

St. Mark's Catholic Church

Fr. Miguel Virella, SVD, Pastor Fr. Miguel Valle, Parochial Vicar Dr. Joseph V. Stillo, Deacon Michael Keary, Deacon

Rectory Hours

Monday-Friday 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM

Weekend Masses

Saturday 4:30 PM Sunday 8 AM, 10 AM, and 12 Noon 5PM in Spanish

Daily Masses Holy Rosary and Divine Mercy Chaplet after Daily Masses

Monday-Friday at 7:30 AM and 11 AM Saturday 7:30 AM Only (No 11 AM Mass on Saturdays)

Devotions and Novenas

Miraculous Medal Novena after daily
Masses on Wednesdays

Eucharistic Adoration on Fridays after 7:30 AM Mass.

Benediction at 10:45 AM 1st Fridays Spanish Adoration beginning at 7 PM.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays 3:30 PM to 4:15 PM and Thursdays after the 7:30 AM and 11 AM Masses

Rectory Office 732-449-6364

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Bulletin	Ext. 114
Religious Education	Ext. 105
Social Concerns	Ext. 108
Spanish Ministry	Ext. 104 or
	Ext. 105
Weddings	Ext. 100

Ministries

Altar Rosary Society	732-528-6948
Bereavement Ministry	718-637-1162
CYO	732-685-6011
Music Ministry	908-415-0212
Rosary Makers	732-245-8405



† This Week's Mass Intentions

Monday, June 9 7:30 AM

† Dorothy Wright by Family

11:00 AM

† George Ed. Meehan by Betsy Smith † Anne Hart by Estate † Joan Wypler by St. Mark's Parish Family

Tuesday, June 10 7:30 AM

† John & Sally Coyne by Robert & Winifred Cavazini Father John Cecero, S.J. by Margaret Azzarella

11:00 AM

† Living & Deceased Members of St. Mark's Social Concerns Ministry

Wednesday, June 11 7:30 AM

† Carol Treger by Estate † Edwin Zipf by Virginia Murphy 11:00 AM

† David McCarthy by Mary McCarthy † William C. Swiderski by Ali Greer

Thursday, June 12 7:30 AM

† Filippo Carnevale by Family

11:AM

† Franco Bertucci by Bertucci Family † Frank Kaminski by John & Maryanne Greene † John McIntyre by St. Mark's Parish Family

Friday, June 13 7:30 AM

† Anthony Passalaqua by Family

11:00 AM

† Jean Judge by Estate † Thomas Gilligan Jr. by Pat & Linda Cavanaugh

Saturday, June 14 7:30 AM

† Jerry Dempsey by John Clasek † Stephen Lackett by Lucretia Malone

4:30 PM

† Dennis Fox by Marybeth & Joe Walsh † William Brown by Brown Family Samantha Nicolaro by Jim & Joleen Lemke & Family

Sunday, June 15 8:00 AM

† Lou Taylor by Amy White † Hildegard MacDonald by Tages Family † Maria F. Ippolito by Aunt B

10:00 AM

† Ellen & Peter O'Day by Patrice O'Day† Robert Coogan by Feldman Family† John Davey by Denise & Wayne Dreyer

12 Noon

People of the Parish 5:00 PM

† Isidrio Alvarado by Alvarado Family



June 8, 2025

Monday Gen 3:9-15, 20 or Acts 1:12-14 Ps 87:1-2, 3 and 5, 6-7 Jn 19:25-34

Tuesday 2 Cor 1:18-22 Ps 119:129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 135 Mt 5:13-16

Wednesday Acts 11:21b-26; 13:1-3 Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4, 5-6 Mt 5:17-19

Thursday 2 Cor 3:15—4:1, 3-6 Ps 85:9ab and 10, 11-12, 13-14 Mt 5:20-26

Friday 2 Cor 4:7-15 Ps 116:10-11, 15-16, 17-18 Mt 5:27-32 Saturday 2 Cor 5:14-21 Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12 Mt 5:33-37

Sunday Prv 8:22-31 Ps 8:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 Rom 5:1-5 Jn 16:12-15.



Thank you! We are so grateful to all those who make a financial sacrifice each week to support our parish and its ministries. We

would especially like to thank all who faithfully use their weekly parish contribution envelopes, as well as those who give online through the Parish Giving program. Your continued generosity and commitment are deeply appreciated.

The collection totals are:

Collection total for May 24/25, 2025 was \$11,589. Collection total for May 25/26, 2024 was \$11,295.

Collection total for May 31/June 1, 2025 was \$14,394. Collection total for June 1/2, 2024 was \$10,556.



St. Mark's Church is wheelchair accessible. There is a ramp on the north side, and an elevator on the south side of the church. Handicapped parking is located in the driveway, the south side of the church, and in front of the church.



Please pray for our sick: Alex Oross, Marilyn Wolf, Regina Shine, Pat Gibbs, Joseph Gallagher, Marilyn Woerner, Ann Lehberger, Joan Trutneff, Kevin Motzenbecker, Kenneth Thorne, Mary Bogan, Patty Accavallo, Donna Brundage, Daniel DeSeno, Thomas Weeks, Jan Soriano, Nadine Piccolo, Patti & John Hillenbrand, Raymond Burghart, Joan Langlois, Robert Czech, Janet Thomas, Bruce Bogan, Sr.

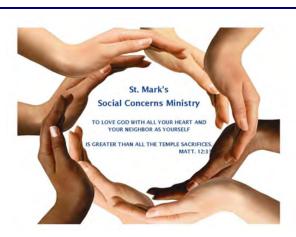
Please Note: Names will remain on the sick list read at mass for 4 weeks and then removed unless the requester calls to remain on the list for another 4 weeks. To ensure the consent of the person whose name appears here, the pastor's policy requires that only they or a family member may request a name be added to this list. Names will remain in the bulletin until the person or family request it be removed.

Eternal Rest grant onto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them.

Please remember in your prayers those of our diocese, parish, friends, and family members who have recently died.

† Edward Ahern

† May the angels lead you into paradise.



Social Concerns Ministry Meeting

Please join us for our final Social Concerns Ministry meeting before our summer break on **Tuesday**, **June 10th at 12:00 noon** in **Father Child's Hall**. Lunch will be served. All are welcome!

IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

June 8: Pentecost Sunday

Our second collection supports our Diocesan Collection. Thank you for your prayerful support.

June 10: Social Concerns Meeting at 12 noon. See details below.

June 15:

- The Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity
- Father's Day-Let us give thanks for all fathers, living and deceased.

June 22: The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

June 29: Our second collection supports the Peter's Pence Collection, which aids the charitable works of our Holy Father, Pope Leo. Thank you for your generosity.

Welcome Back!



We warmly welcome all our residents and visitors joining us this summer! Whether you're here for the season or just passing through, we're grateful to have you worship with us. May your time in our

parish be filled with God's peace and joy.

WORD OF LIFE -- provided by Mary's Child Pro-Life Ministry

"Dearest St. Joseph...Help us to faithfully commit ourselves to the service and defense of human life - especially where it is vulnerable or threatened. Obtain for us the grace to do the will of God in all things. Amen." USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities, "Prayer to St. Joseph, Defender of Life

ACTION CENTER

SUPPORT LOCAL PRO-LIFE ORGANIZATION

Madonna House, located in Neptune, is dedicated to serving women, children and infants by providing clothing, diapers, formula and small household items. They gladly accept donations as well as welcome new volunteers. Call Rebecca @ 732-775-1140.

PRAY THE ROSARY TO OUR LADY OF FATIMA Please join us in prayer at St. Catharine's in Spring Lake at the statue of Our Lady of Fatima on the 13th of every month at 8:30am. Come rain or shine. Our Lady of Fatima told us to repent and say the rosary to bring peace to our country and the world. Over 100 years later we again need her intercession to her Son to help us. Please join us. Prayers are our most powerful weapon against the chaos of evil!

THE MISSION OF MARY'S CHILD PRO-LIFE MINISTRY is to defend the truth of Jesus Christ. Each human being is a gift from God, made in His image and likeness, worthy of dignity, respect, and protection from conception until natural death. We raise our prayers, concerns, and funds in support of this Truth, and we support organizations that consistently live and value the Gospel of Life. If interested in this ministry, contact the rectory for our parish Pro-Life representative.

Visit our websites <u>dioceseoftrenton.org/respect-life-ministry</u> USCCB:usccb.org/prolife OR respectlife.org.

Next Weekend's Ministry Schedule June 14/15, 2025						
	Celebrant	Deacon	Reader	Eucharistic Minister	Usher	
Saturday, 4:30 PM	Fr. Miguel		Sue Hannon	Lynn Jelliff Jack Wright Pat Wright	Anthony Granato Walter Henry Joe Walsh	
Sunday, 8:00 AM	Fr. Valle		Rose Crimmins	Robert Cavazini Dan Crimmins Kelly Uliano	Pat Ahern Leo Hurley Bob O'Neill Glenn Skola	
Sunday, 10:00 AM	Fr. Miguel	Deacon Joe	Mary McLaughlin	Jay Lorenzo Don McLaughlin	Jim Sheridan Rich Siderko	
Sunday, 12:00 PM	Fr. Valle		Jim Welsh	Debbie Cusimano Debbie Dunn Molly McCauley	Richard DeGroote Howard Flood	

Father's Day Rosary

June 10th at 7:00 PM (via Zoom)

All are welcome to join us for a special Father's Day Rosary on Monday, June 10th at 7:00 PM. The theme will be 'Through the Eyes of Joseph.' This virtual gathering will include meditative prayer, beautiful images, and music.

We will also be hosting a Special Intentions Rosary later this summer – stay tuned for details.



They began to speak in different tongues, as the Spirit enabled them, proclaiming the Gospel





Celebrating 50 Years of Faith and Service

The Men's Birthday Club celebrated Msgr. Flynn's 50th Anniversary of Ordination.

The milestone marks five decades of devoted priestly service, leadership, and pastoral care. We give thanks for Msgr. Flynn's enduring commitment to the Church and the community.

CYO News by Mary Reilly



Our heartfelt thanks to St. Mark's Social Concerns Ministry for sponsoring the T-shirts for our fifth annual Emily Walker Memorial Day Walk for Hunger! They were beautiful, and the kids loved them! Also, thanks to our many generous supporters and walkers. Thank you, Cathy, Steve, Jonathan, Tori, Ryan, Jack, and Elena, for your important leadership roles that made our walk a huge success.

Our proceeds benefited the hungry right here in Monmouth County (through the Missionaries of Charity Meals for the Homeless, Fulfill, and the Manasquan Food Pantry). We were also able to support the Christ-like ministries of the Sisters of Mary, who house, educate, and help to heal the child victims of human

trafficking (through their homes Metanoia Manor and World Villages for Children).

Emily's high school friends and parents spoke of her assistance to the hungry—even as a young child. They also spoke of her always defending anyone who was being bullied and how she made sure that on their senior class trip every classmate was made to feel included in everything that was going on.

"The Hunger Walk today for Emily Walker was a beautiful way to celebrate the person she was and what she worked for! I'm so inspired by all the people who showed up today to commemorate her life and everything she did for those around her." —Hannah P, CYO Junior

"Although I never met Emily, listening to her mom talk made me happy that I was there supporting their family to help remember her and help raise money to defeat hunger and support child victims of trafficking." —Ryan C, CYO Freshman

"The King will reply, "Truly I tell you, whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did for me." —Matthew 25:40



When: Sunday, June 22nd, at 7:30 PM

Where: Pier Nine at Belmar Marina (Meet at the golf course)

What: Miniature Golf at 7:30 PM, then walk to the Pier at about 8:15 PM for refreshments

Food Choices: Choose between mozzarella sticks or chicken fingers

Price: \$15 — Please bring exact change. Includes golf, food, soda, and tip

RSVP: Mrs. Reilly at 732-685-6011 or Mary33angels@aol.com by June 17th (*I have to submit the food order—your choice of food—on June 18th*)

Who: St. Mark's CYO members and St. Teresa of Calcutta Youth Ministry *Eighth-grade graduates welcome too!!!!!!!!!!*

Most asked question: Can you bring a friend? **Yes!!!!!**—but they must RSVP too. **Permission slips required.** Have your ride pick you up at Pier Nine Restaurant at **9:00 PM.**

SOCIAL CONCERNS PROGRAMS

FEEDING THE HUNGRY



Are you looking for an easy way to help those in need? Here's one way you can make a difference. St. Mark's Social Concerns Ministry is resuming the Frozen Meals Program for the Center in Asbury Park which was discontinued due to the Covid pandemic. The Center in Asbury Park, Inc., is a volunteer-based New Jersey not-for-profit service organization, providing support services for people living with HIV/AIDS and their caregivers since 1992.

The process is simple! Here's what to do:

- Pick up food trays and lids next to the kitchen refrigerator in Fr. Child's Hall (St. Mark's Church basement)
- Fill the trays with generous portions of food
- Label the tray lids with the contents and date of preparation
- Return the meals to the freezer compartment of the refrigerator in Fr. Child's Hall.

Please use only the trays provided.

St Mark's volunteers will deliver the meals to The Center for distribution to their clients.

Please contact Marybeth or Joe Walsh at 732 449-5656 with any questions. Your participation is greatly appreciated.

COLLECTING TRAVEL SIZE TOILTRIES

Collecting Travel-Size Toiletries

St. Mark's Social Concerns Committee is gathering travel-size toiletry items—such as soap, shampoo, toothpaste, toothbrushes, combs, and more—for distribution to those in need in the Asbury Park area.

Donation containers are located at all church entrances.

Thank you for your generosity and support in helping our neighbors in need!

Mercy Center UPDATE!

Please Note: The Mercy Center is no longer accepting clothing donations, but there is an urgent need for canned soup.

Additional needed items include:

- •Diapers (size 4 and up)
- •Baby wipes
- •Coffee and tea
- •Mayonnaise, mustard, ketchup
- •Salad dressing

Your continued support helps make a real difference in our community. **Thank you for your generosity!**



Reflection by Rev. Leonard N. Peterson

We lovers of classical symphonies are used to long pieces of music ending with a loud crescendo of timpani, or kettle drums. These drums are often seen at the back of the orchestra and called upon by composers to deliver thunderous percussion impact of a kind no other instrument can. You could say the music "ends with a bang."

No doubt that upper room on Pentecost was filled with the sharp clap of thunder, with wind howling until the tongues of fire appeared over the heads of the frightened Apostles. But the "happening" was definitely the end of doubt and the fear that could come with it. All the noise preceded a calm resolution in their hearts to leave their self-imposed isolation and greet the crowd outside with some "Good News." Jesus is alive; He is God; and He has saved us from our sins!

Pentecost marks the end of the long Lent-Easter cycle in the Church year. Ash Wednesday often comes on a dreary day in mid to late February. Pentecost closes matters on a Sunday in May or early June with warm sunshine and flowers.

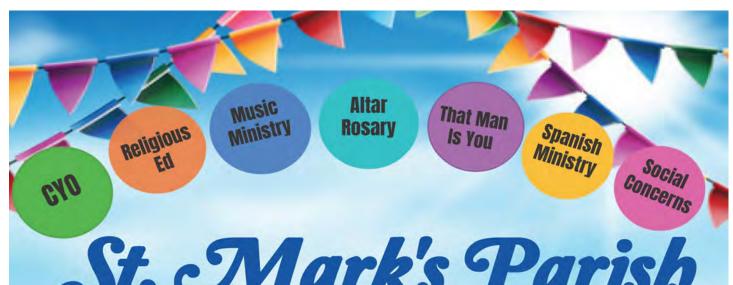
All these centuries later, we still celebrate these central events, up to and including this day. The day that our Church was "born." As the special day that the Holy Spirit came down, not crashing as much as landing on the heads of the first leaders of Christianity. The Spirit comes as Jesus had predicted.

What a thrill the recall of this event should be for us and for all who believe! For we acknowledge ourselves as the Church on earth! We are also members of the Mystical Body, with Christ Himself as our Head.

We can be so proud to realize that the Holy Spirit has never left the Church in all her mixed history of ups and downs. His guidance precludes any lapse of error in her official teachings as she marches through time. However, we must never forget that we are all redeemed sinners, made so by a loving God whose Son's ultimate sacrifice opened the doors of heaven.

Meanwhile, we still have many unanswered questions. Let's not forget that life here below is replete with riddles. One of them is illustrated by this story. Once upon a time, the beloved pastor of the First Baptist Church of Dallas, Texas was asked, "Will we know each other when we get to heaven?" His answer: "We won't really know each other until we get to heaven."

God love you and give you His Pentecost peace.



St. Mark's Parish Festival

FUNDRAISER SUNDAY, JULY 13th 1:00 to 7:00 p.m.



FOOD, BEER

& WINE FOR PURCHASE
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1st prize 65% 2nd prize 25% 3rd prize 10%

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TICKETS: \$25 EACH

DRAWING WILL BE HELD: SUNDAY, JULY 13, 2025

Winner need not be present to win.

FOR MORE INFORMATION OR TO ORDER TICKETS CALL: (732) 449-6364



As part of the Jubilee Year of Hope, our parish will host the traveling image of Our Lady of Hope, which is being shared among local parishes. The image will be present at St. Mark's Church on Saturday, June 13th through Thursday, June 26th. All are welcome to come and spend time in prayer.



Our Lady of Mount Carmel School Registration is Now Open. We are now accepting applications for

the 2025-2026 school year! Our Lady of Mount Carmel School offers a safe,

nurturing environment where faith is woven into daily learning and activities. Now enrolling students in Kindergarten through 6th Grade.

For more information, please call 732-775-8989. Join our school community where faith, learning, and love grow together every day!



CCD REGISTRATION 2025-2026

WWW.STMARKSEAGIRT.COM







All families must be registered at St. Mark's in order to attend our program. We will honor requests for specific days, on a first-come basis, classes fill up quickly, so register early.

Registration Fee is \$120 per child. For students in 2nd & 8t

When registering online, you can sign up your children, select classes & update information. Payments are available by check or by phone. If you need assistance or have trouble registering, please call the office on Monday to Thursday fron 9:30 am to 3:00 pm or email at diana@stmarkseagirt.com

(732) 449-6364 ext. 105





SCAN ME TO REGISTER!



THE DIOCESE OF TRENTON is committed to the initiatives outlined in the U.S. Bishop's Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People in regard to the reporting and investigation of sexual abuse allegations involving minors.

If you have been sexually abused as a minor by a member of the clergy or anyone representing the Catholic Church, or if you know of someone who was, you can report that abuse through the diocesan Abuse Hotline.

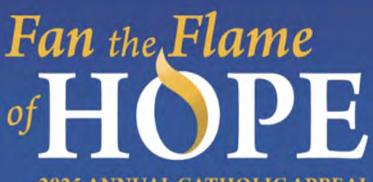
To report the sexual abuse of minors call our hotline 1-888-296-2965 or email us at abuseline@dioceseoftrenton.org

Please note: The Diocese of Trenton reports any allegations of sexual abuse to the appropriate law enforcement agencies. Anyone with an allegation is also encouraged to provide that information to local law enforcement authorities.

VISIT IRELAND WITH FR. BRIAN BUTCH October 13-22, 2025

Escorted Motor Coach Tour. Visit Dublin, Kilkenny, Killarney and Galway! Mass at Our Lady of Knock! For \$3,949 land and air based on double occupancy.

For more information contact: Sherry Callahan's Travel Associates at (732)449-9155.



2025 ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL

OUR GOAL

\$59,000

Join Us in Reaching St. Mark's 2025 Appeal Goal

\$44,200

This year, St. Mark's has been asked to raise \$59,000 for the diocesan annual appeal. Thanks to the generosity of 111 donors, we've already received \$44,200—putting us well on the way to our goal!

Last year, 132 parishioners came together to raise \$47,347—an incredible show of community spirit. With your continued generosity, we believe we can meet—and even surpass—this year's goal.

Every gift, no matter the amount, brings us closer to reaching our target. Your support helps strengthen the mission of St. Mark's and ensures our parish remains vibrant and faith-filled for generations to come.

Thank you for your ongoing support of St. Mark's and the Diocese of Trenton.

With heartfelt thanks, Fr. Miguel

CLICK HERE TO DONATE

Visit https://dioceseoftrenton.org/catholicappeal

Iglesia de "San Marcos" Apostolado Hispano Misa Dominical: Domingo 5:00 p.m.

Padre Miguel Valle, Vicario Parroquial

frvalle@stmarkseagirt.com Teléfono: (732) 449-6364 ext. 116 or 122. Directora del Ministerio de Religión



Diana Zuna

<u>diana@stmarkseagirt.com</u> Teléfono: (732) 449-6364 ext. 105

Calendario de Ministerios						
Domingo, Junio 8, 2025						
Misa 5:00 p.m.						
Celebrante	Padre Miguel					
Lectores	Modesta Garcia					
	Martha Rojas					
Ministros de Eucaristía	Carlos Zuna					
	Margarita Zuna					
	Lidet Cartagena					
Ujieres	Victoria Tenecela					
	Andrea Castro					
	Leodegaria Lopez					
	Bernarda Bautista					
Monaguillos	Roberto Luna					
	Kailey garcia					
	Fatima Garcia					
	Natalie Oseguera					
	Melyssa Reyes					
	Jessica Hernandez					
	Joanna Martinez					

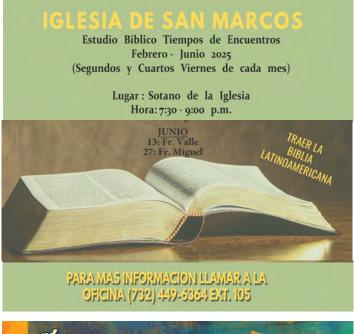
Las inscripciones para la Escuela Nuestra Señora del Monte Carmelo ya está abiertas!

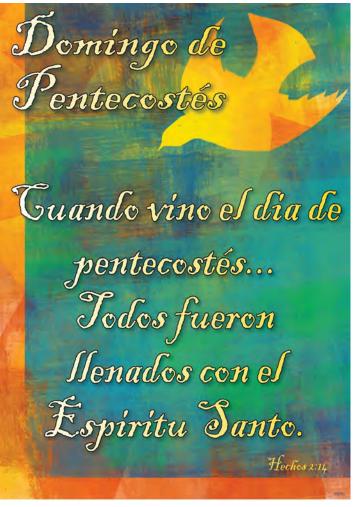
Estaremos aceptando solicitudes para el año escolar 2025-2026!

La Escuela Nuestra Señora del Monte Carmelo ofrece un ambiente seguro y acogedor donde la fe se integra en el aprendizaje y las actividades diarias. Estamos inscribiendo a estudiantes desde kínder hasta sexto grado.

Para más información, llamar (732)775-8989. ¡Únase a nuestra comunidad escolar donde la fe, el aprendizaje y el amor crecen juntos cada día!

Comenzaron a hablar en diferentes lenguas, según el Espíritu les concedía, proclamando el Evangelio







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EL SORTEO SE REALIZARÁ:

DOMINGO: JULIO 13, 2025

Ganadores no necesitan estar presentes

PARA MAS INFORMACION O COMPAR BOLETOS LLAMAR AL: (732) 449-6364 ext. 104.