

St. Patrick's Parish

Served By:

Rev. Msgr. John T. Ferry, Pastor
Rev. Joseph K. Domfeh, Parochial Vicar

Schedule of Masses:

Sunday: 9:00 am, 10:30 am, 12 noon
Monday to Friday: 9:00 am
Saturday: 9 am, 5:30 pm (Vigil Mass of Sunday)

Holy Days of Obligation: 5:30 pm (Vigil), 9:00 am, 7:00 pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturdays 4:30 to 5:00 pm
Anytime in the Rectory by appointment.



Parish Office at the Cenacle:

Office Hours: Monday 9:00am-4:00pm
Tuesday through Friday 9:30am-2:30pm
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Parish Registration:

Our parish family invites all of its members to participate fully in our spiritual and social life. Please register as a parishioner. If you have a change of address, please notify the Parish Office.

Baptisms:

First and third Saturday of the month by appointment. Prior Baptismal Catechesis is required when baptizing the first child. Call the Parish Office to make arrangements.

Communion to the Homebound:

Call the Parish Office to make arrangements. A Eucharistic Minister will bring Communion to the ill or infirm who cannot attend mass.

Chapel of Eucharistic Adoration:

The Chapel is located in the Cenacle Building (at 485 Old Post Road, Bedford). Hours are 10 am to 2:30pm, Monday through Friday. Signup times are available.

Anointing of the Sick:

Call the Parish Office to make arrangements. If the Parish Office is closed, please call the Rectory.

Sacrament of Marriage:

Please contact the Office at least 6 months in advance of your intended Wedding date. Attendance at a Marriage Preparation course is required.

For Parish Calendar, Events, Ministries: Visit our website at www.stpatricksbedford.org

Corpus Christi Sunday - June 19, 2022

Mass Intentions

Saturday, June 18

- 9:00 am William O'Donnell req. by The Zizic Family
5:30 pm John O'Donnell req. by The Riley Family

Sunday, June 19

- 9:00 am For All Fathers Living & Deceased
10:30 am Carolyn Pascale req. by The Molinari Family
12:00 pm Caroline Luccarelli req. by the Family

Monday, June 20

- 9:00 am Joseph Vitelli req. by Marianne Vitelli

Tuesday, June 21

- 9:00 am Phil Pinto req. by Rosemary Parisi

Wednesday, June 22

- 9:00 am Eileen Riley Zawada req. by The Riley Family

Thursday, June 23

- 9:00 am Margie Gersoa req. by The Neary Family

Friday, June 24

- 9:00 am Ann McNamara Scanlon req. by Kelly & David Crummy

Saturday, June 25

- 9:00 am Susan Mary Ballmann req. by The Blake Family
5:30 pm Eileen Riley Zawada req. by The Riley Family

Sunday, June 26

- 9:00 am Daniel & Virginia Hickey req. by Jane & Dan Hickey
10:30 am Angela Rose Valbiro req. by Marci Stearns McCormick
12:00 pm Pat Palmiotto req. by Family



Pray for our Sick

Molly Henry, Spyros, Mia Trehan, John Zawada
*We need your help in order to keep our Prayer List up to date! Please remember to let the Parish Office know when you'd like to add or remove a name.
Thank you!*

Service Personnel Prayer List

The names listed below are service personnel serving in our nation's armed forces who are relatives of our parishioners. Please keep them in your prayers.

Darren Adler/Marines
Charlie Carr/Air Force
Ralph J. DeMartino/Marines
Richard Hughes/Marines
John Lund/Navy
Jacqueline M. Penichet/Navy
Luis F Penichet/Marines
Steven Scully/Marines
Thomas M. Stevenson/Army



From the Pastor's Desk:

Dear Parishioners,

This Sunday we celebrate "The Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ," also known as Corpus Christi. It is our annual reminder of the gift that the Eucharist is as the fulfillment of the Lord's promise to always be with us. We know that Jesus is truly present in our lives in many ways. He is present in the hearts of all believers and He is present whenever two or three gather in His name. He is present in His Word as we hear it proclaimed each week and He is present in the priest as he celebrates the Sacraments in Christ's name.

In the Eucharist, Jesus is present in what we often call the "Real Presence" as He comes to us in a very visible and tangible way. The Gospel recounts the time when Jesus fed the crowds to satisfy their physical hunger. This miracle foreshadows the Eucharist when Jesus would give us himself to satisfy our spiritual hunger and provide the sustenance that we need to walk through life on our journey of faith. May our reception of Holy Communion never become casual or routine. May our "Amen" to the words "Body of Christ" affirm our faith that the Lord is truly present and coming to us to be one with us and one with each other.

Sunday is also Father's Day. As our heavenly Father provides for us, so do our earthly fathers provide us with love, their sacrifices and all we truly need. May God bless our fathers who are still with us and those who have gone home to God. May all our fathers know today and every day how much they are loved.

Happy Father's Day!

Msgr. John T. Ferry



47th St. Patrick's Carnival

The committee would like to thank everyone who came to enjoy the carnival.

It was a great week for the parish community and a surprise visit from Cardinal Dolan enriched the event.

We are pleased to report that the carnival raised \$80,000 for the parish. None of this would have been possible without the tireless efforts of our volunteers.

See you all next year!

St Patrick's Carnival Committee

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Catechists and Aides Needed: The Religious Education program relies on volunteer Catechists and Aides to run a vibrant, encouraging program for our over 200 youth. Volunteers are needed from September to May, on Tuesday afternoons and evenings. We provide materials, training and on-going support throughout the academic year. Take this opportunity to join our special ministry of passing our faith on to the next generation. Please contact the Religious Education office for more information. Call (914) 234-3775 or email goodnews2@verizon.net.

JUNE SOLEMNITIES IN 2022

On Friday, June 24th, the Solemnities of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus (Friday after Corpus Christi Sunday) and the Nativity of St. John the Baptist (June 24) fall on the same date. It has been determined that the Solemnity of the Sacred Heart will be observed on Friday, June 24th, and the Nativity of St. John the Baptist will be transferred to the preceding Thursday, June 23.

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Capuchin Youth & Family Ministries Summer Outreach Week Request for Support

During the week of June 27th to July 1st parishioners Jesse Collins and Maria Lonczak will be participating in Summer Outreach Week, sponsored by CYFM in the Hudson Valley. This weeklong service experience for a team of youth and adults promotes personal and spiritual growth through prayer, theological reflection, and service to the poor in community. It also provides participants opportunities to become more aware of the reality of the disadvantaged in our society and how we as Christians are called to respond.

After gathering at St. Joachim Parish in Beacon each morning, members of the SOW community will go out to the surrounding area to engage in service. We will work at a soup kitchen and homeless shelter, and at St. Joachim's to build bunkbeds for local families and to lead a Vacation Bible School for children.

Participants' fees cover only part of the cost of running SOW, which is why Jesse and Maria are asking for support from our parish family. Donations are needed to help make up the difference in the cost of building materials for the bunkbeds, food, and transportation (gas and vehicles). Part of the money also goes to CYFM to cover its cost in providing this program so it can continue this and the many other programs it offers for young people and their families.

If you would like to support Jesse, Maria and the SOW team, you may make a financial contribution after the masses this weekend, or you can donate online at <https://bit.ly/SOW22CIS> or by mailing a check to Capuchin Youth and Family Ministries – SOW, P.O. Box 268, Garrison, NY 10524. Please mention “Jesse Collins” or “St. Patrick's, Bedford” as your connection to SOW.

Whether you are able to make a financial contribution or not, your prayers for the success of our week of prayer and service are much needed and most appreciated. Thank you!

URGENT HELP NEEDED

Brooke D'Aleo is a 14-year-old student at John Jay High School. She is a wonderful, hard-working young woman who is liked by everyone, is kind to everyone, and plays softball with amazing intensity and skill. Her loving Grandparents, Dan and Margaret Petri, are devout members of St. Mary of the Assumption Parish, in Katonah. She received the Sacrament of Confirmation on March 12 and was diagnosed with Acute Myeloid Leukemia a few days later.

She is being treated at Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center in Manhattan. Brooke is likely to require a bone marrow transplant from a donor as part of her treatment. The likeliest match will be a person of European and Sicilian descent, and so far no matches have been found.

Brooke's family is urging people to volunteer to be screened for possible donation to Brooke. The initial test to determine whether you are a match is a simple self-administered swab of the inside of your cheek. The swab is mailed to the appropriate organization for screening. There are two organizations that provide matching services for such transplants. For donors under the age of 40, the organization is <https://bethematch.org/>. For people between 40 and 55, the organization is <https://www.dkms.org/>. You can register online to get the process started.

Brooke also receives frequent transfusions of both whole blood and platelets. If you would like to donate blood or platelets for Brooke, contact Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center at <https://www.mskcc.org/blooddonations> for complete information about donor eligibility and the donation process.

Thank you and God bless .