

January 28, 2018 – Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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CORRECTION IN FRONT PAGE OF THE BULLETIN

Add to Staff:

Miss Dorothy M. Richards after
Deacon Robert P. Winrow

Take off:

Father Frank J. Damis, Senior Priest
Scott Denman, R.C.I.A. Coordinator

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

5:00pm Betty McManus
Sun., Jan. 28: Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time
7:00 a.m. Living & Deceased Parishioners
8:30 a.m. Phyllis Bernard
10:00 a.m. Betty McManus
11:30 a.m. Robert Hoffay
5:00 P.M. Margaret Zajicek

Mon., Jan. 29: Weekday
7:00 a.m. Rosina & Carmine Cozza
9:00 a.m. Eleanor Greco

Tue., Jan. 30: Weekday
7:00 a.m. Anna Cali Catalano
9:00 a.m. Carl Hoffmann

Wed., Jan. 31: St. John Bosco, Priest
7:00 a.m. Katherine McCloskey
9:00 a.m. Stephen Weishaupt

Thu. Feb. 1 Weekday
7:00 a.m. Abel Garraghan
9:00 a.m. Sandra Hunter

Fri., Feb. 2: Presentation of the Lord
7:00 a.m. Catherine A Kaman
9:00 a.m. Richard Miniter
5:30 p.m. Peter & Asunta De Pasquale

Sat., Feb. 3: St. Blaise, Bishop & Martyr
7:00am Shirley Hassdenteufel
9:00am Frances Molinaro

5:00pm Stephen & Marion Fondino
Sun., Feb. 4: Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
7:00 a.m. Styles & Ahl Family
8:30 a.m. John & Margaret Kelly
10:00 a.m. Paul Courtland Zucca
11:30 a.m. Living & Deceased Parishioners
5:00 P.M. Margaret Zyjicek



Get Well Soon!

Donna Bisanz, Gina McGinnis, Herb Linderman, Eleanor Flynn, Zachary Swart, Joseph Petramale, Mary Ahl, and all our parishioners who are homebound, in healthcare facilities or who are seriously sick.



In Loving Memory

Please remember in your prayers our beloved dead, Dolores McLaren, Frederick Rion, Sr., and all who died recently.

PARISH MISSION

LENTEN Theme: Walking in the Dark, Living in the Light

Mission begins with preaching at the Sunday Masses (February 17-18) Then continues for the following three days and nights (February 19-20-21). St. Joseph's Church, 242 Wall Street, Kingston NY. Monday. We are a people of darkness and light. Through the power of God's word, Monday morning talk after Mass and the evening prayer service invites participants to consider how experiences of darkness and light exist in all our lives, and how God's Word helps us to name, recognize, and understand how even the darkness can be an invitation to open ourselves to the grace and presence of God. Tuesday: Christ as the Light in our darkness. The importance of recognizing both brokenness and sin as part of our lives as well as the light that comes into our lives by the healing celebration of Reconciliation and Eucharist. Wednesday: Mary, Our Mother of Perpetual Help Mary is our Mother, Mentor, and Intercessor who journeys with us all our days. Retreat Masters: Fr. Jim Wallace, CSsR and Fr. Phil Dabney, CSsR,

150th Parish Foundation 1868-2018



Weekly Collections

3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Last Year's Basket Collection \$6,182.00

This Year's Basket Collection \$7,096.00

Votive Candles \$174.00

WeShare Collections

Last week's WeShare deposits:

Reg collection \$1,374.47

Buildings Maintenance \$9.92

Thank you for your great generosity!!!

A Celebration for Fr. Frank Damis!

Plan to join us on Sunday, March 4th for Fr. Frank's 80th Birthday! Mass will be celebrated at 11:30 at St. Joseph's Church followed by a reception at the St. Joseph's Campus school gymnasium. We expect Fr. Frank to be present as he looks forward to seeing parishioners, friends and family. It will be a joyous celebration so please plan to attend.

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE HOLY EUCHARIST

Parishioners who have the love of the Eucharist are invited to become Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion. Training will be on February 17th from 1:00pm - 5:00pm, for those who are interested. Come learn about bringing Jesus in the Eucharist to people at home, in Nursing Homes or Hospitals or become a Eucharistic Minister of the Parish. Please contact Beth Safford at 845-668-0448.

THANK YOU

Thank you for your generosity to last week's collection for the Catholic Communication Campaign (CCC). Your support will help the CCC connect millions of people with Christ and spread the gospel message. If you missed the collection, it's not too late to give! Visit www.usccb.org/nationalcollections and click on the "How to Give" link on the left.



150th Anniversary of the founding of our Parish - November 17, 2018

This year, St. Joseph's Parish, Kingston NY is celebrating 150 years of serving generations of Faith since 1868. Our goal is to make this anniversary a parish-wide series of spiritual, historical, and social events that honored our past, celebrated the present, and welcome the promise of our future local Church.

Coming Activities and Events:

- February 11th – New Altar Servers Installation
- February 11th – Deacon Dick Frohmiller Ordination to Diaconate
- February 11th – Deacon Bob Winrow Ordination to Diaconate
- February 14th – Ash Wednesday
- February 17th - Parish Mission, Redemptorists
- March 4th – Fr. Frank's 80th Birthday and Mass at 11:30AM, Sunday
- March 19th – Feast of St. Joseph, Spouse of the BVM
- March 25th – Palm Sunday
- March 29th – Good Friday
- April 1st – Easter Sunday
- April 9th– Sr Carol Perry Night of Recollection
- April 7th – First Reconciliation/Penance
- April 8th – Divine Mercy Sunday
- April 13th – Fr. George's 40th Anniversary of Priesthood
- May 8th – Fr. Rick's 36th Anniversary of Priesthood
- May 12th – First Holy Communion
- May 13th – Mother's Day, May Crowning
- May 20th – Pentecost Sunday
- June 22nd – Deacon Joe Doherty Ordination to Diaconate
- June – Deacon Jack Peters Ordination to Diaconate

ST. JOSEPH'S BOOK CLUB

We had a fabulous book club meeting on Tuesday, January 10, 2018. Four new members joined because of the flyer from the bulletin. There were 16 members present, but there are at least five more planning to attend next week that were not able to be present. We were able to use our TV to view a DVD presentation too. If you want to join our Book Club, just come on Tuesdays at 5:30pm at the Parish Center (former Convent).



The existing units at our church are quite old and many of the candles do not work. The electric system timers are now obsolete and cannot be replaced.

Americans called to unite in praying the Rosary on February 2nd for our Country & our Church

On February 2, 2018, we will be participating in a national event, titled "Rosary To The Interior": For the Purification of the Church. I would ask all the Catholics of this parish, if it is at all possible, to journey here on this day after the 9:00am Mass in order that, in union with the rest of the Church, we might pray this Rosary for the Purification of the Church and the Triumph of Christ's Light over the darkness that now appears to be descending at an accelerating pace over our world, and especially over our nation. The Church will be open all day, and into the evening, for those who cannot be present at the above time.

These three Votive Stands will be a beautiful addition to our church for the many people who come to light a candle for a loved one or special intention. Each Votive Light Stand is \$4,500 which includes delivery and a custom plaque, in memory or in honor of a loved one in your family, will be mounted on the stand. If you are interested, please speak with Fr. Rick at 338-1554.

A Giving Opportunity for our Religious Education Building

We are very pleased that our thriving Religious Education Program now has use of the old school at the corner of Pearl and Wall. Because there are many children in the three-story building, we need to install a new telephone system. This is a requirement in the event of an emergency or unforeseen incident. Additionally, Wi-Fi is needed for instructional videos and movies for Religious Education Classes. After much research and comparison shopping, we would like to order an Avaya 1403 Digital Phone system, including installation, new CAT5 cable from the old school to the rectory, and a school-wide paging system.



The cost of the system is \$1,600. A custom plaque, in memory or in honor of a loved one in your family, will be displayed. If you are interested, please speak with Fr. Rick at 338-1554.

Eucharistic Adoration Seminar

St. Joseph's Seminary (Yonkers)
Friday, February 16, 7pm
Presentation by James Monti, Author of
"Praying in the Presence of Our Lord"
More information and registration:
nyliturgy.org/workshops
Contact: liturgy@archny.org or
914.968.6200, x8177

150th ANNIVERSARY PROJECTS

A Giving Opportunity for St. Joseph's Church

St. Joseph's Parish is in need of three (3) Votive Light Stands. Each new Votive Stand will have 40 lights with a 5-day candle size glass for each light. A flicker flame candle bulb is used to simulate candle light.

Parish History (1868-2018)

St. Joseph's Parish is celebrating its 150th Anniversary this year!!!

Timothy Cardinal Dolan will celebrate the 5:00pm Mass on November 17, 2018

1905- On April 1, the home of Judge Alton B. Parker at 1 Pearl Street is bought for \$10,000 by Mr. George Downing, acting on behalf of the St. Joseph's Church Corporation. In September, the new St. Joseph's School and Convent open there. On Labor Day, September 8, over 2,000 attend the opening ceremony at which Reverend Daniel Quinn, S.J., president of Fordham University, is the orator. The Fair Street school building is used as the parish hall until 1911.

1908- The debt on the church, about \$10,000 from the start, is finally cleared by the pastor, Reverend Edward McCue, and the church is solemnly consecrated on May 10 by Archbishop John M. Farley. A dinner is served by the Misses Kenny in the parish hall for the 65 priests present for the ceremonies.

1911- The Fair Street school building is sold for \$1,700. On November 11, the rectory's next-door neighbor, Margaret Green dies and the pastor, Reverend John Briody, sets about securing the sight for a new school and convent.

1912- After two months of negotiating, Father Briody succeeds in buying the property for \$13,000, \$7,000 less than the original asking price. Pearl St. is sold to the Carr family for \$10,000 and becomes a funeral home. The parish borrows \$35,000 from Kingston Savings Bank to build the new school and convent.

1943- St. Joseph's Parish celebrates its Diamond Jubilee. The Sisters of Charity leave, and the Sisters of St. Ursula arrive to staff the school.

1962- On February 24, the pastor, Monsignor Stephen Connelly, turns the first spade of earth at groundbreaking ceremonies for a new \$450,000 building to be added to the parish school complex diagonally across from the old school.

To be continued...