# **Church of the Infant Saviour**

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## **Infant Saviour, Pine Bush**



Father S. Niranjan Rodrigo, Pastor Deacon Jack Carr Deacon Frank Rose

Parish Trustees: Dr. Richard Reich

Dn. Frank Rose

Parish Council Chair: Dn. Jack Carr

**Parish Secretary/Notary Public**: Mrs. Patricia Ditizio Parish Office Hours: Monday, Wed-Friday 9AM-4PM

Tuesday 9AM-6PM

RCIA Ministry: Dn. Jack Carr

**Religious Education**: Mrs. Gail Baumann, Coordinator

Mrs. Jeanette Coates, Secretary

Adult Faith Formation: Mrs. Gail Baumann

Catholic Youth Organization: Mrs. Jeanette Coates

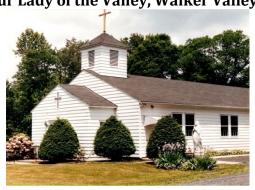
Mrs. Lula Tartaglione

**THE HOMEBOUND** are visited regularly. To arrange a visit, please call the Parish Office at 744-2391.

## **Knights of Columbus Council 5329:**

Meets the first Thursday of the month in the Pre-School Building, call Charlie Cino 744-6174.

## Our Lady of the Valley, Walker Valley



#### MASS SCHEDULE:

Saturday Evening: 5PM-Pine Bush Sunday: 8:00 AM – Walker Valley 9:30AM & 11:15AM – Pine Bush

Daily Masses: 8:00AM Monday through Sat. – Pine Bush CONFESSIONS: Saturday 4:00-4:40 and by appointment.

### **INFANT BAPTISMS:**

Any 2nd or 4th Saturday of each month at 12 Noon. or by special appointment. Please call the Rectory at 744-2391 ext. 10 **Baptism Catechesis** is offered on the 3rd Saturday of every month at 3PM in the Church Hall. Any parents who are getting their children baptized and have been directed to attend should plan on coming to one of the sessions before the baptism takes place. Godparents may also attend. Please direct any questions or concerns to Dn. Jack Carr or Dn. Frank Rose.

# **ADULT BAPTISMS:**

We use the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults.

### **DEVOTIONS:**

**Rosary** – 7:40 Rosary said before Daily Mass

Miraculous Medal Novena – after Saturday 8:00AM Mass

Holy Hour - Wednesday, 6:30-7:30PM

Last Wednesday of Every month Holy Hour will be held at Our Lady of the Valley in Walker Valley 6:30-7:30.

**Marian Prayer Group** – 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesdays, 10:30AM, Mother's Chapel

**Ultreya** – 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of the month: 7:30PM, Church Hall **Eucharistic Adoration** – First Friday of the Month: 9AM – 6PM

**MARRIAGES:** Please call the Rectory 744-2391 for an appointment at least six months prior to the desired date. No date will be given until the couple has met with Fr. Niranjan, Deacon Jack or Deacon Frank.



# May 22, 2016 The Most Holy Trinity

## **Mass Intentions**

Sat: May 21, 2016

**Sat** 8:00AM:

5:00PM: Bob Turnbull (His Wife Anne)

Week of May 22, 2016

Sun: 8:00AM: Beverly Corcoran

9:30AM: Joseph & Catherine Sarkowicz (Their Family)

11:15AM: Theresa Algarin (Bob & Mary Boylan)

Mon: 8:00AM: Tues: 8:00AM:

Wed: 8:00AM: For All Souls In Purgatory

**Thur:** 8:00AM:

Fri: 8:00AM: John Marshall (Healing)

(Tom & Gabriele Stephens)

**Sat:** 8:00AM: Brian G. Sapio (His Family)

5:00PM: Rose Marie Wilkins (Dn Frank & Patti Rose)

Week of May 29, 2016

Sun: 8:00AM: Donald Schutz (Mike & Maria Owney)

9:30AM: Anna McGann (Her Family)

11:15AM: Smitty Northrop (Happy Birthday In Heaven)

(His Wife, Son and Grandosn)

**CONFESSIONS:** Saturday 4:00-4:40 and by appointment.

# **Sanctuary Lamp:**

For the Continued Healing of Morgan Requested by Mary & Cathleen Fay

Readings: May 29, 2016

First Reading: Genesis 14:18-20 (169C)

Psalm: 110:1, 2, 3, 4

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 11:23-26

Gospel: Luke 9:11b-17

**Cenacle for Life**: Please join the Healing Hands for Life Ministry 4:00PM every Friday in the Mother's Chapel to pray for the end of Abortion and the Sanctity of Life.

# BAPTISMAL/CONFIRMATION SPONSOR CERTIFICATES

**AND REGISTRATION:** Please note that you must be registered for at least three months in order to receive a sponsor certificate.

Prayers for the Sick and Deceased: Please contact the Parish Office with names of anyone who need prayers for healing or have recently died in which you would like to have included in the Prayer of the Faithful at Mass and/or in the bulletin. The names of those who are sick are to be submitted only with he named person's permission.

Please pray for the sick: John Araneo, Roland Mora, Helen Dennedy, George Burrow, Pat Matteo, Jeffrey Selear, Bob Carlson, George Rescigno, Matthew Schaffner, William Meyers, Richard Tanagretta, Doris Bennett, Jeanie Kane, Bob Broughal, Ed Gatzen, Edward Staff, Joseph Manfredi, Anthony Gordon, Eric Maurin, Roland Rossi, Kurt Schaffner, Frank Rispoli, Natalie Saft, Thomas Fitzsimmons, Clare Dougherty, Michael Phillips and Gail LeClair.

SAVE The DATES: The Adult Faith Formation will be presenting "Consoling The Heart of Jesus" Retreat on each Friday at 10AM and 7PM from Sept. 9-Nov. 16, 2016. More Information to follow.

**PLEASE REMEMBER** all our Men and Women who defend and have defended our freedom in the armed forces and their families in your prayers, especially: Henry Brylowski Jr. (Army); John Walton (Army) Ed Ryan (Iraq); Jamie Flodin (Marines); Lyndsey Flodin (Marines) Chris Corti (US Air Force); Sean Patrick Barry (Marines), Louis Springer (Commander, Navy); John Broughal (Air Force) Michael Ditizio (Navy), Captain Caitlin Conley (Fort Bragg, NC) James Grabinski (US Air Force), Jeremy Reinhardt (Navy) Eddison Parris (Camp Lejeune, NC); Capt. Francis Pascucci (USMC), CPT Jennifer Pascucci, (Army); Michael Haffner (Airforce), Heather Owney (1st Lt. Army), John A. Burrow (Air Force), Breana Mangold (Navy), Christopher Mangold (Navy), Christopher Chase (Ensign, Navy), Nicholas G. Burrow (AirForce), Andrew Starke (Air Force), Daniel Vasseur (Navy) Philip Longden (Army), Alex Hyde Goudreau (MP Army), Matthew Wilkins (Air Force), Zachary Sawitsky (Marines), Jake Sawitsky (Marines), Aaron Nahs (Air National Guard), James A. Tremper, Jr. (Army), Sean Kane (Army), Arthur Jefferson III (Army), Timothy Fay (Master Sergeant, Air Force), Casey Fay (1st. Lt., Army), Brian Daniel Gray (Marines), Devin Masiero (Marines), William LaCovara (Air Force), Gerardo Balsa (Air Force) Colin Cummings (Marine Corps), Matthew Cruver (Air Force National Guard)

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR MEN AND WOMEN: Almighty God, we stand before You asking for Your divine mercy and protection. Embrace with Your invicible armour our loved ones in all branches of the service. Give them courage and strength against all enemies both spiritual and physical and hasten their safe journey back to their homes and families. Amen.

## **Religious Ed News:**

Registration for Religious Education for 2016-2017 year is now in progress PLEASE RETURN COMPLETED FORMS AS SOON AS POSSIBLE any registration received after June 30th will have an additional charge of \$50.00. Any outstanding registration fees for 2015-2016 MUST BE PAID NOW..

If you have a child going into first grade in September you must register your child for Religious Education as guickly as possible.

### **WALKER VALLEY CATHOLIC SOCIETY NEWS:**

June/July No Meetings

Thurs. Aug. 4 Meeting: Tricky Tray Social Plans/Update on Business Donations

Banns of Marriage: Matthew Gershowitz & Samantha Sherman

## Sacrament of Confirmation 2016

On the 15<sup>th</sup> of May, on a Sunday afternoon at 3:00 p.m. we had our Confirmation Mass for our Religious Ed students in which the Sacrament of Confirmation was conferred. I would like to sincerely thank **His Excellency Bishop Dominic Lagonegro** for taking his time to administer the sacrament of Confirmation to our students.

Through the Sacrament of Confirmation, our personal relationship with Christ is strengthened. And this sacrament deepens our baptismal promises and the journey of life that we have already begun. Not only that, Confirmation calls us to be witnesses of Christ in our families, neighborhoods, society, and the world. As Bishop Dominic stated this Sacrament of Confirmation speaks about our human identity; who are we? We are the adopted Children of God in Christ Jesus through the Holy Spirit. We are called to be responsive to the grace of Confirmation and the seven gifts of the Holy Spirit. If we are responsive, we begin to bear the fruits of the Spirit. The tradition of the Church states the twelve fruits of the Holy Spirit as: love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, generosity, gentleness, faithfulness, modesty, self-control, and chastity (Catechism of the Catholic Church - no. 1832; Gal 5:22).

Our eight graders in Religious Education Program have been preparing all those eight years to be confirmed in the Holy Spirit. There is no doubt that they were hopefully looking forward to this day for a long time. The 36 students seemed to be so joyful and excited.

Presenting the Confirmation Class of 2016:
Aron 'Joseph' Alba, Ayanna 'Aria' Acosta,
Alexi 'Adeline' Ayres, Gianna 'Anita' Babcock, Gracie 'Rose' Barbera,
Abigail 'Cecilia' Caldwell, Daniel 'James' Cragan, Blake 'Michael' Dela Cruz,
Amy 'Virginia' DeSena, Emily 'Ann' Dimino, Caitlin 'Veronica' Formosa,
Cole' Donald' Hentschel, Riley 'Michael' Janke, Christina 'Christina' Kania,
Cara 'Genevieve' Kempter, Kyle 'John' Lane, Liam 'Patrick' Lenihan,
Krysten 'Elizabeth' Mack, Grace 'Angela' Manoy, Justin 'Peter' MIlls,
Daniel 'Paul' Mondelli, Brannick 'Francis' Montgomery,
Layhla 'Faustina' Morocho, Jessica 'Mary Magdalene' Nicosia,
Oliva 'Gabriella' O'Connell, Zoe 'Anne' Ramalio, Gregory 'Joseph' Range,
Marc-Anthony 'Anthony' Roberts, Jillian 'Nika' Shavuo, Sabrina 'Mary' Sierpinski,
Laina 'Marie' Silliman, Payton 'Angela' Smith, John 'John' Spignardo,
Devin 'Agnes' Storch, Elizabeth' Joanna' Squillante, Peyton 'Agatha' Travis.

We as a parish are so grateful to all the teachers of the Religious Education program for forming them each year to come to this stage of getting confirmed in the Spirit. Special thanks go to the Coordinator of Religious Education, Mrs. Gail Baumaan and her secretary, Mrs. Jeannette Coates and the teachers of the Confirmation class; Mr. Joe Ditizio, Mrs. Roserita DuFresne, Ms. Chris Caruso, and Mrs. Melissa Mazzio-Shauvo for their hard work of leading the students spiritually and organizing this occasion beautifully. Also, we would like to thank the parents of these students and their sponsors. The liturgy of the Confirmation Mass became an inspiring moment, especially because of the beautiful singing of the choir conducted by Robin Dieckman, the Altar Servers, Eucharistic Ministers, and the members of the Knights of Columbus. We also would like to show our great gratitude to Mr. John DeMatteis for his yearly dedicated work of making wonderful Rosaries to our Confirmandies. John had been doing this work for years and we as parish are so appreciate for this mind of ministry that he does.

Collections: 2016 2015

Sunday Collection 05/15/2016

\$5,402.20

\$5,867.92

(Parishpay included) Thank you for your generosity.

### Collections for the Month of May

Undated Mother's Day Remembrance May 1: Weekly/Church in Europe May 5: The Feast of the Ascension May 8: Weekly/Building Fund

May 15: Weekly

Undated Father's Day Remembrance

May 22: Weekly/Maintenance

May 29: Weekly

**"Tree Of Life"** The Donor Recognition Tree is one way of recognizing, remembering and honoring a living or deceased "family member or friend, commemorate an anniversary or other event or thank the Lord for favors received. The tree is on the wall in the main Church by Mother's Chapel. The forms that need to be filled out with who you want to have dedicated, have been placed in both Churches and in the Church Hall.

## God Bless you for your support.

One Leaf: \$400.00 One Acorn: \$800.00 One Stone: \$1,300.00 Mini Tree: \$4,000.00

Please note that there will be an additional fee of \$200.00 to add a picture. Payment plans are available.

The PINE BUSH KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS Council 5329 is offering a \$400 scholarship for a graduating senior that lives in the Pine Bush School District. In keeping with our faith, all applicants are to write an essay answering the question, "How should my Catholic faith determine how I Vote in Elections?" The essay should be between 200-250 words and type-written. One winner will be chosen.

The following qualifications are in place:

- 1. Reside in the Pine Bush School District
- 2. Graduating Senior that is attending a college in the Fall
- 3. Practicing Catholic

Essays must be received no later than June 14. Please include your name and a contact number. They can be emailed to <a href="mailto:kofc5329@hvc.rr.com">kofc5329@hvc.rr.com</a> Please attach it to the email.

or they can be sent to:

Knights of Columbus 5329 PO Box 166

Thompson Ridge, NY 10985

Cardinal's Appeal 2016 During this Jubilee Year of Mercy, we are called to help one another and be merciful, as Jesus is for all of us. It is only with your help that the Cardinal's Annual Stewardship Appeal continues to be a beacon of hope for our brothers and sisters through our ministries and charities. Answer the call and donate today!. You can also make an online donation by visiting www.cardinalsappeal.org. Goal: \$42,000.00; As of May 13, 2016 Pledged: \$24,551.00 -- 81 Gifts. Please consider a sacrificial pledge to the 2016 Appeal. Thank you.

#### WHAT IS PARISH PAY?

Parish Pay is an alternative means of fulfilling your stewardship commitment to Infant Saviour Church that benefits both you and the parish. It is considered as the best means available of supporting our Parish. Instead of weekly and special collection envelopes, the program collects your contribution amount from your checking, savings, or credit account on the date and frequency you specify. The funds you designate are deducted from your account and directly credited to Infant Saviour Church. Currently, we have 70 families in our Parish participating in ParishPay and we would like to grow that number. Enrollment is easy, friendly, secure, and most of all there is no cost to you for using Parish Pay.

### **BENEFITS TO YOU**

You do not have to worry about bringing your envelope and checkbook to Mass every week. You can provide regular ongoing support to Infant Saviour Church, even if you are away or unable to attend Mass, especially in the summer months. With Parish Pay, tithing may be made through your checking account, savings account or even a credit card every week or month at NO cost to you. It's secure and confidential. You can easily adjust the amount of your contribution anytime via the secured website or by calling the Parish Office. You will receive email reminders in advance of your scheduled contributions. You receive a year-end summary of your donations for tax purposes.

#### BENEFITS TO INFANT SAVIOUR CHURCH

It provides a more predictable stream of income that will help the Church do a better job forecasting and budgeting. It reduces the expense process of regular weekly donation envelopes. It ensures consistency in giving during the lean summer months when parishioners travel and are away. It ensures an accurate and consistent record for generating tax letters.

#### IT'S EASY TO SIGN UP!

The quickest way to enroll is by using the website <a href="https://www.parishpay.com">www.parishpay.com</a> and scroll down to the "get Started" link and placing the Church's zip code in or by calling the Parish Office @ (845) 744-2391 x 10. There is also a link to Parish Pay through our own parish website, <a href="https://www.infantsaviour.org">www.infantsaviour.org</a>.

For those of you who worry about what other people will think when you don't put anything in basket, you can simply deposit an empty envelope in the basket with the words Parish Pay written on the amount. We encourage you to surf out to the Parish Pay website and see just what this way of giving has to offer. Thank you in advance for your continued generosity to Infant Saviour Parish, your spiritual home. May God Bless You All Abundantly.

**Town of Shawangunk 2016** is hosting a 6 week summer camp from Tuesday July 5-August 12th 9AM to 3PM for children from ages 5 to 14 years old. Camp will be held in Verkeerderkill Park. How to Register: Shawangunk Town Hall 14 Central Avenue, Wallkill, NY or you can download forms at shawangunk.org For more information or to register please go to the website or call Gillian Batchasingh at 917-848-8633 or April Grieco at 744-2452. There will be a residence and a non-residence fee applied. Registration deadline is June 15

St. Joan of Arc in Sloatsburg is hosting a 2016 Carnival from Thursday May 26th - Friday May 27th from 6PM-11PM and on Saturday May 28th - Sunday, May 29th 1PM-11PM.. They are located at the intersection of Orange Turnpike and Eagle Valley Road. Ride all day with a wristband purchase; Fireworks show on Sunday at 9:30PM.

The annual Pine Bush Relay for Life is going to be held on June 4, 2016 beginning at noon. All in the community are invited to come and spend the day at this event. Please if you are a cancer survivor there are many activities for you to enjoy. Registration for all survivors begins at 2pm & planned are manicures, massages, Reikki, and a class on Essential Oils. We are proud to announce Wendy Wellington will be taking individual professional photos of all our survivors & one with their caregivers/family. There will be a food reception for our cancer survivors & their caregivers at 4:30pm.

Food provided by the Pine Bush Hook & Ladder Company. At 5:45pm the Garden of Hope will be dedicated and at 6:00pm the special lap for all cancer survivors will take place. PLEASE pass the word this is a wonderful event for those who have survived cancer & their loved ones. At 8:30pm we will have our luminary ceremony to honor & remember those we have lost to cancer. For more information contact Donna Henke at 8457448017.

The front gardens at **Our Lady of the Valley** have undergone a transformation. A few weeks ago the tall bushes were removed; they had become too overgrown and were hard to maintain any longer. This week a very dedicated crew planted the new trees, shrubs, and flowers. The combination of the newly painted exterior and the gardens have really rejuvenated our lovely chapel. Thank you to the following for their help: **Karyn Schoeberl, Jim & Pat Gluszak, Bernie & Donna Henke, Jim Bokal, Mary Lou Roberts, Robert & Nancy Miller.** The Walker Valley Catholic Society invites all parishioners to come out for a visit.



# The Holy Trinity -- EWTN Global Catholic Network, Rev. William G. Most

Perhaps the deepest, the most profound of all mysteries is the mystery of the Trinity. The Church teaches us that although there is only one God, yet, somehow there are three Persons in God. The Father is God, The Son is God, the Holy Spirit is God, yet we do not speak of three Gods, but only one God. They have the same nature, substance, and being.

We came to know this immense mystery because Christ revealed it to us. Just before ascending He told them: "Go teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit" (Matthew 28:19). We know that these Three are not just different ways of looking at one person. For at the Last Supper, Jesus told us: "I came forth from the Father." So He is different from the Father, But He also promised: "If I go, I will send Him [the Paraclete] to you....He will guide you to all truth" (John 16:28, 7, 13). So the Holy Spirit is also different.

Even though the Three Persons are One God, yet they are distinct: for the Father has no origin, He came from no one. But the Son is begotten, He comes from the Father alone. The Holy Spirit comes or proceeds from both the Father and the Son. These different relations of origin tell us there are three distinct Persons, who have one and the same divine nature.

Even though everything the Three Persons do outside the Divine nature is done by all Three, yet it is suitable that we attribute some works specially to one or the other Person. So we speak of the Father especially as the power of creation, of the Son as the wisdom of the Father, of the Holy Spirit as goodness and sanctification.

The two doctrines of the Trinity and the Incarnation are the foundation of Christian life and worship. By becoming man, God the Son offered us a share in the inner life of the Trinity. By grace, we are brought into the perfect communion of life and love which is God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit. This sharing in the life of the Trinity is meant to culminate in Heaven, where we will see the Three Persons face to face, united to them in unspeakable love.

Most Holy Stigmata Fraternity Order of Franciscan Secular Information Night -- Are you 18 yars or older and want to learn more about the life of St. Francis? Do you want to grow in your relationship with Christ? You are cordially invited to join them at their Information Night, Thursday, Nay 26, 2016 at 6PM Orientation and 7:15PM Gathering, Please park in the rear of the Retreat Center and come up the outside stairs ~~ Mt. Alvernia Retreat Center, Delavergne Avenue, Wappingers Falls, NY 12590 (845)297-5760. For more information Ron Revelle (845) 564-4985 or ronrevelleofs@gmail.com