



MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, June 17

5:00pm For All Fathers

Sunday June 18

7:30 am

9:00 am

10:30 am

12:00 pm

5:00 pm

FOR ALL FATHERS

Monday, June 19

9:00 am Jack and Lily Dunne

Loving daughter

Tuesday, June 20

9:00 am Tom Scanon

Pat & Eileen Weir

Wednesday, June 21

9:00 am Rosemarie Siggia

Leo & Terri-Ann Durocher

Thursday, June 22

9:00 am Patrick Weir

Comfort Corner

Friday, June 23

9:00 am Allan Winby

Frank Fetzer

Saturday June 24

9:00 am Joan McDermott

The Ryan Family

Vigil

5:00pm Alan Service

Semke Family

Sunday June 25

7:30 am Will & Mary Eckes

Art & Margaret

9:00 am For all Parishioners

10:30 am Catherine Pantaleo

Mr. & Mrs. E. Saponaro

12:00 pm Joey Christiano

Mommy, Daddy, Deanna & Mum

5:00 pm Elia & Luis Alvarez

Happy Anniversary

THIS WEEK

MONDAY: June 19

- Women of Grace: after 9 am Mass, PCH
- AA: 7:00 pm Step, LRC

TUESDAY: June 20

WEDNESDAY: June 21

- Loving Hands: 10:00 am, RMR
- Cantor Rehearsal: 7pm
- Parish Council: 7:30pm

THURSDAY: June 22

- Prayer Shawl: 7pm, RMR
- Narc Anon: 7:45 6, LRC

FRIDAY: June 23

- AA: 7:00 pm Beginners;
8:00 pm Open Speaker, LRC

SATURDAY: June 24

- Men's Group Rosary: 7:00 am
- Men's Group: 7:30 am, LRC

**STEWARDSHIP – A WAY OF LIFE
TITHING—GOD'S PLAN FOR GIVING**
June 11, 2017: \$ 9,922.00
June 12, 2016: \$ 11,070.00

The Statue of Our Lady of Fatima
will be enthroned in the home of
The Portaro Family
If you would like to have the Statue
of Our Lady visit your home, please
call Helen at 227-5075.

The White Rose by the St. John Vianney Window recognizes and honors our holy priests both living and deceased.

- For all Priests

The Rose on the Blessed Sacrament Altar was donated:

- For Rocco Benigni His Loving Daughter
- For Tom and Brooke Happy Marriage Love Tom and Carol

To reserve a rose, call the Rectory Office at 227-8382.



Weekly Readings

Sunday: Dt 8:2-3, 14b-16a; 1 Cor 10:16-17; Jn 6:51-58

Monday: 2 Cor 6:1-10; Mt 5:38-42

Tuesday: 2 Cor 8:1-9; Mt 5:43-48

Wednesday: 2 Cor 9:6-11; Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

Thursday: 2 Cor 11:1-11; Mt 6:7-15

Friday: Dt 7:6-11; 1 Jn 4:7-16; Mt 11:25-30

Saturday: Vigil: Jer 1:4-10; 1 Pt 1:8-12; Lk 1:5-17

Prayers for Those Fighting in a War

Let us keep in our prayers all of the brave men and women who continue to fight for our freedom and safety, as well as for their families. Please remember especially:

Philip Albaneze	John Chamberlin
Daryl Martini	Kenneth Martini
Kevin Monahan	Kevin Morse
Philip J. Ryan	Peter Schmidt
Curtis Babcock	Kevin Heffernan
Ron Creech	Kenny Weber
Rhiannon Ross	Connor Lapadula
Tyler Dobbins	Matthew Ibsen
Jonathan Swierat	Katherine Swierat
Joseph Phelan	Christopher Bronzi

If you know of someone, in any branch of the military, who is currently assigned in an area of conflict, let us know at the Rectory.
St. Michael the Archangel and St. Joan of Arc are two patrons of those in the military. Let us pray to them for the safety of the men and women in our Armed Forces.

The Image of the Divine Mercy will be enthroned this week in the home of Mariette Izold

In His conversations with St. Faustina, Jesus said, "I am offering people a vessel with which they are to keep coming for graces to the fountain of mercy. That vessel is the image with the signature 'Jesus, I trust in you.'" –Diary #324

If you would like to have the Divine Mercy image in your home please contact Deacon Enrico & Susan Messina 845-896-2620.

The Image should be returned to the Sacristy the following Sunday so it can be given to the next person on the list.

In your prayers please remember the needs of the parishioners, particularly those confined at home or in the hospital, especially: Nicole D., Jason Hudak, Dawn Johnson, Daisy Abruzzo, Chris O'Brien, Joan McMaster, Pat Cassels, Virginia Irwin, Dillon Colon, Yvonne Post, Alejandro Toban, James Virtuoso, Daryl Weedeman, Rich Krause, Susan Messina, Brandon Johnson, Gerald Kelleher, Tom Kenny, Connie Pulice, James F. Greco, Guenter Szczuka, Michael Phillips, Helen Gutierrez, Katherine Nuzzaro, Maria Williams, Angelo., Elizabeth Del Bene, Mastandrea, Margaret Provanzano, Justice Disney, Ted and Pat Schlager, Eileen Jaeger, Jennifer Colburn, Rose Ann O'Mara, Rose & Michael Duane, Jr, Noemi Munoz, Debbie Cie, Jack Nevins, Salvatore DiMaiuta, Stan S., David Reed, Paul Schick, Mary Anne Burchfield, Kristin Delia, Francis Virtuoso, Andrew McAleer, Victor Rojas, Chester Bruskevicz, Joseph Egitto, Jamie G., Fr. Joe Irwin, Mother Gloria, Rudy Seckley, Elaina & Frank DiCostanzo, Kristen G., MaryBeth S., Derek Cruz, Mary E., Margaret Dunne, Ann Terra, Hewitt Francisco Cooper, Rev. Joseph Levesque, Salvatore DiPillo, Patricia Lauricella, Alyssa Habermann, Valerie Facciolla, Hazel Lange-Balogh, Maureen & Frank DiFalco, Mary Garcia, Patricia Patwell, Julia Vele, Nicole Bomba, Manuel Amorim, Robert Wall, Francis Tezzi, Baby Marco, Michael Leigh, Fannie Perino, Jennie Angelo, Ruth Daniel, Angelo Pellicano, Helen Rodriguez, Joseph Fautz, Peter Rasulo, Alfred Lambert, Robert Seckler, Scott Smit, Baby Salvatore Justin, Valerie & Stephen Friscia, Theresa Ann Mazurowski & Emily Destefano, June Gold, Robert Schmidt, Colleen Nevins Gabler all the sick of our parish.

St. Denis Sick List: Names placed on the sick list remain for sixty (60) days and are then removed. If there is a continued need for prayers after the sixty days, please contact the rectory 227-8382. Leave your name, the telephone number for contact purposes, and the name of the person for the sick list.

Happy Father's Day



The Religious Education office is now closed for the summer. The office reopens on **August 23rd**. Religion classes begin the week of **September 9th**. Have a great summer!



Please save during the summer: **BOX TOPS for Education** from all General Mills products, and drop them off at the Religious Ed office in the Parish Center next September. (Some examples of General Mills foods: Cheerios, Chex, Betty Crocker, Pillsbury, Ziploc, Kleenex) See: www.boxtops4education.com



St. Denis Religious Ed program collects used toner & ink cartridges as well as old cell phones. The collection of these items will provide funds for our program & recycling will help our environment. Ask family & friends to help. Drop off location: St. Denis Parish Center.



WOMEN OF GRACE MORNINGS OF PRAYER

Join us on Monday mornings in the Parish Center following the **9am Mass** as we "strive to grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord, Jesus Christ."



MUSIC MINISTRY THANK YOU



Many Thanks to the members of our Youth Choir & their families for a wonderful year of serving God through Music! We hope you have a great summer and look forward to seeing you again **Wed. September 13th!**

There is  one bread.



COOK FOR THE HOMELESS MINISTRY

We will be cooking on **Monday, June 26th** and serving on **Tuesday, June 27th**. To help prepare the meal, please come to the Parish Center at 6:30 pm on Monday. To serve on Tuesday, please arrive at the Parish Center before 6:30 pm. We will need help serving and it is important that you let us know ahead of time if you can help. Servers can meet us in the parking lot on Tuesday at 6:30. *It is important for you to let us know if you can serve or need to cancel. Thank you.

Last month we served Spicy Mexican Chili with Cilantro Lime Sour Cream, Tortilla Chips and special homemade Corn Bread Soufflé.

Of course we need to thank our bakers, your desserts are especially appreciated at Hillcrest.

A special thank you to Stop & Shop for their generosity in donating baked goods.

Please let us know if you can help by contacting www.stdeniscookforhomelessmins@gmail.com or call Mark at [845-226-5053](tel:845-226-5053).

If you need to reach someone during the cooking hours, please call Kris at [914-525-3876](tel:914-525-3876).

PLEASE NOTE:

We will not be cooking in July. Because so many of us are on vacation we will serve Hot dogs and Rolls and a large pasta salad as we have done the past couple of summers. We do however need volunteers to serve on **Tuesday, July 25th**. If you can help serving please contact us via email or call Kris 914-525-3876 (or text). We will meet in the parking lot on Tuesday at 6:30. You can also drop off your home made goodies to us at that time.

Thank you all so very much for all your help. Have a wonderful and safe summer!



WEDDING BANNES

We joyfully announce the forthcoming celebration of Marriage and ask a remembrance in your prayers for:

Mark Botta & Sarah Kelleher

Martin Groomes & Christine Scivolette

Rocco A. Caceres & Virginia Galarraga Noria

John Pilgrim & Aileen Carroll



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

We will have our annual Vacation Bible School the week of **July 31st-August 3rd**. Please note this is only 4 days and we will end on Thursday. Children 4 years old through 4th grade are welcome to join us for this year's "Deep Sea Discovery". The cost is \$25 per child. Registration forms can be picked up at the rectory or in the church and should be returned to the rectory **by July 1st**. There is limited space in each age group so get your forms in early. We are also in need of parents to volunteer to help so please note your availability on the registration form.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



All-You-Can-Eat
Father's Day
Communion
Breakfast



Where: *St. Denis Parish Hall*
602 Beekman Road, Hopewell Junction, NY

When: *Father's Day - Sunday, June 18th, 2017*
After the 7:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. Masses

BREAKFAST MENU

Pancakes, Eggs, Sausage, Bacon, Hash Browns, Fruit, Coffee, Tea, Orange Juice and more.

*Bring your family and your appetite,
and come join us.*

In today's economy, this is truly a great bargain.

How much: \$8 per adult, \$5 per child (under 10)

THE ST. DENIS BOOK CLUB



We meet on the 3rd Wednesday of the month at 7:00 pm. If you are joining us for the first time, please call Elaine (226-8356) or Chris (392-0157) for directions.

6/ 21 - I Still Dream About You - Fannie Flagg

7/16 - The Storied Life of A. J. Fikry – Gabrielle Zevin

A FRESH PERSPECTIVE ON THE SUNDAY READINGS

HIS WORD TODAY by Rev. William J. Reilly

The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi)- June 18, 2017

"Brothers and sisters: The cup of blessing that we bless, is it not a participation in the blood of Christ? The bread that we break, is it not a participation in the body of Christ? Because the loaf of bread is one we, though many, are one body, for we all partake of the one loaf."

The simple questions St. Paul asked his Christian community at Corinth are directed to us on this great day for our Catholic community. The danger of routinely approaching the altar and receiving the Eucharist is shaken as we read his important questions.

People wait hours to catch a glimpse of a hero, a star or idol. Many thousands gather in St. Peter's square weekly to see the Holy Father, hear his message and receive his blessing. But every time we meet for mass, Jesus is present in the gift of the Eucharist. He is present for adoration in the tabernacle, waiting for our praise and thanksgiving. Jesus is truly present in this sacrament for He wanted to remain with us, and this is the way He chose to be here.

May we be reminded of this great gift of His presence as we enter our church. May we teach our children the need for respect and reverence as we celebrate each Mass.

BREIF SYNOPSIS OF SUNDAY READINGS

First Reading: Deuteronomy 8:2-3, 14b-16a

Moses reminds the Israelites that when they were starving in the desert, the Lord fed them with "manna" -- a food not known to them.

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 10:16-17

Paul points out to the Corinthians that through the sharing of the cup and the breaking of the bread, they are all one in Christ Jesus.

Gospel: John 6:51-58

After Jesus feeds the five thousand people with barley loaves and fishes, he tries to make them understand the significance and the meaning of what he has done. He tells them, in mysterious and beautiful words, that the bread he gives is his flesh and says, "I myself am the living bread... If anyone eats this bread, he shall live forever."

SUMMER PROGRAM

St. Aloysius Happy House Learning Center
 Summer program-**June 26 to July 28**
 Monday through Friday 9:00am to 1:00pm.
 Reinforcement of academic skills: Reading, Phonics and Math, games, fun activities, religious activities, crafts, etc. Classes available: Pre-K, Kindergarten, 1st grade, 2nd grade, 3rd grade, 4th grade, 5th grade. For more information or to register call (845) 226-1917 or 646-460-9168 or visit our website and download a registration form: www.st-aloysius.org.

SUMMER 2017 AT KENNEDY CATHOLIC

Kennedy Catholic High School will be hosting two great programs this summer. The *Mind, Body & Spirit* Summer Workshop starts the **week of June 26th** for students entering 7th and 8th grade. Each day includes a High-School readiness class, sports clinics, arts & media lab classes & prayer service. In July multiple, individualized sports clinics will be held in both boys & girls sports including football, girls lacrosse, basketball, softball, etc. for students entering 7th, 8th & 9th grades. Go to kennedycatholic.org/summer for more details & to reserve a spot today. Space is limited!

CATHOLIC GUIDANCE FOR END-OF-LIFE DECISION MAKING

Illness and aging, coupled with rapid advances in medical technology, can lead to heightened anxiety when health care decisions must be made as the end of life approaches. Efforts are being made in our state to offer the false solution of assisted suicide, which will only endanger disabled and vulnerable people. Go to www.CatholicEnd ofLife.org for assistance in navigating the end-of-life challenges that you and/or your loved ones face. Learn about the key principles of Catholic teaching in this area, & how to apply them to complex medical decisions.

ENCOURAGE

A Catholic Apostolate for those who have family members with same sex attraction. A new website has been created to help the faithful who are searching for information about Encourage, the Church's teachings on same sex attraction and spiritual support: www.encourageny.com.



CLOTHING DROP SHED

Knights of Columbus #4065
 Clothing Drop Shed. St. Mary's Knights of Columbus on Rt. 82 (next to Handshakes Restaurant)

offers a Clothing Drop Off Shed, the contents of which will be distributed locally, nationally and internationally to the needy. Where: 4065 Club/St. Mary's Council #4065 Parking Lot What: All (gently used) clothing, shoes, sneakers, belts, purses, blankets, sheets, pillowcases, drapes, and stuffed toys are accepted DON'T BRING: rags, fabric scraps, pillows, toys, electronics or household goods When: Anytime 24hr a day/ 7 days a week How: Bag your clothing and tie with a double knot. Push into chute.

PRAYING AT ST. DENIS

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ADORATION
 BIBLE STUDY
 CURSILLO
 DIVINE MERCY
 EUCHARIST
 MASS
 MENS GROUP

MORNING PRAYER
 OUR LADY OF FATIMA
 PRAYER SHAWL
 ROSARY
 SACRED HEART
 STATIONS
 WOMAN OF GRACE

EVENING PRAYER





TRI-PARISH NEWS



SILVER LININGS LEISURE CLUB

Our activities are winding down for the summer, but our Senior Stretch Class will continue each **Wed. morning, 9:45-10:30am** in the St. Kateri Meeting Room until mid-August. All seniors are welcome. Bring water and light weights if you have them.

Thurs., June 29th: Catholic Classics Book of the Month Club, 12-1pm in St. Kateri Meeting Room (or the Faith Formation Building.) *Maria: My Own Story*, by Maria Von Trapp of *Sound of Music* fame. (Very different from the musical!) We'll also discuss prospective book choices for summer & fall reading.

To join our group, please contact Mary Biasotti at mlbiasotti2000@aol.com or 845-297-9310.

BEREAVEMENT GATHERING

The Tri-Parish Bereavement Support Group will be sponsoring a Bereavement Gathering on **Sat. June 24th**, 10:00am - Noon in the St Kateri Meeting Room. The topic is "**The Dash**". Light refreshments will be served. **RSVP:** Lorraine Travia 845-221-2741 or email BKTBEREAVEMENT@OPTONLINE.NET **by June 19, 2017.** *There is a regular 9am Mass should you like to join us before the meeting.*

Jericho March

By the Tri-Parish Respect Life Group



Like Jericho (Joshua 6:1-27), this is our peaceful march around the block of Planned Parenthood, 7-times, as we pray quietly for the walls of the abortion industry to "come tumbling down".

Please join us for this very important event:

Friday, July 7th at 7:00 PM
17 Noxon Street, Poughkeepsie

For more information, call (845) 242-1842.

ST. VINCENT dePAUL NEWS FOOD PANTRY

Thank you for your continued prayers and support. If you need to reach us, or would like to volunteer to become a member of SVDP, please call us at 227-7863.

Next meeting: **Wed., September 13**, at 7pm in classroom 11 of St. Denis-St. Columba School.

Please visit us at: www.svdfoodpantry.org

2017 SUMMER JOY BIBLE SCHOOL

The Joy Program, open to all children ages 4 through 9, is a fun filled summer program consisting of Bible instruction, arts & crafts, recreation & a mid-morning snack. The program is conducted by Deacon John Reilly, assisted by parish volunteers. It will begin **Monday, July 10th through Friday, July 14th from 9:00am to 12:00pm** at St. Denis - St. Columba School. The cost is \$20.00 per child. T-shirts are available & can be ordered at the cost of \$8.00 for youth sizes & \$10.00 for adult sizes. Please specify color (red, blue, green, gold, purple, maroon, and orange), size and quantity desired. To register and to order t-shirts, kindly complete the form either online at the church website or in the rectory and return it with a check, made payable to St. Columba Church, and mail to: **St. Columba Church, ATTN: Deacon John Reilly, PO Box 428, Hopewell Jct., NY 12533.** ALL CLASSES WILL BE LIMITED TO 20 - 25 STUDENTS.

PLEASE NOTE: Registration is open to St. Columba Parishioners first, if space is available, non-parishioners are welcome to register.

KATERI'S KIDS VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

KATERI'S KIDS Vacation Bible School will be held **June 26th-June 30th**, 9am-12pm, for children entering kindergarten through 5th grade. Registration forms are available on the parish web-site & office. For info, call Judy, 226-8987.