

Church of St. Joachim – St. John the Evangelist

January 24, 2010

Vigil: Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

		4:30 p.m.	Stella Scolaro	Mr. & Mrs. Angelo Forzano
		5:30 p.m.	Pat Eagan	Nick & Eileen Steffanci

Sun. Jan. 24

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

	7:30 a.m.	Henry Grippo	Mildred Grippo
	9:00 a.m.	Michael Eraca	Nit & Virginia Norman
	10:30 a.m.	Joseph Yanarella	Mary & John Goodall
Spanish	12:00 p.m.	Special Intention	
	12:00 p.m.	Katherine Wiand	Adult Altar Servers
	6:00 p.m.	Jacqueline Earlywine	Sheila Mailler

Mon. Jan. 25

The Conversion of St. Paul, Apostle

	7:00 a.m.	Joseph Kielbasa	Daughter, Joanne K. Smith & Family
	8:00 a.m.	Louis Pettorossi	Wife

Tues. Jan. 26

Sts. Timothy & Titus, Bishops

	7:00 a.m.	Fran Riley	Randy Casale
	8:00 a.m.	William J. Tobin	Kathleen Tobin

Wed. Jan. 27

Weekday/St. Agnes Merici, Virgin

	7:00 a.m.	Patrick Keena (Living)	The Family
	8:00 a.m.	Francis Patrick Lahey	Kerry, Tom & Ethan Brady

Thurs. Jan. 28

St. Thomas Aquinas, Priest & Doctor

	7:00 a.m.	Ann Jones	Nancy Condon & Family
	8:00 a.m.	Anna & George Amrhein	Marion Imperatore

Fri. Jan. 29

Weekday

	7:00 a.m.	Helen O'Dell	Rosary Group
	8:00 a.m.	Margaret & Bob Cramer	Mary & Joe Wassi

Sat. Jan. 30

Weekday

	8:00 a.m.	Rose Vassalo	Nancy Condon
	9:00 a.m.	Dennis Quinn	Terry Schmidt

Vigil: Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

	4:30 p.m.	Michael Eraca	Lena Pampalone
	5:30 p.m.	Ron & Dorothy (Kelliher) Reed - Happy 45 th	Wedding Anniversary
			The Danza Family

Sun. Jan. 31

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

	7:30 a.m.	John R. Cramer	Lewis Tompkins Hose Co.
	9:00 a.m.	Lucy McCleery	John Valentino
	10:30 a.m.	Theresa Rhymer	Hazel Antalek & Family
Spanish	12:00 p.m.	Special Intention	
	12:00 p.m.	Edward S. Fredericks	Sean, Linda, & Connor Barry
	6:00 p.m.	Louise Sandford	Josephine Scadura

Sacramentals

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

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

Bread & Wine: St. Joachim's –

Bread & Wine: St. John's – Ron & Dorothy (Kelliher) Reed

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 – Joseph Romanelli, Rose & Francis Donnelly

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
Week 4: George Podloski**

Attendance

Jan. 17, 2010	Jan. 18, 2009
Est. 1,175	833

Coming Events

**Sunday
Religious Ed Program
Youth Groups**

**Monday
Holy Hour for the Year for Priests,
St. John's, 7 to 8 pm.**

**Saturday
Family Potluck Dinner
St. John's hall, after 5:30 Mass**

Thank you

for your great support to our parish in the Christmas Collection. May God bless you for your generosity.

Year for Priests

Remember our parish Holy Hour each Monday from 7 until 8 pm at St. John's as we celebrate the Year for Priests and pray for new vocations to the priesthood and religious life.

**Family Potluck Dinner
Saturday, January 30, 2010,
after the 5:30pm Children's Mass!**

No need to sign up, just bring a main dish to feed your family. You can drop off your dish in St. John's hall kitchen before the mass. The ovens will be available to keep food warm. It is a great way to meet other parish families and share favorite recipes! Any questions contact: Alison Lewis 440-0554 or TLAL@optonline.net

Revenue Sharing Program

A few packets of envelopes for our new Revenue Sharing Program are still available in the rear of the churches and in the Parish Office. Please pick up a packet and participate in this parish fund-raising program. You could be a winner! Thank you.

Bereavement Support

The overall purpose of our bereavement support group is to provide support to those who have experienced the loss of a loved one, to afford an environment where the bereaved can help each other through their pain and sorrow and to see each other emerge from the experience able to survive and become stronger. The group is facilitated by Deacon Marty Mayeski. Our next meeting is on Tuesday, January 26 at 7 pm in St. Joachim's hall. For more information, please call the Parish Office. Thank you.

Valentine's Day Celebration 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 13 at St. John's Church Hall. Mass will be at 7:00 and dinner will follow. Our Valentine Dinner will feature appetizers, main course, salad, dessert and beverages. Price is \$25 per person. This celebration is not just for married couples; singles are welcome too. Please call Marianne Dahl for reservations (831-5406). More details to follow.

Broadway Musical - Billy Elliot

The Parish has purchased 55 tickets to the hit Broadway musical "Billy Elliot" for Sunday, April 25, 2010. Price of ticket will include dinner and transportation. More details to follow. For reservations, please call Marianne Dahl, 831-5406.

Seeking Volunteers

We are seeking volunteers to cook/provide dinners for the Sunday evening high school age youth group. They don't have to be elaborate. Contact Beth Dondero (831-8939) for additional information and to volunteer. Thank you.

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, Minoo Aibara, Maria Arango, Lorraine Barnett, Dominic Bettina, Deborah Bonnell, Dennis Boyle, Joseph Bradford, Howard Brink, Joan Brophy, Victoria Burke, John Christian, Bill Coatney, Christine Connelly, Ramona Concessao, Noah Corey, Cornelius D'Aprile, Gilda D'Aprile, Christina DeDonato, Eileen Deighan, Mary DiGiovanni, Maria del Rosario, Jack DiSimone, Hilda D'Silva, Jeffrey Dolan, Fran Dyckman, Lou Fastoso, Christine Ferguson, Valarian Fernandes, Anne Marie Flynn, Richard Flynn, Marion Fontaine, Russell Fullen, Marie Ann Gama, Antonina Giavatto, Tomasso Giavatto, John Goodall, Angelina Gromkowski, Richard Hearney, Donna Juliano, Jim Killeen, Eileen Malik, Venita Martis, Bridget McGrath, Fred & Mary McVicker, Larry Natoli, Loretta Oppitz, James Pagliaro, Jean Pettorossi, Lawrence Plimley, Jr., Harriett Pollicella, John Pomarico, Lena Prestianni, Ivette Ramos, Mary Rivera, James Schettino, Kitty Smith, Lawrence Solomon, Teresa Solomon, Nick Steffanci, Dorethea Tompson, Jean Torrie, Patricia Tribble, Marie Trimble, Joseph Wasnorowicz, Taylor Weiss, and Stephen Wiercinski.

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: Lucinda Campagna, Mary "Mae" Cahill

Souper Bowl Sunday

The St. Vincent de Paul Society will be collecting cans of soup on Super Bowl Sunday, Feb. 7. Donations may be left in the rear of the churches. The soup will be given to the area's needy.

Please Pray for Priests

Dear Lord, we pray that the Blessed Mother wrap her mantle around your priests and through her intercession strengthen them for their ministry. We pray that Mary will guide your priests to follow her own words, "Do whatever He tells you" (Jn 2:5). May your priests have the heart of St. Joseph, Mary's most chaste spouse. May the Blessed Mother's own pierced heart inspire them to embrace all who suffer at the foot of the cross. May your priests be holy, filled with the fire of your love seeking nothing but your greater glory and the salvation of souls. Amen. St. John Vianney, pray for us.

Parish Hostess Dinner

Looking to have some fun for a good cause? Be sure to be a part of our parish's newest fundraising event: St. Joachim - St. John Dinner Party, which will be held Sunday, February 28, 2010 at 4:00 p.m. in the St. Joachim Gymnasium. We're looking for 25 generous hosts/hostesses to sponsor a table for themselves and seven of their guests, each of whom will pay \$25 to benefit our parish in order to attend. The table host or hostess is responsible for; 1) inviting six (or more) guests, 2) selecting a theme for his/her table, 3) decorating the table and 4) providing the food and refreshments for their guests. Some examples of themed tables include; Irish Night (Irish food served on Celtic tablecloths, plates, etc), A Night in Paris (French specialties with an Eiffel Tower theme), or Hot Tamales (a Mexican flare with sombreros, nachos and lots of hot sauce), or American Bounty with meatloaf and macaroni and cheese and anything red, white and blue. The event is designed to be, not only a fundraiser for our parish, but also to be a celebration of your creative talent. As a host/hostess, here's a chance to raise money for our programs, show off your creative side -- and host a dinner party without ever having to clean your house! As one of the guests, you are guaranteed to not only have a lot of fun, but to also know that you're supporting our parish family too. Either way, it promises to be a great night out. For more details and to reserve one of just 24 available round tables, contact Marianne Dahl at 831-5406. Please help support this exciting parish endeavor!!

Memorial Mass – Lewis Tompkins Hose

Sun. Jan. 31 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 55th 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.

**St. Joachim - St. John's presents
"The Canadian Island Trip"**

This bus trip is scheduled for Tuesday, August 24 through Sunday, August 29, 2010. We will visit the beautiful French-Canadian Province of Quebec, which includes a guided tour. We then depart to the Charlevoix region of Quebec and take a ferry ride to the Island of Coudres for a guided tour and a three-night stay. We will also visit Baie Saint Paul and St. Anne de Beaupre Shrine. Price of this trip is \$595 (6 days and 5 nights) per person, double occupancy. Includes 5 breakfasts, 1 lunch and 4 dinners. \$75 is due upon signing. Final payment is due June 18, 2010. For more information and a trip flyer, contact Marianne Dahl, 831-5406. A valid U.S. Passport is required for this tour.

**Special Journeys for Spiritual Seekers in Their
20s and 30s**

Wouldn't be caught dead on a religious pilgrimage? Neither would most readers of BustedHalo.com, an innovative website run by the Paulist Fathers addressing concerns and topics of interest to Catholics in their late teens to 40s. This spring, Paulist Fr. Larry Rice and BustedHalo.com will lead two special journeys for young adults – an "Adventure Travel" excursion to northern Spain walking the last 100 kilometers (about 65 miles) of the Camino and an Arts and Culture" trip to Paris. For further information, please contact John Mattras at 646/861-3634 or by e-mail at john@franciscanspiritour.com.

**Capuchin Youth & Family Ministries (CYFM)
Garrison, NY**

Womens' Retreat: Lydia-Bloom "Where You Are Planted" – Fri Feb 19 7pm to Sun Feb 21 10:30am. Cost \$115, includes meals, lodging & materials. For registration & information visit our website: www.cyfm.org or call 845/424-3609. Space is limited.

Two-Penny Social

St. Mary's School, Wappingers Falls, Saturday, Jan. 30. Doors open at 11:30 a.m. Calling at 1 p.m. Over 200 new items to choose from, plus raffle table, 50/50, and food available. In case of inclement weather, the event will be held on Sunday, Jan. 31. Call (845) 462-4824 for more information.

Mount Saint Mary College

Newburgh, NY, cordially invites all high school students interested in learning more about the college application process and programs offered at Mount Saint Mary College to attend one of our upcoming Open Houses this spring. Our next Open Houses are:

January 24th – featuring Science & Physical
Therapy Programs
February 21st -

If you would like to obtain more information on our Open Houses or other events, as well as to schedule time to visit campus, simply go to our website: <http://www.msmc.edu> and click on "Visit MSMC" or call Admissions at: 845-569-3488. We look forward to meeting you at the Mount."

**Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament
at St. Columba, Hopewell Junction**

St. Columba has extended hours for Adoration in the Oratory of Our Lady, Cause of Our Joy in our Convent Building.

Hours are 9am and 9pm, Monday through Friday.

Please join us to spend an hour with Our Lord present in the Holy Eucharist. Come to Him with your cares and burdens, your gratitude and thanksgiving. Trust that what you ask Him for will be yours, more than you can imagine. If you are interested in learning more please contact Stephen Broussard at 845-591-4030 or Chris Merenda at 914-419-6314 or cmerenda@frontiernet.net.

**Our Lady of Lourdes High School
Legion of Honor Dinner**

Our Lady of Lourdes High School will host its annual Legion of Honor Dinner on February 6, 2010 at Christos Restaurant in Poughkeepsie. This year's honorees are Dr. Edward H. Bastian (posthumously), Reverend Monsignor Francis P. Bellew and Lawrence J. Paggi. A special presentation of the Lourdean Community Spirit Award will also be made honoring The OLL Parent Organization. If you wish to attend this event or sponsor attendance for a religious order member, please contact Christine Kolosky at 845-463-0400, ext. 1005 or koloskyc@ollchs.org.

**3er DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO.
LECTURAS PARA EL DIA DE HOY:**

1 Lectura: Neh 8, 2-4a. 5-6. 8-10: Leían el libro de la Ley, explicando el sentido
2 Lectura: 1Cor 12, 12-30: Ustedes son el cuerpo de Cristo, y cada uno es un miembro
Evangelió: Lc 1, 1-4; 4, 14-21: Hoy se cumple esta Escritura

“Para que conozcas la solidez de las enseñanzas que has recibido”



Hoy, comenzamos a escuchar la voz de Jesús a través del evangelista que nos acompañará durante todo el tiempo ordinario: san Lucas. Que «conozcas la solidez de las enseñanzas que has recibido» escribe Lucas a su amigo Teófilo. Si ésta es la finalidad del escrito, hemos de tomar conciencia de la importancia que tiene el hecho de meditar el Evangelio del Señor palabra viva y, por tanto, siempre nueva cada día.

Como Palabra de Dios, Jesús hoy nos es presentado como un Maestro, ya que «iba enseñando en sus sinagogas». Comienza como cualquier otro predicador: leyendo un texto de la Escritura, que precisamente ahora se cumple... La palabra del profeta Isaías se está cumpliendo; más aun: toda la palabra, todo el contenido de las Escrituras, todo lo que habían anunciado los profetas se concreta y llega a su cumplimiento en Jesús. No es indiferente creer o no en Jesús, porque es el mismo “Espíritu del Señor” quien lo ha ungido y enviado.

El mensaje que quiere transmitir Dios a la humanidad mediante su Palabra es una buena noticia para los desvalidos, un anuncio de libertad para los cautivos y los oprimidos, una promesa de salvación. Un mensaje que llena de esperanza a toda la humanidad. Nosotros, hijos de Dios en Cristo por el sacramento del bautismo, también hemos recibido esta unción y participamos en su misión: llevar este mensaje de esperanza por toda la humanidad. Meditando el Evangelio que da solidez a nuestra fe, vemos que Jesús predicaba de manera

distinta a los otros maestros: predicaba como quien tiene autoridad. Esto es así porque principalmente predicaba con obras, con el ejemplo, dando testimonio, incluso entregando su propia vida. Igual hemos de hacer nosotros, no nos podemos quedar sólo en las palabras: hemos de concretar nuestro amor a Dios y a los hermanos con obras. Nos pueden ayudar las Obras de Misericordia siete espirituales y siete corporales que nos propone la Iglesia, que como una madre orienta nuestro camino.

ANUNCIOS.

CENA PARA CELEBRAR EL DIA DE SAN VALENTIN:

La parroquia invita a todos los feligreses a celebrar el día de san Valentín con una misa especial, seguida de una cena, el día Sábado 13 de Febrero, en San Juan Evangelista. La Misa se celebrara a las 7:00 de la noche y posteriormente la cena. Nuestra cena de San Valentín tendrá un costo de \$25 dólares por persona e incluye pasabocas, ensalada, cena, postre y bebidas. Esta celebración no es solo para parejas, solteros también son bienvenidos y todos son invitados. Por favor comunicarse con Marianne Dahl para hacer sus reservaciones al tel: 831-5406.

GRUPO DE JOVENES: Todos los jóvenes de nuestra parroquia estan invitados a participar de nuestros grupos todos los domingos. Las reuniones se realizan en los siguientes horarios: Grados 3-5 de 3:00 a 4:45, grados 6-8 de 5:00 a 6:45 de la noche y grados 9-12 de 7:00 a 9:00 de la noche. Todas las reuniones se realizan en el gimnasio de St. Joaquín. No faltes!!

GAFAS Y LLAVES DE CARRO PERDIDAS

En la oficina de la parroquia tenemos varios juegos de llaves de carro y varios pares de gafas (gafas recetadas para leer y también gafas de sol) que algunas personas dejan olvidadas en la parroquia. Si usted piensa ser el dueño de alguno de estos objetos, por favor pásese por la oficina de la parroquia y reclámelos. Gracias.

MUSICAL EN BROADWAY – BILLY ELLIOT

Las personas que estén interesadas en asistir a el musical en Broadway – Billy Elliot, les informamos que la parroquia cuenta con 55 tickets, para el próximo **25 de Abril 2010**. El precio del ticket incluye comida y transporte. Para hacer sus reservaciones favor comunicarse con la señora Marianne Dahl al Tel: 831-5406.