

February 11, 2018 - Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Holy Mass Intentions

SATURDAY 10

5pm **Joanne Palmer**; family

SUNDAY 11

9am **Guiseppe Curaba**; Mr. & Mrs. Frank Urso

10:30 **Janine Hartwick**; Anita, Dolores

Noon **Alice Mularkey**; Rich & Mary Collins

MONDAY 12

8:15 **Sam Battiato**; Tom Simmons

TUESDAY 13

8:15 **Joyce Donald**; family

ASH WEDNESDAY 14

8:15 **Danny Anguti**; Jode & Jerry Furey

6pm **Angela Dobarro**; Carmen & Joe Verbert

THURSDAY 15

8:15 **Doyle L. Thomas**; Michael Phillips Jr.

FRIDAY 16

8:15 **George Grumbach Sr.**; Mr. & Mrs. Kenneth Harrington

SATURDAY 17

8:15 **Doyle Thomas**; John & Mary Coyle

5pm **Fr. Salvatore Paterno**; Rose Mary Cella

SUNDAY 18

9am **Andrea Cushing**; Grasso family

10:30 **Dec. mem of the Cairo family**; Sloan family

Noon **Alice Mularkey**; Kathryn Collins

SECOND COLLECTION

The second collection is for Church & School repairs.

Your prayers are requested for those who are sick:

John Mattera, Ralph Schiano, Margaret Relihan, Donald J. Maloney, Jeanne Yost, Sam Gould, Tara Boljonis, Makeda Norman, Benjamin Howard, Kelly Petrocelli, Sue Orts, Kyle Petrocelli, Connie Yacenda, Thomas PlaHovinsak, Carmen Almirol, Cecilia Layson, Mary Bessinger, Laurie Patterson, Terry Bradley, Romeo Dela Cruz, Daria Bekersky, Katie Rogan, Andrew Milza, Joan Bonomi, Teresa Patruno, Mila Werlitz, Andrew Upson, James Fox, Nancy Rhodes Mayo, Justin Holland, Gabriella Nelson, Joseph Michael Kennedy, Patrick Finley, Edward Allen, Dylan Witmer, Marie Tobin, Jon 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, Gabe Fritz, Laura Favorule, Susan Zikoyanis, Barbara Williams, Michael Medina, Mary Ackerman, Valerie Moore, Sylvia Muccio, Joe Kennedy, Frank Rich, Br. John Lawrence, Emily Scrobe, Anya Quinn, Kim Salotti, Robert Weis, Alan Wilson, Charles Youngberg, Alice Verlizzo, Larry Higgins, Cecilia Rivera, Allison Florio, Vinnie Greco, Donna Fagan, Nikita Zanichkowsky, Karlene Gray, Rosa Maria Ramos, Donald Maynard, Janet Simonson, Ricky Calderin, Bob Gatt

Your prayers are requested for those who have died.

THE HOLY SEASON OF LENT BEGINS FEBRUARY 14th



ASHES WILL BE DISTRIBUTED:

HOLY MASS: 8:15am; 6pm

PRAYER SERVICE: 12Noon; 4pm

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

EVERY FRIDAY IN LENT 7pm . . . STARTS FEBRUARY 16th

Helpful ideas as you start your Lenten journey:

Give up complaining . . . focus on Gratitude

Give up pessimism . . . become an Optimist

Give up worry . . . Trust Divine Providence

Give up bitterness . . . turn to Forgiveness

Give up hatred . . . return Good for evil

Give up negativism . . . be Positive

Give up anger . . . Be More Patient

Give up pettiness . . . become Mature

Give up gloom . . . enjoy the Beauty all around you

Give up jealousy . . . pray for Trust

Give up gossiping . . . control your Tongue

Give up sin . . . turn to Virtue

Give up giving up . . . Hang in there!

ASH WEDNESDAY COLLECTION

Ash Wednesday collection will support Deacon Rory Desmond and his mission work in the Diocese of Miao in India.

ST COLUMBA LADIES AUXILIARY

MEETING: FEBRUARY 14th

The Ladies Auxiliary meet on the 2nd 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. Meeting is after Mass. For information: janicemarion@outlook.com

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

Saint Michael, please keep them safe.



Rocco Church, Tyler Correa, Alex Davis, Mark Gonzalez, Michael Grasso, Erin Johnson, Alex Kaczor, Kayla Marion Katt, Mark Lawlor, Lauren

Lucena, Matthew Mackay, Draven Mena, Ryan Michaels, Evan Pacer, Michael Polanski, Anthony Ruiz, Cory Seipp, Ryan Sheehan, Josh Truman, David J. Wiley

MEMORIALS & SPECIAL INTENTIONS

ALTAR CANDLES and **HOST & WINE** are dedicated this week in loving memory of: **Rudy Bilcik**; req: Bilcik family

BLUE VIGIL LIGHT in the Chapel is burning this week in loving memory of: **Donald Tuzio**; req: daughter, Jeannie

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

RED: Christopher Furey; req: Mom & Dad

WHITE: George Keller; req: Joe & Jerry Furey

BLESSED SACRAMENT: Bob & Frank Piliere; req: family

TRICKY TRAY . . . APRIL 20, 2018

OUR BIGGEST FUNDRAISING EVENT OF THE YEAR!!!

WISH LIST: Restaurant Gift Cards; Store Gift Cards; Kindle; Keurig Echo Dot; Girl/Boy Bike; Alex & Anni jewelry; Wind & Fire bracelets; Pandora jewelry

WHAT WOULD YOU LIKE TO SEE AS A BIG TICKET ITEM? THE POSSIBILITIES ARE ENDLESS!

We would appreciate anything you might do. For information, please call the parish office 469-2108; iona2@frontiernet.net

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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

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

PAJAMA DRIVE

Thank you to all who have already donated pajamas! Inspire will be collecting new pajamas (newborn-age 18) . . . any season & size. All pajamas collected will be distributed to children in need from various organizations throughout Orange County. There are boxes in the Church vestibule, School and in the Parish Office.

KIWANIS CLUB OF CHESTER - FISH & CHIPS DINNER

This Friday, February 16th - serving from 4 to 7pm

Advanced Sale Tickets: contact any Chester Kiwanis member, call (845) 469-2534, email KiwansClubofChester@Yahoo.com

Eat in or take out: \$ 16.00 Adults

\$ 13.00 Senior (65+) & children 12 & under

Chester Academy, 64 Hambletonian Ave. Chester, N Y 10918

FUNDRAISING NIGHT . . . AT THE CHESTER DINER

MARCH 20th . . . 3 to 8pm

Our restaurant fundraisers have been so well received by our parish. It's a fun thing to do with family & friends & it helps St. Columba as well. Please support our fundraiser by presenting a coupon at the Chester Diner and 10% of your total food purchase is donated to our parish.

FREE TAX PREPARATION - provided by certified preparers

Available to anyone, any age, no restrictions

Tuesdays 9am to 1pm – February 6th to April 10th

St. Paul's Episcopal Church, 101 Main St., Chester

By appointment ...call 2-1-1 (or 1-800-899-1479)

For questions, please call 845-469-7317.



Last week the Teen Club hosted "Empanada Night." The kids and adults (including Father John) had a good time as Elsie Podolsky gave a cooking lesson. All took some delicious empanadas home to enjoy.

FAITH FIRST EARLY LEARNING CENTER @ ST COLUMBA NURSERY/PRE-SCHOOL – OFFERING AM & PM CLASSES

FULL DAY CLASSES - 5 Days . . . Mon - Fri 9am-2:30pm

The mission of "Faith First" is to provide a Christ-centered, safe and nurturing environment with developmentally appropriate programs for 3 & 4 year olds. Our curriculum provides experiences that foster spiritual, social, emotional, physical & academic growth as well as school readiness skills.

Classes will have a certified teacher & an aide. For more information contact: Susan Munks, Coordinator of Religious Education; 845 469-9503; stcolumbareligion@gmail.com

TWO GRAND SERIES - WEEK 13 – 02/04/18

#56 Donnelly family and #134 Benedict family

	LECTOR	EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER
2/14 . . . ASH WEDNESDAY		
8:15am	B. MUTINO	J. MARION, R. TUZIO
6pm	C. CALDERIN	J. FUREY, S. VOGELSBERG
2/17 & 18		
5pm	T. SIMMONS	M. LUCIANA, C. RODRIGUEZ
9am	E. VOGELSBERG	S. VOGELSBERG M. BURNS
10:30	D. DAVID-GIL	J. CASSANO, L. VARGAS
Noon	B. HEINS	C. CALDERIN, J. MARION

OPEN HOUSE FOR CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

Open house dates are: **February 13, March 13, & April 24 from 9-11 am or by appointment**

We invite you to experience a Catholic school in action by attending an open house event "**Touring Tuesday**" or by scheduling a private tour.

Most Precious Blood 180 Ulster Avenue, Walden

Our Lady of Mt Carmel 205 Wawayanda Ave, Middletown

Sacred Heart New Windsor 148 Windsor Hwy, New Windsor

Sacred Heart Monroe 26 Still Road, Monroe

St. John 77 Murray Avenue, Goshen

St. Stephen/St. Edward 75 Sanfordville Road, Warwick