pbb. NEW DORP Staten Island

April 25, 2022 | 2:00pm – 3:00pm



GATHER

We will gather in person at the New Dorp Staten Island Railway station and walk to New Dorp High School (465 New Dorp Lane, Staten Island, NY 10306) from there.

UNDERSTAND

New Dorp is a neighborhood on the east shore of Staten Island. New Dorp is bounded by Mill Road on the southeast, Tysens Lane on the southwest, Amboy and Richmond Roads on the northwest, and Bancroft Avenue on the northeast.

New Dorp was originally the home of the Raritans and subgroups of the Lenape tribe. In 1671, the Dutch built the settlement known as New Dorp. New Dorp experienced an inflow of immigrants from France, England, and Italy. More recently, Latinos and Asians have moved into the area.

Multi-ethnic composition, convenient public transportation, and local small businesses are factors contributing to New Dorp's vibrancy. Small shops are run by local residents: unique local stores selling children's clothes, homemade cupcakes, and decorative materials. There are many ethnic restaurants, and the crime rate is low.

Key Demographics:

- The population of New Dorp-Midland Beach is 21,896.
- The racial makeup of the neighborhood is 78.3% White, 1.2% African American, 0.1%, Native American, 5.2%, Asian, 1.1% other and mixed race. Hispanic / Latino of any race were 14%.
- Median household income in Community District 2 is \$81,487. An estimated 14% of New Dorp / Mid-Island residents live in poverty.
- 20% are between the ages of 0–17, 25% between 25–44, and 29% between 45–64.

READ

Matthew 12:29-30

Or how may one go into a strong man's house and take his goods, if he does not first put cords around the strong man? And then he may take his goods. Whoever is not with me is against me and he who does not take part with me in getting people together is driving them away.

What resonates with you from this scripture passage?

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PRAY

1. Prayer requests from our local host Theodora Agbozo:

- Pray that according to Romans 10:9-10 the people of New Dorp will be saved.
- Pray that according to John 15:9 the community will abide in Christ's love.
- Pray that according to Hebrews 10:25 they will be connected to a local church.
- Pray that according to Proverbs 28:1b they will be bold as a lion and influence the community with the love of God.
- Pray that according to Proverbs 3:5-6 they will commit their ways to the Lord.
- Pray that according to Psalms 107:20 the Lord will send His word and heal them and deliver them from all their distractions.
- Pray that according to Isaiah 53:5 anyone in this neighborhood that is suffering from any sickness will be healed by the power of God.
- Pray that according to Numbers 6:23-25 the Lord bless and keep them. The Lord make His face to shine upon them and give them peace
- Pray that no evil shall come near this neighborhood God will protect and preserve lives.

2. Race Relations. As New Dorp grows more diverse, we pray that older residents would show hospitality to newer residents and that interactions between different groups would be marked by open dialogue, kindness, and generosity.

3. Family. We pray for the children of working parents, that children would not lack parental care and attention and that access to child care is fair and equitable. We pray for singles who live alone, that they would be connected to and supported by their communities.

4. Charity. As a neighborhood of greater means, we pray New Dorp would be characterized by generosity and charity giving to the needs of the marginalized of the city.

5. The Church. We pray for the health and flourishing of the church communities such as the Roman Catholic Church of Lady Queen of Peace, New Dorp Baptist Church, New Dorp Chinese Baptist Church, and Crossroads Church.

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