

# Church of St. Joachim – St. John the Evangelist

## April 27, 2008

### *Vigil: Sixth Sunday of Easter*

		4:30 p.m.	Anna & Michael Sholdis	The Family
		5:30 p.m.	Dennis Bennek	Anthony & June Frisenda
Sun.	Apr. 27		<b><i>Sixth Sunday of Easter</i></b>	
		7:30 a.m.	Margaret Congdon	Nancy & David Fulvio
		9:00 a.m.	Debra Milkovich	Bob & Viv LaColla
		10:30 a.m.	Larry Tarquini	Rose Pucino
	Spanish	12:00 p.m.	Ramonita Kreig	Carmen Medina
		12:00 p.m.	Bill McDowell	Ed & Mary Madeline Archer
		6:00 p.m.	Julia LaColla	Catholic Daughters – Court Liberatta
Mon.	Apr. 28		<b>Easter Weekday</b>	
		7:00 a.m.	Mary & Leo Devon	Yvonne King
		8:00 a.m.	Nicholas J. Donofrio	The Family
Tues.	Apr. 29		<b>St. Catherine of Siena, Virgin, Doctor</b>	
		7:00 a.m.	Debra Milkovich	Donald, Giovanna & Girls
		8:00 a.m.	Mark Sovik	John & Maureen Darcy
Wed.	Apr. 30		<b>Easter Weekday</b>	
		7:00 a.m.	Mary & Leo Devon	Rachel Kyve
		8:00 a.m.	Mr. & Mrs. John Pendleton	Anna & Richard Pendleton
		7:00 p.m.	Olive Ryan & Fergus Ryan	Mr. & Mrs. Fehilly
Thurs.	May 1		<b>Ascension of the Lord</b>	
		7:00 a.m.	Deceased Members of the Lanari Family	Ann Lanari
		8:00 a.m.	James Rogers	Rosemary Rogers
		Noon	George Domenico	Wife & Daughter
		7:00 p.m.	Caroline Madura	Nunzio & Bridget Giavatto
	Spanish	7:00 p.m.	Special Intention	
Fri.	May 2		<b>St. Athanasius, Bishop, Doctor</b>	
		7:00 a.m.	Maria Ciancanelli Kelly	Wednesday Evening Rosary Group
		8:00 a.m.	Thomas Finck	Mary Jo Samaritano
Sat.	May 3		<b>Sts. Philip &amp; James, Apostles</b>	
		8:00 a.m.	Lillian Smith	Bridget Oflaherty
		9:00 a.m.	Edgar & Mary Reilly	Joe & Mary Jane Yanarella
			<b><i>Vigil: Seventh Sunday of Easter</i></b>	
		4:30 p.m.	Deceased Members of Beacon HS Class of 1958	Their Classmates
		5:30 p.m.	Kevin Ninnie	Grandparents
Sun.	Apr. 27		<b><i>Seventh Sunday of Easter</i></b>	
		7:30 a.m.	Julia LaColla	Jean & Bob Haight
		9:00 a.m.	Debra Milkovich	Joan Powers & Family
		10:30 a.m.	Jane & Bill Thom	Helen Iannone
	Spanish	12:00 p.m.	Maria Rodriguez	Carmen Medina
		12:00 p.m.	Barbara Amoroso	Amy & Alexandria Supple and Suzanne Fahlman
		6:00 p.m.	Dennis Walden	Roland & Marcia Santovenia

### **Sacramentals**

**Sanctuary Lamp: St. Joachim's** – Joseph Kochay, Casimir & Karol Dokurno

**Sanctuary Lamp: St. John's** – Leeann & Simon Lee Antalek, Anthony Melfi

**Bread & Wine: St. Joachim's** –

**Bread & Wine: St. John's** –

**Altar Candles: St. Joachim's** – Anthony Mytych

**Altar Candles: St. John's** – James Rogers

**Rose for Life: St. Joachim's** – Michael Scoba, Sr., Anna & Michael Sholdis

**Rose for Life: St. John's** – Rose & Francis Donnelly, Joseph Romanelli

### **Parish Mission**

To expand and improve our Catholic faith community by responding with compassion and understanding to the spiritual and corporal needs of our parishioners and neighbors in the name of Jesus Christ.

#### **Revenue Sharing Program**

**Winner:** April 20 – William McDowell

The current program ends today, April 27.

Be sure you are paid up to be eligible for final drawings.

#### **Attendance**

**Apr. 20, 2008**  
953

**Apr. 22 2007**  
1,004

#### **This Week's Events**

**Today - Sunday, April 27**

**Religious Ed Classes**

**Gypsy, bus leaves St. Joachim's at 12:30**

**Elementary Youth Group – 3 pm**

**Parish Pre-Teen Meeting, 5 pm**

**Parish Teen meeting, 7 pm**

**Monday**

**Religious Ed Classes**

**Tuesday**

**Military Family Prayer Group**

**St. John's Hall, 7 pm**

**Wednesday**

**LifeLine Screening, St. John's Hall**

**Friday**

**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament,**

**St. John's, 8:30 am – 7:00 pm**

**Seniors, St. John's Hall, 12:30 – 3:00 pm**

#### **Gypsy**

The bus to see Gypsy will leave St. Joachim's parking lot on Sunday, April 27 at 12:30 pm. It will return at approximately 10:00 pm.

#### **Spring Breakfast**

Our parish is holding a special breakfast to celebrate the arrival of Spring. Next Sunday, May 4, from 8:30am until noon at St. Joachim's Gym. We will serve pancakes, sausages and egg and bacon sandwiches. Come and enjoy the best breakfast in town!

#### **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament**

Our parish is fortunate to have the opportunity to adore Christ in the Blessed Sacrament on the First Friday of every month. What a wonderful opportunity this is for parishioners to stop in the church and spend some quiet time with Our Lord! Friday of this week is the First Friday of May (May 2). Why not sign up to spend an hour in adoration? Or just stop in when you have time. Adoration begins after the 8:00 am Mass at St. John's and concludes with Benediction at 7:00 pm.

#### **Cardinal's Appeal**

As of Friday, Apr. 18, our parish has pledged \$37,695 and paid \$28,330 to the Cardinal's Appeal. This is from 181 gifts, averaging \$208 each. For the Cardinal's Appeal, remember that you can pledge your donation over five months. The Appeal Office will send monthly reminders. Also, please recognize that we need a few more families to donate this year, or a few families to donate more than last year if we are reach our goal of \$43,050. Please ignore any letter you receive from either the Cardinal or Fr. Nolan asking for a donation if you have already made one. Please be as generous as you can. Thank you.

#### **Thank You**

##### **For your support of the Garage & Rummage Sale**

Thanks to the Women's Club members who organized it, the Teen Group and their counselors for setting up and Ed and the Giavatto family for cleaning up. Thanks to all those who donated items, the ladies who sorted and sold them, and those who stayed and packed up at the end. Also Gerry White for delivering to Graymoor. Through your combined efforts, we had a great success.

#### **Beacon Volunteer Ambulance Corps Benefit Brunch**

The annual Benefit Brunch will be held today Sunday, Apr. 27 at Dutchess Manor. Seatings are at 10:30 am and 12:30 pm. Tickets are \$18.00 for adults, \$15.00 for Seniors and \$12;00 for children. Tickets available at 831-4540 or at the door. All proceeds donate to Beacon Volunteer Ambulance Corps.

**To server your needs better, Fr. Nolan would like to know:**

- Of any parishioner who is hospitalized
  - Of any one in need of prayer
  - Of any one who would like a pastoral visit
- Our parish priests and the Special Ministers of Holy Communion bring the Eucharist to our ill parishioners. The Sacraments of the Sick and Reconciliation are also available from our priests and their visits. If you or someone you know is in need of the Sacraments, please call the parish office.

**Through the Outreach Program** – Parish Volunteers provide supportive and practical services for seniors and other persons who are in need. These include friendly visiting, telephone reassurance, shopping, and local medical transportation/escort. *Drivers are needed for the Outreach Program for doctor's appointments. If you are able to help please call the parish office.*

**Pray for the Sick and Homebound:**

Emily Adams, Minoo Aibara, Lorraine Barnett, Jim Baxter, Deborah Bonnell, Nick, Boonstra, Kevin Bradley, Victoria Burke, Julia Carbonaro, Bill Coatney, Christine Connelly, Filomena Connelly, Mike Connelly, Romona Concessao, Noah Corey, Cornelius D'Aprile, Gilda D'Aprile, Christine DiDonato, Hilda D'Silva, Jeffrey Dolan, Mimi D'Onofrio, Dorothy Edwards, Christine Ferguson, Valarian Fernandes, Russell Fullen, Marie Ann Gama, Antonina Giavatto, Tomasso Giavatto, Arthur Hanna, Joan Houghtalin, Violet Jackson, Kathy Juhasz, Donna Juliano, Jim Killeen, Mary Lynch, Eileen Malik, Venita Martis, Jella Moloney, Aric Morgan, Sharon Nichols, Jim O'Donnell, Anna Opielinska, Diane Pavelock, Ann Petix, Jean Pettorossi, Paulette Pettorossi, Cayla Pignatello, Barbara Pomarico, Jean Provenzano, James Schettino, Florence Sensel, Lawrence Solomon, Teresa Solomon, Nick Steffanci, Dorethea Tompson, Jean Torrie, Thomas Trochan, Jr., Patricia Tribble, Sarah Villafane, Bill Wassweiler, and Ave Wolfe.

**And also our friends in McClelland's, Elant at Fishkill, Wingate at Beacon, Forrestal Heights, Hamilton Fish, and Meadow Ridge II.**

**Recently Deceased**

We pray for the people who have recently died and ask God to grant their families and loved ones the strength to carry on until we all join God in the Resurrection: Samuel Trifilo, Mary Maddelena

**LifeLine Screening**

Four potentially important tests in less than one hour: stroke screening/carotid artery, abdominal aortic aneurysm screening, peripheral arterial disease screening and osteoporosis screening. Complete wellness package (all 4 screenings) only \$129. Wednesday, April 30 at St. John's Lower Hall. Pre-registration is required. Call 800/636-0418.

**Westchester Dinner Theatre  
Beauty and the Beast**

St. Joachim – St. John Seniors are sponsoring this trip for lunch and the matinee performance on Thursday, July 10. Cost is \$65.00 with a \$20.00 deposit due with sign-up. For reservations or additional info, please call Helen Iannone at 831-1230.

**Clambake**

Saturday, May 24 at the Knights of Columbus Hall, Townsend St. Noon to 7:00 pm. Music and Vegas games. Menu includes: clam chowder, raw and steamed clams, hot dogs and hamburgers, sausage and peppers, corn on the cob, steak dinner, beer and soda. Adults only: 21 and over. No coolers allowed. No alcohol may be brought in. Safe driver available. Ticket deadline: May 20. Price: \$40.00 until May 20. \$50.00 after May 20. Contact Larry at 831-5406 or John at 831-0644.

**Golden Wedding Jubilee Mass Celebration**

This celebration will take place on Sunday, May 18 at 2:00 p.m. at the Cathedral of St. Patrick. Couples celebrating 50 years of marriage in 2008 are invited to attend this special Mass with Cardinal Egan. Pre-registration is required. Please contact the parish office. The closing date to register is Friday, May 2.

**OBERAMMERGAU PASSION PLAY 2010  
OUR PARISH IS SPONSORING A 10-DAY  
PILGRIMAGE TO "THE BEST OF AUSTRALIA AND  
GERMANY" FEATURING THE FAMOUS  
PASSION PLAY - AUGUST 8 -17, 2010**

The history of the Oberammergau Passion play began in 1633. As an outcome to the months of dying and suffering from the plague, the people of the village took a vow to perform the "Play of Suffering, Dying and Resurrection of Our Lord Jesus Christ" only once every ten years. 2010 will mark the 41st performance of this extraordinary centuries old tradition. The five-hour performance enacts the story of Jesus, upon his entry into Jerusalem to his death on the Cross and His Resurrection. The famous open-air stage of the Passion Play theatre provides a most dramatic setting for this unique cultural and religious event. We hope you will join us.

Since this is such a popular event, the tickets must be purchased 2 years in advance. A deposit of \$250 is needed to purchase tickets for the show. We will also be visiting Vienna, Munich, Salzburg and Garmisch

Call Marianne Dahl, 831-5406 for more information

## May 2008

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 <b>Holy Day of Obligation</b>	2 <b>FIRST FRIDAY, Adoration</b> at St. John's, 8:30 am – 7pm  <b>Seniors</b> 12:30 –3, St. John's Hall	3 <b>Altar Rosary Society</b> , after 9 am Mass, St. John's  <b>Cursillistas</b> , 7-8pm, St. John's Hall
4 <b>SPRING BRKFST</b> gym, 8:30 - noon  <b>Youth Groups</b> , gym, 3 pm, 5 pm & 7 pm	5 <b>Cemetery Board</b> , 4pm, Office  <b>Women's Club</b> , St. John's Hall, 7 pm	6	7	8	9	10 <b>First Communion</b> St. John's, 10 am St. Joachim's noon
11 <b>Cursillistas</b> , 10-11:30, Convent  <b>May Crowning</b>  <b>No Youth Groups</b>	12	13 <b>Pastoral Council</b> , 7pm, St. John's hall	14	15	16	17 <b>Cursillistas</b> , 7-8pm, St. John's Hall
18 <b>Religious Ed –</b> Last classes  <b>Youth Groups</b> , gym, Last meeting until Sept.	19 <b>Religious Ed -</b> Last Classes	20	21 <b>Buildings &amp; Grounds</b> , 7pm, Parish Office	22	23	24 <b>Sacred Heart Club</b> , 7-10:30 pm, St. John's Hall
25 No Youth Groups  <b>Corpus Christi Procession</b> , 1:15	26	27 Active Duty <b>Military Family Prayer Group</b> , St. John's Hall, 7pm	28	29	30	31

**DOMINGO 6TO DE PASCUA.****LECTURAS PARA EL DIA DE HOY:**

**1 Lectura: Hch 8,5-8. 14-17:** Felipe, por su cuenta, fue a Samaria.

**2 Lectura: 1Pe 3, 15-18:** Estén dispuestos a dar una respuesta acertada.

**Evangelio: Jn 14,15 – 21:** la promesa del Espíritu Santo.



Hoy, Jesús como lo hizo entonces con sus discípulos se despide, pues vuelve al Padre para ser glorificado. Parece ser que esto entristece a los discípulos que, aún le miran con la sola mirada física, humana, que cree, acepta y se aferra a lo que únicamente ve y toca. Esta sensación de los seguidores, que también se da hoy en muchos cristianos, le hace asegurar al Señor que «nos os dejaré huérfanos», pues Él pedirá al Padre que nos envíe «otro Paráclito» (Auxiliador, Intercesor), «el Espíritu de la verdad»; además, aunque el mundo no le vaya a «ver», «vosotros sí me veréis, porque yo vivo y también vosotros viviréis». Así, la confianza y la comprensión en estas palabras de Jesús suscitarán en el verdadero discípulo el amor, que se mostrará claramente en el «tener sus mandamientos» y «guardarlos». Y más todavía: quien eso vive, será amado de igual forma por el Padre, y Él el Hijo—a su discípulo fiel le amará y se le manifestará.

¡Cuántas palabras de aliento, confianza y promesa llegan a nosotros este domingo! En medio de las preocupaciones cotidianas donde nuestro corazón es abrumado por las sombras de la duda, de la desesperación y del cansancio por las cosas que parecen no tener solución o haber entrado en un camino sin salida Jesús nos invita a sentirle *siempre* presente, a saber descubrir que está vivo y nos ama, y a la vez, al que da el paso firme de

vivir sus mandamientos, le garantiza manifestarse en la plenitud de la vida nueva y resucitada. Hoy, se nos manifiesta vivo y presente, en las enseñanzas de las Escrituras que escuchamos, y en la Eucaristía que recibiremos. Que tu respuesta sea la de una vida nueva que se entrega en la vivencia de sus mandamientos, en particular el del amor.

**Oración** Dios, Padre nuestro, que en Jesús de Nazaret, nuestro hermano, has hecho renacer nuestra esperanza de un cielo nuevo y una tierra nueva; te pedimos que nos hagas apasionados seguidores de su Causa, de modo que sepamos transmitir a nuestros hermanos, con la palabra y con las obras, las razones de la esperanza que sostiene nuestra lucha. Por Jesucristo, nuestro señor. AMEN.

**ANUNCIOS****MISA ANUAL DE 50 ANIVERSARIO DE BODAS.**

Todos los matrimonios que celebran sus 50 años de casados en el 2008 están invitados a la Misa Anual de cincuenta Aniversario de Bodas. La santa misa será celebrada por cardinal Edgan el domingo **18 de Mayo de 2008**, a las 2:00 p.m. en al Catedral de San Patricio. Por favor regístrese antes del día de la celebración. Por favor de contactar a su parroquia para registrarse. El último día para registrarse es el viernes, 2 de mayo. La ceremonia se presenta por la oficina de vida Familiar + respeto a la vida de la Arquidiócesis de Nueva York.

**GRUPO DE JOVENES**

Nosotros hemos extendido nuestro programa de jóvenes para incluir todas las edades **Elementary school** será de **3:00 a 4:45** cada domingo en la tarde en el gimnasio de San Joaquín. Todos los que están en grado 3, 4 y 5 están invitados. El nuevo grupo de **Middle school** será de **5:00 a 6:45** cada domingo en la tarde en el gimnasio de san Joaquín este para todos los grados de 6, 7 y 8. El grupo de la **High School** continuara igualmente todos los domingos en la noche de **7:00 a 9:00** en el gimnasio de San Joaquín. Este grupo para todos los jóvenes que están en grado 9 hasta 12. Esta es una buena oportunidad para que sus hijos se relacionen con otros jóvenes, pasen un tiempo de esparcimiento y reflexión y además de diversión. Para mayor información comuníquese con la oficina de la parroquia. **ESTAN TODOS CORDIALMENTE INVITADOS.**