The Catholic Community of St. Vincent de Paul

138 Washington Avenue, Cobleskill, NY 12043

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Masses: Saturday Vigil at 5:15 p.m., Sunday at 8:30 a.m.

Tuesday at 9:00 a.m., Thursday at 12 noon, First Friday at 9 a.m.

Parish Office Hours: Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday, 9 a.m. to 12 noon

Closed Wednesday and Friday

Reconciliation: Available after 5:15 p.m. Mass weekly; by appointment; seasonal communal services

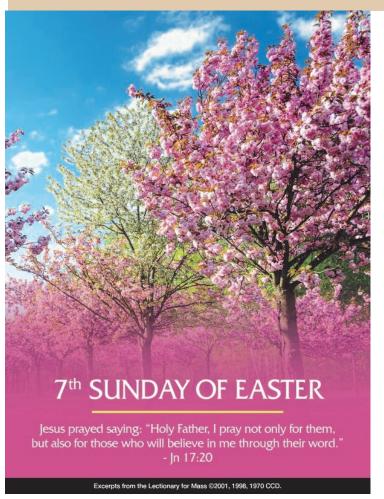
Sacrament of the Sick: Celebrated communally several times yearly and upon request

Parish Registration, Baptism and Marriage preparation: Please contact the Parish Office.

Engaged couples need to contact the parish at least SIX months before the proposed wedding date.

Godparents must be confirmed practicing Catholics over 16 years old.

Faith Formation and Youth Ministry: Please contact the Parish Office or website for registration forms.



Pastoral Staff

Rev. Joseph Arockiasamy, *Pastor* Gary Surman, *Deacon*

Trustees

Virginia Nyahay Pete Nichols

Administrative Staff:

Kathy Burgin, *Music Director*Rachael Surman Rys, *Office Manager*Veronica Schmidt-Henzler, *Bookkeeper*Patrick Kilpeck, *Youth Ministry*Greg Rys, *Campus Ministry*, *SUNY Cobleskill*

Leo McAllister, Finance Council Chairperson

Please access our website

stvincentdepaulcobleskillny.com

for more detailed information about our parish,
Sacramental and Liturgical celebrations,
committees, parish events, and
Prayer and Scripture groups,
and for Parish/Faith Formation registration forms.

PRAYER AND WORSHIP

Mass Intentions

Weekend of May 28-29

Fran Bono req. by her family

Jean Dooley req. by her daughter Irene Dooley Garner

Sean MacGloin req.by the McGovern family **Courtney Mahar** req. by John and Joan Rose

Steve Martin req. by Rose Marie Joyce

Daily Mass - Tuesday, May 31

For the people

Daily Mass - Thursday, June 2

Peter Triolo req. by his family

First Friday Mass - June 3

For the people

Weekend of June 4-5

Janet Boyle req. by her husband George

Theresa Mulvey req. by Irene Dooley Garner

Mary VanOrder Norton

Frank and Lillian Pindiak req. by the Pindiak family

Anthony Rigazio-DiGilio req. by his family



Every Wednesday we pray a Healing Rosary at 7 PM over Zoom.
Meeting ID: 284 242 6978

Passcode: 359189

Parishioners are also invited to pray the Rosary with us each Tuesday after the 9 am Mass



Tuesday rehearsals are at 7 pm. Saturday rehearsals are at 4:30 pm.

There are a number of missalettes available for use during Mass. Please be sure to return them to the box by the baptismal font so they will remain available throughout the spring and summer. Thank you!

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

The Lord is king, the most high over all the earth.

Readings for the week of May 29, 2022

Sunday: Ascension: Acts 1:1-11/ Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9 [6]/Eph 1:17-23 or Heb 9:24-28; 10:19-23/Lk 24:46-53 Seventh Sunday of Easter: Acts 7:55-60/Ps 97:1-2, 6-7, 9 /Rv 22:12-14, 16-17, 20/Jn 17:20-26 Monday: Acts 19:1-8/Ps 68:2-3ab, 4-5acd, 6-7ab/Jn 16:29-33 Tuesday: Zep 3:14-18a or Rom 12:9-16/Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6/Lk 1:39

Wednesday: Acts 20:28-38/Ps 68:29-30, 33-35a, 35bc-36ab/Jn 17:11b-19

Thursday: Acts 22:30; 23:6-11/Ps 16:1-2a and 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11/Jn 17:20-26

Friday: Acts 25:13b-21/Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20ab/Jn 21:15-19 Saturday: Morning: Acts 28:16-20, 30-31/Ps 11:4, 5 and 7/Jn 21:20

Next Sunday: Vigil: Gn 11:1-9 or Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b or Ez 37:1-14 or Jl 3:1-5/Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35, 27-28, 29, 30/Rom 8:22-27/Jn 7:37-39

Extended Vigil: Gn 11:1-9/Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b/Ez 37:1-14/Jl 3:1-5/Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35, 27-28, 29, 30/Rom 8:22-27/Jn 7:37-39 Day: Acts 2:1-11/Ps 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34/1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Rom 8:8-17/Jn 20:19-23 or Jn 14:15-16, 23b-26

Observances for the week of May 29, 2022

Sunday: 7th Sunday of Easter; The Ascension of the Lord; St. Paul

VI, Pope; World Communications Day

Monday: Memorial Day

Tuesday: The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Wednesday: St. Justin, Martyr

Thursday: Sts. Marcellinus and Peter, Martyrs Friday: St. Charles Lwanga and Companions, Martyrs

Next Sunday: Pentecost Sunday; St. Boniface, Bishop and Martyr

Gospel Meditation

We all have our ideas of who God is. We have to remember, however, that our ideas of God often do not capture who God really is. God is a wonderful mystery whose identity is inexhaustible. This makes life an exciting journey in search of belief, love, glory, and unity. Displaying all of the tenderness of a real love story, we hear from Jesus that God wants nothing more than for the world to believe. The same depth of affection given to Jesus, God the Father desires to share with us. Receiving this love gives the believer an even greater understanding of what gives us purpose and meaning. With God's unconditional love as our anchor, we can endure the greatest of hardships knowing that we carry the hope of glory within us. Sharing in the same incredible eternal destiny and glory that God gave his Son, we can all be one just as Jesus and the Father are one. Why is understanding all of this important? Because given the myriad choices of what can possibly define us, we now have the primordial truth of who we are given to us by God. We know, beyond all doubt, where to look for true happiness and where our lives will end.

Faith Formation meets next Sunday, June 5.

7TH SUNDAY OF EASTER MAY 29, 2022

Stewardship

Offertory Collection May 21-22:

Regular: \$1329.00

Church in Central and Eastern Europe: \$579.00

Average weekly offertory needed to cover net operating expenses: \$3345.37; monthly (May): \$16,726.85. Current

total for May: \$11,752.

Thank you very much for sharing your talents and treasure as a disciple of Jesus in the midst of your difficulties. Our parish administration, service programs, and outreach efforts are possible only through your regular participation and contributions.

THANK YOU for your generosity!

Dear friends,

Diocesan We would like to thank you for your generous giving in 2020-2021. We were

over our assessment, so we are very grateful. Our Diocesan Appeal's assessment for 2021-2022 is \$21,519.00. So far we have collected \$3152, which means we still need \$18,367. We also owe an additional \$11,602 from past years. The unpaid balance comes out of our savings, so please help if you can. Thank you!

SPECIAL COLLECTION

The second collection next weekend will be for the Utility Fund.

The Father's Day Baby Shower is approaching. Please keep in mind we will be collecting baby items like clothes, diapers, formula, and baby care items for Community Maternity Services for Father's Day.

If you do not wish to receive the Evangelist, please call 518-453-6688. You need to call as they will not remove your name without a call from you.

Important Information Needed

We are updating our parish census. If you have not already done so, please fill out a post card from the entrance to church. The ushers will collect it as you leave.

Please pray for:

Cheryl Whittaker, Jeffry Stuto, Toni Prezorski, Jane Smith, Bob Devanny, Tracy Bogart, Pauline Cefaly, Anthony Tomassi, and Richard Consalvo

If you are ill or homebound and you wish us to pray for you, or if you would like a pastoral visit or communion brought to you, please call the parish office at 518-234-2892.

Faith Formation

Faith Formation will be held after the 8:30 AM Mass on the following Sundays:

June 5

Youth Ministry will be held after the 8:30 AM Mass on the following Sundays:

June 12

Confirmation will be Wednesday, May 25, 2022 at 6:30 PM at St. Joseph in Worcester

Knights of Columbus

We are looking for a few good men! - If you are 18 or older and are interested in how you can become a Knight, further your faith, and support your local Parish and Community, please contact us at: kofc5419@gmail.com or, better yet, come to our next meeting! We look forward to seeing you there!

Next Meeting - Our next meeting will be Tuesday, June 14 at St. Joseph's in Worcester. Holy Rosary in church at 6:30PM then regular business meeting after.

Council 5419 website - Information on our meetings and other upcoming events can be found on the web at sites.google.com/view/kofc5419

Extraordinary Minister Training

Father Joe will be holding orientation for extraordinary ministers of Holy Communion on Thursday, June 16, at 6:00 PM. This will be for new ministers and also serve as a refresher for those who have served before. All ministers will then be commissioned at the weekend masses on June 18 and 19. Please call the parish office at 518-234-2892 or Marie McAllister at 518-231-0815 so that Father Joe can prepare for this event.

St. Vincent's Family Picnic is Sunday, July 24, 2022

Theme: TAKE ME OUT THE BALLGAME Softball game at 1:00pm with picnic and games afterwards. Lots for the whole family, young and old! Time to get out and socialize... mark your calendars... more information to come!

\$500 Parish Scholarship

Open to any registered practicing parishioner who is enrolled as a student at an undergraduate college or vocational school in the upcoming academic year. Please contact the parish office for an application.

The application deadline is June 2, 2022.