

August 1, 2010
The Eighteenth Sunday
In Ordinary Time



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CHURCH OF ST. BONIFACE

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Office Hours: Monday - Friday: 9:00am to 2:00pm
Office Assistant: Veronica Lombardo
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MASSES

Weekdays: 9:00AM in the Chapel
Saturday: 9:00AM and 5:00PM
Sunday: 9:00AM and 11:00AM
Coffee & doughnuts in Boyd Hall after all Sunday Masses
Holy Day: 9:00AM, 7:00PM day of & night before

CONFESSIONS

Saturday: 4:00PM - 4:30PM

BAPTISMS

Only by appointment
Saturdays at 11:00AM or Sundays at 1:00PM

WEDDINGS

Couples should contact the rectory as soon as a wedding is planned.

PARISH COUNCIL

2nd Monday of month at 8:00PM in Rectory
Bob Chamberlain, Chairperson 845-570-0133

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM

Kay Olive-Kelly, Coordinator 845-354-7039

CLASSES

Pre-K and K: Tuesday 4:15-5:30PM
Grades 1 - 5: Tuesday 4:15-5:45PM
Grades 6 - 8: Tuesday 6:45-8:15PM

SPIRITUAL LIFE COMMITTEE

3rd Monday of the month at 7:00PM in Rectory
Deacon Peter Venezia 845-362-0880

ROSARY

Every Wednesday at 8:00PM. Open to all.

EXPOSITION OF BLESSED SACRAMENT

1st Wed of the month 8:00PM
Eucharistic Adoration and Rosary in Chapel
Deacon Tom 845-608-4713

TELEPRAYER NETWORK

For prayer needs: Rose Alessi 845-290-1670

FUNDRAISING

1st Monday of month at 8:00PM in Rectory
Ellen McNamara 845-369-3279

MUSIC PROGRAMS

Jim Coakley, Director of Music Ministry
Adult Choir 845-216-2768

YOUTH GROUP

Contact Rectory

BIBLE DISCUSSION GROUP

Kay Olive-Kelly: Call for Details 845-354-8375
Meets Saturday Mornings in Boyd Hall at 8:00AM
September through June

RESPECT LIFE/FAMILY LIFE

Bill Martin 914-906-4291



Mass Intentions for the Week

Tabernacle candle lit for the intentions of
ALL SOULS



08/01/10	Intentions	Celebrant	Altar Servers	Lector	E. Ministers
5:00 PM	Lucille Moffa	Fr. Grace	C. Bonano, S. Heavner	McNamara	Bonanno, R. Hughes
9:00 AM	Gennaoui Family (Living)	Fr. Grace	Pietruch (2)	I. Kelly	Eckert, Richards
11:00 AM	John & Gert Scully	Fr. Grace	C. Matos, D. Matos, G. Polanco	K. Kelly	Ortiz, Venezia

Daily	Intentions	Celebrant
Monday	Geraldine Swift (Living)	Fr. Grace
Tuesday	Fred Smarge (Living)	Msgr. Cox
Wednesday	Matthew Conachey	Msgr. Cox
Thursday	Giorgio Cavalli	Msgr. Cox
Friday	Matthew Conachey	Msgr. Cox
Saturday	Our Lord	Msgr. Cox

What better gift than Mass prayers and to light the Tabernacle candle to have friends and family remembered for birthdays, anniversaries, marriages, and so many other occasions. Mass intentions and candles are not only for the deceased, but can be given as Special Intentions for the Living.

Feel free to call us with a date or use the envelopes provided in the rectory foyer. There is a list of available dates and cards there for you to use. You can leave your \$15.00 donation for Mass stipends or \$10.00 for the tabernacle offering in the green box just outside the rectory door or in the office. Please do not place these donations in the collection basket.

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5:00 PM	Mary & Rusty Greaven	Msgr. Cox	M. Branca, A. Matos	De Rario	Bonnano, Kapral
9:00 AM	Olivia Hernandez	Msgr. Cox	J. Negrin, Hirst	Mallavarapu	Scully, Eckert
11:00 AM	Mary O'Connor	Msgr. Cox	P. Wojnicki, K. Negron	Wojnicki	Cary, Handler

Remember Our Sick



Let us pray to the Lord:

Kim Marie Crowley, Karen Revesz, Rosalia Ciaccio, Justin Rogers, Matthew Meehan, Frances Meehan, Carmine Centorino, Frank Eckert, Michael Kosloski, Lucretia LoRusso, Anna Adams, Lucy Moffa, William Riebling, Frank Flynn, & Doris Bums.

Weekly Collection

Weekly Goal:	\$ 4,750.00
July 25th Sunday Collection:	\$ 3,284.00
Parish Pay for the week:	\$ 536.50
Combined Total for weekly collection:	\$ 3,820.50
July 25th Attendance:	352

Thank you for your generosity and God Bless!



Notes from the Pastor

Hi, it's me again.

We welcome Msgr. Jim Cox back with us this

evening. It's always good to see him as he shares his ministry with us. This also gives me time to take some time away in other areas of the vineyard.

Worldly wealth will pass away while the treasures of God's Kingdom last forever. The wants, ways of the world are fruitless growing rich in the things that pertain to God, such as faith and love offer us the reward of eternal life in heaven. So, the meaning of life cannot be found in hoarding wealth and possessions but only in sharing these with the needy.

Our possessions are merely loaned to us by God, and that we are accountable for their use we must be generous in sharing our time, our treasure, and our talents. These are the three elements of Christian Stewardship.

The scriptures are clear about tithing—giving 10% of our income to God's cause. God never allows tithers to regret their generosity. The foolish rich man did not see beyond his world. He was punished not for any thing wrong he did, but for the good he failed to do. He failed to become rich in what matters to God.

We need to control our greed. Ask, do I do things for the approval and praise of others, or a desire for power, control and fame? These are a few examples of greed.

I have tried to help people over the years simple, because I thought that is what a friend does. I pray for direction and leave the rest in the hand of God.

Lord willing, I'll see you soon.

Carry on.



Anyone interested in becoming a Catholic, want more information about the faith, or are you a Catholic confused and searching for answers? Contact the rectory or Fr. Grace.



August 8, 2010

**Latin America Home Missions
2nd collection**

August 14 & 15

**Cross International Catholic
Outreach (visiting priest)**

August 21 & 22

**The Society for the Propagation
of the Faith (visiting priest)**

Tagasty Monastery

September 18th, 7:30pm

**George Ochs (4 men concert)
Fr. Boyd Hall**

September 25th, 6:00pm

**International Day
Fr. Boyd Hall**

**Keep your eyes posted for
more upcoming events this Fall**

2010 Stewardship Appeal Weekly Donor Listing Summary to Date

<u>Goal</u>	<u>Pledge</u>	<u>Paid</u>	<u># Gifts</u>
\$38,000.00	\$28,390.00	\$22,315.00	104

Volunteers Needed

Help Needed Organizing Halloween Family Event

Anyone interested in assisting with sign ups, set up, clean up, and organizing the event, please contact the Rectory office.

Help Needed Organizing Bus Trip to Atlantic City

Anyone interested in assisting with sign ups, registration, and leading our group on the day of the event, please contact the Rectory office for details. The organizer will be able to attend the trip at no charge.

Altar Servers Needed

The only requirement is you must have received Holy Communion. If interested, please send an e-mail to Pauline at pjamey@hotmail.com to arrange training.

Eucharistic Ministers Needed

For the Saturday 5:00pm and Sunday 11:00am Masses. Anyone interested in volunteering once per month, please contact Rosanne Hughes or the rectory.

Volunteer Counters Needed

Can you commit 1 Sunday a month for 2 hours to assist in counting the collection? We could really use your help. Please call the rectory for details.

**Where's Fr. Grace is on Mondays and Thursdays?
He is at Summit Park Hospital and
Nursing Care Center saying Mass to the patients.**

On Mondays Volunteers are needed to help bring residents and patients to Mass. They are transported from their rooms on the floors where they live to the auditorium where Mass is held. After Mass they are transported back to their rooms.

On Thursdays Eucharistic Ministers are needed from 10:30 to 12:00 to bring Holy Communion to residents in their room. For more info, please call Sue Osborne at 845-364-2889.

**Our Blessed Lady of Fatima
statue will be available as of October 3rd.
Please contact Daisy Ortiz (914) 450-2665.**



**THANK YOU
VOLUNTEERS!**

Casino Bus Trip

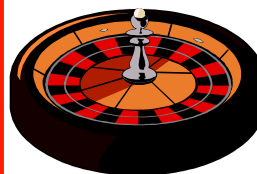
Atlantic City
BALLY'S

Rescheduled for November
All those who have registered may choose to apply their payment to the new date or have their checks returned.
Please contact the rectory

DATE TO BE ANNOUNCED
Bus Departs at 7:00am
from the St. Boniface Church Parking Lot
\$30.00 per person

Trip Includes:

Casino Coin Bonus of \$20.00*
Round Trip Transportation
Coffee and Doughnuts
Bottled Water and Snacks
Approximately 6 hour stay at the Casino
Free Player's Club Card (Distributed on Bus)
*Casino Package subject to change without notice



REGISTRATION FORMS
FOUND IN THE OFFICE
AND IN THE VESTIBULE.
FORMS & FULL PAYMENT
DUE BY OCTOBER 26TH

For more information, please contact the
Rectory office at 845-354-7307

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION REGISTRATION FORM 2010-2011



- New Student Religious Education Registration Form
 Returning Student Religious Ed. Registration Form

Tuition: 1 Child \$150; 2 Children \$240; 3 or more Children \$325 Late fee \$20 if paid after Sept. 1, 2010.

Student's Name: (Last) _____ (First) _____
Sex: Male Female

Mail To: _____
Address: _____
City: _____

Phone: _____ Cell Phone# _____
Student's Date of Birth: _____ 2nd Cell # _____

Mother's Maiden Name: (Last) _____ (First) _____

Father's Name: (Last) _____ (First) _____

Email address to reach parent: _____

Emergency Contact: _____ **Emergency Phone #:** _____

Doctor for Emergency: _____ **Phone/Beeper:** _____

Any special request for dismissal? _____

Are there any medical or learning problems we should know about? _____

If your child needs extra help taking exams, reading, or a medical condition, please indicate below:

In case of illness or accident, I request that the representative of the parish catechetical program contact me or my emergency contact. If we are unable to be reached, I hereby authorize this representative to call the physician indicated and to follow the physician's instructions. If it is impossible to contact this physician, the representative of the parish catechetical program may make whatever arrangements seem necessary. I agree to assume the financial responsibility for any diagnosis, treatment and/or medication deemed necessary.

To the best of my knowledge all information given is accurate and complete. I hereby consent to, and authorize the necessary procedures that have been stated above.

Parent signature: _____ Date: _____

Will Your Child Be Receiving First Communion This Year?: (Y/N) _____ Confirmation This Year?: (Y/N) _____

Is your family registered in the parish of St. Boniface? (Y/N) _____

This Section Must Be Completed For Registration To Be Processed.

Baptism Date: ____/____/____ **Baptism Church:** _____

Address of Church: _____

If your child was not baptized at St. Boniface, please submit a copy of the baptismal certificate.

First Communion Date: ____/____/____ **First Communion Church:** _____

Address of Church: _____

CALLING ALL ALUMNI SACRED HEART SCHOOL

Sacred Heart School of Suffern will be celebrating 100 years of quality Catholic Education from September 2010 to June 2011.

Please help us celebrate this wonderful accomplishment. The school and parish are looking for Parents and Alumni to work on several different committees to help organize the celebration. Sacred Heart School has such a rich history to share. Please join us and bring your memories to life.

Contact Mrs. Grande, Principal
at the school office (845) 357-1684.

(Archbishop Dolan has informed us that he will help celebrate the anniversary.)

Worldwide Marriage Encounter August 13-15

*“Seek what is above, where Christ
is seated at the hand of God”*

Come away for a weekend and seek Christ's guidance and strength for your marriage.

For info call 877-NYS-WWME or contact Zbynek & Lucia Gold to register at zbynekg@yahoo.com.

Gospel Music in the Park Nyack Memorial Park Piermont & Depew Ave.

Saturday, August 7th, 2010 2pm - 8pm

(rain date- August 14th)

Royal Ambassador Productions will be sponsoring our fourth annual **Gospel Music in the Park** event (www.royalampro.com/events.htm). This will be a time for the people of God, family, and friends to be gathered together as we present gospel music in all of it's many formats including traditional, contemporary, urban, and praise & worship---just to name a few. This event will include live ministering of gospel music in song, dance, poetry, etc. as well as music played by our Gospel DJs throughout the day. This promises to be a fun, spirit-filled event for the whole family.

Catholic Charities

Protecting Children and Nurturing Youth

Catholic Charities believes that all children should be able to enjoy healthy, happy summers. In order to help make this possible, Catholic Charities Fr. Drumgoole-Connolly Summer Camp offers outdoor sports, music, drama, dance, arts and crafts, in addition to a state-of-the-art water park, specially designed to welcome kids with physical disabilities.

Unemployment continues to be of serious concern for New Yorkers. Catholic Charities has provided 23 career coaching workshops to more than 370 participants. Our "Help and Hope" program provides short-term career counseling through workshops at Archdiocesan parishes for individuals who have lost their jobs, anticipate a job loss, or need to change jobs. Referrals are made by parish pastors to the Catholic Charities Parish Counseling Network. To learn more or participate, call 888-744-7900, or visit www.CatholicCharitiesNY.org.

Dear Friends,

It appears there is the possibility that the Reproductive Health Act (S.5808) may come to a vote in the New York State Senate any day now.

This radical bill would establish abortion as a "fundamental right" and eliminate any possibility of reasonable regulations, such as parental notification laws. It may also seriously threaten the religious liberty of our Church, especially religious hospitals, schools, and social welfare agencies. For more information, please visit the website of the New York State Catholic Conference: www.nyscatholic.org/pages/news/show_newsDetails

Please contact your State Senators by phone or emails as soon as possible. The best way to send an email is through the Catholic Advocacy Network: www.capwiz.com/nyscatholicconference/issues/alert
Please spread the word and ask others to contact their Senators as well.

And let us continue to pray and fast that this legislation would not pass.

Sincerely in Christ,
Edward T. Mechmann, Esq.
Assistant Director Family Life/Respect Life Office

ParishPay

Automated giving is a voluntary program available now which can be used to support the parish instead of envelopes. In lieu of weekly collections, the ParishPay program will collect monthly contributions from your checking, savings, or credit card account. There is **NO** cost or binding contract to participate in the program.

What are the benefits to me and the parish?

- Allows you to plan your giving, in the same way you budget your other financial commitments. Just take your annual contribution and divide it by 12 to calculate your monthly offering (Weekly contribution times 52, divided by 12).
- You don't have to be concerned about catching-up missed offertory donations when you miss a Mass because you are out of town, ill, etc.
- You can easily adjust the amount of your automated contribution (up or down) through the Rectory or via a secure website access.
- You no longer need to write a check every week or worry about forgetting your envelope and your collection being properly credited.
- You can earn points and/or mileage on your credit card.
- You will receive an accurate year end report for tax purposes.
- If you choose to participate in the Automated Giving Program, this will replace your weekly envelopes, saving the parish printing costs.
- Special *donation* slips are available for those enrolled in the automated giving program that can be dropped into the collection basket, should you wish.
- You can specify your giving level for Second Collections and other celebration dates (e.g., Christmas, Easter) when you join the Automated Giving Program, or anytime thereafter.

How do I enroll?

All you need to do is call the rectory for assistance, or you can do it yourself by calling 1-866-Parish1 or visit www.Parishpay.com

The bulletin deadline is now Monday 5:00pm.
Emailed announcements are preferred, please send to r399@archny.org or leave a voicemail on Ext. 15.

Mount St. Alphonsus Retreat Center Upcoming Events

FESTIVAL OF FAITH 2010 Friday-Sunday, August 6-8

An outdoor festival of camping, music, and presentations. Begin with camping Friday afternoon and opening ceremonies Friday evening. Saturday includes prayer time in the morning and 12 hours of music and talks. Saturday evening will have a nighttime musical service and a bonfire. Concludes Sunday morning with Mass. Catholics and all Christian denominations are invited.

Music Groups include: Terry Dunham and God's Own, The Sounds of Life Choir, Rock of Refuge Worship Team, Follow Me, The Mount Saint Alphonsus Choir, Pointe of Praise Worship Team, Glory Road and more!

Reservations are required.



Mount St. Alphonsus is located on the banks of the Hudson River in the Village of Esopus. Thousands of people from around the northeast make a pilgrimage to the Mount each year. For more information, or to make a reservation, please visit us at www.VisitTheMount.com, or call (845) 384-8000.

ST. BONIFACE REGISTRATION FORM

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Names of Additional Family Members:

Enroll me in: [] Envelopes [] ParishPay