

SEPTEMBER 4, 2016
TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 4 – 4:30pm Confessions; 5:00pm Vigil Mass
Sunday: 9:00am; 10:30am & 6:00pm

**12Noon Mass will resume next Sunday,
September 11th**

HOLY MASS INTENTIONS



SATURDAY 3

5pm **Annalisa Scalia**; family

SUNDAY 4

9am **Blanca Baleros**; Alice Ruiz

10:30 **Robert Benedict**; Rich & Sue Lakis

6pm **Iris Gonzalez Cordova**; Gonzalez & Cordova family

MONDAY 5

8:15 **Eunice Sloat**; Lees family

TUESDAY 6

8:15 **Robert Balfour**; Lees family

WEDNESDAY 7

6pm **Robert Turnbull**; Susan & John Healy

THURSDAY 8

8:15 **Kay Mellon**; John & Monica Nilsen

FRIDAY 9

8:15 **Andrew Palmer Sr.**; family

SATURDAY 10

8:15 **Frances Sica**; Jeanette Lee Fey

5pm **Patrick Bailey & Robert Mascarelli**; family

SUNDAY 11

9am **Rose Bosko**; Mutino family

10:30 **Robert Benedict**; JoAnn & Joseph Maraglino

Noon **Donald Tuzio**; family

6pm **Pasqua Sorresso**; Fontan family

Your prayers are requested for those who are sick:

Cecilia Layson, Romeo Dela Cruz, Daria Bekersky, Katie Rogan, Lawrence Schall, Jack Collins, Andrew Milza, Jim Dutra, Edgar Labi, Joan Bonomi, Teresa Patruno, Mila Werlitz, 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 Verizzo, Larry Higgins, Rosemary Schiano, Cecilia Rivera, Allison Florio, Vinnie Greco, Nikita Zanichkowsky, Donna Fagan, Karlene Gray, Rosa Maria Ramos, Donald Maynard, Janet Simonson, Ricky Calderin, Bob Gatt

Your prayers are requested for those who have died.

CHESTER REMEMBERS - 9/11 VICTIMS AND SURVIVORS

We will never forget...
9-11-01

Sunday, September 11th 1:00pm

Chester Kiwanis 9/11 Remembrance Memorial
Community Park on Vadala Lane in the Village of Chester
Please come together with Father John, Reverend Erin Moore, the fire department, emergency responders, various groups and organizations from Saint Columba and the Chester Community as they gather to **REMEMBER**.

**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



MESSAGE OF GRATITUDE FROM DEACON RORY

This summer we had the pleasure of hosting Deacon Rory Desmond. He spoke on behalf of the Propagation of the Faith. We received so many positive responses from our parishioners. We all enjoyed his visit.

Deacon Rory writes:

On Behalf of Bishop George, the people of the Diocese of Miao and me I am writing to express a profound thank you for your exceptional welcome and kindness. "I was a stranger and you welcomed me." It was a grace to receive your loving gracious and kind welcome when I came to visit you for a Mission appeal. Thank you for your generous donation which will be put to such critical use in Miao. The people of Miao are deeply grateful for your prayers, concern and help.

It is a blessing to have been with you. I thank you for your prayers and your loving concern for the people of Miao. Your kindness is greatly appreciated. Be assured of our prayers.

God Bless, Deacon Rory Desmond

SECOND COLLECTION

Second collection is for maintenance & utilities.

"IN LOVING MEMORY"

MEMORIALS & SPECIAL INTENTIONS

ALTAR CANDLES are burning this week in memory of:

Rose Bosko; req: Mutino family

BLUE VIGIL LIGHT in the Chapel is burning this week in memory of:

Donald Tuzio; req: daughter, Jeannie

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**FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST THE SANCTUARY LIGHTS  
ARE BURNING IN LOVING MEMORY OF:**

**RED: Anna & Joseph Rapisardo**; req: Talarico family

**WHITE: Andrew Palmer Sr.**; req: family

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

**TWO GRAND SERIES . . .** Week #18 – 8/28/16

#151 Peter's family and #89 Pungello family

**LADIES AUXILIARY**



**VENDORS WANTED. . . DO YOU KNOW A VENDOR OR IF YOU ARE A VENDOR YOURSELF, PLEASE PASS THE WORD & SIGN UP FOR THE ST COLUMBA HARVEST FAIR!!!!**

Sat Nov 5-1pm – 7pm & Sun. Nov 6 – 9am -2pm  
1 day: 1 table = \$30. / 2 tables = \$40.  
2 days: 1 table + \$50. / 2 tables = \$60.

For more info contact Sue Anne Vogelsberg, 845 783-6107

**"Macy\*s Shop For a Cause"**

The Ladies Auxiliary appreciates your support of our recent "Macy\*s Shop For a Cause" fundraiser. 87 passes were sold, earning \$435.00 for our Parish! Thanks for your continued support!

The Ladies Auxiliary resumes their monthly meetings Weds. Sept 14. We'll begin our evening praying the Rosary in the side chapel at 5:30. Our meeting begins after the 6 PM Mass in BVH. All ladies of our Parish are welcome to join us and discuss our upcoming events for the year. For more information, please contact Sue Anne Vogelsberg 783-6107 or [samv1021@gmail.com](mailto:samv1021@gmail.com)

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM 2016-2017 SCHOOL YEAR**

Classes begin: Sunday Program: September 18<sup>th</sup>  
Wednesday Program: September 21<sup>st</sup>

**ALL STUDENTS MUST BE REGISTERED BEFORE THE FIRST DAY OF CLASS. NO REGISTRATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED ON THAT DAY.**

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

**NURSERY/PRE-SCHOOL – OFFERING AM & PM CLASSES  
FULL DAY CLASSES M-W-F 9am-2:30pm**

This faith based program is for 3 & 4 year old children. Classes will have a certified teacher and an aide.

For more information contact: Susan Munks, Coordinator of Rel. Ed. 845 469-9503; [stcolumbareligion@gmail.com](mailto:stcolumbareligion@gmail.com)

**SAINT COLUMBA TEEN CLUB**

The Teen Club met recently to discuss plans for this coming year. All High School Students are welcome to join in on the fun. If you are thinking about it, please contact Mrs. Liz Vargas, Teen Club advisor @ [elvargas320@gmail.com](mailto:elvargas320@gmail.com).

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When you enroll in the **PARISHPAY** Program, your contribution is collected from your checking, savings or credit card account and forwarded electronically to our parish. Log on to [www.parishpay.com](http://www.parishpay.com) or call 1-866-727-4741 ext 1. The Second Collection is in the "special offering" category. Whether you choose **PARISHPAY** or the envelope system, we appreciate your willingness to increase your weekly contribution.

**SHOPRITE GIFT CARDS**

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

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

**ORANGE COUNTY LIFE CHAIN - A Pro-Life Family Event**

Sun., Oct. 2 from 2 to 3:30PM - Route 211, Middletown  
(Beginning near the Galleria at Crystal Run)

For information, please call 496-0391



**NEW EVENT @ SAINT COLUMBA**

**TAKING RESERVATIONS FOR:  
"DESIGNER HANDBAG BINGO"**

**SAVE THE DATE  
SEPTEMBER 30<sup>th</sup> . . . 7:00pm**



**CHESTER COMMUNITY FOOD PANTRY - "THANK YOU"**

We are grateful and proud of all parishioners who generously and consistently contribute throughout the year. Many times over the summer, donations slow down but not this summer and not here at Saint Columba. The food pantry closet has been full. When school supplies were requested, your response was immediate and generous. Thank you for your kindness and support.

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 1<sup>st</sup> Presbyterian Church of Chester

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED:**

The pantry is in need of help especially on the 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday of each month from 3 – 7pm. Volunteers who are bi-lingual would be appreciated. (845 469-4877)

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

The Knights meet on the third Monday of the month - 7:30pm.

**OUR LADY OF FATIMA STATUE**

It is over 4 years since our Pilgrim Statue of Our Lady of Fatima has visited parish homes. Please consider bringing the Statue home for one week. At the Wednesday, 6pm Mass, Our Lady will be given to the next person & returned on the following Wednesday.

Those who open up their homes to Our Lady and to their friends and families do an immeasurable good. 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.

**"THAT MAN IS YOU!"**

*That Man is You!* is an interactive men's program combining the best research from science with the teachings of the Catholic faith and the wisdom of the saints to develop the vision of a man fully alive. By honestly addressing the pressures and temptations that men face in our modern culture, *That Man is You!* seeks to form men who will be capable of transforming homes and society.

Saint Anastasia Church / Cardinal O'Connor Room  
21 North Main St., Harriman, N

Saturday mornings starting Sept. 17<sup>th</sup> . . . 7:30am Breakfast;  
8am Presentation; 8:30 Small Group Discussion; 9am Conclusion

To register: [www.thatmanisyou.org](http://www.thatmanisyou.org)

9/10 & 11

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| Sat | 5pm   | B. Conrad     | D. Conrad, G. Guerra    |
| Sun | 9am   | E. Vogelsberg | S. Vogelsberg, J. Furey |
|     | 10:30 | D. David-Gil  | S. Munks, J. Marion     |
|     | Noon  | B. Mutino     | G. Butts, E. Bottorf    |

**LECTOR . . . . EUCHARISTIC MINISTER**