

Sacred Heart Church

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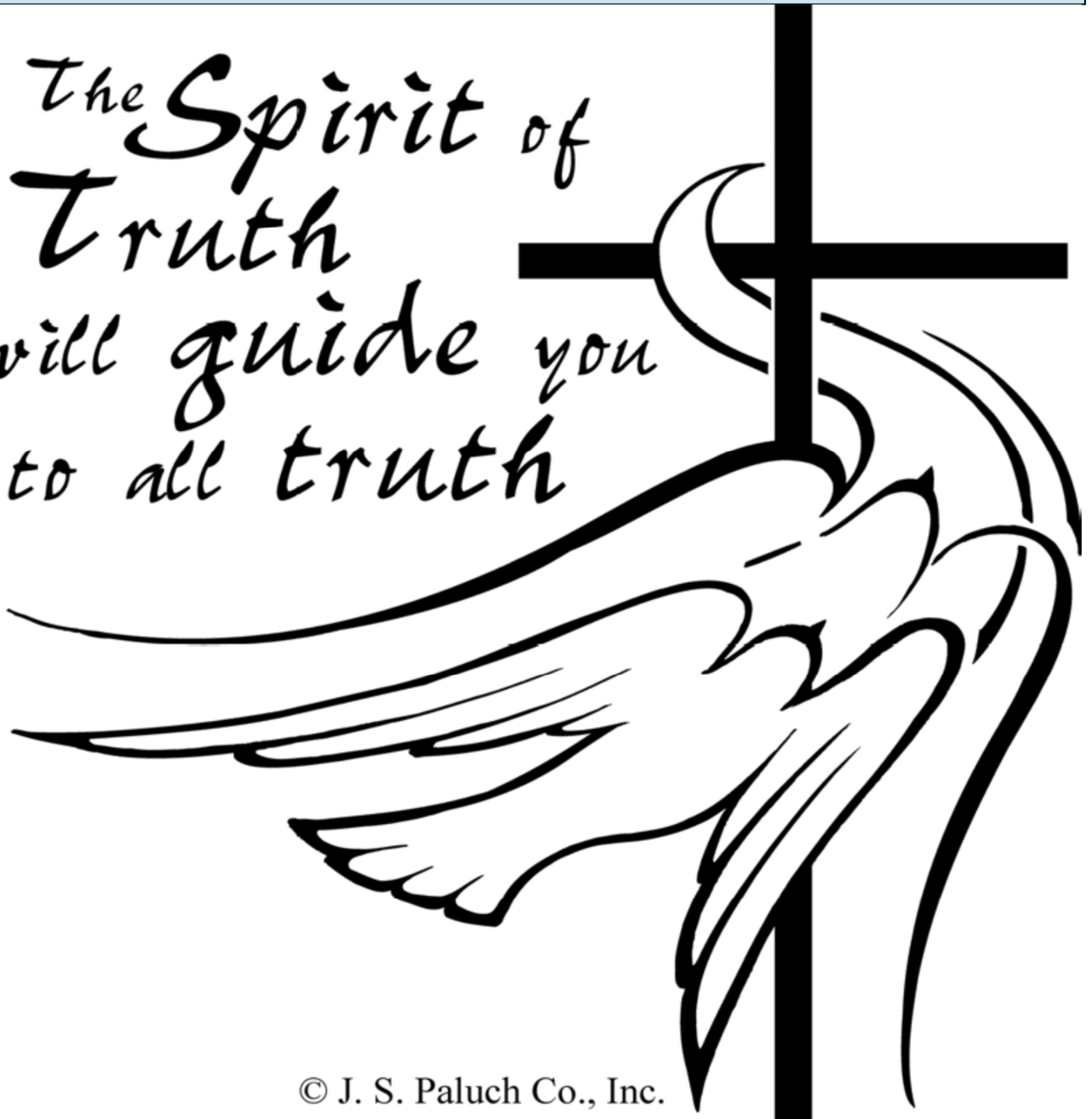
The Most Holy Trinity

May 22, 2016

*The love of God has been poured out
into our hearts through the Holy Spirit.*

...Romans 5:5b

*The Spirit of
Truth
will guide you
to all truth*





Saturday Evening: 5:00 PM

Sunday: 10:00AM, 12:00PM

1st Sunday 8:00 AM Italian/English Mass

Monday-Saturday: 9:00 AM in the Chapel

Holy Days of Obligation: Mass times will be listed in the bulletin on the Sunday prior to the holy day.

Pastoral and Administrative Staff

Rev. Andrew Kurzyna, Pastor

Rev. Clifford Ekwueme, Parochial Vicar

Peter R.C. Haight, Deacon

Thomas L. Nepl, Deacon

Deacon John Sadowski - Parish Business Manager

Mrs. Wendy Timperio, Secretary

Regional Catholic School

24 South Robinson Avenue 845-561-1433

<http://shsnewburgh.org>

Mrs. Lori DiMarco-Evanko, Principal

Mrs. Beth DaSilva, School Secretary

Sacred Heart Religious Education Program

24 South Robinson Avenue 845-561-2589

Mrs. Lynda Piper, Coordinator

Trustees

Mr. Robert Ruckdeschel and Mrs. Maureen Nepl

Sacred Heart Convent

15 Stori Road 845-565-5034

Sr. Alba Danese, F.M.I., Pastoral Assistant

Sr. Anna Sasso, F.M.I., Pastoral Assistant

PARISH DEVOTIONS

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament takes place on the First Friday evening from 7:00 - 9:00 PM

Rosary prayed following the 9:00 AM Mass, Monday through Saturday in the Chapel.

Purgatorial Society Mass: First Saturday at 9:00 AM

Stations of the Cross: (Lent Only) Fridays at 7:00 PM

BULLETIN ITEMS

Items you wish to place in the parish bulletin **MUST** be submitted, in writing, to the rectory by **4:00 PM** on **Mondays for the following Sunday**. Email address is

sacredheart.newburgh@verizon.net

Every effort will be made to get your item in the bulletin in a timely manner and as space allows.

Thank you for your cooperation.

CELEBRATION OF SACRAMENTS

BAPTISM: Communal celebrations of Baptism take place on the first and third Sundays at 2:00 PM. To arrange a Baptism, please call the Rectory. A Baptismal Instruction Session is required before the Baptism. Because Godparents play an important role in the child's Christian life and education, Godparents must be practicing Catholics who have been confirmed, are at least 14 years of age and, if married, must be in a marriage recognized by the Catholic Church. If there is a question about the suitability of someone to be a Godparent, please call the Rectory before asking the person to be a Godparent.

RECONCILIATION: The Sacrament of Penance takes place on Saturdays from 4:00 to 4:45 PM. At other times, the person should make the request directly to a priest.

MARRIAGE: Engaged couples should contact the Rectory at least six months in advance. Diocesan regulations require a marriage preparation program for all couples.

MINISTRY TO THE SICK AND HOMEBOUND: If a parishioner is in the hospital or homebound, please contact the Rectory. Arrangements can be made for the person to receive the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick. Also, Holy Communion can be brought to our homebound parishioners.

PARISHIONER REGISTRATION

Parishioner registration is important to the parish as well as the parishioner. All parishioners are encouraged to register. Once you have registered and continue to participate by attending Mass and receiving the Eucharist regularly; you will find it helpful for the enrollment of children in the Religious Education Program, and to obtain the necessary documents to become a Godparent or a sponsor for Confirmation.

If you would like to register please stop by the rectory during regular business hours. Monday thru Friday 9am to 4pm.

If you are presently receiving envelopes and would like them discontinued please call the rectory and we will assist you. (845-561-2264)

KEEPING UP WITH EXPENSES

The parish effort to closely manage day to day expenses continues. However, expenses such as utilities, property insurance and our archdiocesan assessment for central services (in some months totaling as much as \$15,000) put a strain on our ability to keep current with all expenses. Our objective is to achieve that goal without any assistance from the Archdiocese. The continued generosity of every parishioner and increased giving whenever possible will make that possible. Thank you for your continued support.

SILENCE IS GOLDEN and APPRECIATED

Our Eucharistic Community invite you to be **"FULLY PRESENT"** during our Mass, we ask that you kindly turn off **all** electronic devices. Thank you for your cooperation.



MONDAY, May 23	
9:00	(no intentions listed)
TUESDAY, May 24	
9:00	(no intentions listed)
WEDNESDAY, May 25	
9:00	Joseph Bartolone
THURSDAY, May 26	
9:00	(no intentions listed)
FRIDAY, May 27	
9:00	(no intentions listed)
SATURDAY, May 28	
9:00	(no intentions listed)
5:00	1. Louis Muratore 2. Erminia Cubito
SUNDAY, May 29	
10:00	Deceased Members of the Catholic War Veterans Post 386
12:00	Minna Errichetti

UPCOMING EVENT

Please see the bulletin for more information as the date approaches

May 22 First Communion 10am and 12pm Masses

May 29 Catholic War Veterans Memorial Mass 10am

June 3 Solemnity of the Sacred Heart Parish Feast Day Mass at 9am

June 3 Eucharistic Adoration 7pm

June 3-5 Sacred Heart Italian Feast

June 10 Catholic Regional School 8th Gr. Graduation 6pm

June 22 Last Day of School Mass 9am

Transitions II

Congratulations! Frank Iovine, our candidate for the Diaconate has been accepted for ordination. He will be ordained by Cardinal Dolan on June 25. We look forward to welcoming him to the parish staff.

We have received word from the Archdiocesan Personnel Board that Fr. Bejoy Thomas has been assigned as parochial vicar to Sacred Heart Church beginning July 1. Fr. Bejoy comes from India and has begun a three year assignment in the Archdiocese. He has been serving in Stony Point since November 2015. We welcome him to Sacred Heart.

Weekly Offering

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Weekend May 14 & May 15 \$6,635.00

Attendance 784

The Cardinal's Annual Stewardship Appeal

We are so fortunate and thankful to have 122 families in our parish who have contributed to the **Cardinal's Appeal** thus far. To date we have raised \$26,062.00 in pledges toward our \$56,500.00 goal. We are getting closer, but still have a ways to go! Remember, 60% of any cash raised over goal is returned to our parish. Please take a moment this week to make your pledge, if you have not already done so.

Adopt A Baby Shower

Our Saint Vincent de Paul Society will be hosting a baby shower during the month of May. Baskets will be at the doors of the church to accept your donations. Next weekend will be our final collection for the shower.

Your donations will be given to our Catholic Charities outreach which operates on Tuesday mornings in our Activities building.

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St. Anthony

**Festival
of
St. Anthony
and
Our Lady of
Mount Carmel**

Our traditional St. Anthony and Our Lady of Mount Carmel Festival will take place on Friday, June 3 from 6 PM to 11 PM, Saturday, June 4 from 4 PM to 11 PM and Sunday, June 5 from 1 PM to 6 PM. There will be fun for the whole parish and community- delicious food, games with prizes and children's activities.

On Sunday, June 5th, our traditional procession in honor of St. Anthony and Our Lady of Mount Carmel, will take place immediately following the 12 Noon Mass. A Special invitation is extended to the children of our REP and school to walk in the Procession.

Children who received their First Holy Communion this year may honor Our Lady of Mt. Carmel and St. Anthony by wearing their Communion outfits as a symbol of their innocence and closeness to God.

Please come out and support this wonderful tradition in our Parish.



Our Lady of Mount Carmel

Pot of Gold Raffle

Once again our annual **Pot of Gold Raffle** is underway! Raffle books have been mailed.

Tickets will also be sold before and after all Masses on the weekend and are available at the rectory during regular office hours.

**1st Prize \$2,500
2nd Prize \$1,000
3rd Prize \$500**

Drawing will be held on **Sunday, June 5, 2016**

**6:00 PM
St. Anthony - Our Lady of Mt. Carmel
Italian Feast.**

Annual Golden Jubilee Mass

Couples celebrating their 50th Wedding Anniversary anytime during 2016 are invited to attend the **Annual Golden Wedding Jubilee Mass with Cardinal Dolan** at the Cathedral of St. Patrick, Saturday, June 25th at 1:30pm or Sunday, June 26th at 2:00pm. Pre-registration is required. Please contact your parish for registration. **The closing date to register for the Mass is Tuesday, May 24, 2016.** This event is sponsored by the Family Life Respect Office of the Archdiocese of New York.

Please note this Tuesday May 24th, is the last day to register

Our Lady of Lourdes Athletics Camp

The OLL Athletics Camp is designed to introduce multiple sports to students ages 9-12. Varsity level coaches will be teaching skills and utilizing drills to aid in the development of their specific sport. All ability levels are welcome. Each camper will receive daily instruction from the coaches and varsity athletes. Sports included are: Baseball, Softball, Volleyball, Track & Field, Football, Soccer, hockey and Lacrosse.

Session 1- June 27-July 1 (\$175)

Session 2- July 5-8 (\$140)

Time: 9am-3pm

For more information visit ollchs.org or Matt Petruzzelli (845-728-2675)



The following parishioners are in need of our prayers

- Charles and Joanna Armanda, Donna Bohomne, Deacon Dominick Casadone, Pam Denisi, Theresa Di Chiaro, Janie Favoino, Marty Finnerty, Catherine Fossella, Bernadette Gallagher, Pat Garzione, Barrington Green, Ingrassia and Brenda Hermida, Frank Honkus, Deacon Larry Kawula, Frances Marino, Tom Marino, Joann Fayo-Perry, Gloria Presutti, Raymond Shideler, Wendy Timperio, Mary Venticenque, Marc Verlinger, Rudy Warren, Keith Weber, Patricia Young

We ask family members of those on our prayer list to please call the Rectory Office (561-2264) to confirm that these names should continue to remain on our list. (revised November 1, 2015)

Relay for Life

Msgr. Henry O'Carroll Council is, for the eighteenth year, sponsoring a team in the American Cancer Society *Relay for Life* to be held on June 4th-June 5th, beginning at 11am at Cronomer Hill Park, Newburgh, NY. Each team is composed of members who take turns walking around the field. If you wish to join our team please visit our website www.relayforlife.org/newburghny and locate our team "Knights of Columbus council #444, Chapel of Hope". The council will have a tent for resting between laps. At 12am, the Council will host the midnight mass with Father Bill Damroth presiding. All are welcome and encouraged to attend.

How can you help? Join our team, sponsor our team, purchase Luminarias for those who have been touched by cancer and pray for a cure. Any donations should be made out to the American Cancer Society and mailed to Ken Ryan at 15 Bellevue Rd. Newburgh, NY 12550. Luminarias are \$10.00 each.

MEMBERS OF THE ARMED SERVICES

Please remember the following members of the armed services in your prayers

- Maj. Benjamin Jackman, US Army
- PV 2 C. J. Kozlik US Army
- Pfc. Nicholas Kozlik US Marines
- Lt. Thomas O. Mennerich US Navy
- Lt. Abby K. Mennerich US Navy
- AA Nicholas Mossa US Navy

We ask that family members of those on our **MEMBERS OF THE ARMED SERVICE** prayer list call the Rectory Office (561-2264) to confirm that these names should continue to remain on our list.

Healing Mass

A healing Mass with a free flow of the Gifts of the Holy Spirit, will be held Tuesday June 7, 2016 at St. Kateri Tekakwitha Parish, 1925 Rte. 82 LaGrangeville, NY 12540. Guest Celebrant will be Fr. Bill Cosgrove, currently at St. Augustine's, New City and formerly of St. Denis in Beekman. Praise and Worship begins at 7:00pm in the Chapel; Mass at 7:30. Individual prayers for Healing will follow Mass. Spirit Wind Prayer Group meets every Tuesday, 7:15-9pm with individual prayers following the meeting

R.C. I.A. News

In our parish, the process known as the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA) is available to anyone who would like to have the opportunity to learn about the beliefs and practices of the Roman Catholic Church. The process is open to any adult who is unbaptized, or a member of a denomination other than the Catholic Church, or a baptized Catholic who has not completed reception of the Sacraments of Initiation, (Eucharist and/or Confirmation).

The formal aspects of the RCIA program will take individuals through various stages of study, prayer, and spiritual formation culminating in baptism (for non-Christians) or full reception into the Catholic Church at the Easter Vigil.

If you know a man or woman who has expressed some personal interest in Catholicism please contact the rectory at (845-561-2264). Informal introductory sessions will acquaint the inquirer with the RCIA process and will be the first step in their journey of faith.

Liturgy Course Offered

Introduction to Liturgy

Our Lady of Lourdes High School, Poughkeepsie
Monday and Wednesday nights 7:00-9:30pm
June 20-August 1

Instructor: Fr. Matthew Ernest, STD
Contact: liturgy@archny.org or call
914-968-6200 ext. 8177

Act of Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe that you are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love you above all things, and I desire to receive you into my soul.

Since I cannot at this moment receive you sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace you as if you were already there and unite myself wholly to you. Never permit me to be separated from you.

Amen

JOURNEY OF FAITH

We are on a long and eventful journey. Today's readings for Trinity Sunday succinctly cover the depth and breadth of our human travels.

The very beginnings of our journey are revealed in the reading from Proverbs. God's plan filled with divine wisdom was born before the earth was made. In today's Gospel, Jesus speaks of his own personal journey. He has come from the Father and will return to the Father. Only then will the Advocate—the Spirit of Truth—take us onward.

This does not diminish the fact that the journey will be hard. The very setting of the Gospel is the night before Jesus died. As Saint Paul writes to the Romans, "[W]e even boast of our afflictions, knowing that affliction produces endurance, and endurance, proven character, and proven character, hope" (Romans 5:3-4).

Ultimately, our human journey is modeled by the Holy Trinity—a family of love among Father, Son, and Spirit that we are all called to emulate.

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TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — Before anything was created, the wisdom of God was brought forth (Proverbs 8:22-31).

Psalm — O Lord, our God, how wonderful your name in all the earth! (Psalm 8).

Second Reading — God's love has been poured out into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us (Romans 5:1-5).

Gospel — Everything that the Father has is mine; the Spirit will take from what is mine and declare it to you (John 16:12-15).

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 1 Pt 1:3-9; Ps 111:1-2, 5-6, 9-10c;
Mk 10:17-27

Tuesday: 1 Pt 1:10-16; Ps 98:1-4; Mk 10:28-31

Wednesday: 1 Pt 1:18-25; Ps 147:12-15, 19-20;
Mk 10:32-45

Thursday: 1 Pt 2:2-5, 9-12; Ps 100:2-5; Mk 10:46-52

Friday: 1 Pt 4:7-13; Ps 96:10-13; Mk 11:11-26

Saturday: Jude 17, 20b-25; Ps 63:2-6; Mk 11:27-33

Sunday: Gn 14:18-20; Ps 110:1-4; 1 Cor 11:23-26;
Lk 9:11b-17

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Around the turn of the fourth century, Augustine, still fairly fresh from the baptismal waters in Milan, was elected bishop of a tiny city in North Africa, Hippo. He told his people, "While I am frightened by what I am for you, then I am consoled by what I am with you. For you I am a bishop, with you I am a Christian." He had his priorities right, and also knew that everyone coming from the water arises with a ministry, a specific role, in bringing about God's kingdom.

If we were asked to purge English of Greek vocabulary, we would gain an insight into key ministries in our church. Bishop, from the Greek *episkopos*, would become simply "overseer;" priest, from the Greek *presbyter*, would become "elder;" and deacon, from the Greek *diakonos*, would be "servant." Each title stands in relationship to all the baptized, serving the community, helping it to be the Body of Christ. In our deepest tradition, each of these ordained ministries is attuned to help us become our best selves, to hunger and thirst for the coming of God's kingdom. The goal for each one of us is to be able to recognize the presence of Christ in worship and in service. Although only some of us are ordained to ministry, each of us is called to ministry.

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APOSTOLATE OF PRAYER

United each day, throughout the year, we pray for the members of our beloved clergy here in the Orange County Vicariate:

May 23 Rev. Justin Cinnanate
Rev. William Damroth

May 24 Rev. Christopher Argano
Deacon John Paul Carr

May 25 Rev. Sandro Leyton
Rev. Emmanuel Anyansi

May 26 Rev. Michael Kissane, O.Carm
Deacon Richard Marino

May 27 Rev. Donald Timone
Rev. John Bonnici

May 28 Ill and suffering priests and deacons
May 29 Cardinal Dolan

Auxiliary Bishops

Father, in your plan of salvation, you provide shepherds for your people. Fill your Church with the spirit of courage and love. Raise up worthy ministers to your altars, ardent but gentle servants of the Gospel. To those clergy among us who have answered your call, grant joy and perseverance in your service. We pray in the name of Jesus, your Son and Eternal High priest. Amen