

'MAY: MONTH OF OUR LADY

SATURDAY 14 MAY: FEAST OF SAINT MATTHIAS, APOSTLE

8:30AM (Saint Thomas): *Mary Jane Hahn, r.i.p., by The McEnery Family*
4:00PM (Saint Joseph: Sunday Vigil): *Father Robert Hilfiker & Lela Hilfiker by Kathy Kissel*
5:30PM (Saint Thomas: Sunday Vigil): *Anne Campbell by the Crispo Family*

SUNDAY 15 MAY: SOLEMNITY OF PENTECOST

7:30AM (Saint Thomas): *David O'Keefe, r.i.p., by Mary Jane Reed*
9:00AM (Saint Thomas): *Ann Nelson, r.i.p., by Brian & Jane O'Connor*
11:00AM (Saint Thomas): *Special Intention by Eric Lundgren*
12:30PM (Saint Joseph): *pro populo*

MONDAY 16 MAY: FERIA

8:30AM (Saint Thomas): *Mary Jane Hahn, r.i.p., by the Clerkin Family*
6:30PM (Saint Joseph): *Mother's Day Novena*

TUESDAY 17 MAY: FERIA

8:30AM (Saint Thomas): *Special Intention for Fran by Mary King*

WEDNESDAY 18 MAY: MEMORIAL OF POPE SAINT JOHN I

8:30AM (Saint Thomas): *Mary King, a.i.d., by Henry & Vickie Malanowski*

THURSDAY 19 MAY: FERIA

8:30AM (Saint Thomas): *Mary King, a.i.d., by Missy Irwin*

FRIDAY 20 MAY: MEMORIAL OF SAINT BERNARDINE OF SIENA

8:30AM (Saint Thomas): *Special Intention for Mike & Lauren by Mary King*

SATURDAY 21 MAY: SAINT CHRISTOPHER MAGALLANES & COMPANIONS

8:30AM (Saint Thomas): *Jenny Mayfield by Maureen Terwilliger*
4:00PM (Saint Joseph): *Guiseppe & Caterina Basini by the Family*
5:30PM (Saint Thomas: Sunday Vigil): *Lucille Basquil & Della Rose by Karen Costa*

NEXT SUNDAY 22 MAY: SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

7:30AM (Saint Thomas): *Joseph Hines, r.i.p. by Doris Hines*
9:00AM (Saint Thomas): *Mother's Day Novena*
11:00AM (Saint Thomas): *Special Intention of Richard Bozzone by Julieann Feliciano*
12:30PM (Saint Joseph): *Ann Christine Leicht by Terwilliger Family*



r.i.p. (requiescat in pace: rest in peace), *a.i.d.* (ad intentionem donoris: for the intention of the donor)
pro sal. (pro salutem: for health), *pro populo* (for the people)

LAST WEEK'S OFFERING

Saint Thomas:	Saint Joseph:
Regular: \$7179.00	Regular: \$3223.00
Ascension: \$1346.39	Ascension: \$736.00
Spec. Proj.: \$173.00	Maint. & Rep.: \$331.00

THIS WEEK'S SECOND COLLECTION

The Church in Central & Eastern Europe

TO HONOR MARY

Join the Knights of Columbus every Wednesday evening in May to pray the Rosary at 7:00PM at the statue of Mary in front of the school. In case of rain, we will gather in the church.



CARDINAL'S APPEAL GOAL :

\$114,500.00

As of 5/6/16

Pledges: \$46,653.00

Donors: 177

DAY OF RECOLLECTION AT SAINT THOMAS

For Eucharistic Ministers & Lectors
Saturday 21 May * 12:00Noon - 3:00PM
Begin with lunch in school followed by instruction, discussion, and Vespers. Those interested in joining either of these ministries are cordially invited. Flyers

in church entrances. Please RSVP to parish office:
534-2547 or office @stt-stj.com.

12 MONTHS OF CHRISTMAS DRAWING

May's Prize:

Sommelier by Waterford

Crystal Wine Glasses

Set of 12. MSRP \$ 80.00

Royal Doulton

Tapas Porcelain Cocktail Plates

Set of 12. MSRP \$ 250.00

Total estimated MSRP: \$ 330.00



101st ANNIVERSARY COURT RITA #264

June 17, 2016 at 5:30PM

Vinum Café at Brotherhood Winery,
Washingtonville, N.Y.

Cash Bar and dinner \$35.00

For tickets or more information, please call Maryjane
Reed: [845-458-5543](tel:845-458-5543).

CATHOLIC CHARITIES

May Diaper Drive!

Sizes 4 & 5 most needed!

Thank you!



WORLD APOSTOLATE OF FATIMA TOUR

St. Francis of Assisi Church, Newburgh

Mass at 5:30PM on Monday, May 16, 2016.

This tour marks the 100th Anniversary of the apparitions of Our Lady at Fatima, will feature the world-famous International Pilgrim Virgin Statue, which set out from Fatima in 1947, traveling worldwide for nearly 70 years. Contact St. Francis at [845-561-1317](tel:845-561-1317) for information. Learn more about the tour and the statue at www.fatimatourforpeace.com.

MAY CDA 10 MONTH RAFFLE WINNERS

\$10.00: #096—Lindsay Brown

\$15.00: #285—Sally Ryan

\$25.00: #146—Mary Donahue



FAMILY FESTIVA & GOD'S TYM OLYMPICS

Capuchin Youth & Family Ministries

Free, fun day for the whole family!

Sunday, May 22, 11:00AM Mass followed by Senior Tree Planting Ceremony & lunch. (**Please bring a salad or dessert to share.*) Children's game booths, and God's TYM Olympics (parish teen groups are welcome put a team together to compete, contact sam@cyfm, ASAP). Fantastic competitions with other Youth Groups to bring home the GOLDEN TAU!

Capuchin Youth & Family Ministries, 781 Route 9D,
PO Box 192, Garrison, NY 10524. [\(845\) 424-3609](tel:845-424-3609).

Find us on Facebook, Twitter, Instagram and
Flocknote: CYFMGarrison.

THE SOLEMNITY OF CORPUS CHRISTI

The Church will celebrate the Solemnity of Corpus Christi (the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ) on Sunday, May 29th. In the Eucharist, the Mass, we find the source and summit of our faith.



At the conclusion of the 11:00AM Mass at Saint Thomas on that day, the Blessed Sacrament will be exposed and a procession will be formed. We will process outside the church and stop at designated stations to offer Benediction. At the conclusion of the procession, the Blessed Sacrament will remain exposed for Adoration until 3:00PM, concluding with Benediction.

This is a wonderful way to celebrate this great Feast and offer praise and thanksgiving to Almighty God for the great gift of His most Holy Body and Blood. We do hope you will join us for all or some of this beautiful devotion.

SEPARATED & DIVORCED ROMAN CATHOLICS

1st and 3rd Wednesdays of every month

Saint John Church

Rectory Meeting Room

77 Murray Ave., Goshen

Please call Helen for information: 845-563-0604

THE PARACLETE

"In the Church's Liturgy, we inhale the Spirit of God's breath. Then, when we leave, we exhale and proclaim God's Word."

~ Dr. Scott Hahn



ARCHCARE

Need help caring for yourself or someone else, but not sure where to turn with questions about housing for seniors and disabled persons, access to healthcare, health related legal and financial issues, dementia care, transportation options, caregiver support groups, food and nutrition, or volunteer opportunities? Call ArchCare. We will help. ArchCare Navigation Center 855-951-CARE (TTY/TDD:771). Our Care Navigators are here to help from 8:00AM-8:00PM, seven days a week. Help from a Care Navigator is totally free.

CONGRATULATIONS!

On May 24th, Deacon Tony Ferraiuolo



will mark the 30th Anniversary of his ordination to the Deaconate. Please join him for a celebration after the 12:30PM Mass at Saint Joseph on Sunday, May 22nd. Refreshments will be served downstairs.

SEEING THINGS UNDREAMED OF

St. Cyril of Jerusalem was born around 315 and died on March 18, 386. He was bishop of the Holy City when much of the Christian world was wracked by confusion over the heresy of Arius, a priest who denied the full divinity of Christ. His most famous writings are his catechetical instructions, considered among "the most remains of Christian antiquity," were written when he was a presbyter (priest) in Jerusalem and charged with instructing those preparing for baptism at the Easter Vigil. The following comes from his instruction on the Holy Spirit.

"The water that I shall give him will become in him a fountain of living water, welling up into eternal life." This is a new kind of water, a living, leaping water, welling up for those who are worthy. But why did Christ call the grace of the Spirit water? Because all things are dependent on water; plants and animals have their origin in water. Water comes down from heaven as rain, and although it is always the same in itself, it produces many different effects, one in the palm tree, another in the vine, and so on throughout the whole of creation. It does not come down, now as one thing, now as another, but while remaining essentially the same, it adapts itself to the needs of every creature that receives it.

In the same way the Holy Spirit, whose nature is always the same, simple and indivisible, apportions grace to each man as he wills. Like a dry tree which puts forth shoots when watered, the soul bears the fruit of holiness when repentance has made it worthy of receiving the Holy Spirit. Although the Spirit never changes, the effects of this action, by the will of God and in the name of Christ, are both many and marvelous.

The Spirit makes one man a teacher of divine truth, inspires another to prophesy, gives another the power of casting out devils, enables another to interpret Holy Scripture. The Spirit strengthens one man's self-control, shows another how to help the poor, teaches another to fast and lead a life of asceticism, makes another oblivious to the needs of the body, and trains another for martyrdom. His action is different in different people, but the Spirit himself is always the same. In each person, Scripture says, the Spirit reveals his presence in a particular way for the common good.

The Spirit comes gently and makes himself known by his fragrance. He is not felt as a burden, for he is light, very light. Rays of light and knowledge stream before him as he approaches. The Spirit comes with the tenderness of a true friend and protector to save, to heal, to teach, to counsel, to strengthen, to console. The Spirit comes to enlighten the mind first of the one who receives him, and then, through him, the minds of others as well.

As light strikes the eyes of a man who comes out of darkness into the sunshine and enables him to see clearly things he could not discern before, so light floods the soul of the man counted worthy of receiving the Holy Spirit and enables him to see things beyond the range of human vision, things hitherto undreamed of.

MOST HOLY STIGMATA FRATERNITY ORDER OF FRANCISCAN SECULAR INFORMATION NIGHT

6:00PM on May 26, 2016

Mount Alvernia Retreat Center,

Wappingers Falls For information

contact: Ron Revelle at (845) 564-4985

or ronrevelleofs@gmail.com



EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT WORKSHOP

Saint Thomas school

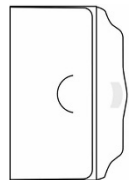
June 10: 6:00PM-10:00PM

June 11: 8:00AM-4:00PM

The program will cover ways to assist the local professional emergency personnel during times of need or crisis. Kurt Hahn, Cornwall's Officer of Emergency Management is coordinating the class. The program will be administered and taught by a group from Texas A&M. The class has a limit of 36 people 14 years and older (children under 18 must be accompanied by an adult). genefenton44@gmail.com

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