

Mass Intentions

THE HOLY FAMILY
OF JESUS, MARY AND JOSEPH
December 30, 2018



Saturday, December 29th

- 9:00 Eleanor LaMotta req; by DeDe Burke
5:30 Vincent J. Buchan req. by The Ventura Family

Sunday, December 30th

- 7:30 For the Living & Deceased Members
of St. Patrick's Parish
9:00 Michael Santangelo req. by Lisa Santangelo
10:30 Michael Santangelo req. by Lisa Santangelo
12:00 Michael Santangelo req. by Lisa Santangelo
5:30 Helen Carroll req. by Michael O'Meara

Monday, December 31st

- 7:00 Kathleen Smith req. by The Voltaggio Family
9:00 Humberto & Sergio Jorquera req. by Sarah Jorquera
& David Kulowiec
5:30 The Mannix Family req. by The Zaminsky Family

Tuesday, January 1st

- 9:00 Fedor Bartels req. by Christine Meyer
11:00 Alexander Majthenyi req. by The Voltaggio Family

Wednesday, January 2nd

- 7:00 Deborah Vozzi req. by John & Lisa Sauro
9:00 Kenneth F. Cacase req. by Denis & Lynn Harrington

Thursday, January 3rd

- 7:00 --
9:00 Stephen Hughes req. by The Timmel Family

Friday, January 4th

- 7:00 Lorna Brown req. by Vic Ziminsky
9:00 Patricia Donohue req. by Sr. Kathleen Fitzgerald

Saturday, January 5th

- 9:00 Judith Perkinson Corbett req. by the Munson Family
5:30 Kathleen Rafferty req. by The Mannion Family

Sunday, January 6th

- 7:30 For the Living & Deceased Members
of St. Patrick's Parish
9:00 Alexander Majthenyi req. by The Crummy Family
10:30 Dr. & Mrs. Frank Celenza req. by Emil Cappetta
12:00 Laura & Joseph Del Riccio req. by Rose Cannistraci
5:30 Vincent J. & Vincent D. Luccarelli req. By Family

RECENT COLLECTIONS:

December 23, 2018
Not available at time of printing
Last year: \$6,440

Pray for the Sick

Clara Asaro, Krista Bugenhagen,
Marie Doescher, John Flynn, John Gill, Molly Henry,
Francine Holley, Richie Hughes, Freeman Huntington,
Michael Lage, Liz Leinhard, Kevin Mahoney, Kelly Mealia,
Daphne Root, Drew Swiss, Dr. Michael Walsh,
Eileen Riley Zawada
and all who request our prayers

Service Personnel Prayer List

The names listed below are service personnel serving in
our nation's armed forces who are relatives of our
parishioners. Please keep them in your prayers.

Darren Adler/Marines
Charlie Carr /Air Force
Richard Hughes/Marines
Steven Scully/Marines
Thomas M. Stevenson/Army

THE CATHOLIC
UNIVERSITY
OF AMERICA



Next weekend, we will be taking up the National
Collection for The Catholic University. Your
investment will enable the University to continue
to support the Church and to advance its work of
preparing the next generation of leadership, both
religious and lay, of our Church and nation.
Thank you for your generosity. You can learn
more at: collection.catholic.edu Envelopes are
available in the back of the Church



*Please consider a Flower Donation in
memory of a loved one or special intention.
Many weekends in January, February
& March are available!
Call the Parish Office 234-3344*

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK:

In ancient Roman religion and mythology, *Janus* is the god of beginnings and transitions and also of gates, doors, endings and time. He is usually depicted in art as a two-faced god; one face looking back and one face looking forward. He looks both to the past and to the future. The Romans dedicated the month of January to Janus.

As we approach the end of a year and look forward to the beginning of a new year of grace, we find ourselves in a place in time similar to Janus. The media in these final days of 2018 recounts the events of the year. We hear of the famous people who have died, the natural disasters that have occurred and the continued unrest in our world. We recall too the sad news of the problems in our Church. 2018 will soon be part of the world's history and it will be part of our history as well. Has the past year brought us any closer to God? Has the glow of Christmas already begun to fade?

Now all we can do is look forward with optimism and hope to a brighter year as 2019 begins. May it be the year that peace comes to our world and divisions are healed. May it be a year when each of us grows closer to the Lord whose birth we have just celebrated. May it be a time that we try to bring the light and life of Christ into the lives of those we encounter each day. Let us each make some *spiritual* resolutions to deepen our commitment to following Christ.

Together with Fr. Joseph I wish each of you a very prosperous, healthy and grace-filled New Year!!
Happy New Year!
Msgr. John T. Ferry, Pastor

Words of Inspiration:

Forgive as You Have Been Forgiven

When someone loves deeply, forgiveness is evident. A lover wants to be with the loved one, that is all. If we love and want all people to be free to bear fruit, we will be a people of forgiveness. We will no longer be governed by our inner hurts or need to prove our worth; we will yearn for the growth of all people in peace and unity. To be a peacemaker and work for unity is a struggle. It is not easy to accept forgiveness or to forgive. It is not easy to shed our self-centeredness. At the heart of the process of forgiveness is the desire to be liberated from negative passions, from sharp dislikes and hatred. This is a desire that starts us on the road to true forgiveness.

Jean Vanier
Becoming Human

Ministry Reminders

Men's Ministry meets Saturday, January 5th at 7:30am in the Church Meeting Room.

Coffee Sunday: January 6th after the 9, 10:30 and Noon Masses. Church Meeting Room.

Respect Life Spiritual Adoption Program:

Starting in January, we will be initiating our Spiritual Adoption Program for the 17th year. Once again, we are asking you to make a personal commitment to pray for one unborn child who is in danger of being aborted. You are being asked to "spiritually adopt" this one unknown baby for the next 9 months by giving the baby a name and by praying daily that he or she will be carried to term and experience the fullness of life.



St. Patrick's Food Drive

All non-perishable food donations can be left in the Church vestibule **January 5th & 6th**

Thanks to your generosity, the Center is able to help more than 2,000 families in 38 communities throughout Westchester County.

If you'd like to volunteer for this ministry, please contact Diane Bamford
diane.r.bamford@gmail.com

For more information about the Center, please visit their website
www.communitycenternw.org

Save the Date!!! Parish Bowling Night!

On Sunday, January 27th, from 6:30 pm to 8:30 pm, we will be holding a Parish Bowling Night at the Grand Prix in Mt. Kisco. It will be a fun time for all with bowling and food. Please save the date and plan to join us! More details will be forthcoming in the bulletin.

FORMED: We hope you are enjoying the free parish subscription to www.formed.org which gives you access to quality Catholic on line programs, movies, audios, and books. Simply register with parish code T74C9Q and enjoy. Today is the Feast of the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph. Study: *Beloved: Mystery and Meaning of Marriage* or *Living Marriage*. Watch: *Joseph of Nazareth* or *Mary of Nazareth*; or listen to: *Marriage and Family, Three to Get Married, How to Apply Faith to our Families, Counting Your Blessings* or *Be a Man!*



**Calling all Girl Scouts, Boy Scouts
and Cub Scouts**

**St. Patrick's Scout Sunday
Bedford, NY
February 3, 2019
9 am Mass
Reception following**

Each year the Anniversary of Scouting is celebrated during the month of February. To honor the ideals of Scouting, join your St. Patrick's Community to celebrate Scout Sunday on February 3rd. Wear your scout uniform to the 9am Mass and join us for a reception afterwards. Scouts of all ages are welcome.

Let us know if you would like to be a reader at the Mass (4th grade and older) or if you can bring a baked item for the reception.

If you can attend, read or bring a baked item, please respond to Bridget McNamee at bridgetbob@hotmail.com



Capuchin Youth & Family Ministries is thrilled to invite you and your students and their families to our new retreat: **FULLY ALIVE.**

Join your friends January 18 - 20, 2019

Fully Alive: March for Life Trip & Life Retreat:

Discover the beautiful teachings of the Church about the Dignity of all Human Life. Weekend includes truthful talks on tough topics and bus trip to the 2019 March for Life! High school teens & their parents are welcome to join us for this program. Registration fees: \$125.00 includes materials, food, lodging & bus fare to/from Washington, DC; \$80 deposit due by deadline 1/11/18; scholarships are available, info/application at cyfm.org. Find us on Facebook, Twitter, Instagram and Flocknote: CYFMGarrison. Capuchin Youth & Family Ministries, 781 Route 9D, PO Box 192, Garrison, NY (845) 424-3609.



LONGEST MARRIED COUPLE SEARCH

The search begins for the longest married couple in the Archdiocese of New York!

To enter: Couples must be sacramentally married for a minimum of 65 years and reside in the Archdiocese of New York.

The longest married couples will receive commemorative certificates signed by His Eminence, Timothy Cardinal Dolan. Couples will be interviewed and featured in an article in *Catholic New York*. Winners will be determined by how long the couple has been married as of

**World Marriage Day,
February 10, 2019.**

For further info, contact Joan Brisson at the Family Life Office at 646-794-3190 or joan.brisson@archny.org.

Deadline for entries is 5pm on January 24, 2019.

The Living Cornerstone, A Christian Gift & Book Store in Mt. Kisco has asked us to announce that, after 30 years in business, they are closing their doors in January, 2019. They are offering a huge discount of 50% off the price for all their inventory. They invite you to take advantage of this unique opportunity to purchase items for current as well as possible future needs. They wish to thank you for your loyal support through the years! For store hours, please call: 914-666-8288.



Camp Bernadette for girls and Camp Fatima for boys are now accepting registrations for the 2019 summer session. The camps are located in the Lakes Region of NH, offer 2-week overnight sessions for children, ages 6-15. Round trip bus transportation is available out of Long Island. For more information or to request a brochure, contact Brendan Stackhouse at 603-364-5851 or email brendan@bfcamp.com