin J. Doyle (4th Anniversary)

12:00pm † Antonio Ortiz

Friday, June 16

7:00am † Benjamin Jimenez & Ramon Equisquiza

12:00pm In Thanksgiving to the Sacred Heart

Saturday, June 17

8:00am † Juana Antonia Espiral

5:00pm † Nancy & Jimmy Campbell

Next Sunday, June 18

9:00am (P) All Fathers Living & Deceased

10:30am All Fathers Living & Deceased

12:00pm (S) All Fathers Living & Deceased

(P) Portuguese - (S) Spanish



THE SICK: Luis Acevedo, Hilda Ajila, Marco Almeida, Margie Augusto, Vicente Avila Nuñez, Fausto Aybar, Luis Aymar, Naomi Bernales, Romulo Bernales, Fabricio Blancas, Joan Gresw Bobowski, Addie Boyd, Adrienne F. Brown, Ramon Caicedo, Mariela Cano Escobar, Cecilia Capiello, Fanny Carmona, Barbara Carter, John Carter, Monica Colon, Adolfo E. Coria, Alice Crist, Aquila Cruz Ricra, Lila Czaplicki, Gary Davila, Edward De Simon, Janette Faulk, Victor Ferdinandi, Florence Frederick, Yancey Garcia, Michelina & Rosamaria Giuliano, Adolfo Gonzalez Sr., Emiliano Gonzalez, Raquel Gonzalez, Lucilia Gorge, Sahara Goyenechea, Morgan Greco, Jason T. Gude, Stanley Guziejewski Jr, Jay Harris, Edna Hasselwander, Juana Herrera, Charlie Ide, Roberto Jude, Kevin Kane, Luz LaBoy, Edna Leverock, Magdalene Lewandowski, Frank Lopez, Cremilda Louvado, Helen Macchia, Josh Maher, Erick Marrquin, Anthony Pelle, Jr., Rosemary Martens, Roberto Matos, Ana Maria Maldonado, Maria Mauricio, Laura Jo McCann, Brendan McDade, John McDonald, Molly McGovern, Linda McKenna, Julia Mendez, Emily Merrill, Nestor Merino, Aderito Miguel, Sherri Moorman, Natalie Morris, Kimberly C. Mossey, Kevin Murphy, Eleanor Narozny, Leon Narucki, Gabriel Navia, Olga Ojeda, William Orr, Antonia Ortega, Richard Miguel Ortiz, Andrea Ozovck, Estrabonia Perez, Bonnie Primavera, Reina Isabel Quintanilla, Isabel Ramilo, Maria Ressurreição, Rose Rivelini, Jaxson Rivera, Olivia Roach, Esperanza Rodriguez, Maria Rodriguez, Miguel Rodriguez, Jose Manuel Rodriguez, Jose R. Rodriguez, Piedad Rodriguez, Ernesto Rosabal, Elsy Ruiz, Eduardo Sanabria, Israel Santos, Maria Fatime Santos, Sarah Saraiva, Matilde Serrano, Pablo Sierra, Francisco Silva, Nick Trumpikas, Mariko Valente, Lisa Marie Van Egmond, Shayne Vaykovich, Victoria Vaykovich, Madeline Verdinho, Heather Wharton, Cathy Wintjen, Gayle Wright, Victor Wysocki.

*The Sanctuary candle will burn
 this week in the Church for:
 People of the Parish
 Requested by:*

*The Sanctuary candle will burn
 this week in the Chapel for:
 Msgr. Seymour
 Requested by:*

*The Bread and Wine is offered
 this week for:
 Priests of the Parish
 Requested by:*

Remember in your prayers those who have died:



*Especialy, Rita Mary Dimurro & Clare Marie Yakabofski.
 May they rest in God's eternal embrace.*



*Roman Catholic
Archdiocese of Newark*

2023 LENTEN REGULATIONS

The Fridays of the year, outside of Lent, are designated as days of penance, but each individual may substitute for the traditional abstinence from meat some other practice of voluntary self-denial as penance. The time for fulfilling the Paschal Precept (Easter Duty*) extends from the **First Sunday of Lent, February 26, 2023 to the Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity, June 4, 2023.** ****Canon 920, §1.** *All the faithful, after they have been initiated into the Most Holy Eucharist, are bound by the obligation of receiving Communion at least once a year.*



Calling all volunteers!!!

Looking for volunteers
to help at Faith Formation

- . Catechists
- . Catechist Aides
- . Crossing Guards

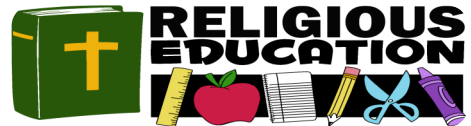
Please stop by the Parish Center office
to pick up a Volunteer Form.

St. Cecilia Church Religious Education
120 Kearny Avenue, Kearny, New Jersey

FOOD PANTRY



The Kearny Food Pantry Network is open the first and third Fridays of the month at the Presbyterian Church, 663 Kearny Avenue on the corner of Kearny Ave. and Laurel Ave. Proof of ID needed. We also need donations of non perishable food items to be distributed at the Kearny Food Pantry Network on Fridays. Volunteers for preparation and distribution are welcome. If you would like to help, please contact Deacon Arcadio. Thank you for your support.



-We are accepting registrations for the new school year 2023-2024 as of May 14th until July 17th. Registrations received after July 17th will incur a late fee. A copy of the child's Baptism Certificate is required for NEW students and a copy of a Birth Certificate for a Child that has not yet been baptized. Classes will be held in person every Sunday from 9 am – 10:20 am in the School Building. Sacramental Preparation classes will also meet once a month (for all those within their two preparatory years of the Sacrament).

Congratulations to our Confirmation candidates

We congratulate our students who received the Sacrament of Confirmation by the Very Reverend John J. Chadwick, S.T.D., V.G., on Saturday, May 6, 2023. We ask that the Holy Spirit strengthen our young/adult people as they continue their faith journey.

Congratulations to our First Holy Communion Students

Our Parish Family rejoices as our children received Jesus at their First Holy Communion at the 12:00pm Mass on Sunday, June 4th. We welcome them to our Eucharistic Table.

LOST & FOUND

We believe your personal items are important to you. Therefore, we want to inform our parishioners and visitors that any personal belongings found in our church or chapel, or in and around our parking lot, are kept in the Parish Center office. Please feel free to contact our office if you have left or lost an item. A description of the item will be required when claiming your item. If anyone finds an item in or around our church property, please bring it to the Parish Center office. We thank you for your assistance in this matter.

FATHER'S DAY CANDLES



Father's Day is **Sunday, June 18, 2023**. To bless and honor your father, there are candle forms available in the entrance of the Church or in the Parish office. The candles will be lit for Father's Day and will burn for one week on the side altar. Donation for each candle is \$10. Please submit your forms with your donation no later than Wednesday, June 14th.

Boletín en Español

EDUCACIÓN RELIGIOSA



-Registración para el año escolar del **2023-2024** ha empezado desde Mayo 14 hasta el 17 de julio. Se necesita una copia del Certificado de Bautismo de cada **NUEVO** estudiante y una copia del Certificado de Nacimiento de cada estudiante que no ha sido aún Bautizado. También hay clases de Preparación Sacramental, una vez al mes, para aquellos estudiantes en el 3er grado ó más que no hayan recibido su **Primera Comunión ó Confirmación**. Clases comienzan en Septiembre. Para más información pueden llamar ó preguntar en la oficina de la Iglesia.

Felicidades a los estudiantes que recibieron su Confirmación y Primera Comunión. Le pedimos al Espíritu Santo que los fortalezca en su viaje de Fé. Sigamos orando por ellos y sus familias.

VELAS POR EL DÍA DE LOS PADRES

Domingo, Junio 18, 2023, por favor traer formulario a la oficina. Ofrenda de \$10 por vela. Deben entregarlo antes del Miércoles Junio 14, 2023. Gracias.

DIVINA MISERICORDIA



El Grupo de la Divina Misericordia se reúne todos los Sábados a la 1pm en la Iglesia en Adoración al Santísimo.

SE NECESITAN VOLUNTARIOS

El programa de Educación Religiosa necesita voluntarios para ayudar como:

- ♦ Catequista
- ♦ Asistente de Catequista ó
- ♦ Guardias para ayudar a estudiantes cruzar la calle

Pueden recoger un formulario de Voluntario en la oficina de la Iglesia durante horas de trabajo.

Boletim em Português

10º DOMINGO DO TEMPO COMUM

A Palavra de Deus deste 10º Domingo do Tempo Comum repete, com alguma insistência, que Deus prefere a misericórdia ao sacrifício. A expressão deve ser entendida no sentido de que, para Deus, o essencial não são os actos externos de culto ou as declarações de boas intenções, mas sim uma atitude de adesão verdadeira e coerente ao seu chamamento, à sua proposta de salvação. É esse o tema da liturgia deste dia. Na primeira leitura, o profeta Oseias põe em causa a sinceridade de uma comunidade que procura controlar e manipular Deus, mas não está verdadeiramente interessada em aderir, com um coração sincero e verdadeiro, à aliança. Os actos externos de culto – ainda que faustosos e magníficos – não significam nada, se não houver amor (quer o amor a Deus, quer o amor ao próximo – que é a outra face do amor a Deus). Na segunda leitura, Paulo apresenta aos cristãos (quer aos que vêm do judaísmo e estão preocupados com o estrito cumprimento da Lei de Moisés, quer aos que vêm do paganismo) a única coisa essencial: a fé. A figura de Abraão é exemplar: aquilo que o tornou um modelo para todos não foram as obras que fez, mas a sua adesão total, incondicional e plena a Deus e aos seus projectos. O Evangelho apresenta-nos uma catequese sobre a resposta que devemos dar ao Deus que chama todos os homens, sem excepção. O exemplo de Mateus sugere que o decisivo, do ponto de vista de Deus, é a resposta pronta ao seu convite para integrar a comunidade do “Reino”.

Portal dos Dehonianos

O livro das Misas para 2023 está disponível no escritório da Igreja.

CASAMENTOS

Deven falar com o sacerdote com um ano de antecedência.



BAPTIZADOS



Os pais que desejam baptizar seus filhos em **Português**, por favor contactam o Pe. Juan Carlos Velasquez para marcar um apontamento por telephone 201-991-1116, ext. 20 our por email,

jvelasquez@stceciliakearny.org