

Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord, April 8, 2012


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	Sun. Apr 8	8:17 pm	Easter Vigil of the Resurrection of the Lord		Pastor
	Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord	8:00 am	Priest's Intention		Pastor
	Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord	10:00 am	For all parishioners, especially for Easter peace & joy in the love of the risen Christ		Pastor
	Mon. Apr. 9 Monday within the Octave of		No Mass 8 A.M. at St. Mary's, Cossackie		
	Tues. Apr. 10 Tuesday within the Octave of	9:00 am	Funeral Mass for Marcelina Travis		
	Wed. Apr. 11 Wed. within the Octave of Easter	7:00 am	Priest's Intention		Pastor
	Thurs. Apr. 12 Thurs. within the Octave of Easter	9:00 Am	Scott McAndrews		Parents
	Fri. Apr. 13 Friday within the Octave of Easter	7:00 am	Fr. Francis Roche Pastor 1916-1921		Parish
	Sat. Apr. 14	9:00 am	Gerry Bruno		Jimmy & Daughters
	Sat. April 14 Saturday within the Octave of Easter (Vigil)	4:00 pm	Stanley Stefanik		Rosemary Coons
	Sun. Apr. 15 Second Sunday of Easter, Sunday of the Divine Mercy	8:00 am	For all parishioners, especially all in need of giving or receiving mercy, on this Divine Mercy Sunday		Pastor
	Sun. Apr. 15 Second Sunday of Easter, Sunday of the Divine Mercy	10:00 am	Carmela Paretta		Judy Miller

Ministry Schedules

Altar Servers - Eucharistic Ministers - Lectors - Counters - Greeters - Camera

April 8 Group A April 14/15 Group B April 21/22 Group C April 28/29 Group D

Attention Eucharistic Ministers: Those serving Mass during the weekend are asked to **PLEASE** come into the Sacristy to sign in.

 Stewardship <i>A Way of Life</i>	Number	Average	\$ Amount	2010	
Checks	156	\$ 28.10	\$ 4,384.00	\$ 4,304.00	<p style="text-align: center;">Reflection</p> <p>Alleluia! Christ is risen and is victorious over sin and death! We are good stewards of our faith if, like St. Paul, we share this good news whenever and wherever we can.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Living Stewardship</p> <p>We are grateful this week for all stewards in our parish whose lives reflect the joy of Christ's Resurrection!</p>
Loose cash			\$ 300.00	\$ 490.00	
Totals: 3/31-4/1			\$ 4,684.00	\$ 4,794.00	
Budget			\$ 4,846.00		
Stewardship			\$ 46.15		
2nd Collection					

Attendance for the weekend of 3/31 - 4/1 was 430 (total number of registered families = 891)

From the desk of the Pastoral Associate for Administration: *I would like to wish each and everyone of you a Blessed Easter. Spring is a time for renewal, a new beginning. Do you have qualities that you would be willing to share in a ministry here at St. Patrick's Church? We currently have some openings in our ministry of counters, (to count the collection on Sunday mornings). We also are in need of at least one individual that would be willing to head up our prayer line, (this responsibility includes forwarding any prayer requests that are sent to you via e-mail to other parishioners.) There are also some vacancies on our Pastoral Council; we have scheduled our discernment for **April 26th, 7PM**, so mark your calendars now. If we all share some of our qualities in ministry we can build our church to become a stronger parish community. God Bless each and everyone of you. ~Lori Nunziato*

Linens April - Danielle Parks
Anyone willing to do church linens call the Rectory
756-3145

Thrift Shop
April 12 - Lois Williams - Betty Jane Costanza
April 13 - Angie Meilak - Rose Schermerhorn
April 14 - Rae Panico - Marie Wilsey

Pantry News

A few statistics about "The Food Pantries":

- **supplies 54 food pantries (capital district)**
- **Delivered 977.6 tons or 1,955,211 pounds of food to local pantries who then served**
 - *83,184 households in 2011**
 - *230,984 people in 2011**
 - *2,365,967 total meals provided**

We are in need of boxed macaroni and cheese, shampoo, cookies and snacks.

Thank you for your food and monetary donations.
It is greatly appreciated.

~Diane Hoffman, Coordinator

Thrift Shop Hours

Thursday & Friday 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm
Saturday - 10:00am - noon

Pantry Hours

Tuesdays - 10:00 am - 11:00 am
Wednesdays - 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm
Fridays - 10:00 am - 11:00 am

Quote of the Week:

“Above all, trust in the slow work of God. We are all, quite naturally, impatient in everything to reach the end without delay. We should like to skip the intermediate stages. We are impatient of being on the way to something unknown, something new, yet it is the law of all progress that is made by passing through some stages of instability and that it may take a very long time. And so I think it is with you. Your ideas mature gradually. Let them grow. Let them shape themselves without undue haste. Do not try to force them on, as though you could be today what time—that is to say, grace—and circumstances acting on your own good will make you tomorrow. Only God could say what this new Spirit gradually forming within us will be. Give our Lord the benefit of believing that his hand is leading you and accept the anxiety of feeling yourself in suspense and incomplete. Above all, trust in the slow work of God, our loving vine-dresser. Amen.”

-Fr. Pierre Teilhard de Chardin, SJ, who died on Easter Sunday, April 10, 1955

Prayer of the Week: Blessing of Easter Foods

“God of glory, the eyes of all turn to you as we celebrate Christ’s victory over sin & death. Bless us and this food of our Easter meal. May we who gather at the Lord’s table continue to celebrate the joy of his Resurrection and be admitted finally to his heavenly banquet. Grant this thru Christ our Lord.”

-Catholic Household Blessings & Prayers (USCCB)

Question of the Week:

“...How could we become living invitations to others to meet the Risen Lord, instruments for others of Jesus’ forgiveness, reconciliation and peace?” -Pastoral Patterns (Spring ‘12)

“**Dear God**, In Bible times did they really talk that fancy?? -Children’s Letters to God

My Dear Parishioners,

What a wonderful two weeks it has been. After the Confirmation retreat, I had the opportunity to work with our First Communion class and their parents this past Saturday. Father Jim was present for his “vestments and vessels” presentation and I believe that the children did very well. After Easter you will begin to see a number of them making their First Communion during the various Masses. I would also like to thank all who provided their assistance in any way including the parents, Father Jim Kane, Lori Nunziato, Jane Noblett, John Schmitt, Brenda Morin and Erin Herman. We are blessed with the talents of so many! Our Lenten journey is complete and in some way, I hope you have arrived closer to the Lord. Easter is the central core of our faith. It reminds us that Christ, in his victory over sin and death, is the light of the world, the bread of life, the risen victorious Lord!

IMPORTANT *****IMPORTANT*****IMPORTANT*****

April 29th is the last class of the year for our Faith Formation Program. That day we will hold registration for the 2012-13 school year for all grades. One parent is asked to be present to complete the paperwork, and pay the registration fee of \$40 per student. This is being done so that we can get an early idea of the number of students for ordering textbooks and supplies. This coming year all children will have their own textbook.

If you have a son or daughter entering tenth grade they should be registered for our Confirmation Program.

With the program drawing to a close, I wish to thank each and every catechist for all their hard work. What terrific dedicated people! Also, the parish staff, our parents for their continual support and cooperation.

Reminder: confirmation is May 9th at 7 PM at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception. Practice is May 6th, after the 10 AM Mass here in church.

In Christ and Frances,

~*Brother Ronald-Francis Davis, FSD*

Pastoral Associate for Faith Formation/DRE

Church Calendar

Faith Formation Calendar

- Apr. 9 -**Rectory office closed (Easter holiday for staff)**
- Apr. 10-Women’s Bible Study, back to 2-4 pm, Room 5
- Apr. 12-Finance Committee-11 A.M.-Rectory mtg.room
- Apr. 15-FESTIVAL OF BASKETS: see page 5
- Apr. 16-Knights of Columbus luncheon-noon- Room 4
- Apr. 16- Rosary led by K of C, Church, 6:20 pm
- Apr. 17- Women’s Bible Study, 2-4 pm, Room 5
- Apr. 17- Pastoral Council, 7 PM, Room 5

- Apr. 8 - No Religion Classes**
- Apr. 15 - No Religion Classes**
- Apr. 22 - Religion Classes for K thru 10**
- Apr. 29 - Religion Classes for K thru 10**
- May 9th - Confirmation - 7 PM at Cathedral**



FESTIVAL OF BASKETS

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APRIL 15th

11 AM - 4 PM

ST. PATRICK'S PARISH CENTER

PICK A THEME - NAME YOUR BASKET - PUT A \$ VALUE ON IT

LOTS OF FUN FOR EVERYONE

TICKETS WILL BE SOLD OUT ON THE PLAZA AFTER EVERY MASS

\$10.00 PER PERSON

Includes free tickets for all values of baskets

Lunch - made available by the Knights of Columbus

BAKE SALE



ATTENTION BAKERS & SALAD MAKERS

We need your help!

We need baked good items for the bake sale and we need macaroni and potato salads to be available for lunch at the Festival of Baskets.

For questions about the bake sale, please call Skippy Pape, at 756-2244.

For questions about the salad , please call Al Visconti, at 756-9569.

CROP WALK

MAY 6th 2pm - From Mosher Park

Details to follow



ACOUSTIC DOORWAYS

FRIDAY, APRIL 13th 7:30 PM

GRACE METHODIST CHURCH, HILLCREST AVE, RAVENA

TICKETS AVAILABLE AT THE LIBRARY OR DOOR

ADULTS \$8 CHILDREN / SENIORS \$5

CALYPSO AND RAGGAE

PRESENTED BY RCS LIBRARY & BRIAN MELICK

Let Us Pray

For The Dead.

Our deceased loved ones,
parishioners and benefactors:

**Charles Martin Boehlke, Sr.
Marcelina (Marci) Travis
Esther Nunziato**



Sanctuary Lamp - April

In Loving Memory of

Justin John Bonafide

**Love,
Mom, Dad, Jason & Lucy**

In Loving Memory of

Frank & Nancy Carrk

**Love,
The Family**

Altar Bread - April

In Loving Memory of

Justin John Bonafide

**Love,
The Palmer Family**

Altar Candles - April

**In Loving Memory
of the
Spock & Scalzo Families**

The Family

In Loving Memory of

Geraldine Bruno

**Love,
Jimmy & daughters**

Sacraments

Memorials

Memorial [as in above]

Memorials are available for your loved ones.
Call and sign up as soon as possible to insure
that you can get your choice.

- Sanctuary Lamp - 2 weeks - \$15.00
- Altar Candles - 1 month - \$15.00
- Altar Bread - 1 month - \$50.00
- Memorial Block - 1 month - \$35.00

Baptism:

Please contact the Office to make arrange-
ments. Baptisms take place on a seasonal
basis. **April 8**

Marriage:

Please contact the Office at least six months
before the proposed date of the wedding.

Homebound: 10:00 Mass can be seen on Ch. 11
T.V. at 10 A.M. each Sunday.

CHRISTIANS OF THE HOLY LAND

It would be a blessing if you can celebrate the Vigil Mass of Easter in Jerusalem at the Sepulcher Church. Holy Saturday in Arabic is known as “Saturday of the Light”. Parishioners would fill the Church, courtyard and the roof. When the Patriarch exits the Tomb with the Light, lit by the Holy Spirit, at hand, passing it from one candle to the next, there is a frantic euphoria of happiness. On Holy Saturday our focus is on the Tomb of Christ. This is no ordinary grave. It is not a place of corruption, decay and defeat. It is life-giving, a source of power, victory and liberation. I encourage you to visit this Tomb and stand in solidarity with the Christian Palestinians. Do NOT deprive yourself of touching what Christ touched literally! I ask you this Easter and the next 50 days, to remember the Christian character of the Holy Land in your prayers, namely the Christian Palestinians, and our Holy Sites commemorating Jesus’ earthly journey. Happy Easter. Peace, Rami Qumsich, B. Eng. A concerned Catholic Palestinian from Bethlehem.