

The People of God called to be the Catholic Community of

St. Cecilia Church

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It is like a mustard seed that, when it is sown in the ground, is the smallest of all the seeds on the earth. But once it is sown, it springs up and becomes the largest of plants and puts forth large branches

MARK 4: 31-32

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June 16, 2024—11th Sunday in Ordinary Time

HOLY MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Evening Mass of Anticipation: 5:00 PM English

Sunday Mass

9:00 AM Português | 10:30 AM English | 12:00 PM Español

Summer Daily Mass Schedule: Monday—Friday: 7:00 AM English | Church

Tuesday: 7:00 PM Español | Church

Wednesday: 7:30 PM Português | Chapel

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday: 4:00 PM—5:00 PM

Welcome

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.

Sacrament of Baptism, Bautismo, Batismo

1º sabado da mes as 11:00 AM	Português
2º Sabado del mes a la 11:00 AM	Español
3rd Saturday of the month at 11:00 AM	English

Call / LLamar / Ligue para o: **Fr. Juan Carlos Velasquez (201) 991-1116**

Sacrament of Matrimony, Matrimonio, Matrimônio

Congratulations to all engaged couples!!! Please contact a parish priest one year before the desired date for the marriage to ensure proper preparation for the Sacrament.

Felicitaciones a todos los novios!!! Comuníquese con un párroco un año antes de la fecha deseada para el matrimonio para garantizar la preparación adecuada para el Sacramento.

Parabéns a todos os noivos!!! Por favor contacte um pároco um ano antes da data desejada para o casamento para garantir uma preparação adequada para o Sacramento.

Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick Unción de los enfermos, Unção dos Enfermos

For Anointing of the Sick: Anytime upon request in the home of the sick. If the infirm person is in hospital, please ask the nurse to contact the Hospital Chaplain first.

Para la Unción de los Enfermos, comuníquese con la oficina. Si la persona enferma está en el hospital, pídale a la enfermera que se comunique primero con el Capellán del Hospital.

Para a Unção dos Enfermos, entre em contato com o escritório. Se o enfermo estiver no hospital, peça à enfermeira que entre em contato primeiro com o Capelão do Hospital.

RCIA (RICA)

Interested in becoming a Catholic? The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) and children of catechetical age is a formational process of conversion and living faith within the community. Contact the Parish Center office for more information.

¿Interesado en convertirse en católico? El Rito de Iniciación Cristiana de Adultos (RICA) y niños en edad catequética es un proceso formativo de conversión y fe viva dentro de la comunidad. Comuníquese con la oficina del Centro Parroquial para obtener más información.

Interessado em se tornar católico? O Rito de Iniciação Cristã de Adultos (RCIA) e crianças em idade catequética é um processo formativo de conversão e vivência da fé na comunidade. Contacte o escritório do Centro Paroquial para mais informações.

Our Parish Family

New parishioners may register at the Parish Center. Please help us keep our records up to date. Current members should notify the office of any changes in their status such as births, deaths, marriages, change of address, etc.

Los nuevos feligreses pueden registrarse en el Centro Parroquial. Por favor ayúdenos a mantener nuestros registros actualizados. Los miembros actuales deben notificar a la oficina cualquier cambio en su estado, como nacimientos, defunciones, matrimonios, cambios de dirección, etc.

Os novos paroquianos podem inscrever-se no Centro Paroquial. Por favor, ajude-nos a manter nossos registros atualizados. Os membros atuais devem notificar o escritório de quaisquer alterações no seu estatuto, tais como nascimentos, mortes, casamentos, mudança de endereço, etc.

Safe Environment Corner: How to Report Abuse

The Archdiocese of Newark, along with St. Cecilia Church, take very seriously any and all allegations of sexual misconduct by members of the clergy, Religious and lay staff of the Archdiocese. We encourage anyone with knowledge of an act of sexual misconduct to inform us so that we may take appropriate action to protect others and provide support to victims of sexual abuse. Call the Coordinator for the Office of Accompaniment in the Archdiocesan Department for the Protection of the Faithful at (201) 407-3256.

PARISH CENTER CONTACT

**119 Chestnut St.
Kearny, NJ 07032
201-991-1116
Fax: 201-998-4437**

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stcecilia@stceciliakearny.org

Bulletin Submission:

bulletin@stceciliakearny.org

Website:

www.stceciliakearny.org

Facebook:

www.facebook.com/stceciliakearny

OFFICE HOURS

Monday—Thursday:

9:00 AM—5:00 PM

(Closed for lunch 12 PM-1 PM)

Friday:

9:00 AM—12:00 PM

Saturday closed

Sunday:

9:30 AM—1:30 PM

Parish served by

Rev. Cesar Quiñones

Administrator

Rev. Juan Carlos Velasquez-Ducayin

Parochial Vicar

Rev. Richard J. Mroz

In Residence

Deacon Arcadio A. Cordova

Parish Staff

Ms. Gina Sgalia-Ball

Music Director

Luisa Barriga

Faith Formation Director

Ms. Donna Calcado

Administrative Assistant

Mrs. Patty Martinez

Assistant Office Manager

Ms. Silvia Sanchez

Office Assistant

Angela Sierra

Maintenance

Jesus Santos

Maintenance

Mr. Joseph Reese

Financial Chairperson

Mr. Albertino Amaro

Parish Trustee

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY	JUNE 15
5:00 PM	Norah McCarthy (Good Health)
SUNDAY	JUNE 16
9:00 AM (P)	All Fathers Living and † Deceased
10:30 AM	All Fathers Living and † Deceased
12:00 PM (S)	All Fathers Living and † Deceased
MONDAY	JUNE 17
7:00 AM	† Benjamin Jimenez and Ramon Egusquiza
TUESDAY	JUNE 18
7:00 AM	† Tom Walsh
7:00 PM (S)	In Thanksgiving to the Blessed Virgin Mary
WEDNESDAY	JUNE 19
7:00 AM	Theresa and Agnes Roche (Good Health)
THURSDAY	JUNE 20
7:00 AM	† Lindsay Gray (Birthday Remembrance)
FRIDAY	JUNE 21
7:00 AM	† Lupe Rivera (1 st Anniversary) and † Marcelo Maisonet (10 th Month Anniversary)
	12th Sunday in Ordinary Time
SATURDAY	JUNE 22
5:00 PM	† Manuel Rebelo
SUNDAY	JUNE 23
9:00 AM (P)	In Thanksgiving to the Divine Child
10:30 AM	† Martha Castro (Anniversary and Birthday Remembrance)
12:00 PM (S)	† Jose Andres Placencia

(P) Portuguese - (S) Spanish

Memorials for the week of June 16, 2024

Sanctuary candle in the Church:

In Thanksgiving / Req. Barbosa Family

Sanctuary candle in the Chapel:

People of the Parish

Altar Bread and Altar Wine:

People of the Parish

Candles are available for \$10, Altar Bread & Altar Wine for \$20.

Collections/Colectas/Administração

Collection	06/09/2024	\$ 3453.00
Parish Giving	06/09/2024	\$ 275.00

Thank you for your continued support & generosity.



Linda & Stanley Guziejewski Jr,
Edna Hasselwander, Maria
Mauricio, Dan and Dot McCann,
Laura Jo McCann, Maria
Rodriguez, Denise Verost
**Please pray for our
homebound parishioners and
the sick of our parish community.**



**Remember in your prayers those
who have died:**

May they rest in God's eternal embrace.

Become a Part of St. Cecilia Church



St. Cecilia is an active and vibrant parish within the Archdiocese of Newark.

Our parish is always changing and growing, and we warmly welcome new parishioners.

Have you been attending Mass here for many years and have not registered? Are you a new parishioner?

Joining the parish is simple; the rewards are great! As soon as you have the opportunity, visit the Parish Center office and introduce yourself to one of the priests or parish staff members.

Registration forms are available in the Parish Center office during regular office hours.

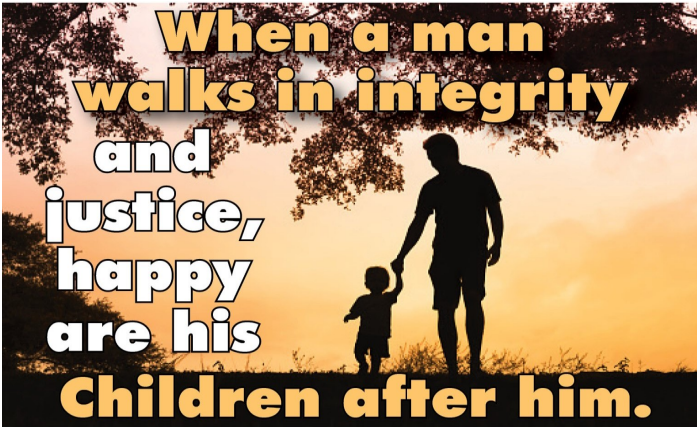
RCIA Rite of Christian Initiation (Adults)

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Confessions and Spiritual Direction

Confessions are held every Saturday in the Church from 4 PM—5 PM. Fr. Cesar is also available on Mondays & Tuesdays for confessions or other needs from 5 PM—7 PM. Please call the Parish Center Office to schedule an appointment.

PARISH NEWS & EVENTS



Happy Father's Day !!!



SAVE THE DATE!

Day of Prayer



SATURDAY, JUNE 29, 2024
8:30 A.M. to 1:00 P.M.
 St. John Paul II Youth Center
 499 Belgrove Drive, Kearny

REGISTRATION INFORMATION COMING SOON!

BE INSPIRED BY THE UNIQUE STORYTELLING OF VALLIMAR JANSEN!

Vallimar Jansen is a passionate singer-songwriter and professional actor who writes songs about faith and brings to life the Holy Scripture in dynamic, costumed portrayals. Her stories and songs have touched the lives of countless people worldwide!

- DYNAMIC PRAYER
- ENGLISH/SPANISH
- BREAKOUT SESSIONS

Rutgers University-Newark Summer Basketball Program

Rutgers University-Newark will be running its 21st annual Summer Basketball Program for children 6-17. The program is July 8-12, July 15-19, July 22-26, and July 29-Aug. 2, 2024 from 8:30 AM-4:00PM. We offer early drop off and late pick up Free of Charge. The cost for one week is \$185. Discount rate if you attend more than one week. Contact Joe Loughran 973-353-1483 or email at loughran@rutgers.edu.

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Religious Education

St. Cecilia Religious Education
 120 Kearny Ave | Kearny NJ

Registration for the new school year 2024-2025 is open!!

Scan the QR code below to register your child(ren) for faith formation classes. Once we receive your information, we will contact you with the next step. Registration is open for students 8 years old and older.

1 student / estudiante	\$100
2 students / estudiantes	\$150
3 students / estudiantes	\$175

Escanee el código QR para registrar a su hijo(s) en clases de formación en la fe para el año escolar 2024-2025. Una vez que recibamos su información, le llamaremos con el siguiente paso. La inscripción está abierta para estudiantes de 8 años en adelante.



Calling all Catechists, Classroom Aides and Program Helpers!!

Volunteers are needed for our new faith formation year. Please leave a message for Mrs. Jessica Rodriguez at (201) 991-1116 ext. 15 or email jcvelasquez@stceciliakearny.org with any questions.

Events—What's on the Church Calendar

Tuesday June 18	7:30 PM	Spanish Prayer Group	Church Basement
Friday June 21	6:30 PM	Adoración al Santísimo	Church
Saturday June 22	9 AM	Martha's Cleaning	Church
	11:30 AM-12:45 PM	Grupo Maria Inmaculada Concepción, Rosario y Reflexión	Chapel
	1:00 PM-2:30 PM	Grupo de la Divina Misericordia	Parish Center Basement

NOTICIAS PARROQUIALES / NOTÍCIAS DA PARÓQUIA

Educación Religiosa

- La inscripción para la Formación de Fe está abierta para el año escolar 2024-2025 para estudiantes de 8 años en adelante. Vaya a nuestro sitio web www.stceciliakearny.org, en la barra de herramientas de Educación religiosa, y escanee el código QR para registrar a su(s) hijo(s)
- Se necesitan catequistas y asistentes para el próximo año escolar. Por favor llame a la oficina del Centro Parroquial al 201-991-1116 ext. 15 y dejar un mensaje a la Sra. Jessica Rodriguez o enviar un correo electrónico a jvelasquez@stceciliakearny.org.

Adoración al Santísimo

Únase a nosotros para la Adoración del Santísimo Sacramento los viernes de 6:30 PM—7:30 PM en la Iglesia.

Grupo Maria Inmaculada Concepción

Rosario y Reflexión, sábado, 11:30 AM—12:45 PM en la Capilla.

Grupo de la Divina Misericordia

Sábado, 1 PM—2:30 PM, sótano del Centro Parroquial.

11º Domingo do Tempo Comum

A liturgia do 11º Domingo do Tempo Comum convida-nos a olhar para a vida e para o mundo com confiança e esperança. Deus, fiel ao seu plano de salvação, continua, hoje como sempre, a conduzir a história humana para uma meta de vida plena e de felicidade sem fim. Na primeira leitura, o profeta Ezequiel assegura ao Povo de Deus, exilado na Babilônia, que Deus não esqueceu a Aliança, nem as promessas que fez no passado. Apesar das vicissitudes, dos desastres e das crises que as voltas da história comportam, Israel deve continuar a confiar nesse Deus que é fiel e que não desistirá nunca de oferecer ao seu Povo um futuro de tranquilidade, de justiça e de paz sem fim. O Evangelho apresenta uma catequese sobre o Reino de Deus – essa realidade nova que Jesus veio anunciar e propor. Trata-se de um projecto que, avaliado à luz da lógica humana, pode parecer condenado ao fracasso; mas ele encerra em si o dinamismo de Deus e acabará por chegar a todo o mundo e a todos os corações. Sem alarde, sem pressa, sem publicidade, a semente lançada por Jesus fará com que esta realidade velha que conhecemos vá, aos poucos, dando lugar ao novo céu e à nova terra que Deus quer oferecer a todos. A segunda leitura recorda-nos que a vida nesta terra, marcada pela finitude e pela transitoriedade, deve ser vivida como uma peregrinação ao encontro de Deus, da vida definitiva. O cristão deve estar consciente de que o Reino de Deus (de que fala o Evangelho de hoje), embora já presente na nossa actual caminhada pela história, só atingirá a sua plena maturação no final dos tempos, quando todos os homens e mulheres se sentarem à mesa de Deus e receberem de Deus a vida que não acaba. É para aí que devemos tender, é essa a visão que deve animar a nossa caminhada.

A PALAVRA MEDITADA AO LONGO DA SEMANA

Ao longo dos dias da semana anterior ao 11.º Domingo do Tempo Comum, procurar meditar a Palavra de Deus deste domingo. Meditá-la pessoalmente, uma leitura em cada dia, por exemplo... Escolher um dia da semana para a meditação comunitária da Palavra: num grupo da paróquia, num grupo de padres, num grupo de movimentos eclesiais, numa comunidade religiosa... Aproveitar, sobretudo, a semana para viver em pleno a Palavra de Deus.

Portal dos Dehonianos



¡RESERVA LA FECHA!
Día de Oración
SÁBADO, 29 DE JUNIO DE 2024
de 8:30 A.M. a 1:00 P.M.
 St. John Paul II Youth Center
 499 Belgrove Drive, Kearny

¡INFORMACIÓN SOBRE LA INSCRIPCIÓN PRÓXIMAMENTE!

¡INSPIRATE CON LA HISTORIA ÚNICA DE VALLIMAR JANSEN!
 Vallimar Jansen es una apasionada cantautora y actriz profesional que escribe canciones sobre la fe y da vida a las Sagradas Escrituras en representaciones dinámicas y dramatizadas. ¡Sus historias y canciones han tocado a innumerables personas en todo el mundo!

- DINAMICAS DE ORACIÓN
- INGLÉS/ESPAÑOL
- SESIONES DE GRUPO

ARCHDIOCESE of NEWARK



Feliz Día del Padre

La Gloria de los Hijos

son los Padres

Feliz dia dos pais

