

# St. Martín de Porres Parish

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*August 28, 2022 ~ Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time*



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## MASS SCHEDULE

SATURDAY VIGIL: 5:00 PM

SUNDAY: 7:30, 9:30, 11:30 AM, 5:00 PM

WEEKDAYS: 6:45 AM & 12:15 PM

SATURDAY: 8:00 AM

*Holy Days & Federal Holidays:*

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## SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 3:45-4:45 PM

and other times, please call the rectory.

845-473-4222

## SCHOOL

Mr. Greg Viceroy, *Principal*

845-452-4428 [www.smdpschool.net](http://www.smdpschool.net)

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Mrs. Kim Papineau, *Coordinator*

Office Hours Monday-Thursday, 9:30-1:30 PM

845-471-8728

## PARISH CEMETERY

845-473-4222

**BAPTISM:** Celebrated on Sundays at 1:00pm. Please contact the rectory well in advance of the Sacrament.

Baptismal preparation class is held on the 3rd Thursday of the month at 6:00 PM in the Church.

**MARRIAGES:** Couples should contact one of the priests or deacons at least 6 months prior to the wedding date.

A marriage preparation program is required.

**PASTORAL CARE OF THE SICK:** Please call the rectory if you wish to receive the Sacraments at home, in the hospital or Nursing Home. In case of emergency please call anytime day or night and a priest will come. Notify us of any hospitalization so that we may be of assistance.

**NEW PARISHIONERS:** We welcome you and would like to meet you. Please introduce yourself to one of our priests, deacons or call the rectory. Consult the bulletin for registration information.

**RECTORY OFFICE HOURS:** Monday-Thursday 9:30 AM-3:30 PM, Friday 9:30 AM-12:00 PM 845-473-4222

## August 28, 2022 ~ Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time



Dear Parishioners,

With Labor Day coming next weekend, the summer has truly flown by. It was so good to have Fr. Benedict with us this summer. He returns home this week, on August 30<sup>th</sup>. Fr. Benedict is such a good, humble, holy, and faithful priest and a great friend. I pray he will return to us next summer. It has also been a special blessing to have Fr. Abraham with us this past month. He will be with us for another week or so. Fr. Abraham is so beloved here and is always at home at St. Martin de Porres. He is another great priest and good friend. Soon after Labor Day it will be just Fr. Charles and I striving to serve our parish to the best of our ability. I thank God for Fr. Charles who is such a tremendous blessing to this parish, a great priest, and a dear friend.

At the heart of our mission here is to bring us all closer to Jesus - to come to know and love Him more and more so that we can be more like Him and share His Love with others. The parable Jesus gives us in today's Gospel teaches us much about who He is and what it means to be like Him. Using the image of a wedding banquet, which is an image of Heaven, Jesus says to his disciples: *"When you are invited to a wedding, go and take the lowest place so that when the host comes he may invite you to take a higher place."* When Jesus speaks of taking the *"lowest place,"* He is speaking first of all about Himself, about the *Incarnation* – the marriage of God and humanity in the one Divine Person of the Son of God.

Jesus, the Son of God, came down from the highest place in Heaven to become one of us, uniting our lowly human nature to His Divine Nature. He humbled himself, taking the *"lowest place among us."* He came all the way down from Heaven to be born in a dirty, cold stable in Bethlehem; He bent all the way down to wash the feet of His disciples (a task assigned to a slave); He lowered Himself so much as to accept the most humiliating and agonizing death on the Cross; He descended all the way from the heights of Heaven to the depths of the grave in order to lift us up to the heights of Heaven.

When we look upon the humility of the Son of God, we see how unjust it is when mere human beings are filled with pride, arrogance, self-importance, hatred, and prejudice; when we hold on to anger and hurt and refuse to forgive others as He has forgiven us. We need to look to Jesus who took the *"lowest place"* on the Cross and in the midst of all His hurt said: *"Father, forgive them."* That is humility.

Humility is what makes us most like Jesus. *"Jesus, meek and humble of heart, make our hearts like unto thine."* May God bless us all.

Sincerely in Christ,  
Rev. Matthew J. Furey

### Upcoming EVENTS

- \* Aug. 29: **Community of Praise Prayer Group**, 7:00pm, Church
- \* Sept. 2, 9, 16, 23, 30: **Eucharistic Adoration**, 7:30am - noon
- \* Sept. 5: **Labor Day**. Office Closed, Mass at **9:00am ONLY**
- \* Sept. 6: **First Day of School**
- \* Sept. 7: **Parish Choir Rehearsals** begin
- \* Sept. 8, 22: **Contemplative Prayer Group**, Nativity Center, 10:00am-11:00am
- \* Sept. 12, 19, 26: **Community of Praise Prayer Group**, 7:00pm, Nativity Center (please note this change)
- \* Sept. 12: **Blessed Mary Prayer Group**, 10:45am, Church
- \* Sept. 20, 21: **Religious Education Classes Begin**
- \* Sept. 24: **Celebration of St. Padre Pio**, Graymoor
- \* Sept. 25: **Parish Picnic**, 12:45pm-3:00pm
- \* Sept. 25: **Food Sunday**
- \* Sept. 25: **Walk for Recovery**, Walkway Over The Hudson
- \* Sept. 27: **Bereavement Group Begins**
- \* Sept. 29: **Dutchess Catholic Charities Annual Dinner**
- \* Sept. 30: **CYO Late Registration Closes**

### Mission Appeal

This weekend, we welcome Fr. Gary Weismann, who will be speaking at all Masses regarding the Mission Appeal on behalf of the Diocese of Mandeville, Jamaica. Jamaica is a place of beautiful beaches, but also of dire poverty. 68% of the population has no running water, only outdoor latrines. Because of inadequate medical care, people are dying from diseases that no longer exist in the US. The goal of the Mission Appeal is to help provide housing for the poor, care for the elderly and abandoned, care for neglected and abused youth, medical clinics, schooling, educational and trade opportunities, food, and to help with the operating costs of parishes that the people cannot support, as well as cleanup and rebuilding costs following tropical storms. Please help the Diocese of Mandeville in their mission to bring the Gospel to their beloved people and to help them experience dignity as children of God.



**Fr. Benedict will be leaving us on August 30<sup>th</sup>. It has been a pleasure having him here at St. Martin's. May God bless him, and we wish him safe travels back home.**

### Goodbye is not the end

Ann Marie Pagano will be retiring August 31<sup>st</sup>. She leaves with our heartfelt thanks and gratitude for having served our Parish so faithfully in the Religious Education Department for all these years. We wish her every blessing from God as she begins this new chapter of her life. We will miss you!



### Saturday, August 27

5:00 Kyle Vanderwater

### Sunday, August 28

7:30 Deceased Members of the Knights of Columbus

9:30 Sarah Ahern

11:30 Jerry Teeling

5:00 Kyle Vanderwater

### Monday, August 29

6:45 The People of St. Martin de Porres

12:15 Megan Petershagen

### Tuesday, August 30

6:45 Nicholas Salb

12:15 Aidan Telling

### Wednesday, August 31

6:45 Sophia & Enoch Kozlowski

12:15 Elizabeth Monaco

### Thursday, September 1

6:45 Penelope Roach

12:15 Joseph Montague

### Friday, September 2

6:45 Marge Evanick

12:15 Steven Amarillo

### Saturday, September 3

8:00 Marie Corning

5:00 DiLonardo Family

### Sunday, September 4

7:30 Kyle Vanderwater

9:30 Len O'Connor

11:30 Anna Scacalossi

5:00 Ryan Weatherwax

Let us pray for our deceased parishioners, family members  
and loved ones, especially:

**Nicholas Donatone and Von Amos**



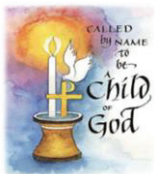
### Baptism

The Parish Community of  
St. Martin de Porres welcomes

**Liam Joseph Harding-Petersen**

**Mackenzie Lavariega Pínelo**

who were baptized into the family of God



### Congratulations

to **Lisa Gargiulo**  
on her *First Holy Communion*  
at the 11:30 Mass last Sunday



**Wedding Banns**

**II Christina Farrell and Stephen Sabia**



**Please  
pray for  
the sick**

Fr. Patrick Curley, Msgr. John Brinn, Liliana Aguis, Amanda Alves, Mario Amodeo, Josephine Barone, Brian Beahan, Robert Beahan, Richard Bedan, Joseph Boback, Pauline Briccio, Annmarie Brown, John Busacca III, Melanie Byrnes, Ellen Carpenella, Andrew Clark, Charles Coombs, Joe Cooper, Rhandol Cuevas, Sr., Gail Dawson, Natalie DiCamillo, Chelsea Dunderdale, Richard & Cathy Elwell, George Evanick, Herb Flanagan, Monique Folchetti, Bernice Forte, Patrick Fraleigh, Frank Franco, Michael Franco, Jr., Michael Franco, Sr., Anne Freni, Stan Garbarczyk, Jeffrey Gieseler, Albert & Lucille Gifford, Bruce & Roberta Golden, Alana Grace, Barbara Grandi, Kathy Grant, Lorry Hetzer, Louise Hogan, Amelia Hopper, Valerie & Brayden Hopper, Jacqueline Hourani, Gerry Husted, Jim Kisbaugh, Maui Lengyel, Consuelo Lopez, Barbara Louthan, Michael Malone, John Markett, Tom McGuire, Jim McLaughlin, Michael McPike, Ruth Melvin, Angela Miller, Josephine Milton, Jackie Nagle, John & Diana Neno, Herbert Owen, Jessica Pagan-Myers, Henry Paris, Margaretha Pijnappel, Ginger Prus, Francisco Ramirez, Charlotte Ratka, Rosalia Reid, Rose Renne, Mario Rolla, Carroll Rose, Sue Salamone, Harry Scrivani, Dustin Terry, Sandy Thezan, Joan Urbanak, Catherine Vanattia, Jacob Vanderwerff & William Oldfield.



### MILITARY SERVICE

We remember all our parishioners serving in the Armed Forces, especially: Petty Officer 3<sup>rd</sup> Class Brian Brandon, USN; Captain Gregory Correale, USAF; Sgt. Marc Coviello, Army; Sr. Airman Anthony DiMase; Sgt. Vincent A. Fiorillo; Jessica Hamel, Petty Officer 3<sup>rd</sup> Class, UT3; LTC Benjamin Hung, US Army; Airman Frank Lauria; E-4 James LeRoy, US Army; Ryan W. McLaughlin, PFC, US Army; Richard Milliot, 2<sup>nd</sup> Mate; Gunnery Sergeant Kyle Moskiewicz, USMC; Ens. Kathryn Munson; Sgt. 1<sup>st</sup> Class Harold Petershagen; Capt. Eddie Preisser, US Army; Pvt. Donald Schneider; Staff Sgt. Dustin Scott, USAF; Staff Sgt. Evan Simeon; CPL Aidan Steckley, USMC; AM2 (AW) Bridget Stratton; Corey R. Tag; Pvt. Nathan Wentworth; Sgt. Christopher Wilks; Arm. Robert Wilks; Airman 1<sup>st</sup> Class Preston David Wtulich, USAF.



**Parish Picnic**  
**Sunday, Sept. 25**  
**12:45pm - 3:00pm**

**Join Us for**  
**Food, Fun, and Fellowship**

### Our Contemplative Prayer Group

will resume in-person meetings every other Thursday  
beginning Sept. 8<sup>th</sup>, 10:00am-11:00am  
in the Nativity Center

### Community of Praise Charismatic Prayer Group



meets **Mondays at 7:00 pm in the Church**. On **Monday, August 29**, Lorry Hetzer will be speaking on *Days of Glory*. Come for praise, worship, music, gifts of the Holy Spirit, and prayers for healing. All welcome!



### Religious Education News

"Love Is A Fruit In Season At All Times And Within Reach Of Every Hand."

-Mother Teresa

The entire Saint Martin de Porres Religious Education Team would like to extend our absolute BEST wishes, our heartfelt LOVE, appreciation, and admiration to Mrs. Pagano who is truly an "earth angel" who will be in our hearts, thoughts, and prayers...today and ALWAYS!!! Thank you for being YOU, Mrs. Pagano...You are amazing and extra special in every way! You deserve ALL good, happy, and wonderful things...just like you have given all of those same things to all of us!

**Enjoy a beautiful and blessed retirement!!!**

We are counting down the seconds until seeing all of your beautiful children in September! Their books will be given out on their first night of class, either Tuesday, Sept. 20th or Wednesday, Sept. 21<sup>st</sup>. The 2022/2023 RE calendar is posted at <https://smdpreled.org/> for your convenience and planning.

**REGISTRATION for 2022/2023:** Please register your beautiful children by visiting <https://smdpreled.org/> or call the office at 845-471-8728 and we would be happy to help! This is also the **perfect time** to contact the office if your beautiful child was possibly unable to register this past year or years. Absolutely no worries about anything as we will work together to come up with the perfect plan for your child's faith journey together. I promise...**It is ALWAYS the perfect time to join (or rejoin) the joyous journey to JESUS!** Our faith journey is a **G.I.F.T.!!!** (Growing In Faith Together!...no matter when or how it begins or continues!)

**UPDATE: The Rite of CONFIRMATION** will be celebrated on Friday, October 21, 2022, at **4 pm and 6 pm!** (Bishop Colacicco has requested this change due to his busy schedule changing. Thank you so much for your flexibility and understanding. It is sincerely appreciated BEYOND WORDS!)

The **Confirmation Retreat** for **2022** candidates and parents will be on Friday, Sept. 16th at 5:45 pm. **(PLEASE RSVP ASAP!)** The **Confirmation Retreat** for **2023** candidates and parents will be on Saturday, Sept. 17th at 8:45 am. **(PLEASE RSVP ASAP!)**

With admiration, gratitude and so many prayers for all,

- Mrs. Kim Papineau, Religious Education Coordinator

### Senior Center Grand Re-Opening!

Please join us for a meet-and-greet to celebrate the reopening of the Senior Center, in the Nativity Center, **Friday Sept. 9, 10am-1:00pm.** Please bring a dish to share and meet friends, new and renewed!

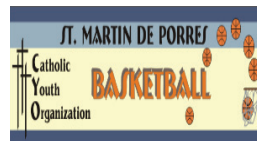


**The Right of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA) will start at the end of September for reception of the Sacraments at Easter.** Any

unbaptized person who wishes to be baptized in the Catholic Church; anyone who is baptized in the Catholic Church but has not yet received First Holy Communion and/or Confirmation; or anyone baptized in another Christian Denomination who wishes to be brought into full communion with the Catholic Church, please call the Rectory and leave your name and number to be contacted when a start date is determined. Please inform anyone whom you think might be interested.

*"Be who God meant you to be  
and you will set the world on fire."*

-St. Catherine of Siena



### Online Registration is OPEN

at [www.stmartindeporres-cyo.org](http://www.stmartindeporres-cyo.org).

\$30 late fee will be applied starting 9/15, and late registration closes on 9/30. Programs include instructional

(K-1st, 2nd-3rd grades), intramurals (boys 3rd-4th, 5th-6th, 7th-9th, 10th-12th grades and girls 4th-6th, 7th-10th grades) and travel (boys 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th grades and girls 5th-6th, 7th-8th grades). Travel try-outs will be on 9/17 and 9/18. Intramural evaluations will be on 9/25. Boys high school league (10th-12th grades) will start on 9/24 at Gold's Gym. **Given two seasons of no CYO basketball, we have much planned to get the kids back into basketball!** Starting after Labor Day and concluding once formal practices start in mid-Oct, we plan to have evening clinics on Mondays (K-1, 2-3 instructional), Thursdays (G4-6 intramural) and Fridays (B3-4, B5-6 intramurals). B7-9 intramurals will have pick-up games on Saturday mornings at Gold's Gym to get them back into basketball. The travel teams will be able to use St. Martin's Gym on the weekends in Sept. and Oct. to start practicing and hosting scrimmages. **Once the season is underway, we'll have many contests and events.** Please see website for a complete listing. The **13th Annual St. Martin CYO Basketball Tournament**, which wasn't played the last two years, is set to return at Marist, Vassar and The Culinary Institute of America. The 12th annual tournament two years ago had 84 travel teams in 7 divisions from across the Archdiocese and 147 games. For answers to most of your questions, please visit [www.stmartindeporres-cyo.org](http://www.stmartindeporres-cyo.org). Contact Chris Fields at [fieldsc@optonline.net](mailto:fieldsc@optonline.net) or 845-462-8790 if more info is needed.



### THE CHOIRS ARE BACK FOR 2022-23!!

**The Parish Choir** welcomes all parishioners high school age and beyond! Come join our music ministry family!! Rehearsals begin on **Wednesday, Sept. 7<sup>th</sup>, from 6:30-8:30pm in the Nativity Center.** We sing every Sunday at the 11:30 Mass beginning **Sunday, September 11<sup>th</sup>, 2022.** If you are new to the Parish Choir, please contact Jackie Hourani at [jhourani@smdpschool](mailto:jhourani@smdpschool) to register in advance. Thank you!

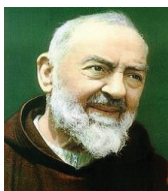
**The Youth Choir** is open to all boys & girls grades 1-5 registered in St. Martin de Porres parish. Rehearsals take place on **Wednesday afternoons from 5:00-6:00pm in church by the piano.** We sing each Sunday at the 9:30am Family Mass. We also sing at the very popular 4:00pm Christmas Eve Mass with a pre-Mass concert beginning at 3:30pm. **Our first rehearsal is Wed. Sept. 28<sup>th</sup>, at 5:00pm.** Our first Youth Choir Mass is **Sun. Oct. 9<sup>th</sup>, 2022.** Parents, if this is your child's first time registering for the Youth Choir, please come to church on Wednesday, Sept. 28th by 4:45 to fill out paperwork. **We look forward to singing downstairs with the congregation for the 2022-2023 school year.**

**We invite all Teens grades 6-12** to sing twice a month with our Teen Choir group. **The first rehearsal is 3:30pm on Sun., Oct. 16<sup>th</sup> in the choir loft.** Our rehearsal is followed by the 5:00pm Mass. Parents, please come with your child to fill out an emergency contact form. We sing for the 6:00pm Mass on Christmas Eve as well. Consider the Teen Choir for part of your community service/Confirmation/National Honor Society hours!

**Instrumentalists are needed!** We are looking for adults, or students who play in their school band or orchestra or take private lessons, to play for special Masses. If you are **proficient** at an instrument, please consider playing with either the Parish Choir, Youth Choir, or Teen Choir Masses. Community Service hours are offered to those needing them.

Questions? Please contact Mrs. Hourani at [jhourani@smdpschool.net](mailto:jhourani@smdpschool.net). Thank you!





**A Celebration of St. Padre Pio**  
**Saturday, Sept. 24<sup>th</sup>, 9:00am - 3:00pm,**  
 Franciscan Friars of the Atonement,  
 Garrison, NY.

Mass in Italian at 11:00am, followed by  
 blessing of the new statue of St. Padre

Pio. Bring lunch, or enjoy food trucks on site.

**Fall 2022 Retreats**

At Holy Mountain Franciscan Retreat Center at  
 Graymoor, Garrison, NY

Please visit [www.holymountainretreats.org](http://www.holymountainretreats.org) for more  
 information.

**DUTCHESS CATHOLIC CHARITIES  
 ANNUAL DINNER**

Thankfully we are able to resume our annual fundraising  
 dinner for Catholic Charities here in Dutchess County! **The  
 Spirit of Service Awards Dinner will be held on Thursday,  
 September 29<sup>th</sup> at the Villa Borghese in Wappingers Falls.**

Tickets are \$125/pp. Call Kim at 845-451-4299 for more  
 information. Honorees are:

**Sisters of St. Ursula/Linwood Spiritual Center  
 Knights of Columbus St. Martin de Porres Council 7551  
 and McHoul Funeral Home**

**INTO LIFE: Love Changes Everything**

Deepen the spirituality of life in our community with the  
**INTO LIFE: Love Changes Everything** program, created by the  
 Sisters of Life and the McGrath Institute for Church Life at the

University of Notre Dame, at Holy Trinity Church. An  
 opportunity to pray and reflect on what it means to deeply  
 listen to, and understand, the heart of another and  
 accompany someone into God's life and freedom. **A 12-part  
 series to be held on Mondays, beginning September 19th,  
 2022, Bishop Mestice Hall, Holy Trinity Church, 775 Main St.,  
 Poughkeepsie. Session choices: 9:45am-11:15am or 7:00-  
 8:30pm, Registration Fee: \$20.** Sign up forms available in the

Rectory at St. Martin's and Holy Trinity. For series  
 information, visit <https://intolifefseries.com>. For session  
 information, contact Amy Towne at (845) 518-0416 or  
[amythompsontowne@gmail.com](mailto:amythompsontowne@gmail.com).



**Healing Weekend**

Beginning Experience of the  
 Hudson Valley is inviting men and  
 women of all ages who have  
 suffered the loss of a spouse through death, divorce or  
 separation to an overnight weekend retreat held at St.  
 Lawrence Retreat Center in Beacon NY from October 14  
 to 16, 2022. For information or to register please call  
 Janice at 845 490 7466 or Renee at 845 374 2101.

**Online Degrees/Certificates in Theology, St.  
 Joseph's Seminary**

Classes in-person or online - Expand your understanding of  
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 Magisterium - Conveniently scheduled classes. Contact:

[sisacademics@dunwoodie.edu](mailto:sisacademics@dunwoodie.edu)

More information: [www.dunwoodie.edu](http://www.dunwoodie.edu)

**Archdiocesan Adult Confirmation Program**

**Have you been baptized, made your First Communion, but never Confirmed? This program may be for you!** The Archdiocesan Adult Confirmation Program is designed for practicing adult (18+) Catholics seeking the sacrament of Confirmation, who have been baptized, have received their First Holy Communion, and have been educated in the Catholic faith through Catholic Schools or Religious Education programs. It will be held in Beacon, beginning **October 6**. Please call the Rectory for more information.

Single and Catholic? September 16th-18th, 2022 - join hundreds of single Catholics coming from all parts of the US (and beyond!) at the 21st National Conference for Single Catholics at the Westfields Marriott in Chantilly, VA. All singles invited (regardless of age or whether they've never been married, are divorced, annulled or widowed). First time being held on the East Coast since 2013! The weekend includes talks by dynamic speakers, music, social events, Mass, adoration, opportunities for confession, fellowship, food and more. **Register with promo code PARISH22 for \$50 off!** Discount for the first 50 sign ups. Visit [NationalCatholicSingles.com](http://NationalCatholicSingles.com) for more information and to register. (Can't find your question answered on the website? Call 512-766-5798.)

## Walk for Recovery



St. Christopher's Inn at Graymoor - an addiction treatment and recovery community - has impacted many local individuals and families struggling with the disease of addiction. We welcome everyone to join our *Walk for Recovery* on September 25, 2022 at the Walkway over the Hudson in Poughkeepsie. For more information and to register visit [www.myevent.com/stchristophersinn-walk-for-recovery](http://www.myevent.com/stchristophersinn-walk-for-recovery) or call Audrey Warn at 845-424-2142.

### Any Couples Married Outside the Church – Let Us Help You Con-Validate Your Marriage

The Bible speaks about marriage and what God intended for marriage from the beginning. Jesus and the Church He founded recognize the pain of divorce. Many believe that being divorced separates them from the Church and the ability to receive Holy Communion. This is not the case. The problem arises when one is divorced and then *remarried* outside the Church. A valid Marriage is until "death do us part." Therefore, one who was validly married and then divorced cannot be married again in the Church unless it is determined that the prior marriage was null and void from the beginning because the consent, out of which a valid marriages arises, was defective for some reason. This is the process of applying for what is popularly called an *Annulment*. If you find yourself in the position of having been married outside the Church (a civil marriage) because you or your spouse were previously divorced, please contact one of us priests. We can help you through the process of petitioning for a Church Annulment so that you are free to marry in the Church. We will then help you to have your current marriage *con-validated*, that is, made valid in the eyes of the Church and Sacramental, so that you can return to Holy Communion. For anyone in a civil marriage who was never married before but just wasn't married in the Church, also please see a priest to help you have your marriage con-validated. Too many are living without the Sacrament of Holy Matrimony and we are here to help you. We need the Grace of the Sacraments to remain faithful.

## PARISH INFORMATION

### Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Every Friday 7:30am-12 noon

*First Friday all-day Adoration will resume in the Fall.*

**Rosary** (Mon.-Sat.) after the First Mass of the day  
**Miraculous Medal Novena** Mon. after 12:15pm Mass  
**St. Martin de Porres Novena** Wed. after 12:15pm Mass

### Blessed Mary Prayer Mtgs, 2<sup>nd</sup> Mon/mo, 10:45am, Church

Lynda Spiegel 845-462-6388

### Community of Praise Prayer Group Mtgs, Mondays, 7pm, Church. Praising God and Prayers for Healing

Lorry Hetzer 845-462-3310

**Calvary Cemetery** Parish Office 845-473-4222  
 62 Lagrange Avenue, Poughkeepsie

**Bereavement Group** Diane Kloosterman 845-849-3637

**Caring Committee** Parish Office 845-473-4222

**C. Y. O.** Chris Fields 845-462-8790

**Knights of Columbus** Ed Ohms 845-483-0032

**Parish Council** William Kennedy 845-462-4717

**Health Care Ministry** Doris Kennedy 845-462-4717

Coleen McCarthy 845-485-1705

**Senior Program** Val Brown 845-471-7567

**Youth Ministry** Fr. Charles 845-473-4222

**Music Ministry/Choirs** Jackie Hourani 845-473-4222

*Choir Rehearsals resume in the Fall.*

**Catholic Charities** Bilingual Hotline 845-499-1597  
 Main Office 845-452-1400

**ArchCare Navigation** Need help caring for yourself or someone else? Totally Free! 855-951-CARE

**Birthright Pregnancy Support** Pough. 845-473-1300  
 Fishkill 845-897-2288

**Care Net Pregnancy Center** 845-471-9284

### Sisters of Life Hope & Healing After Abortion

**Women** 866-575-0075 [hopeandhealing@sistersoflife.org](mailto:hopeandhealing@sistersoflife.org)

**Men** 877-586-4621 [lumina@postabortionhelp.org](mailto:lumina@postabortionhelp.org)

**Online Giving:** <https://stmartindeporres.churchgiving.com/>

**FLOCKNOTES:** Stay connected to the Parish and Archdiocese. To sign up, text **Martin** to **84576** or go to **Flocknote.com/smdpough** or **www.stmartindeporres.org**

**FORMED:** go to **stmartindeporres.formed.org** to sign up, Parish code **P4QHJ3**.

**TRAVELING?** Go to **Masstimes.org** for parishes & Mass times in areas you are visiting, so you can attend Mass each weekend. God wants to be included with you on your travels!

### PASTORAL INFORMATION

**\*To register in the parish,** registration forms are available in the vestibule of the church, in the parish office, or on the parish website. Place completed forms in the collection basket; mail to: 118 Cedar Valley Rd., Poughkeepsie, NY, 12603; or email to [smdplucas@gmail.com](mailto:smdplucas@gmail.com).

**\*If your home or email address or phone number has changed, or if you are moving out of the parish,** please email [smdplucas@gmail.com](mailto:smdplucas@gmail.com).

**\*If you or a family member is sick** and would like to be visited by a priest or a deacon, please call the Rectory at 845-473-4222.





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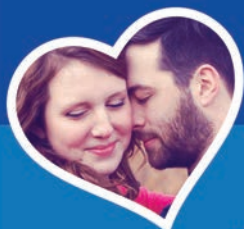
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