Parish Staff Team (756-3145)			Mass Intentions	
Pastor :				
Rev. Fr. James J. Kane	Sat. Aug. 4	4:00 pm	Mary V. Biscone	Biscone Family
frjim@tcosp.org Ext. 301	(Vigil)		,	
Pastoral Associate for Administration:				
Mrs. Lori Nunziato	Sun. Aug. 5		For all Parishioners, especially all couples mar-	
lori@tcosp.org Ext. 302	18th	9:30 am	ried from our parish this	
Pastoral Associate/D.R.E. for Faith Formation:	Sunday in Ordi- nary Time	only	past year and all engaged couples	Pastor
Br. Ron Davis, FSD Ext. 304 broron@tcosp.org				
Pastoral Associate for Music:	Mon. Aug. 6		No Mass here	
Mr. John Schmitt	Transfiguration of the Lord		8 A.M. at St. Mary's, Coxsackie	
john@tcosp.org Ext. 303	or the Lord		COASACRIE	
Volunteer Office Assistants: Ext. 300				
Mrs. Donna Hagen [Bulletin Ed.] Mrs. Tina Irwin	Tues. Aug. 7	9:00 am	All Souls	Pastor
Mrs. Michelle Fralick				
[Prayer Chain Coordinator]				
church@tcosp.org	Wed. Aug. 8	7:00 am	Priest's Intention	Pastor
Volunteer Sacristan:	St. Dominic			
Mrs. Joan A. Lipscomb Ext. 300				
Facilities Maintenance: Ext. 302	Thurs. Aug. 9 St Teresa Benedicta of the Cross	9:00 am	Esther Nunziato	Daughter, Tina
	Fri. Aug. 10 St. Lawrence	7:00 am	Kathleen Kerrigan	Eva O'Doherty
St. Patrick's Cemetery				
Cemetery Manager: Mrs. Lori Nunziato Sexton: Mr. Charles Burns Groundskeeper: Mr. Angel Perez Any questions regarding cemetery plots and/or mausoleum space please call 756-3145.	Sat. Aug 11	9:00 am	Jane Persico	Sandra & Rocco Losavio
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New Families WELCOME! We would like to include you in our Parish Family. Please call the rectory or stop by to register.	Sat. Aug. 11 (Vigil)	4:00 pm	Joanna Maki	Jim, Amy, Jimmy, Ashley, & Aubrey
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Handicapped Accessible Personal amplifying units available for the hearing impaired	Sun. Aug. 12 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time	9:30 am only	For all Parishioners, especially for safe & enjoy- able summer vacations	Pastor
Restrooms in the Parish Center				

Stewardship

Ministry Schedules: <u>August 11, 4 pm</u> = Group D

<u>August 12, 9:30 am = Lector</u>: Elaine Christopher <u>Servers:</u> Donna Hagen and Diane Hoffman <u>Eucharistic Ministers</u>: Kim Wullum, Ron LeClair, Mike Smith, Lauren Barber, Rick Lesser <u>Usher:</u> Marion LaDuke <u>Greeters</u>: Dot & Harry Miller <u>Counters:</u> Group D <u>Camera</u>: Group D

Stewardship	Number	Average	\$ Amount	2011	Reflection	
A Way of Life Checks	101	\$ 28.74	\$2,848.00	\$4,119.00	The crowd in today's gospel demanded a sign of Jesus and wanted to know what "work" He did to inspire their faith. May our	
Loose cash			\$ 498.00	\$ 379.00	faithful stewardship be a sign to others that	
Totals: 7-28/29			\$3,346.00	\$4,516.00	quired a "fresh, spiritual way of thinking" in	
Budget	Shortfall this week \$ 469.00		\$3,815.00		Christ. <i>Living Stewardship</i>	
					We are grateful this week for all stewards in our parish who stand ready to respond when-	
Stewardship	Peter's Pence		\$ 46.15		ever and wherever the Lord speaks to us and	
2nd Collection			\$602.00		be prepared for it to change our lives!	

Attendance for the weekend of 7/28-29 was 224 (total number of registered families= 829.)

Thank you for your generous support of the essential work of the Holy Father and his charitable acts through the Peter's Pence Collection: \$602. Our contributions will be combined with those of our brothers and sisters around the world to help Pope Benedict reach out to those in need. Your generosity helps to cast Christ's peace upon the world.

Linens - Au	inens - August - Mary Jane Persico	
Anyone willing	to do church linens call the Rectory	
at 756-3145.		

Thrift Shop Volunteers

Aug 9 - Jean Randio - Nancy Biscone Aug 10 - Angie Biscone - Dot Miller Aug 11- Joan Thompson - Mary Ann Jones

Pantry News

We are in need of tuna fish, boxed macaroni & cheese, canned fruit, toothpaste, tooth brushes, shampoo, bar soap, cookies, and snacks.

Your food & monetary donations are greatly appreciated

~ Diane Hoffman - Coordinator

Thrift Shop Hours

Thursday 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm Friday 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm Saturday 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Volunteers are **needed** to work during thrift shop hours and to help sort- call Jean at 756-9580

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:

"The Cross is the way which leads from earth to heaven. Those who embrace it with faith, love, and hope are taken up, right to the heart of the Trinity." "We are on earth to serve humanity."

-St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross (Edith Stein) [feast day = Aug. 9]

"Prayer of the Week:

"Above the clamor of our violence your Word of truth resounds, O God of majesty and power. Over nations enshrouded in despair your justice dawns. Grant your household a discerning spirit and a watchful eye to perceive the hour in which we live. Hasten the advent of that day when the weapons of war shall be banished, our deeds of darkness cast off, and all your scattered children gathered into one. We ask this through Him whose coming is certain, whose Day draws near: your Son, our Lord Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen."

-Catholic Household Blessings & Prayers

(Anniversaries of the Bombings of Hiroshima & Nagasaki: Aug. 6 & Aug. 9, 1945)

Question of the Week:

"What was something about which you 'grumbled' during the past week's journey toward the Promised Land, and what gift 'rained down from heaven,' causing you to turn your grumbling into praise?"

-Pastoral Patterns (Autumn '12)

"Dear God,

Is Reverend Coe a friend of yours, or do you just know him through business?" -Donny

Faith Formation Ministry

My Dear Parishioners,

I am sure you have seen all the back -to -school ads in the media. They are reminders that life will return to its routine journey very shortly. The days of summer begin to wane and it is essential to enroll your children in the faith formation program here at St. Patrick's. Please do this today!! Registration forms are in the back of the church or can be obtained at the Church office. Make this a priority!

I have just returned from vacation and spiritual renewal. I hope each of you takes the opportunity to make God a priority in your life. Help our children to love the Lord Jesus and to learn the story of a figure who changed the face of history forever.

Co-teachers are needed for most grades along with teacher assistants. I assure you it is rewarding work and a miracle to see our young people learn their faith. If you don't help then the opportunity to strengthen our program and serve our kids is lost. Candidly, almost all of our teachers are returning but we are looking to strengthen the teaching pool so that more than one person is teaching each grade. In educational circles the concept is called co-teaching. To date the response has lagged and it is my hope that those who are interested and able step up to the plate so we can move ahead in our initiatives.

May God Bless each of you!

In Christ and Francis,

~Brother Ronald Francis Davis, FSD Pastoral Associate for Faith Formation/DRE

We need you!!

Church Calendar

Aug. 6 - Rosary led by K of C, 6:20 pm, Church

Aug. 6 - Knights of Columbus meeting, 7:00 pm, Room 4

Aug. 20 - K of C luncheon, noon, Room 4

Aug. 20 - Rosary led by K of C, 6:20 pm, Church

Aug. 21 - Pastoral Council, 7:00 pm, Room 5

EXTRA, EXTRA READ ALL ABOUT IT......

Advertising: Are you interested in having an advertisement placed on the back of the bulletin to promote your business? If so you can call to request the information and the various sizes and /or prices that we offer. In addition to having the advertisement on the back of the bulletin, we will have an "advertiser of the month" listed in the inside of the bulletin too. If you are considering this you will need to contact us no later than August 20th. We ask that you provide either a business card and/or a blurb with the necessary information for your advertisement. If you should have any questions, please feel free to contact Lori Nunziato at 756-3145.

Cemetery News: A Catholic Cemetery is a sacred place. It is a place where many visitors come to remember, pray for, and memorialize with their loved ones. Decorations will be removed and/or discarded when the opinions of the cemetery board/staff feel they have become either faded and or unsightly. We request appropriate behavior during your visit and we also discourage and/or prohibit the use of alcoholic beverages. Thank you for your cooperation with making our Cemetery a safe place.

At St. Thomas the Apostle School 42 Adams Pl., Delmar At St. Thomas the Apostle School, we not only help students grow in knowledge, but also in wisdom and grace. We challenge them to excellence by fostering relationships between students and God, their teachers, peers and home. In the words of Pope Benedict XVI, "First, as we know, the essential task of authentic education at every level is not simply that of passing on knowledge, essential as this is, but also of shaping hearts." We shape hearts through the development of faith. Our faith and our traditional Catholic values pervade every aspect of our school; from our classes to the arts, to athletics, to extracurricular activities. We welcome you to learn more about St. Thomas the Apostle School's preschool-grade 8. Please call Carmel Foltan at 439-5573, email cfoltan@stthomas-school.org, or visit www.stthomas-school.org. Applications are currently being accepted for September 2012 enrollment.

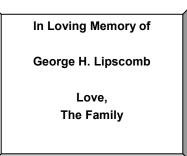
Note: St. Patrick's invests \$23,538 in the diocesan School Fund due to our proximity to St. Thomas' School.

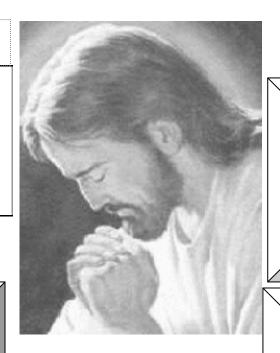


For The Dead

Our deceased loved ones, parishioners and benefactors:

Lorraine Hagan





Sanctuary Lamp - August In Loving Memory of

Marion Schirg

Love, The Hagen Family

Altar Bread - August In Loving Memory of

Geraldine Bruno

Love, Jimmy and daughters

Altar Candles - August In Loving Memory

Robert Gericke

Love, Your Family

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

Sacraments

Baptism: Please contact the Office to make arrangements. Baptisms take place on a seasonal basis.

Marriage:

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

Homebound: 9:30 Mass can be seen on Ch. 11 T.V. at 9:30 A.M. each Sunday.