

August 26, 2018 Twenty First Sunday in Ordinary Time

HOLY MASS INTENTIONS



SATURDAY 25

5pm **Mary Verbert**; Verbert family

SUNDAY 26

9am **Robert Benedict**; family

10:30 **Rev. John P. Comiskey**; Rich & Mary Collins

MONDAY 27

8:15 **Gloria Mangano**; Bono family

TUESDAY 28

8:15 **Mary Conroy**; Pierron family

WEDNESDAY 29

6pm **Mellie Nicotra Bergren**; Christine Battiato

THURSDAY 30

8:15 **Gloria Bilcik**; Carol van der Poel

FRIDAY 31

8:15 **Robert Nilsen**; Hurley family

SATURDAY 1

8:15 **John & Edward O'Bryan**; Tom Simmons

5pm **John C. Bonnici Sr.**

SUNDAY 2

9am **Lawrence Schall**; family

10:30 **James Briscese** ; wife, Ann

Your prayers are requested for those who are sick:

Nicolas Moquete, Donna Krueger, Rosa Teresa Pascasio, Kim Giglio, Christianna Scrobe, Maritza Montes, John Mattera, Ralph Schiano, Margaret Relihan, Donald J. Maloney, Jeanne Yost, Sam Gould, Tara Boljonis, Makeda Norman, Benjamin Howard, Sue Orts, Kyle Petrocelli, Connie Yacenda, Carmen Almirol, Cecilia Layson, Laurie Patterson, 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, 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, Michael Medina, Mary Ackerman, Valerie Moore, Sylvia Muccio, Joe Kennedy, Frank Rich, Alan Wilson, Br. John Lawrence, Emily Scrobe, Anya Quinn, Kim Salotti, Charles Youngberg, Alice Verlizzo, Larry Higgins, Cecilia Rivera, Allison Florio, Vinnie Greco, Donna Fagan, Nikita Zanichowsky, Karlene Gray, Rosa Maria Ramos, Donald Maynard, Janet Simonson, Ricky Calderin, Bob Gatt

Your prayers are requested for those who have died:

Rosa Fini, Marion Wennerberg



Saturday: 5pm
Sunday: 9am & 10:30am

**THE 12 NOON MASS WILL RESUME
ON SEPTEMBER 9th**

MEMORIALS & SPECIAL INTENTIONS

ALTAR CANDLES are burning this week in loving memory of:
Larry Schall; req: family

HOST & WINE are dedicated this week in loving memory of:
Margaret & Eugene Rayeur; req: family

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

RED Lillian Furey; req: Joe & Jerry Furey
WHITE: Florence Petrocelli; req: daughter, Susan Healy
BLESSED SACRAMENT: Bob & Frank Piliere; req: family

SUMMER VACATIONS



Please remember your Parish support is needed even while you are on vacation. Our expenses remain.

SECOND COLLECTION

The second collection is for Church & School repairs..

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

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



SAINT MICHAEL, PLEASE KEEP THEM SAFE.

| 9/1 & 2 | LECTOR | EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER |
|---------|------------|--------------------------|
| 5pm | A. Marrero | C. Rodriguez, G. Pellino |
| 9am | C. Smith | M. Burns, E. Hurley |
| 10:30 | B. Mutino | E. Bortorf, S. Munks |

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

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

LADIES AUXILIARY

The next meeting, in September will be announced.
For information: janicemaron@outlook.com

PARISH OFFICE WILL CLOSE FOR LUNCH 12 to 1pm



PLEASE KEEP OUR CHILDREN SAFE.

In an effort to keep everyone safe, we ask that you do not drive in through the exit and slow down as you drive in the parking lot.

**PLEASE NOTE:
THE RELIGIOUS EDUCATION OFFICE WILL REOPEN FOR REGISTRATION ON SEPTEMBER 5th**

CHESTER COMMUNITY FOOD PANTRY

Thank you to all who generously and consistently contribute to the Food Pantry throughout the year. One of our parishioners volunteers to take the collected (nonperishable) food each week down to the Chester Community Food Pantry located in the 1st Presbyterian Church of Chester. The Saint Columba Ladies Auxiliary and the Knights of Columbus help out at the Food Pantry as well.

THANK YOU TO ALL WHO HAVE DONATED SCHOOL SUPPLIES ALONG WITH FOOD FOR THE PANTRY.

**THANK YOU . . . BULLETIN ADVERTISERS
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DON BOSCO PREP HOSTS HSPT EXAM PREP COURSE

Don Bosco Prep is hosting its HSPT Exam Prep Course. It is open to all eighth grade boys and girls to help prepare for the high school entrance exam. The session will be held on Saturdays, from September 22, 2018 through November 3, 2018, from 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. in Savio Hall. Program tuition is \$500. Deadline for application is Friday, September 14. For information, please contact mcooper@donboscoprep.org.

HOSPICE - Volunteer Training: Fall 2018

Hospice of Orange and Sullivan Counties Inc.

90 Crystal Run Road, Middletown NY 10940 - Suite 410
9/12 – 10/ 31 (no training on 9/19) Wednesdays 10am - 4pm
9/12, 9/26, 10/3, 10/10, 10/17, 10/24, 10/31

The volunteer's role is to provide companionship and or caregiver relief to persons on Hospice and their families. Volunteers are also needed to provide office support in both Newburgh & Middletown locations.

Veterans, people who are bilingual and Snow Birds are welcome to apply. We accept calls on an ongoing basis even when training is filled or past deadline.

Once training is completed volunteers are encouraged to provide support in and around the area where they reside.

Contact Debra Epstein at (845) 565-4849

**THE PASSION OF SAINT JOHN THE BAPTIST
FEAST DAY: AUGUST 29th**

St. John the Baptist was called by God to be the forerunner of His divine Son. In order to preserve his innocence spotless, and to improve the extraordinary graces which he had received, he was directed by the Holy Ghost to lead an austere and contemplative life in the wilderness, in the continual exercises of devout prayer and penance, from his infancy till he was thirty years of age.

At this age the faithful minister began to discharge his mission. Clothed with the weeds of penance, he announced to all men the obligation they lay under of washing away their iniquities with the tears of sincere compunction; and proclaimed the Messiah, Who was then coming to make His appearance among them. He was received by the people as the true herald of the Most High God, and his voice was, as it were, a trumpet sounding from heaven to summon all men to avert the divine judgments, and to prepare themselves to reap the benefit of the mercy that was offered them.



The tetrarch Herod Antipas having, in defiance of all laws divine and human, married Herodias, the wife of his brother Philip, who was yet living, St. John the Baptist boldly reprehended the tetrarch and his accomplice for so scandalous an incest and adultery, and Herod, urged on by lust and anger, cast the Saint into prison. About a year after St. John had been made a prisoner, Herod gave a splendid entertainment to the nobility of Galilee.

Salome, a daughter of Herodias by her lawful husband, pleased Herod by her dancing, insomuch that he promised her to grant whatever she asked. On this, Salome consulted with her mother what to ask. Herodias instructed her daughter to demand the death of John the Baptist, and persuaded the young damsel to make it part of her petition that the head of the prisoner should be forthwith brought to her in a dish.

This strange request startled the tyrant himself; he assented, however, and sent a soldier of his guard to behead the Saint in prison, with an order to bring his head in a platter and present it to Salome, who delivered it to her mother.

St. Jerome relates that the furious Herodias made it her inhuman pastime to prick the sacred tongue with a hairpin. Thus died the great forerunner of our blessed Saviour, about two years and three months after his entrance upon his public ministry, about a year before the death of our blessed Redeemer.

JOHN S. BURKE CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL GOLF OUTING

Friday, Sept. 21st . . . Golf Club at Mansion Ridge, Monroe

Entry fee: \$170. (early bird special: \$160 before 9/4)

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