

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

## August 17, 2008

		<b><i>Vigil: Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time</i></b>	
	4:30 p.m.	Margaret H. Congdon	Johanne Milkovich
	5:30 p.m.	Craig Duva	Mom
Sun. Aug. 17		<b><i>Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time</i></b>	
	7:30 a.m.	Virginia Bride	Johanne Milkovich
	9:00 a.m.	Debra Milkovich	Jean & Jim Musacchio
	10:30 a.m.	Maryalice Gauriloff Paille	Janet & Roger Hoff
Spanish	12:00 p.m.	Jorge Arango	Wife & Son
	12:00 p.m.	Barbara Amoroso	Joseph & Linda Lapine
	6:00 p.m.	James Knapp	Bill & Annmarie Davis
Mon. Aug. 18		<b>Weekday</b>	
	7:00 a.m.	Larkin – Keto Families	Gene Larkin
	8:00 a.m.	Dominick DiCastro	Charlene & Gus
Tues. Aug. 19		<b>Weekday</b>	
	7:00 a.m.	Mildred Daddario	The Haight Family
	8:00 a.m.	Lee Ann & Simon Lee Antalek	Fred Antalek
Wed. Aug. 20		<b>St. Bernard, Abbot, Doctor</b>	
	7:00 a.m.	Casimir & Karol Dokurno	Zofia Kochay
	8:00 a.m.	Frances Zick	The Family
Thurs. Aug. 21		<b>St. Pius X, Pope</b>	
	7:00 a.m.	Barbara Amoroso	Karen Schembari
	8:00 a.m.	Agnes McCrudden	Gerry McCrudden
Fri. Aug. 22		<b>Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary</b>	
	7:00 a.m.	Julia McDowell	Ed & Mary Madeline Archer
	8:00 a.m.	Tony Garan & Family	The Family
Sat. Aug. 23		<b>Weekday</b>	
	8:00 a.m.	Mary Lynch	Mary Palisi
	9:00 a.m.	Dennis Walden	Carol Way
		<b><i>Vigil: Twenty-First Sunday of Ordinary Time</i></b>	
	4:30 p.m.	Edward Soltish	Bonnie Sablinski
	5:30 p.m.	Jane Dirito	Dolores
		<b><i>Twenty-First Sunday of Ordinary Time</i></b>	
Sun. Aug. 24	7:30 a.m.	Rudolph Sylvester	Patrick Fredericks & Family
	9:00 a.m.	Debra Milkovich	Carl & Lucinda Lucy
	10:30 a.m.	Dennis Bennek	Mom & Dad & Family
Spanish	12:00 p.m.	Barbara Pomarico	The Medina Family
	12:00 p.m.	William McDowell	Carol & Donald Morse
	6:00 p.m.	Joseph & Mary Cannizzo	Alfred Cannizzo

### Sacramentals

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

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

**Bread & Wine: St. Joachim's** –

**Bread & Wine: St. John's** – Dorothy Hearney

**Altar Candles: St. Joachim's** – Gen Price

**Altar Candles: St. John's** – Royal Mailler

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

**Rose for Life: St. John's** – Rose & Francis Donnelly, Joseph Romanelli, Ilene & Michael Drape, Robert Scofield, Evelyn Scofield Smith & Anna Catherine Smith

### **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:** August 10 – Mr. & Mrs. Banks

#### **Attendance**

<b>Aug. 10, 2008</b>	<b>Aug. 12, 2007</b>
<b>1,008</b>	<b>939</b>

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

##### **Broadway Musical "The Little Mermaid"**

See the Broadway musical "The Little Mermaid" on Sunday afternoon, August 24, 2008. Ticket price includes show, bus transportation and dinner at Marcelleria Restaurant. Adult ticket price is \$180; children's price is \$162. Please call Marianne Dahl (831-5406) for reservations.

##### **Opportunity to Serve in Religious Education Program**

The Religious Education Program is one way through which we have the opportunity to volunteer our time and talent as a Catechist or an Aide. As a catechist you will help to teach and explain the basic teachings of the Catholic faith to our kids 1½ hours a week during the school year. Please, call the Parish Office 838-0915 with any questions.

##### **R.C.I.A. Volunteers**

In addition to Catechists or Aides, we are also looking for volunteers who would be willing to share their faith experience to those adults wishing to return to the Catholic Faith, those who are seeking to receive the remainder of their Sacraments, and those adults who are coming into the Church from other religions through the R.C.I.A. program. We meet for approximately one hour on Sunday afternoon. Please call the Parish Office at 838-0915. Thank You

##### **Religious Education Program**

The Religious Education Program will begin again in September. Please watch future bulletins for registration information, or print out the registration form at [www.stjoachim-stjohn.org](http://www.stjoachim-stjohn.org).

#### **Military Families Prayer Group**

Will be meeting the first Sunday of each month after the 6:00 pm Mass at St. John's starting August 3. The group is hoping this change of day and time will allow more parishioners to join them for conversation and special prayers for active duty men and women from our parish. Contact Diane Antalek (297-5564) if you have any questions.

#### **Come Join With Us**

If you have been coming to Mass for a while, but are not Catholic, we invite you to look deeper into the Catholic Faith. Come meet some faithful Catholics who love the Lord and would consider it a privilege to get to know you. Our Parish will soon begin a new cycle of formation to share with others the truths of the Catholic Faith and the fellowship of our Church family. We invite you to learn what Catholics believe in an open and welcoming environment. These sessions are also opportunities for you to ask those perplexing and difficult questions you may have about the Church. Sessions are held weekly beginning in September. We encourage you to call the Parish office (838-0915) if you should have questions.

#### **"Back to School" Supplies**

The St. Vincent de Paul Society will be collecting donations of "Back to School" supplies that will be donated to the area's needy children. Pencils, crayons, notebooks, backpacks, etc. may be placed in the basket in the rear of the churches.

#### **ST. JOACHIM - ST. JOHN'S OKTOBERFEST - SEPTEMBER 27**

Come, hear the music of "The Polka King" Jimmy Sturr and his Orchestra – 17-time Grammy Award Winner on Saturday, September 27, 2008 at 6:00 in the St. Joachim's Gymnasium. Price of a ticket is \$40, which includes dinner, dessert, beer, wine and soda. All tickets must be paid for in advance of the concert. To reserve your ticket, please call the parish office at 838-0915 or Marianne Dahl 831-5406.

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 on 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, Mino Aibara, Lorraine Barnett, Deborah Bonnell, Kevin Bradley, Howard Brink, Victoria Burke, Bill Coatney, Christine Connelly, Ramona Concessao, Noah Corey, Cornelius D'Aprile, Gilda D'Aprile, Christine DiDonato, Hilda D'Silva, Jeffrey Dolan, Michael Eraca, Christine Ferguson, Valarian Fernandes, Russell Fullen, Marie Ann Gama, Antonina Giavatto, Tomasso Giavatto, Angelina Gromkowski, Donna Juliano, Jim Killeen, Eileen Malik, Ruth Matthews, Venita Martis, Sharon Nichols, Jim O'Donnell, Anna Opielinska, Ron Pagliaro, Diane Pavelock, Perry Pendleton, Ann Petix, Jean Pettorossi, Paulette Pettorossi, Cayla Pignatello, James Schettino, Florence Sensel, Kitty Smith, Lawrence Solomon, Teresa Solomon, Nick Steffanci, Dorethea Tompson, Jean Torrie, Thomas Trochan, Jr., Patricia Tribble, Stephen Vitek, 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:

**2008 Cardinal's Annual Appeal**

Cardinal Egan wrote to Father Nolan: "I tell you how profoundly gratefully I am to you and the parishioners of the Church of St. Joachim – St. John the Evangelist for all you have done to make the 2008 Cardinal's Appeal an extraordinary success. In exceeding your goal, your parish family has shown its understanding of the importance of the Appeal and demonstrated a marvelous loyalty and affection for our Archdiocesan community of faith. I am appreciative of all that they have done to ensure the continuation and expansion of the crucially important works of the Archdiocese which are so dependent upon the annual Appeal.

**OBERAMMERGAU PASSION PLAY 2010**

OUR PARISH IS SPONSORING A 10-DAY PILGRIMAGE TO "THE BEST OF AUSTRIA AND GERMANY" FEATURING THE FAMOUS PASSION PLAY – AUGUST 8 –17, 2010  
Call Marianne Dahl, 831-5406 for more information.

**Traveling for Vacation?**

Check out [www.masstimes.org](http://www.masstimes.org) for the times of Masses in the area you will be visiting. Did you ever consider visiting Basilicas and Cathedrals while traveling or visiting other cities? Try [www.qcatholic.com](http://www.qcatholic.com) to find likely special churches to visit.

**Yoga With Sari**

Yoga increases strength, flexibility and endurance while reducing stress. It can help with almost all health disorders, allergies, pains, etc. If interested in the benefits of yoga, please join Sari's Vinyasa class on Thursday nights from 7:30 to 9:00 at St. John's lower hall. Fee is \$10.00 per class. Questions? Please call Sari Skinnider at 845/705-9063 or email her at SSkinnider@gmail.com.

**Worldwide Marriage Encounter**

"Kindness and truth shall meet..." Bring back the small acts of kindness to you marriage on the next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend, August 22-24. Call 914/524-7088 for information.

**WHY CATHOLIC?**

Why Catholic? is coming to our Parish. Here is a wonderful opportunity for adults to reflect on the faith we hold dear and to deepen our understanding of the truths we profess in the Creed each Sunday. It is a simple process - six weekly meetings held in small groups beginning in October. Come and See. Sign up cards will be provided in the next few weeks. All are invited and encouraged to bring friends and family.

**The Widow and Widowers of Putman and Dutchess Counties**

meet the third Tuesday of the month at 7:00pm at the East Fishkill Community Center, Route 82, Hopewell Junction, NY. 223-3097.



Dear Parishioner,

I'm delighted to report that we will be again staging a night of fun and high fashion here in Beacon – this year to again raise money to help fund major improvements needed at our parish cemetery. Our third annual parish fashion show will feature the Fall 2008 Collection of my brother, New York City designer Charles Nolan, and will take place on Friday, October 17 at 6:00 p.m. at the Beacon High School Theatre.

In addition to the fabulous fashion and food, it's a pleasure to report that former New York Giants Running Back Tiki Barber, who is now a correspondent for the Today Show and Sunday Night Football, will provide our keynote address for the evening. Clearly, this is a fun, family event that no one will want to miss.

There are two ways that you can help:

1) Buy a ticket – or tickets! So, please send in your reservation with \$35 per person check made payable to St. Joachim-St. John's Church. You may pick up your tickets at the parish office. No one will be admitted without a ticket.

2) Would you or your business be an official sponsor (see information at the left)? If not, at least please consider taking an ad in our commemorative Ad Journal. Perhaps members of your family are buried at our cemetery; if so, I encourage you to memorialize them through an ad in our journal, which we envision will be a wonderful keepsake of local history and family records. We will be delighted to design an ad for you; simply include the text in your reply envelope with payment and we'll take care of the rest. All proceeds benefit the cemetery's enhancement. Ads must be received no later than September 26.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the event organizer, Marianne Dahl at 831-5406. I am certain you recognize the importance of a vibrant, financially sound community of faith in Beacon and I know that you will do your best to help ensure the success of this fund-raising event.

God bless you.

David E. Nolan  
Pastor

**SPONSORSHIP  
LEVELS**

**RECEPTION SPONSOR**

\$1000  
Inside Cover Journal Ad  
8 Tickets  
Recognition at Event

**Gold**

\$750  
Full page Journal Ad  
6 Tickets  
Recognition at Event

**SILVER**

\$500  
Full page Journal Ad  
4 Tickets

**BRONZE**

\$250  
Full Page Journal Ad  
3 Tickets

**Journal Ads**

Full page \$100  
Half page 50  
Quarter page 25

**¡BIENVENIDOS!  
20 DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO  
ORDINARIO.**

**LECTURAS PARA EL DIA DE HOY:**

**1 Lectura: Is 56,1.6-7:** Guarden el derecho, practiquen la justicia.

**2 Lectura: Rm 11,13-15.29-32:** La llamada de Dios es irrevocable.

**Evangelio: Mt 15,21-28:** Mujer, que grande es tu fe.



**«Señor, también los perros se comen las migajas que caen de la mesa de los amos»**

**H**oy contemplamos la escena de la cananea: una mujer pagana, no israelita, que tenía la hija muy enferma, endemoniada, y oyó hablar de Jesús. Sale a su encuentro y con gritos le dice: «Ten compasión de mí, Señor, Hijo de David. Mi hija tiene un demonio muy malo». No le pide nada, solamente le expone el mal que sufre su hija, confiando en que Jesús ya actuará.

Jesús "se hace el sordo". ¿Por qué? Quizá porque había descubierto la fe de aquella mujer y deseaba acrecentarla. Ella continúa suplicando, de tal manera que los discípulos piden a Jesús que la despache. La fe de esta mujer se manifiesta, sobre todo, en su humilde insistencia, remarcada por las palabras de los discípulos: «Atiéndela, que viene detrás gritando». La mujer sigue rogando; no se cansa. El silencio de Jesús se explica porque solamente ha venido para la casa de Israel. Sin embargo, después de la resurrección, dirá a sus discípulos: «Id por todo el mundo y proclamad la Buena Nueva a toda la creación» .

Este silencio de Dios, a veces, nos atormenta. ¿Cuántas veces nos hemos quejado de este silencio? Pero la cananea se postra, se pone de rodillas. Es la postura de adoración. Él le responde que no está bien tomar el pan de los hijos para echarlo a los perros. Ella le contesta: «Tienes razón, Señor; pero también los perros se comen las migajas que caen de la mesa de los amos». Esta mujer es muy espabilada. No se enfada, no le contesta mal, sino que le da la razón: «Tienes razón, Señor». Pero consigue ponerle de su lado. Parece como si le dijera: Soy como un perro, pero el perro está bajo la protección de su amo.

La cananea nos ofrece una gran lección: da la razón al Señor, que siempre la tiene. No quieras tener la razón cuando te presentas ante el Señor. No te quejes nunca y, si te quejas, acaba diciendo: «Señor, que se haga tu voluntad».

**ANUNCIOS**

**PROGRAMA DE EVANGELIZACION**  
**“POR QUE SER CATOLICO”**

Se hace una invitación a toda la comunidad hispana, sus familiares, amigos y vecinos para que participen del nuevo programa de evangelización **“POR QUE SER CATOLICO”**, un programa único de formación en la fe de los adultos que esta solidamente basado en la sagrada Escritura y el catecismo de la iglesia católica. 6 reuniones, cada domingo en pequeños grupos que empezara a partir de Octubre. Todos están invitados, los esperamos!!!!

**“REGRESO AL COLEGIO”**

La sociedad san Vicente de Paúl estará recolectando artículos para el regreso a clases. Estas donaciones serán entregadas a todos aquellos niños de bajos recursos. Las donaciones de Lápicos, crayones, cuadernos, maletines, etc, las pueden depositar en las canastas del vestíbulo de la iglesia, Muchas gracias por su colaboración.