



The Parish of
ST. CHRISTOPHER & ST. SYLVIA
Red Hook, New York www.stchrisredhook.org

MAY 29, 2022

SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Welcome!

MASSES

Saturday

9:00 AM & 5:00 PM (Vigil)

Sunday

7:30 AM, 9:00 AM (Family Mass),
11:00 AM

**Monday, Tuesday,
Thursday, Friday**

9:00 AM

(No Wednesday Mass)

CONFESSION

Saturday 3:30—4:30 PM

at the church or by appointment.

ADORATION

First Fridays after 9:00 AM Mass
until Noon and Wednesdays from
7:00—8:00 PM

BAPTISM

Sundays at 1:00 PM. Contact the
rectory to make arrangements, and
go to our website for baptismal
information and forms.

MARRIAGE

Contact the rectory at least
six months in advance. Visit our
website for information.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Parishioners in need of the
Sacrament of Anointing of the
Sick, please call the rectory.
Do not wait until the last moment.



PASTORAL STAFF

Rev. Douglas Crawford, *Pastor*

Rev. Jeffrey Maurer, *Parochial Vicar*

Rev. William Woodruff, *In Residence*

Rev. Mr. Raymond Ricci and Rev. Mr. Keith White, *Deacons*

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RECTORY OFFICE 9:00 AM — 4:00 PM

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Best Wishes Fr. Crawford! We will miss you!



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UPCOMING MASS SCHEDULE CHANGES

Please note the revised Mass schedules for St. Christopher & Good Shepherd Churches
Effective June 1st, 2022

ST. CHRISTOPHER CHURCH

7411 South Broadway,
Red Hook, NY 12571

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil 5:30 pm

Sunday • 7:45 am • 9:45 am
• 11:45 am

Daily Mass at 12:15 pm
(Tuesday thru Friday)

CONFESSIONS

Wednesdays 7:00-8:00 pm
(during Adoration)



CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

3 Mulberry Street, Rhinebeck, NY 12572

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil 4:00 pm at Good Shepherd
(will be relocated to St. Joseph's in Rhinecliff beginning September)


Sunday 8:30 am • 10:30 am at Good Shepherd

Daily Mass at 8:00 am *(Tuesday thru Friday)*

CONFESSIONS

Saturdays 3:15—3:45 pm



 Welcome to the Parish of St. Christopher & St. Sylvia! We hope that all new residents to the Red Hook area will feel at home in our Parish and strive to become an active member of our faith community. Please take a moment to stop by the rectory office to fill out a new parishioner form and meet a member of the Parish staff!

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

	Intentions	Requested by:
Sat., May 28	Easter Weekday	
9:00 am	Intentions of Fr. Theriault	His Friends (<i>on his 62nd Anniv. of Ordination</i>)
5:00 pm	John Farina †	Helen O'Connell
Sun., May 29	Seventh Sunday of Easter	
7:30 am	Patrick O'Connor †	Jeanne & Lenny Campbell
9:00 am	Ed Sandfort †	Holy Name Society
11:00 am	Paul Burke †	Doherty Family
Mon., May 30	Easter Weekday	
9:00 am	Ed Sandfort †	Tom & Mary Anna Egan
Tues., May 31	Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary	
9:00 am	John Carroll †	Ricci Family
Wed., June 1	St. Justin	
12:15 pm	Veronica Burud †	Nancy & Robin Rogers
Thurs., June 2	Sts. Marcellinus & Peter	
12:15 pm	John Carroll †	Lynda & Dave Jutton
Fri., June 3	St. Charles Lwanga & Companions	
12:15 pm	Ed Sandfort † John Carroll †	Odendahl Family Vincent & Mary Gallagher
Sat., June 4	Easter Weekday	
5:30 pm	<i>Pro Populo</i>	
Sun., June 5	Pentecost Sunday	
7:45 am	Intentions of Our Lady's Guild	
9:45 am	Michael & Frances Marrone †	Fran Remenek
11:45 am	Steven Warmuth †	Doherty Family

ALTAR FLOWERS

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The Parish Office will be CLOSED on Monday, May 30th in observance of Memorial Day.

NEXT WEEK'S SECOND COLLECTION is for the **Feast of the Sacred Heart** and supports our parish. Thank you for your participation.

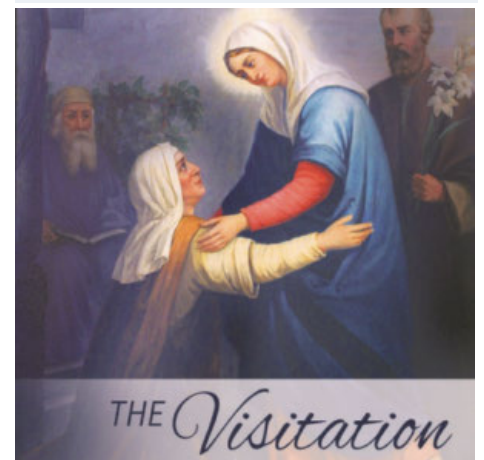
STEWARDSHIP REPORT

May 22, 2022

Weekly Collection \$4,636

WeShare \$2,539

Our parish greatly depends on your consistent financial support. Thank you!



THIS WEEK AT ST. CHRISTOPHER-ST. SYLVIA

Sunday, May 29

Gifts from the Holyland After Masses Church

Monday, May 30 **Office Closed**

Tuesday, May 31

Wed., June 1

Basketball Clinics 200-8:00 pm Gym

Holy Hour & Confessions 7:00 pm Church

Thursday, June 2

RCIT Confirmation 6:00 pm Church
Rehearsal

Friday, June 3

Adoration 9:30 am Church

Saturday, June 4

Sunday, June 5

RCIT Confirmation 11:45a am Church

GOSPEL MEDITATION

May 29, 2022 *Seventh Sunday of Easter*

Unity and diversity can exist together. Our western minds have a grave difficulty seeing unity without conformity. We tend to believe that unless everyone believes the same thing, assents to the same body of truths, styles, and opinions, unity is not possible. Jesus, in today's Gospel, expresses a tenderness and an intimacy that the disciples actually can witness. This same tenderness and love are also reflected in his desire for unity and oneness. Jesus passionately wants all to be one. It is very clear that the success of Jesus' mission and the advance of the Gospel rises or falls with whether this unity is achieved. And it is a unity that is achieved around a person and not particulars.

Our church is extremely divided. These divisions all center on various theologies, philosophies, structures, and styles. We allow these particular concerns and interpretations, valid as many can be, to drive wedges between us and put us at odds with each other. They enrage us and cause us to lash out at other members of the Body of Christ. Differences are bound to exist in any group. We are unique and diverse people. Staunchly clinging to particular agendas and ideologies while waving the "we're right, you're wrong" banner as we forge ahead in battle does little to advance the real mission of Christ. We are perceived as weak, fractioned, self-focused and serving, and lacking empathy and love. How can the work of salvation be accomplished like this? We sacrifice our credibility. For what?

"I am the Alpha and the Omega, the first and the last, the beginning and the end." These words describe exactly who the glorified Christ really is. Jesus wants us to see this glory! Believe this! This is the unifying principle that draws the Body of Christ together as one, not our particular preferences of worship! We give too much power to our preferences, and all too easily forget that the real mission of Christ is much more than that! If we can work at truly loving each other as members of Christ's Body despite the differences that can so quickly divide us, then maybe we'll a bit more convincing to those who do not believe. The Risen Christ comes to us through the Eucharist. It doesn't matter where or how. Gather wherever you can and receive. We cannot substitute Jesus' passion with our own. We are one. ©LPi

CARDINAL'S APPEAL UPDATE

We currently have 80% pledged and need your participation to meet our parish goal of \$78,000.

Visit cardinalsappeal.org/donate to make your gift today!



PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

In your prayers, please remember the sick, especially:

Kathleen Capozzi ● Joseph Clements
Scott Clements ● William Daniels
Veronica Ellis ● Vincent Gallagher
Sylvia Ledenko ● Kathleen Mahoney
Vicki Mainiero ● Eleanor McMahon
Fred Miller ● Roger Miller ● Maryann Moul
Fred Planthaber ● Dan Quinlan
Salvatore Sorrentino ● Jimmy Wolfe

PARISH EVENTS & INFORMATION

This Weekend We Welcome **GIFTS FROM THE HOLYLAND**

Their beautiful handcrafted olive-wood creations will be on display for purchase outside the church.

PRISON MINISTRY

The next meeting of the Prison Ministry Group will be on Wed., June 8 at 3:30 in the Parish Center. We will write Birthday cards for inmates who have birthdays in July, August and September. All are welcome to come and help us write cards! All materials are provided! Please remember in your prayers all inmates and their families.

GARDEN HELP NEEDED

We are looking for a few volunteers to help care for the small garden at St. Christopher School. If you enjoy gardening and can offer an hour or two of help twice a month, please contact the parish office.

FATHER'S DAY SPIRITUAL

BOUQUET CARDS are available in back of the church or at the parish office. The gift of prayer is a beautiful way to honor a loved one for Father's Day.

OUR LADY QUEEN OF PEACE HOLY HOUR

Come adore Our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament at 7:00 pm every Wednesday in the church.



PRAYER SHAWLS Are you or someone you know going through a difficult time, and feel that you would like a Prayer Shawl? Call Celine Turchetti at **845-758-8083**. If you feel that you would like a little extra spiritual support to place in your pocket, **Prayer Squares** are located in back of the church.



GRAND OPENING **Thursday, June 9th** *"New To You"*

Thrift Shop

Located at 30 Benner Road, Red Hook



Stop by and shop for exciting new finds while helping to support our parish!

We will be open Tuesdays (11-4) and Thursdays (11-7). Donations can be brought on Thursdays from 3-6:30. Gina McCrudden, Pat Owens, and Harriet Rossi have worked hard to make this a success for the benefit of St. Christopher, St. Sylvia, and Good Shepherd Church. We would like to thank Fr. Crawford for his continued interest and generous support in getting this venture off to a good start. Volunteers have signed up from both parishes, but we need many more. Please let us know if you will be able to contribute some hours to the Thrift Shop. This shop will benefit all of us. Call: Gina at 845-399-0058. We look forward to hearing from you. Thank you.



CAMP VERITAS 2022

August 8th—13th (10-12 graders)
Lake Champion, Glen Spey, NY

August 14th—20th (7-9th graders)
Camp Lakota, Wurtsboro, NY

www.campveritas.org

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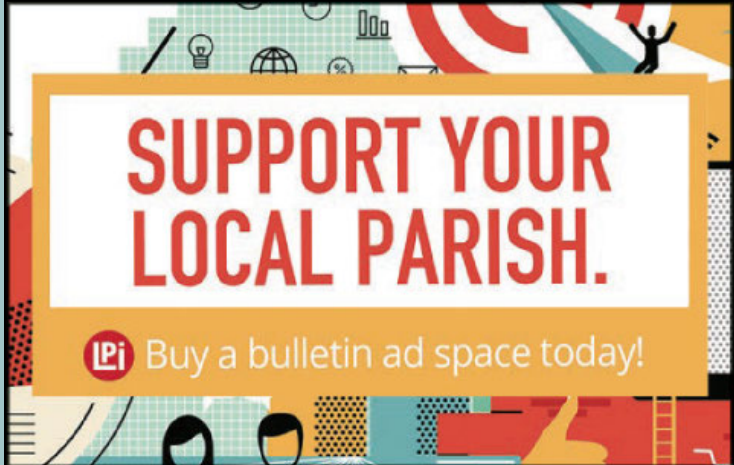
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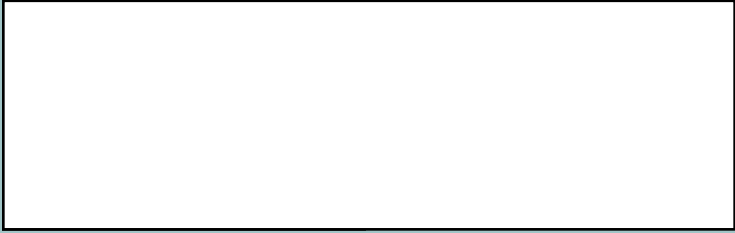
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