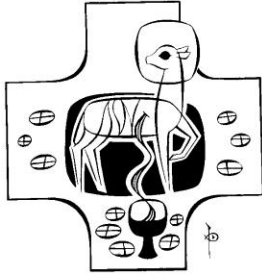


**Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
January 17, 2021**



Masses for the Week

Saturday	Barbara Neumann	5:00pm
Sunday	People of the Parish	8:00am
Sunday	Marty Tully	10:00am
Monday	John Carroll	9:00am
Tuesday	<i>FIO</i> Alice DeCarlo	8:00am
Wednesday	Danny Lendvay	5:15pm
Thursday	Deceased Parishioners	8:00am
Friday	Katherine & Hans Bach	5:30pm
Saturday	Eva Dittmar	5:00pm

Please Pray for Our Sick

Fanny Bonventre, Lorraine DeFelicis, Pat Fay, Brian Hathaway, Sr. Maureen Jerkowski, Fred Kimlin, Maureen Krom, Lynne Lazzaro, Mary McNamara, Mary Anne Loughlin, Lucy Padilla, Joseph Papparone, Charles Phillips, William Schlosser, Norma Smosarski, Alice Theiss, Thomas Vavrinec, Luisa Walsh

Please Pray for Our Deceased

Danny Lendvay, Joseph Petras, Martin Tully

Tithing \$4,203.00

2nd Collection \$825.00

Total Christmas Collection \$9,652.41

. Martin Luther King Day

This Monday, January 18th is Martin Luther King Day, a federal holiday. Mass will be at **9am** and the parish office will be closed.

YEAR OF ST. JOSEPH Pope Francis has just proclaimed the year from NOW through December 8, 2021 will be the Year of St. Joseph. Pope Francis describes Saint Joseph as a beloved father, a tender and loving father, an obedient father, an accepting father; a father who is creatively courageous, a working father, a father in the shadows. This marks the 150th anniversary of Blessed Pope Pius IX's declaration of St Joseph as Patron of the Universal Church. Saint Joseph, pray for us!



Read through the Bible in one year!

In the Bible in a Year podcast, starting January 1st, 2021, Fr. Mike Schmitz walks you through the entire Bible in 365 episodes, providing commentary, reflection, and prayer along the way.

Unlike any other Bible podcast, Ascension's Bible in a Year Podcast follows a reading plan inspired by The Great Adventure Bible Timeline, a ground-breaking approach to understanding salvation history developed by renowned Catholic Bible teacher Jeff Cavins.

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2. Feel more confident about your understanding of Scripture;
3. Experience the transformative power of God's Word in your daily life;
4. Start seeing the world through the lens of Scripture.

Each 20-25 minute episode includes:

- two to three scripture readings
- a reflection from Fr. Mike Schmitz
- and guided prayer to help you hear God's voice in his Word.

If you'd like to register and receive the podcasts, please contact Francesca Tanksley at 687-0238, or email her at hpfirst22@gmail.com,

FAMILY ROSARY

Monday thru Friday, 7pm

We would love for you to join us. We have been praying the Rosary, since March and will continuepraying for an end to the virus, and many other requests.....

206-451-6101# 602 580-9220# 3671473#
Yes, a lot of numbers, but so worth it. ...praying with Jesus and Mary, and our church family.
questions.....call Carol 687-9997



MEDICARE SAVINGS PROGRAM (MSP) You may be eligible to get help paying your Medicare premiums and you may also get help paying for Medicare Part A (Hospital Insurance) and Medicare Part B (Medical Insurance)

deductibles, coinsurance, and copayments. If you are a Medicare recipient and your gross monthly income is \$1,456 or less (Married income \$1,960 or less) you may be eligible! Call the Office for Aging at 845-340-3456 to make an appointment with one of our Health Insurance counselors for free, unbiased assistance with Medicare and to find out more about the Medicare Savings Program.

**Year of The Eucharist & Year for
Vocations**

A time dedicated to fostering understanding, devotion and evangelization in the Blessed Sacrament!

PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS O God, Father of all Mercies, Provider of a bountiful Harvest, send your Graces upon those You have called to gather the fruits of your labor; preserve and strengthen them in their lifelong service of you. Open the hearts of Your children that they may discern Your Holy Will; Inspire in them a love and desire to surrender themselves to serving others in the name of your son, Jesus Christ. Teach all Your faithful to follow their respective paths in life. Guided by Your Divine Word and Truth through the intercession of the Most Blessed Virgin Mary, All the angels, and Saints, humbly hear our prayers and grant Your Church's needs, through Christ, our Lord. Amen.

LET US KNOW YOUR CHANGES If you have recently moved or changed your phone number, please let the parish office know. We need to keep the information in our parish census as up to date as possible so that we can assure you receive the information we send out to you. Thank you!

**Ulster County Office for Aging
Online Learning for Seniors**

January 19: Easy Pumpkin Soup Presented by Juanita Bryant, UCOFA Registered Dietitian R.S.V.P. by January 25, 2021

January 21: Healthy Living for your Brain and Body Presented by Tara DeLuca, Alzheimer's Association, Hudson Valley Chapter R.S.V.P. by January 18, 2021 OFA

Online Learning runs Noon to 2:00 P.M. Free to Ulster County Seniors age 60 and over. Call Ulster County Office for the Aging at 845-340-3456 to R.S.V.P. and receive confirmation email about joining the presentation online or dial-in.

Mass Openings

Mass is a perfect way to remember your loved ones, as well as your own special intentions in 2021. There are many openings. Just call the rectory with your request at 658-3117.

CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP.

Come and be open to the Spirit! All are welcome.

On the second Wednesday of every month, the Charismatic Prayer Group gathers at St. Joseph's Church in New Paltz at 7:00 P.M. We come together to sing songs of praise and worship, read the Word, share experiences of how God has worked in our lives and pray for those who have any special prayer intentions, as well as for the prayer requests. Since our core group is charismatic, that is it is open to the working of the Holy Spirit in each of us, we ask the Holy Spirit's guidance according to His will and desire to minister to those whom the Lord has called for healing in body, mind or spirit. Those who come to our prayer group and are not familiar with the gifts of the Holy Spirit are given a short explanation. People who are not familiar with this way of praying may have some fears or concerns since the experiences are extraordinary or just something they are not used to. However it is important to keep in mind that the Holy Spirit wills what is best for us, and if we trust and surrender ourselves to Him, He can do amazing things, but only if we allow Him to. If a person attending our group for the first time would like our prayer team to pray with them during the meeting, we would be happy to do so. If you feel that the Lord is calling you to come to one of our meetings, please know that you are most welcome at any time and that we will be happy to see you. And if you'd like, please bring along your Bible. Irma Butz, Prayer Group Leader: irmeeb@optonline.net

Food Pantry

We ask you to remember those in our area who are less fortunate than we and to give to our parish food drive. Your donations will help the local food pantry in Rosendale. The donation box is in the rear of the church. All non-perishable and box foods are needed as well as soap, shampoo, and large size diapers.

Rosary Altar Society

Next weekend team *four* is scheduled