

**MARCH 18, 2018
FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT**

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday (March 18) Fifth Sunday of Lent

- 8:00 Carlos Lopes
Requested by: Lourenco and Lina Dosremedios and Family
- 10:00 Mary Moyle
Requested by: Donna Venuti
- 12:00 Carmela and Guido Marano
Requested by: The Marano Family
- 7:00 Spanish Mass

Monday (March 19) Saint Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary

- 7:00 Kenneth A. Autera
Requested by: Dr. and Mrs. Lavie
- 9:00 Jose Jimenez Morales
Requested by: Tereza Diaz

Tuesday (March 20)

- 7:00 Timothy Conkling
Requested by: The Meagher Family
- 9:00 Silvino D'Ottavio
Requested by: Family

Wednesday (March 21)

- 7:00 Francesca and Dominick Valente
Requested by: Santina Valente
- 9:00 Alfonso Iadevaia
Requested by: Kathryn Vignini

Thursday (March 22)

- 7:00 Father Angelus Shaughnessy, OFM
Requested by: Assumption Family
- 9:00 Rosina Furano
Requested by: Santina Valente

Friday (March 23)

- 7:00 Sr. Kathy
Requested by: Assumption Family
- 9:00 Pasquale and Lucia DeRico
Requested by: The DeRico Family

Saturday (March 24)

- 9:00 Purgatorial Society
- 5:00 Michael E. Tandy
Requested by: Frank and Carl Donohue
- 7:00 Spanish Mass

Sunday (March 25) Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

- 8:00 Janet Fanzo
Requested by: Adele Ficarra
- 10:00 Maria Baldini and Deceased members of the Baldini Family
Requested by: Angelo Baldini and Family
- 12:00 Pro-populo
- 7:00 Spanish Mass

MEMORIALIZATIONS

ALTAR CANDLES

In memory of Sr. Kathy
Requested by: Assumption Priests

Father Angelus Shaughnessy, OFM
Requested by: Assumption Priests

SANCTUARY LAMPS

In memory of the Carey and Eible Families
Requested by: Family

Please notify an usher if you would like to bring up the gifts during a Mass for your loved one.

O God, come to my assistance!
O Lord, make haste to help me.

With these words from Psalm 69 we remember that without the presence of the Lord in our lives we cannot exist, move and/or believe. Only God gives reason to our lives and beings. Only his Divine Life fulfills all our desires and dreams. For that reason, to search for something or someone outside his dimension will take all our strength and efforts, and we will end alone and empty.

As we approach the sacred days of the Passion of the Lord, I invite each one of you to get closer to Our Lord Jesus Christ, to abandon ourselves in His Sacred Wounds, and ask the Almighty Father to make us experience in our souls and bodies the effects and the fruits of Jesus in Calvary.

Let us not be afraid to look at the Cross of Jesus. There we will see how much He has suffered for us, just to make free from slavery and sins, from our temptations and sufferings. The Cross is our Sign, our Love, and our Way to reach Heaven one day. Through the Cross we become imitators and tabernacles of God's divine love. It is from the Cross that we are nourished and fed, until the day go back to embrace God forever.

My dear brothers and sisters, this weekend we celebrate the feast of two wonderful saints very dear to us, Saint Patrick and Saint Joseph. They understood that only in God we exist, move and believe. Let us praise the Lord for his goodness and love.

Happy Saint Patrick's and Saint Joseph's Feast Day.

Your brother in Christ,

Father Esteban

TITHING REPORT

Fourth Sunday of Lent 2018.....\$10,543.00
 (Includes ParishPay amount of \$556.00)
 Fourth Sunday of Lent 2017.....\$11,751.00
 (Includes ParishPay amount of \$752.00)

If you would like to enroll in Parish Pay, please go to
www.parishpay.com OR call the Rectory

PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE ILL



Catherine Chesser, Janet Fortier, Linda McGarr, Andrew Muller, George Strumke, Tony DeMilio, James Brian Dolman, Suzi Jo Bondra, Carli Hermina, Jose R. Latimer, James Leung, Sylvia Guerrero, Brian Miller, Rita Snee, Charlie Laux, Evangelina Espinoza, Kathy Daley, German Muñoz, Fernando De la Puente-Olavegoya and Nancy Conti.

RESPECT LIFE

Wisdom of the Ages...



Tertullian, a Christian writer who died in the third century, wrote the following: "Thus, you read the word of God, spoken to Jeremias: "Before I formed thee in the womb, I knew thee." If God forms us in the womb, He also breathes on us as He did in the beginning: "And God formed man and breathed into him the breath of life." Nor could God have known man in the womb unless he were a whole man. "And before thou camest forth from the womb, I sanctified thee." Was it, then, a dead body at that stage? Surely it was not, for "God is the God of the living and not the dead." - De Anima 26.5 **The next Respect Life Holy Hour: Thursday, April 19, 2018 at 7:00pm.**

PRAY ALSO FOR OUR RECENTLY DECEASED

Dianne Simone

Sr. Kathy

Stephen Bobolia

"Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace."

LENTEN MOMENTS

Back by popular demand. Last year, we journeyed through Lent with a series of daily messages. Each video contained a short reflection reminding us of the meaning of Lent. Our Catholic Peekskill team is busy working on a new series. The videos will be available on Catholic Peekskill Facebook page and through our Catholic Peekskill YouTube Channel. You can even choose to have your Lenten Moment delivered to your inbox via e-mail or text message through Flocknote. Last year, over 500 parishioners signed up to receive Lenten Moments this way. Good news! If you signed up last year, you are all set. You will begin to receive the messages on Ash Wednesday. If you haven't signed up, just go to www.flocknote.com/assumptionpeekskill, select Lenten Moments and enter your contact information. Or, you can text PEEKSKILL to 84576. You will receive a text with a link to complete the sign up on your mobile device.

EVERY THURSDAY

7AM-7PM

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

HOW DO YOU PRAY THE EUCHARISTIC ADORATION?

Steps to pray:



3. ASK

Present Him all your intentions and the intentions of those around you.



1. REALIZE WHO IS PRESENT

Place yourself in the presence of Christ.



4. MEDITATE

In a moment of silence, try to listen to the voice of God.



2. GIVE THANKS

Be thankful for this moment of prayer and for all the blessings the Lord has given you.



5. ASK FOR FORGIVENESS

Express your sorrow for the world's sins and your own.

A FRIDAY FISH BAKE



In celebration of the season of Lent, the Msgr. Francis Ansbro Peekskill Columbiettes will host a Fish Bake this **Friday, March 23** from 5:00pm – 7:00pm in the Father Wilson Hall. The menu includes fish fillet, mac and cheese, coleslaw salad and dessert. The fee is \$20 per person. Reservations will be taken at the door. (Stations of the Cross will follow in the Church at 7:00pm)

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

The centuries-old practice of praying the Stations of the Cross is a way to show our union with Jesus Christ in His Passion and death, which becomes ever more meaningful during the season of Lent. Please join us in the Church for Stations of the Cross each Lenten Friday at 7:00pm.



Wedding Banns

Third Tme: Jose Cardoza & Georgina Cruz



FEAST OF SAINT JOSEPH

The Feast of Saint Joseph will be celebrated on **Monday, March 19** at 7:00pm. Enjoy an evening of a procession, Holy Mass and a celebration to follow in the Father Wilson Hall. Relish in the enriching Italian environment filled with savory Italian Specialties: Home baked Italian “dolci” with espresso, wine and a Tarantella or two; all while listening

to authentic Italian music. Even participate in our raffles of the evening! Don't miss this truly special event. For more information contact Mary Mancini at (914) 737-8872.

K OF C - PALM CROSS SALE

To prepare our homes, and/or a loved one's grave for the Easter season and the Resurrection, the Knights of Columbus will be selling beautifully decorated palm crosses at ALL Masses the weekend of Palm Sunday; **Saturday, March 24** and **Sunday, March 25**. This year we will be starting one-week early and selling palms this **Sunday, March 18** at ALL Masse. The cost will be \$10 each. Proceeds from sale will go to support all our charitable, giving to the parish and community.



BLESS ME, FATHER, FOR I HAVE SINNED...



To prepare ourselves to fully celebrate the great feast of Easter, the sacrament of Confession will be available in our Church from 3:00pm through 9:00pm on **Monday, March 26** – Reconciliation Monday – with visiting priests available throughout this time. This sacrament is Christ's gift to us, the means by which we experience His loving mercy and forgiveness. Please take advantage of this opportunity!

ANNUAL TRIP TO THE DIVINE MERCY SHRINE

The Apostolate of the Divine Mercy invites parishioners to journey to the National Shrine of the Divine Mercy in Stockbridge, Massachusetts on Divine Mercy Sunday (**April 8**). The cost of the trip is \$30 per person. On the day of the event, free parking will be available in the Water Street lot (across from Homestyle Desserts), with buses scheduled to depart at 6:00am and return that evening around 6:00pm. For more information, please contact Conon Zuzarte at (914) 610-0019 OR Annie Zuzarte at (914) 610-5035.



DIVINE MERCY



March	18	3pm	Assumption Church
March	25		-No Holy Hour-
April	8	3pm	Assumption Church Divine Mercy Sunday
April	15		Assumption Church

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE 2018

Holy Thursday (March 29)
 9:00AM Tenebrae
 7:30PM Mass of the Lord's Supper (Bilingual)
 Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament at the Altar of Repose continues until midnight (the Gym will close at midnight)

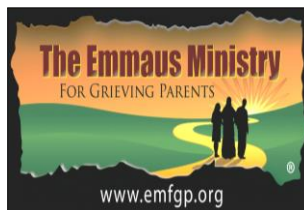
Good Friday (March 30)
 9:00AM Tenebrae
 11:00AM Marian Way of the Cross in the Church
 12:00PM Live Stations of the Cross in Depew Park (Spanish)
 3:00PM Celebration of the Lord's Passion
 7:00PM Celebration of the Lord's Passion (Spanish)

Holy Saturday (March 31)
 9:00AM Tenebrae
 7:00PM Easter Vigil Mass of the Resurrection with celebration of the Sacraments of Initiation(bilingual)

Easter (April 1)
 8:00AM
 10:00AM
 12:00PM (noon)
 7:00PM

Confessions

Reconciliation Monday (**March 26**) 3:00pm-9:00pm
 Good Friday (**March 30**) 3:00pm-9:00pm
 Holy Saturday (**March 31**) 3:00pm-5:00pm



Losing a child under any circumstance is terrible. Focusing on the spirituality of the grieving process can help tremendously.

Emmaus Ministry: for parents whose children of any age have died by any cause.

Please join us. All are welcome. Saturday retreats offered throughout the Archdiocese in 2018.

April 28: St. Peter/St. Mary, Haverstraw **Spanish-language retreat** (Rockland), 9:30 AM – 8:00 PM;

October 20: St. Francis of Assisi (Manhattan), 9:30 AM – 7:30 PM

Cost: \$25 per person, \$40 per couple
 Includes breakfast, lunch, dinner.

Scholarships are available.

To register online, www.emfgp.org/2018-archny, or contact

Sue DiSisto, Parenting and

Family Life Education:

susan.disisto@archny.org or (646) 794-3191

ANUNCIOS EN ESPAÑOL

REZO DEL VIA CRUCIS

8:15- PM - TEMPLO PARROQUIAL

Participación de las devociones
no-Marianas

MARZO

Viernes 16

"Divino Niño"

Viernes 23

"Señor de los Milagros
del Perú"

"Señor de los Milagros
de Cumbe"



GRUPO DE ORACIÓN

"Nuestra Señora de la Asunción"

INVITA A LA JORNADA CUARESIMAL

7:45-9:30PM - TEMPLO PARROQUIAL

Viernes 16 de marzo

Tema: EL ESPÍRITU SANTO

PREDICA: Hno. César Saravia

MUSICA: Fernando Vanegas

Viernes 23 de marzo

Tema: CRECIMIENTO ESPÍRITUAL

PREDICA: Hno. Gonzalo

MUSICA: Hno. Gonzalo

VIRGEN DE EL CISNE

SANTA EUCARISTIA MENSUAL

EN SU HONOR

00Invitamos para el próximo martes 20 de marzo a partir de las 7:30 de la noche, celebraremos la Santa Eucaristía mensual en honor a la Virgen de El Cisne. El ofertorio y el café serán donados por la comunidad de San Fernando miembros activos de la devoción de la Santísima Virgen de El Cisne.



DOMINGO DE RAMOS EN LA PASIÓN DE NUESTRO SEÑOR JESUCRISTO

¡Bendito el que viene en el nombre del Señor!



HORARIOS DE LAS MISAS

Sábado 24 de marzo	Santa Misa	7:00pm
Domingo 25 de marzo	Procesión	2:30pm
	Santa Misa	3:00pm
Domingo 25 de marzo	Santa Misa	7:00 pm

En las tres celebraciones obsequiaremos los ramos para que sean bendecidos.

NOVENA DE LA DIVINA MISERICORDIA

INICIO DIA VIERNES 30 DE ABRIL

HORA SANTA VIERNES 6 DE ABRIL - 8:00PM

Peregrinación al Santuario Nacional de la Divina Misericordia en Stockbridge, MA.

Salida: Domingo 8 de abril desde la estación del tren.

Costo del ticket para el bus: \$ 30

Informes con la hermana:

Yolanda Zhagui 914-930-1528



LA SEMANA SANTA EN NUESTRA PARROQUIA

1.- JUEVES 29 DE MARZO - JUEVES SANTO

HORA: 7:00 PM MISA BILINGUE VESPERTINA DE LA CENA DEL SEÑOR, LAVATORIO DE PIES - ADORACIÓN AL SANTÍSIMO



La adoración eucarística, puerta al cielo



2.-VIERNES 30 DE MARZO - VIERNES SANTO

HORA: 12:00 MD REZO DEL VIA CRUCIS EN EL DEPEW PARK EN VIVO!
Participación de los Grupos Apostólicos, Ministerios y las Devociones de nuestra Parroquia

-VIERNES 30 DE MARZO - VIERNES SANTO

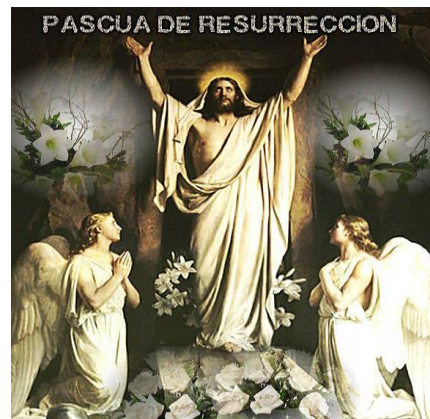
HORA: 7:00 PM - EN EL TEMPLO PARROQUIAL

LECTURA DE LA PASION - VENERACION DE LA SANTA CRUZ (BESAR LA CRUZ) - Y RECIBIR LA SANTA COMUNIÓN.



3.- SÁBADO 31 DE MARZO - SABADO SANTO

HORA: 8:00 PM - VIGILIA DE PASCUA - SANTA EUCARISTIA BILINGUE - CELEBRACION DE LOS SACRAMENTOS, ALUMNOS DE R.I.C.A.



BINGO FAMILIAR

Acompañanos **sábado, 24 de marzo** a las 7 de la noche en el Salón Padre Wilson para nuestro Bingo Familiar. Un boleto cuesta \$15.00 e incluye 8 tablas de bingo. Habrá muchos premios y sorpresas. Los boletos están disponibles para comprar en la Rectoría y la noche del evento. Ayuden a seguir reparando nuestra iglesia. Se aceptan donaciones para los premios del bingo. Para más información contacte a Padre Esteban at (914) 648-5144.