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Ms. Nancy Mazany, Director
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Class Schedules:

Tuesday (Grades 1-8) 4:15pm-5:30pm
Wednesday (Grades 1-8) 4:15pm-5:30pm
Sunday (Grades 1-8) 9:30am-10:45am
(Special Needs) 10:00am-10:45am

Music Director

Mr. Jules Renna

Trustees

Mrs. Maureen Daucher
Mr. Michael Cinelli

OFFICE HOURS

Monday through Thursday: 9am – 1pm
Friday: Office CLOSED

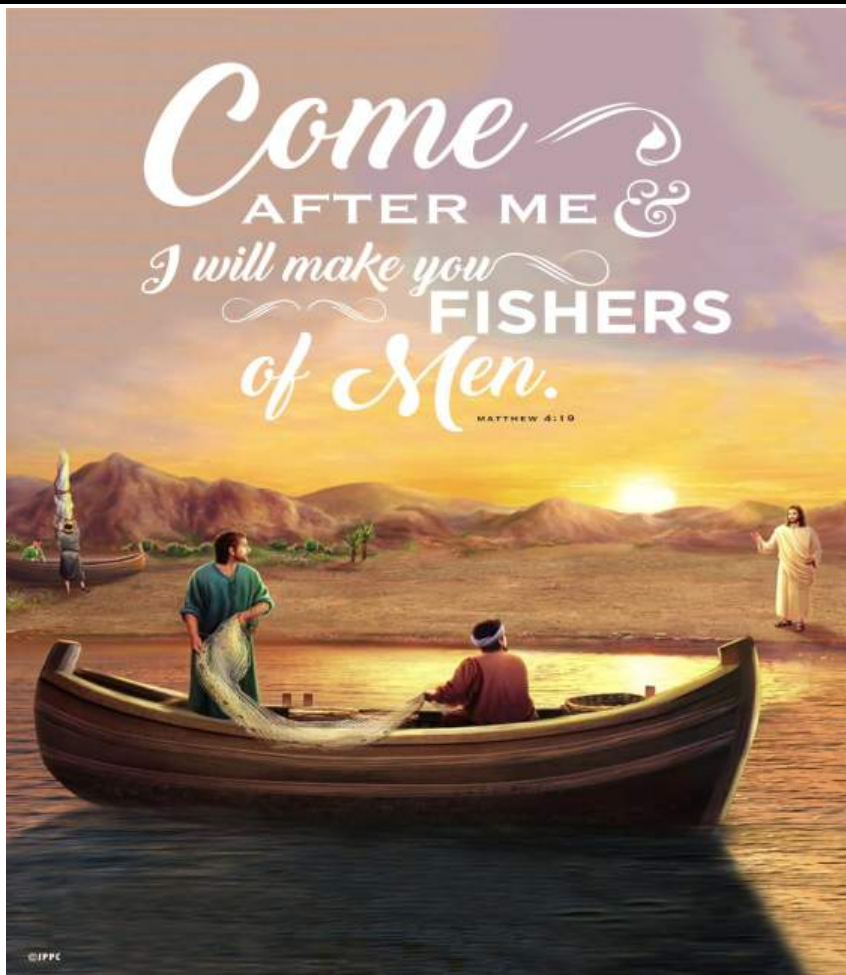
PARISH WEBSITE

www.holycrosscatholicparish.com

MARRIAGES: Parishioners should call the rectory office at least six months in advance to schedule an appointment to meet with a priest to schedule their wedding.

BAPTISMS: Baptisms are celebrated on Saturdays, outside of the Lenten season. To schedule a Baptism, please contact the rectory office.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK: Please call the rectory for those who are gravely ill and need the sacrament of the sick. For those preparing for surgery, see Father after Mass to be anointed.



January 22nd 2023

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

CELEBRATE WITH US...

Saturday Evening Mass: 6:00pm

Sunday Morning Mass: 8:00am & 11:00am

Weekday Mass: Tuesday & Wednesday 9:00am

Confessions: Saturdays 8:30 - 9:30am

Adoration: Thursdays 6:00am - 12:00 Noon

Rosary: 1/2 hour before each Mass

Holy Days: Check Bulletin

Mass Intentions



for the week

Monday 01/23/23
9:00AM

@Holy Name of Jesus
Joseph Wukich
Requested by The Gersbeck Family

Tuesday 01/24/23
9:00AM

Holy Cross
Thomas Cerulli
Requested by Fr. Mike

Wednesday 01/25/23
9:00AM

Holy Cross
Roxanne Donnery
Requested by Fr. Mike

Thursday 01/26/23

NO MASS

Friday 01/27/23
9:00AM

@Holy Name of Jesus
Corr Family
Requested by Jane Onida

Saturday 01/28/23
4:00PM

@Holy Name of Jesus
Eileen Gersbeck
Requested by The Gersbeck Family

6:00PM

Holy Cross
Carolyn Helen Tripodi
Requested by Danny & Regina Warnick

Sunday 01/29/23
8:00 AM

Holy Cross

Requested by
@Holy Name of Jesus
Parish Families of Holy Name of
Jesus & Holy Cross

11:00 AM

Holy Cross
Steven Ciotti
Requested by The Cinelli Family

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading

Isaiah 8:23-9:3

The people in darkness have seen a great light.

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 27:1,4,13-14

The Lord is my light and my salvation.

Second Reading

1 Corinthians 1:10-13,17

Paul urges the community at Corinth to be united as people baptized in Christ's name.

Gospel Reading

Matthew 4:12-23

Jesus begins to preach in Galilee and calls his first disciples.

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time; Saint Vincent of Zaragossa

Monday: Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children; Saint Marianne Cope

Tuesday: Saint Francis de Sales

Wednesday: Conversion of Saint Paul

Thursday: Saints Timothy and Titus

Friday: Saint Angela Merici

Saturday: Saint Thomas Aquinas

PRAY for the SICK

Please pray for the sick & those that care for them

PRAYER LIST

Pray for those who are ill or in need of prayers:

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| Mia Elizabeth Daly | Joe DiSalvo |
| Ken Hauck | Nelly Santana |
| MaryLou Carney | Josh Bennet |
| Ryszard Ciborowski | Joe Geider |
| Jack Ryan Brooks | Nick Solimando |
| Jamie Keens | Kenny Balzano |
| Sean Costic | Diane & Al Fenical |

**We are always updating our Prayer List.
If any names are to be added or removed,
please contact the
Parish Office at (845) 355-4439.**

PRAYERS FOR THOSE DEFENDING OUR NATION



Let us pray for all those fighting in war, and their families.

The candle by the tabernacle reminds us that these brave people continue to fight for our freedom & safety.

Please remember especially:

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| George Vanacore | Matthew Montessi |
| Sean Fitzgerald | Michael Herrera |
| Peter Fitzgerald | Ralph Cocco |
| Ryan P. Hopkins | Francis Hernandez |
| Christopher M. Hopkins | Luis Batista |
| Andrew Pitt | Michael Giannini |
| Alexandrea Enderes | Brian Legrow |
| Karrissa Lazzari | Eric Greiner |
| Gerald John Hopkins | Conner Greiner |
| Erick Christerer | Keith Eckerson |
| Joseph Howard | Alex Prezioso |
| Daniel Howard | Jared F. Renna |

And let us pray for peace.

**We are currently in the process of updating our
Prayers for Those Defending Our Nation.
If any names are to be added or removed, please contact the
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Next Meeting

Knights of Columbus - Monday, February 5 @ 7:30pm

Columbiettes - Monday, March 6 @ 7:00pm

Christ Seekers Youth Group -

THANKFUL~GRATEFUL~BLESSED

Church Support

In the gratitude of the Lord's blessings, the people of the parish, friends and visitors have sacrificially donated the following to the Church:

Sunday 1/1/23 ~ Weekly Collection ~ \$2,593.00

Second Collection ~ Solemnity of Mary ~ \$1,184.00

To report an alleged incident of sexual abuse of a minor by a priest, deacon, religious or lay person serving in the Archdiocese of New York may contact the victims assistance coordinator, Mrs. Eileen Mulcahy at 646-794-2949 or victimsassistance@archny.org.



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Information can also be found on the archdiocesan website www.archny.org.

In keeping with archdiocesan policy regarding sexual abuse of minors, this is provided to ensure that our children remain safe and secure.

We hope you will join us as we renew the Church by coming together with Catholics across the United States to encounter our Lord Jesus Christ in the Holy Eucharist. Learn more about this process at eucharisticrevival.org.



NATIONAL
Eucharistic
Revival

PARISH CENTER RENTAL

Our Parish Center is now available to rent. for availability please email: info@holycrosscatholicparish.com or call Nancy Mazany in the parish office at: **845-355-4439**

Religious Education Grade Masses

Our Religious Education students will be assisting at Mass.

November 6th - 8th Grade Mass

December 11th - 7th Grade Mass

January 8th - 4th Grade Mass

January 29th - 2nd Grade Mass

February 12th - 1st Grade Mass

February 26th - 5th Grade Mass

March 5th - 3rd Grade Mass

March 26th - 6th Grade Mass

ADULT FAITH FORMATION/RCIA

Are you interested in having a better understanding of our Catholic Faith? Are you looking to understand why we as Catholics do certain things?

How about Sacraments? Baptism, Holy Communion, Confirmation? Would you or anyone you know like to receive the opportunity to enrich your faith life and become fully part of the Catholic Church?

Holy Cross Church welcomes anyone who seeks to learn more about our beautiful faith. We offer education through a series of "get togethers" held throughout the year. Anyone and everyone is invited to join the gatherings whether you are just inquiring or need a sacrament or just want to learn more about your faith.

We get together in a casual, easy going setting.

If interested or if you have any questions at all please contact Nancy Mazany in the parish office:

(845) 355-4439 or email: nancymazany@gmail.com



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OUTREACH MINISTRY/

FOOD PANTRY

The Pantry continues to re-stock our shelves in anticipation of another large turnout at our next 1st Saturday "open" Pantry on 2/4 at 9am. We always rely on the help of our parishioners to donate **unexpired** canned & dry foods, household cleansers & detergents and personal hygiene items via the rack in the back of the Church. We do have limited canned & dry foods available during the month on an emergency basis. These basic items can be picked up by calling 355-4439 and scheduling a pick-up time. For the sick and house-bound, emergency delivery can be arranged. As always, our deep gratitude to all those that help us fight hunger in our community.

Hope again.
We are here for you.
SISTERS OF LIFE

Healing After Abortion: Do you know someone who is carrying the grief of a past abortion? There is always hope. The pain and sorrow of abortion does not need to endure for a lifetime. A "Day of Prayer and Healing" offers the opportunity to experience the love and mercy of God and to respond to His invitation to begin the journey of healing the wound of abortion. Upcoming dates in NYC area are: Feb. 4, March 11 and May 20 in English, and May 6 in Spanish.

For more dates, locations, and confidential registration, or just to talk to a Sister, please call the Sisters of Life at (866)-575-0075 (toll free) or reach us by email at hopeandhealing@sistersoflife.org



Help us make a difference
by touching hearts and changing lives.
Get involved, serve your parish,
share your gifts, grow in your faith.

Join the Knights of Columbus!
Contact Michael Cinelli at
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Working together, side-by-side!



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BREAKFAST TIME

Holy Cross Parish Center

3rd SUNDAY of EVERY MONTH
8:30am - 12:30pm

* **February 19th**
* March 19th
* April 16th

Adults:\$12 - Seniors:\$8 - Children (2-10): \$7
Safe and Easy pay online at: Holycrosscatholicparish.com

SIT DOWN BREAKFAST

SERVING: PANCAKES, EGGS, BACON, SAUSAGE,
BREAKFAST POTATOES, OMELETTES

Take out available

Hosted by: Holy Cross Religious Education Program



Jesus said to his disciples, "Come, have breakfast." **John 21:14**

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Dear Friend,

You know me, I like to spread good news. Well, today I have exciting news to share with you. We have launched *The Good Newsroom*, a new digital newsroom where you can stay up to date on everything happening in the Church in New York.

The Catholic faithful have such a positive impact – the work we do for people, families, and generations of believers benefits our society and our communities in a variety of ways.

The Good Newsroom is a website where we will publish videos, articles, opinion pieces, and photos on a daily basis to tell the story of our faith, our actions, and our good deeds. I hope you will log on to see interviews with key church leaders, educators, and parishioners. You'll learn fascinating new details about the important role we play in the lives of the diverse mosaic of Catholics who make up the Archdiocese of New York.

I hope to see you soon at
theGoodNewsroom.org



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The 2023 Mass Book Is Open **Donation is \$15.00 per Mass**

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**Join us in an evening of explanation, discussion
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Presented by...

Nancy Mazany and the AFF team

on

January 25, 2023

@

6:30 PM

Refreshments start at 6:00 PM

Location

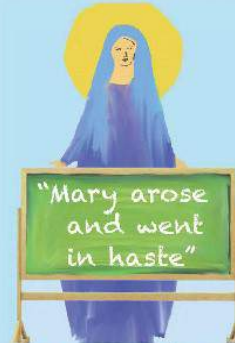
Holy Cross Church Parish Center,

South Centerville, NY

**Open to all 7th Grade and above, parishioners,
and yes, even non-Catholics wanting to learn!!!!**

RSVP: nancymazany@gmail.com

A RETREAT DAY FOR CATHOLIC TEACHERS AND STAFF WORKING IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS



Holy Hour | Conference | Liturgy | Lunch

Saturday, January 28, 2023

8:30 AM UNTIL 1:30 PM

Saint Joseph's Seminary and College Yonkers, New York

For more information visit

<https://bit.ly/CTPS2023>

Registration closes January 20, 2023

Registration Fee \$35.00



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DECEMBER BAPTISMS

Congratulations to our newly Baptized!

December 3, 2022 - **Leo Carmelo Truffi** with
proud parents, Michael Truffi & Bria Deoki &
Godparents, Leonard Carlucci & Aliyah Dunkley

***"Let the children come unto me,
and do not prevent them;
for the kingdom of heaven belongs
to such as these."***

-Matthew 19:14



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