

St. Joseph Church

A Ministry of the Capuchin Franciscan Friars, Province of St. Mary (New York/New England)



MISSION STATEMENT

“The parish family of St. Joseph, nourished by the Word of God and the sacraments of the Roman Catholic Church and animated by the life of St. Francis of Assisi, proclaims, radiates and lives the love of God in our community.”

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Parish Office Hours: Mon-Thurs 9:30-4:00 Fri. 9:30-1:00

SERVED BY

Eucharist

Saturday 5:00 pm
Sunday 8:00, 9:30, 11:30 am
Weekdays 9:00 am
Holy Day of Obligation: see bulletin for Mass times

Baptism

Baptisms are on the first Sunday of the month at 1:00 pm. It is the law of the N.Y. Archdiocese that infants may only be baptized after the parents have attended an “Instructions on Baptism”. Please call the Parish Office for information.

Reconciliation

Saturday 3:30 to 4:30 pm and by appointment
One may request the Sacrament of Reconciliation at the Parish Office on any day.

Marriage

Individual arrangements are to be made at the Parish Office as soon as possible and no less than six (6) months before the date of the intended wedding. Time for church instruction and preparation are required by Church law.

Anointing of the Sick

Call the Parish Office at any time. This sacrament is administered to those who are seriously ill due to sickness or age.

Ministry to the Homebound

The Eucharist will be brought to the home of any person permanently or temporarily homebound. Please contact the Parish Office.

R.C.I.A. (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)

7-9 pm Mondays - Parish Center

Rosary

Recited each day in Church after daily Mass.

Holy Hour

First Friday of the month 7:00-8:00

Fr. Salvatore Cordaro, O.F.M., Cap. Pastor
Fr. John Koelle, O.F.M., Cap. Parochial Vicar
In Residence:
Fr. John Mellitt, O.F.M., Cap.
Fr. Raphael Iannone, O.F. M., Cap.

St. Joseph Religious Education Program
Sr. Philomena Fleck O.S.B. Director of Religious Education

Tel. 845-255-0237
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	Monday	
RCIA adapted for Children	6:30-8:00 PM	Church Hall
RCIA adapted for Teens	6:30-8:00 PM	Parish Center
	Tuesday	
Grades 1 - 6	6:00 to 7:30 PM	Parish Center
	Wednesday	
Grades 1-6	6:00 to 7:30 PM	Parish Center
	Thursday	
Grades 1 & 2	4:30 to 6:00 PM	Parish Center
	Sunday	
Pre-K, Kindergarten	9:30 to 10:30 AM	Parish Center
(4 yrs. old by Sept. 1st) and Kindergarten		
Grades 1 - 6	10:45 to 12:15 AM	Parish Center
(Grade 3 is a pilot Catechesis of the Good Shepherd class)		

CATHOLICS INVITE CATHOLICS
“Come to Mass in the Lord’s house on the Lord’s day”

21st Sunday In Ordinary Time

EVENTS OF THE WEEK: August 25-September 1st, 2019

- 25 Sun Second Collection: Capital Improvement Baptism- Robert Schaller- 1:00- Church
- 26 Mon Food Pantry- 11:00-12:00- Hall
- 27 Tues Catholic Grandparents Association Meeting- 9:45- Hall
Food Pantry- 11:00-12:00- Hall
Columbiettes Meeting- 6:30- Hall
- 28 Wed Robert Doucette Prayer Shawl Ministry- 10:00- Center
Food Pantry- 11:00 – 12:00- Hall
- 29 Thurs Senior Social- 12:00- Hall
- 30 Fri Food Pantry- 11:00 – 12:00- Hall
- 31 Sat
- 1 Sun Sunday Social- after all the Masses- Hall
Baptisms- Bailey Boehms; Leon Diaz- 1:00- Church

Future Events:

FUNERALS AT ST. JOSEPH’S:

GOLF TOURNAMENT- We will be holding our 5th annual golf tournament to benefit St. Joseph's Religious Education on **Saturday, September 7** at New Paltz Golf Course. This event is held in memory of Dr. Terrence Gavin, beloved fellow parishioner who passed away on August 22, 2016, and who was an avid golfer and active member of our local community. Our golf tournament has been a wonderful event for our community and besides having lots of fun we raised a good amount of money for our children in Religious Ed. You can help the success of this event by purchasing 50/50 raffle tickets after the Masses the weekends of August 24/25 and August 31/September 1, as well as at the Sunday Social that weekend.



VOLUNTEERS FOR MOTHER’S CHAPEL MINISTRY-

Are you an adult or teen who is comfortable with babies and toddlers? Do you want to offer practical support to young families who seek out our parish? The Mother's Chapel ministry could use your help! We're seeking additional volunteers to staff the 5:00 P.M. and 9:30 A.M. Masses each week. Volunteers work in pairs to help create a welcoming and reverent atmosphere in the Chapel. We provide hands-on activities for toddlers in the back of the room that can allow their parents in front to focus on the Mass, and we help with babies as needed. Scheduling is flexible, and all materials are provided. For details, contact Joanna Schroer (joannaschroer@gmail.com, or phone/text 845-443-1686).

DAY OF PRAYER AND SERVICE- On **Saturday, September 21**, St. Joseph’s will once again offer an opportunity to put our faith into action and reflect together on what it means to serve our brothers and sisters in Christ. We will go to Capuchin Youth and Family Ministries in Garrison to do some repairs and improvements so that the site is better able to serve the many people who go there for retreats and for spiritual renewal. And we will once again be at Chiz’s Heart Street in Kingston, which is a home for persons with mental illness, to do some cleaning and meal preparation, as well as to share some time with the residents. And for families with children, there will be the opportunity to go that day to Phillis Bridge Farm here in New Paltz. They do so much to help eliminate food insecurity here in the Hudson Valley and donate a good part of their harvest to local food pantries. Volunteers who will go there on that day will help with some of the farm work and can learn about agriculture and the wonders of nature at the same time. Registration forms are on the tables in the church and the deadline is September 16.



ANNUAL SCHOOL SUPPLY DRIVE-

Please help us provide local students with supplies for the new school year. Donated items will be distributed to children in need by social workers at the New Paltz schools, as well as our own Religious Education program. Donations can be left in the church vestibule or at the parish office through **Friday, September 6**. We just ask that you do not donate any spiral notebooks since there has been no demand for them. Many thanks for whatever you can contribute.

PARISH PICNIC- Come join us on **Sunday, September 22** for our parish picnic! ! It will be at Majestic Park in Gardiner (on Murphy Lane, near US Rte. 44/55). We want it to be a token of appreciation for all of our wonderful parishioners and also a chance to build up and strengthen our parish community. We will begin at 2:00 P.M. and we’ll have a dedicated area of the park for us to share some good food and enjoy one another’s company. And our kids can just run around and play games and have all the fun they want (the adults can do that too!).



Bring a friend if you’d like and have them get to know us. **We just ask that you let us know by September 18 if you are coming and how many persons will be coming with you.** If you would like to bring a cold salad (potato, macaroni, etc.) or some finger desserts that would be much appreciated and let us know what you will be bringing. And finally, volunteers are needed for set-up, food prep, clean-up, etc. You can let us know about any of the above by contacting the parish office. 845-255-5635, ext. 100 or stjoenp@stjosephnewpaltz.org

MEN’S RETREAT- Capuchin Youth and Family Ministries (CYFM) in Garrison will be offering a Men’s Retreat from **Friday evening, October 4 through Sunday morning October 6**. This retreat is designed for men to reconnect and grow in their faith. A weekend of prayer, song and fellowship that will bring us closer to God and create a network of Christian men living a life inspired by Joseph the Carpenter. For more information and to register for the retreat please go to <https://capuchin.org/event/cyfm-mens-retreat/>



21ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

CATHOLIC GRANDPARENTS ASSOCIATION- The next meeting of the Catholic Grandparents Association will be held on **Tuesday, August 27 at 9:45 AM**. All Catholic Grandparents are welcome. Among the topics to be discussed will be planning our 4th Annual Grandparents Day Picnic.



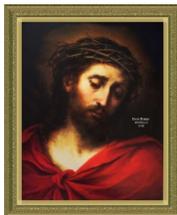
JOIN THE CHRISTMAS PRESENCE CREW!- The Christmas Presence Planning Committee will start work in September on St. Joseph's 2019 holiday giving program. We are always looking for people to be part of this fun, rewarding, and worthwhile project. Spanish speakers are especially needed. If you'd like to see what Christmas Presence is all about, please join us at our kick-off meeting on **Thursday, September 5 at 7:00 P.M.** in the parish center. See the flyers on the back tables for more information or contact Barbara Petruzzelli at 845-255-6967 or barbara.petruzzelli@msmc.edu.



CELEBRATION FOR FR. BERNARD'S 50TH ORDINATION ANNIVERSARY- Fr. Bernard Maloney, who was the pastor here at St. Joseph's for six years, will be celebrating the 50th anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood this year. We thank God for his

presence and his loving ministry among us here and also for his willingness to serve the People of God as a priest. There will be a celebration for him at Interlaken, NY (where he is currently serving) on **Sunday, September 8**. It will begin with Mass at noon, then a reception that will begin at 1:00 P.M. There will also be musical entertainment from 3:00-6:00 P.M. If you would like to attend, please contact the parish of Mary, Mother of Mercy by September 1 at 607-294-0064 or immmercy@dor.org

HOLY FACE DEVOTION- From 1843-1847, Jesus revealed to Sr. Mary of St. Peter the devotion to His Holy Face to make reparation for sins. The devotion itself is comprised of some special prayers, as well training ourselves to say "Blessed be the Name of God; begone Satan" whenever His Name is misused. St. Joseph's will be starting this devotion within our community. While the devotion also includes short daily prayers, members of our parish will gather together in front of the Tabernacle after each of the Sunday Masses to pray the prayers for reparation which Jesus has asked of us. For more information, please go to www.holyfacedevotion.com/ or contact EmilyLFlaherty@gmail.com.



CELEBRATION OF MARRIAGE ANNIVERSARIES- If you and your spouse are celebrating your 25th, 50th or 60th wedding anniversary this year- first of all, congratulations! Please let the parish office know and we will let you know about our special celebration of these anniversaries called Matrimony Sunday, which will be held this year on **November 17**. You can contact the parish office at 845-255-5635 or stjoenp@stjosephnewpaltz.org

Unfortunately we were never notified by the Archdiocese of New York about the special Jubilee Mass they had for couples celebrating their 50th anniversary this year. But those couples (as well as those celebrating 25 years of marriage this year) can receive a special commemorative certificate from the Archdiocese. Please contact the parish office for more information.

SAINT JOSEPH'S RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM

Both Confirmation Preparation Retreats have been successful. The students learned about my Monastic life at the Monastery. The tours included the Chapel, Refectory, Mansion and Infirmary (where Sr. Mary Glaser, 99 years old, resides!) We prayed noon day prayer together.

Please remember to register for classes for the upcoming School year. Registration can be done online on the Parish website. There are also forms available in the Parish office and in the Vestibule of Church. Classes begin on September 15, 2019.

Do you know of anyone who is interested in becoming Catholic from ages 8 - 16? Please let them know about our program. It is time to sign up for the **RCIA for children and RCIA for teens** who wish to find out about what the Catholic Church believes and if they want to receive the Sacraments. If you know of children or teens who might be interested, please have them call S. Philomena 845- 255-0237 for further details.

BEREAVEMENT GROUP- Catholic Charities is sponsoring a bereavement group for those who have lost loved ones to addiction. It will be here at St. Joseph's in the library of our parish center and each session will run from 7:00-8:15 P.M. Meetings will be on: **September 16, October 21, November 18 and December 9**. This is a safe, non-judgmental forum in which you can talk, share, support and be supported by others who have understand what you have experienced. Drop-ins are welcome and attendance is free. For more information please contact Laura Brovich at 845-344-5565.

RCIA- Do you know anyone who would like to know more about or join the Catholic faith? Do you know any adult who has not completed the Sacraments of Initiation? The RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) is the place for them. Weekly meetings begin mid-September continue through April 2020. And we also have RCIA programs for children and for teenagers. If you or anyone you know are interested in any of these programs, please contact the parish office.

CAMPUS MINISTRY- Are you a **SUNY New Paltz student** who would like to be a part of a vibrant Catholic community on campus? If so, Catholic Campus Ministry (CCM) may be what you are looking for. CCM meets every **Wednesday night at 7:30 PM** in the Student



Union Building for fellowship, faith sharing, and pizza. CCM sponsored events include: community and parish service, retreats, weekly student masses, fun events, and an annual mission trip to the Dominican Republic. For more information contact Hank Grimsland, Catholic Campus Minister at: hgrimsland@gmail.com or by phone at: 845-255-8536.



AUGUST 25-SEPTEMBER 1ST, 2019

PARISHIONERS IN THE MILITARY: Please pray for the safety of our parishioners in the military. E-mail stjoenp@stjosephnewpaltz.org with the parishioner name, rank, and branch of service if you would like them added to the list.

Chief Petty Officer Matthew Rzepnicki US Navy
 Major General Paul Benenati, US Army
 Capt. Matthew William Ibsen, US Army
 Master Sergeant Nunzio Dominic Malara US Air Force
 Capt. David James US Navy
 Capt. Joseph A Hollway, US Air Force
 Lt. Jack Georges, US Navy
 A1C Ryan Drosdowich, US Air Force
 Capt. Robert Bozydaj, US Army
 Pvt. Gretchen Wagner US Army-National Guard
 1st Lt. Nicholas Zapotoski US Army Reserve
 2nd Lt. Jeremy Brinkmann, US Army
 2nd Lt. Michael (MJ) Benenati, US Army
 SPC John T. O'Donnell, US Army Special Forces
 Brian Donahue, Airman E3, Navy Reserve
 Midshipman Patrick Melanson, Navy
 1st Lt. Zachary Thor, US Army
 SPC Liam C. O'Donnell, U.S. Army

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday	August 24, 2019	
	5:00	St. Joseph Parish Family
Sunday	August 25, 2019	
	8:00	+Ella Musso
	9:30	+William (Billy) DiPippo
	11:30	+Josephine Sinagra
Monday	9:00	+Gertrude Hayes
Tuesday	9:00	
Wednesday	9:00	
Thursday	9:00	
Friday	9:00	+Fr. Ramon Frias, OFM, Cap
Saturday	9:00	
	5:00	Living: The Eric Munson Family
Sunday	September 1, 2019	
	8:00	St. Joseph Parish Family
	9:30	+Paulette Bonk
	11:30	+June Oppici

ALTAR BREAD AND WINE

August
 Cilento & Giardelli Families

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VIGIL LIGHT

August
 3rd & 4th Week
 Liberta Family

OUR BULLETIN ONLINE- When you're away, you can always find out what's going on at St. Joseph's by checking out our bulletin on the parish website. Please go to www.stjosephnewpaltz.org/bulletins



CAPUCHIN VOCATIONS- The Capuchin Franciscans are inspired by the life and ideals of St. Francis of Assisi- dedicated to serving those in need, living a simple lifestyle together as a community of brothers, and drawing closer to the Lord through common and private prayer. If you are interested in becoming a Capuchin brother or priest, please see one of the friars or go to www.capuchin.org/vocations. It doesn't cost a thing and it just might change your life.

CAPUCHIN YOUTH AND FAMILY MINISTRIES (CYFM)- Capuchin Youth & Family Ministries (CYFM) is rebuilding today's Catholic Church by reaching out to young people and their families through retreats, parish ministry, and service to the poor. For more information on what CYFM offers, please go to www.capuchin.org/cyfm. CYFM is also looking for young people (college students and graduates) who can serve as full-time volunteers, sharing a common life of ministry, prayer, and simple living. For more information, please go to <http://www.capuchin.org/cyfm/CapCorpsVolunteers>

HEALING MASS- There will be a healing Mass on **Tuesday, September 3** at St. Kateri Tekakwitha Church in LaGrangeville. Praise & Worship begins in the chapel at 7:00 P.M. and Mass will be at 7:30. Individual prayers for healing will follow the Mass. For more information please contact Pat or Joe at 845-440-3519.

SCRIPTURE RETREAT- There will be a "Praying Scripture/Living Scripture" retreat for women from **October 4-6** at the Benedictine Monastery of St. Walberga in Elizabeth, NJ. Come and learn how to allow the Word of God to help us pray not only with words but with our lives. For more information, please contact Sr. Marita Funke, O.S.B. at 908-353-3028 or maritaosb@bensisnj.org



Readings for the week of August 25th, 2019

Sunday: Is 66:18-21/Ps 117:1, 2, [Mk 16:15]/Heb 12:5-7, 11-13/Lk 13:22-30
 Monday: 1 Thes 1:1-5, 8b-10/Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b [cf. 4a]/Mt 23:13-22
 Tuesday: 1 Thes 2:1-8/Ps 139:1-3, 4-6 [1]/Mt 23:23-26
 Wednesday: 1 Thes 2:9-13/Ps 139:7-8, 9-10, 11-12ab [1]/Mt 23:27-32
 Thursday: 1 Thes 3:7-13/Ps 90:3-5a, 12-13, 14 and 17 [14]/Mk 6:17-29
 Friday: 1 Thes 4:1-8/Ps 97:1 and 2b, 5-6, 10, 11-12 [12a]/Mt 25:1-13
 Saturday: 1 Thes 4:9-11/Ps 98:1, 7-8, 9 [9]/Mt 25:14-30
 Next Sunday: Sir 3:17-18, 20, 28-29/Ps 68:4-5, 6-7, 10-11 [cf. 11b]/Heb 12:18-19, 22-24a/Lk 14:1, 7-14



I am the way, the truth and the life, says the Lord; no one comes to the Father, except through me.

John 14:6