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**Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
July 19, 2015**

**SERVED BY**

Rev. Herbert T. DeGaris, Administrator  
Deacon Paul Weireter  
Rev. Gerard P. Travers, Pastor Emeritus

**THE SACRAMENT OF THE EUCHARIST**

**Sunday**

Saturday Evening Anticipated Mass.....5:30 PM  
Sunday Morning..... 7:30, 9:00, 10:30 AM, 12:00 Noon

**Weekday**

Monday thru Saturday.....9:00 AM

**Holy Days of Obligation**

Vigil Mass.....5:30 PM  
Holy Day.....9:00 AM & 7:30 PM

**ROSARY:** Recited Monday thru Saturday after 9:00 AM Mass

**NOVENA:** Every Monday morning after the 9:00 AM Mass the Miraculous Medal Novena is prayed.

**FIRST FRIDAY ADORATION:** Every First Friday after the 9:00 AM Mass until 10:00 AM concluding with Benediction.

**PARISH OFFICE**

Located in the Parish Center next to the C.C.D. Office....928-6027  
928-2982 - fax

Monday thru Thursday.....9:30 AM to 3:00 PM  
Friday.....9:30 to 11:30 AM

**PARISH RECTORY**

26 Hunter Street.....928-9219

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM**.....928-6688  
928-2982 - fax

**YOUTH GROUP**.....928-9219

**THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:** Confessions are heard on Saturday afternoon from 4:30 to 5:15 PM and anytime upon reasonable request.

**THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:** Second & fourth Sundays at 1:00 PM. Expectant parents may contact the parish office to arrange for the baptism seminar class on the third Thursday of every month. The class is held in the Religious Education Building, Room 7 at 7:30 PM. Adults are baptized and confirmed at the Easter Vigil after completing the stages of the Rite of Christian Initiation.

**RCIA – Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults:** A process for those who wish to enter the Catholic Faith, or for present Catholic individuals who after being baptized need to receive the sacraments of Holy Eucharist and Confirmation. For more information, please call our Parish Office.

**THE SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY:** Since Catholic marriage requires a time of preparation, arrangements should begin at least six months before the proposed date of the wedding to allow for the Marriage Preparation Program and Natural Family Planning (NFP).

**PASTORAL CARE OF THE SICK:** If you are planning to enter the hospital for surgery, experiencing a prolonged or serious illness, or homebound, call the parish office to arrange for the sacraments of reconciliation, communion and anointing at home. Communal anointing of the sick is celebrated at Mass during the Advent and Lenten seasons.

**WELCOME TO NEW PARISHIONERS:** The Saint Patrick faith community warmly welcomes you! Please introduce yourself to the celebrant of the mass you are attending as you leave the church so that, on behalf of the entire community, you may be welcomed. You can register at the parish office and receive any information needed from the office receptionist.

**MISSION STATEMENT**

Saint Patrick Parish is a Christian community of disciples in the Roman Catholic tradition, called by Jesus, united in Eucharistic worship and growing in faith, hope and love. Nourished through the sacraments and strengthened by God's transforming love, we are empowered to know the gospel message and to bear witness to others. As Christian stewards, we are thankful for God's many gifts and we commit ourselves to share our time, talent and treasure in Christ-like service within our parish community and beyond. We seek God's blessing and guidance to be faithful to this mission.

**MASS INTENTIONS****SUNDAY, JULY 19, 2015**

- 7:30 For the People of the Parish
- 9:00 Michael Lennon By Ron & Mary Hanley
- 10:30 Godofredo Tangonan By Tangonan Family
- 12:00 Bruce Family By Martha Bruce

**MONDAY, JULY 20, 2015**

- 9:00 Repose for the Soul of Joseph Caldera  
By Quigley Family

**TUESDAY, JULY 21, 2015**

- 9:00 Ann Marie Novobilski By Tom Urtz

**WEDNESDAY JULY 22, 2015**

- 9:00 Cliff Nystedt By Castro Family

**THURSDAY, JULY 23, 2015**

- 9:00 Amelia Podesta By Tom Urtz

**FRIDAY, JULY 24, 2015**

- 9:00 Herbert B. & Philomena DeGaris

**SATURDAY, JULY 25, 2015**

- 9:00 Henry Slevin By Slevin Family
- 5:30 Marie Vasseur By Louis Cerqua

**SUNDAY, July 26, 2015**

- 7:30 For the People of the Parish
- 9:00 Heidi Amell By Judy & Mike Manza
- 10:30 Stella Nastarowicz By Kulak Family
- 12:00 Karol Rudzinski By Hieronim Rudzinski & Family

**HYMNS FOR THIS WEEKEND**

**Entrance:** I Heard the Voice of Jesus BB-466

**Preparation of the Gifts:** Like a Shepherd BB-617

**Communion Chant:** Gift of Finest Wheat BB-328

**Communion Chant 2:** Because the Lord Is My Shepherd  
BB-464

**Sending Forth:** We Are the Light of the World BB-608

*Called Home to God*

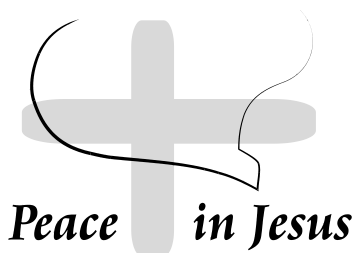
Dennis M. Martin

Joseph C. Gianzero

June 21, 2015

July 13, 2015

*May their souls rest in Peace.*

**SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME****First Reading: Jeremiah 23:1-6**

In this passage, God denounces false leaders who have scattered his people. He promises that they will be reunited and led by one who is just and wise.

**Second Reading: Ephesians 2:13-18**

Paul explains that through Jesus Christ, there is no longer hostility between Gentile and Jew. Instead, through the Spirit of Christ, both groups become one body and are equal in the eyes of God.

**Gospel: Mark 6:30-34**

The apostles returned after their first mission and told Jesus what they had done and taught. He told them to rest, but the people kept coming to them. So they went to find a private place, but the people learned where they were going and arrived first. Jesus felt sorry for them and decided to teach them instead of resting.

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**COLLECTIONS**

July 12, 2015                      \$ 4,890.00  
July 13, 2014                      \$ 5,770.00

Attendance: 497                      Envelope Users: 172



*the* **CARDINAL'S**  
ANNUAL STEWARDSHIP APPEAL  
*Sharing God's Gifts* <sup>2015</sup>

As of Wednesday, July 8th, 2015, we have raised \$49,450.25 from 154 gifts. This puts at **102%** of our goal of \$48,000.00. Once again because of your generosity our parish has reached and surpassed its goal.

**FROM FR. HERB**

Dear Friends,

As I mentioned at each mass last weekend, Cardinal Dolan has appointed me to the Church of the Immaculate Conception, located in Stony Point, N.Y. (Rockland County). Rev. Charles Szivos has been appointed as the new Pastor/Administrator of St. Patrick's. Both of our assignments begin on Saturday, August 1<sup>st</sup>, 2015.

On Sunday, July 26<sup>th</sup>, after the 12 noon mass, there will be a reception in the Lower Church Hall. This is a wonderful way, for me, to show my thanks and appreciation, to as many of you as possible, for your prayers and support over the past two years. I know that this is short notice from last week's announcement. I look forward to seeing all of you there. Please stop by.

May God's grace and mercy continue to guide each of us in our imitation of Christ Jesus.

- Rev. Herbert T. DeGaris

**Religious Education News**

The Religious Ed. Office will be closed for the weeks of:

July 20-24  
August 10-14  
August 17-21



**ALTAR ROSARY SOCIETY NEWS**

The Rosary Altar Society holds meetings every first Saturday, after 9am Mass, following the Rosary. We are looking for new members to enlighten our ministry to the Blessed Virgin Mary. All who may be willing to serve, please contact Debbie Caldwell at 928-7681.

**AA MEETINGS**

Every Monday, 6:30 pm – 7:30 pm and Wednesday, 6:30 pm – 7:30 pm and 7:45 pm – 8:45 pm, Double Meeting, in the Lower Church Hall.

**NEWS FROM THE ARCHDIOCESE**

Earlier this month, each parish received the following memorandum from the Office of the Vicar General:

"Please be advised that parishes, institutions and programs of the archdiocese are not to promote, support or be involved with any activities of Father Frank Pavone or any other representative of *Priests for Life* or its related organizations (e.g., *Rachels' Vineyard*, *Silent No More*, *Gospel of Life Ministries*). This includes fund-raising activities, speaking engagements, publicity, and events.

The archdiocese has significant unresolved concerns about the operation of *Priests for Life* and its related organizations. Should this status change, we will be sure to let you know."

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Earlier this month each parish received the following memorandum from the Office of the Cardinal:

"The Holy Father will celebrate Mass at Madison Square Garden on Friday evening, September 25. Presently, the Mass is scheduled for 6:30pm.

Over the course of the next month the details of the Holy Father's visit will be finalized. Regular communications will then be released on the Mass, other events, motorcades, etc.

Regarding tickets to the Mass, please keep in mind that the visit is brief – one day – and that Madison Square Garden holds about half of Yankee Stadium – used for previous Papal visits. Parishes will receive tickets based on a formula using Mass attendance to ensure that all parishes are treated equally. There will, however, be a minimum number of tickets for every parish so that smaller parishes are not at a disadvantage.

Upon his arrival in New York on Thursday evening, September 24, the Holy Father will go directly to Saint Patrick's Cathedral for an evening prayer service. Representative priests of the Archdiocese of New York, Diocese of Brooklyn, and Diocese of Rockville Centre will be invited to the cathedral. I imagine they will be our deans, presbyteral council members, college of consultors, and members of other committees in service to our priests.

Again, you can expect to receive additional and more specific communications as we move into August."

**Natural Family Planning Awareness Week  
July 19<sup>th</sup> – July 26<sup>th</sup>**

Each year the USCCB dedicates a week in July as Natural Family Planning (NFP) Awareness Week. This week highlights the anniversary of the papal encyclical *Humanae Vitae*. The encyclical beautifully articulates respect for God's design for authentic love through the gift of human sexuality, conjugal love and responsible parenthood. The dates also mark the feasts of Saints Joachim and Anne (July 26), the parents of the blessed Mother. Married couples who use NFP report many benefits including better communication between spouses, increased emotional maturity, deeper understanding of each other's bodies and growth and respect for God's gift of fertility. For NFP resources please visit [www.USCCB/NFP.org](http://www.USCCB/NFP.org) or <http://nyfamilylife.org/natural-family-planning/>

**Highland Mills Food Pantry**  
**Housed at The United Methodist Church**  
**654 Route 32 @ Ridge Road**

The pantry is available to anyone in the Woodbury Community. It provides food to 30-40 families every week. It is open Fridays from 11am – 12 noon, for people to receive food packages. Donations of non perishable foods from St. Patrick's parishioners may be placed in the basket to the left as you enter our church. A donation of one item, per family, per week, would overflow the basket! Please bring an item when you come to Mass, or stop en route from the grocery store and linger awhile. St. Patrick's is open Monday – Saturday, 7am – 6pm. Please consider donating from your overstuffed cupboard.

Wishlists basics include:

**Canned:** spaghetti sauce, potatoes, vegetables, fruit, baked beans, soup:

**Canned Meats:** tuna, chicken, ham, beef stew, etc.

**Boxed:** pasta, mac & cheese, rice, cereal, powered milk, peanut butter, jelly, jam. Please, **NO** glass containers. **(Please check expiration dates on all items.)**

Food and monetary donations are also gratefully accepted at the Methodist Church Office, open on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays from 9am – 11am and during the 9:15am Sunday Service. (Please make checks payable to HMUMC Food Pantry) For more information, or for emergency food needs, please call (845) 928-6177



**WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER**

"Come away by yourselves..." Modern life can slowly erode the intimacy in marriage. Come away with your spouse and rekindle your romance on a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. For more information go to: [www.wwme.org](http://www.wwme.org) or call 1-877-NYS-WWME ext. 3

**Ministry to Separated and Divorced Catholics**

This is a support group for separated and divorced Catholics which meet on the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of each month at the Rectory Meeting Room of St. John's Church, 71 Murray Avenue, Goshen, N.Y. For more information, please contact Helen at (845) 563-0604.

**Adoption – China Support Group**

Children in China need homes. More boys available than girls from ages two and up. Older parents and singles welcome. For more information call Barbara Salvesen at (845) 623-5277.



**Highland Mills Fire Company's**  
**Smoking Hot Day of Golf**  
**August 10, 2015**

The Highland Mills Fire Company is once again holding its Smoking Hot Day of Golf on August 10, 2015, at the Falkirk Estate and Country Club. Registration can be found at [Woodburyfire.com](http://Woodburyfire.com) or <http://www.highlandmillsfirecompany.com>. This is also the 125<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Highland Mills Fire Company. To celebrate this, the Company is giving away a limited edition 125<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Golf Pullover with every paid application. The application must be received by 7/4/2015 to be eligible for this special item. If you are interested in being a sponsor or have questions, please contact Mike Kling at (845) 774-5943. Watch out for details on the Anniversary Parade being held September 26<sup>th</sup>, 2015.

**Catholic Cruise to the Caribbean**

Come and sail away on a 7 night Catholic Caribbean Cruise with Fr. Vicente Jazmines-December 5th-12th, 2015. Holland America Westerdam out of Ft. Lauderdale (Port Everglades), Florida.

Ports of call include:

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**Franciscan Spirit Tours**

**Pilgrimages to Holy Sites Around the World**

There are several upcoming pilgrimages to Holy sites around the world lead by Fr. Michael Seigney, OFM Cap., Fr. Julian Jagudilla, OFM and Franciscan Friar of the Renewal, Fr. Anthony Baetzold, CFR.

"Great Women of Faith" – Paris/Lourdes/Lisieux

"Franciscan Italy" / "Footsteps of Pope Francis" – Argentina

"Holy Land – The Living Rosary" "

"Footsteps of St. John Paul II – Poland/Prague"

"Journey to Peace" – Medjugorje / "Fatima" / "Catholic Ireland"

"Our Lady in the New World" – Guadalupe/Mexico

"Catholic Spain" / "Church of John and Paul" – Greece/ Turkey

For more information, or to arrange a private, custom pilgrimage, please contact Franciscan Spirit Tours toll free at:

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# < KID'S > KORNER

## Gospel Today Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time | Mark 6:30-34

The apostles were hungry and tired after preaching to so many. They went with Jesus by boat to a quiet place across the sea to rest. Many people ran ahead, getting there first, so Jesus began teaching the large crowd. By evening, everyone wanted to eat and needed to be fed.

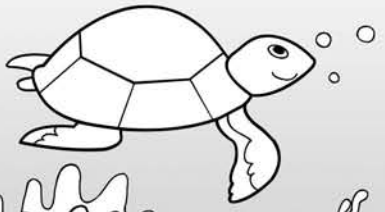
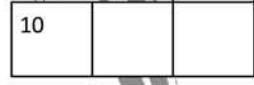
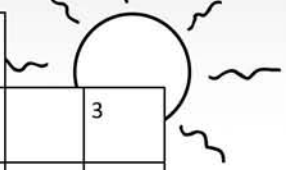
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### DOWN

- (1) The large crowd arrived \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) Jesus began \_\_\_\_\_
- (5) The apostles needed to \_\_\_\_\_
- (7) The people following Jesus formed a large \_\_\_\_\_

### ACROSS

- (2) Jesus took the apostles to a \_\_\_\_\_ place to rest
- (4) The water they crossed was the \_\_\_\_\_ of Galilee
- (6) When we are hungry we \_\_\_\_\_
- (8) Jesus took the apostles across the sea in a \_\_\_\_\_
- (9) The apostles \_\_\_\_\_ with Jesus
- (10) Everyone was hungry and needed to be \_\_\_\_\_



answers - down (1) first (3) teaching (5) rest (7) crowd across (2) quiet (4) sea (6) eat (8) boat (9) went (10) fed

## How do you think all the people were fed?

Answer in next week's gospel, John 6: 1-15


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