

The Catholic Community of St. Vincent de Paul

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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*

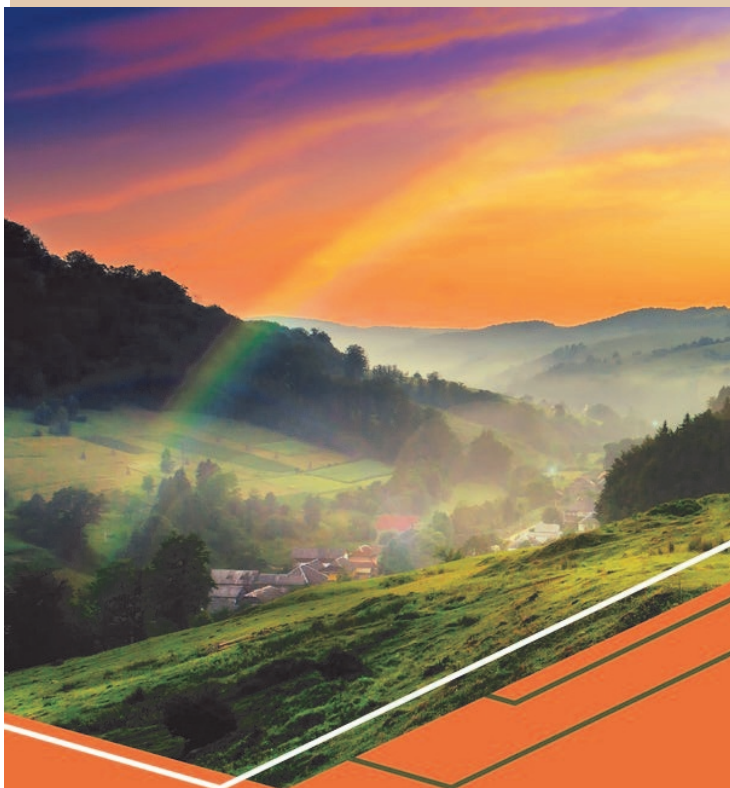
Greg Rys, *Campus Ministry, SUNY Cobleskill*

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.*



22nd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"Rather, when you hold a banquet, invite the poor, the crippled, the lame, the blind; blessed indeed will you be because of their inability to repay you. For you will be repaid at the resurrection of the righteous."

~ Lk 14:13-14

PRAYER AND WORSHIP

Mass Intentions

Weekend of August 27-28

Mary Berardi req. by Connie James

Paul J. Martini Jr. req. by John and Joan Rose

Mary Elizabeth Murphy req. by Rose Marie Joyce

Eleanor Walsh req. by the McAllister family

Daily Mass - Tuesday August 30

For the people

Daily Mass - Thursday September 1

John F. Dooley req. by his daughter Irene Dooley Garner

First Friday Mass - September 2

For the people

Weekend of September 3-4

Joseph Beganskas req. by Joan Leppig

Janet Boyle req. by her husband George

Sean MacGloin req. by Naoisa MacGloin Hoskins

Frank Perciaccanto req. by his aunt Irene Dooley Garner

Morris Sperbeck req. by Joe and Shirley Moore



Every Friday 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.

Music Ministry

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

Bible Study

Every Thursday we will have Bible Study at 6:30 PM.
Please join us!

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

God, in your goodness you have made a
home, a home for the poor.

Readings for the week of August 28, 2022

Sunday: Sir 3:17-18, 20, 28-29/Ps 68:4-5, 6-7, 10-11/Heb 12:18-19, 22-24a/Lk 14:1, 7-14

Monday: 1 Cor 2:1-5/Ps 119:97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102/Mk 6:17-29

Tuesday: 1 Cor 2:10b-16/Ps 145:8-9, 10-11, 12-13ab, 13cd-14/Lk 4:31-37

Wednesday: 1 Cor 3:1-9/Ps 33:12-13, 14-15, 20-21/Lk 4:38-44

Thursday: 1 Cor 3:18-23/Ps 24:1bc-2, 3-4ab, 5-6/Lk 5:1-11

Friday: 1 Cor 4:1-5/Ps 37:3-4, 5-6, 27-28, 39-40/Lk 5:33-39

Saturday: 1 Cor 4:6b-15/Ps 145:17-18, 19-20, 21/Lk 6:1-5

Next Sunday: Wis 9:13-18b/Ps 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14-17/Phlm 9-10, 12-17/Lk 14:25-33

Observances for the week of August 28, 2022

Sunday: 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time; St. Augustine, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

Monday: The Passion of St. John the Baptist

Saturday: St. Gregory the Great, Pope and Doctor of the Church

Next Sunday: 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Gospel Meditation

"Humble yourself the more, the greater you are." These words from Sirach are packed with wisdom. Who we become, and the success we achieve, is due to only to our own merits but also to God's grace. Without God, we cease to be. This is a simple fact. If we ever feel entitled to honor, superior treatment, or privileges, then we are deluding ourselves. The person who truly understands and is responsible for their well-being and success will quickly become a servant of others. We tend to forget how important service is. Being generous and kind, especially to those who cannot repay us, is the hallmark of Christian life. Are we willing to put ourselves last? An easy way to seek an answer is to determine how much value you place on the seat you occupy today or the space you choose to park your car. Would you offer these to someone else?

Please pray for:

Richard and Ann Lape, David and Cynthia Maguire, Jack Gigandet, Jeffry Stuto, Steve DeNoia, Bob Devanny, Tracy and James 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.

The **2022-2023 Family Faith Formation** registration forms are available outside the parish office and on our website, stvincentdepaulcobleskillny.com.

For acceptance into preparation for Confirmation, you must have taken part in Family Faith Formation and Youth Ministry.

Stewardship

Offertory Collection August 20-21:

Regular: \$2265.00

The Evangelist: \$441.00

Average weekly offertory needed to cover net operating expenses: \$3542.78; monthly (August): \$14,171.12.
Current total for August: \$8736.

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!

SPECIAL COLLECTION

The second collection this weekend is for the Catholic Home Missions Appeal.

St. Gregory the Great - September 3

St. Gregory the Great lived in a most turbulent time. There were devastating episodes of plague, the sacking of Rome and the breakdown of strong Roman rule, invasions by Lombards and Franks, floods, and a widening gap between imperial Byzantium and the Roman church.

Born around 540 into a noble Roman family, St. Gregory was probably trained in law, and started his public service as a Prefect of Rome. However, upon the death of his father, he converted his family home to a monastery, where he resided as a monk. He built six more monasteries in Sicily and one in Rome.

Often called the father of the medieval papacy and Apostle of the English, St. Gregory was proclaimed Pope by acclamation in 590. Although he was reluctant to assume this post, preferring the cloistered life, his accomplishments were many. He was an extremely capable manager of Church estates and tenants and is known for his reform of the liturgy. He was instrumental in the consolidation of papal power and led the fight against the many heresies promoted by small Christian groups at the time. Through his prolific correspondence he oversaw monastic life, curtailing the power of grasping bishops, correcting abuses, and enforcing discipline. He was particularly concerned with the conversion of England, sending 40 monks from his monastery to evangelize there.

St. Gregory died in 604 and was sainted immediately. He is one of four key doctors of the Western Church, including Saints Augustine, Ambrose, and Jerome.

Knights of Columbus

Council Meeting - Tuesday, September 13 at St. Josephs' in Worcester. We begin with the Holy Rosary in Church at 6:30PM. After prayer we will gather in the parish hall for our regular business meeting. All men of St. Joseph's and St. Vincent's parishes are welcome and encouraged to attend.

Fellowship Meeting - Tuesday, September 27 at St. Joseph's in Worcester. Holy Rosary in Church at 6:30PM. Afterward, video to be announced followed by discussion. Come join us!

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

Boutique Thinking and Planning:

With this parish fund-raising event only 3 months away, we hope that-

- Crafters can be making items for our Handi-crafts area (knit, crochet, sew, glue, nail, paint, ceramics.....whatever is your specialty)

- When cleaning out a room or house at a garage sale, set aside some good, clean, useful items that could be offered in Santa's Bargain area (no clothes or shoes, please....and limit books to children's books)....don't bring to church yet...wait until November.

- We need those 'never opened/never used' gifts or objects for the next-to-new area

- The Raffle area is again looking for either monetary donations or unique items to offer. Contact Kathy Livingston (518-868-4814) if you can support the Raffle with an item or money or even an idea for a basket...need to know by end of September.

- Bakers and other volunteers.....we will be looking for your support in November

Catholic Charismatic Renewal of the Diocese presents

The Word of God is a Symphony:

Tuning in to our Sacred Scriptures

Saturday, October 1st, 8:30 AM to 2:30 PM at Christ Our Light Church in Loudonville, NY

Presenter: Dr. Joy Galarneau

Pre-registration is required at www.AlbanyCCR.org

Schoharie County Office for the Aging and NY Connects present

READY, SET, CONNECT!

Learning about Long-Term Care services and supports

Thursday, September 22nd, 8:30 AM to 4 PM at Cobleskill Fire House

RSVP to 518-295-2001