

St. John the Evangelist Parish

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FATHER WILLIAM F. WOODRUFF, PASTOR
DEACON ROBERT CRANSTON

MASS SCHEDULE:

Saturday- 5:00 PM, Sunday- 8:30 AM, 10:30 AM

Daily: Monday-Thursday & Saturday - 8:30 AM, Morning Prayer 8:15 AM

Holy Days: Please check bulletin

CONFESSIONS: Saturday- 3:30 to 4:30 PM

ALTAR ROSARY:

President: Donna Anderson (246-9719) Meets the first Wednesday of the month

ALTAR SERVERS: Coordinator, Fr. Woodruff (246-9581)

BAPTISM: Baptism upon request. Preparation required.

Leaders in preparation: Patricia & Gary Moore (246-5164)

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS: Coleman Catholic High School (338-2750),
Kingston Catholic School (331-9318)

COMMUNITY ACTION / FOOD PANTRY: Maria Granda (246-3635)

COUNCIL OF CHURCHES: Marilyn Washer (246-5236), Maureen Rothe 246-0305

DEANERY: Frankie Cullen (853-5557)

LAY TRUSTEES: Bill McKenna (246-6065), Bob Howe (246-8510)

LITURGY COMMITTEE: Robert Howe (246-8510)

MARRIAGES: By appointment. Please make arrangements at least six months prior to wedding. Preparation is mandatory.

MINISTRY TO HOMEBOUND AND ELDERLY: Alice Fahmie (201-410-5898),
Eileen Oswald (246-7042)

MUSIC MINISTRY: Kelly Rea (246-0395)

OPERATIONS: Robert Gauvreau (246-3544)

SPIRIT OF LIFE PRAYER GROUP: Fr. Woodruff (246-9581) Meets Tuesdays 7:00 PM & first Sunday of each month at 12:00 to 1:00 PM (Instructional Prayer Meeting—All are welcome!)

PARISH MEETING: Fr. William Woodruff (246-9581)

PARISH NURSE: Anne Grunbaum (246-1667)

RCIA: Deacon Robert Cranston (246-3371)

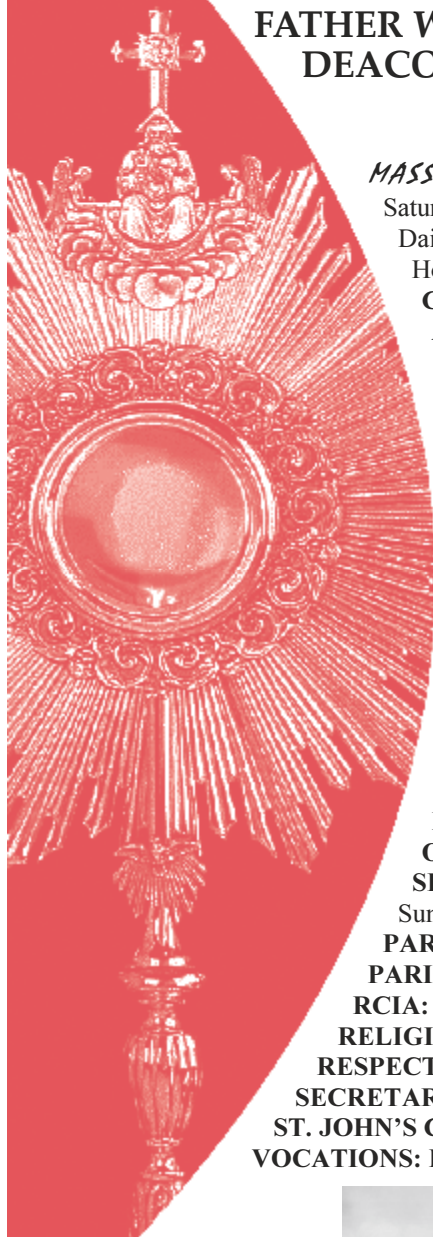
RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: Coordinator Joan Corton (339-4391)

RESPECT LIFE COMMITTEE: Joseph Defino Sr. (246-6908), Barbara O'Reilly (246-7810)

SECRETARIES: Donna Fenaughty, Barbara Renner (8:30 AM—8:30 PM Only —246-3424)

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH STORE: Elaine Arvidson (246-4468), Angela Mastrachia (246-3377)

VOCATIONS: Pat Fitzsimmons (246-4431)



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MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK


Saturday	8:30	Beverly Defino (Anniversary Remembrance) - Req. by Her Husband, Joe
	5:00	All The People of The Parish
Sunday	8:30	In Celebration of The 9th Birthday of Cooper McCoy Renner—Req. by My Ma & Pop Pop
	10:30	Ted Anderson—Req. by The Renner Family
Monday	8:30	Holy Communion Service
Tuesday	8:30	Florence O’Leary (Birthday Remembrance) - Req. by Kris & Bill Hodgson
Wednesday	8:30	Special Intention
Thursday	8:30	For The Deceased Members of My Family—Req. by Wayne Drefin
Friday	8:30	Holy Communion Service
Saturday	8:30	Special Intention
	5:00	Maggie Webster—Req. by Marck & Maureen Webster
Sunday	8:30	For All Fathers, Living & Deceased—Req. by The Renner Family
	10:30	For All The People of The Parish

SAINTS & SPECIAL OBSERVANCES-

Tue—St. Barnabas, Apostle

Thu –St. Anthony of Padua, Priest & Doctor of the Church

20-WEEK CLUB WINNER— The 5th winner of \$100 in our 20-Week Club was Bob Saturn and our 6th winner was Kevin Pendergast. Just a reminder that 100% of your club money is now due.

 **EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION**- Will take place June 16th after the 10:30 Mass and continue until the 8:30 PM Benediction. Evening prayers will be prayed at 5:30 PM. Sign up sheets are located at the side entrance of the church.

100-MILE POWERWALK FUNDRAISER- Feel free to sponsor Fr. Woodruff in his 100-Mile Power Walk. (April 22nd to June 22nd) Sponsorship money can be given directly to Fr. Bill, or you can drop it in the collection basket with a note indicating the 100-Mile Walk. Checks are to be made payable to St. John The Evangelist Church with the memo stating 100-Mile Walk. All monies will be used to offset our budget deficit.

CHURCH STORE- Will be open from 3:30 to 5:00 PM on Saturday, June 8th as well as after each of the Holy Masses that weekend, June 8th & 9th.

JUNK IN THE TRUNK- Scheduled for June 15th from 10 to 2 PM. Vendors will park their cars and open their trunks to display their treasures. \$15 car/van/pick-up. Tables will be available to rent. FMI, or to reserve a spot call Aloise at 246-7846.

BAKE SALE ITEMS NEEDED- We would like to sell Bake Sale Items at our Junk In The Trunk Sale. If anyone would be interested in baking an item it can be dropped off at the church anytime before 7 PM on June 14th. Thank you! FMI, call Breeda at 679-6562.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED- We are looking for volunteers to help park cars at our Junk in The Trunk Sales. You need not volunteer for every sale. If interested, please contact Vince Brennan at 246-8072.



GOLDEN ANNIVERSARIES- Our parish will be honoring all who will be celebrating 25 or 50 years of marriage during 2019 at a special 10:30 AM Holy Mass on June 16th. Please contact the parish office at 246-9581, so that we may include you in this celebration.

FATHERS’ DAY SPIRITUAL BOUQUETS- In appreciation for their countless acts of love, have your father or grandfather (living/deceased) remembered at Mass this Fathers’ Day with a Spiritual Bouquet. Cards are available at the doors of the church.

ULTREYA- Join your Cursillo Community as we gather for Ultreya here at St. John’s on June 13th at 7:30 PM. Bring something for the sharing table. For more information, call Joe at 246-6908.



SPECIAL COLLECTION— There will be a second collection on June 15th & 16th for Latin America and Home Missions. This collection provides an opportunity for us in the United States to participate in Building One Church in One America. Your gift provides greatly needed pastoral care and religious training to rural communities and indigenous populations, helping to enrich people’s faith with genuine Catholic teaching. There is also a need to protect and preserve our Catholic community here in the United States by supporting the Catholic Home Missions Appeal. Please give as generously as possible.



YOU DID IT FOR ME- If you know of someone who would enjoy a visit, call or card from their fellow parishioners, please call the church office (246-9581) to let us know.

Ronald “Smokey Woods— Dan Kelly— Pat Solitto—
Sr. Peggy, O.P.—Loretta Biesel—Ten Broeck Commons,
Lake Katrine

Judy Fiero—The Pines—154 Jefferson Heights, Catskill
Fr. Al Pizzuto —The Cardinal Egan Pavilion
5655 Arlington Avenue, Bronx, NY 10471-1221
1-718-581-0070

Msgr. Williams—If you would like to call or visit Monsignor,
please contact Fr. Bill Woodruff

PENTECOST SUNDAY

From the
Pastor's Desk



My Dearest Brothers and Sisters in the Holy Spirit,

This past week, I was on my annual retreat; it was a five day period of prayer and reflection that is required of bishops, priests, and deacons once a year. Therefore, I didn't have much time to write you this letter which I composed to you; I wrote it on Sunday evening, June 2nd.

This weekend is Pentecost: a word that means fiftieth day and it is day number 50 of the Easter Season and the conclusion of the Easter Season. It is the birthday of the Church since the Apostles and disciples went forth to begin the work of the salvation of souls which is the goal of the Church. It is also the first conferral of the Sacrament of Confirmation. It also is the beginning of the Holy Spirit inspired enlightenment of the fullness of the Catholic Faith imparted to Saint Peter and the Apostles in union with him: they constitute the first Magisterium or teaching authority of the Church. God Holy Spirit was sent by God the Father and God the Son and came to the 120 in the locked Upper Room with a strong driving wind and flames of fire that alighted above all of them. May we thank God for Pentecost and all that it means.

Today, the Church Store is open: 3:30 to 5 P.M. on Saturday afternoon and after each of our 3 Holy Masses.

At 10:30 A.M. Holy Mass, we will honor the graduates and the Beatitude Scholarship winners.

Yours truly will love to greet you at the Pot Luck Luncheon after that 10:30 A.M. Holy Mass which is to honor of someone by the name of Father Bill Woodruff.

Next Sunday, June 16th, at 10:30 A.M. Holy Mass, we will honor the 50th Wedding Anniversary of at least three couples.

All-Day Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament will be from after 10:30 A.M. Holy Mass until I conclude the Exposition of the Most Blessed Sacrament.

It is also Father's Day; I will continue throughout this entire Month of the Sacred Heart of Jesus, to pray for all Dads (including Granddads, Godfathers, and expectant Dads.)

Please note that the Corpus Christi Procession will be after 10:30 Holy Mass as we walk along State Route 212 in front of the Church. You are most welcome.

God bless you.

Sincerely, with prayers,
Father Bill Woodruff

MEMORIAL GARDENING- Thank you to the families who have chosen to keep their section of the church grounds to plant a memorial garden. If interested in planting a garden, just take a walk around the church grounds and see if any section, tree, corner, window, sign, etc. is right for your family and give Barbara Renner a call at 246-3424. You can also let her know the name of whom you are planting this section for and we will make up a plaque, which will be placed in your garden. Thank you for not only doing something special for the person you love, but also for making your home, the church, look beautiful.

KNOW OF A PRACTICAL CATHOLIC- Who would like to join the Saugerties Council of the Knights of Columbus? Have them contact Will Myers 246-7726 or any other member to learn about our fraternal organization. Also if you know of a practical Catholic lady who would like to join our award winning Columbiettes, have them call Arlene Discorida at 246-7801. We are always looking for new members!

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION MONTHLY PROGRAMS- Will take place during the month of June at 471 Delaware Avenue in Kingston. Tuesdays 10 to 12 Noon—Unlocking the Mysteries of the Bible—Jeff Cavins. Tuesdays 6:30 to 8:30 PM Sin and Salvation—Letter to the Romans—Dr. Brant Pitre. Thursdays 10 to 12 Noon or 6:30 to 8:30 PM—James, Pearls for the Wise—Jeff Cavins. For more information, call Lorraine Kransinski at 845-834-6030.

HOSPITAL PASTORAL CARE- If you or a family member is admitted to a local hospital, you are under the care of a resident priest who is available 24 hours. He administers the Sacrament of Penance and Anointing of the Sick, and Communion is available from a Eucharistic Minister. Please inform them of your parish and your desire to be visited. Also have someone call your parish priest.

HOSPICE BEREAVEMENT CHILDREN'S GROUPS- One in Dutchess County at St. Francis Day Care Center, 23 Spackenkill Road in Poughkeepsie and one in Ulster County at Hudson Valley Hospice, 400 Aaron Court in Kingston. The groups include stories, discussion, arts, and crafts, music, movement, expressive writing, and other fun activities. They are designed to concurrently address adults' and children's needs and should e attended by the children along with their guardians. The groups serve Hospice families for which the group cost is free. For members of the community who would like to attend, the cost is \$15 for the entire family. The groups meets bi-monthly on the 1st & 3rd Tuesday evenings of the month from 6 to 8 PM and include dinner. We encourage participants to commit to 8 weeks. The groups are ongoing and we accept new families throughout the year. For more information, call 845-473-2273 Ext 1145 or 845-338-5397 Ext 2209.

HOSPICE- Is seeking volunteers who can give 3 hours a week of their time to provide companionship, emotional support and practical assistance to terminally ill patients and their families. Volunteers visit patients at home, in area hospitals or nursing homes. Volunteers are also needed in their Kingston office to help with mailings, filing and special projects. No special training required for office volunteers. FMI, call 338-5397.

FRANCISCAN SPIRIT TOURS- Fr. Julian Jagudilia and Fr. Jim Sauer will be leading several upcoming pilgrimages to Holy sites around the world. FMI, call 646-736-7964. You may also see the full itineraries at www.FranciscanSpiritTours.com.



IF LAWYERS ARE DISBARRED- And clergymen defrocked, doesn't it follow that electricians can be delighted, musicians denoted, cowboys deranged, models deposed, tree surgeons debarked, and dry cleaners depressed?

JUNE 9, 2019



PRAYER FOR LIFE

Jesus, Mary and Joseph we love you very much.
Help us spiritually adopt and protect all human life
from preborn to natural death.
Amen.

MAKING ALL THINGS NEW

God our Father, through the Gospel and the Eucharist,
You bring us together as Your Church in the
Archdiocese of New York.
Send us Your Holy Spirit, to enlighten our minds and guide our actions
as we plan for the future of parish life in this Archdiocese.
Help us learn new ways to strengthen and revitalize our parish
communities, and to be good stewards of the spiritual and material gifts
that sustain them.
Bless our work, so that our parishes may continue to witness to the truth
of the Gospel, and be a sign of Your love for all people.
We ask this through Christ our Lord.
Amen.

THE JESTER

The story goes that a certain court jester went too far one day and insulted his king. The king became so infuriated that he sentenced the jester to be executed. His court prayed upon the king to have mercy for this man who had served him well for so many years. After a time, the king relented only enough to give the jester his “choice” as to how he would like to die. True to form, the jester replied, “if it’s all the same to you, my lord, I’d like to die of old age.”

PRAISE THE LORD

An elderly lady was well known for her faith and for her boldness and talking about it. She would stand on her front porch and shout, “Praise the Lord!”

Next door to her lived an atheist who would get so angry at her proclamations he would shout, “There ain’t no Lord!!”

Hard times set in on the elderly lady and she prayed for God to send her some assistance. She stood on her porch and shouted, “Praise the Lord!! God, I need FOOD!! I am having a hard time. Please, Lord send me some groceries!!”

The next morning, the lady went out on her porch and saw a large bag of groceries and shouted, “Praise the Lord!!”

The neighbor jumped from behind a bush and said, “Ha Ha!! I told you there was no Lord. I bought those groceries. God didn’t.”

The lady started jumping up and down and clapping her hands and saying, ‘PRAISE THE LORD!!!! He not only sent me groceries, but He made the devil pay for them!!!’

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Jesus said to them again, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you." And when he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, "Receive the Holy Spirit. Whose sins you forgive are forgiven them, and whose sins you retain are retained." - Jn 20:21-23

“Please Pray For All Bishops, Priests, Deacons & Religious!”

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THE LORD HAS BLESSED US
IN SO MANY WAYS...

Let us return to Him a fair share of
THE MANY GIFTS
He has already given us.

April

Attendance: April 2019— 1,085

Attendance: April 2018— 1,457

	<u>Current Month</u>	<u>Year to Date</u>
Collections:	\$ 12,830.25	\$ 83,795.63
Other Income:	\$ 2,421.00	\$ 42,677.65
Total Income:	\$ 15,251.25	\$126,473.28
Expenses:	\$ 18,317.45	\$149,614.28
Total:	\$ (3,066.20)	\$(23,141.00)

PARISHIONER’S COMMENT– Tithing can only help my family in preparing to meet the Lord.

PASTOR’S COMMENT– Your inspiring faith and generosity is a more eloquent sermon than any preaching could hope to match.

“Remember St. John’s in Your Will!”

FOOD PANTRY ITEM FOR NEXT WEEK:

JELLY



YOUR PRAYERS ARE REQUESTED FOR:

Vincent Saturn, Judy Fiero, Gene Woodruff, Jane Fiore, Peter Kandora, John Lynch, Nancy Dwyer, Claire Miller, “Smokey” Woods, Zac Swart, Ann Deacon, Debbie Lieberman, Marion Benz, MaryLou Dengler, Anne Monfrini, Joan O’Leary, Dan Kelly, Jimmy Paes, Walt Hackett, Pat Solitto, Richard Teitter, Ann Nelson, Rita Misasi, Rosemary Gambino Hazard, Shirley Carle, Vinnie & Hilda McDermott, Loretta Beisel, Brittney Ruskie, Thomas Houlihan Sr. and Frankie Cullen.

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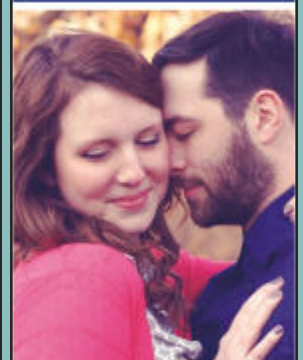
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