

# MOST PRECIOUS BLOOD CHURCH

## ST. BENEDICT'S CHAPEL

*"You were rescued by the Precious Blood of Christ, that spotless and innocent lamb." 1 Peter 1:19*

42 Walnut St., Walden, NY 12586



**Rev. Joseph P. Fallon**

*Pastor*

**Rev. Thomas Roslak**

*Parochial Vicar*

**Mrs. Patricia Walsh**

*School Principal*

**Mrs. Lori Mahoney**

*Coordinator of Religious Education*

**Knights of Columbus:** First Wednesday and third Friday at 7:30 pm in Fr. Sullivan Hall.

**MPB Rosary Altar Society:** Second Monday, call Rose 566-7822 for details.

**St. Benedict's Rosary Altar Society:** Second Tuesday, call Laura 895-2138 for details.

### Sunday Masses:

#### Most Precious Blood Church:

Saturday Vigil Mass: 4:30

Sunday Morning: 7:30, 9:00, 11:00

#### St. Benedict's Chapel:

Saturday: 6:30 pm, Sunday: 10:00

#### Weekday Masses at MPB:

Monday-Friday: 9:00 am and 12:10 pm

Saturday: 9:00 am

**Confessions:** Saturday 9:30-10:00 am and 3:45-4:15 pm

#### Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament:

First Fridays 9:30 am-12:00 pm

**Baptisms:** The first Sunday of each month, call the rectory to arrange.

**Sponsorship certificates** are available to active parishioners, please call the rectory two weeks in advance.

**Marriages:** At least seven months in advance, call the rectory.

**Bingo** is hosted at the school Sunday 12:30 pm, Tuesday 12:00 pm, Friday 6:00 pm 778-0127

**Regional School**

778-3028

[www.mpb Catholicschool.org](http://www.mpb Catholicschool.org)

**Rectory**

778-5719

[www.mpbparish.com](http://www.mpbparish.com)

**Religious Education (CCD)**

778-7081

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**Easter Sunday Of The Resurrection Of The Lord** 



**MASS INTENTIONS**

**Most Precious Blood Church:**

|        |       |     |            |                                      |
|--------|-------|-----|------------|--------------------------------------|
| Mon.   | March | 28, | 9:00 a.m.  |                                      |
|        |       |     | 12:10 p.m. | Frank Wolf                           |
| Tues.  | March | 29, | 9:00 a.m.  | Janson Knight                        |
|        |       |     | 12:10 p.m. | William Kirnan                       |
| Wed.   | March | 30, | 9:00 a.m.  |                                      |
|        |       |     | 12:10 p.m. | Philip McElynn Jr.                   |
| Thurs. | March | 31, | 9:00 a.m.  |                                      |
|        |       |     | 12:10 p.m. |                                      |
| Fri.   | April | 1,  | 9:00 a.m.  | Vincent An Nguyen & Peter Hoa Nguyen |
|        |       |     | 12:10 p.m. |                                      |
| Sat.   | April | 2,  | 9:00 a.m.  | Rose & Charles Murphy & Neil Kissel  |
|        |       |     | 4:30 p.m.  | Dorothy Kirnan Jr.                   |
| Sun.   | April | 3,  | 7:30 a.m.  | Marie & Anthony Rametta              |
|        |       |     | 9:00 a.m.  | Agnes Busing                         |
|        |       |     | 11:00 a.m. | Elaine Marino                        |

**St. Benedict's Chapel:**

|      |       |    |            |                          |
|------|-------|----|------------|--------------------------|
| Sat. | April | 2, | 6:30 p.m.  | The People of the Parish |
| Sun. | April | 3, | 10:00 a.m. | Chris & Harold Burgess   |

**Altar Server Schedule—April 1st & April 2nd**

|      |       |  |
|------|-------|--|
| Sat. | 4:30  | Kyle Cocks, Patrick Conan, Mary Lena Mesquita, Jon Guglielmo         |
| Sun. | 7:30  | Anthony Calabrese, Chris Knight                                      |
|      | 9:00  | Gabriella Carpino, Jeremy Friedman, Stephen Harrison, Shaun Mckeever |
|      | 11:00 | Margaret Gayton, Dominic Pastino, Nick Hinspeter, Patrick Primavera  |



**Senior Assistance Program**—The MPB Knights of Columbus announce that they are starting a Senior Assistance Program for senior citizen members of the parish that need help with minor repairs or handicap aids around their homes. Contact Jerry Mishk at (845) 820-2702 to set up an appointment to see if we can help.

**Catholic Charities Community Services of Orange County**

10th Annual Celebration of Charity & Caritas Award Event  
 Social Hour | Silent Auction | Dinner | Awards  
 Thursday, April 14, 2016, 5:30 p.m. at Anthony's Pier 9  
 Tickets are \$110 per person or \$1,000 for a table of 10  
 Reservations or questions contact Kristin Jensen at 294-5124 ext. 303 or by email at kristin.jensen@archny.org. Sponsorship and Journal Ad or Reservation forms are found at www.catholiccharitiesoc.org.

Due to the Easter bulletin print schedule, we are unable to print last Sunday's collection totals.



**Altar Flowers**

If you would like to place flower intentions for MPB, please call Kathy Kastberg at 778-1217 and Toni Knabl for St. Benedicts at 895-8865.



Dennis Abate, Maureen Benner, Ann Bestenheider, Johanna Bochart, John Ciardullo, Theresa Colantuono, Verna Dando, Catherine Deasy, Carmen Esposito, Rosalie Kunkel, Anthony & Mary Legnini, Carmela Mazzella, Jim McAdams, Kevin McFadden, Evelyn & Maureen McNamee, Mary Meehan, Bill Meisel, George Molnar, Joe Princiotta, Terry Soles, Steve Strobach, Ron Utter, Kathy Waldron, Lynn Yack



**The Cardinal's Appeal Supports:**

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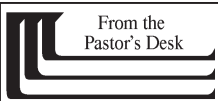
Make an online gift at [cardinalsappeal.org](http://cardinalsappeal.org)

**Cardinals Appeal Progress Report  
 As of 3/11/16**

**Goal:** \$39,500 **Pledged:** \$23,175  
**Number of Gifts:** 78 **Needed:** \$16,175

**Evening with Cardinal Dolan –**

Students in High School or young men in the parish who might be interested in learning more about the Priesthood in the Archdiocese of New York are invited to Vespers and Dinner at St. Joseph's Seminary, Thursday April 28, 2016, 5:00 p.m. If you would like to go please call: 778-5719 and speak with Fr. Fallon.



From the  
Pastor's Desk

Dear Parishioners,

Happy Easter. Today we celebrate that our Lord Jesus Christ, after being in the tomb on Friday, Saturday and into Sunday morning, physically rose from the dead, that he was alive again, and lives still. This is the day we have prepared for throughout Lent and which we celebrate during the Easter Season, but also every Sunday.

Central to the message of Easter is hope, hope for eternal life, and the hope that Christ brings us every day. Pope Francis, periodically uses the phrase the “horizon of hope” reminding us that things can always change for the better.

The celebration of Easter happens at church when we come together as a community for the celebration of the Mass. Helping us to celebrate our faith are the many symbols at Mass which are part of our Catholic heritage. That is why during the Easter Season the statue of the Resurrected Christ is placed above the tabernacle until Pentecost when the Crucifix is returned, to remind us that Christ is risen!

Yours in the Risen Christ,  
Fr. Fallon

**Religious Education—Early Bird Registration**

Monday, March 28th | 6:00—8:00 MPB School Gym

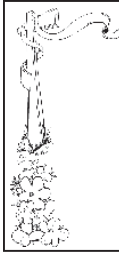
Classes Resume March 29th



The Knights of Columbus would like to thank the parishioners who helped make the Lenten Dinners successful!

They served approximately 480 meals! Profits go to the Montgomery & Loaves & Fishes Food pantries!

Year of Mercy—In the Archdiocese of New York, Cardinal Timothy Dolan announced that the National Shrine of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel in Middletown, NY is one of five Holy Sites and places of pilgrimage where a Holy Door, a Door of Mercy, is opened to pilgrims who would like to receive a Jubilee Indulgence. Parish groups and individuals are invited to come and enter the Door of Mercy at the National Shrine. If you are interested in planning a day of pilgrimage to the Shrine please call (845) 343-1879.



Father Fallon, Father Tom,  
The Staff of Most Precious Blood  
Church and Religious Education would  
like to wish everyone a Happy and  
Blessed Easter.

Eucharistic



Adoration

**First Friday—April 1, 2016**

Exposition of the Blessed  
Sacrament after the 9:00 a.m. Mass, with  
Benediction at 12:00 noon. Please come and  
spend some time in quiet prayer and reflection.



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Cardinal's Scholarship Program – Designed to attract new students from public school (K-8).

Regional Scholarship Program – Also designed to attract new students from public school to regional schools (K-8).

Regional Retention Program – Designed to assist current students of regional schools (K-8).

Kremer Foundation – Needs based support for elementary students (K-8).

To apply for these scholarships and grants go to the education office website, [www.buildboldfutures.org](http://www.buildboldfutures.org), on the top right and choose “scholarships” or call the superintendent's office at 212-371-1000 ext. 2800 and ask about the available scholarships.

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