

Sunday, June 28, 2015 – The Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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DECEASED:

RESERVED MASSES:

Sun 7:00 a.m. Adrienne Marie Donlon
9:00 a.m. Deceased members of Pavlovich & Kordich families
11:00 a.m. Robert Speirs
Mon 6:45 a.m. Kristopher Lee Kiernan
Tue 6:45 a.m. Monsignor Edward J. Montano
Wed 6:45 a.m. Mary Bartolotta
Thu 6:45 a.m. Communion Service
Fri 6:45 a.m. William A. Quinlan
Sat 8:00 a.m. For all Parishioners
5:00 p.m. Frankie Goglia
Sun 7:00 a.m. Gerard B. Donlon
9:00a.m. Deceased members of O'Neill & Daly Families
11:00a.m. Thomas Dvorak

GOD'S PLAN FOR GIVING – TITHING

Sunday Collection: \$ 3,340.50
CNY: 25.00
Church Maintenance: 28.00
Black & Indian Missions: 6.00
Last Year's Collection: \$ 3,661.25

THANK YOU!

Fuel Fund # 46

Weekly Winner #11— Tony & Karen Bartolotta

OUR PARISH THIS WEEK

Sun 12:00 p.m. Adoration
Mon 6:45 a.m. Mass & 12 p.m. Masses
3:30 p.m. Miraculous Medal Novena
Tue 9:30 a.m. Recite Rosary at Ivy Lodge
Wed 7:15 p.m. R/M Prayers
Thu -----
Fri 7:00 p.m. BST #36
Sat Happy 4th of July
4:30 p.m. Confessions
5:00 p.m. Vigil Mass
Sun 12:00 p.m. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

WEDDING BANNS:

II Meghan Averill & Andrew Potter

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

The annual VBS will be held on Monday through Friday, July 27-31, 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. daily. It will be held here at St. Mary of the Snow School building. Children ages four years old through Sixth Grade are invited to attend. Registration

forms can be found at the church entrances and parish center.

PEOPLE'S PLACE HOSTING A FREE FARM STAND

People's Place, a food pantry serving all of Ulster County, is hosting a FREE *Farm Stand* every Tuesday from now until the beginning of November at their location on 17 St. James St., Kingston. This *Farm Stand* distributes fresh fruits and vegetables, for no charge, to anyone between the hours of 10 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. Their goal is to give people access to healthy produce options while stretching their budget.

ST. JOSEPH'S/ST. MARY'S UNIFICATION PICNIC

On Sunday, August 16th at 1:30 p.m., there will be an opportunity to gather with parishioners of St. Joseph's Church, Glasco, for a picnic at 1:30 in the church hall. There are sign-up sheets at the church entrances as well as envelopes to use for payment. Please use the offertory basket to return payment and information. Cost is \$10/per family. Let's take this opportunity to get to know each other. Hot dogs, hamburgers, salads and beverages will be provided. You are invited to bring a dessert.

R.C.I.A. NEWS

In last Sunday's Gospel, like the disciples, when life gets stormy and the lightning strikes—when the boat begins to rock and we are overtaken by fear, we wonder about this God who is in control. We wonder whether or not He cares what happens to us. We wonder whether or not we can trust Him to make things right. "Why are you afraid?" Jesus asks. When the storm clouds gather and the lightning strikes making us fearful and testing our faith, the Good News is worth remembering. Have no fear, fear not, do not be afraid. So let us remember: when the storm clouds gather and the rain begins to fall, when the lightning strikes and our back's against the wall, that's the time for our surrender as we shout it once and for all. "I trust in thee." R.C.I.A. classes start Sept. 28, 2015, in the school cafeteria. If you know of anyone who is interested in learning about the Catholic faith, please see Fr. Chris or Deacon Hank.

A PRAYER FOR THE FOURTH

May freedom be seen, not as the right to do as we please, but as the opportunity to please to do what is right. May it ever be understood that our liberty is under God and can be found nowhere else. May our faith be something that is not merely stamped upon our coins, but expressed in our lives...to the extent that America honors thee, wilt thou bless America, and keep her true as thou hast kept her free, and make her good as thou hast made her rich. Amen.

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MEDITATION

Mark 5:21-43

Please, come.

Imagine what Jairus must have felt as he approached Jesus—his impatience, his urgency, his frustration and anguish. His daughter was dying. Why had he waited so long? Did he regret not coming sooner? His daughter was all he could think about. Her precarious state overshadowed everything else.

What a relief! Jesus agreed to come with him. But would they get there in time? *We've got to hurry.* Then came a roadblock. A sick woman reached out and touched Jesus, and everything came to a standstill. Why would Jesus let himself be interrupted? There was no time to investigate. At least the disciples were sympathetic, asking, "How can you ask who touched you?"

Then, far away, Jairus glimpsed members of his household coming toward him. Were they happy? He couldn't tell at first. But as he read their body language, his own shoulders slumped. It was as he feared. They were too late, His daughter was dead.

But Jesus kept on going. The mourners at his house mocked him, but Jairus followed Jesus into his daughter's room. Then he saw Jesus raise his girl from death. Astounding! Jesus was big enough. His power was wide enough to take care of everything.

Looking at this story from Jairus' point of view shows us how anxieties can overshadow every aspect of our lives. Like Jairus, we can be so caught up in worry that anxiety trumps everything else. But Jesus has enough healing power, enough mercy and compassion, to go around. He has not forgotten you, even when you feel he is delayed. He can care for you even as he takes care of everyone else.

So come and ask Jesus for his help, and then trust him to act on his own schedule. Maybe go one step further, and pray for all the other people he is helping. Jesus is big enough to care for us all.

"Jesus, I trust your ways. Come and pour your healing on everyone who needs you."

SCHOOL AGE CHILD CARE PROGRAM

St. Mary of the Snow will host a Before School/After School Child Care Program in September 2015. Hours of operation will be 8:00 to 9:00 AM & 3:15 to 5:30 PM in the former school building. Registration is required. A registration fee of \$35 will hold a space for your child. Children ages 5-12 are eligible. The hourly fee is \$6.00/hr. per child. Children must be up to date on immunization. A copy of a recent physician's exam is required. To obtain a form and to schedule an interview with Miss Molinelli, please call 246-6381 or contact our

web page at stmaryofthesnow.org

SECOND COLLECTION – NEXT WEEKEND

Many people in Africa face a daily reality of food insecurity, water shortage, unemployment, lack of medical care and illiteracy. The Solidarity Fund for the Church in Africa aids the Church in Africa, and bring the light of Christ to those in utmost need. The collection will be taken next weekend. Thank you for your generosity.

MAKE A DIFFERENCE

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Friary in Polaski, Wisconsin, is collecting used, canceled stamps. They are sold to a dealer, raising money for the Friary and its needs. Please save your used stamps for a good cause. They may be given to Deacon Arnie Hyland or brought to the parish office. Thank you for your interest and willingness to help.

EDUCATION TAX CREDIT

is a proposal that would encourage individuals and businesses to donate more money to scholarship funds for children who choose to attend Catholic and other private schools. The tax credit would also encourage donations to public schools and nonprofits to increase funding for after school, music, arts, sports, and classroom projects, a win-win for all children. Please visit www.nyscatholic.org to find your local Assembly member, then, email them to urge their support for the *Education Tax Credit*.

CONGRATULATIONS TO BAZAAR RAFFLE WINNERS

The 2015 Bazaar was very successful, in part, through the support of the purchase of the raffle tickets. The winners for this year are: (\$500) – Mike Hans; 5 (\$100) Dorothy Dederick, Saugerties Columbiettes, Helen Wallace, Tony Bartolotta and Brian Sawchuk, Jr. The winner of the 50/50 (\$106) was Ann Andola. Congratulations to this year's winners, and thank you to all who participated.

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK

Catherine Ott, Bill Bair, Rose & Charles Meiswinkel, Jan vander Poel, Barbara Wismont, Mary Ellen Fuoco, Jeanette Fuoco, Neil Gallagher, Pastor Dick Webber, John Mulligan, Angelina Lemyre, Adrian Lepe, Michael E. Donlon, Ruth Lowe, Maryanne DePoala, John Valdata, Melanie Hagan, George Woerthmann, , Darryl Caldwell, James Dargan, Herman Wilcox, Anthony Konopka, Ed Norton, Patty Williams, SherryAnn Kenjersky, Gloria Sauer, George Dale, Michelina Cornell, Greg Mulstay, Diane Yetter, Clare Miller, Betty Decker, Ann Granville, Charles De Celle, Art Chiarot

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