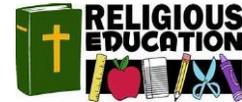




25TH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME
September 23, 2018



SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 22ND

5:00PM Theresa, Joseph, and Peter Biasini req. by Family

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 23RD

8:00AM People of the Parish

9:30AM Antonio Realmuto req. by The Parrino Family

11:00AM Mary Verdi
 req. by Alice M. Salcito and Anthony Salcito, Jr.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 24TH

9:00AM Rodney D. Gregg
 req. by Barbara and Joe Moloney

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 25TH

9:00AM Aurellio Correa req. by Erin / Aurelio

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 26TH

9:00AM Antoinette Ercolano req. by A Friend

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 27TH

9:00AM – William Hasbrouck req. by Jean Pagano

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 28TH

9:00AM No Mass Scheduled

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 29TH

5:00PM Rose and Frank DeMarco req. by Family

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 30TH

8:00AM People of the Parish

9:30AM Anne Monti req. by Joan and Jim Weston

11:00AM Michaelangelo Damico
 req. by The Loscerbo Family

PLEASE NOTE: Daily Mass continues to be held in the Rectory Chapel

TITHING REPORT

This past week our collection totaled \$3733. 110 envelope users contributed \$2404.00; non-envelope users, \$1329.00. As always, we thank you for your continued generosity which helps us to maintain our parish and pay our ever-increasing bills.

The second collection this weekend will be our regular monthly collection.

DIVINE MERCY GROUP

The Divine Mercy Group will meet on Sunday, Oct. 7th after the 8AM Mass in the side room of St. Mary's Church. All are welcome to join – come and see what we do.

CHAPLET OF DIVINE MERCY



At 4:30pm on the first Saturday of each month, the Chaplet of Divine Mercy is sung before the 5:00PM Mass in St. Mary's Church. Won't you join us in this beautiful prayer.

WE APOLOGIZE...

... but our bathroom at St. Mary's Church will be out of commission until the new room is finished. We are sorry for the inconvenience. We do have a bathroom in the basement of the church which will be open temporarily for use for emergencies only. **If your child needs to use the restroom, we ask you not to let him/her go down without an adult.** Please ask an usher how to access this room.

Our Religious Education Office is busily preparing for the upcoming school year.

Most of our classes have been filled and we thank those parishioners who have volunteered to teach. We still are in need of people who would be willing to substitute. If you are interested, please call the religious ed office. Thank you.

Also, please note the current dates and times for upcoming meetings and class times:

Mon., Sept. 24th – Classes Begin 7:00-8:15pm

Tues., Sept. 25th – Classes Begin 7:00-8:15pm

Wed., Sept. 26th – Classes Begin 4:00-5:45pm
 and 7:00-8:15pm

Thurs., Sept. 27th – Confirmation Meeting 7pm Parish Hall
 Parent and Child

WE ASK YOUR HEALING PRAYERS FOR...



..... all in our parish who are ill or recuperating from an illness. We also ask your prayers for family members who may be caring for spouses or parents who are elderly and unable to live alone.

CROSS CATHOLIC OUTREACH

This weekend we welcome Father Patrick Collins, who will be speaking on behalf of Cross International Outreach, which was founded to create a meaningful link between parishes in America and the priests and nuns working in the Church overseas in the Caribbean, Africa, Asia, Central and South America. Please be generous in your response to Father's appeal. Brochures will be provided if you wish to support this worthy Catholic ministry.



LIFE CHAIN

This year the Annual Life Chain to promote respect for all life will be held on October 7, 2018 from 1:30-3:00pm on Albany Avenue in Kingston. Those who are interested in participating will assemble at 1:30pm for prayer and to pick up signs behind Mavis Tire and Burger King (near the former Montgomery Ward's Lot). Please note there are other areas for participation. For more information, please call Joe DeFino, Sr. at 845-246-6908.

OUR LADY OF LOURDES HIGH SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE

Exceptional Academics, Extraordinary Futures! Come and experience all the great things that are happening at Our Lady of Lourdes High School. You are invited to an Open House on Sunday, October 14th from 1Pm -4PM at the school. For more information, please contact Kathleen Powers at 845-463-0400. X1009 or email her at powers.kathleen@olchs.org

TODAY'S GOSPEL MESSAGE
by Rev. William J. Reilly



“They came to Capernaum and, once inside the house, he began to ask them, ‘What were you arguing about on the way?’ But they remained silent. They had been discussing among themselves on the way who was the greatest. Then he sat down, called the Twelve, and said to them, ‘If anyone wishes to be first, he shall be the last of all and the servant of all.’”

How can I serve? The path to holiness requires that we humbly reach out to see Christ in the faces of those around us. “In this call to recognize Him in the poor and the suffering, we see revealed the very heart of Christ, His deepest feelings and choices, which every saint seeks to attain.” These are the words of Pope Saint John Paul, as quoted by Pope Francis.

These are the demands of Jesus with no ‘ifs and buts.’ Holiness cannot be understood or lived apart from these demands, for mercy is ‘the beating heart of the gospel.’ When He washed the feet of the disciples, He spoke by His action, what a true disciple is to do. It is when we serve we receive not only Jesus, but the One who sent Him.



PROGRAM DISCONTINUED

We are sorry but we have had to discontinue our Online Giving

Program. Although a few have expressed interest in using this means of offering to our parish each week, there simply has not been enough interest for us to continue. Perhaps we will try again in the future.

BIBLE STUDY – ST. JOHN the EVANGELIST

Join us as we continue the study and spiritual writings of St. John the Evangelist. We will meet at 4pm on Sept. 27, Oct. 4th, 11th, 18th and 25th in the Rectory. You are welcome to come for all the sessions or a few. For more information, please call Pat Pelella at 236-7431 or the Rectory.



If you can, please bring a copy of the Bible or New Testament. God's Blessings and Graces upon you.

PADRE PIO

This year marks the 50th anniversary of the death of the Capuchin priest, Padre Pio (St. Pio of Pietralcina) as well as the 100th anniversary of his receiving the Stigmata (the wounds of our Lord). Fr. Cordaro will offer a presentation on this great saint on Tuesday, September 25th at 7:00pm in St. Joseph's Church Hall (34 South Chestnut St. – New Paltz). He will talk about Padre Pio's life and spirituality as well as what this means for us today. There will also be a period of prayer and a discussion of what was presented. Refreshments will be served.

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS



TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

First Reading: Numbers 11:25-29

Two men not considered prophets by the people began to prophesize, and this offended those who did not feel they were true prophets. But Moses explained that prophets are chosen by God, not the people.

Second Reading: James 5:1-6

James speaks out strongly against people who become rich by cheating their workers. He claims the wealth they have dishonestly collected will be a testimony against them on judgment day.

Gospel: Mark 9:38-43, 45, 47-48

Jesus explains to his disciples that it is acceptable for a person who is not part of their group to speak in his name, but he does warn them that anyone who tries to lead his followers astray will be severely punished. Jesus also discusses personal failing and the importance of taking whatever steps are necessary to avoid them. ©1999 Bon Venture Services, Inc.

TRIP TO HIGH POINT COUNTRY CLUB

After enjoying a trip to Southington, CT, the Marlboro/Milton Seniors are heading to Montague, NJ to the High Point Country Club on Oct. 11th. The day will start with a full breakfast followed by activities of their choice. An open bar will be available for 4 hours. Live entertainment will be provided by Joey Vincent.

Before heading home, the seniors will be served a full Buffet Dinner. This Trip is a new venue and is open to all Senior Residents of Marlboro and Milton. Cost is \$46 per person and includes all gratuities and taxes. For further information, call Mary Martin at 845-389-6575. Please leave a message if there is no answer and your call will be returned.

16TH ANNUAL FAMILY CLAMBAKE
Sponsored by MARLBORO UNICO

Sunday, Sept. 23, 2018 – 1:00 – 5:00PM
Benmarl Winery – Highland Avenue, Marlboro, NY

MENU

Hot Dogs, Hamburgers, Corn on the Cob 1:00-1:30
Sausage and Peppers – 1:30-3:00PM
Clams – Raw and Steamers – 2:30-3:30PM
Linguine w/ White Clam Sauce – 4:00-5:00PM
Beverages – All Day Beer, Soda, Water
Dessert – 5:00PM

Tickets: \$40 – 3 for \$110 in advance
Child: 17 and under \$25 – Under 6 Free

To purchase Tickets or for more information, contact Nick Johannets at 914-213-1807 or Joe LoPiccolo at 917-657-8045

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