

St. Martin de Porres Parish

St. Columba

198 North Street, Caledonia, NY 14423
(585) 538-2126
cstcolum@dor.org
www.stmartinrochester.org
Office Hours M - Th 8:30 - 4:00, Fr 8:30 - 1:00
Mass Saturday 4:00 pm

St. Mary of the Assumption

99 Main Street, Scottsville, NY 14546
(585) 294-3085
sstmaryo@dor.org
www.stmartinrochester.org
Office Hours M - Th 8:30 - 4:00, Fr 8:30 - 1:00
Mass Sunday 9:00 am

St. Vincent de Paul

11 North Main Street, Churchville, NY 14428
(585) 294-3085
cstvvince@dor.org
www.stmartinrochester.org
Office Hours Mondays 8am - 12pm
Mass Sunday 11:00 am

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)

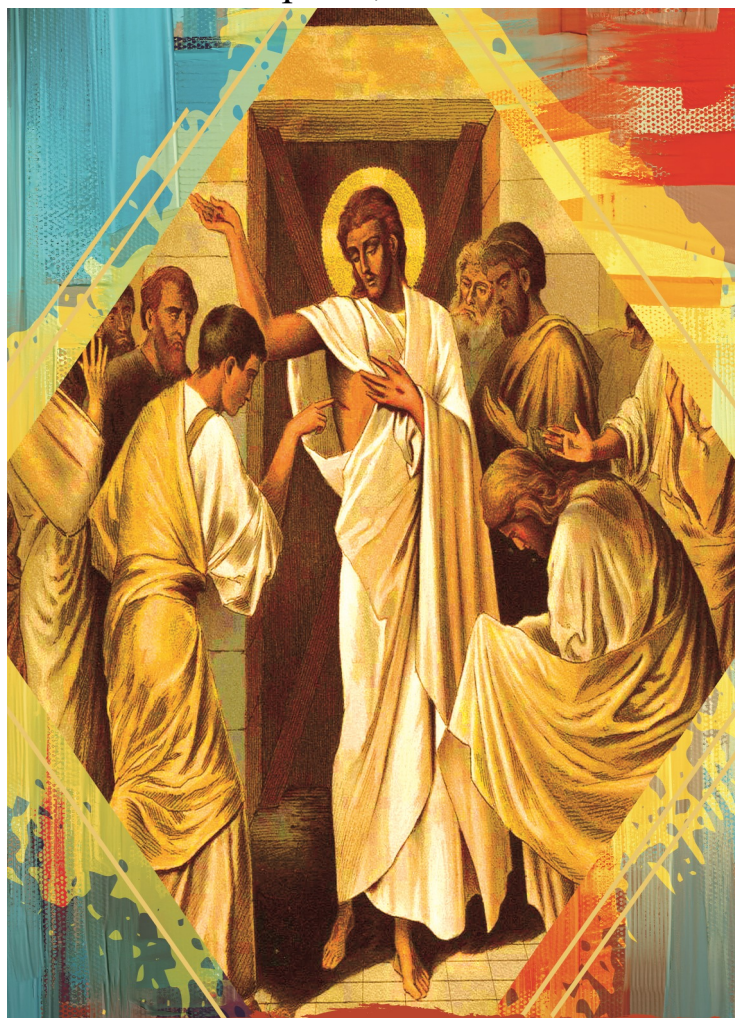
Paula Gallo - Music (M)

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.

April 7, 2024



2ND SUNDAY OF EASTER
(SUNDAY OF DIVINE MERCY)

“Put your finger here and see my hands, and bring your hand and put it into my side, and do not be unbelieving, but believe.” - Jn 20: 27

Liturgies of the Week

Saturday, April 6

4:00 pm (C) Tim Anderson by family

Sunday, April 7 ~ Second Sunday of Easter

9:00 am (M) Stanley & Irene Jusko by Sylvia Jusko

11:00 am (V) Bruce Becker by the Becker family

Monday, April 8

8:30 am (V) For the people of the parish

Tuesday, April 9

9:00 am (M) No Mass ~ Convocation

Wednesday, April 10

6:00 pm (C) No Mass ~ Convocation

Friday, April 12

12:00 pm (C) Malcolm McVean by Paul Stein

Saturday, April 13

4:00 pm (C) Don & Vonnie Pullyblank by the Hamilton family

Sunday, April 14 ~ Third Sunday of Easter

9:00 am (M) Alex Gilbert by Kate DiNolfo

11:00 am (V) Adele Shanley by friends

Week at a Glance



Sunday, April 7

Monday, April 8

Tuesday, April 9

10:00 am Rosary Group (V)

1:00 pm Garage Sale Mtg. (M)

7:00 pm Pastoral Council Meeting (C)

Wednesday, April 10

7:00 pm Choir Practice (V)

Thursday, April 11

10:00 am Bible Study (M)

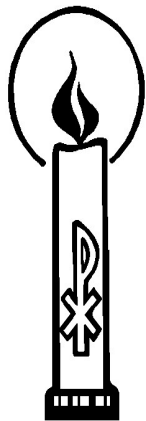
6:00 pm Garage Sale Meeting (M)

Friday, April 12

Saturday, April 13

Sunday, April 14

10:00 am Family Faith Formation (M)



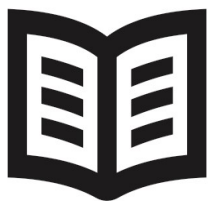
The Sanctuary Candle at **St. Columba's** burns in loving memory of **Blaise & Florence Rogers**, requested by the Rogers children.

The Sanctuary Candle at **St. Mary's** burns in loving memory of **Gerald & Eleanor Foes**, requested by Tom & Sharon Scantlin.

The Sanctuary Candle at **St. Vincent's** burns in loving memory of **Theresa & Charles Alexander**, requested by the Alexander family.



Parish App Feature-of-the-Week



Bulletin

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Learn more or download our parish app at myparishapp.com

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Readings for the week of April 7, 2024

Sunday: Acts 4:32-35/Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24 (1)/1 Jn 5:1-6/Jn 20:19-31

Monday: Is 7:10-14; 8:10/Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 11/ Heb 10:4-10/Lk 1:26-38

Tuesday: Acts 4:32-37/Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5/Jn 3:7b-15

Wednesday: Acts 5:17-26/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9/Jn 3:16-21

Thursday: Acts 5:27-33/Ps 34:2 and 9, 17-18, 19-20/Jn 3:31-36

Friday: Acts 5:34-42/Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14/Jn 6:1-15

Saturday: Acts 6:1-7/Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19/Jn 6:16-21

Next Sunday: Acts 3:13-15, 17-19/Ps 4:2, 4, 7-8, 9 (7a)/1 Jn 2:1-5a/Lk 24:35-48

Sacrificial Giving

Stewardship Thought ~ The Christian community described in Acts understood and practiced *total* stewardship. St. Paul reports that the believers did not claim anything as their own, but held everything in common, and distributed to each whatever was needed.

St. Martin de Porres Parish March 30 & 31

Attendance.....	570
Sunday, Easter & Online	\$14,288.56
Budgeted.....	\$12,548.00
Actual YTD.....	\$392,709.10
Budgeted YTD.....	\$411,868.07

Congratulations!

We have made our CMA goal!!

Thank you for your continued
generosity and support of our parish.

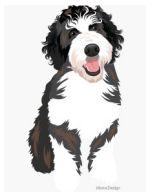


Alanna Allen, Linda Allen, Janice Armstrong,
Chris Beach, Mary Bligh, Ann Boughner,
Nicholas Boyce, Ricky Claybourn,
Tammy Compton, Tim Collins, Karen Daszczyszak,
Jennifer DeMarco, Brianna Gianforte,
Mary Gillen, Pam Gladstone, Paul Glor, Don Graczyk,
Jamie Guglielmo, Jane Hallinan, Josh Harding,
Audriana Herrera, Susan Hilderbrandt, Karen Houk,
Sage Johnson, Ted Kosciolk, Harland Reed LaFountain,
John Lauffer, Frank Lenhardt, Tony Liccione,
John Loftus, Rylee Markwitz,
Jason Mattice, Elaine Montrois, Fred Montrois,
Rissy Mooney, Carla Myers, Chris Nelson,
Barbara Robinson, Eli O'Brien Rymer,
Doreen Saeva, Josephine Saeva, Katrina Scharvogel,
Michele Schubert, Paul Stein, Bill Sythes,
Lori Thompson, Dominic Wease, Diane Wilkinson,
Ida Wilson, Fred Wood, Mark Woods,
Ellenanne Zima, and Joan Zummo.

Dear Friends

Dear Friends,
So, there I was sitting in my office when Fiona, my Berni-doodle, sauntered in. "Have you got a minute?" She asked. "Of course," I said, "What's on your mind?" "A couple of things, actually." She said. "Like what?" I asked, though I had an idea where this was going. "I've noticed that you've been pretty busy lately." She stated.
"Well," I explained, "last week was Holy Week and then we celebrated the Triduum and Easter. As you know, they are the highest of our holy days. So, yes, I guess you could say we've been pretty busy. Wait a minute, did I forget to feed you or anything?"
"No, not at all. You even got me to the groomers so I'd look good for Easter. Thank you for that. The cat was a little jealous I think." She said confidentially.
"What is it you wanted to ask me?" I reiterated.
"Well, I noticed that your suitcase is out. Are we going anywhere? She asked coyly.
"We' are going somewhere but each to a different place. I have to go to a convocation, and you will be going to a ken... a spa." I explained craftily.
"What exactly is a 'convo...'" she tried say.
"Convocation' I said, it's where all the priests of the diocese get together for a couple of days and speakers come in and we discuss things about the diocese and the like. I don't think you would be interested so I arranged a time for you at the ...spa." I said.
"A spa!" She said with great anticipation. "For how long?"
"Three days. From April 8th to the 10th. There will be a morning Mass on Monday the 8th. Communion Services by Deacons Matt and Pat on Tuesday and Wednesday and Mass again on Friday. You'll even get to watch the eclipse while you're there.
"A spa!" She said dreamily, "Wait til the cat hears this!"
It was about then I knew the conversation was over.
God bless,

Fr. John



TOWN HALL MEETING NOTE

Fr. John and the Parish Council wants to hear from you so we can have a meaningful dialogue at our PARISH TOWN HALL MEETING on SUNDAY, APRIL 28th at HARTMANN HALL (St. Mary's) at 1 PM. Please submit any questions or topics of interest using the form on our website, or the forms in the pews or by talking to any of the council members. The council members can be found on the website or their photos are displayed at each worship site. Your completed forms can be placed in the COLLECTION BASKET or in the RED BOXES at each worship site by April 21th.

Faith Formation

April

*Note- these sessions are later in the month due to Easter and Spring Break

Family Faith Monthly Gatherings

St. Columba: Monday, 4/14, 6-7:30p
St. Mary: Sunday, 4/15, 10-11:30a
St. Vincent: Sunday, 4/21, 9:15-10:45a

Upcoming Playlist events & options:

Full info, as well as other options and opportunities, are available on the April 2024 webpage StMartinRochester.org/april-2024

- Divine Mercy Sunday: April 7th
On this day, or anytime this month, learn about and pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet using your rosary
- Eclipse Prayer and Reflection: April 8th at home
- Prayers in Pajamas on Zoom: Thursday **3/10, 7pm**
 - Meeting ID: 861 1922 3398



Don't forget to complete the Google form when you complete a playlist activity! Complete & document all 3 to pick a prize from the prize box in May!



Eucharistic Revival

Pope Francis urges to remove the stones that "block the door of our hearts"

Pope Francis presided over this past Easter Vigil service at the Vatican, delivering a 10-minute homily and baptizing eight people. Francis entered the darkened, silent St. Peter's Basilica in his wheelchair, took his place in a chair and offered an opening prayer.

Later, Francis delivered a 10-minute homily in a strong voice, referring to the stone that the faithful believe was removed from Christ's tomb after Christ's death.

Francis urged Catholics to remove the stones in their lives that "block the door of our hearts, stifling life, extinguishing hope, imprisoning us in the tomb of our fears and regrets."

"Let us lift our eyes to him and ask that the power of his resurrection may roll away the heavy stones that weigh down our souls," he said.

--from the National Catholic Reporter

Social Ministry Updates

Current Needs:

Fruit Ministry - donations have been excessively low. The Backpack Program had to buy fruit last month and again this month. To date for this month we have only received a few packages of fruit. Please consider picking up fruit when you shop again. Peaches, pears, pineapple and applesauce are children likes.

St. Columba Food Pantry: cereal, soup, canned vegetables.

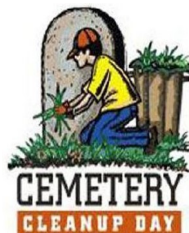
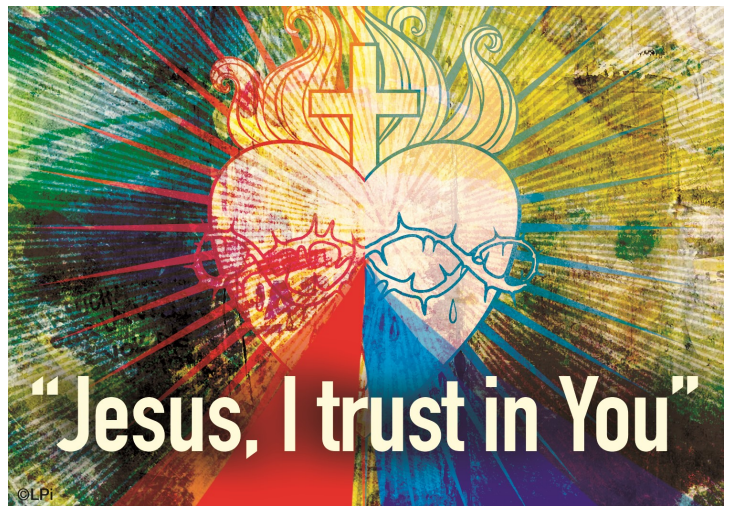
St. Mary's Food Pantry: powdered milk, evaporated milk, juice mixes, soups, crackers

St. Vincent's Food Pantry: cereal, canned fruit, pasta, and sauce.

Divine Mercy Sunday

The Parish of St. Mary Ann Cope invites us to their Divine Mercy Service on Sunday April 7 from 3-4 pm. It will be at the Guardian Angels site 2061 E. Henrietta Rd., Rochester, NY 14623.

It will feature exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, special intercessory prayer, and readings from Scripture and from Saint Faustina's Divine Mercy in My Soul. We know it will be a time of grace and mercy for everyone.



Spring Cleaning at Holy Angels!

Help us with our spring cleaning at Holy Angels Cemetery on Saturday, May 4th at 9:00 am. Come dressed for the weather, bring some gloves and a rake and we'll see you there! We appreciate your time and we'll save you a doughnut!

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.

St. Martin de Porres Parish

SAVE THE DATE

Town Hall Meeting

Sunday, April 28th
1 pm

Hartmann Hall St. Mary's Scottsville

All Parishioners Welcome!

Share Your Thoughts

Please submit

Any questions or topics of interest
using the form in the pews or on
the parish website
www.stmartinrochester.org

**Looking forward to seeing
you at the meeting!**

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