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DECEASED: Marian Mulstay, Arnold Vernoy,

Catherine Keenan, Christopher Gilmartin

#### **COMMUNION SERVICES:**

6:45 a.m. St. Mary's Tue., Thur., Fri. 8:00 a.m. St. Joseph Mon, Wed.

#### RESERVED MASSES:

Sun 8:00 a.m.	Edward Moran
	Req. by Robert & Helene Moran
9:30 a.m.	Decease Members of the Altar Rosary
	Society
	Req. by Altar Rosary Society
11:30 a.m.	Marion Garzione
	Req. by Bob & Marion Schnell
Mon 8:00 a.m.	James Geskie
Tue 8:00 a.m.	For All Parishioners
Wed 6:45 a.m.	Gerard B. Donlon
	Req. by Paul Donlon
Thu 8:00 a.m.	Edward Moran
	Req. by Breanne, Dan, Lily & Declan
Sat 4:00 p.m.	Regina DePuy
	Req. by Anita Yates
5:30 p.m.	Deceased Members of Scala &
	Thompson Families
	Req. by Kay
Sun 8:00 a.m.	Deceased Members of O'Neill & Daly
	Families
	Requested by Maureen O'Neill
9:30 a.m.	Dr. Gabriel Aguilar
	Req. by Aguilar & Scarselli Families
11:30 a.m.	Phyllis Conway
	Req. by Helen Sullivan

## **GOD'S PLAN FOR GIVING - TITHING**

Sunday Collection (St. Mary):	\$3,534.21
Sunday Collection (St. Joseph):	1,530.00
Parish Pay:	1,841.06
CNY (St. Mary):	5.00
Church Maintenance (St. Mary):	15.00
Last Year's Collection (St. Mary):	3,601.50
Last Year's Collection (St. Joseph):	1,658.00
THANK YOU!	

OUR PARISH THIS WEEK	
Sun	12:30 p.m. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
Mon	Miraculous Medal Novena following 8AM Communion
	Service at St. Joseph
Wed	7:15 p.m. R/M Prayers
Fri	7:00 p.m. BST #36
Sat	4:00 p.m. Vigil Mass at St. Joseph's
	5:30 p.m. Vigil Mass at St. Mary of the Snow Church
Sun	12:30 p.m. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

RECTORY OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED ON MONDAY, SEPTEMBER  $7^{TH}$  IN OBSERVANCE OF LABOR DAY.

The sanctuary candle is burning in memory of **Rosemarie Pavlovich**, requested by Mary.



#### MUSIC MINISTRY NEWS

- O The Ulster Vicariate Choir and St. Mary of the Snow-St. Joseph Music Ministry announce that the next <u>Taize Prayer Service</u> will be held on Thurs. Sept. 10, 2015 at 7PM at St. Mary of the Snow Church. Taize Services last for approximately 45 minutes, and are held in candlelight. A choir of two dozen singers sing several simple 8 measure chants, and repeat each one for several minutes, with harmonies added throughout. The services are very calming and soothing, and allow listeners an opportunity to connect with God in a special and prayerful way. The services are named after the religious community that writes the chants, Taize, France.
- The Saint Mary of the Snow-St. Joseph Music Ministry will present a "Music Variety Show" Friday-Sunday, October 2-4, 2015. The show will be held at the St. Mary of the Snow Hall. Tickets are \$12 per person and can be reserved by visiting the music section of the parish website, saintsmaryandjoseph.com. Tickets will also be available after Masses September 26th & 27th. Phone reservations can also be made by calling Carol at (845) 246-6767. A cast of 17 singers will sing recognizable songs from Broadway, TV and the movies. All proceeds will go the St. Mary of the Snow-St. Joseph Music Department. The Music Department is a member of the American Society of Composers, Authors and Publishers, ASCAP.

## **YOUTH ADORATION**

St. Mary of the Snow-St. Joseph presents its first monthly Youth Adoration to be held at St. Joseph's Church on Saturday, October 10, 2015. This is a praise and worship style Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament for teens grades 7 and up. Parents are welcome to attend. Music will be in the style of Matt Maher and Michael W. Smith. The evening will begin with Mass of choice attended at either St. Joseph at 4PM or St. Mary of the Snow at 5:30PM. Dinner to follow at 6:30PM at St. Joseph Hall and Adoration at 7:30PM. There is no cost for the evening but please RSVP to Deanna Sweeney at dmalin@hvc.rr.com in order to provide a head-count for dinner.



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## **RCIA**

Why Attend Church...Church is the only social organization on earth where genuine and lasting forgiveness and reconciliation ever occurs. So, why do you want to attend church? One good reason is that forgiveness and reconciliation is the greatest need of the human heart, and church is the source of where it happens, both between you and God, and between you and other people. How about a second good reason for attending church? Here it is...Church attendance lengthens your life. Several recent and scientific studies have concluded that regular attendance at religious services improves your health. It is good for your body. People who attend church at least once a week have healthier immune systems, have lower blood pressure, and are less vulnerable to disease. But do you want to know the most important reason why you should be in church each week? Come to RCIA classes which begin September 28, 2015 at 7 pm in the school cafeteria. Want to know more about your faith? Need to finish your Sacraments? All are welcome...There is no charge. Questions...Ask Fr. Chris or Deacon Hank.

#### SECOND COLLECTION NEXT WEEKEND

Once again, I ask that you continue, through your prayers and generosity, to support the crucially important work of priestly formation. The annual collection for **St. Joseph's Seminary** will take place on the weekend of **Sept. 12-13.** The cost of nurturing and training our future priests is an investment for tomorrow that all of us need to share. St. Joseph's Seminary will begin its 119<sup>th</sup> year focused on forming and ordaining holy, faithful, and dedicated priests. Our priests have responded to a very special call to serve, guide, and teach so as to share with others the mystery of God's love for all of us. Your support during their time of preparation is deeply appreciated.

### 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.

#### **RELIGIOUS ED PROGRAM**

Our religious education program will start on Wednesday, September 16, 2015 from 6–7:30 p.m. Registration forms are at the church entrances. For more information call Mrs. Kelly Myers, the phone number is listed on front of the bulletin, or access the website at <a href="https://www.smsreligioused.com">www.smsreligioused.com</a>.

## HOLY NAME SOCIETY

The Holy Name Society will meet on Tuesday, Sept. 15<sup>th</sup> at 7pm in St. Joseph's Parish Center. Future meetings will be held on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of the month.

## FOOD FOR THE NEEDY

A receptacle has been placed at the entrance of St. Joseph's Church for collecting non-perishable food or personal items WEEKLY. If each parishioner donates <u>one usable item</u> when coming to Mass, the collection is so successful! Notices have been left in the pews with more detail.

## HOSPITALITY WEEKENDS AT ST. JOSEPH

Hospitality weekends are held on the 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the month. Wine & Cheese served after the 4:00 Mass; bagels & coffee after the 9:30 Mass. This is not a weekly event as previously mentioned. A special THANK YOU to Lox of Bagels for their generous donation.

## FAITH DISCUSSION GROUP – UPDATES

The Faith Discussion Group will NOT meet on Monday, Sept. 7<sup>th</sup> due to the Labor Day holiday. The only meeting for September will be on the 14<sup>th</sup> at 5:30 PM. All future meetings will begin at 5:30 PM in the St. Joseph Parish Hall.

#### **EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS**

We would like to ask any Eucharistic Ministers who are at a Mass they are not serving at, to please stop in the Sacristy before Mass to see if they are needed to help. We feel this would be a lot easier than looking throughout the congregation. Thank you for your help

#### GARLIC FESTIVAL VOLUNTEERS

St. Mary of the Snow-St. Joseph Parish is having a fried dough booth at the Kiwanis Garlic Festival on Sept. 25, 26, and 27. We need volunteers to help set up on Friday, cook and sell the dough on Saturday and Sunday and clean up on Sunday evening. This fundraiser is very important to our parish and is a great way to meet other parishioners. Please contact Christine Molinelli at 845-246-6381 or by email <a href="mailto:ul533@adnyeducation.org">ul533@adnyeducation.org</a> to volunteer.

### PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK

Catherine Ott, Bill Bair, Rose & Charles Meiswinkel,
Jan vander Poel, Barbara Wismont, Mary Ellen Fuoco, Jeanette
Fuoco, Neil Gallagher, 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, Franko
Serravallo, Joan Ostoyic, Rose Riozzi, Paul Brazier, Carol Fabiano,
Martin Keenaghan, Lillian Mottsey, Robert Brunetti, Beatrice
Policastro, Lisa Sasso, Rose Sasso, Jeanette Clearwater, Patricia
Robinson, , Annette Gallo, Linda Misasi, Peter Pascuzzi, Doreen
Churchill, Francis Posavec, Nora Mercier, Robyn Daugherty, CB
Slutzky

To place or remove name from sick list, please call 246-4913.

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