"Immaculate Conception is a Stewardship Parish"

SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME ['B']

JULY 26, 2015

" They shall eat and there shall be some left over."

[The 2nd Book of Kings 4:43b]

The **Community will gather for Eucharist** this week at the following times.

Come, join us! [MASSES in ST. MARY'S HALL, 64 Hunns Lake Rd.] Saturday, 7/25 5:00 P.M. No Mass Sunday, 7/26 10:30 A.M. Alfred Ulanowski by Carol Ulanowski Monday, 7/27 No Mass Tuesday, 7/28 No Mass Mon., Tues., Thurs., Fri. Wednesday, 7/29 No Mass { Mass at 8:30 A.M. Thursday, 7/30 No Mass { at St. Anthony's until August 2nd. Friday. 7/31 No Mass

Saturday, 8/1 5:00 P.M. No Mass Sunday, 8/2 10:30 A.M. No Mass



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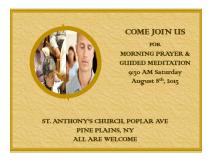
July 26 5:00 P.M. 10:30 A.M. Servers/ Nicholas Ferreri Acolytes No Mass Melissa Leach Readers at St. Anthony's Chris Ferreri **Eucharistic** John Buchal **Ministers** Lisa Shav Ministers of Michael Hardner Hospitality Joseph Salvia

Schedule of Masses at St. Joseph's/Millbrook

[website: stjosephmillbrookny.org]

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Weekday at 7:30 A.M. {Monday thru Saturday} Weekend at 5:00 P.M. {Saturday} 8:00 & 10:15 A.M., 12:00 Noon {Sunday}



The Widows' Tea

that was so well-received last September
will become a joint effort this year bringing together
the two parish communities of
St. Joseph and Immaculate Conception.
"Widows for short ~ not for long!"

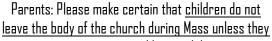
STEWARDSHIP – Last Sunday's collection raised **\$340.00**. Our weekly Sunday collection total for the fiscal year has reached **\$40,930.99** - **58%.** . In order to meet our budget we need each week **\$1,650.00**, which would bring us to a total of **\$70,125.00**. The special collection next weekend is for the **Church in Latin America & Home Missions**. The children's collection - **0** envelopes. **Thank you!**

Forget not 'Flocknote'! You can simply go online and type in: <www.flocknote.com/ICCfamily> and you are in!

Prepare for the Lord's Day

NEXT SUNDAY: 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 1] The Book of Exodus 16: 2-4, 12-15
- 2] Psalm 78: 3-4, 23-24, 25, 54
- 3] Letter to the Ephesians 4: 17, 20-24
- 4] The Gospel according to John 6: 24-35



are accompanied by an adult. Our vigilance for the protection of children must be a priority.



Flowers for the Altar in memory of Alfred Ulanowski are a gift from Carolyn Ulanowski

Have you signed up for "Flocknotes"

Take a card and follow the Directions.

Immaculate Conception Parish Celebrates Eucharist in St. Mary's Hall 64 Hunns Lake Rd. [POB 623] Bangall , NY 12506-0623 845-868-1923 ~ 845-868-1594 (fax) Come, join us in prayer!

CATECHETICAL PROGRAM FOR YOUNG PEOPLE

+ The Catechetical program will now be located at St. Joseph's in Millbrook.

Registration forms are available on the parish website [stjosephmillbrookny.org] YEAR OF Office number 845-677-3273 and email address; stjosephmillccd.gmail.com.



August 2nd, 2015 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

A recurring theme in Exodus is the grumbling or murmuring of the people against Moses and the Lord. In today's text they accuse Moses and Aaron of having brought them out of Egypt "into this desert to make the whole community die of famine!" (v.3). In response the Lord sends them quail and manna, "bread from heaven", not only to provide for them but also "to test them, to see whether they follow my instructions" (v.4). These gifts from heaven serve to prove to the Israelites "that I, the Lord, am your God" (v.12). They have just departed Egypt, a land with hundreds of gods, but it is the Lord who cares for them and who invites them into an exclusive relationship.

Today's Gospel continues the story of the loves and fish as the disciples follow Jesus to Capernaum, "across the sea" (v.25) from where they were fed. He challenges their motive for following him, claiming that they are seeking him "because you ate the loaves and were filled" (v.26). More important than the food he gave them, which is "food that perishes," is "the food that endures for eternal life" (v.27). They compare the food he gave them to the manna their ancestors ate in the desert. But Jesus tells them that it is not Moses but "my Father [who] gives you the true bread from heaven" (v.33). Their response is to ask him to "give us this bread always" (v.34).

The author of Ephesians encourages his audience to "no longer live as the Gentiles do" (v.17). Embracing the Christian faith, they are called to "put away the old self" (v.22) and "put on the new self, created in God's way in righteousness and holiness of truth" (v.24).

For Reflection: Do I sometimes forget the ways God has blessed me in the past? Do I pray for a deeper hunger for the bread from heaven?

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DUTCHESS FOR LIFE

Join us in spreading a Peaceful Prayerful Prolife
Presence throughout Dutchess County, through participation in life chains, prayer services, the upcoming
40 Days for Life Campaign, and other events. (We don't do those other "P" words: protest or picket.) To be added to our email list, write to dutchessforlife@gmail.com. Call 845-853-6529.

Insert <iccbangall.org> into address bar. {For the Newsletter *click on the page itself* }

Remembrance and Going Forth Ceremony

from St. Mary's Hall

A ceremony to remember and celebrate our parish history

as we prepare to go forth to new parish communities on Friday, July 31st.

The evening begins with food for those gathered - a pot luck supper beginning at 6:30 P.M.

[Bring something to share –even just '5 barley loaves and 2 fish' will be enough!]

Evening Prayer will begin around 8:00 P.M.

Check our parish website.



For all that has been, we give thanks...for all that can be, we hope....
And for all that will be, we work...© Rord!

Extraordinary Jubilee Year of Mercy

to open in December 2015 and
close in November 2016

Learn about Pope Francis' reasons for this event and all
that it will encompass at
<w2.vatican/va>

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OF THE EXTRAORDINARY
JUBILEE OF MERCY
Misericordiae Vultus

2. We need constantly to contemplate the mystery of mercy. It is a wellspring of joy, serenity, and peace. Our salvation depends on it. Mercy: the word reveals the very mystery of the Most Holy Trinity. Mercy: the ultimate and supreme act by which God comes to meet us. Mercy: the fundamental law that dwells in the heart of every person who looks sincerely into the eyes of his brothers and sisters on the path of life. Mercy: the bridge that connects God and man, opening our hearts to the hope of being loved forever despite our sinfulness.

Treasures of New York

A weekly program on Public Television - Channel 13 WNET will feature on Tuesday, August 25th at 8:00 P.M. the "Restoration of St. Patrick's Cathedral", regarded as a local treasure and a National Historic Landmark.