



Masses For The Week

Saturday, February 4th

8:00 †Purgatorial Society – Henry Carroll, Elizabeth & Floyd DeJohn & Family, Turkowid/Szczepanski Family, J.W. Rogers, Richard H. Southern, Robert Metzner & Family, John Kiel & Family, DeJohn Family, Musseri Family, Valek Family, Malcolm Haggerty, Yoezle Family, Pat Gilmore, Barbara V. Hill, Millicent Schmidt, Michelle Anne Davies, James Beaupied.

Thanksgiving for answered prayer

4:00 †James Kalarovich by daughter Frances

†Pat Gilmore by Jack & Mary Tagye

5:30 †Paul Mahoney by Pat & Dave Cardacin

†Elvia Gahez by Her Daughters

Sunday, February 5th

8:00 †Vincent & Mildred Dellorto

10:00 †Florence Teter by Elaine & Derek Rearden

†John & Frank Bellanti by Al & Janine Nicolano

11:30 Johannes Verboom by Jeannette Verboom

St. Henry's Parishioners & Benefactors

Monday, February 6th

8:00 †Michelle Davei by Maha Mansoir

Tuesday, February 7th

8:00 †Paul Mahoney by Parishioners

Wednesday, February 8th

8:00 Michael Kutner by His Mom

Thursday, February 9th

8:00 †Vic Smitas by His Wife Mary

Friday, February 10th

8:00 †Paul Mahoney by Tessie Rielly & Family

Saturday, February 11th

8:00 †Louis Bariteau by Linda & Georgette

4:00 †Pat Gilmore by Jack & Marie

†George Lane by sister, Jeanne O'Connell

5:30 †Ted Dimasi by Antonietta Galletta

Sunday, February 12th

8:00 St. Henry's Parishioners & Benefactors

10:00 †Marie Lettera by Rosemarie Acquavella Bryan & Margaret Gomes 40th Wedding Anniversary by Joe & Rose Masters

11:30 †Christina Dispenza by neighbors & friends in Bldg. 11, Palm Aire
†John Mahon by Patricia Day

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ:

I write to you concerning an alarming and serious matter that negatively impacts the Church in the United States directly, and that strikes at the fundamental right to religious liberty for all citizens of any faith. The federal government, which claims to be “of, by, and for the people,” has just dealt a heavy blow to almost a quarter of those people – the Catholic population – and to the millions more who are served by the Catholic faithful.

The U.S. Department of Health and Human Services announced last week that almost all employers, including Catholic employers, will be forced to offer their employees' health coverage that includes sterilization, abortion-inducing drugs, and contraception. Almost all health insurers will be forced to include those “services” in the health policies they write. And almost all individuals will be forced to buy that coverage as a part of their policies.

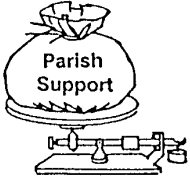
In so ruling, the Administration has cast aside the First Amendment to the Constitution of the United States, denying to Catholics our Nation's first and most fundamental freedom, that of religious liberty. And as a result, unless the rule is overturned, we Catholics will be compelled either to violate our consciences, or to drop health coverage for our employees (and suffer the penalties for doing so). The Administration's sole concession was to give our institutions one year to comply.

We cannot – we will not – comply with this unjust law. People of faith cannot be made second class citizens. We are already joined by our brothers and sisters of all faiths and many others of good will in this important effort to regain our religious freedom. Our parents and grandparents did not come to these shores to help build America's cities and towns, its infrastructure and institutions, its enterprise and culture, only to have their posterity stripped of their God given rights. In generations past, the Church has always been able to count on the faithful to stand up and protect her sacred rights and duties. I hope and trust she can count on this generation of Catholics to do the same. Our children and grandchildren deserve nothing less.

And therefore, I would ask of you two things. First, as a community of faith we must commit ourselves to prayer and fasting that wisdom and justice may prevail, and religious liberty may be restored. Without God, we can do nothing; with God, nothing is impossible. Second, I would also recommend visiting www.usccb.org/conscience, to learn more about this severe assault on religious liberty, and how to contact Congress in support of legislation that would reverse the Administration's decision.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Most Reverend Thomas Wenski
Archbishop of Miami



Thank you for your generous contributions last week to the Offertory Collection which amounted to: \$5,754.35. The second collection amounted to \$662.00.

*from
the
Pastor*

1. The publication of the semiannual financial statements with the current state of the parish was to appear in the parish bulletin in January. In order that our attention would not be diverted from our ABCD Appeals, it was delayed till the first weekend of February. Here it is with this first publication of our parish bulletin. For the benefit of all the members, our Archbishop asks that such publications be made from time to time. Apart from minor weekly and occasional financial statements, the next major publication will be in July or August after the end of the financial year.

2. Here is some information regarding the proposed improvements on our church building. Through our Architect, the Archdiocese is obtaining the necessary clearance and permits from the city of Pompano Beach. The Archdiocesan Project managers are working with the Architect to secure the permits so that work will begin. St. Henry's Building Committee that has a Structural Engineer and a Construction Superintendent as members are anxiously waiting for the go ahead. Meanwhile we all pray for the virtue of patience.

3. ABCD: Please remember that the appeals for contribution to the Archbishop's Charity and Development are ongoing. Our goal this year is \$60,000. The Archbishop thanks us for our marvelous performance last year and hopes we shall do well again this year. I thank those who have sent in their contribution and urge the rest to pick up some envelopes from the bookracks and cheerfully send in whatever amount they can for God loves cheerful givers.

May the Lord bless us all!

Father Francis



SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 2012

THE DOO WOP KIDS

THE DUKE OF DOO-WOP & MARYANN

Doo Wop and classics from the 40's to the 70's with the music of "Mixed Company".

Dancing until 11:00 pm Full Bar!

Doors Open: 5:00 pm - Showtime: 7:30 pm

SHOW & BUFFET: \$40.00 per person

Credit Cards accepted

Walk-ins welcome for show only.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 2012

MIKE MARINO & LOU VILLANO

Mike is New Jerseys bad boy of comedy, the laughs never stop. Lou charms his way into hearts with his themed shows.

Dancing until 11:00 pm Full Bar!

Doors Open: 5:00 pm - Showtime: 7:30 pm

SHOW & BUFFET: \$40.00 per person

Credit Cards accepted

For reservations call 954-785-2450

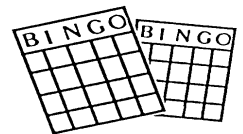
ST. HENRY CCW SUPER BINGO

On Sunday, February 5, 2012

St. Henry's CCW will sponsor Super Bingo in the Parish Hall.

Doors open at 12:30 pm.

Refreshments such as pizza, hot dogs, homemade bakery, soda & coffee will be available. Six Early Bird Games will be played beginning at 1:30 pm. At 2:00 pm Super Bingo begins. The cost is \$20.00 for ten games. Please come and bring your friends!



TAKE NOTE

St. Henry Catholic Church will have a Parish Nurse, Joanne Salvador from Holy Cross Hospital in our office once a week. She will be speaking at all the Masses this weekend to inform our parishioners of the benefits and outreach this will offer them.