

An Easy Contribution Form for the 2010 Archdiocesan Stewardship Appeal



ONE COMMUNITY
ONE FAITH
ONE BODY IN CHRIST

All our registered parishioners have received the Archdiocesan Stewardship Appeal information and reply forms in the mail. Some have already sent in their pledge cards. But surely many others also want to live by this Word of God:

Do good...be rich with good works, generous and ready to share...store up the treasures of a good foundation for the future.

1 Timothy 6:18

Please fill in this page or the form you received at home. Please bring it to church next weekend (for our In-Pew Commitment Sunday) or mail it. Either way, your contribution will be a blessing for all concerned. (Short pledges may enable you to be more generous, but a single gift is most welcome too.)

Your Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Card Name, Number and Expiration Date \_\_\_\_\_
Parish #521: Blessed Kateri Church, 1925 Rte. 82, LaGrangeville, NY 12540

Step 1.

Prayerfully consider your gift. Suggested 5 monthly Total Pledge payments of \$1,000.....\$200 \$750.....\$150 \$500.....\$100 \$250.....\$50 \$150.....\$30

Step 2.

Make your 2010 commitment Total Gift \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Amount Enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Balance \$ \_\_\_\_\_ The Appeal Office will send reminders monthly. Thank You. Your gift is appreciated.

Step 3.

Chose your payment method. ( ) personal check Payable to The Archdiocesan Stewardship Appeal ( ) Credit Card Please include card name, number and expiration date. Cards will be charged monthly unless otherwise noted.

## Blessed Kateri Tekakwitha Church

## Sixth Sunday of Easter

### PARISH ACTIVITIES

<b>Monday</b> 7:00PM	<b>May 10</b> Rosary Altar Society Meeting <b>Church Meeting Room</b>
<b>Tuesday</b> 10:00AM	<b>May 11</b> Parent-Child Connection <b>Faith Formation Building</b>
7:00PM	R.C.I.T. <b>Faith Formation Building</b> <i>St. Nicholas Room</i>
7:00PM	Employment Support Group <b>Faith Formation Building</b> <i>St. Francis Room</i>
7:30PM	Charismatic Prayer Group <b>Chapel</b>
<b>Wednesday</b> 10:00AM	<b>May 12</b> Bible Study <b>Faith Formation Building</b> <i>St. Paul Room</i>
<b>Thursday</b> 7:00PM	<b>May 13</b> R.C.I.A. <i>St. Paul Room</i>

### PARISH INCOME REPORT

Last Week's Collection: \$ 10,812  
Last Year's Collection: \$ 9,658

### PETITION OF THE WEEK

Let us pray for all our mothers, grandmothers, expectant mothers, and godmothers; that they may always have the respect and love of their children. May they always be blessed by the model of motherhood, the Blessed Mother. We also pray that all our deceased mothers be united with Christ and the Blessed Mother in heaven.

### THE POWER OF PRAYER

If you would like to have your name published on the list in the weekly bulletin, or if you have someone who has given permission to have a name added to the list, please call Nancy Vaughn at 226-4053. Names will remain on the list for two months.

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

*Olivia Gabriella Bellini, Patrick Benizio, Noel Codella,  
William Grafer, Sadie Hall, Alyssa Hoag, Joan Luna,  
Kate Madigan, Christine Rao*

### YEAR FOR PRIESTS

Please pray for all priests and seminarians and this week, especially for Rev. Robert B. Repenning, St. Mary Mother of the Church, Fishkill.

May 13th we will celebrate the Feast of the  
Ascension of the Lord.

Masses for this Holy Day of Obligation will be on  
Wednesday, May 12<sup>th</sup> at 7:30pm  
and on Thursday, May 13<sup>th</sup>, at 9am and 5:30pm.

### PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR

### PARISHIONERS SERVING IN THE MILITARY:

**Mark Baaden, Kelly Finn, Angie Jablecki,  
Kenneth Jablecki, Zachery Kirchner,  
Brendan Recchia, William C. Smith, Jr.,  
Hugh Sullivan, Jr., Matthew Walsh**

### MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

<b>Monday</b> 9:00AM	<b>May 10</b> For All Parishioners
<b>Tuesday</b> 9:00AM	<b>May 11</b> Michael Amedeo By Deacon Bob & Judy Horton
<b>Wednesday</b> 9:00AM	<b>May 12</b> Maria & Philip Schmidt By Mary Beth & George Schmidt
7:30PM	
<b>Thursday</b> 9:00AM	<b>May 13</b> Virginia Pallante By Her Daughter Joanna Valentine
5:30PM	Pat & Don Muller By the Scianimanico Family
<b>Friday</b> 9:00AM	<b>May 14</b> Fred McVicker By Deacon Bob & Judy Horton
<b>Saturday</b> 9:00AM	<b>May 15</b> Deceased Parishioners By the Bereavement Support Group
5:00PM	Joseph Vay By Mark & Carol Costello
<b>Sunday</b> 9:00AM	<b>May 16</b> Brendan O'Connor By The Maddox Family
10:30AM	Thomas Lowery By Lillianne Lowery
12:15PM	Margaret DeSa By Joe & Maria
5:30PM	Denise Diana By Maria Cordoni

### ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

This week the SVDP Society is in need of pasta sauce, jello, toothpaste and toothbrushes.

### T.L.C. TEEN GROUP

The teen group will hold a general meeting on Sunday May 16th, after the 5:30PM Mass. Activities to discuss and plan include the 8<sup>th</sup> grade BBQ, a teen retreat and the second annual camping trip.



### MARRIAGE BANNS

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*Nicole Nicosia & Paul Wolf*

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*Chrystal Venendia & Leonard Fugaro  
Genny Azcona & Victor Paolo*

## Blessed Kateri Tekakwitha Church

### FAITH FORMATION NEWS

This weekend and next, several of our children will receive their First Holy Communion. We welcome them now to the Lord's Table each week and hope they will always stay as close to the Lord Jesus as they are on their First Holy Communion Day.

The May Parent Newsletter is now posted on the parish website.

May 13th is Ascension Thursday. The children in our Thursday classes will begin class normally at 5 pm, will attend Mass with their class at 5:30pm and return to the Faith Formation Center for dismissal at 6:30 pm.

Classes end on Monday, May 17th. Parents are asked to make every effort to have their children attend the full ninety minute class sessions until that time, despite the increasing number of sports and school activities.

Faith Formation at our parish begins in first grade. Parishioners who have children entering first grade, along with families new to the area and just joining our parish, should register their children in our program on **Wednesday, May 26th, 10 am-1 pm and 5-7 pm**. Parents are asked to bring with them copies of their children's Baptismal Certificates and proof of prior religious education, if applicable.

### ST. DYMPHNA HEALING MASS

The 11<sup>th</sup> Healing Mass and devotion to St. Dymphna, patroness of those suffering with illnesses of the mind such as Alzheimer's, Autism and other disorders of the brain, as well as those suffering from emotional and psychological difficulties will be held on Wednesday, May 12<sup>th</sup> at 7:00PM in Mt. Alvernia Chapel in Wappingers Falls. A social will follow the Mass. For directions to Mt. Alvernia Retreat House visit [www.mtalvernia.org](http://www.mtalvernia.org) or call 297-5706.

## Sixth Sunday of Easter

### SPECIAL BEREAVEMENT MASS

All parishioners are invited to attend a Special Mass of Remembrance on Saturday, May 15th at 9:00 AM in the Blessed Kateri Chapel. Cards will be placed on the Altar with your deceased loved one's names.

### REGISTRATION FOR VBS

Registration for our 2<sup>nd</sup> annual Vacation Bible School will be held May 2<sup>nd</sup> through May 23<sup>rd</sup>. Please be sure to get your form in the Narthex. This year's theme is: *Parachute with the Angels*.

### COFFEE HOUR



Please join us for Coffee Hour next Sunday, May 16th in the Church Meeting Room after the 10:30 Mass.

### MOTHER'S DAY CORSAGES

Beautiful flower corsages will be sold, while supplies last, for \$6 before and after all Masses on Mother's Day. Proceeds and donations will go to Gabriel's House, a home for unwed mothers. This is a great way to say "thank you" to all moms for life and love!

### ATTENTION !!!

We are having a reception celebrating the end of the Year for Priests on June 19<sup>th</sup> after the 5:00PM Mass in the church meeting room. We are looking for people to help prepare hot and cold appetizers and some finger desserts. There will be a meeting to organize the menu on May 12<sup>th</sup> @ 7:00PM in the Faith Formation Building, St. Paul's Room. Please contact Bev Austin @ 462-0516.

## May 16, 2010 Liturgical Ministers Schedule

	Lector	Eucharistic Ministers	Altar Servers
5:00pm Sat Fr. Perez	Marie Smith	Joan Crowe, Suzanne Power, Dennis Rosenfeld	Olivia Gomez, Courtney Meester, Adam Wiley
9:00am Fr. Perez	Anne Whitton	Cheryl Gallina, Betty Paraggio, Betty Perino, Ruth Recchia, Diana Schopen	Amanda D'Angelo, Adel Santa Teresa, Christopher Whitton
10:30am Msgr. Desmond	Sam Varano	Cathy Anderson, Keith McCartney, Rose Morse, Geraldine Natale, Robert Young	Brittany Tobin, Kristen Cain, Samantha Campos
12:15pm Msgr. Desmond	Debbie Scianimanico	Dave Borges, Julie Borges, Carol Reilly	Michael Marma, Mary Ellen Smyth, Robert Slevin
5:30pm Sun Msgr. Desmond	Adam Varano	Maura Lee-Byrne, Cathy Varano	Patrick McKinney, Alexandra Straley, Courtney Meester



## Blessed Kateri Tekakwitha Church

### 50<sup>TH</sup> WEDDING ANNIVERSARY COUPLES

Couples celebrating their 50<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary anytime during 2010 are invited to attend the Annual Golden Jubilee Mass with Archbishop Dolan at the Cathedral of St. Patrick on Father's Day, Sunday, June 20<sup>th</sup> at 2:00PM. Pre-registration is required. Contact the parish office for registration. The closing date to register for the Mass is May 21st. This event is sponsored by the Family Life/Respect Life Office of the Archdiocese of New York.

### CELEBRATIONS FOR SILVER AND GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY COUPLES

Couples celebrating their 25<sup>th</sup> or 50<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversaries anytime during 2010 are invited to share a special Mass with us in their honor here in our parish on Sunday, June 13th, at 10:30am. Their families and friends are welcome to come. Please call the parish office with your name and phone number, and let us guess which color you deserve!

### ST. DENIS/ST. COLUMBA CARD PARTY

The Card Party is an evening of raffles that is attended by over 400 guests. Mike Bennett of WHUD will be back again this year as our Master of Ceremonies. This year's event will take place on Friday May 14<sup>th</sup>. The theme is "A Salute to American Moms". Doors will open at 6:30PM. Tickets are \$12 each and include soda, coffee, tea and dessert. You are welcome to bring snacks and drinks to share with your table. If you would like to contribute to the event – your gift of goods, services, gift cards or monetary donations would be greatly appreciated as it ensures the success of this event. To purchase tickets or to make a donation, please contact Gina Pennacchio at 592-2375 or you can mail your check to: St. Denis-St. Columba School, attn: Card Party Tickets, PO Box 368, Hopewell Jct. NY 12533. Please include a phone number where you can be reached. It is a good idea if one person can order for a large group.

### THE FATIMA MESSAGE

The Pro-Life Club at Our Lady of Lourdes High School is hosting a screening of the recently released movie about the apparitions of the Blessed Mother at Fatima, *The 13<sup>th</sup> Day*, on Friday, May 14<sup>th</sup> in the Lourdes auditorium, 131 Boardman Rd., Poughkeepsie. Babysitting will be provided, with the children watching the animated story of Fatima, *The Day the Sun Danced*. Start time: 6:30PM, with a presentation about the Fatima message. Movie begins @ 7:00 PM. Admission is free. Good will offerings will be accepted to promote the work of the Pro-Life Club. For more info call Peter Lyons @ 463-0400, ext. 1177.

## Sixth Sunday of Easter

### PLANT AND BAKE SALE

Please join us for a bake sale sponsored by the HRC Women's Guild of the Hopewell Reformed Church, 143 Beekman Road, Hopewell Junction, Saturday, May 15<sup>th</sup> from 9:00AM – Noon. Light refreshments will be served.

### 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 6<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, May 28th**  
*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.)*

### BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP

The Bereavement Support Group will meet on Monday, May 10<sup>th</sup> @ 1:00PM in the chapel and on Thursday, May 13<sup>th</sup> @ 7:00PM the chapel with meeting to follow in St. Paul's room in the Faith Formation Building. Anyone interested can still join these sessions. For more information, contact Lorraine Travia at 221-2741 or e-mail [bktbereavement@optonline.net](mailto:bktbereavement@optonline.net).

### CHILDREN'S LITURGY

This Sunday is the last week for the 9 o'clock Children's Liturgy. It will resume on September 26<sup>th</sup>. The parish would like to thank the wonderful teachers who volunteered their time and energy: Ann Marie Barnell, Sandra Cardosa, Peggy Fiege, Debbie Gleeson, Rose Green, Stephanie Jacobs, JoAnn Lundstedt, Jennifer McComb, Amanda Morrow, Dale Morrow, Peggy Ren, Mary Alice Sallah, Edileuzo Silva, Alicia Turenchalk, Ursula Wood, and three confirmation candidates, Brooke Graham, Melanie Girlestone, and Patrick McKenney. Thank you!

## 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 Parish Office at 227-1710. If you prefer, you may email Deacon John at [JBarone49@gmail.com](mailto:JBarone49@gmail.com).

## PRAYER NETWORK

The Prayer Network is a way to have prayers requested. Your intentions may be given to Nancy Vaughn at 226-4053 or Betty Paraggio at 223-5674, to be prayed for by our "vine" of caring people.

## MUSIC MINISTRY

The Youth Choir practices on Wednesdays from 6pm to 7:00pm; Adult Choir practices are Wednesdays from 7:30pm to 9:30pm; Contemporary Ensemble practices are Thursdays from 7pm to 9:30pm. All practices are in the church. Please contact our Music Director, Nina Ricci, at [BKMusicMinistry@gmail.com](mailto:BKMusicMinistry@gmail.com) for more information.

## PARENT/CHILD CONNECTION

The Parent-Child Connection provides a safe playgroup for young children and an opportunity for adults to share their understanding of early childhood issues in an environment that promotes Catholic values. Please visit our parish website to see a complete schedule.

## T.L.C. TRI PARISH TEEN GROUP

The teen group is a program for all the high school students in the parishes of St. Denis, St. Columba and Blessed Kateri. The program includes fun activities such as outings and trips, service activities for the parish and greater community, and opportunities to learn more about your faith.

## PARISH MEMBERSHIP

New parishioners are always welcome. New Parishioner Forms are available in the Church narthex, at the Parish Office, or online. If you are a regular contributor, please consider becoming a member to ensure receipt of a tax statement at each year-end.

## ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul is the world's most distinguished "Friends of the Poor". The Society of St. Vincent de Paul offers tangible assistance to those in need.

**Hotline for those in need:** 227-7863

## DIRECTORY OF COMMITTEES

Adopt –A-Night (feeding homeless)	223-5001 Vivian LaColla
Adult Faith Form./Bible Study	223-3658 Julie Borges
Altar Linens	227-2807 Geraldine Natale
Altar Rosary Society	454-1840 Betty Perrino
Altar Servers	227-1710 Fr. Perez <a href="mailto:Fr.ronald.perez@gmail.com">Fr.ronald.perez@gmail.com</a>
Baking	221-2741 Lorraine Travia
Baptismal Program	226-8987 Deacon Bob
Bereavement Group	221-2741 Lorraine Travia <a href="mailto:bktbereavement@optonline.net">bktbereavement@optonline.net</a>
Blood Drives	221-0203 Ed Hogarty
Chapel/Church Cleaners	223-5650 Mary Covucci
Charismatic Prayer Group	440-3519 Pat Mackey
Church Decorators	227-1529 Cathy Varano
Cursillo	226-5207 Tony Martino
D.U.C.K.S.	223-5015 Dave & Kathy Bell
Ecumenical Group	223-3658 Dave Borges
Employment Support	231-2216 Tate Lacy
Eucharistic Adoration	223-3658 Dave Borges
Eucharistic Ministers	592-8088 Deacon Ted
Fund Raising	677-6496 Anthony Cirone
Gardening/Landscaping	489-0956 John Gunn
Hospital/Homebound Visits	223-8410 Deacon John
Hospitality	677-6496 Andrea Cirone
Lectors	223-8410 Deacon John
Junior High Club	227-8382 Larry Ryan St. Denis
Marriage Encounter	223-5661 Anne Anderson
Men's Group	223-3658 Dave Borges
Parent-Child Connection	206-8220 Christina Gilroy <a href="mailto:bksocialcomm@yahoo.com">bksocialcomm@yahoo.com</a>
Parish Activities	Ed & Laura Leahy
R.C.I.A.	227-1710 Msgr. Desmond
Right To Life	<a href="mailto:siestasix@frontiernet.net">siestasix@frontiernet.net</a> Anne Whitton <a href="mailto:mamie13383@aol.com">mamie13383@aol.com</a>
Single Parent Support	Marie Nazzaro 227-1710 Msgr. Desmond
Spiritual Life	227-7863 Carol Grafer
St. Vincent de Paul	226-4053 Nancy Vaughn
Sunday's Children's Liturgy	677-6496 Anthony Cirone
Ushers/Greeters	723-4361 Rose Morse
Vacation Bible School	227-8380 Fr. Justin Cinnante
Young Adult Group/Underground No.	c/o St. Columba

*Blessed Kateri Tekakwitha*  
Lily of the Mohawks



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Memorial - 14 July

## Prayer For Canonization

*O God, who, among the many marvels of Your Grace in the New World, did cause to blossom on the banks of the Mohawk and of the St. Lawrence, the pure and tender Lily, Kateri Tekakwitha, grant we beseech You, the favor we beg through her intercession, that this Young Lover of Jesus and of His Cross may soon be counted among the Saints of Holy Mother Church, and that our hearts may be enkindled with a stronger desire to imitate her innocence and faith. Through the same Christ Our Lord. Amen.*