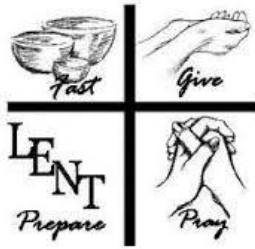


**First Sunday of Lent  
February 18, 2018**



**Masses for the Week**

Saturday	Joseph LaFera	5:00pm
Sunday	People of the Parish	8:00am
Sunday	Regina Mihm	10:00am
Monday	Marcella Challner	9:00am
Tuesday	Gail O'Kelly	8:00am
Wednesday	FIO Ann Kennedy	5:15pm
Thursday	Chair of St. Peter Jack Welsh	8:00am
Friday	Deceased Parishioners	6:30pm
	Stations of the Cross	7:00pm
Saturday	Br. Donald Schaaf SM.	5:00pm

**Please Pray for Our Sick**

Fanny Bonventre, Herb Cahill, Billye Doria, Hal Holly, Sr. Maureen Jerkowski, Fred Kimlin, Maureen Krom, Lynne Lazzaro, Mary McNamara, Grant Nicolson, Joseph Mongelluzzo, Tony Peralta, Joe & Virginia Petras, Daniel Sweeney, Alice Theiss, Thomas Vavrinec, Irene Waddell, Luisa Walsh, Denise Woltman, Amelia Zak

We also want to remember parishioners who are currently in Nursing Facilities. They are: Frank Cahill, Elizabeth LaFera, Robert LaFera, Rose Sferrazza, Shirley Spornyak, Alice Tochterman

**Please Pray for Our Deceased**

Helen Johnson

**Tithing \$3,838.00**

**Presidents' Day**

This Monday, February 19th is Presidents Day, a national holiday. Consequently, Mass will be at 9am in the sacristy chapel and the parish office will be closed.

**Upcoming Calendar of Parish Events**

- March 3<sup>rd</sup> 1<sup>st</sup> Penance
- March 10<sup>th</sup> Repair Café
- March 18<sup>th</sup> Pancake Breakfast
- March 26<sup>th</sup> Reconciliation Monday
- April 1<sup>st</sup> Easter Egg Hunt
- May 5<sup>th</sup> First Communion
- May 19<sup>th</sup> RAS Sale
- June 16<sup>th</sup> Meatball Cook-off



**Please Take Note**

**Friday Mass and Stations Schedule**

On all Fridays of Lent, we hold Mass and Stations of the Cross back to back. Mass on Fridays of Lent is at **6:30pm** and Stations following Mass roughly, at 7:00pm. Both of these will be in the main church.



**The Season of Lent Has Begun**

Lent is the penitential time of prayer, fasting, almsgiving and personal sacrifice meant to draw Christians more deeply into the sacred mystery of the Lord's Passion, Death and Resurrection.

During Lent, the Church calls the faithful to bring a spirit of penance into their lives through fasting and abstinence.

**Fasting** requires that only one full meal with two, smaller meals to maintain physical strength. Fasting is an obligation of Catholics from age 18 to 59.

**Abstinence** prohibits the eating of meat on a particular day. Abstinence is an obligation for all Catholics beginning at age 14 and continuing throughout life. **Good Friday is a day of fast and abstinence. All Fridays in Lent are days of abstinence.**

**Get INVOLVED with our Parish** Thanks to everyone who showed up to the meeting on Wednesday January 31<sup>st</sup>. We had a great turnout with lots of great ideas and plans for future events at the parish. Our next meeting will be February 21<sup>st</sup> in Mulry Hall. We'd love to have you join us and see how you can use your talents to further advance these ideas. We'll be in the hall after 6PM. Hope to see you there! Michelle 331-3002

**Cardinal's Annual Appeal**

This year's 2018 Cardinal's Annual Appeal Campaign is underway. St. Peter's goal this year is \$37,000. Through the *Appeal*, we support the men and women who work behind the scenes to assist our parishes, schools and agencies in over 10 counties. We educate the faithful who will serve our parishes as future priests & deacons. We nourish our children both spiritually and intellectually and through our Catholic Charities, we protect the disadvantaged, innocent and vulnerable. Please help in making the Appeal a success.

**A Time to Remember**

The Lent and Easter Seasons are perfect times to remember your loved ones as well as your own special intentions at Mass. Call the rectory with your request at 658-3117.

**St. Peter's Pancake Breakfast**  
**Mulry Hall**  
**March 18<sup>th</sup> 8am – noon**  
**Come One Come All**  
**Join us for a delicious**  
**breakfast and fellowship**



**- Lenten 2018 PROGRAM**

PRESENTATION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN  
 MARY. SACRED HEART AND IMMACULATE  
 CONCEPTION PARISHES

- LOCATION -

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION SCHOOL  
 471 Delaware Avenue Kingston  
 6:30-8:30pm

Forgiven - The Transforming  
 Power of Confession  
 February 22<sup>nd</sup> An Encounter with Mercy  
 March 1<sup>st</sup> The Rite Explained  
 March 8<sup>th</sup> Biblical Foundations  
 March 15<sup>th</sup> Revealing Mercy  
 March 22<sup>nd</sup> Answering Common Questions  
 About Confession

Call Lorraine Krasinski with questions or to  
 register 845-834-6030  
 If class is missed, DVD can be borrowed

**Feast of St. Colette**

The 11<sup>th</sup> annual Mass and a blessing with the  
 relic of St. Colette Patron Saint of childless  
 couples seeking to conceive, sick children  
 and expecting mothers will be held Tuesday,  
 March 6<sup>th</sup> 7pm - snow date March 8<sup>th</sup> at  
 Monastery of St. Clare, 70 Nelson Ave.  
 Wappingers Falls, NY. The Poor Clares are  
 accepting special intentions for these favors.  
 For directions to the monastery  
[www.poorclaresny.com](http://www.poorclaresny.com) or call 845-297-1685

**Shamrock Run Kickoff Party**  
**To Benefit**

**Kingston Catholic School**  
**Children's Program**

Sunday, March 4<sup>th</sup> 1-7pm  
 Keegan Ales

28 James St., Kingston  
 Donation \$20: includes Corned Beef  
 Sandwich

Featuring: Flynn & McCaul and the AOH  
 Pipe & Drums Band

**BY WOMEN / FOR WOMEN**

The women of St. Peter's Parish are invited  
 to join the women of St. Joseph Parish/New  
 Paltz for a morning of prayer, reflection, and

sharing. on WEDNESDAY, February 21st,  
 at 9:45 am after the 9 am Mass in St. Joseph  
 Parish Center, room 3.

We will experience praying using Lectio  
 Divina. This method of prayer involves  
 reading a passage of scripture four times  
 with pauses for personal reflection between  
 each reading. Please join us. If you have  
 any questions, please email Sister Elizabeth  
 Anne, [dippoe@newpaltz.edu](mailto:dippoe@newpaltz.edu)

**Evening of Taize Prayer**

St. Charles Borromeo  
 2212 Rt 44/55 Gardiner, NY  
 All are invited to attend an evening of  
 Taize Prayer  
 Thursday, March 8<sup>th</sup> at 7pm  
 Please come for a blessing and bring a friend

**Free Tax Preparation & e-Filing**

Assistance for low and moderate-income  
 taxpayers is available to Ulster County  
 residents of all ages, with special attention  
 to those over age 50. Volunteers trained as  
 tax counselors will prepare and e-file your  
 Federal and NYS tax returns at various sites  
 around Ulster County. For more information  
 and an appointment, call 845-443-8823  
 Monday-Friday 11:00am-3:00pm or email  
[UlsterTaxAide@Mail.com](mailto:UlsterTaxAide@Mail.com) to schedule  
 provide your name and phone number..



**Hooley at the Hall**  
**Sunday, March 11th**

White Eagle Hall  
 487 Delaware Ave, Kingston  
 Food served from noon.

Freshly cooked corned beef  
 sandwiches sold at family friendly prices.  
 Entertainment begins at 3pm  
 Featuring: Tommy Flynn Trio, AOH Pipe and  
 Drum Band, Celtic Heels Step Dancers  
 Stop in after the parade.

**Food Pantry**

We ask you to remember those in our area  
 who are less fortunate than we and to  
 give to our parish food drive. Your  
 donations will help the local food  
 pantry in Rosendale. The donation box  
 is in the rear of the church. All non-  
 perishable and box foods are needed as  
 well as soap, shampoo, and lg. size  
 diapers.



**Rosary Altar Society**

Next weekend team *four* is scheduled