

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

## January 11, 2009

### *Vigil: Baptism of the Lord*

		4:30 p.m.	Our Beloved Deceased	Olga Mihanowich
		5:30 p.m.	John Cocuzza	Jim & Nina Cahill
Sun.	Jan. 11		<b><i>Baptism of the Lord</i></b>	
		7:30 a.m.	Duncan MacLeod	Antoinette & Jim McDowell
		9:00 a.m.	Andrew Pavelock	John & Mary Goodall
		10:30 a.m.	Lillian "Peg" Alyea	Margaret Cavalluzzi
	Spanish	12:00 p.m.	Martina Hernandez	Angel
		12:00 p.m.	Elizabeth Augustine	John & Angela Pilla
		6:00 p.m.	Isabel Velasco & Alfredo Bautista	Daughter & Son
Mon.	Jan. 12		<b>Weekday (First Week in Ordinary Time)</b>	
		7:00 a.m.	Mary Hernon	Peggy Barry
		8:00 a.m.	James Hopper	Betty, Daughter
Tues.	Jan. 13		<b>Weekday/ St. Hilary, Bishop &amp; Doctor</b>	
		7:00 a.m.	Jack O'Leary	The Family
		8:00 a.m.	Leeann Antalek	
Wed.	Jan. 14		<b>Weekday</b>	
		7:00 a.m.	Andrew Pavelock	Jim & Nina Cahill
		8:00 a.m.	Rose & Anthony Dalbo	Pam Dalbo
Thurs.	Jan. 15		<b>Weekday</b>	
		7:00 a.m.	Stephen Drusik	Jean, Terry, & Kim & Family
		8:00 a.m.	Frances Zick	The Family
Fri.	Jan. 16		<b>Weekday</b>	
		7:00 a.m.	Audrey Ballo Kubeck	John Ballo
		8:00 a.m.	Mary & Lorraine King	
Sat.	Jan. 17		<b>St. Anthony, Abbot</b>	
		8:00 a.m.	Rev. Vincent A. Wallace	John Ballo
		9:00 a.m.	James Letterio, Sr.	The Family
			<b><i>Vigil: Second Sunday of Ordinary Time</i></b>	
		4:30 p.m.	Joan & John Hotalin	Mary & Ed
		5:30 p.m.	Antoinette Trochan	Nina & Jim
			<b><i>Second Sunday of Ordinary Time</i></b>	
Sun.	Jan. 18	7:30 a.m.	Michael J. Treacy, Jr.	John, Angela & Carla Pilla
		9:00 a.m.	Ave Wolfe	Nunzio & Bridget Giavatto
		10:30 a.m.	Richard P. Browne	Lisa Moseman
	Spanish	12:00 p.m.	Elena Hernandez, Aquiles Tavares, & Asuncion Tavares	Aquiles Hernandez
		12:00 p.m.	Jennie Romanelli	Leonard & Lennie
		6:00 p.m.	Kathleen Danko	Dennis Murphy

### **Sacramentals**

**Sanctuary Lamp: St. Joachim's** – Joseph Kochay, Casimir & Karol Dokurno, Ralph & Irma Basso, MaryAnn Perpetua

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

**Bread & Wine: St. Joachim's** – Joan Cism Wheeler

**Bread & Wine: St. John's** –

**Altar Candles: St. Joachim's** –

**Altar Candles: St. John's** –

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

**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:** Dec. 28 – Eileen Steffanci

Jan. 4 – Pat Milkovich

#### **Fr. Charles Will be Leaving**

As you know, Fr. Charles will be returning home to Nigeria at the end of January. We will celebrate the noon Mass at St. Joachim's on January 25 as a "Nigerian" Mass in his honor. Refreshments will follow in the gym. All are invited to attend to help thank Fr. Charles for the wonderful service he has provided to our parish during his stay with us.

#### **Broadway Musical, "West Side Story"**

Our parish has purchased 55 tickets for the upcoming Broadway show "West Side Story." The show is scheduled for Sunday, May 31 at 3 pm. Price is \$167, which includes the show, transportation and dinner at Rosie O'Grady's. Bus will leave St. John's parking lot at 12:30. For reservations, please call Marianne Dahl at 831-5406. If you have already reserved a ticket please remit \$167 per person to Marianne Dahl, 20 Rende Drive, Beacon. Checks should be made payable to St. Joachim-St. John's.

#### **Valentine's Day Mass and Dinner**

The parish invites all parishioners to celebrate their love and friendship by attending a special Mass and dinner on Valentine's Day, Saturday, February 14 at St. John's Church Hall. Mass will be at 7:00 and dinner will follow. Our Valentine Dinner will be an Italian Dinner featuring timpano (pasta, meatballs, cheese, salami wrapped in a pie crust) and chicken cutlet parmesan, salad, dessert and beverages. Price is \$25 per person. Please call Marianne Dahl for reservations (831-5406).

#### **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.

#### **Hospital Visits**

For everyone's information, the priests of the parish go to the hospitals regularly when they know parishioners are hospitalized. In addition, Fr. Irenaeus visits the local hospitals every Thursday afternoon. If you have a loved one who is in the hospital, please be sure to inform us at the Parish Office.

#### **Attendance**

<b>Dec. 28, 2008</b>	<b>Dec. 30, 2007</b>
<b>1,040</b>	<b>1,165</b>
<b>Jan. 4, 2009</b>	<b>Jan. 6, 2008</b>
<b>977</b>	<b>1,179</b>

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

**Sunday**

**Religious Ed**

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

**Friday**

**Senior Citizen's Club, St. John's Hall, 1 pm**

#### **Family Potluck Dinner**

Come join us in a family potluck dinner on Saturday, January 31, 2009, after the 5:30pm Children's Mass. The dinner will be held in St. John's Hall. It will be a chance for parish families to get together and to share their favorite family recipes! Contact Alison Lewis, 440-0554 for more information and about whether you are bringing a dessert or main dish. Come, join the fun!

#### **Thank You**

1. The St. Vincent de Paul Society thanks all the parishioners who donated cash, hats, mittens and scarves to the area's needy this Christmas Season. Christmas Pageant
2. Thank you to all who participated in the wonderful Christmas Pageant.

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

- Of any parishioner who is hospitalized
- Of anyone in need of prayer
- Of anyone 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, Santo Calabro, Christine Connelly, Ramona Concessao, Noah Corey, Cornelius D'Aprile, Gilda D'Aprile, Christina DeDonato, Jack DiSimone, Hilda D'Silva, Jeffrey Dolan, 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, Bridget McGrath, Dominick Moscato, Jim O'Donnell, Loretta Oppitz, Diane Pavelock, Ann Petix, Jean Pettorossi, Mark Riccardi, Malcolm Rodrigues, Johanna Romanelli, James Schettino, Kitty Smith, Lawrence Solomon, Teresa Solomon, Nick Steffanci, Dorethea Tompson, Jean Torrie, Carla Tranberg, Thomas Trochan, Jr., Patricia Tribble, Robin Verdile, Stephen Vitek, Bill Wassweiler, Stephen Wiercinski, Joseph Wasnorowicz, and Taylor Weiss.

**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: Nicolina Spicone, Carmen Gonsalves, Frank Trifilo,

**Collection for Catholic University and Catholic Communications**

is this weekend. Your generosity is appreciated.

**Military Support Group**

The group had its last session on Sunday, January 4th. There is a possibility to restart the support group in the near future when there is more of an interest. Thanks to all who attended throughout the year, and a special thank you to Father Charles for his support and prayers.

**Support Troop 24, BSA**

Our parish has sponsored Troop 24, BSA, for well over 50 years, but this year marks 50 consecutive years of sponsorship. The troop held a campout recently at which Fr. Nolan and the other priests of the parish concelebrated a special Mass. A recognition gathering is planned for early 2009. As part of its celebration, the troop would like to purchase a new troop flag, make a banner dedicated to the anniversary year and purchase some plaques to be used for recognition purposes. As part of our support of Troop 24, we will take up a special collection on January 17/18. Please provide your own envelope for cash or checks, marked "Troop 24."

**Buses for March for Life Jan. 22**

Buses have once again been scheduled to go to Washington, D.C. for the March for Life. This is the 36th anniversary of the Supreme Court making it legal to kill babies out of the shadows of the Declaration of Independence. One bus will leave Mt. Alvernia at 5:00 am after a 4:30 am Mass. The other bus will pick up at St. Columba's Church after 4:30 am Mass, leaving immediately after a quick breakfast. For reservations and/or information, contact Rich at 297-7930 for the bus from Mt., Alvernia or George at 226-6896 for the St. Columba bus. Prices are \$30.00 for adults and \$20.00 for students. All fees are due by Jan. 4.

**Local Rosary for Life, Jan. 22**

If you are unable to take the bus to Washington, D.C., but will be available locally at noon, please join us for the Rosary for Life, starting at St. Mary's, Poughkeepsie. After Exposing the Blessed Sacrament and prayers, we will walk around Planned Parenthood praying the rosary. We will return to St. Mary's for ending prayers and Reposition.

**Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.**

The Southern Dutchess Coalition, Inc. presents the 31<sup>st</sup> celebration of the legacy of Dr. King on Monday, Jan. 19 at the Springfield Baptist Church in Beacon. Adult lunch from 12:45 to 1:45, celebration service at 2:00 pm featuring the Southern Dutchess Coalition Massed Choir. The Celebration preacher will be Pastor Trevor Stewart, Beacon Light Tabernacle, Seventh Day Adventist Church, Beacon. The theme this year is "Looking Toward the Future by Reviewing the Past – The African American Cultural Contribution to the Hudson Valley."

### **The Widow & Widowers of Dutchess and Putnam Counties**

Meet on the third Tuesday of the month at 7:30pm at the East Fishkill Community Center, Route 82 in Hopewell Junction, NY (845) 223-3097.

### **Marriage Encounter**

"Nations shall walk by your light..." We as Catholics must be a light to the world. Spend a weekend growing closer to our spouse and to God and make your marriage to be a "light" shining brighter than ever. The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend is Feb. 13-15. Early registration is highly recommended. For information, go to [www.wmearchny.org](http://www.wmearchny.org) or call toll free 877/NYS-WWME

### **Mount St. Alphonsus Pastoral Center,**

one of the largest Roman Catholic centers in the world, announces its upcoming programs.

Day of Prayer: Wednesday, January 21, 2009 from 9:30 am-3:00 pm. Theme for the January Day of Prayer is "St. Paul's Letter to Philemon." The day will include presentations and discussions, and celebrations of the Sacrament of Reconciliation and Eucharist. There will also be time to enjoy the Mount's majestic building and grounds at your leisure. The cost to attend is \$20, which includes lunch. Priests and Deacons are invited to attend the program free. Reservations required.

Taize Prayer: Wednesday, February 4, 2009 at 7:30 pm. Come hear the Mount's choir sing these simple repetitive and scripture-based chants made glorious with harmonies, in candlelight only. Donations are welcome.

Thousands of people from around the northeast make a pilgrimage to the Mount each year. For more info, please visit [www.VisitTheMount.com](http://www.VisitTheMount.com), or call (845) 384-8000.

### **Separated Divorced Roman Catholic Support Group**

Meets every other Wednesday from 7:30 to 9:00 pm at Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church, Poughkeepsie. This support group is for those who have experienced a loss or rejection through separation or divorce. Its purpose is to provide a safe environment where each person can make their journey towards healing. The next meeting will be January 14. Contact Cathy at 562-3012.

### **Child Protection**

Anyone who needs to report an alleged incident of sexual abuse of a minor by a priest, deacon, religious or lay person serving in the Archdiocese of New York is asked to contact Sr. Eileen Clifford, O.P. at 212/371-1000 x2949 or Deacon Lawrence O'Toole at 914/594-4646. Both may also be reached via e-mail at [victimassistance@archny.org](mailto:victimassistance@archny.org). Information can also be found on the Archdiocesan website, <http://ny-archdiocese.org>. In keeping with the Archdiocesan policy regarding sexual abuse of minors, this information is provided to ensure that our children remain safe and secure. This is part of the Archdiocesan Safe Environment Program.

### **Dominican College Open House**

Dominican College will host an open house on Sunday, Jan. 25 from 1 to 3 pm at the Granito Center on Western Highway in Orangeburg, NY. In the tradition of its Dominican founders, Dominican College foster the active, shared pursuit of truth and embodies an ideal education rooted in the values of reflective understanding and compassionate involvement. If you are a high school student looking for a dynamic college community that is Catholic in origin and heritage, where you will be actively encouraged to achieve your personal best, we invite you and your family to tour Dominican College. Talk to our students, faculty, and coaches to discover the Dominican difference. Dominican offers over 30 degree programs to prepare you for success. Academic and athletic scholarships are available, as are financial aid opportunities. Call 1-866-432-4636 or email [admissions@dc.edu](mailto:admissions@dc.edu) for directions and more information.

### **Memorial Mass – Lewis Tompkins Hose**

Sun. Jan. 25 at the 7:30 am Mass at St. John's, the Lewis Tompkins Hose Co. No. 1 will have a memorial Mass for all deceased members. This year they are commemorating the 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the death of Firefighter J. Robert Cramer who lost his life in the line of duty at a fire on Main St. on Jan. 29, 1955. If anyone would like to join us for breakfast following the Mass, please call the fire station at 831-3516 or Nick McGovern at 489-6130 by Jan. 18 with the number of persons attending.

**¡BIENVENIDOS!  
BAUTISMO DEL SEÑOR**

**LECTURAS PARA EL DIA DE HOY:**

**1 Lectura: Is 42,1-4.6-7:** "Miren mi siervo, a quien prefiero"

**2 Lectura: Hch 10, 34-38:** "Ungido con la fuerza del Espíritu Santo"

**Evangelio: Mc 1,7-11:** "Tú eres mi Hijo amado, mi predilecto"

**«Tú eres mi Hijo amado, en ti me complazco»**



Hoy, la Iglesia celebra el Bautismo del Señor. Aquel día, todas las aguas del mundo fueron purificadas y recibieron la fuerza para significar la limpieza de pecado. Aunque el Bautismo que administraba Juan tenía sólo un significado de conversión y de reconocimiento de nuestros pecados, Jesús quiso pasar por ahí por solidaridad con todos los hombres, como Vanguardista de una renovada Humanidad. Él, «que no conoció pecado, [Dios] le hizo pecado por nosotros, para que nos hiciéramos justicia de Dios en Él». Jesús instituirá el nuevo Bautismo que nos hará hijos de Dios en Él y nos reconciliará con el Padre: será el Cordero de Dios que quitará el pecado del mundo.

Cristo es iluminado; dejemos que esta luz divina nos penetre. Cristo es bautizado, bajemos con Él al agua, para subir después con Él. Aquel día, en el Jordán se vio descender el Espíritu Santo sobre el Señor y se oyó la voz del Padre: «Eres mi Hijo amado, en ti me complazco».

A partir de este momento todos estamos invitados a seguir el mismo Camino de Cristo, a conocer su Verdad y a vivir su misma Vida. Somos elegidos, consagrados y enviados para

colaborar en la misión apostólica. Somos también hijos amados y predilectos, y el Padre se complacerá en cada uno de nosotros.

**ANUNCIOS**

**PROTECCION PARA LOS NINOS**

Cualquier persona que necesite reportar algún incidente de abuso sexual de un menor por un sacerdote, diacono, religioso/a, o laico sirviendo en la Arquidiócesis de Nueva York, se le pide que por favor contacte a la Hermana Eileen Clifford, O.P. al Tel. (212) 371-1000 extensión 2949 o al Diacono Lawrence O'Toole al Tel. 914 – 5944646. Ambos también pueden ser contactados vía correo electrónico: [Victimassistance@archny.org](mailto:Victimassistance@archny.org). Para mayor información pueden visitar la página en la red de la Arquidiócesis: <http://www.ny-archdiocese.org> De acuerdo con las normas de la Arquidiócesis respecto al abuso sexual de menores, esta información se provee para asegurar que nuestros niños permanezcan seguros.

**DESPEDIDAL PADRE CHARLES.**

Anunciamos que el padre Charles Nasamu retorna a su hogar en Nigeria a finales de Enero. Nosotros celebraremos una misa en su honor como se celebra en Nigeria el próximo domingo 25 de enero al medio día en la Iglesia de San Joaquín. Todos estamos invitados a atender al padre Charles por su maravilloso trabajo de servicio que el presto a nuestra comunidad.

**HOSPITALIZADOS**

Por favor llame a la oficina de la parroquia en caso de que alguno de sus familiares estén en el hospital. (St.Francis, Vassar y St. Luke's) Nuestros Sacerdotes estarán allá visitándolos los días jueves en la tarde.