

# St. Martin de Porres Parish

# St. Columba

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#### St. Mary of the Assumption 99 Main Street, Scottsville, NY 14546

99 Main Street, Scottsville, NY 14546 (585) 294-3065 sstmaryo@dor.org www.stmartinrochester.org Office Hours M - Th 8:30 - 4:00, Fr 8:30 - 1:00 **Sunday 9:00 am** 

# St. Vincent de Paul

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#### PARISH STAFF

Rev. John H. Hayes, Pastor fr.john.hayes@dor.org Matt Dudek - Deacon Pat Shanley - Deacon Sean & Kate Esposito- Youth Ministry Jennifer Hughes - Faith Formation Coordinator Ralph Preish - Finance Director Cody Phillips - Maintenance Coordinator Pat McGill - Secretary (C) Maria Neale - Music (C) Ann Buyea - Secretary (M) Paula Gallo - Music (M) Jeanne Dudek - Music (V)

#### **PARISH VISION STATEMENT:**

St. Martin de Porres Parish is a faith community gathering at our worship sites, St. Columba (Caledonia), St. Mary of the Assumption (Scottsville), and St. Vincent de Paul (Churchville), striving to live the sacramental life together through vibrant liturgical worship, loving service, and life-long faith formation for spiritual growth. Through wise use of our gifts, leadership, and shared resources, we are one community of Catholics worshipping our God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Guided by the Holy Spirit, we embrace an atmosphere of belonging and discipleship to make visible the life and work of Jesus Christ. November 26, 2023

# OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE THE ALPHA & THE OMEGA

#### Liturgies of the Week

Saturday, November 25 4:00 pm (C) Ann Connelie by Peter Connelie Sunday, November 26 ~ 34th Sunday in Ordinary Time 9:00 am (M) Ron Nezezon by family AND Mary Lou, Francis & John Derleth by Darcy Derleth 11:00 am (V) Stephen Bonacci by Nancy Bonacci Monday, November 27 8:30 am (V) Hilda Morris by the people of the parish **Tuesday, November 28** 9:00 am (M) Kay Harris by Julie Wednesday, November 29 6:00 pm (C) Bart Rams by Peter Connelie Friday, December 1 12:00 pm (C) Blanche Stein by Richard Stein Saturday, December 2 4:00 pm (C) Julia & Eugene Stein by Blanche & Paul Stein Sunday, December 3 ~ First Sunday of Advent 9:00 am (M) Michael Saeva by daughter Linda AND Levi Zielonka by Jamie Wallace 11:00 am (V) Dave Lapp by Kathy Lapp

The Sanctuary Candle at **St. Mary's** burns in loving memory of **Glenn Kist,** requested by the people of the parish.

The Sanctuary Candle at **St. Vincent's** burns in loving memory of **David Coates,** requested by family .



The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary Holy Day of Obligation Mass Schedule

#### Friday, December 8th

St. Vincent's, Churchville
St. Columba, Caledonia
St. Mary's, Scottsville

#### Winter Reminder

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Parking lots and walkways will be salted, but not plowed if there is less than 3" inches of snow. Please be careful in the parking lots if there is snow. At St. Vincent's, please do not park on the hill.

#### Week at a Glance

Sunday, November 26 Monday, November 27 6:30 pm Praying with Art (M) Tuesday, November 28 10:00 am Rosary Group (V) 6:30 pm Advent Book Club (Zoom) Wednesday, November 29 7:00 pm Choir Practice (V) 6:30 pm Strategic Planning Meeeting (C) Thursday, November 30 10:00 am Bible Study (M) Advent Wreath Making(M) 5:30 pm Friday, December 1 6:30 pm First Friday Gathering (M) Saturday, December 2 Sunday, December 3 10:00 am Family Faith Formation (M)

Save the Date Advent Penance Service Sunday, December 10th at 3 pm at St. Vincent's

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If you have any old Christmas cards, used or new, please save for Char Sayers. You can drop off at any church at your convenience. Thank you!



# Readings for the week of November 26, 2023

#### Sunday:

Ez 34:11-12, 15-17/Ps 23:1-2, 2-3, 5-6 (1)/ 1 Cor 15:20-26, 28/Mt 25:31-46

#### Monday:

Dn 1:1-6, 8-20/Dn 3:52, 53, 54, 55, 56/ Lk 21:1-4

#### Tuesday:

Dn 2:31-45/Dn 3:57, 58, 59, 60, 61/ Lk 21:5-11

#### Wednesday:

Dn 5:1-6, 13-14, 16-17, 23-28/Dn 3:62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67/Lk 21:12-19

#### Thursday:

Rom 10:9-18/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11/Mt 4:18-22

#### **Friday:** Dn 7:2-14/Dn 3:75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81/ Lk 21:29-33

Saturday:

Dn 7:15-27/Dn 3:82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87/ Lk 21:34-36

#### Next Sunday:

Is 63:16b-17, 19b; 64:2-7/Ps 80:2-3, 15-16, 18-19 (4)/1 Cor 1:3-9/Mk 13:33-37

#### **Sacrificial Giving**

When the Son of Man comes in glory, may we be among those who have fed the hungry, welcomed the stranger, and clothed the naked. For Jesus tells us clearly that it is those who have demonstrated good stewardship by sharing their gifts with the less fortunate who will receive God's blessing and inherit the kingdom.

### St. Martin de Porres Parish 11/12

Attendance	
Sunday & Online Offering	\$7,574.75
Budgeted	
ActualYTD	
Budgeted YTD	
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#### Go Forth With Christ Catholic Ministries Appeal CMA Goal: \$99,000.00 Pledges: \$35, 125.00 35.48% of our Goal from 158 Donors

- ⇒ You can donate online through our website www.stmartinrochester.org
- ⇒ You can make out a check to Catholic Ministries Appeal and mail it in to the office.
- ⇒ Text GIVECMA TO 585-502-9124

Go Forth With Christ

 $\Rightarrow$  Scan the QR code to donate





2023-2024 CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL

# **The Giving Trees 2023**

- \* The Giving Trees are up in all three churches!
- \* Please return your unwrapped gift to the church where you took the tag from by Mass on Sunday, December 10, 2023.
- \* St. Columba's gifts will go to children in the Cal-Mum School district, St. Mary's gifts will go to SWEM, Industry, and Monroe County Catholic Charities, St. Vincent's gifts will go to students in need through Livingston County Catholic Charities.



#### **Dear Friends**

#### Dear Friends,

It strikes me that there seems to be a sort of existential rift in the cosmos of life this time of year. On one side, we enter into the holiday season and in it there is shopping, rushing, and parties; everything can seem so fast paced in wanting to get to Christmas. Then on the other side, the liturgical side, you have the Advent Season, which has a totally different vibe, if you will, that leads us to Christmas and the birth of our Savior. Advent has been touted as a season of quiet anticipation. I have always liked that description of Advent. It draws us from the hecticness of the holiday season towards what this time of year is really all about. The "why" of this season: Jesus born here on earth.

In an effort to bring home this message, we are going to be doing a special thing to mark the beginning of Advent, and again on Epiphany as the Christmas season comes to an end. The Church invites us to enter into a "quiet anticipation" of the beginning of the Advent and the closing of the Christmas season. What better way to do this than by offering an opportunity of Eucharistic .00 leaving.

On the first weekend of Advent and the last Sunday of the Christmas season, Epiphany, we will end our Masses with Eucharistic Adoration. Instead of a closing hymn, the Eucharist will be processed through each of our churches and we will be invited to spend some time in quiet devotion to Jesus. We will then leave in silence, hopefully just a little more attuned to the "why" of these seasons and how we honor and celebrate them.

I sincerely hope that this simple, yet beautiful, form of prayer brings us to a better understanding of what the "holidays" are truly about.

God bless,

Fr. Jahn



Alanna Allen, Chris Beach, Mary Bligh, Ann Boughner, Nicholas Boyce, Nora Brunette, Bob Carson, Ricky Claybourn, Tammy Compton, Tim Collins, Karen Daszczyszak, Jennifer DeMarco, Millie Ezrow, Brianna Gianforte, Mary Gillen, Pam Gladstone, Paul Glor, Don Graczyk, Jane Hallinan, Josh Harding, Audriana Herrera, Susan Hilderbrandt, Karen Houk, Mel Keenan, Ted Kosciolek, Harland Reed LaFountain, John Lauffer, Frank Lenhardt, Tony Liccione, John Loftus, Fran McAllister, Rylee Markwitz, Jo Martin, Jason Mattice, Elaine Montrois, Fred Montrois, Rissy Mooney, Carla Myers, Chris Nelson, Nichole Pealo, Malerie Phillips, Mike Pullyblank, Barbara Robinson, Eli O'Brien Rymer, Joyce Sackett, Josephine Saeva, Joan Savino, Katrina Scharvogel, Michele Schubert, Paul Stein, Bill Sythes, Lori Thompson, Dominic Wease, Diane Wilkinson, Ida Wilson, Fred Wood, Ellenanne Zima, and Joan Zummo.

#### Faith Formation

# November Upcoming Playlist events & options:

• 11/27, 6:30p Praying with Art, Hartmann Hall

Don't forget to complete the Google form when you complete a playlist activity! Complete 3 to pick a prize from the prize box next month! QR code links to the Nov. form

# **December**

Family Faith Monthly Gatherings St. Columba: Monday, 12/4, 6-7:30p St. Mary: Sunday, 12/3, 10-11:30a St. Vincent: Sunday, 12/10, 9:15-10:45a

# **Evening Family Advent Wreath Making!**

# Thur, 11/30, 5:30-7:30pm-ish, Hartmann Hall

Prepare for Advent by making your family's advent wreath! Bring your own wreath frame or purchase one for \$9 and we will provide the boughs, pizza for dinner, and instructions! We will have some decorations (ribbon, berries, pinecones, etc.), but

you are invited to bring your own too! Please register for this event so we have enough supplies (& pizza!)



Register with QR code or type in form https://forms.gle/UgNoKxyQokD8mLtE9

### **Eucharistic Revival**

#### Advent and Adoration

The season of Advent begins next week!

Advent is about God's promises to always be with us. More than that, it is about God's faithfulness to those promises. We recognize Jesus as the fulfillment of God's ancient promises.

Jesus is God's mercy!

- Jesus is the embodiment of God's promises to us:
  - the promise that God would dwell among us, that God would be one with us,
  - God's chosen people...

Advent is the season to remember God's ancient promises. It is the season to see anew the fulfillment of those promises in Jesus the Christ, and to renew our faith in the promise that Christ will return in glory to reign over us, and over all creation. (from Bringing Catechesis and Liturgy Together, Joe Paprocki and D.Todd Williamson)

To begin this beautiful season of prayerful expectation and promise, we will close our Masses next week with **Eucharistic Adoration.** Instead of the final hymn at each Mass, Fr. John will process (inside church) from the sanctuary to the tabernacle, where consecrated hosts are kept. He will carry the Blessed Sacrament in a *luna* back to the altar and place it in a *monstrance*. Using the back cover of our missal as a guide, all will kneel as we respond in prayer and song for this short period. You will be invited to leave in silence, or remain for a few minutes longer for Adoration.



# Food Pantry Updates

Fruit Mission for Backpack Program - pineapple, peaches, pears, applesauce

**St. Columba's** - hearty soups, pasta and sauce, canned vegetables

**St. Mary's** - hearty soups, crackers, powdered juice & milk **St. Vincent's** - jelly, cereal



Thank you to our faithful parishioners for your continued donations to our local food pantries. Brother Robin Brooks of the First Baptist Church of Mumford and the food pantry director, humbly accepted this delivery. He would like to thank everyone for their continued support and he wishes everyone a blessed Thanksgiving and Christmas season.

#### **General Information**

#### PATRICK PLACE COMFORT CARE:

www.patrickplace.org Email: patrickplacevolunteers@gmail.com MASS SCHEDULE: see inside bulletin. CONFESSIONS:

St. Columba: Saturdays at 3:15 pm

St. Mary of the Assumption: Sundays at 8:15 am

St. Vincent de Paul: Sundays at 10:15 am

(Fr. John will also be available by appointment)

**BAPTISMS:** For adults and children, call the office for initial interview. For infants, attendance of parents at Pre-Baptism class is required. Classes are in January, May, and September. Please plan accordingly. Call the church office for date.

**MARRIAGES:** Arrangements should be made with the Pastor at least six months in advance.

**CARE OF THE SICK:** Please call the church office if you will be in the hospital, are not able to attend Mass and would like communion, or if you would like prayers.

**HOMEBOUND MINISTRY:** For information on this ministry or for communion, contact the church office.

**ESTATE PLANNING:** Please remember St. Martin de Porres Parish in your estate planning. Bequest of memorial donations can be sent to our parish upon a loved one's death.

