

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.

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 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 Fr.ronald.perez@gmail.com
Baking	221-2741 Lorraine Travia
Baptismal Program	226-8987 Deacon Bob
Bereavement Group	221-2741 Lorraine Travia bktbereavement@optonline.net
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
Ecumenical Group	223-3658 Dave Borges
Employment Support	896-0600 Joseph Carey
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 bksocialcomm@yahoo.com
Parish Activities	Ed & Laura Leahy
Prayer Shawl Ministry	223-5001 Vivian LaColla
R.C.I.A.	227-1710 Msgr. Desmond
Right To Life	siestasix@frontiernet.net Anne Whitton
Single Parent Support	mamie13383@aol.com
Spiritual Life	Marie Nazzaro
St. Vincent de Paul	227-1710 Msgr. Desmond
Sunday's Children's Liturgy	227-7863 Carol Grafer
TLC Teen Group	226-4053 Nancy Vaughn
Ushers/Greeters	227-1710 Msgr. Desmond
Vacation Bible School	677-6496 Anthony Cirone
Young Adult Group/Underground No.	723-4361 Rose Morse
	227-8380 Fr. Justin Cinnante c/o St. Columba

Blessed Kateri Tekakwitha
Lily of the Mohawks



1656-1680
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.

Blessed Kateri Tekakwitha Church

PARISH ACTIVITIES

Tuesday July 5
7:00PM Prayer Shawl Group
Faith Formation Building
7:30PM Charismatic Healing Mass
Chapel

Thursday July 8
7:00PM Cursillo
Faith Formation Building

PARISH INCOME REPORT

Last Week's Collection: \$ 8,225.00.

Last Year's Collection: \$ 7,786.00

PETITION OF THE WEEK

We pray that our nation will always recognize the right of all individuals to live – from the moment of conception to natural death. We pray to the Lord.

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

Gavin Ambrose, Larry Bartelemucci, Patrick Benizio, Lorenzo Calvi, Carolyn Criscione, Billy Demattio, Elizabeth Duffy, William Grafer, Larry Grant, Mario Guglielmi, Sadie Hall, Tom Lawler, Joan Luna, Kate Madigan, Michael Morrow, Marie Putt, Christine Rao, Rosemarie Pedulla, Denise Romano, John Romano

LETTER FROM ARCHBISHOP DOLAN

Dear Friends in the Lord:

As you know, the Lord has called each of us to be co-missionaries and co-evangelizers of the Church.

For more than a century and a quarter, the Archdiocese of New York has generously responded to the annual National Black and Indian Mission Collection which enables the Church in the United States to assist the Pastoral, educational, and spiritual needs of some of the neediest people across the country – from the inner-cities of the rural south, to the deserts of the southwest, to Alaska's wilderness. Grants from the annual appeal permit us to assist our black Catholic communities here in the archdiocese as well.

The success of this missionary effort in the past has been a tribute to your generosity. With this letter, I invite you to be as generous as you can in making a sacrificial offering to this crucially important and necessary ministry of the Church in the United States.

With prayerful best wishes, I am,
Faithfully in Christ,
Most Reverend Timothy M. Dolan
Archbishop of New York

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Monday July 5
9:00AM For All Parishioners

Tuesday July 6
9:00AM

Wednesday July 7
9:00AM

Thursday July 8
9:00AM

Friday July 9
9:00AM Helen Duggan
By Maureen Jablecki

Saturday July 10
9:00AM
5:00PM Peter Manno
By His Friends

Sunday July 11
9:00AM Andrew Bartoes
By Joseph and Jacqueline DePalma
10:30AM Thomas Lowery
By Lillianne Lowery
12:15PM John Spellman
By His Family
5:30PM Bernadette LoVerso
By Mary Codella

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

This week the SVDP Food Pantry is in need of: canned tuna, chicken/beef gravy, shampoo, tea and iced tea. If you need to reach us or would like to become a member of SVDP call 227-7863. Next meeting September 8th at 7:00PM in the St. Columba Convent Meeting Room. There will be no meetings during July and August.

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, Ian Mackay**

CATHOLICS CAN FIND MASS TIMES

Lists of churches and Mass times are provided for churches in the United States and throughout the world at www.masstimes.org. Click on the Church Lookups link and find a Mass anywhere – even in LaGrangeville! You may find this website useful during your summer travels.



HAPPY
INDEPEN
DENCE

Blessed Kateri Tekakwitha Church

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

R.C.I.T.

We have had an increasing number of high school students coming to us to learn about our faith who have no, or limited, prior religious education. We will be starting a two year program to give ninth, tenth or eleventh graders a background in the faith and the opportunity to receive sacraments they may have missed. If you are, or know of such a student, please contact Mary Biasotti or Msgr. Desmond at 227-1710. We have had a wonderful response to our request for catechists for our teen RCIA program and, therefore, we can now move forward to ensure our young people receive a foundation in the faith.

R.C.I.A.

Our R.C.I.A. program is designed to initiate non-baptized people into our faith, bring Christians of other denominations into full communion with the Church, and provide adult training for Catholics who never received Communion or Confirmation; it is also a means of adult education for all in the Faith. If anybody wishes to enter this program, they should contact Msgr. Desmond immediately at 227-1710. An informational meeting will be held on Thursday, August 5th at 7:00PM in the Faith Formation building. We will begin our formal training sessions in September.

CHARISMATIC HEALING MASS

On Tuesday, July 6th, 7:30–9:30 PM, please join the Spirit Wind Charismatic Prayer Group in the Chapel for a Charismatic Healing Mass. Come to the Lord with the belief that He wants you healed and whole every way. For more information please call Pat or Joe @ 440-3519, or Julie or Dave @ 223-3658, or visit our link at www.blessedkateriparish.com.

TEENS YOUTH LEADERSHIP CAMP

Camp Veritas, a one week outdoor camp for Catholic youth grades 7-12 will be held in the Catskills near Middletown, NY on August 15-21, 2010. The objective of the camp is to inspire and form young Catholic leaders. Many outdoor activities are included. Details and enrollment applications can be found at www.campveritas.com

FAITH FORMATIONS NEWS

The office is now closed for the summer and will reopen on Monday August 23rd. Late registration will be held on Wednesday, August 25th, 10am-1pm and 5-7pm. Phone messages and e-mails will be retrieved and returned periodically throughout the summer.

Catechists and other volunteers are always needed for our program, and the sooner they are recruited and trained, the better it is for all concerned. All parishioners are urged to prayerfully consider becoming a catechist next fall. Opportunities are available for nearly all grades on various days and at various times. Please call the office at 227-1710x3 or you may e-mail our office, bkfaithfom@optonline.net to make a "commitment-free inquiry."

Eighth grade students who are interested in general groundskeeping or helping with the outdoor Stations of the Cross this summer may e-mail Mr. John Gunn, john.loki.gunn@gmail.com, to inquire about receiving Christian Service Project hours. If interested in working at the Parish Picnic on Sunday, July 18th, please call the Parish Office at 227-1710x2

YOUTH FOOTBALL CAMP

The Touchdown Association at Our Lady of Lourdes High School will be sponsoring a Youth Football Camp to be held the Week of July 26th through July 29th from 5:30 pm. to 8:00 pm each night. The Camp will be directed by OLL Head Football Coach Brian Walsh and his staff. The camp is intended to provide participants with an opportunity to both learn and improve their football skills and increase their appreciation for the game. The camp is open to any student entering grades 2 through 8. It includes instruction and a camp t-shirt at a cost of \$80. To register, please contact Christine Ryan at 227-6845 or Christine.ryan@century21.com.



July 11, 2010 Liturgical Ministers Schedule

	Lector	Eucharistic Ministers	Altar Servers
5:00pm Sat Msgr. Desmond	Mary Beth Schmidt	Anthony Cirone, Andrea Cirone, Beverly Austin	Angela Alessandro, Ciaran Bruen, Olivia Gomez
9:00am Msgr. Desmond	Diana Schopen	Virginia Fisher, Cheryl Gallina, Sally Mastreani, Keith McCartney, Shirley Sullivan	Tabitha Akins, Samantha Campos, Christian Murphy
10:30am Msgr. Desmond	Carl V. Garofolo, Jr.	Patricia Mackey, Robert Malara, Rose Morse, John McCormack, Ruth Recchia	Julianne Desjardins, Brad Fisher, Alexandra Straley
12:15pm Fr. Perez	Norma Kraus	David Borges, Julie Borges, Carol Reilly	Julia Sheridan, Mary Ellen Smyth, Brian Kusior
5:30pm Sun Fr. Perez	Bernie Zerfas	Rosealice D'Avanzo,	Shannon Burke, Mia Foucek, Michael Marma

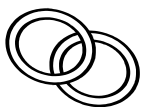
**31ST ANNIVERSARY OF PRIESTLY
ORDINATION**

MSGR. JOHN OPPONG BAAH

Msgr. John will offer Mass on Wednesday, July 7, 2010 at 7:30PM in St. Denis Church in celebration of his 31st anniversary to the Holy Priesthood. Please come and join Msgr. John as he offers the intention of this Mass for the deceased parents of Priests, Deacons, and the Faithful and for his deceased Bishop James Owusu. It was the vision of Bishop Owusu to open schools for the talented poor children. A special collection will be taken up at this Mass to support The Bishop Owusu Foundation which funds these schools in Ghana. Let us come together to celebrate with Msgr. John at this special liturgy and to share in the blessings of his Holy Priesthood. Music by "Spirit-Fire", Mary & Carman Lando.

EMPLOYMENT SUPPORT GROUP

The Employment Support Group that has provided free employment assistance to many parishioners during the past several months has announced that they are discontinuing their weekly meeting because attendance has diminished. This is very good news because this could be an indication that our economy is rebounding. You may direct labor issues to Joseph P. Carey, P.C. for instruction on legal matters. Please call 845-896-0600 to reach Joseph Carey.



MARRIAGE BANNS

- III Kelly Timberlake & Kevin McMahon
- I Blair Fahey & Eric Weingart
- Isidora Musumeci & Gerolano Alati

PRAYER FOR 4TH OF JULY
 May the glory of Independence Day
 Remain in mind and heart
 May we cherish our hard-won freedom
 That it never falls apart.

Because those who walked before us
 Believed in freedom's cause so much
 We can carry forth a torch
 Of honor and 'In God We Trust'.

That first Independence Day
 More than two centuries past
 Must live forever in our thoughts
 Never forgotten – never a lapse.

It is precious land we hold
 In safekeeping for our children
 That they, as we, may enjoy
 Lives bountiful, worth living.

May God's blessings ever
 Ring out
 Over all our land
 A toast of praise we raise today
 Americans – join hand in hand!

Prayer credit: Susan Helene Kramer

BLESSED KATERI'S SEVENTH ANNUAL PARISH PICNIC

Save the date: SUNDAY, JULY 18th

Once again we will hold our annual picnic right here on the beautiful grounds of Blessed Kateri. We will have hot dogs and hamburgers for sale; ice cream and watermelon will be provided. Join us for a relaxing day outside and have a delightful picnic. More information will follow in the upcoming weeks.

Fun and games for kids and adults!

Blessed Kateri Raffle Drawing to be held at the day's end!

So that we may plan for food and free refreshments, please provide this information by July 9th:

Your Family Name _____ Number attending _____

**Please return this form to the Parish Office by collection basket or by mail: 1925 Rt. 82, LaGrangeville, NY 12540
 EIGHTH GRADE STUDENTS IN NEED OF CHRISTIAN SERVICE PROJECT HOURS ARE
 ENCOURAGED TO COME BETWEEN 10:30AM AND 12:15PM TO SET UP FOR THE PICNIC
 OR COME AFTER 12:15 MASS TO HELP SERVE FOOD. IF INTERESTED, PLEASE CALL
 THE PARISH OFFICE, 227-1710 x2 AND LEAVE YOUR NAME.**

Join us for a night of FUN to support

Blessed Kateri



Wednesday July 21st and Wednesday August 11th



\$17.00 package includes:

- General Admission Ticket
- Hot Dog and Soda Voucher
- A Renegades Baseball Cap

\$5 of each packet will be donated to Blessed Kateri!

Order tickets online at GADESGROUPS.COM (enter '**BKT**' as the password)

- or - Call the ticket office @ (845) 838-0094 | Questions? Email: info@hvrenegades.com

- or - Mail the form below to: Hudson Valley Renegades, P.O. Box 661, Fishkill, NY 12524
Tickets NOT ordered online will be available at will call on the day of the game

Join us

Wednesday July 21st

@ 7:05

Wednesday August 11th

@7:05

Blessed Kateri

Name _____

Address _____

City/St/Zip _____

Phone _____

Email _____

PAYMENT: CHECK VISA MASTERCARD AMEX

CARD # _____ EXP: _____

Packages: @ \$17 _____ Total _____

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO THE:
HUDSON VALLEY RENEGADES