

# Saint Rocco/Saint Brigid

## Roman Catholic Church



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### Masses

#### The Lord's Day

**Saturday Vigil:** 4:00pm & 6:00 pm (spa)

**Sunday:** 9:00am, 10:30am  
(Spanish) 12:00 noon & 6:00 pm

**Monday to Saturday:** 9:00am

**Tuesday** 6:30 pm (check mass  
schedule),

#### Confessions

Saturday: 3:30pm

after 9am weekdays or by appt

#### Baptism

1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of the month – English

Last Sunday of the month –  
Spanish

#### Sacrament of Marriage

Arrangements should be made  
one year in advance

#### Anointing of the Sick

Please notify the rectory of anyone ill.  
Annual Anointing of the Sick on or near  
the Feast of our Lady of Lourdes

#### Eucharistic Adoration

Adoration Chapel

Mon. through Fri. 9:30 am to 5:00 pm

#### Religious Education and Formation

Sunday: 9:45 am all grades

RCIA Adults

Thurs. & Sunday (sp.) (based on schedule)

**Novena Devotions** – Weekdays after 9am  
mass

Divino Niño: 2do Domingo del mes.  
11:45am

#### Holy Hour

1<sup>st</sup> Friday of the month & 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday of the  
month after 9:00 am mass

### Rev. Joseph D. Girone

Pastor

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Parish Secretary

#### Rita Méndez

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#### Carolyn Angelosante

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### Ministries

#### Food Pantry

1<sup>st</sup> Monday of the month  
9am-11am

#### AA

Mondays 7:00pm

#### Visiting Nursing Homes

Twice a month Saturday  
9:30am-12pm

#### Prayer Chain

Call the rectory with your intentions

#### Rectory Office/Chapel Summer Hours

Mon to Thurs- 10:00am to 5pm

Fridays – 10:00am to 4:00pm

Lunch time 1pm-to 2pm (closed)

Sat & Sun – closed

#### Parish Flea Market

Please check next page

### SOCIETIES

#### Legión de Maria:

Domingos 12:00 pm

#### Club de Oro

Tercer Sábado del mes 2:00pm

#### Women's Prayer Group

Every second Thursday of the Month-6:30pm

#### Charismatic-Prayer Group

Wednesdays-7:30pm

**INTENTIONS OF THE WEEK**

July 15 to July 21, 2017



The Altar Bread, the Altar Wine and the Sanctuary Light are offered for the health of Lina Martinez

**COLLECTION**

SATURDAY, JULY 7 & SUNDAY, JULY 8, 2018

4:00 PM	\$ 193.00
6:00 PM	\$ 337.00
9:00 AM	\$ 402.00
10:30 AM	\$ 715.00
12:00 PM	\$ 446.00
6:00 PM	\$ 275.00

**TOTAL COLLECTION** \$ 2,368.00

Amount budgeted to run parish weekly \$ 3,000.00

**DEFICIT: \$ 632.00**

**PLEASE HELP US REACH OUR WEEKLY GOAL!**

**MY OFFERING IS MY GIFT TO JESUS**  
**MI OFRENDA ES MI REGALO PARA JESUS**



The next Flea Market is on Sunday, August 12  
Call the rectory for more information

El próximo Flea Market será el domingo 12 de agosto  
Para más información llame a la rectoría.



**SATURDAY, JULY 14**

**St Kateri Tekakwitha**

9:00 AM + Rosaura Montalvo Garcia  
4:00 PM – In thanksgiving for Fr Joseph 35<sup>th</sup> anniversary  
6:00 PM – Community Intentions

**SUNDAY, JULY 15**

**FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

9:00 AM + Francesco Amato  
10:30 AM + Emilio Saltos  
12:00 PM + Rosaura Montalvo Garcia  
6:00 PM – For all parishioners

**MONDAY, JULY 16**

**OUR LADY OF MT CARMEL**

9:00 AM + Wilmer & Francisco González

**TUESDAY, JULY 17**

9:00 AM + Wilmer & Francisco González

**WEDNESDAY, JULY 18**

**St Camillus of Lellis**

9:00 AM + Wilmer & Francisco González

**THURSDAY, JULY 19**

9:00 AM + 1<sup>st</sup> yr anniversary of Rita Mazza

**FRIDAY, JULY 20**

**St Apollinaris**

9:00 AM – In honor of the Sacred Heart

**SATURDAY, JULY 21**

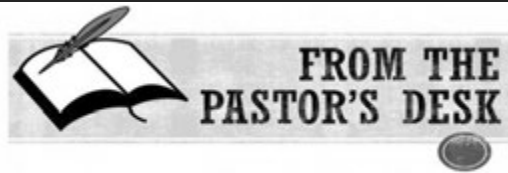
**St Lawrence of Brindisi**

9:00 AM – In honor of the Immaculate Heart  
4:00 PM – In thanksgiving to God  
6:00 PM – Community Intentions

**SUNDAY, JULY 22**

**SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

9:00 AM + Modesta Mendoza  
10:30 AM + Ramón Zoilo Diaz  
12:00 PM + All Souls in Purgatory  
6:00 PM – For all parishioners



### FROM FATHER JOSEPH GIRONE

Sunday August 26<sup>th</sup>, the day when we will celebrate our Patron, St. Rocco, is still a long way off, but we have already begun making preparations for our parish “picnic”. As we did last year, tables and chairs will be set up under tents in the parking lot, and we will begin following the 12PM Mass. Unlike last year, which featured a “Pig Roast”, we will have home-made food prepared by some women of the parish. A very delicious pasta will be served along with other home cooked food. Also, the Knights of Columbus will supplement what the women prepare by donating hot dogs, hamburgers and various salads. Beverages will also be served, and we ask our parishioners who are attending to bring a dessert to be shared. There will have a sign-up list on the back table of the church for those who are planning to join us.

Throughout the summer and into the Fall, several churches in the area will be honoring their patron saints with festivals. Among them are:

July 21-26 St. Ann’s Festival; St. Ann Church, Hoboken

August 15-19 La Festa Italiana; Holy Rosary Church, Jersey City

August 28 St. Augustine Feast; St. Augustine’s, Union City

Sept. 6-9 Madonna dei Martiri; St. Francis Church, Hoboken

Sept. 20-23 Maria SS. Addolorata; Holy Family Church, Nutley

October 16 Feast of St. Gerard; St. Lucy Church, Newark

These festivals offer religious devotions, games, good food and entertainment. Families look forward to these festivals every year. Try to experience one of them, especially during the summer.

And remember to come to ours, honoring our Patron, St. Rocco, on Sunday, August 26th!



### DEL PADRE JOSEPH GIRONE

Falta todavía tiempo para el domingo 26 de agosto, día de la celebración de nuestro santo patron San Roque, pero ya hemos empezado con los preparativos para nuestro “picnic”. Igual que el año pasado, pondremos mesas y sillas debajo de los toldos en el parqueadero para comenzar a las 12PM después de la misa. El año pasado tuvimos “lechón asado”, pero este año tendremos comida hecha en casa y preparada por varias feligresas de la parroquia., entre ellas una deliciosa pasta. Los Caballeros de Colón nos donarán perros calientes, hamburguesas y varios tipos de ensaladas. También se servirán refrescos y pedimos a los feligreses que traigan algún postre. Pondremos una lista en la mesa a la entrada de la iglesia para que se anote si piensa venir.

Durante el verano algunas de las iglesias de nuestra área también celebrarán a sus santos patronos con festivales. Entre ellas están:

Julio 21-26 Festival de Sta Ana, Iglesia de Sta Ana en Hoboken

Agosto 15-19 Fiesta Italiana; Iglesia del Santo Rosario, Jersey City

Agosto 28 Festival de San Agustín, Iglesia de San Agustín, Union City

Sept. 6-9 Madonna del Martirio, Iglesia de San Francisco, Hoboken

Sept. 20-23 Maria SS. Addolorata, Iglesia de la Sagrada Familia, Nutley

Octubre 16 Fiesta de San Gerardo, Iglesia de Sta Lucía, Newark

Estos festivales ofrecen artículos religiosos, juegos, buena comida y entretenimientos. Las familias disfrutan mucho estos festivales todos los años. Trate de visitar alguno de ellos, especialmente durante el verano.

¡Y recuerde venir al nuestro en honor de San Roque, nuestro patrón, el domingo 26 de agosto!

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

The Knights of Columbus is the largest Catholic Men's Fraternal Family organization in the world. It is built on the principles of charity, unity, fraternity and patriotism. Here at St Rocco/St Brigid parish there is a round table of Knights where we meet once a month to discuss the needs of the parish, the community, what is going on with the Home Council and in the Order. On Thursday July 19<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 pm, I would like to invite the Knights of the parish and all men 18 years of age or older to Rectory meeting room for a fraternal night where we have pizza and beverages and get to know each other and those that are not members, come out and learn more about the organization and the many benefits for you and your family. If you can join us please reach out to Neal at 201-575-9984 or [mccgarritye@aol.com](mailto:mccgarritye@aol.com) by the 16<sup>th</sup>. Also, don't be afraid to ask someone to come with you.

**LORD TEACH ME TO PRAY**

On Saturday, August 25<sup>th</sup> at the Benedictine Center for Spirituality in Elizabeth NJ there will be a Facilitator Training-Retreat for the "Lord Teach Me to Pray" (LTMTTP) Ignatian prayer series. There is no charge for the retreat or for the materials. Come & discern if God is calling you to become a facilitator! Or, if you are simply interested in finding out more about Ignatian Prayer and the "Lord, Teach Me to Pray" prayer series, you are also invited! For info and registration please go to [lordteachmetoprayer.com](http://lordteachmetoprayer.com), click on Facilitator Training-Retreats and scroll down to Elizabeth NJ for registration form, or call 504-439-5933



**ST ROCCO/ST BRIGID  
FUNDRAISING SHOE DRIVE 2018**

So far, we have collected 10 bags with 25 pairs of gently worn, used and new shoes. That leaves us only 90 bags from our goal of 100 bags. If you haven't collected your shoes yet, please try to collect them before October 2018 when we will be wrapping up the campaign.

We are thankful for all of your support. Remember that every pair helps. Any pairs you can give will add up and help us reach our goal.

**EVENTO DE RECOGIDA DE ZAPATOS 2018  
PARA RECAUDAR FONDOS**

Hasta ahora hemos recogido 10 bolsas con 25 pares de zapatos ligeramente usados o nuevos en cada una. Sólo nos faltan 90 bolsas para alcanzar nuestra meta de 100 bolsas. Si todavía no ha hecho su donación de zapatos, por favor, trate de hacerlo esta semana y tráigalos todos antes de octubre de 2018 cuando se va a terminar la campaña.

Agradecemos a todos su apoyo. Recuerden que cualquier cantidad que pueda darnos nos ayudará a llegar a nuestra meta.

**IT'S EVERYONE RESPONSIBILITY**

Our staff tries very hard to keep our beautiful church clean and comfortable. We ask that each person coming to our church not to leave personal items in the church. Please carry unwanted items with you when you leave and deposit them in wastebaskets out on the street. Especially on Sunday and Monday mornings, we find many water and soda bottles, children's toys, clothing, newspapers and bulletins in the pew. Please help us take care of our church by properly disposing these and other items.

We also ask parents to not allow children to play with the song books and missalettes. Many are found torn, written on, or damaged. These books cost the parish a good amount of money. Please cooperate with us so that all people coming to St. Rocco's can have a prayerful and joyful experience.

**LA RESPONSABILIDAD ES DE TODOS**

Nuestros empleados trabajan duro para mantener nuestra bella iglesia limpia y confortable. Les pedimos a todos los que vienen a nuestras misas que no dejen artículos en la iglesia. Por favor, llévese todo lo que no quiera y deposítelo en los basureros que hay en la calle. Especialmente los domingos y lunes por la mañana encontramos botellas de agua y de refrescos, juguetes de niños, ropas, periódicos y boletines en los bancos. Por favor, ayúdenos a mantener nuestra iglesia limpia y ordenada poniendo estos artículos en los recipientes para la basura.

También le pedimos a los padres que no dejen a sus hijos jugar con los libros de canciones y los misaletes. Nos encontramos muchos de ellos rotos, garabateados y estropeados y estos libros le cuestan una buena cantidad de dinero a la iglesia. Por favor coopere con nosotros para que todos los que visiten nuestra iglesia de San Roque se lleven una impresión bonita y agradable.

**ADULT BIBLE STUDY**

Join us for "Matthew: The King and his Kingdom". This study of St. Matthew's Gospel will help us discover what the life and teachings of Jesus mean for us today. The study takes place on Tuesday evenings, from 7 – 9pm in the Church Hall, starting September 4<sup>th</sup>. The cost will be \$29 for the 2 books needed and is due before August 1<sup>st</sup> so we can order all the books at the same time. The Bible study sign up list is on the back table in church.



**ST ROCCO CELEBRATION  
SAVE THE DATE**

Join us for our annual St. Rocco Feast Day picnic on Sunday, August 26<sup>th</sup>, from 1 – 5 pm. This year we are having a 50/50 raffle, a fundraiser that will help our parish with expenses. Tickets are \$10 each and are available at the rectory or in the sacristy after weekend masses. There is no charge for the picnic but please bring a dessert to share. Also, sign the list on the back table if you are coming.

**CELEBRACION DE LA FIESTA DE SAN  
ROQUE**

Venga con nosotros a celebrar el picnic en honor de nuestro patrono San Roque el domingo 26 de agosto de 1 – 5pm. Este año tendremos una rifa 50/50 para recaudar fondos y ayudar con los gastos de la parroquia. Los boletos cuestan \$10 cada uno y pueden comprarlos en la rectoría o en la sacristía después de las misas del fin de semana. La entrada es gratis, pero por favor, traiga un postre para compartirlo. Si va a ir, por favor, firme la lista que está en la mesa de la entrada.


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