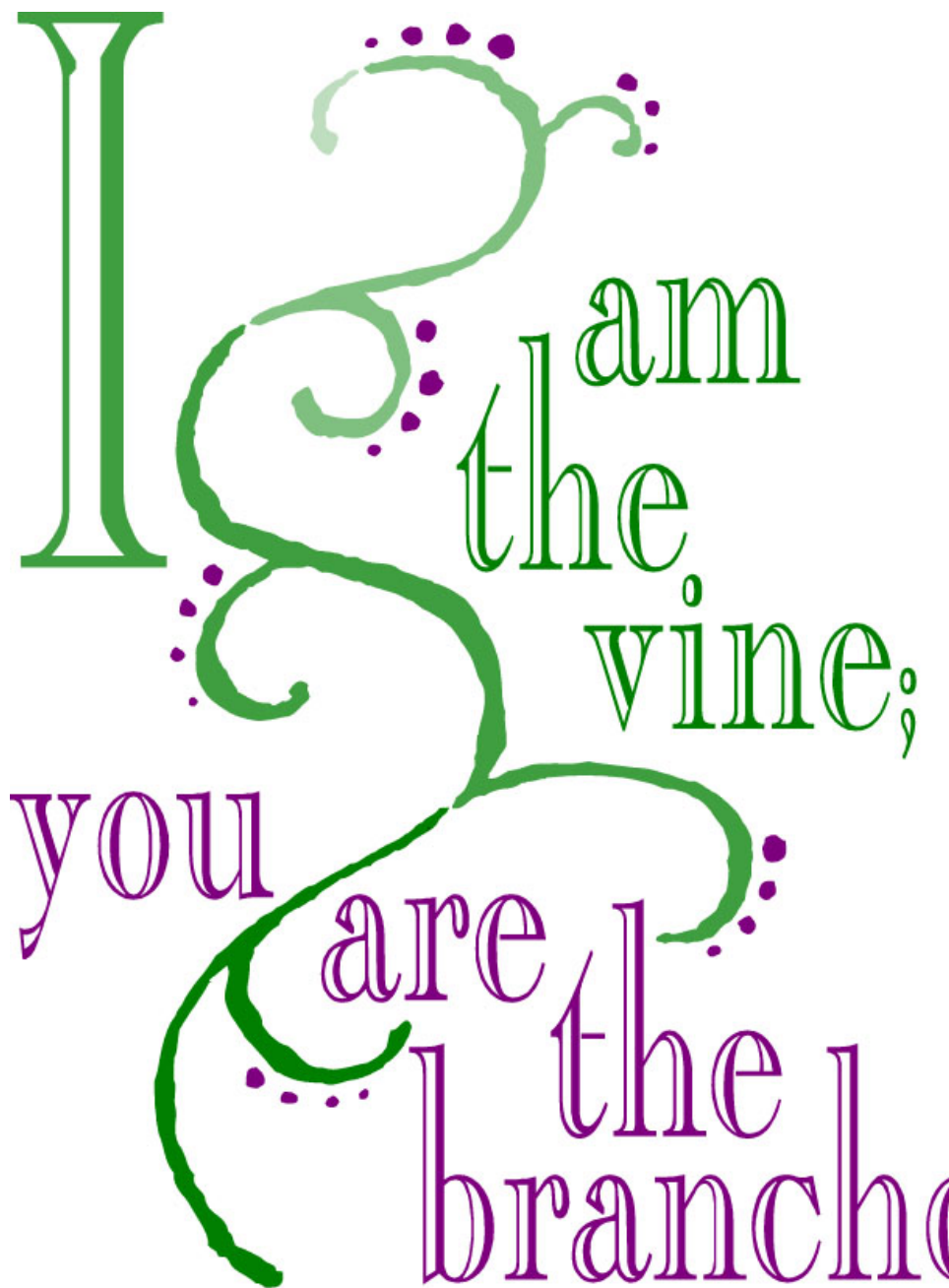


THE ROMAN CATHOLIC PARISH OF
SAINT THOMAS of CANTERBURY – SAINT JOSEPH

FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER
APRIL 29, 2018

A large, stylized green vine graphic with several purple dots scattered along its path. The vine starts at the top left, curves down and right, then loops back down and left, and finally curves down and right again. The text is integrated into the vine's path.

I am
the
vine;
you
are
the
branches.

John 15:5

SAINT THOMAS' CHURCH

340 Hudson Street
Cornwall on Hudson, NY 12520

MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday Masses

Saturday Evening (Sunday Vigil): 5:30PM
Sunday: 7:30AM, 9:00AM, 11:00AM

Weekday

Monday – Saturday: 8:30AM

Holy Days of Obligation

As announced

Confession

Saturday: 4:30PM – 5:15PM (or by appointment)

Miraculous Medal Novena

Monday after the 8:30AM Mass

Rosary

Monday – Saturday after the 8:30AM Mass

SAINT JOSEPH'S CHURCH

4 Saint Joseph's Place
New Windsor, NY 12553

MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday Masses

Saturday Evening (Sunday Vigil): 4:00PM
Sunday: 12:30PM

Monday: 6:30PM Mass;
Eucharistic Adoration & Benediction 5:30PM

Holy Days of Obligation

As announced

Confession

Monday: 6:00PM

Eucharistic Adoration & Benediction

Monday: 5:30PM

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MAY: MONTH OF OUR LADY

* STC = St. Thomas SJ = St. Joseph

SATURDAY 28 APRIL: MEMORIALS OF SAINT PETER CHANEL: SAINT LOUIS de MONTFORT

8:30AM (STC): *Lindsay Brandt, r.i.p.*, by the Brandts
4:00PM (Sunday Vigil: SJ): *Barney & Camille Marino*
by the Francis Family
5:30PM (Sunday Vigil: STC): *Mildred Volpe, r.i.p.*,
by Terry Sue & Levon Volpe

SUNDAY 29 APRIL: EASTER V

7:30AM (STC): *Anne Greehy, r.i.p.* by Rich & Jeanne Ciberka
9:00AM (STC): *Mauro Cappa, r.i.p.*, by the Family
11:00AM (STC): *Lillian Pelella, r.i.p.* by Jerry & Kathy Sarubbe
12:30PM (SJ): *Antoinette Monsour* by the Ireifej Family

MONDAY 30 APRIL: MEMORIAL OF SAINT PIUS V

8:30AM (STC): *Mario Cercone, r.i.p.*, by Al & Anna Vanacore
6:30PM (SJC): *The Mamawal Family* by Linda Siner

TUESDAY 1 MAY: MEMORIAL OF SAINT JOSEPH THE WORKER

8:30AM (STC): *Catherine Lundgren, r.i.p.*,
by Eric & Jasmin Lundgren

WEDNESDAY 2 MAY: FEAST OF SAINT ATHANASIUS

8:30AM (STC): *Sonia Bolz (1st Anniv.)*, *r.i.p.*,
by *Melissa Nosenchuck*

THURSDAY 3 MAY: FEAST OF SAINTS PHILIP & JAMES

8:30AM (STC): *Servando Malabanan* by the family

FRIDAY 4 MAY: EASTER FERIA

8:30AM (STC): *Living & Deceased Members of the CDA*

SATURDAY 5 MAY: EASTER FERIA

8:30AM (STC): *Rob Strickland, r.i.p.*, by Mary King
4:00pm (SJ): *Mamawal Family* by Linda Siner
5:30PM (STC): *John & Winnie Horan* by the family

SUNDAY 6 MAY: EASTER VI

7:30AM (STC): *Helen O'Donnell, a.i.d.*, by Sister June Baker,
9:00AM (STC): *Kelsey Berger, r.i.p.*, by the Cabrera Family
11:00AM (STC): *Daniel A. Volpe* by Terry Sue & Levon Volpe
12:30PM (SJ): *Amoretti Family* by Mr. & Mrs. Sal Gallo

r.i.p. (*requiescat in pace*: rest in peace)

a.i.d. (*ad intentionem donoris*: for the intention of the donor)

pro sal. (*pro salutem*: for health)

pro populo (for the people)

LAST WEEK'S OFFERINGS

Regular: \$8,213.50

Central & Eastern Europe: \$2,180.78

Pantry: \$73.94

Bingo: \$294.00

NEXT WEEK'S SECOND COLLECTION

Capital Projects

WHAT IS THE SOCIETY FOR THE PROPAGATION OF THE FAITH?

by Father Doughty

This weekend, Sister Margaret Rogers will be visiting us with an important message about the Society of the Propagation for the Faith, for which we will take a collection at all the Masses. The Society accomplishes the work of spreading the Good News

The Society for the Propagation of the Faith is one of the four Pontifical Mission Societies. Under the direction of the Congregation for the Evangelization of Peoples (Rome, Italy) and the bishops, the Society for the Propagation of the Faith seek to foster an ever-deeper spirit of universal mission, to inform Catholics of the life and the needs of the Catholic Church in the Missions, and to encourage prayer and financial help for those mission churches.

The Society for the Propagation of the Faith was founded a by young French girl named Pauline Jaricot who wished to support the missions. Her plan was to form groups of ten persons into "circles", each of which would organize another group of ten. These groups would be formed into units of one hundred and the hundreds into thousands, each with its own leader. Every member was expected to make a weekly offering and pray daily for the missions. This became known as the Society for the Propagation of the Faith. The first collection, in 1822 was sent to the missions in China, Kentucky and the diocese of Louisiana, which included all of the territory from the Florida Keys to Canada. The United States continued to receive funds from the Pontifical Mission Societies until 1908, when we became mission independent.

THE NEW YORK ARCHDIOCESAN OFFICE WAS FOUNDED IN 1853

In 1827, The Diocese of New York, (New York State and the northern half of New Jersey), received its first grant of \$1,776.00. For the next 40 years the Diocese (which became the Archdiocese of New York) received \$112,160.00 from the Propagation. In 1842, the Church of St. Vincent de Paul, on Canal Street, was built with money received from the Propagation. Despite the fact that the church in New York was very poor and still receiving funds from the Propagation, Father Lafont, the pastor, believed that the parishioners should show their gratitude by making sacrifices and contributing to the Propagation. He formed a chapter of the Society in the parish. The collection for the first year was \$42.72. Other parishes started forming their "circles". In 1853 Father

LaFont was named the first director of the Archdiocesan Office of the Society for the Propagation of the Faith. By the time of his death in 1874, the Archdiocese of New York had raised over \$50,000.00 for the mission Churches.

WHERE IS THE SOCIETY FOR THE PROPAGATION OF THE FAITH LOCATED?

More than 120 countries around the world have a National Office of the Pontifical Mission Societies, which includes the Society for the Propagation of the Faith. The central administrative offices of these Societies are located in Rome, Italy, under the direction of the Congregation for the Evangelization of Peoples. Every diocese in the United States has a diocesan director, appointed by the local ordinary (bishop) of the diocese.

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS OF AMERICA MEETING UNITY & CHARITY

Court Rita #264 invites all ladies of the parish to the May 7th meeting at 7:00PM in Room 7 of Saint Thomas of Canterbury school.

Call Brigid Flynn for more information: 845-534-2116

SAINT JOSEPH THE WORKER

Since the 19th century, May 1 has been associated with the struggle for improved working conditions for laborers, first in the United States and later in Communist countries. Pius XII chose to move the feast of Joseph's patronage to this date in 1955. As the "just man" of Nazareth (Mt 1:19), Joseph is invoked by all workers and those who seek justice for workers. "In work, the person exercises and fulfills in part the potential inscribed in his nature. The primordial value of labor stems from man himself... Work is for man, not man for work" (CCC 2428; cf. LE 6). *Magnificat, May 2018*



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STC-SJ PARISH ONLINE DATABASE & FAMILY SUITE

Follow link to "My Own Church" in News/Events section of our parish website for details and registration instructions.

If you need any help registering for the census, please email Eric at registration@stt-stj.com

<https://ststthomasjoseph.com/myownchurch>

APRIL FAITH FORMATION CALENDAR

4/30 5:00PM First Communion Rehearsal
(11:00AM Communion class)

4/30 5:00PM Faith Formation classes

MAY FAITH FORMATION CALENDAR

5/1 5:00PM First Communion Rehearsal
(2:00PM Communion class)

5/2 6:30pm Levels 1 & 2 (last class)

5/5 11:00AM & 2:00PM First Communion

5/6 10:00AM Family Faith Formation (last class)

5/7 5:00PM Faith Formation classes (last class)

5/8 5:00PM Faith Formation classes (last class)

5/9 5:30PM Family Faith Formation make up

5/23 5:00-7:00PM Final 2018-19 Registration Day

(\$75.00 late fee will apply after this date)

FOOD PANTRY NEEDS

Rice, potato, and pasta sides, tuna, jam, canned meals, soups, mayonaise, jarred pasta sauce, tissues, toothpaste, laundry detergent



JOHN HANLEY'S

ORDINATION TO THE DIACONATE

We are eagerly anticipating John Hanley's ordination to the diaconate when - we pray - Cardinal Dolan "calls" him. The ordination is scheduled for Saturday, June 23rd at 9:00AM.

The parish is planning to hire bus to St. Patrick's Cathedral for anyone interested attending. The bus will depart at 6:00 AM and return around 12:30 PM. Space is limited and the cost is \$25 per person. For more information or to reserve a seat on the bus, please e-mail Deacon Tony at apfspf@aol.com or call the parish office.

12 MONTHS OF CHRISTMAS RAFFLE

April's Winner: *Frank Rich*



NEEDED! HELP WITH ALTAR LINENS

The care with which priests and deacons attend to the Eucharist at every Mass requires altar linens for the placement of the Blessed Sacrament and purification of sacred vessels/ A small group of women (usually) wash and iron these linens every week for use at both churches. We are presently in need of more help for St. Joseph's. If you have a little time on your hands, are pretty good with an iron, and would like to take on this small task that will help you grow in the love of the Mass, please let Deacon Tony or Deacon Joe know. Men or women in the parish would be most welcome!

CASH & COCKTAILS: TO THE MOON & BACK

Sacred Heart PTO super FUNraiser of 2018

Only 300 tickets will be sold from now through May for \$100 each. **THREE \$5,000 PRIZES!** Each ticket will admit two to a special cocktail party to be held on May 19, 2018, 7:00-10:30PM at Sacred Heart School, St. Joseph's Campus 148 Windsor Highway, New Windsor. Live music, beer, wine, & appetizers all evening, and the winners will be chosen. *You do not need to be present to win.* Contact Mary Gould (914-805-2332) or Dr. Gina Cook (845-541-4216) or email ginacookdds@gmail.com for more information.

**If less than 200 tickets are sold, prize becomes a 50/50 with one prize only.*



YOU CAN UNDERSTAND THE BIBLE!

Reading the Bible should bring us closer to Christ, but understanding it is often difficult. The good news is that *you can understand the Bible*, and *The Bible Timeline* makes it easy to understand the story and our place in it. This will be an ONLINE study with a group discussion component, so computer access is required. It will start in May and run through November.

For more information and to register, go to: <https://ascensionpress.com/studies/28054/registrations/new>

CONGRATULATIONS,

JUNIOR CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS!

Bella Bulusan, Eva Davet, Kathryn Gagnon, Claire Kelly, Maggie Kelly, and Norah Wingfield received the Spirit Alive Award given by the Junior Catholic Daughters. The honors were awarded last Sunday at St. Patrick's Cathedral at a Mass celebrated by Cardinal Dolan.



FORMED.ORG (parish code: FHHFCV)

Beyond Belief: Following Christ Today

Fr. Michael Schmitz tackles some of the most difficult topics in the Church today with humor, clarity, and theological truth. In this talk, he challenges us not to settle for mediocrity and to allow Christ to change our lives. Once we are changed by the love of Jesus, then together we can change the world.

NEXT WEEK'S SUNDAY MINISTERS: 5/5 & 5/6

Saint Thomas

5:30PM: (L) P. Grabe

(E.M.'s) E. Kelly, M. McKenna, T. Raia, K. Ward

7:30AM: (L) J. Kline

(E.M.'s) T. Doogan, B. Flynn, B. Jurgens, J. Kline

9:00AM: (L) R. Lieby

(E.M.'s) J. Maxson, S. Rice, J. Sicoli, P. Visconti

11:00AM: (L) J. Hookey

(E.M.'s) N. Drislane, A. Gilman, N. Molloy, C. Mundy

Saint Joseph

4:00PM: (L) not available (EM) L. Cross, G. Kingsley

12:30PM: (L) not available (EM) M. Infante, I. Fringuello