

**CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR NEWEST CONFIRMANDI**

Damiano Nicola Alessandro  
Dylan Richard Alves  
Stephanie Claire Atkinson  
Stephen Frank Attanasio  
Jordan Joseph Ayala  
Jonathan John Baker  
Maghan Joanna Ballantyne  
Melissa Marie Bastidas  
Erika Cecelia Bauerlein  
Courtney Madeline Beauvais  
Kayla Joann Brennan  
Tyler George Bruno  
Maeghan Clare Bruyn  
Stephen Stanislaw Caruso  
Corey John Chiavelli  
Richard Francis Coffin  
Hunter Dominic Criscione  
Kathryn Hope Curran  
Angelo Salvatore Curro  
Matthew Michael D'Addario  
Amanda Therese D'Angelo  
Haley Elizabeth Dalbis  
Angel Genevieve Davis  
Robert Paul De Angelo  
John Stephen DeLuca  
Matthew Augustine Donnellan  
Kyle Luke Dwan  
Ryan Francis Edmonstone  
Stephanie Marie Franzese  
Joel Peter Fredrickson  
Nicholas Joseph Fugaro  
Gianna Gemma Galluzzo  
Cathryn Teresina Gaudio  
Nicole Anne Gerringer  
Christian Anthony Gomez  
Jeffrey Gregory Greblich  
Thomas James Gresis, Jr.  
Jillian Catherine Guerra  
Réka Rita Hamvas  
Kristen Grace Havner  
Victoria Rose Hoare  
Emily Elizabeth Holtman  
Peter Michael Kalmes  
Kelly Marie Kappus  
Regan Helena Kerzner  
Thomas Andrew Kressman

Jonathan Anthony Krygowski  
Thomas Andrew Lemp  
Selena Rose Levy  
Courtney Frances Lewis  
Gjon John Ljucovic  
Kassi Elizabeth Mayfield  
Brendan Aidan McCarthy  
Jessica Anastasia McHugh  
Maria Therese McNamara  
Robert Leonard Michael  
Ryan Ezekiel Miller  
Kieran Peter Mitchell  
Amy Emily Moran  
Carisa Ann Musacchio  
Nicholas Anthony Natalizio  
Christopher Michael Pino  
Dennis Antonio Pino  
Darren Patrick Quinn, Jr.  
Jaclyn Regina Ricci  
Amanda Gabrielle Riebe  
Alexander Charles Rodriguez  
Nicole Rachel Ryan  
Marissa Ann Ryan  
Kelly Rose Salvati  
Jason John Santiago  
Sean Patrick Sheridan  
Cullen Patrick Spang  
Kieran Bryan Stack  
Emily Catherine Stanek  
Marc Michael Starvaggi  
Zachary Mark Steenbergen  
Margaret Joan Stein  
Jocelyn Marielle Strack  
Michelle Elizabeth Strack  
Thomas Paul Swetz  
Michele Elizabeth Tesoro  
Kristina Elizabeth Thaqi  
Shannon Anastasia Torhan  
Breanna Cecilia Vales  
Joseph Anthony Vales  
Amanda Adelina Vernola  
Shannon Anne Walsh  
Alexa Christina Wandy  
Abbey Mary Wiand  
Matthew Michael Yoanidis  
Lisa Rose Young

## Blessed Kateri Tekakwitha Church

## Pentecost Sunday

### FAITH FORMATION NEWS

Congratulations to all of the students who were confirmed this week and now enjoy the Gifts and Fruits of the Holy Spirit as fully initiated adult Catholics! Their names are printed elsewhere in this bulletin. We thank their parents and sponsors and all the parishioners who prayed especially hard for them over the last several months during their very busy time of preparing for this special sacrament.

Last week we welcomed 40 new families and 55 new students into our Faith Formation Program for the fall! Parents who have not yet registered their school aged children for fall classes should do so as soon as possible to avail themselves of the best selection of days and times. Our office will be open 10am-5pm on Monday-Thursday until June 26th. Please call 227-1710 x3 for further information.

### PASTORAL CARE FOR THE SICK

If you are sick, homebound, or in the hospital and would like to receive Holy Communion or would like a pastoral visit, please contact Deacon John by leaving a detailed message at 223-8410 or calling the rectory at 227-1710. If you prefer, you may e-mail Deacon John at [JBarone49@gmail.com](mailto:JBarone49@gmail.com).

### DUCKS (TEEN GROUP)

**The Teen Group will host a barbeque for all newly confirmed eighth graders following the 5:30pm Mass this evening at Blessed Kateri Church. Please join us and allow us to honor you on the celebration of receiving the Holy Spirit. For more information, call Debbie at 226-5929.**

Next weekend, June 7<sup>th</sup>, the teens will host a pancake breakfast after the 9am and 10:30am Masses.

Any teens interested in going on the camping trip to Assateague Island should come to the 6:30pm meeting on June 7<sup>th</sup> with their parent(s).

### THANKS TO ALL FOR A SUCCESSFUL 2009 CARDINAL'S APPEAL

It is tremendous reflection of the generosity of the people of Blessed Kateri Tekakwitha that we were able to meet and surpass our 2009 Cardinal's Appeal goal. Our parish has pledged \$49,500 on a goal of \$46,200.

Again, thank you to our dedicated parishioners.

### WELCOME ARCHBISHOP DOLAN

Archbishop Timothy Dolan will be holding a prayer service for Dutchess County at St. Mary's in Wappingers on June 1<sup>st</sup>. Our parish received 30 tickets and these tickets were distributed, by raffle, to the staff, parish council and volunteer groups. Archbishop Dolan is trying to meet as many people as possible in each county of the Archdiocese by way of these prayer services. He meets with all the priests and deacons before each prayer service. As we welcome him to Dutchess County, let us keep him and his important ministry in our prayers.

**TAKE A CHANCE ON BLESSED KATERI**  
**Check your mailboxes for an exciting opportunity to "Take a Chance on Blessed Kateri". With a ticket price of only \$20 you can't afford to miss out on this raffle.**

### FIRST FRIDAY ADORATION

This Friday, June 5<sup>th</sup>, we will have adoration of the Blessed Sacrament after the 9am Mass; Benediction will be at 4:30pm. Come and spend some special time with our Lord and receive his graces. You may come any time during the day.

### GREAT WORK FOR THE HOMELESS

Thank you to all the volunteers of Blessed Kateri Tekakwitha parish who helped feed over 50 homeless men and women at the Hudson River Housing shelter on May 30<sup>th</sup>. We want to extend a heartfelt thank you to the **Blue Fountain Restaurant** for donating the main meal. The next parish night to feed the homeless is August 29<sup>th</sup>. For more information please contact Vivian LaColla at 223-5001.

### BLESSED KATERI PARISH COUNCIL

Any parishioner 16 or over is invited to consider nominating himself or herself, or someone he or she admires, to serve a three year term on our Parish Council. This is a very important and satisfying ministry, as pastors consult with, and rely on, the members of the Parish Council for many things. Former members of the Council who have been off for one year or more can offer to serve again, if they are nominated and selected.

On June 7<sup>th</sup> at the 10:30 Mass, the names of those willing to serve will be placed in a bowl, and four names will be selected at random. Our prayer and trust is that all nominees are ready and able to serve, and that the Lord will choose whom He wants for this ministry at this time.

### PARISH COUNCIL NOMINATION FORM

**Please return this form to the rectory by Friday, June 5<sup>th</sup>**  
*I understand that service on the Blessed Kateri Parish Council is an important ministry, to be done for the glory of God and the advancement of His Church.*  
*Knowing that, I am willing to serve and nominate myself.*

Name

Address

Phone #

**Or check below if you are nominating this person:**

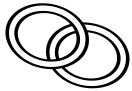
*I nominate this person for possible selection.*

*(He or she will be called and must be willing to accept.)*

### SCHEDULE CHANGE

Please note that there will be no Confessions on Monday evening, June 1<sup>st</sup>, due to a pastoral meeting with Archbishop Timothy Dolan.

*Marriage Banns*



I Sue Fraleigh & Joseph Rea  
 II Elizabeth Smith & Christopher Shih

**ALTAR ROSARY SOCIETY  
 INSTALLATION DINNER**

On Monday, June 8<sup>th</sup>, the Altar Rosary Society will hold their annual Installation Dinner at Greenbaum & Gilhooley's. The cost of the dinner is \$26 per person; payment will be needed when you make your reservation. For more information, please call Betty Perrino at 454-1840.

**SIGN UP TODAY TO GIVE BLOOD**

Please help us help others and possibly even save lives by participating in Blessed Kateri Parish's Annual Spring Blood Drive, to be held this year on Tuesday, June 2<sup>nd</sup>, from 3pm to 8:30pm in the church meeting room. **You can sign-up after all Masses today.**

**BLESSED KATERI PRAYER NETWORK**

If you have intentions or requests that you would like our Prayer Network to pray for, please call Nancy Vaughn at 226-4053 or Betty Paraggio at 223-5674.

**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL**

This week the items needed by the SVDP food pantry are paper towels, toilet paper and facial tissues. Please leave your items in the church narthex. For those in need of assistance, the SVDP hotline number is 227-7863.

***Please pray for those who are ill***

Jackie and Joe DePalma--Marion Carney--Billy Jacobs  
 Deneé DeVizio -Caitlin Ann Martin--Rick Cole-Maria Sorrentino  
 Marcia Sabol-Marie Gauci-Richard DeLeo Sr--Ann Leonard  
 Johnny Romano-Amanda Jones-- Fred Matthews  
 Victor Thomas-Wendy Sullivan-Terri Schollmeyer-Frank Flora  
 Raymond Trangalli-Susan Lancella-Concetta Liccione  
 Mary Griego-Bob Wilson-Joseph Liccione- Carmel Adams  
 William Grafer-Mark Kearney- Frank Fetzter-Marie Fetzter  
 Michael Besko--Suzanne Power--Marilyn Kurz

**PARISH INCOME REPORT**

Last Week's Collection: \$8,256

Last Year's Collection: \$8,225

**PETITION OF THE WEEK**

Today we celebrate the Feast of Pentecost, the descent of the Holy Spirit on the Apostles and the followers of Christ. It is also recognized as the birthday of the Church, since it was on this day that the disciples went out and told others about Jesus, gaining new members for the early church community. As we celebrate the first Pentecost Sunday in our new church building, we thank God for the faith that has been handed down to us through the generations. We pray that by our courage to live out that faith and proclaim it in word and action to people in our own time, our church and parish may continue to grow. We pray especially for those just confirmed, that they may continue to mature in the faith and become the leaders of our Christian Catholic Community for the future.

**MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK**

<b>Monday</b> 9:00am	<b>June 1</b> Don Gorr by family
<b>Tuesday</b> 9:00am	<b>June 2</b> For all parishioners
<b>Wednesday</b> 9:00am	<b>June 3</b> Catherine L. Power by Suzanne Power
<b>Thursday</b> 9:00am	<b>June 4</b> Anne Diggins by Suzanne Power
<b>Friday</b> 9:00am	<b>June 5</b> Vivian Shary
<b>Saturday</b> 9:00am	<b>June 6</b> Helen Duggan
<b>Sunday</b> 5:00pm Sat.	<b>June 7</b> Melanie A. Kotes by her family
9:00am	John J. Cocuzza by the Docimma family
10:30am	Thomas Lowery by Lillianne Lowery
12:15pm	Gemma Briccio by Paul and Mary Baldwin
5:30pm	Vicki Diamond by her family

**Liturgical Ministers for June 7th, 2009**

	<b>Lector</b>	<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	<b>Altar Servers</b>
<b>5:00pm Sat</b> <b>Fr. Perez</b>	David Anderson	Anne Anderson, Rose Morse, Joan Crowe	Joseph Vales, Olivia Vales, Christian Murphy
<b>9:00am</b> <b>Msgr. Desmond</b>	Diana Schopen	Christopher Filachek, Virginia Fisher, Patricia Lyons, Diane Maddock, Robert Malara	Clare Whitton, Christopher Whitton, Vaughan Feighan,
<b>10:30am</b> <b>Fr. Perez</b>	John McCormack	Carol Reilly, Debra Outman, Geraldine Natale, Ruth Recchia, Carolyn Criscione	Hunter Criscione, Kevin Tatavitto, Brian Kusior
<b>12:15 pm</b> <b>Msgr. Desmond</b>	Noe Ramon Iliano	Christine Mikulka, Rosemary Archer, Rita Rogers	Angela Alessandro, Damiano Alessandro Amber Hammerschlag
<b>5:30pm Sun</b> <b>Fr. Perez</b>		Tara Izzo, Stephen Ren, Margaret Ren	Vaughn Feighan, Courtney Meester, Taylor Hickey

