

**APRIL 17, 2016  
FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**

**HOLY MASS INTENTIONS**



**SATURDAY 16**

5pm **Dec mem of Bailey family; family**

**SUNDAY 17**

9am **Hermogenes Arroyo; Robillard family**

10:30 **Mario Marmo; Podolsky girls**

Noon **Kathleen Wogan; Kennedy family**

6pm **Richard Maass; John & Monica Nilsen**

**MONDAY 18**

8:15 **Mario Marmo; Joe & Elsie Podolsky**

**TUESDAY 19**

8:15 **Gino Botticelli; Rita & Dominic Cinelli**

**WEDNESDAY 20**

6pm **George Marion Jr.; family**

**THURSDAY 21**

8:15 **Irene Roach; Joe & Dave Roach**

**FRIDAY 22**

8:15 **Michael Weisgarber; Robert & Martha Burns**

**SATURDAY 23**

8:15 **Thomas & Nancy Sheehan; family**

5pm **Michael Herry; family**

**SUNDAY 24**

9am **William Gonzalez; Fran & Bob Verneau & family**

10:30 **Robert A. Fischetti**

Noon **James Briscese; wife, Ann**

6pm **Thomas Phillips; John & Mary Coyle**

**WE PRAY FOR THOSE SERVING OUR COUNTRY IN THE  
MILITARY, BOTH HERE AND ABROAD**



Saint Michael, please keep them safe.

Mark Gonzalez, Cory Seipp, Lauren Lucena, Tyler Correa, Ryan Sheehan, Alex Kaczor, Rocco Church,

Erin Johnson, Ryan Michaels, Evan Pacer, Brian Rogers, Michael Polanski, Kathryn O'Keefe-Truman, Josh Truman

**Your prayers are requested for those who are sick:**

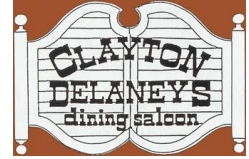
Jim Dutra, Edgar Labi, Joan Bonomi, Teresa Patruno, Mila Werlitz, Ric Santos, Modesta Rivera, Andrew Upson, Teresa DeMarco, James Fox, Nancy Rhodes Mayo, Justin Holland, Gabriella Nelson, Joseph Michael Kennedy, Jack Shea, Patrick Finley, Edward Allen, Dylan Witmer, Carmelo Giorlando, Marie Tobin, John Sezack, Monique Lager, Ruth Rivera, Ines Cella, Vilma Rosario, Eddie Calderin, John Schiano Jr, Claire Scunziano, Paula Baraket, Pat Baldwin, Sean Devlin, Robert Scunziano, Brenden Hedding, Lorraine Kalafut, Corinne Jacob, Gabe Fritz, Laura Favorule, Timothy Lindsey, Susan Zikoyanis, Barbara Williams, Michael Medina, Mary Ackerman, Valerie Moore, Sylvia Muccio, Joe Kennedy, Frank Rich, Br. John Lawrence, Rafael Tejada, Lucas Pedro, Emily Scrobe, Anya Quinn, Kim Salotti, Robert Weis, Alan Wilson, Charles Youngberg, Alice Verlizzo, Larry Higgins, Rosemary Schiano, Cecilia Rivera, Allison Florio, Vinnie Greco, Nikita Zanichkowsky, Donna Fagan, Karlene & Bill Gray, Rosa Maria Ramos, Donald Maynard, Janet Simonson, Ricky Calderin, Bob Gatt

**Your prayers are requested for those who have died.**

**FUNDRAISING NIGHT AT CLAYTON DELANEY'S**

**THIS WEDNESDAY, APRIL 20<sup>th</sup>**

**4 to 9pm**



Present our coupon when having dinner at Clayton Delaney's (44 Main St., Chester.) & they will donate 10% of the total food purchases to our Saint Columba parish fundraiser. Support a local business while also supporting our parish. Coupons are available in Church.

**SAINT COLUMBA BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP**

**Next meeting is Wednesday, April 20<sup>th</sup>**

The Bereavement Support Group is for anyone who had experienced the death of a loved one. The group meets on the third Wednesday of the month at 7pm in Bishop Vaughan Hall. For information, please call Bob Allen 469-9318; Parish Office 469-2108.



*Mother Mary*

**MOTHER'S DAY MASS REMEMBRANCE**

Mother's Day is May 8<sup>th</sup>.

We honor **Mary, Mother of God** by dedicating the month of May to **Mary** and we remember all mothers, grandmothers, and the special women in our lives in our intentions. Please place your Mother's Day Mass Remembrance envelope in the basket or the box in the back of the Church.

Your loved ones are remembered at Mass each

day for the entire month of May. Mass Remembrance envelopes are available on the back table in Church.

ALTAR CANDLES are burning this week for the:  
**Special Intention of Gloria Bilcik; req: Geri Herry**

HOST & WINE are dedicated this week in memory of:  
**Sarah Simmons; req: Tom Simmons**

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FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL THE SANCTUARY LIGHTS ARE  
BURNING IN MEMORY OF:

RED: **Kay Mellon; req: Pat & George McCabe**

WHITE: **Harry L. Murray Jr.; req: family**

BLESSED SACRAMENT: **Bob & Frank Piliere; req: family**

**SECOND COLLECTION**

The second collection is for Church & School repair.

**TWO GRAND SERIES\*\*\***

**18<sup>th</sup>** week 04/10: #189 Donna Schmittler & #91 Jean Di Pierro  
**THIS SERIES IS COMING TO A CLOSE AT THE END OF APRIL**  
**19 NUMBERS ARE AVAILABLE**

**WHAT IT'S ALL ABOUT!!!**

Have you ever wondered what they were talking about when they announce the winners each week for the Two Grand Series? One series is 20 weeks long. For a donation of \$30.00 you have the opportunity to win one of two \$25.00 prizes each week. The final prizes in each series are \$1000.00 and \$50.00. This is how the "Two Grand Series" got its name. If you add up the two weekly prizes and the two final prizes, the total is \$2,000. There is a maximum of 200 hundred numbers. The next series starts on May 1st. A call to the parish office is all it takes . . . 469-2108 [iona2@frontiernet.net](mailto:iona2@frontiernet.net)

\*\*\*The funds raised from the Two Grand Series are used to help with smaller Church projects.

**REMEMBER!!! IT IS TIME TO REGISTER FOR THE 2016-2017 SCHOOL YEAR & BIBLE CAMP**

**REGISTRATION BY APPOINTMENT-EARLY BIRD RATES APPLY**

**BIBLE CAMP 2016 . . . "CAVE QUEST"**

**"FAITH FIRST EARLY LEARNING CENTER @ ST COLUMBA"**

**NURSERY/PRE-SCHOOL - OFFERING AM & PM CLASSES**

**PENDING: FULL DAY CLASSES (depending on registration)**

This faith based program is for 3 & 4 year old children.

Classes will have a certified teacher and an aide.

**For an appointment or information regarding the Religious Education Program, please contact: Susan Munks, Coordinator of Rel. Education 469-9503 stcolumbareligion@gmail.com**

**SUPPORT YOUR PARISH WITH ONLINE DONATIONS**

**PARISHPAY.COM.** . . Enroll: parish pay.com or (866) 727-4741

When you enroll in **PARISHPAY**, your contribution is collected from your checking, savings or credit card account & forwarded electronically to our parish. The Second Collection is in the "special offering" category. Whether you choose **PARISHPAY** or the envelope system, we appreciate your generosity.

**LADIES AUXILIARY**

**Upcoming events:**

**"JUNK IN YOUR TRUNK"** June 5<sup>th</sup> 9 am - 3 pm . . . St. Columba's version of a community Yard Sale.

As you do your "Spring Cleaning" this year, please remember our "Junk in your Trunk" event. Instead of donating your items directly to us you rent a space in the parking lot and sell your "treasures" from the trunk of your car! Rent a parking space for \$10.00. Applications are available in Church.

**BUS TRIP TO NATIONAL SHRINE OF THE DIVINE MERCY**

Wednesday, July 20<sup>th</sup> Cost: \$35 per person . . .

7:30am - Bus departs St. Columba parking lot;

4:30pm departs for home; 6:45pm arrives back at St Columba. . . Variety of services available:

1pm - Eucharistic adoration, followed by

Rosary, Novena, Benediction

1-2pm Confession; 2pm Mass.

The Ladies Auxiliary meet on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of the month after the 6pm Mass.

All are welcome to gather with them in the Chapel at 5:30 to pray the Rosary. For information or to sign up for any of these events, please contact: Sue Anne Vogelsberg, Ladies Auxiliary President, 845 783-6107; samv1021@gmail.com



**SHOPRITE GIFT CARDS**

**A FUNDRAISER THAT DOESN'T COST ANYTHING!!!!**

When you purchase a Shoprite gift card from St Columba, the Church receives a 5% donation. Gift Cards are available in the parish office.

**CHESTER COMMUNITY FOOD PANTRY**

Thank you to all who generously and consistently contribute throughout the year. Please place your donations in the closet in the vestibule of the Church marked "**Food Pantry.**" One of our parishioners volunteers to take the collected (nonperishable) food each week down to the Chester Community Food Pantry located in the Chester Presbyterian Church.

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

**NIGHT AT THE RACES...RETURNS! MAY 14<sup>th</sup> . . . 6pm**



Once again the Knights of Columbus is sponsoring their charity fundraiser "Night at the Races" Dinner: Chicken Marsala, Pulled Pork, Sausage/Peppers/Meatballs, Baked Ziti, Salad. Due to the popularity of this event, purchasing advance tickets is suggested. Tickets: \$18.00 per person. Checks payable to: Knights of Columbus Council 8637. To order: [racenight@optimum.net](mailto:racenight@optimum.net); 914-850-2486

\*\*\*The Knights meet on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of the month 7:30pm.

**OUR LADY OF FATIMA STATUE**

It is over four years since our Pilgrim Statue of Our Lady of Fatima has visited parish homes. Please consider bringing the Statue home for one week. Each week at the Wednesday, 6:00pm daily Mass, Our Lady will be given to the next person and then returned on the following Wednesday.

Those who open up their homes to Our Lady and to their friends and families do an immeasurable good. There are stories of tremendous graces received. Gather together with family and friends to pray the Rosary or spend time in quiet reflection. If you have already hosted Our Lady in your home, you are welcome to do it again. If you have been thinking about it, please contact the parish office . . . [iona2@frontiernet.net](mailto:iona2@frontiernet.net); 469-2108.



**LECTOR . . . . . EUCHARISTIC MINISTER**

Sat 4/23 5pm	T Simmons	M Luciana, J Furey
Sun 4/24 9am	E Vogelsberg	S Vogelsberg, M Burns
10:30am	C Smith	S. Munks, J Cassano
12 n	B Heins	M Arias

**LIGHTHOUSE CATHOLIC MEDIA – CD'S**

In Church there is a display offering various CD's \$3.00 donation per CD . . . CD's available include:  
**THE SAVING POWER OF DIVINE MERCY**  
**THE MIRACLE OF DIVINE MERCY**  
**ST. JOSEPH-THE PATRON OF THE UNIVERSAL CHURCH**  
**THE SEVEN PILLARS OF CATHOLIC SPIRITUALITY**

**1<sup>st</sup> LT. LOUIS ALLEN SCHOLARSHIP FUNDRAISER**

Wingfling hosted by the 1st Lt Louis Allen Scholarship & [Community](http://www.communityfoundation.org) Foundation

Sat., April 30 3 to 7pm . . . Cost is \$25. Age 21+  
GW's Tavern . . . 78 Brookside Ave (ShopRite mall), Chester

**ANNUAL GOLDEN WEDDING JUBILEE MASS**

Couples celebrating their 50<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary anytime during 2016 are invited to attend the Annual Golden Wedding Jubilee Mass at the Cathedral of Saint Patrick, Saturday, June 25<sup>th</sup> at 1:30pm or Sunday, June 26<sup>th</sup> at 2pm. Pre-registration is required. Please call the parish office 469-2108 to register. The closing date to register is May 20<sup>th</sup>. Event is sponsored by the *Family Life † Respect Life Office* of the Archdiocese of N. Y.

