

The Roman Catholic Parish

ST. JOSEPH-IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

15 North Avenue, P.O. Box 439 • Millbrook, New York 12545

Serving the people of Millbrook, Clinton Corners and Bangall



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MASSES

Saturday 5:00 PM Vigil Mass of Sunday
Sunday 8:00 and 10:15 AM, 12:00 Noon
Holydays..... See bulletin for schedule
Daily Mass..... 7:30 AM, Wednesday 5:00pm only

CONFESSIONS

Saturday 4:00-4:45 PM or anytime by request

**“Destroy this temple and in
three days I will raise it up.”**

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT:

Begins at 12:00 Noon every 1st Friday and continues throughout the afternoon, ending with Benediction at 5:00 PM.

MARCH 4, 2018 - THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

BAPTISMS: Sundays at 1:00 PM. Please contact the rectory. Sponsor certificates for the Sacrament of Baptism (godparents) or the Sacrament of Confirmation can be obtained by seeing the Pastor after one of the weekend Masses.

WEDDINGS: Arrangements should be made at least six months in advance. A Marriage Preparation Program is required.

NEW PARISHIONERS: Please register in the parish by calling the Rectory.

St. Joseph Cemetery, Millbrook and St. Mary’s Cemetery, Bangall: Call the Rectory for information.

Rectory Phone: 845-677-3422 • Rectory Fax: 845-677-3423

E-mail: stjosephmillbrook@gmail.com

Rectory Office Open 9:00 AM-3:00 PM

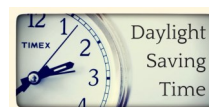
CCD Office: 845-677-3273

Website: stjosephmillbrookny.org

Sick calls: Anytime 845-677-3422

Spring Ahead!

Daylight Savings Time begins next weekend. Set your clocks **ahead one hour** next **Saturday night, March 10th!**



Knights of Columbus

An Open House for the Knights of Columbus, Millbrook Council, will be held on Sunday, March 11 at 1:00pm in the Parish Hall. Catholic men, 18 years and older, who would like to learn more about joining the Knights of Columbus are invited to attend. Current members of the Council are encouraged to join us in welcoming our prospective new members.

Next week's second collection is for Catholic Relief Services.

For more info visit: www.usccb.org/catholic-relief

Mass Readings

Third Sunday of Lent—Year B. Today's readings can be found on **page 972** in the hymnal.

Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday, March 3rd - **St. Katherine Drexel**

7:30am Intentions of the Superior General

5:00pm Salvatore Molella

Sunday, March 4th -

Third Sunday of Lent

8:00am Alfred Lefebvre

10:15am People of the Parish

12:00pm Luigi and Elisa Panichi

Margaret Mary Connevey

Monday, March 5th -

7:30am Family of Albert and

Teresa Velletri Rotunno

Barbara Rochfort

Tuesday, March 6th-

7:30am John Buchal

Mildred Woodward

Wednesday, March 7th - **Sts. Perpetua and Felicity**

5:00pm Bernard Puiatti

Silvia Constantini

Thursday, March 8th - **St. John of God**

7:30am Roseanne Aiena

Benjamin Rizzo

Friday, March 9th - **St. Frances of Rome**

7:30am Katherine Knippler

John R. McCaffrey

Saturday, March 10th -

7:30am Mary Evangelista Doyle

5:00pm Sr. Marie Helene

Sunday, March 11th-

Fourth Sunday of Lent

8:00am People of the Parish

Ralph Colomello

10:15am Cyril and Victor Misik and Family

12:00pm Nicholas Frisina

Joseph A. Kistner

Church Parking Lot Update

With the approach of Spring, we have been meeting to finalize plans for improving the safety of our Church parking lot. There are a number of things that must be done before we pave the area. New concrete sidewalks will replace the old ones around the side and front of the Church and near the Rectory. Also, new concrete curbs will be installed around the property. New catch basins will be installed to address the drainage problems along the road on the side of the Rectory. Removal of the shed will also begin. We will level the knoll in front of the Rectory lawn to ensure safer passage of vehicles on North Avenue. The small statue of St. Joseph will be placed in a new shrine when we landscape the area. New parking spaces will be added on the side of the front lawn of the Rectory. The area on the left side of the Parish Hall will be paved as a "driveway" to access the side door leading to the Hall kitchen. This plan will necessitate the removal of trees and shrubs on our property to ensure better visibility, traffic flow and to provide proper drainage. Please know that when we are finished we will landscape the property to make sure that it is not only safe but beautiful. All of these improvements will help to make our parking areas safer for our parishioners and to allow access for emergency vehicles during Mass times. You have all been remarkably patient and considerate during past construction projects, I hope and pray that you will continue to be so as we begin this much needed and requested endeavor.

A note of thanks to Skip Ciferri for his guidance, suggestions and generous offer to oversee the project. Thank you all.

Catholic Charities Community Services

Catholic Charities Community Services of Dutchess County is looking for conversation partners for our English language learners. This exciting volunteer opportunity will give you a chance to meet your neighbors from all around the world and help them practice English conversation.

Call [845-452-1400](tel:845-452-1400) x4259 to learn how you can become a volunteer!

Farewell to Sister Jackie Lavie, FMM

Sister will be leaving the Cardinal Hayes Convent on March 10th to go to her Community's retirement home in Rhode Island. We will miss her quiet presence among us very much. We are thankful for Sister's faithful visits to the homebound of our parish and her support of all the activities that took place in the parish. Although she did not want a formal farewell, we will be gathering for breakfast after the 7:30am Mass on Monday, March 5th in the Parish Hall, to say thank you and good bye. It is our prayer that she continues to serve her Lord in retirement with health, peace and joyful contentment. God bless you, Sister, and thank you. You will be missed.

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Catholic Schools Corner

Our next **Touring Tuesday** will be held on **March 14th, from 9-11am** or by appointment. Touring Tuesdays are Open House events, designed to introduce prospective families to the life-long benefits and value of a Catholic education. Reservations are required and can be made online at CatholicSchoolsNY.org or by calling our bilingual phone line 646-794-2885.

All Catholic schools in our region are participating.

We look forward to welcoming you!

Catholic Shrines of France with Fr. John Palatucci June 25-July 6, 2018



Fr. John Palatucci is leading a pilgrimage to various Catholic shrines in France. The trip includes Lourdes, Paris, Lisieux and the great Monastery of Mont Saint-Michel. We will also visit Normandy, the site of the Allied landing on June 6, 1944.

If interested, please contact *Catholic Heritage Tours* for more information at (800) 290-3876.

The itinerary can be viewed online as well:
www.catholicheritagetours.com/FJPFRR

UNCLE AL'S THRIFT SHOP

Have you visited the shop at its new location yet? Pop in and you may find a "pop up sale" is going on! Pop up sales occur from time to time, not announced ahead of time but a pleasant surprise to our shoppers. It could be one-half price on a whole category of merchandise or it might be a specific item at a super bargain price. Uncle Al's is open Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday from 10:00am-4:00pm, Donations can be left during shop hours.

Interested in volunteering? Hours for our volunteers vary to fit individual schedules. It's a great opportunity to meet new people in a pleasant, friendly atmosphere. Stop by the shop or call us at 677-5002.

All proceeds benefit St. Joseph-Immaculate Conception Church.

**Lenten Young Adult Retreat:
“What is God’s Plan for My Life?”**

Get away from the hustle and bustle of life and get clarity on God’s purpose and plan for your life during our Lenten Young Adult Retreat Weekend, March 23-25, at the Graymoor Spiritual Life Center. Situated along the Appalachian Trail atop a mountain overlooking the Hudson River Valley, you’d be hard-pressed to find a more peaceful place to get re-focused and re-energized. Single, Catholic men and women, 18-40, are welcome. For more information, go to:

www.atonementfriars.org/young-adult-retreat-weekends

or contact Paul Krenzelo, 845-424-2122

email: pkrenzelo@atonementfriars.org

40 Franciscan Way, Garrison, NY 10524

**Stations of the Cross every Friday evening
at 7:00pm.**

Parish Sick List

Please pray for our Parishioners who are ill, homebound or in our area Nursing Homes:

Daisy Abruzzo, Tatum Allen, Peter Benza, Rosemary and Melville Bonanno, Ann Brandow, Leiticia Burack, Salvatore Carrubba, Richard Caza, Carolyn Chernick, Rose Marie DeSantis, Michael Eades, Millie France, Susan Liskey, Gloria Malinowski, Buddy Marona, June Martin, Vincent Massarelli, Dorothea Matevichuk, Rita McEnroe, Gloria Meier, Stephanie Moschier, Jane Muller, Mary O’Keefe, Dan Palumbo, Mrs. Tom Parker, Helen Pelletier, Jill Philipbar, Lucille Pickering, Robert Salberg, Angelina Segno, Rose Risimini, Linda Ippolitto Sullivan, Regina Syversen, Betty Zitz.

Please pray for our recently departed:

The Souls in Purgatory

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May their souls and all the souls of the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace. Amen.

PARISH INFORMATION
Immaculate Conception, Amenia
Food Pantry 373-8193

**Religious Education (CCD)
And Youth Group**

Laura Warning 677-3273

Uncle Al’s Thrift Shop 677-5002

St. Joseph’s Women’s Guild
Judy Yarochowicz 677-5778

Knights of Columbus
Greg Butta 677-0182

CYO Basketball
Kirsten Rappleyea 677-6581

Choir
Gene Canevari 399-0403

Men’s Group
Mike Appolonia 594-7804

Women’s Guild

The Women’s Guild will meet on
Tuesday, March 6th at 7:00pm in
the Parish Hall.

SAVE THE DATE!

We will gather in the Parish Hall
for our traditional **St. Joseph’s
Table** on Sunday, March 18th
at 1:00PM. Please join us!

FOOD COLLECTION

Next Sunday we will be collecting
food here at St. Joseph’s for the food
pantry in Immaculate Conception
Church, Amenia. Please leave food on
our Rectory porch. The food pantry in
Amenia is open on the third Saturday
of the month from 9:45am to 11am.