

May 7, 2017. . . Fourth Sunday of Easter

2017 CARDINAL'S ANNUAL STEWARDSHIP APPEAL

MAY GOD BLESS YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY.

IF YOU HAVEN'T MADE YOUR PLEDGE, PLEASE DO SO TODAY.

SAINT COLUMBA PARISH GOAL IS **\$58,500.**

THANKS TO YOU, WE HAVE REACHED 89% OF OUR GOAL.

TO DONATE ONLINE: www.cardinalsappeal.org



MAY 10th . . . SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION

MAY 13th . . . SACRAMENT OF FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

MOTHER'S DAY MASS REMEMBRANCE

Mother's Day is May 14th.



We honor **Mary, Mother of God** by dedicating the month of May to **Mary** and remembering all mothers, grandmothers, and all special women in our lives daily 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.

Holy Mass Intentions

SATURDAY 6

5pm **Thomas Flynn Sr.**; Flynn & Patterson family

SUNDAY 7

9am **Thomas J. Phillips Sr.**; Englehart family

10:30 **Salvatore Traina**; Joanne Traina

Noon **Peggy Sheehan**; friends

6pm **Special Intention**

MONDAY 8

8:15 **Christopher Furey**; Martha & Robert Burns

TUESDAY 9

8:15 **Charles Di Perna**; De Paulis family

WEDNESDAY 10

6pm **Julia Scifo**; Julie & Todd Whitney

THURSDAY 11

8:15 **Christopher Furey**; Susan Munks

FRIDAY 12

8:15 **Daniel Anguti**; Joan Bonomi

SATURDAY 13

8:15 **In Reparation to the Immaculate Heart of Mary**;
Laura & Michael Medina

5pm **Mary Conroy & Mary Pierron**; Pierron family

SUNDAY 14 *Mother's Day*

9am **Natalie & Verna Nicotra & Anna Rapisardo**;
Mary Abbruscato

10:30 **Shirley Regan**; Sadlier family

Noon **Christopher Furey**; John & Rita Kennedy

6pm **Magdalena & Genara Vendrel**; Lillian

SECOND COLLECTION

The second collection is for Church & School repairs..

Your prayers are requested for those who are sick:

Alfonso Dela Cruz, Connie Yacenda, Thomas PlaHovinsak, Carmen Almirol, Danny Mulvey, Mary Bessinger, Laurie Patterson, Terry Bradley, Cecilia Layson, Romeo Dela Cruz, Daria Bekersky, Katie Rogan, Lawrence Schall, Andrew Milza, Edgar Labi, Joan Bonomi, Teresa Patruno, Mila Werlitz, Andrew Upson, James Fox, Nancy Rhodes Mayo, Justin Holland, Gabriella Nelson, Joseph Michael Kennedy, Jack Shea, Patrick Finley, Edward Allen, Dylan Witmer, Carmelo Giorlando, 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 Verizzo, Larry Higgins, 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.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

BLOOD DRIVE . . . MAY 20th . . . 9am – 3pm

In conjunction with the New York Blood Center, the Knights are sponsoring a blood drive.

<https://drm.nybloodcenter.org/PublicScheduler/Schedule/TimeSelect.aspx>

Contact: Carl D'Antonio; 845-492-1692; Cardant@optimum.net.

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

Dear friends in the Lord:

Office of the Cardinal

The completion of the Trinity Dome, in preparation for the one hundredth anniversary of the placing of the foundation stone of the National shrine in 2020, is a monumental undertaking for which the bishops of the United States have approved a special one-time collection to take place this Mother's Day.

The Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception is the patronal church of our nation, dedicated to the Blessed Virgin Mary under her title of the Immaculate Conception this great Marian shrine exists today because of the generosity of American Catholics, the prayers of the faithful, and the hard work of the artisans and laborers who began building it nearly 100 years ago. Mary's Shrine, also known as America's Catholic Church as evidenced in the more than eighty chapels and oratories dedicated to Our Blessed Mother.

This one-time national collection for the Trinity Dome offers all of us an opportunity to leave a lasting legacy by honoring our Catholic heritage and entrusting ourselves and our families to the Mother of God. Please be as generous as you can.

With Prayerful best wishes for a blessed Easter season, I am,

Faithfully in Christ,

Timothy Michael Cardinal Dolan
Archbishop of New York

MEMORIALS & SPECIAL INTENTIONS

ALTAR CANDLES are burning this week in loving memory of:

Russ Battiato; req: Gloria Bilcik

HOST & WINE are dedicated this week in loving memory of:

Frank & Jeff Desharnais; req: Stravalle family

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

**RED: James Bonomi**; req: family

**WHITE: Joanne Palmer**; req: family

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

**LADIES AUXILIARY**

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**CONGRATULATIONS TO ROSE PETERS**

The Ladies Auxiliary congratulates Rose Peters, our 2017 Scholarship Award winner. Rose and her parents have been invited to our June 14 meeting, where she will receive her award.

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**LADIES AUXILIARY. . . MEETING WEDNESDAY, MAY 10<sup>th</sup>**

**SPEAKER: ALI CURTIS TOPIC: MATERNAL-CHILD SERVICES OFFERED BY CATHOLIC CHARITIES.**

The Ladies Auxiliary is having a "Baby Shower" for Catholic Charities at our May 10<sup>th</sup> meeting. We're inviting all the ladies of our Parish to join us and bring an unwrapped baby item--diapers and wipes are always in demand. **\*\*\*This month we will meet in "Hap Murray Hall" at 6:30pm.**

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**THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!**

. . . Thanks to all our parishioners for supporting our "Clayton Delaney's" fundraiser and a special thanks to PJ for her generosity!

. . . Thanks to all who contributed to our "Spring Collection" for Catholic Charities. We donated 5 large boxes of needed toiletries! A special 'shout-out' to the "Tooth Fairies" at the Health Careers Academy at BOCES for their huge box of dental 'goodie bags' as well!

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**JUNK IN YOUR TRUNK, JUNE 10<sup>th</sup> 9am to 2pm "Rain or Shine"**

On behalf of St. Columba's Ladies Auxiliary, I would like to invite you to participate in our 2017 Junk in Your Trunk Sale – our version of a community garage sale.

The following provides the details to register and participate: Rent a parking space and sell your treasures out of your trunk. Need a table for the back of your vehicle or a chair? We will have a limited number available. To participate: rental costs are: Parking space - \$10; Table - \$5; Chair - \$2; All vehicles must be in place no later than 8:30 am;

All unsold items must be taken home by the seller

The Ladies Auxiliary will be conducting a 50/50 raffle

Please mail your completed registration form & check – payable to St. Columba Church by June 1<sup>st</sup> to: Sue Anne Vogelsberg, 242 Prospect Rd, Monroe, NY 10950

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**BUS TRIP TO THE NATIONAL BLUE ARMY SHRINE OF OUR LADY OF FATIMA. . . JULY 13<sup>TH</sup>**

Washington, NJ; Website: <https://wafusa.org/>

9am – depart St. Columba parking lot - 4:00 pm – depart Shrine

Price: \$25, includes tip for driver; Check payable to St. Columba Church (Payment due no later than June 13<sup>th</sup>)

**For information on any Ladies Auxiliary event, please contact Sue Anne Vogelsberg, 783-6107 or [samv1021@gmail.com](mailto:samv1021@gmail.com)**

**ANNUAL GOLDEN WEDDING JUBILEE MASS AT SAINT PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL PLEASE REGISTER BY MAY 12<sup>th</sup>**

Couples celebrating their 50<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary anytime during 2017 are invited to attend the Annual Golden Wedding Jubilee Mass with Cardinal Dolan at the Cathedral of St. Patrick, Sunday, June 11<sup>th</sup> at 2pm. Pre-registration is required. Please contact the parish for registration. The closing date to register for the Mass is May 12<sup>th</sup>. This event is sponsored by the Family Life Respect Life Office of the Archdiocese of New York.

**EARLY REGISTRATION FOR 2017-18 SCHOOL YEAR**

**BY APPOINTMENT**

**EARLY BIRD RATES APPLY**



**BIBLE CAMP 2017**

It is not too early to think about Bible Camp

**NURSERY / PRE-SCHOOL . . . 3 & 4 year old**

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

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. Contact: Susan Munks, Coord. of Rel. Ed. 845 469-9503; [stcolumbareligion@gmail.com](mailto:stcolumbareligion@gmail.com)

**SILVER AND GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS HERE AT SAINT COLUMBA**

Couples celebrating their 25<sup>th</sup> and 50<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary anytime during 2017 are invited to receive a blessing here at Saint Columba on June 25<sup>th</sup> at 12Noon. Please call the parish office to register by June 15<sup>th</sup>.



**TWO GRAND SERIES . . . WEEK 13 . . . 04/30/17**

#93 Grasso family and #107 Van Der Meulen family

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

| <b>5/13 &amp; 14</b> | <b>LECTOR</b> | <b>EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER</b> |
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| 5pm                  | A. Marrero    | J. Furey, M. Luciana         |
| 9am                  | B. Heins      | M. Burns, J. Marion          |
| 10:30                | J. Podolsky   | J. Cassano, C. Rodriguez     |
| Noon                 | J. Romito     | B. Mutino, G. Butts          |

**"ParishPay" IS NOW "WeShare"**

Thank you for using online giving for your support of our parish. Online giving is safe, simple, and convenient. It benefits our parish by helping to streamline our administrative process and providing more accurate budgeting. Our current online giving provider, ParishPay, has been acquired by Liturgical Publications. All ParishPay accounts will be transitioned to WeShare, LPI's online giving Platform, later in the summer. You do not need to do anything for this transition process. Your information will be transferred electronically following the strictest security protocol. Once the transition is complete, you will receive more information about how to login and manage your account on WeShare.

**WARWICK VALLEY CHORALE SPRING CONCERT Seeking the Right Path: American Songs**

Fri, May 12<sup>th</sup> 7pm Grace Episcopal Church, 58 North St., Middletown  
Fri, May 19<sup>th</sup> 7pm Goshen United Methodist Church  
115 Main St, Goshen  
Sun, May 21<sup>st</sup> 4pm Warwick Reformed Church,  
16 Maple Ave, Warwick