

The People of God called to be the Catholic Community of

St. Cecilia Church

120 Kearny Ave. | Kearny NJ | 07032 | 201-991-1116 | stceciliakearny.org



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

Monday—Friday Daily Mass: 7:00 AM & 12:00 PM English | Chapel

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, Batismo1º sábado da mes as 11:00 AM **Português**2do 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
Nuestra Familia Parroquial, Nossa Família Paroquial**

New parishioners may register online or 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 línea o 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 online ou 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.

PARISH CENTER CONTACT**119 Chestnut St.****Kearny, NJ 07032****201-991-1116****Fax: 201-998-4624****Email:**stcecilia@stceciliakearny.org**Bulletin Submission:**bulletin@stceciliakearny.org**Website:**www.stceciliakearny.org**Facebook:**www.facebook.com/stceciliakearny**OFFICE HOURS****Monday—Thursday:**

9:00 PM—5:00 PM

Friday:

9:00 AM—12:00 PM

Saturday closed**Sunday:**

9:30 AM—1:30 PM

Pastoral Team**Rev. Cesar Quiñones**

Administrator

Rev. Juan Carlos Velasquez-Ducayin

Parochial Vicar

Rev. Richard J. Mroz

In Residence

Deacon Justo E. Aliaga**Deacon Arcadio A. Cordova****Ms. Victoria Hernandez**

Music Director

hernandezpiano@gmail.com**Mr. Leonidas Aliaga**

Pastoral Associate

laliaga@stceciliakearny.org**Ms. Donna Calcado**

Administrative Assistant

Mrs. Patty Martinez

Office Manager Assistant

Ms. Silvia Sanchez

Office Assistant

Angela Sierra

Maintenance

Mr. Joseph Reese and**Mr. Albertino Amaro**

Parish Trustees

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY	SEPTEMBER 9
5:00 PM	† Noah John DeCarlo-Luque
SUNDAY	SEPTEMBER 10
9:00 AM (P)	† Joao Oliveira
10:30 AM	† Nancy and Jimmy Campbell
12:00 PM (S)	† Meggy Mackiff Huacon and Maria Luisa Santos
MONDAY	SEPTEMBER 11
7:00 AM	† Benjamin Jimenez and † Ramon Egusquiza (Anniversary)
12:00 PM	† Familia Aguila Valdez
TUESDAY	SEPTEMBER 12
7:00 AM	† Edgar Ospina
12:00 PM	† Gumersindo Pardo
7:00 PM (S)	† Raymond Grullón
WEDNESDAY	SEPTEMBER 13
7:00 AM	People of the Parish
12:00 PM	† Jorge Ribeiro
7:30 PM (P)	People of the Parish
THURSDAY	SEPTEMBER 14
7:00 AM	Souls in Purgatory
12:00 PM	† Mamie R. Burns
FRIDAY	SEPTEMBER 15
7:00 AM	People of the Parish
12:00 PM	† Hugh Dalzell (Birthday Remembrance)

24th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SATURDAY	SEPTEMBER 16
5:00 PM	† Daniel Patrick McCann III (7 th Anniversary & Birthday Remembrance)
SUNDAY	SEPTEMBER 17
9:00 AM (P)	In Thanksgiving of the Divine Child
10:30 AM	† Manuel Rebelo
12:00 PM (S)	† Walter Enrique Sanchez Pereira (2 nd Anniversary)

(P) Portuguese - (S) Spanish



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Parish Giving is electronic giving in place of using Church envelopes each week. It is simple to use, and most importantly your dedication to a weekly electronic donation helps support St. Cecilia continue their mission and work in the Church.

It is easy to signup. Simply go to our

Parish website www.stceciliakearny.org or directly to www.parishgiving.org.



Luis Acevedo, Hilda Ajila, Marco Almeida, Margie Augusto, Vicente Avila Nuñez, Fausto Aybar, Luis Aymar, Brianna Balugas, Naomy Bernales, Romulo Bernales, Fabricio Blancas, Joan Gresw Bobowski, Addie Boyd, Adrienne F. Brown, Ramon Caicedo, Mariela Cano Escobar, Cecilia Cappello, 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 George, 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.



Remember in your prayers those who have died:

May they rest in God's eternal embrace.

Memorials for the week of September 10, 2023

The Sanctuary candle in the Church:

Taylor and Lucy Family

Req. by Peggy Taylor

The Sanctuary candle in the Chapel:

People of the Parish

The Altar Bread and Wine:

People of the Parish

Collections/Colectas/Administração

1 st collection	8/27/2023	\$4030.00
2 nd collection	8/27/2023	\$ 544.00
1 st collection	9/3/2023	\$3789.00
2 nd collection	9/3/2023	\$ 605.00

Thank you for your continued support and generosity.

PARISH NEWS

ST. CECILIA'S SUMMER FESTIVAL
Join Us! *is back!*
September 17th, 1 PM - 8 PM

- **GAMES FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY**
Juegos para toda la familia
- **BOUNCING HOUSES FOR THE CHILDREN**
Casa inflables para todos los niños
- **FOOD FROM ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD**
Ventas de comida de todos los paises
- **RAFFLES**
Rifas
- **LIVE DJ WITH LIVE MUSIC**
Musica en vivo
- **FOLK DANCES**
Danzas tradicionales

iAcompañenos!
 120 Kearny Ave, Kearny, NJ 07032 Behind the church in our parking lot

Events—What's on the Church Calendar

Monday 9/11	1:00 PM- 4:00 PM	Rosary Society	Convent Basement
Tuesday 9/12	7:30 PM- 9:00 PM	Spanish Prayer Group	Church Basement
Friday 9/15	6:30 PM- 7:30 PM	Adoration to the Blessed Sacrament	Church
	7:30 PM- 9:30 PM	English Bonds of Marion Love Prayer Group	Rectory Basement
	7:30 PM- 9:30 PM	Spanish Bonds of Marian Love	Church Basement
	7:30 PM- 9:30 PM	HSMK Spanish Rosary	Chapel
Saturday 9/16	9:00 AM	Martha's Cleaning	Church

Religious Education

Faith Formation classes begin on Sunday, September 24th at 9:00 AM.

Parents please mark your calendars:

Faith Formation Parent Meeting on Monday, September 18th at 7 PM in the Church Basement. This is a mandatory meeting for all parents.

If you can offer your time and talent, volunteers are needed to help at Faith Formation: Catechists, Catechist Aides, and Crossing Guards. Please stop by the Parish Office to pick up a Volunteer Form.

Perpetual Candles

The Perpetual candles are located at the side altar of the Church, and are labeled with your special intention. The candles remain lit for one year. The offering is \$75.00. Please come to the Parish office to make arrangements.

Food Pantry Network of Kearny

We are no longer accepting food donations at St. Cecilia Church. Please do not leave donations at the Parish Center. If you would like to donate any non-perishable food items, you may bring it to the Kearny Food Pantry Network located at 663 Kearny Avenue, Kearny. Please call before you bring your donation at (201) 991-3513. Thank you for your cooperation.

New Changes in September:

- Baptisms will be held on Saturday at 11:00AM. Parents and Godparents will be notified of date of Baptism class.
- The Parish Center Office will be open Monday through Thursday 9AM to 5PM, Fridays 9AM to 12PM, and Sunday 9:30AM to 1:30PM. The office will be closed on Saturday.
- The daily 12:00 PM Mass will be celebrated in the Chapel.
- The 8am Mass on Saturday is discontinued.
- Confessions will be held on Saturdays from 4:00 PM—5:00 PM in the Church.
- Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is held on Fridays at 6:30 PM—7:30 PM in the Church.

We thank you for your support and understanding.

NOTICIAS PARROQUIALES / NOTÍCIAS DA PARÓQUIA

Educación Religioso

Clases comienzan el 24 de Septiembre a las 9:00 AM.

Reunión Mandatorio para los padres de Formación de Fe (Catecismo de niños):

Lunes, 18 el septiembre a las 7:00 PM en el sótano de la iglesia.

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.

Adoración al Santísimo

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

Festival de Santa Cecilia

Anoten la fecha! El Festival se llevará a cabo el día Domingo, Septiembre 17, para recaudar fondos para la Iglesia. Estamos aceptando donaciones. Favor de llamar al Padre Juan Carlos en la oficina.

Lazos de Amor Mariano

Grupo de Oración se reúne todos los Viernes en el sótano de la Iglesia a las 7:30 PM. Todos son bienvenidos.

Nuevos Cambios

-El bautismo en español se celebrará el segundo sábado del mes a las 11 AM. No hay bautismo durante la cuaresma.

-La oficina tiene nuevos horarios. Son los siguientes: lunes a viernes de 9 AM a 5 PM, los sábados la oficina está cerrada, domingos de 9:30 AM a 1:30 PM.

-La misa de las 12 mediodía es celebrada en la capilla.

-No habrá misa a las 8 AM los sábados.

-Confesiones son los sábados de 4:00 PM a 5:00 PM en la Iglesia.

23º DOMINGO DO TEMPO COMUM

A liturgia deste domingo sugere-nos uma reflexão sobre a nossa responsabilidade face aos irmãos que nos rodeiam. Afirma, claramente, que ninguém pode ficar indiferente diante daquilo que ameaça a vida e a felicidade de um irmão e que todos somos responsáveis uns pelos outros. A primeira leitura fala-nos do profeta como uma “sentinela”, que Deus colocou a vigiar a cidade dos homens. Atento aos projectos de Deus e à realidade do mundo, o profeta apercebe-se daquilo que está a subverter os planos de Deus e a impedir a felicidade dos homens. Como sentinela responsável alerta, então, a comunidade para os perigos que a ameaçam. O Evangelho deixa clara a nossa responsabilidade em ajudar cada irmão a tomar consciência dos seus erros. Trata-se de um dever que resulta do mandamento do amor. Jesus ensina, no entanto, que o caminho correcto para atingir esse objectivo não passa pela humilhação ou pela condenação de quem falhou, mas pelo diálogo fraterno, leal, amigo, que revela ao irmão que a nossa intervenção resulta do amor. Na segunda leitura, Paulo convida os cristãos de Roma (e de todos os lugares e tempos) a colocar no centro da existência cristã o mandamento do amor. Trata-se de uma “dívida” que temos para com todos os nossos irmãos, e que nunca estará completamente saldada.

Portal dos Dehonianos

Novas Mudanças a Partir de Setembro

-O festival da Igreja de Santa Cecília será em 17 de setembro de 2023 para arrecadar fundos para a igreja.

-Os batismos serão realizados no sábado às 11h.

-A missa diária das 12h será celebrada na Capela.

-Não haverá mais a missa das 8h no sábado.

-Sacramento da Reconciliação todos os sábados às 4:00 PM-5:00 PM.

Adoração do Santíssimo

Unase a nosotros para a Adoração do Santíssimo Sacramento nas vésperas das 6:30 PM às 7:30 PM.

Batismos

O batismo em português será celebrado no 1º sábado de cada mês, às 11h. Não há batismo durante a Quaresma.