

Mary Mother of God Church



Clergy

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Dcn. Salvatore Bonfiglio & Dcn. William Chirinos*

Parish Mission Statement

*To grow and develop our faith through word and sacrament as a people of God, loving each other,
inspired by the love of God for us. "Love one another as I have loved you." - John 13:34*

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157 S. Triangle Rd., Hillsborough, New Jersey
Parish Office: 908-874-8220, Website: marymotherofgod.org*

Fourth Sunday of Easter - April 21, 2024



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Church

Mary Mother of God Church is open daily from 6:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. for prayer and meditation.

Daily Mass

Monday: Rosary prayed 7:00 p.m.; 7:30 p.m. Mass with Miraculous Medal Novena.
Tuesday through Saturdays: Rosary prayed 8:00 a.m., Mass at 8:30 a.m. followed by praying the Chaplet of the Divine Mercy. Daily Mass is celebrated in the Church.

Weekend Mass

Saturday: 5:00 p.m., 6:30 p.m. Spanish Mass (Both Masses are livestreamed.)
Sunday: 7:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 10:30 a.m., and 12 Noon. (The 10:30 a.m. Mass is livestreamed.)

Holy Day Mass

Vigil: 7:00 p.m.
Holy Day: 8:30 a.m., 12:10 p.m.

Penance/Reconciliation

Saturday: 2:30-3:30 p.m. - Celebrated in the Church or by appointment (Please call the Parish Office).

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Friday 9:00 a.m. through Sunday 10:00 a.m. - Chapel

Parish Office Hours

Monday - Thursday: 9:15 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
(closed 12:00 p.m.-1:00 p.m. for Lunch)
Friday: Closed

Religious Education Office

Please call Deacon Chris Conroy in the Religious Education Office at 908-874-8604 or email him at Dre@marymotherofgod.org to register your child(ren).

Pre-School/Kindergarten Enrichment

Our dedicated and knowledgeable faculty are committed to providing a quality experience focused on faith, family and community. Please call the Parish Office to register your child(ren).

Iglesia

La iglesia, Maria, Madre de Dios está abierta diariamente de 6:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. para la oración y la meditación.

Misa Diarias

Lunes, Rosario 7:00 p.m.; 7:30 p.m. con Novena a la Medalla Milagrosa.
Martes a Sábados: Rezo del Rosario a las 8:00 a.m., Misa a las 8:30 a.m. seguido rezo a la Divina Misericordia. Misa diaria celebrada en la iglesia.

Misas de Fin de Semana

Vigilia del sábado: 5:00 p.m. Misa Español: 6:30 p.m.
Domingo: 7:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 10:30am y 12:00pm.
Liturgia de los niños 10:30 a.m.

Misas de día Preceptos

Vigilia: 7:00 p.m.
Día sagrado: 8:30 a.m. y 12:10 p.m.

Confesiones/Reconciliación

Sábados al final de la Misa en Español o para hacer una cita llamar a la oficina Parroquial.

La Adoración del Santísimo Sacramento

Viernes de 9:00 a.m. a domingo 10:00 a.m. - Capilla

Oficina Parroquial

Lunes a Jueves: 9:15 a.m.- 4:30 p.m.
(cerrado 12:00 p.m.-1:00 p.m.)
Viernes: Oficina estara cerrada

Educación religiosa (Catecismo)

Para más informes Diacono Chris Conroy a DRE@marymotherofgod.org O llamar 908-874-8604

Pre-School y Kindergarten Enrichment

Nuestros expertos y dedicados profesores están comprometidos a proporcionar una experiencia de calidad centrada en la fe, la familia y la comunidad. Llame a la oficina parroquial para registrar a su(s) hijo(s).

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Mass Schedule

This Week's Daily Bible Readings

MONDAY, April 22, St. Adalbert of Prague

7:30 p.m. Rev. Peter Nolan
r/o Edward & Bernice Gorka, Tara & Dan Salstein

TUESDAY, April 23, St. George

8:30 a.m. George Sheeley
r/o Kile-Kelly Family

WEDNESDAY, April 24, St. Fifelis of Sigmaringen

8:30 a.m. Fidela Arribe
r/o Arribe Family

THURSDAY, April 25, Mark

8:30 a.m. Walter Blazejewski
r/o Dolores Blazejewski

FRIDAY, April 26, St. Pedro de San José Betancur

8:30 a.m. Peter Maresca
r/o Maria Maresca

SATURDAY, April 27, St. Louis Mary Grignon de Montfort

8:30 a.m. John & Leona Coabay
r/o Daughter, Christine

5:00 p.m. For the People of the Parish

6:30 p.m. Por el alma de Ismael Soriano Garcia
r/o Familia Marin

SUNDAY, April 28, Fifth Sunday of Easter

7:30 a.m. Rudolph Neri
r/o Regina Neri

9:00 a.m. Nicholas Pepe
r/o Pepe Family

10:30 a.m. John Julius, Jr.
r/o Eva Julius

12:00 p.m. Helen L. Turner
r/o Helen A. Turner

Please keep all those listed above in your prayers. Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace.

Sunday
Acts 4:8-12;
1 Jn 3:1-2;
Jn 10:11-18

Monday
Acts 11:1-18;
Jn 10:1-10

Tuesday
Acts 11:19-26;
Jn 10:22-30

Wednesday
Acts 12:24—13:5a;
Jn 12:44-50

Thursday
1 Pt 5:5b-14;
Mk 16:15-20

Friday
Acts 13:26-33;
Jn 14:1-6

Saturday
Acts 13:44-52;
Jn 14:7-14

Please Remember the Following in Your Prayers:

We ask God's blessing for the strengthening and healing of our sick, our recovering, and our homebound.

Ellie Byra & Family
Nazario Caballero
Yiu Chin
Leila Colbie
Peg Curry
George Luis Desouza
Huygen Dang Dietrich
Brian Fine
Beth Gaspar
Tom Hewitt
Sandy Kwietniak
Ana Lobelo
JP Machala
Judith Mandia
Theia Maria
Martin McNally

Francisco Melendez
Christine Metzger
Zsolt Mihalyfalvi
Adisyn Moffet
Conrad Mueller
Cannella Mullins
Joan Mullins
Jennifer Murawski-Munoz
Margaret O'Leary
Susan Pasinski
Rafael Sanchez
Larry Scorben
Elizabeth Stroup
Nellie Sun
Aileen Xue
Michele Zayle

All names will remain on the list for 4 weeks
unless otherwise requested.

Please Note: If you see that the name of your loved one has been removed, and you desire that it be put back on the list, please contact the parish office at 908-874-8220, Ext. 300. His or her name will once again be placed on the list and will remain there for four weeks. We appreciate your patience and understanding.

Sanctuary Candles

The Blessed Virgin Mary candle in the Church will be lit this week for the deceased members of the Mezey Family at the request of the Ryan Family.

The St. Joseph candle in the Church will be lit this week for the deceased members of the Ryan Family at the request of the Ryan Family.

The Blessed Virgin Mary candle in the Chapel will be lit this week for James Lyaen at the request of the Ryan Family.

The Blessed St. Joseph candle in the Chapel will be lit this week for the sick of the Parish.

The Altar Flowers in the Church this week will be for Peter Maresca at the request of Maria Maresca.

If you would like to request a sanctuary candle in the Church and or Chapel, please contact the parish office at 908-874-8220.

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"I am the good shepherd. A good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep... I am the good shepherd, and I know mine and mine know me, just as the Father knows me and I know the Father and I will lay down my life for the sheep... This is why the Father loves me, because I lay down my life in order to take it up again."

First Reading: Acts 4:8-12

Peter explains to the elders that his healing of a cripple was done in the name of Jesus Christ. He reminds the elders that they crucified Jesus, but God rose him up so that all people could be saved in his name.

Second Reading: 1 John 3:1-2

John expresses amazement at the fact that God allowed us to be called his children. Although we are unsure exactly what we will be after this life, we do know that we will see God as he is and be like him.

Gospel: John 10:11-18

Jesus speaks of a shepherd working only for pay, with no real concern for the sheep being well cared for. But Jesus is our shepherd and would lay down his own life for all those in his flock. God loves him for his willingness to sacrifice himself for the sake of all God's children.

Cuarto Domingo de Pascua

"Yo soy el buen Pastor. El buen Pastor da su vida por las ovejas ... Yo soy el buen Pastor: conozco a mis ovejas, y mis ovejas me conocen a mí –como el Padre me conoce a mí y yo conozco al Padre– y doy mi vida por las ovejas ... El Padre me ama porque yo doy mi vida para recobrarla."

Primera Lectura: Hechos 4:8-12

Pedro explica a los ancianos que curó a un lisiado en nombre de Jesucristo. Les recuerda a los ancianos que ellos crucificaron a Jesús, pero que Dios lo resucitó para que todos pudieran ser salvados en su nombre.

Segunda Lectura: 1 Juan 3:1-2

Juan expresa asombro por el hecho de que Dios nos permite llamarnos sus hijos. A pesar de que no estamos exactamente seguros de qué seremos después de esta vida, sabemos que veremos a Dios y que seremos como El.

Evangelio: San Juan 10:11-18

Jesús habla de un pastor trabajando sólo por la paga, sin preocuparse sinceramente en cuidar bien de las ovejas. Pero Jesús es nuestro pastor y daría su vida por cualquier oveja de su rebaño. Dios ama a Jesús por haber permitido sacrificarse por el bien de los hijos de Dios.



Please Remember the Military in Your Prayers:

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| Lt. Col. Christopher M. Wagner U.S. Marine Corps | T/Sgt. Jared A. Carluen U.S. Air Force |
| Lt. Col. Kathryn E. Wagner U.S. Marine Corps | SSgt. Maria Jose Urquilla U.S. Air Force |
| Lt. Jeremy Shipley U.S. Marine Corps | Cdr. Robert Uniszkiwicz U.S. Navy |
| Lcpl. Anthony Mazzaferro U.S. Marines Corps | Lt. Anthony P. Jenkins U.S. Navy |
| Lcpl. Gabriel V. Rego U.S. Marine Corps. | Lt. Kiel Von Khan U.S. Navy |
| PFC. Timothy P. Franks, Jr. U.S. Marines Corps | Lt. JG Robert Jenkins, Jr. U.S. Navy |
| Cap. Fatima Aguilar U.S. Army | PO2 Christopher Jordan U.S. Navy |
| Maj. Jennifer Brown U.S. Army | Sr. Chief Kevin Von Khan, U.S. Navy |
| Lt. Nicholas Bierwirth U.S. Army | CSSN Anthonia M. Ibirongbe U.S. Navy |
| Lt. Venroy Forte U.S. Army | SCPO Trevor Rommel-Smith U.S. Navy |
| 1st Lt. Erin Moore U.S. Army | SN Liam Angello U.S. Coast Guard |
| Sgt. Katherine M. Janiec U.S. Army | BM3 Maximilian Franer U.S. Coast Guard |
| Sgt. Christopher LaZaro U.S. Army | |

Prayer For Priestly Vocations

Almighty and Eternal God, in Your unfailing love You provide ministers for Your Church. We pray that more men may hear Your call to serve the Church of Metuchen as priests. Inspire in them a generous response. Grant them courage and vision to serve Your people. May their lives and service as Men of the Eucharist call Your people to respond to the presence of Jesus Christ so that we may all be reconciled to God, announce glad tidings to the poor, proclaim liberty to captives, set prisoners free and renew the face of the earth. Amen.

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| Mr. Jonathan Abouhayla | Rev. Mr. Larry Magdasoc |
| Mr. Marco Barcenaz | Rev. Mr. David Malik |
| Rev. Mr. Steven John Bolton, C.O. | Mr. Jacob Miller |
| Mr. Anthony Echezona Ejie | Mr. Jerome Ocampo |
| Mr. Luke Fuller | Mr. Thomas Pluhar |
| Rev. Mr. Randy J. Gamboa | Mr. James Prumos |
| Rev. Mr. Ban Thien "Joseph" Ho | Mr. Patrick Rasimowicz |
| Mr. Luis De Jesus | Mr. Bruce Cargill |
| Mr. Justin Lang | Mr. David Watchorn |
| Rev. Mr. Ai Van "Peter" Phan | Mr. John Kalajian |

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Audio Visual Ministry

The Audio/Visual Ministry is urgently looking for new members to assist in the services we provide to our Parish. We need volunteers in all areas and will train (Content Creation, Equipment operations during mass and special events, technical support of our equipment and streaming services). Members of the AV Ministry will be available after all masses on April 20th and 21st or please contact Jim Fox at audiovisual@marymotherofgod.org.

Hospitality Ministry

Volunteers are greatly needed to help usher at the 12 noon Mass. If you are interested please contact Scott Morrissey at Scottm1432@comcast.net or you can speak to any of the ushers after Mass.

Full-Time Opportunity

Bi-Lingual Communication Person

There are few parishes that can claim to be multicultural. Here at Mary Mother of God we are proud of our culture and our devotion to our Blessed Mother, Mary. Mary Mother of God currently has a full-time opportunity for a bi-lingual (English & Spanish) person. If you have a background in communication, using social media platforms and are looking for an opportunity to further support and enhance your local parish, give us a call to discuss further or send your resume to the Parish Office. We look forward to hearing from you.

Extraordinary Ministers

Have you felt called to serve our Lord in a most special way? Eucharistic Ministry may be the answer. Training dates are on April 20, July 13, and October 19. All training will be held in the church from 9:30-11:00 a.m. If you are interested in being part of this beautiful ministry please call the parish office at (908)874-8220, ext. 300.

Women's Ministry

Feel like your prayer life needs a boost

Join the Women's Ministry on Wednesday, April 24th at 7:30 pm in St. Francis Hall for Practical Prayer. Deacon William and Mai Chirinos will explore different prayer types with us to help us deepen and enrich our connection with Our Lord.

Monthly Offering

Thank you very much for your continued support of our Parish family! If you would like to begin On-Line Giving, please see the Home Page of our website or call the Parish Office for assistance.

| MONTH ENDED | COLLECTION | | | FAVORABLE (UNFAVORABLE) |
|-------------|------------|--------|--------|-------------------------|
| | ORDINARY | 2ND | TOTAL | |
| JAN | 64,650 | 9,928 | 74,578 | -7% |
| FEB | 59,713 | 10,436 | 70,149 | -12% |
| MAR | 82,262 | 13,426 | 95,688 | 20% |
| 3-Month Avg | 68,875 | 11,263 | 80,138 | 0% |

2024 Bishop's Annual Appeal

STAY WITH US, LORD:

Thank you to all who have given so generously to the 2024 Bishop's Annual Appeal. If you have not made a pledge, there is still time to participate. Mail your gift to: Diocese of Metuchen Bishop's Annual Appeal, PO Box 4000, Metuchen, NJ 08840-4000 or give online at <https://diometuchen.org/BAA>.

Eucharistic Miracle

During this period of National Eucharistic Revival in the Catholic Church, each week we present a brief story of the many Eucharistic miracles that have occurred over the centuries.

On Holy Thursday in 1643, in the town church of Pressac, France, there was a fire in the church. A chalice in which a consecrated Host had been placed almost completely melted down. All that remained was the base of the chalice on which had formed a tin bubble, under which the Host was found completely intact. Because in those days, the Liturgy dictated that only one consecrated Host could be reserved in the ciborium, the Host was consumed the next morning during the Divine Office of Good Friday. There are many documents which testify to this miracle in existence today. Also, the stained-glass windows of the church of Pressac depict the miracle.

May Crowning

The Rosary Altar Society's May Crowning will be held on Sunday, May 19 at the 10:30 mass. Any students making their First Holy Communion are invited to participate in this mass in honor of the Blessed Mother. Please contact Linda Pacifico at 908-359-3997 for information and signups.

Outreach Ministry

The Outreach Ministry is sponsoring an event on Friday May 3. There will be a Holy Hour in the church from 7-8 pm and then a chat with Msgr. Joe in Holy Spirit Hall from 8-9 pm. The topic is to be determined but all parishioners are invited and refreshments will be served.

Flowers for Mom

Bridgewater Commons, Main Level, next to Vans

Thursday, April 25 between 5:30pm - 7:30pm

A free event, children can decorate pots and plant flowers for their moms! Light dinner provided.

Sponsored by Pioneer Family Success Center and the Hillsborough Interfaith Community Network

Cuarto Domingo de Pascua - 21 de abril 2024

Avisos Parroquiales

A los nuevos feligreses por favor registrarse visitando la Secretaría durante horas de oficina y/o asistir a la próxima reunión de Registración Parroquial, durante el Café social ofrecido en español los últimos sábados del mes, después de misa.

Necesitamos Servidores y Voluntarios para la Iglesia

Invitamos a todos los feligreses a participar o unirse a los grupos parroquiales hispanos de servidores de nuestra parroquia. Mas informe con Rafael Soto o María Cristina Antonio.

Ministerio Audiovisual

El Ministerio Audiovisual está buscando urgentemente nuevos miembros para ayudar en los servicios que brindamos a nuestra Parroquia. Necesitamos voluntarios en todas las áreas y los capacitaremos (Creación de contenido, Operaciones de equipos durante eventos masivos y especiales, soporte técnico de nuestros equipos y servicios de transmisión). Los miembros del Ministerio AV estarán disponibles después de todas las misas del 20 y 21 de abril o comuníquese con Jim Fox al audiovisual@marymotherofgod.org.

Oportunidad de tiempo completo

Persona de comunicación bilingüe

Hay pocas parroquias que puedan presumir de ser multiculturales. Aquí en María Madre de Dios estamos orgullosos de nuestra cultura y nuestra devoción a nuestra Santísima Madre, María. María Madre de Dios actualmente tiene una oportunidad de trabajo tiempo completo para una persona bilingüe (inglés y español). Si tiene experiencia en comunicación, uso de plataformas de redes sociales y está buscando una oportunidad para apoyar y mejorar aún más su parroquia local, llámenos para discutir más a fondo o envíe su currículum a la Oficina Parroquial. Esperamos tener noticias suyas.

Coronación de mayo

La Coronación de Mayo de la Sociedad del Altar del Rosario se llevará a cabo el domingo 19 de mayo en la misa de las 10:30. Todos los estudiantes que hagan su Primera Comunión están invitados a participar en esta misa en honor a la Santísima Virgen. Comuníquese con Linda Pacifico al 908-359-3997 para obtener información e inscribirse

Las Mil Ave Marías

Primer Sábado de cada mes comenzado a las 8:30 am con la Santa Misa, en la Capilla frente al Santísimo Sacramento. Mas información con Ana Cabral 732-648-8215

Mas informes en nuestro sitio Web
marymotherofgod.org/espanol

Liturgia Infantil

Justo antes del comienzo de la liturgia durante la Misa, los niños serán llamados al altar y luego se dirigirán a la Capilla. Durante 15 a 20 minutos, aprenderán sobre el Evangelio de esa semana a un nivel que ellos entiendan fácilmente. Después de las oraciones de los fieles, los niños volverán a Misa. Consulte la página de Liturgia de los Niños en el sitio web de la parroquia para obtener más información. ¡El Equipo de Liturgia Infantil espera ver a los niños pronto!

La Virgen María Visita Los Hogares

Durante todas las misas hispanas tendremos la imagen de la Virgen de Fatma dispuesta a visitar los hogares por una semana, acompañando su presencia con el rezo diario del Santo Rosario. Si está interesado en llevar a la Virgen a su Casa por favor registrar el nombre de su familia al final de cada misa. **M.s informes con Walter Jiménez.**

Grupo de Oraciones

Hora Santa -Los Primeros Viernes del Mes

Únase a su Santa presencia de 7:00 p.m. a 8:00 p.m. La Hora Santa incluye Adoración del Santísimo Sacramento, Exposición, Bendición, el Santo Rosario, Meditaciones, oraciones y canto, Si esta interesado en dirigir un misterio del Rosario en Español por favor comunicarse con office@marymotherofgod.org.

Adoración del Santísimo Sacramento

¿Estás pensando en pasar un tiempo de oración tranquilo con el Señor? Si escuchas el llamado del Señor, el Ministerio de Adoración está buscando adoradores. Comuníquese con la Sra. Helen Heffler al 908-359-8975

Catecismo para adultos/RCIA en español

Usted o alguien que conoce está interesado en convertirse en miembros de la iglesia católica? ¿Es usted un católico que se bautizó pero nunca recibió los sacramentos de la reconciliación, la Santa Comunión o la confirmación? Si es así, y desea recibir los sacramentos comuníquese con: Rosi Castro al teléfono 908-698-2944 o al correo electronico rosicastrovalverde@gmail.com

Rosario Al Divino Niño

Todo tercer miércoles del mes a las 7 p.m. en la Capilla. Mas información con Melba Bossa 908-644-7420 o Carolina Burgos 917-721-1363.

Encuentro Matrimonial Mundial

Es un fin de semana esnagado para darle las parejas casadas la oportunidad de examinar sus vidas y ayudarles a comunicarse mejor. Informes con María Zaira & Oscar Quirós. 908-642-6644. Mas Informes 201-707-8583.

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**SOMERSET COUNTY
NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER
THURSDAY, MAY 2, 2024**

**Somerset County-Historic Courthouse Steps
E. Main & Grove Streets, Somerville
6:30 pm - 7:30 pm**

**LIFT UP THE WORD
LIGHT UP THE WORLD.**

2 Samuel 22:29-31

**Join us as we gather to pray for our nation.
Bring your lawn chair and your neighbor!**

Help stock **Feeding Hands Food Pantry**
(www.feedinghandspantry.org), bring non-perishable food items:

SUGGESTIONS:

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| Cookies & Crackers | Peanut Butter |
| Tuna Fish or Canned Spam | Jelly |
| Hot or Cold Cereal | Juice |
| Mac & Cheese | Drinks |
| Canned Fruit/Soup/Foods | Pasta |
| Baby Diapers/Wipes | Deodorant |
| Shampoo/Conditioner | Paper Towels |



A Love Offering will be taken; proceeds will go to the
PIONEER Family Success Center and to defray event costs.



For inclement weather we will meet at the **Evangel
Chapel, Bridgewater** (505 NJ-28, Bridgewater) @7:00pm

*More Info: Rev. Tim Wolf, 908.281.9535 or
pastortim@newhorizonchurchag.com
www.facebook.com/NDPSomersetCountyNJ*

*Sponsored by the National Day of Prayer Task Force in
Colorado Springs, CO, a non-profit group organized by volunteers.*

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NATIONAL Eucharistic Pilgrimage

DIOCESE OF METUCHEN | MAY 27-28, 2024

The St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Route of the National Eucharistic Pilgrimage will begin in New Haven, Connecticut, and will pass through the Diocese of Metuchen on May 27-28, 2024.



MAY 27, 2024 PRAISE AND WORSHIP & ALL NIGHT VIGIL

Please join us in welcoming the National Eucharistic 'Perpetual Pilgrims' at The Cathedral of St. Francis of Assisi, 548 Main Street, Metuchen, NJ 08840 for a night of prayer and thanksgiving



MAY 28, 2024 MORNING PILGRIMAGE & DAILY MASS

Please join the 'Perpetual Pilgrims' as they travel from The Cathedral of St. Francis of Assisi to St. Peter the Apostle University and Community Parish, 98 Somerset Street, New Brunswick, NJ 08901



MAY 28, 2024 AFTERNOON PILGRIMAGE & EUCHARISTIC MIRACLES

Please join the 'Perpetual Pilgrims' as they travel from St. Peter the Apostle University and Community Parish to St. Augustine of Canterbury Parish, 45 Henderson Rd, Kendall Park, NJ 08824

During these two days, the Diocese of Metuchen will welcome the National Eucharistic 'Perpetual Pilgrims' as they process from the Cathedral of St. Francis of Assisi, Metuchen, to St. Peter the Apostle University and Community Parish, New Brunswick, and St. Augustine of Canterbury in Kendall Park. We encourage you to **eat, pray, and walk** with them as they witness to the world that Jesus is here, present in the most Blessed Sacrament, and that He accompanies us - all of us - on our pilgrimage in life.

VISIT WWW.DIOMETUCHEN.ORG/NEP2024

PLEASE VISIT OUR WEB SITE OR SCAN THE QR CODE TO REGISTER FOR THESE EVENTS SPONSORED BY THE NATIONAL EUCHARISTIC PILGRIMAGE AND THE DIOCESE OF METUCHEN. The Diocese of Metuchen's participation in the National Eucharistic Pilgrimage is being organized by the Secretariat for Evangelization and Communication. Questions? Contact Adam Carlisle, Secretary for Evangelization and Communication, at acarlisle@diometuchen.org



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HIGHWAY TO HEAVEN

An Italian teen who wore a track suit and tennis shoes, who enjoyed playing soccer and loved going to Mass, is on the path to sainthood and could become the first millennial saint.

Blessed Carlo Acutis inspired those around him, including his own mother. He had a deep faith, generous heart, and was known for going out of his way to help those in need. He came to the rescue of kids being picked on, bought sleeping bags for the homeless, and used his computer knowledge to share his deep love for the Eucharist.

The gifted computer programmer created a website documenting Eucharistic miracles around the globe. He went to daily Mass and made a Holy Hour in prayer before the Blessed Sacrament as often as possible. He called the Eucharist his "Highway to Heaven." On his website he wrote: "The more often we receive the Eucharist, the more we will become like Jesus, so that on this Earth we will have a foretaste of Heaven."

In 2006, the teen who impacted the faith of many through the witness of his life died at the age of 15, just weeks after being diagnosed with acute promyelocytic leukemia. He offered his suffering for Pope Benedict XVI and for the Catholic Church.

On [February 22, 2020], Pope Francis announced that a miracle attributed to the intercession of Blessed Carlo Acutis had been approved. This cleared the way for his beatification on October 10, 2020.

The Little Black Book, Lent 2024, February 22, 2024 meditation



AUTOPISTA AL CIELO

Un adolescente italiano que llevaba un chándal y zapatillas de tenis, que disfrutaba jugando al fútbol y le encantaba ir a misa, está en el camino hacia la santidad y podría convertirse en el primer santo milenario.

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El talentoso programador informático creó un sitio web que documenta los milagros eucarísticos en todo el mundo. Iba a Misa todos los días e dedicaba una Hora Santa en oración ante el Santísimo Sacramento tan a menudo como era posible. Llamó la Eucaristía su "Camino al Cielo." En su sitio web escribió: "Cuanto más a menudo recibamos la Eucaristía, más llegaremos a ser como Jesús, para que en esta Tierra tengamos un anticipo del Cielo."

En el 2006, el adolescente que impactó la fe de muchos a través del testimonio de su vida murió a la edad de 15 años, pocas semanas después de ser diagnosticado con leucemia promielocítica aguda. Ofreció su sufrimiento por el Papa Benedicto XVI y por la Iglesia Católica.

En este día [22 de febrero, 2020], el Papa Francisco anunció que se había aprobado un milagro atribuido a la intercesión del Beato Carlo Acutis. Esto despejó el camino para su beatificación el 10 de octubre, 2020.

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