

# The Catholic Community of St. Vincent de Paul

138 Washington Avenue, Cobleskill, NY 12043

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**Parish Office Hours: 9 a.m. - 4 p.m., Monday and Thursday;  
9 a.m. to 2 p.m., Tuesday and Wednesday**

**Website:** <http://stvincentdepaulcobleskillny.com/>

**Email:** [vincentdepaul@albany.twcbc.com](mailto:vincentdepaul@albany.twcbc.com)

**Masses:** Saturday Vigil at 4:00 p.m., Sunday at 8:30 a.m.

**Reconciliation:** is available before 4 p.m. Mass weekly; seasonal communal services

**Sacrament of the Sick:** is celebrated communally several times yearly and upon request

**Parish Registration, Baptism and Marriage preparation** Please contact 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 for registration.

## Parish Staff

Connie W. James, SNDdeN, *Parish Life Director*

Gary Surman, *Deacon*

Rev. James Donlon, *Assisting Priest*

Kathy Burgin, *Music Director*

Rachael Surman Rys, *Office Manager*

Veronica Schmidt-Henzler, *Bookkeeper*

Karen Brueck, *Trustee*

Connie Vrooman, *Trustee*

Ruth Van Deusen, *Chair, Finance Committee*

Greg Rys, *Campus Ministry, SUNY/Cobleskill*

Marge Dafeldecker, *Facilitator, Faith Formation*

Ted Krisowaty, *Youth Ministry*

Patrick Kilpeck, *Youth Ministry*



*Please access our website  
<http://stvincentdepaulcobleskillny.com>  
for more detailed information  
about our parish,  
Sacramental and Liturgical Celebrations,  
Committees,  
Parish Events, and  
Prayer and Scripture groups.*

## PRAYER AND WORSHIP

### WEEKEND MASSES:

Saturday Vigil Mass 4:00 PM

Sunday Mass 8:30 AM

### Weekend of November 18-19

**Henry Clayton Warner**

**John White** req. by wife Peg

**Betsy Harrington** req. by Carolynne Lawyer

### Mid-day Prayer Wednesday at 12:00 Noon

The Prayer Group meets weekly for Prayer, a short Scripture reading, reception of the Eucharist, and the Rosary.

### Weekend of November 25-26

**Dorothy Morey** req. by daughter Kathy Callahan

**Rose DeSena** req. by Kathy Callahan

**Betsy Harrington** req. by Carolynne Lawyer

**Maurice Kelliher** req. by wife Theresa

**Paul Stauble** req. by his mother and family

**William and Dorothy Wright** req. by the Takacs/Wright family



## 33<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

“Master, you gave me five talents. See, I have made five more.”  
His master said to him, “Well done, my good and faithful servant.

Since you were faithful in small matters, I will give you great responsibilities. Come, share your master’s joy.” - Mt 25:20b-21



**HOLIDAY  
OFFICE  
HOURS**

The Parish Office will be closed on Thanksgiving Day

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There is a Parish Council is meeting **TODAY**, Sunday the 19th, after Mass at 9:30 AM.

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The Prayer Group will *not* be meeting this Wednesday, November 22.

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The Thanksgiving Day Communion Service will be at 9:30 AM.

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The Christmas Giving Tree tags will be available starting next weekend. Remember, please fill out the slip with your name and phone number and leave it in the basket. Thank you for your generosity!



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On Friday, December 15, at 7 PM, we will hold an **Advent Evening of Reflection with Bishop Howard Hubbard**. All are invited to attend.

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Dominican Retreat and Conference Center: Advent Day of Reflection “Do You Hear What I Hear?” December 13, 9:45 AM to 3 PM. \$30.00 Presenter is Fr. Tom Berardi. Info/reservations - (518)393-4169 or email [dslcnny@nybiz.rr.com](mailto:dslcnny@nybiz.rr.com).

## STEWARDSHIP

**Offertory Collection: Nov. 11-12, 2017**

Regular: \$1647.00

**Thank you for your generosity!**

## STEWARDSHIP

Please take seriously God's call to share your talents and treasure as a responsible community member. Our parish administration, service programs, and outreach efforts are possible only through your regular participation and contributions.

*Please consider remembering your parish community in your will.*

## Music Ministry

Choir practice is on Wednesdays at 6:30 PM. All singers are welcome - please join us!

## Thanksgiving Food Baskets

Once again we will be assisting Catholic Charities to put together baskets of goods for a full Thanksgiving feast for needy families. Donations of canned goods and non-perishables are always appreciated to help augment the food pantry. For the baskets, we are looking for items such as:

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| Canned yams  | Gravy            |
| Cranberry sauce  | Boxed Stuffing   |
| Fruit  | Instant Potatoes |
| Biscuit Mix  | Apple Juice      |
| Canned Vegetables - corn, peas, carrots, onions, pickles |                  |

If you would like to contribute to the baskets, please leave your items in the designated area of the church's entry foyer or in the parish office by tomorrow, Monday the 20th. Thank you for your generosity!



## Family Faith Formation

**Sundays after Mass on:**

- December 10, 2017
- February 4, 2018
- March 18
- April 15
- May 6

## First Reconciliation

will be celebrated on  
**Tuesday, November 21 at 6 PM.**



## Confirmation 2018

Preparation for the next Confirmation class will begin in November with a meeting for all **students in grade 10 or above** who wish to be confirmed **with their parents TODAY, November 19, 2017, at 6 PM.**



The Christmas Mass schedule this year is:

Christmas Eve at 4 PM and 7 PM

Christmas Day at 9:30 AM

# Happy Thanksgiving

