

CHURCH OF SAINT VALENTINE

THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

JANUARY 25, 2026



Masses

Saturday Evening ----- 5:30 pm
Sunday ----- 8:00 am, 10:00 am & 12:00 pm
Monday to Saturday in the Chapel 12:00 pm
Holy Days ----- To be Announced

Rectory Office Hours ----- 9:00 am - 2:00 pm
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Served By

Fr. Andrew N. Onyemaobi ----- *Pastor*
Judy Giuliano ----- *Parish Secretary*
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Kevin Amahit ----- *Financial Trustee*
Lisa Campanella ----- *Financial Trustee*
Iris Prcic ----- *Director of Music*
Jean Frucci ----- *Food Pantry Coordinator*

Our Mission Statement

The Roman Catholic Community of Saint Valentine is called to be a visible sign of God's presence in the world. Through celebration of the sacraments, especially through reconciliation and the Eucharist, we are sent out to proclaim and witness to the Gospel by our lives. We are therefore dedicated to serving others within our church, local communities and throughout the world. By loving God, neighbor and self we deepen our response to the Lord and to announce the Good News of salvation through Jesus Christ.

Sacraments

RECONCILIATION (CONFESSION)

At the Church, Saturdays at 12:45pm (after the 12:00pm mass in the Rectory Chapel). During the week, you can call the office to make an appointment with the Priest.

BAPTISMS

Parishioners who want Baptism for their children need to be registered, active members of the Church. The Baptism will be celebrated at the 12:00 Noon Sunday Mass. Parents and Godparents are required to attend a meeting in the Rectory. All Godparents must have received the sacrament of Confirmation.

MATRIMONY

All Catholics should only marry in the Catholic Church. A Catholic marriage requires a time of preparation of at least one year. Therefore, parishioners should meet with the Priest before making any arrangements of date and time, or booking of the banquet.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

If someone needs the sacrament of the sick, please call Fr Andrew Onyemaobi at 973-743-0220. Family members are invited to join in the liturgy of the Sacrament of the Sick.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM

Our program will be held at St. Valentine Church. For further information please reach out to our acting D.R.E.

Mrs. Marta Cirilli-Kuebler at faithformationstval@gmail.com.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, January 24

2nd Collection — Communicating God's Word

12:00pm Bill Jacunski (*Birthday*)
 From: Nannette
 5:30pm Gerry Chanco (Deceased)
 From: Family

Sunday, January 25

2nd Collection — Communicating God's Word

8:00am John Yannuzzi (Deceased)
 From: Dolores
 10:00am Christopher Michael Chalet
 (Death Anniversary)
 From: JoAnn Chalet Furnari
 12:00pm Julio Jaelito S. Robles (*Birthday*)
 From: Elito & Divina

Monday, January 26

12:00pm Cesar Alviar (Deceased)
 From: The Alviar Family

Tuesday, January 27

12:00pm Jose & Priscilla Garcia (Deceased)
 From: Bill & Nannette

Wednesday, January 28

12:00pm Brendan & Marge Feely
 From: Thomas Conlon

Thursday, January 29

12:00pm Colleen & Rena Jacunski (Deceased)
 From: Bill & Nannette

Friday, January 30

12:00 pm Janis Jones (Deceased)
 From: Bill & Nannette

Saturday, January 31

2nd Collection — None

12:00pm Marina Handgretinger (Deceased)
 From: Emma Laurente
 5:30pm Gerry Chanco (Deceased)
 From: Family

Sunday, February 1 Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

2nd Collection — None

8:00am People of the Parish
 10:00am Gerry Chanco (Deceased)
 From: Felino
 12:00pm Gerry Chanco (Deceased)
 From: Corrie & Willie Landicho

THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

First Reading: Isaiah 8:23—9:3

The prophet Isaiah describes the anguish of a conquered people, but he promises that they will triumph and will see a great light as on the "day of Midian."

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 1:10-13, 17

Paul speaks to the Corinthians with both anger and indignation because they are quarreling among themselves as to whom they should show allegiance. Some wish to follow Paul; some, Peter; others Apollos; others, Christ.

Gospel: Matthew 4:12-23

Jesus begins his mission by going to Capernaum, fulfilling the prophecy of Isaiah. He selects Peter, Andrew, James and John as his disciples, inviting them to be "fishers of men." but follow another route to their own country.

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SUNDAY COLLECTION (1/18/26).....

*DUE To the Holiday, numbers will be posted in
The next Bulletin*

TOTAL..... \$

Electronic Giving..... \$ 925.00

*Thank your for your generosity to your
Parish & your continued stewardship.*

NEW PARISHIONERS

If you are new in the parish, we would appreciate it if you register. [Please PRINT clearly and drop in the collection]

Name _____ Address _____

Phone Number _____ E-Mail _____

New Registration Change of Address Moving Out of Parish

< KID'S KORNER >

Gospel Today

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time / Matthew 4:12-23

In today's Gospel, Jesus chose His first disciples at the Sea of Galilee. Brothers Simon Peter and Andrew were the first to be greeted by Jesus, followed by James and John. At once they left their boat and nets to become fishers of men and women with Jesus, as He began His ministry.

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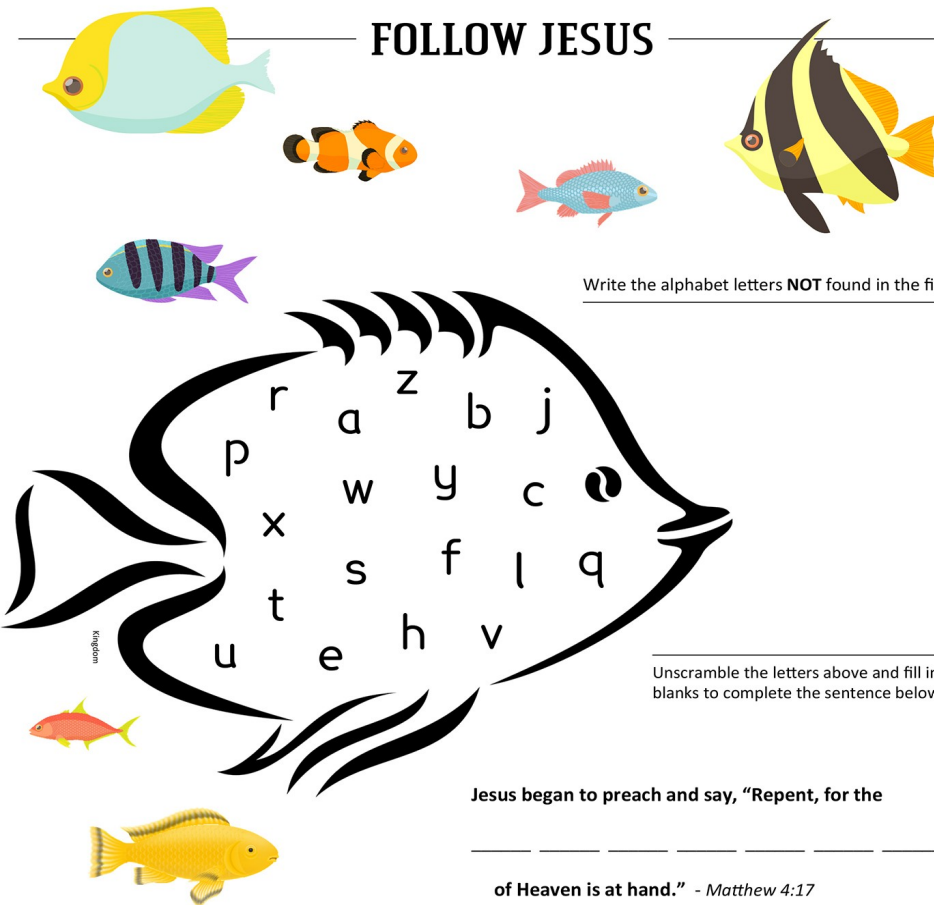
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Brothers James and John left their father Zebedee, their boat and nets, and followed Jesus.

As fishers of men and women, they would now help Jesus gather the people and preach the Good News.



FOLLOW JESUS



Write the alphabet letters NOT found in the fish.

Unscramble the letters above and fill in the blanks to complete the sentence below.

Jesus began to preach and say, "Repent, for the

_____ of Heaven is at hand." - Matthew 4:17

FOOD PANTRY

You can donate :
Cereal, Macaroni & Cheese, Soups,
Canned Vegetables, Tuna, Peanut Butter,
Jelly, and Spaghetti Sauce.
You may bring your donations to the
Vestibule of the Church before Mass or at
the Rectory during office hours.
Thank you for your kind generosity!

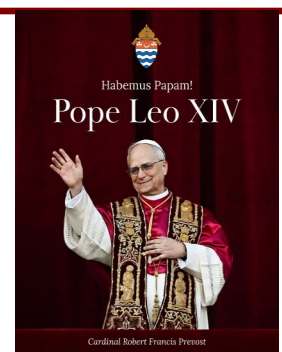


The Pope's Monthly Intentions

JANUARY

For prayer with the Word of God

Let us pray that praying with the Word of God be nourishment for our lives and a source of hope in our communities, helping us to build a more fraternal and missionary Church.



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Saturday, January 24

7:00 pm Santo Nino Novena
7:00pm Neo Catechumenal Eucharist [Chapel]

Sunday, January 25

2:00pm Santo Nino Celebration

Monday, January 26

No events scheduled

Tuesday, January 27

7pm Tricky Tray Meeting

Wednesday, January 28

7:00pm Neo Catechumenal Liturgy of the Word [Chapel]

Thursday, January 29

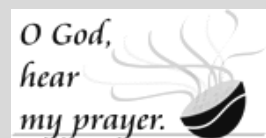
No events scheduled

Friday, January 30

7:00pm St Valentine Prayer Group

Please PRAY For The Healing of those listed :

- ◆ *Anita Juanco*
- ◆ *Jean Frucci*
- ◆ *Cameron Provines*
- ◆ *Janice Mannello*
- ◆ *Rosa Berthachavez Saul*
- ◆ *Damianus Aditya Christie & Joseph*
- ◆ *Nicole Ostering*
- ◆ *Mary Rende,/Faruk, Irfan, Tahsin & Sherit R. & her Sister and for Sema & her family*
- ◆ *Jacob (Maria DaCunha's Grandson)*
- ◆ *Alan Bruce Bradshaw*
- ◆ *Andrea Emilia Bernabey*
- ◆ *Gustavo & Caceres Family*
- ◆ *Rios Family*
- ◆ *Alonso Family*
- ◆ *Santa Cruz Family*
- ◆ *Denise Swantek*



DAILY READING

THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Sunday

Is 8:23-9:3; 1 Cor 1:10—13, 17; Mt 4:12-23

Monday

2 Tim 1:1-8 or Ti 1:1-5; Mk 3:22-30

Tuesday

2 Sm 6:12b-15, 17-19; Mk 3:31-35

Wednesday

2 Sm 7:4-17; Mk 4:1-20

Thursday

2 Sm 7:18-19, 24-29; Mk 4:21-25

Friday

2 Sm 11:1-4a, 5-10a, 13-17; Mk 4:26-34

Saturday

2 Sm 12:1-7a, 10-17; Mk 4:35-41

SAVE THE DATE:

Jan. 27th Tricky Tray Meeting

7pm Rectory

Feb. 2nd Festival Planning Meeting

7pm Rectory





**TODAY
SUNDAY AT
@ 2:00PM**

Santo Nino Fiesta

January 25, 2026, Sunday 2:00 PM
St. Valentine's Church
 125 North Spring Street
 Bloomfield, New Jersey



Novena Prayer Schedules & Sponsors
 January 17 to 25, 2026, starts at 7:00 PM
 Rectory Chapel

- Jan 17 (Sat) Abet & Angelina Dimaculangan
Genia Virtucio
- Jan 18 (Sun) Nick & Eunice Creer & Family
- Jan 19 (Mon) Linda DeLos Reyes & Family
- Jan 20 (Tue) Fatima Prayer Group
- Jan 21 (Wed) Lito & Ivy Santos & Family
- Jan 22 (Thu) Our Lady of Mount Carmel of Passaic
Group
- Jan 23 (Fri) St. Valentine Prayer Group
- Jan 24 (Sat) Teody & Leslie Almario
- Jan 25 (Sun) 1:30 PM (Before the Mass)
Santo Nino Devotees
2:00 PM Procession & Holy Mass

You may join the novena on Zoom at
<https://us02web.zoom.us/join>
 Meeting ID: 885 5598 4619
 Passcode: PRAYER

Fellowship and fiesta celebration will follow at
 St. Valentine's Parish Church Hall
 after the Holy Mass

Mr. Abet & Mrs. Angeline Dimaculangan
 And Ms. Genia Virtucio
 2026 Hermano and Hermanas Mayor

Mr. Teody & Mrs. Leslie Almario
 2025 Hermano and Hermana Mayor

FOR MORE DETAILS AND INFORMATION

Genia Virtucio	973-202-4488	Abet & Angelina Dimaculangan	862-452-0371
Teody & Leslie Almario	908-540-2080	Jun & Marlene Osmo	973-953-5033
St. Valentine's Church	973-743-0220	Lito & Ivy Santos	973-722-4113

Week 3

Update Corner




<https://rcan.org/we-are-his-witnesses/>

Timeline Review

Preparation,
Development, &
Data Collection

Model Feedback,
Consultation,
Discernment, &
Decision Making

Local-level
Discernment,
Planning,
Development, &
Implementation

June 2024 - June 2025
June 2025 - June 2026
Multi-Year Implementation

Now is a moment for prayer, discernment, and preparation. From October through December, more than 420 listening sessions were held across the 212 parishes of the Archdiocese of Newark. The *Modeling Team* is prayerfully reviewing all the feedback received. At the same time, the *Implementation Task Force* is preparing Priests and Archdiocesan staff with the skills and resources needed to envision and embrace these new models. We ask for your prayers for all involved in these workstreams, as well as for all parishioners, priests, and parishes. May we remain open to the guidance of the Holy Spirit and willing to step beyond our comfort zones to ensure the continuation of Christ's mission to proclaim the Good News!

