

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

**THE SOLEMNITY OF CORPUS CHRISTI
JUNE 3, 2018**



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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JUNE: MONTH OF THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS

* STC = St. Thomas SJ = St. Joseph

SATURDAY 2 JUNE:

MEMORIAL OF SAINTS MARCELLINUS & PETER

8:30AM (STC): *Thomas Gallagher* by George Whittaker
4:00PM (SJ): *Mamawal Family* by Linda Siner
5:30PM (STC): *Living & Deceased Members of the Catholic Daughters* by Court Rita

SUNDAY 3 JUNE: SOLEMNITY OF CORPUS CHRISTI

7:30AM (STC): *Cecilia Elizabeth Madore a.i.d.*
by Melissa Nosenchuck
9:00AM (STC): *Benjamin Santoro, r.i.p.*, by the Class of 1946
11:00AM (STC): *Frank O'Donnell, r.i.p.*
by Carmella & John Staples
12:30PM (SJ): *Tahtouh Family* by the Ireifej family

MONDAY 4 JUNE: FERIA

8:30AM (STC): *Sister Louise Synan, OP, r.i.p.*,
by Sister June Baker
6:30PM (SJC): *Mauro Cappa, r.i.p.*, by the family

TUESDAY 5 JUNE: MEMORIAL OF SAINT BONIFACE

8:30AM (STC): *Special Intention* by Sharon Bywater

WEDNESDAY 6 JUNE: MEMORIAL OF SAINT NORBERT

8:30AM (STC): *Anne Sacco, r.i.p.*, by Jerry & Kathy Sarubbe

THURSDAY 7 JUNE: FERIA

8:30AM (STC): *David L. Reis, r.i.p.*, by Mr. & Mrs. James Gagliano

FRIDAY 8 JUNE:

SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS

8:30AM (STC): *Edward F. X. Hughes, r.i.p.*
by Neil & Carol Drislane

SATURDAY 9 JUNE: MEMORIAL

OF THE IMMACULATE HEART OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

8:30AM (STC): *Joan Ford, r.i.p.*, by Peter & Philip Missere
4:00PM (Sunday Vigil: SJ): *Adaline Puricelli, r.i.p.*,
by Maureen Seymour
5:30PM (Sunday Vigil: STC): *pro populo*

SUNDAY 10 JUNE: TENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

7:30AM (STC): *Elaine Collana* by the family
9:00AM (STC): *Joan Ford* by Marist Colleagues & D-Day friends
11:00AM (STC): *Jose Ortiz* by Josephine Thomas
12:30PM (SJ): *Suleiman Mansour* by the Ireifej Family

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: \$8339.93

Pantry: \$59.00

Bingo: \$294.00

NEXT WEEK'S SECOND COLLECTION

Black & Indian Mission

THE EUCHARIST BEHIND BARS

by Father Doughty

Below, an excerpt from the prison diary of Gaetano Pollio, an Italian missionary who was the Archbishop of Kaifang in China and was sentenced to forced labor under Chairman Mao in 1951 (from Sandro Magister's Chiesa website: <http://chiesa.espresso.repubblica.it/articolo/1351054?eng=y>)

The cell where the eight young women and Siao Mei were being held had become a shrine: in it daily suffering was sanctified and the consecrated host was repeatedly able to enter furtively. Not being on trial but only under interrogations that had the aim of extorting charges against us, the young women were allowed to receive food from their relatives, through the jailers. My fellow missionaries thought about how to get them the Eucharist, the comfort and strength of our earthly pilgrimage.

Loaves of bread in China are small, made in conical form and cooked in water vapor, all crumb and no crust; by making an incision in them one can easily hide something small and thin inside. The missionaries hid some consecrated hosts in these loaves; the loaves were then brought to the jail by the relatives of the young women and delivered to the jailers, who brought them to the cell. The heroic detainees broke open the loaves and found the consecrated hosts, then took communion with their own hands.

The most joyful days were certainly those in which Jesus came to that cell to sanctify it and give them new strength. In that gloomy jail we held a number of feasts: they were days of tender religious commemorations, of hope in the victory of the Church, of joy in offering one's sufferings to Jesus. Such were the days of the Ascension, Pentecost, Corpus Domini, of the first Friday and Saturday of the month and other Sundays. Jesus descended into my cell and turned into his most precious body and blood a little piece of bread and a few drops of wine placed in a bowl, while in the other cell Jesus was able to sneak inside thanks even to the hands of people who hated him, to find friendly and faithful hearts.

Every time those witnesses of the faith received the Eucharistic they left one host in a loaf and, seated there on the wicker mats, they did adoration all day in silence. It was forbidden to pray out loud in jail, but from those hearts the prayer went up warm and buoyant into heaven.

How many times have I thought: that grimy cell which concealed the King of kings was more precious than our churches, too often deserted. In an impassioned and complete dedication, those women manifested their love for Jesus, their fidelity: to die but not to bend to an atheist government, to die but not apostatize.

In the evening, the one who had not received communion that morning consumed the last host. Adoration ceased,

the shadows of night fell, new tears and sobs could be heard, but the fervor of our hearts grew and the intention to immolate ourselves like Jesus kept growing.

SPENDING TIME WITH THE LORD!

This Sunday, June 3rd, we celebrate the Solemn Feast of Corpus Christi, The Most Holy Body and Blood of Jesus Christ and the wondrous sacrament left to us by Jesus at the Last Supper.

At the conclusion of today's 11:00AM Mass, the Blessed Sacrament will be exposed for extended Exposition/Adoration until 3:30PM, when we will pray the Evening Prayer of the Church together and conclude with Benediction of the Blessed. Come spend time with the King of King and Lord of Lords in prayer.

"Recognize in this bread what hung on the cross, and in this chalice what flowed from His side... whatever was in many and varied ways announced beforehand in the sacrifices of the Old Testament pertains to this one sacrifice which is revealed in the New Testament." - from the writings of St. Augustine, Sermon 3, 2; circa A.D. 410

*"The Christ of Bethlehem
is the Christ of Galilee,
is the Christ of the Crucifixion,
is the Christ of the Resurrection,
is the Christ of the Eucharist," - John Cardinal O'Connor*

NEXT WEEK'S SECOND COLLECTION: BLACK & INDIAN MISSIONS

Your support will provide the presence of missionaries in African American, Native American, and Alaska Native missions, schools, and religious education programs. Your participation will place bibles and catechetical materials in the hands of priests, consecrated men and women, and lay leaders in our Black communities. Your sacrifice also addresses the need to train catechists, permanent deacons, and seminarians for future generations in many of our neighborhoods and backyards.

FOR THOSE SUFFERING THE LOSS OF A LOVED ONE

There is no preparation for the loss of a loved one. Everyone's journey in the process is unique and different. There is an outreach ministry within our parish family that may assist you as you travel through the process. It is faith-based and focuses on sharing, understanding, compassion and acceptance. We will meet for eight consecutive Saturdays **beginning on June 23, 2018**, from 9:30AM - 11:00AM at St. Thomas. If you or someone you know might be interested in joining our 'journey', or if we can assist you in any way, please contact Helen Piltman at h.piltman@gmail.com or call her @ 845-563-0604.

**JOHN HANLEY'S
ORDINATION TO THE DIACONATE**

Bus to St. Patrick's Cathedral: John Hanley received the call to be ordained as a Deacon on May 8th. He will be ordained at St. Patrick's Cathedral on the 23rd of June. The parish will be providing a bus at the cost of \$25.00 per person. The bus will be departing from St. Thomas' parking lot at 6:00am. If you would like to attend and take the bus please e-mail Deacon Tony at apfspf@aol.com. Once he confirms your request he will contact you for payment submission. At that time you can mail a check to St. Thomas of Canterbury-St. Joseph Parish, ATTN: Deacon Tony, 340 Hudson Street, Cornwall-on-Hudson, NY 12520,. The check should be made out to St. Thomas-St. Joseph. Please write Ordination Bus on the memo line.

TRAVELING MARY STATUE

If you would be interested in hosting the statue of Our Lady of Fatima in your home for a week, please contact Pat Evans at 845-496-4826. A lovely opportunity to focus your family in prayer.

CDA COURT RITA

All ladies of the parish are invited to attend our monthly meeting on Monday, June 4th at 7:00PM in Room 7 of the Saint Thomas school building. Please join us for discussion and refreshments. Find out why our motto is "Unity & Charity". For more information please call Brigid Flynn at 845-534-2116.



ALTAR SERVER INSTALLATION TODAY

Please pray for our new parish altar servers who are being installed at the 9:00AM Mass.

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| Marisa Barnsby | Rosie Kelly |
| Matthew Fenton | Patricia King |
| Jared Hernando | Jefferson McDonald |
| Savanah Johnson | Sadie Steiner |
| Madison Johnson | |

PARISH PRAYER MINISTRIES

Prayer Chain

To place someone on the prayer chain please call Carolyn Mundy at 845-534-9277 or email stsjprayerchain@gmail.com

Mothers' Prayer Group

The group meets each Thursday at 7:30PM in the St. Thomas school building. All mothers are welcome to join us as we pray for our children and grandchildren. For more information contact: Marian Kane: 845-534-4551

Daily Rosary

After the 8:30AM daily Mass at Saint Thomas.

Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet

After the 6:30PM Monday evening Mass at St. Joseph's.

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"The Mystery of the Eucharist"

What is it that is so special about the Eucharist? Although the Eucharist appears to be simple bread and wine, it is actually the "source and summit" of the Christian life.

Presence: The Mystery of the Eucharist explores the truth and beauty of Christ's real presence in the Eucharist, from its origins in Sacred Scripture, to its profound role in the life of the Church and her members. It is the crescendo of the entire story of salvation.

FOOD PANTRY NEEDS

Bisquick, syrup, cereal, rice, potato, and pasta sides, tuna, jam, canned meals, soups, mac & cheese, mayonaise, ketchup, mustard, jarred pasta sauce, toothpaste, laundry detergent, paper products



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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>

12 MONTHS OF CHRISTMAS RAFFLE

May's Winner: Jim Roth



NEXT WEEK'S SUNDAY MINISTERS: 6/9 & 6/10

Saint Thomas

5:30PM: (L) R. Lieby
(E.M.'s) C. Mundy, T. Raia, B. Rose, K. Ward

7:30AM: (L) J. Kline
(E.M.'s) B. & J. Fuger, J. Kline, T. Relyea

9:00AM: (L) P. Grabe
(E.M.'s) D. Flynn, E. Kelly, J. Maxson, S. Rice

11:00AM: (L) P. Query
(E.M.'s) A. Gilman, R. Lieby, J. Thomas, T. Volpe

Saint Joseph

4:00PM: (L) not available (EM) L. Cross, R. Lieby

12:30PM: (L) not available (EM) S. Ireifej, R. Morello



