

The Roman Catholic Parish

ST.^{of} JOSEPH-IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

15 North Avenue, P.O. Box 439 • Millbrook, New York 12545

Serving the people of Millbrook, Clinton Corners and Bangall



**Remember that you are
dust and unto dust you
shall return.**

**Ash Wednesday
March 6, 2019**

**Rev. Msgr. Gerardo J. Colacicco, Pastor
Rev. Richard A. LaMorte**

PARISH SECRETARIES
Mary Theresa Soyka
Margaret Hart

COORDINATOR OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION
Laura Warning

MASSES

Saturday 5:00 PM Vigil Mass of Sunday
Sunday 8:00 and 10:15 AM, 12:00 Noon
Holydays..... See bulletin for schedule
Daily Mass..... 7:30 AM, Wednesday..... 5:00pm only

CONFESSIONS

Saturday 4:00-4:45 PM or anytime by request

DEVOTIONS

ROSARY After the morning Masses on Tuesday,
Thursday, Friday and Saturday

MIRACULOUS MEDAL NOVENA

Every Monday after the morning Mass

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT:

Begins at 12:00 Noon every 1st Friday and continues throughout
the afternoon, ending with Benediction at 5:00 PM.

MARCH 3, 2019 - EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

BAPTISMS: Sundays at 1:00 PM. Please contact the rectory. Sponsor certificates for the Sacrament of Baptism (godparents) or the Sacrament of Confirmation can be obtained by seeing the Pastor after one of the weekend Masses.

WEDDINGS: Arrangements should be made at least six months in advance. A Marriage Preparation Program is required.

NEW PARISHIONERS: Please register in the parish by calling the Rectory.

St. Joseph Cemetery, Millbrook and St. Mary's Cemetery, Bangall: Call the Rectory for information.

Rectory Phone: 845-677-3422 • Rectory Fax: 845-677-3423

E-mail: stjosephmillbrook@gmail.com

Rectory Office Open 9:00 AM-3:00 PM

CCD Office: 845-677-3273

Website: stjosephmillbrookny.org

Sick calls: Anytime 845-677-3422

ASH WEDNESDAY



The schedule for Ash Wednesday, March 6th is as follows:

7:30am Mass

12 Noon Prayer Service

7:00pm Mass

Ashes will be distributed at all of the above.

St. Jude Children's Research Hospital Collection

Our parishioner, Rachel Canevari, will be collecting donations for St. Jude Hospital after Masses **this weekend, March 2-3**. This collection is sponsored by the National Honor Society of Stissing Mtn. High School in memory of Erin Shanley. Last year's total collection amounted to over \$2800, for which the students are most grateful. This year's goal is \$3200. This amount will be doubled by WRWD during their 2019 St. Jude's Radiothon. If you wish to donate by check, please make it out to: St. Jude Children's Research Hospital. Thank you for your help!

Mass Readings

Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time—Year C. Today's readings can be found on **page 1155** in the hymnal.

Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday, March 2nd -

7:30am Intentions of the Superior General
Ann D. Whalen
5:00pm Julia Perfetti

Sunday, March 3rd -

Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00am People of the Parish
10:15am Fr. M.H. Doherty
12:00pm Luigi and Elisa Panichi
Special Intention of
Mrs. Josefa Campos

Monday, March 4th - St. Casimir

7:30am The Family of Albert and
Teresa Velletri Rotunno

Tuesday, March 5th -

7:30am Barbara Rochfort
Kathleen Bonadonna

Wednesday, March 6th- ASH WEDNESDAY

7:30am John Buchal
7:00pm Fr. Robert A. Ross

Thursday, March 7th - St. Perpetua and Felicity

7:30am Helen Riley

Friday, March 8th - St. John of God

7:30am Roseanne Aiena
Mildred Woodward

Saturday, March 9th - St. Frances of Rome

7:30am Fr. T. Lester Graham
5:00pm John R. McCaffrey

Sunday, March 10th - First Sunday of Lent

8:00am People of the Parish
10:15am Cyril and Victor Misik
Katherine Overbeck
12:00pm Kathleen Bonadonna

Lenten Schedule

Fridays in Lent	Adoration beginning at 3:00pm, Stations of the Cross at 7:00pm and Benediction (April 5th, Stations at 7:00pm — NO Adoration because of Confirmation)
March 24, 2019	St. Joseph's Table after the 12 Noon Mass in the Parish Hall
March 25-27	Parish Mission — Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday
April 6, 2019	Day of Recollection for women of the Parish
April 14, 2019	Ecumenical Blessing of Palms at 9:30am
April 15, 2019	Reconciliation Monday — Confessions 3:00-5:00pm and at 7:00pm
April 18, 2019	HOLY THURSDAY — Mass of the Lord's Supper at 7:00pm
April 19, 2019	GOOD FRIDAY — Liturgy of the Lord's Passion at 3:00pm Stations of the Cross at 7:00pm
April 20, 2019	HOLY SATURDAY — Blessing of Easter Foods at 11:00am Easter Vigil at 8:00pm
April 21, 2019	EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD Masses at 8:00am, 10:15am and 12 Noon



PRAYER

FASTING

ALMSGIVING

Lenten Fast and Abstinence

During the season of Lent, the Church urges the faithful to reflect a spirit of penance in their daily lives through performing acts of fast and abstinence.

Lent begins on Ash Wednesday, March 6 and ends on Holy Thursday, April 18

Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are days of fast and abstinence. This is a serious matter within Church law.

+Fasting means only one full meal a day may be taken. Two smaller meals can be eaten to maintain physical strength, but together they should not equal another full meal in quantity. Snacking between meals is not permitted. Catholics ages 18-59 are obliged to fast on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. Those who are not specifically obliged to fast are encouraged to join in the discipline of fasting to the extent that they are able.

+Abstinence forbids the eating of meat or poultry. Those who have reached the age of 14 are obliged to abstain on Ash Wednesday and all Fridays of Lent and continues to oblige throughout their lives.

+Remember all Fridays of the year are designated as days of penance during which we are encouraged to practice self-denial out of gratitude for the suffering and death Jesus accepted for us.

+The time for fulfilling your Easter Duty extends from the First Sunday of Lent (March 10) to Holy Trinity Sunday (June 16).

Novena to St. Joseph — March 10-19

O St. Joseph, whose protection is so great, so strong, so prompt before the throne of God, I place in thee all my interests and desires.

O St. Joseph, do assist me by thy powerful intercession and obtain for me from thy Divine Son all the spiritual blessings through Jesus Christ, Our Lord; so that having engaged here below thy heavenly power, I may offer my thanksgiving and homage to the most loving of Fathers.

(mention personal intentions)

O St. Joseph, I never weary contemplating thee and Jesus asleep in thy arms. I dare not approach while He reposes near thy heart. Press Him in my name and kiss His fine Head for me, and ask Him to return the kiss when I draw my dying breath.

St. Joseph, Patron of the Holy Family, pray for us.

St. Joseph, Patron of the Holy Church, pray for us.

St. Joseph, Patron of our Parish family, pray for us. Amen.



Lenten Mornings of Reflection

Come and let us explore together ways to deepen our relationship with Jesus during this GRACE filled season of LENT. We will be engaging Sacred Scripture, music and poetry in our sessions.

Journey to Easter — Thursdays, March 7, 14 and 21 from 10:00— 11:30am

Location: Sisters of Charity Convent, 135 Sisters Hill Rd., Stanfordville, NY 12581

Please call Sr. Margaret Ellen Burke, SC at 845-800-1902 if you are planning to attend. You may leave a message.

Lenten Soup Supper

The Women's Guild will sponsor a Lenten Soup Supper to be held on **Friday, March 8, 2019** at 5:30pm in the Parish Hall. Tickets are \$5 and will be available at the door. The menu includes a variety of homemade soups, bread, homemade desserts, coffee, tea and water.

For further information call Mary Schaller at 677-9071 or Nancy Raymond at 677-5763.

UNCLE AL'S THRIFT SHOP

February was Customer Appreciation Month, marking one year in our present location. It's been a busy year with steady long-time customers and many new visitors finding lots of bargains at Uncle Al's. The drawing for the raffle has now taken place — winner will be announced in next week's bulletin.

Look for big sales this month as we make way for spring clothing and accessories. Planning a family Easter dinner? There are some lovely sets of dishes and serving pieces very reasonably priced. Planning to have overnight guests? Check out the linens — tablecloths, sheets, blankets, quilts. Uncle Al's also has a selection of religious items, some very unique.

Hope to see you soon at Uncle Al's Thrift Shop — open Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday from 10:00am to 4:00pm.

All proceeds benefit St. Joseph-Immaculate Conception Church.

Second Collection

There will be a second collection **next weekend** for Catholic Relief Services.

Women's Guild

The Women's Guild meeting will be held on **Tuesday, March 5th** at 7:00pm in the Parish Hall.

FOOD COLLECTION

Next Sunday we will be collecting food here at St. Joseph's for the food pantry in Immaculate Conception Church, Amenia. Please leave food on our Rectory porch. The food pantry in Amenia is open on the third Saturday of the month from 9:45am to 11am.

Parish Sick List

Please pray for our Parishioners who are ill, homebound or in our area Nursing Homes:

Daisy Abruzzo, Tatum Allen, Rosemary and Melville Bonanno, Ann Brandow, Leiticia Burack, Salvatore Carrubba, Richard Caza, Rose Marie DeSantis, Millie France, Edna Ferguson, Joan Kearins, Frances Liotta, Gloria Malinowski, Vincent Massarelli, Dorothea Matevichuk, Rita McEnroe, Eileen McKiernan, John McQuillan, Joseph Molella, Stephanie Moschier, Jane Muller, Daniel Murphy, Mary O'Keefe, Dan Palumbo, Mrs. Tom Parker, Helen Pelletier, Jill Philipbar, Lucille Pickering, Rose Risimini, Carla Robertson, Robert Salberg, Lynne Schlude, Angelina Segno, Linda Ippolitto Sullivan, Regina Syversen, Jane Wisner, Lucy Zerafa, Betty Zitz.

Please pray for our recently departed:

The Souls in Purgatory

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May their souls and all the souls of the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace. Amen.

PARISH INFORMATION

Immaculate Conception, Amenia Food Pantry 373-8193

Religious Education (CCD)
Laura Warning 677-3273

Uncle Al's Thrift Shop 677-5002

St. Joseph's Women's Guild
Judy Yarochowicz 677-5778

Knights of Columbus
Gerard Spagnoli 677-5607

CYO Basketball
Kim Knittel 605-1383

Choir
Gene Canevari 399-0403

Men's Group
Mike Appolonia 594-7804

Spring Ahead!

Daylight Savings time begins **next Sunday, March 10th.**

Don't forget to set your clock **AHEAD** one hour!



VITA

Book recommendation:

unPLANNED by Abby Johnson

'The dramatic true story of a Planned Parenthood leader's eye-opening journey across the life line'

in anticipation of the March 29th release of the movie "unPLANNED"