

Church of St. Joseph Wurtsboro, NY

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Sixteenth Sunday
in
Ordinary Time

JULY 23, 2017



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Food Pantry 888-4522
Monday through Friday - 10 AM to 2 PM
Members of the Emergency Committee are contacted by
using the Church's telephone number.

Prayer Chain
Mary Wingenter 794-2288

Telephone Reassurance
Emily Kegler 796-0832

VISIT OUR WEBSITE:

www.stjosephwurtsboro.com

CLOTHING DONATION DEPOSITORY

Place used items of clothing in the shed
located behind the Summer Church Hall.

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday - 5:00 (Vigil)

Sunday - 9:00 & 11:00 AM

Weekdays - 8:00 AM

No Mass celebrated Saturday mornings

Holy Days - Consult "Bulletin"

SACRAMENTAL SERVICES

Reconciliation - Saturday, 4:00

Baptism - by Appointment

Marriage - by Appointment

MASSES at NEIGHBORING PARISHES

Our Lady of Assumption, Bloomingburg - 5:30 PM Sat; 9:30 AM Sunday

Sts. Mary & Andrew, Ellenville - 5 PM Sat.; 8, 10:15, 11:45 & 1 (PM) Sun.

St. Peter, Monticello - 5:15 PM Sat.; 7, 8:30, 11:15 & 7 (PM) Sunday

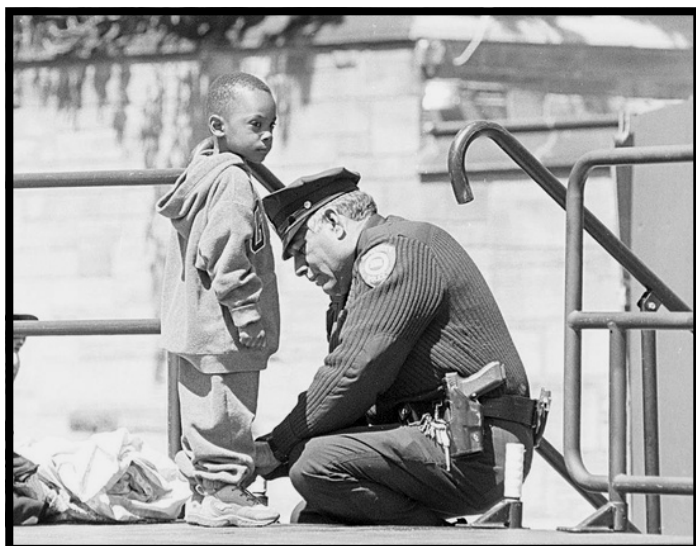
St. Paul, Bullville - 5 PM Sat., 9 & 11 AM Sunday

Infant Saviour, Pine Bush - 5 PM, Sat.; 9:30 & 11:15 Sunday

Holy Name, Otisville - 5 PM Sat.; 8:30 & 10:30 Sunday



THOSE WHO ARE JUST MUST BE KIND . . .



**Weekend Masses, SIXTEENTH SUNDAY in
ORDINARY TIME**

Saturday, July 22:

5:00 PM Ernest Vogelsanger

Sunday, July 23:

9:00 AM George Ryan

11:00 AM Rita Lucas

Monday, July 24

8:00 Marjorie M. Hasbrouck

Tues., July 25 - Feast of St. James, Apostle

8:00 Bobby Fischer (living intention)

**Wed, July 26 - Sts. Joachim & Ann, Parents
of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

8:00 Anna Grykien

Thursday, July 27

8:00 Estelle Somerville

Friday, July 28

8:00 Eileen Mayrose (living intention)

No Morning Mass on Saturdays

**Weekend Masses, SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY in
ORDINARY TIME**

Saturday, July 29:

5:00 PM Rita Lucas

Sunday, July 30:

9:00 AM Doris & Raymond Galvin

11:00 AM Intentions of the Holley Family

Please pray for all our deceased parishioners, benefactors, relatives and friends, especially: The victims of the military air crash in Mississippi; Miosotis Familia.

Please pray for those who are ill, especially: Miskit Airth; Henry Annibal; the Berchtold Family; Connie Brandin; Marie Broccoli; Sr. Margaret Ellen Burke, SC; Glenn Campbell; Frank Caramico; Albert Caravello; Ronald Carr; Thomas Cashman; Elijah Charles; Nicholas Civitano; Coddington Family; Eileen Colgranda; Sylvia Colella; Rocky Collins; Mikie Congemi; Carl Consolo; Donna Consolo; Shirley & Thomas Coughlin; Anna Courneya; William

Cronic; Helen Curcio-Zeh; Donna Dalton; Reilly Davis; Michael DeLorenzo; Nancy Donohue; Thomas Dunn; Elizabeth Earl; Jerry Earl; Larry Eisen; Lillian Esposito; Rev. John Fanning; Shawn Finneran; Jakob Fiore; bobby Fischer; Jennifer Florio; Joe Franklin; Jake Gabriel; Jim & Pat Gatens; Kevin Garvey; Matthew Germann; Amy Giuseffi; Dillon Gleason; Erik Godfrey; June Gold; Joseph Gomez; Alex Goodman; Jenna Graham; Robert Green; Karen Hackett; Vic Haring; Josh Harrison; Steven Higgins; Ola Hillar; Dennis Holohan; James Holden; Maggie Horne; Brenda Jansons; Conchita Javier; Cliff Jessup; Carolyn Johnson; Colin Johnston; James Kinsella; Russell Kinsella; Patricia Kirby; Aidan Kokakis; Alfred Kramer; Ron Kramer; Patricia & Ed Krekorian; Kate Labuda; Verdanna Lawrence; Donna Lewis; Rick Lewis; Robert Linzer; Tandy McClung; Kevin Manto; Patricia Manuli; Diana Martinez; Eileen Maryrose; Timothy Maxwell; Maree McKinney; James McMahon; Terry Mills; Mickey Mirra; Dawn Montforte; Liz Moore; Patti Moore; Robert Morris; Brian Mortonson; Jennifer Motillo; Eileen Murphy; Sr. Mary Murray, OP; Sharon Nelson; Margaret Nichols; Carol Niedermeyer; Edward O'Brien; Bob Olcott; Carole O'Neill; Donald Paccione, Sr.; Piper Paddock; Patricia Parish; Victoria Paulding; Florence Penzo; Susan & Janet Peters; Eileen & John Pinsl; Gerry Ragusa; Carolyn Ramsay; Thomas Reinholz; Margie Reno; John Rivera; Vivian Rutherford; Ed Ryan; Sr. Fran, OSC; Sheila Scieurca; Seamus Sexton; Susan Sheridan; Loretta Spordone; Joan Springwalt; Aimee Swift; William Tappan; Gary Texter; Therese Van DeBogart; Louis Vega; Christian Vidale; Frank Velardo; Rita Volpe; Catherine Wanner; Mary Wardell; Alyssa Welsh; William Wetzel; Linda Williams; John Williamson; Chris Wingenter, Christian & Anna Wojtak; Eugene & Evelyn Young.

SUNDAY'S SCRIPTURES

This weekend, we read *Wisdom 12: 13 to 19; Romans 8: 26 & 27; and Matthew 13: 24 to 43.* On the Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time, our Scripture readings are drawn from *1 Kings 3: 5 to 12; Romans 8: 28 to 30; and Matthew 13: 44 to 52.*

ART SHOW WINNERS

The Ave Maria Guild thanks all our artists and visitors for participating in this year's Parish Art Show. The First Prize in oils & acrylics was won by Rhoda Ryan. In water-colors, the first prize was given to Linda Holmes for her painting of a crane.



James Carney took first prize for Quaddy Head Lighthouse. Tammy Hubbert provided the whimsical winning entry of computer-art. Six-year old Josias Labuda walked away with the first prize in the K through 4 entry level. In the Grades 5 through 8, Anya Frey's won first prize. Among high school-aged young people, Kimberly Yanes received first prize. Our visitors were the judges, a task made both more fun and more challenging by the quality and variety of the artwork.

"JAM FOR TROY"

A flier in today's "Bulletin," supplied by Troy's Grandma, longtime parishioner and choir member Dianne Loomis (Czahor), tells all about this fundraiser to establish a trust for this two-year old. His dad, a former altar server here, died suddenly in February.

THIS WEEK IN THE PARISH

Sunday, July 23
1:30 PM Baptism:
Alexander Maximilian Platt

Monday, July 24, 7 PM
Choir rehearsal

"150 CLUB" NEWS

At the Grand Finale Barbeque last Sunday afternoon, the final regular Sunday prize went to # 106, Josias Labuda. The top Grand Prize of \$ 250 was won by # 211, James Carney. And the Second Prize of \$ 100 was won by # 44, Joanna Luciano. The parish is grateful to all our "150 Club" members for their generosity and loyalty and to Kate Labuda for chairing the program every year. Thanks to Steve and all who helped set up after Mass. The next "150 Club" begins in early September. Current members can "re-up" by using the form mailed with your Barbeque invitation or by calling Kate, at 888-3652. New members are always welcome!

"OIL I HAVE TO DO IS DREAM"

That may have worked for the Everly Brothers, but not for your average home owner or church. This past winter hung on through May in the Catskills, requiring more fossil fuel than the mild winter of 2015-16. We "dream" of generous donors using the Restricted Fuel Fund envelopes on the entryway tables to help us through the upcoming season.

Holy Name Society
LIMITED
MEMBERSHIP
RAFFLE
1st Prize - \$ 1,000
2nd prize - \$ 500
\$ 10 per chance /
3 for \$ 25
Drawing: September 2



Ave Maria Guild
RAFFLE
HAWAIIAN QUILT
handmade by
PIZZI TRAVER
\$ 1. per chance /
6 for \$ 5.
Drawing at
Holiday Crafts Fair

COLLECTION REPORT: JULY 15 & 16

<u>MASS</u>	<u>ATTENDANCE</u>	<u>COLLECTION</u>
5 PM	103	\$ 1,080.00
9 AM	134	\$ 1,273.00
11 AM	133	\$ 1,310.00
<u>Totals</u>	<u>370</u>	<u>\$ 3,663.00</u>

This weekend's Offertory fell within a mere \$ 3 of the Collection for the weekend prior. It was exactly average for the weekend in mid-July and came in at third place over six years. Attendance was 65 worshipers below the average and 150 below the record set in 2012. Remember that, after 2008, the numbers began to drop from those of the early part of the twenty-first century !! Last weekend's weather was perfect for the Wurtsboro Founders' Day Fair and the "150 Club" Barbeque.

EXPENDITURES; JUNE 10 TO JULY 16

Contracted services	\$ 725.00
Orange & Rockland (3 meters)	\$ 818.82
Cable TV (monthly)	
\$ 9 increase !!	\$ 129.19
Telephone (monthly)	\$ 274.01
Cathedraticum / Medical / Liability	
catch-up payments)	\$ 1,865.00
Altar expenses	\$ 54.85
Office expense	\$ 558.39
<u>Total</u>	<u>\$ 4,425.26</u>

GOLD & SILVER JUBILARIANS HONORED



At the 11 AM Mass next Sunday, July 30, we finally will be able to present with certificates from Cardinal Dolan the couples keeping these landmark anniversaries. In place of the Creed, there will be a brief renewal of vows as part of the Universal Prayers (Prayers of the Faithful). Congratulations to John and Christina Longo; Al and Sheila Scieurca; and Joe & Sue Giza.

MARKING THE 40TH ANNIVERSARY

Elvis Presley died forty years ago this August 8. During his career, Elvis recorded more than sixty sacred or inspirational songs. Although nominated for a Grammy half a dozen times, he won only for each of his three albums of Gospel music. As fans became more familiar with these hymns, demand increased to have them as part of the Catholic repertoire. Worship aides now provide Catholic congregations with the words of a number of hymns first made popular on these albums -- "Amazing Grace," "How Great Thou Art," "Take My Hand, Precious Lord," "Lead Me, Guide Me," "Stand By Me" and "Softly and Tenderly" among others. On August 12 & 13, we will use hymns associated with Elvis' sacred music. Two of the three announced Mass intentions are for the repose of his soul.

COVER SHEET

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