

St. Martin de Porres Parish

St. Columba

198 North Street, Caledonia, NY 14423
(585) 538-2126
cstecolum@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) 294-3065
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

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Pat Shanley - Deacon

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Maria Neale - Music (C)

Ann Buyea - Secretary (M)

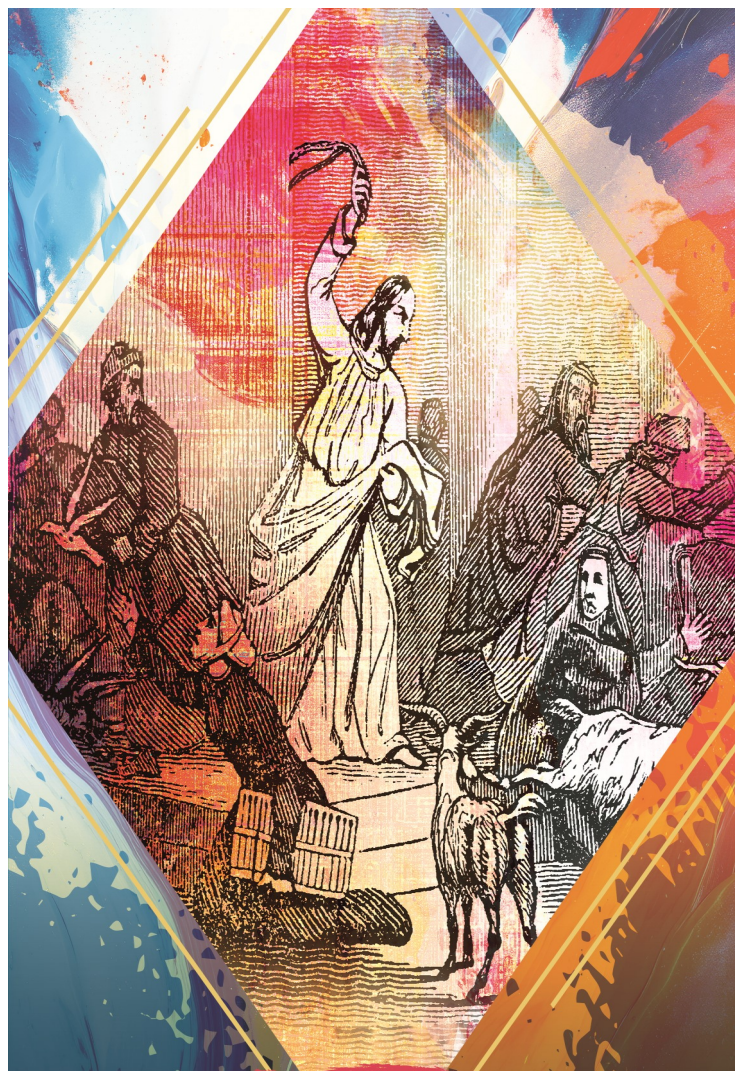
Paula Gallo - Music (M)

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.

March 3, 2024



3RD SUNDAY OF LENT

His disciples recalled the words of Scripture,
Zeal for your house will consume me. - Jn 2:17

Liturgies of the Week

Saturday, March 2

4:00 pm (C) David Hamilton by Hamilton family

Sunday, March 3 ~ 3rd Sunday of Lent

9:00 am (M) Alex Gilbert by Kathy Frederick

AND Michelle Ryan by the Cooper family

11:00 am (V) For the People of the Parish

Monday, March 4

8:30 am (V) People of the Parish

Tuesday, March 5

9:00 am (M) Jack Knapp by family

Wednesday, March 6

6:00 pm (C) Robert Paduano by the People of the Parish

Friday, March 8

12:00 pm (C) Timothy Foley by Kathleen Donegan

Saturday, March 9

4:00 pm (C) Gertrude & Frank Smith by
Blanche & Paul Stein

Sunday, March 10 ~ 4th Sunday of Lent

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

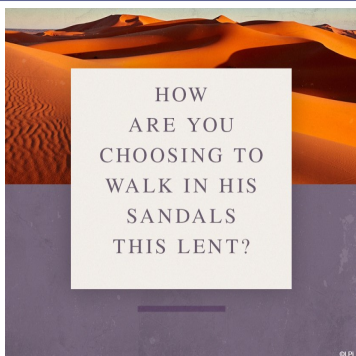
11:00 am (V) People of the Parish



The Sanctuary Candle at **St. Columba's**
burns in loving memory of
Robert Paduano,
requested by the people of the parish.

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

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



HOW
ARE YOU
CHOOSING TO
WALK IN HIS
SANDALS
THIS LENT?

Parish App Feature-of-the-Week



Inspiration
Daily

- Thoughts on Catholic life
- Informative and inspirational
- Simple insight for living a deeper faith everyday

Learn more or download our parish app at myparishapp.com

*Available on Apple and Android Phones.

Week at a Glance



Sunday, March 3

10:00 am Family Faith Formation (M)

12:00 pm Confirmation (C)

6:00 pm Youth Group (C)

Monday, March 4

6:00 pm Family Faith Formation (C)

Tuesday, March 5

10:00 am Stations of the Cross (V)

Wednesday, March 6

7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal (V)

Thursday, March 7

10:00 am Bible Study (M)

12:00 pm Stations of the Cross (M)

Friday, March 8

7:00 pm Stations of the Cross (C)

Saturday, March 9

Food & Fellowship Weekend

Sunday, March 10

9:15 am Family Faith Formation (V)

Food & Fellowship Weekend

Teaching Mass: Wed, 3/20, 6pm Mass at St. Columba
Fr. John will be hosting a Teaching Mass- a special Mass where they will explain some of the "whys" for what happens during Mass. You are also encouraged to ask questions! Those in sacrament prep are strongly encouraged to attend.



Readings for the week of March 3, 2024

Sunday: Ex 20:1-17 or 20:1-3, 7-8, 12-17/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11 (Jn 6:68c)/1 Cor 1:22-25/Jn 2:13-25

Monday: 2 Kgs 5:1-15ab/Ps 42:2, 3; 43:3,4/Lk 4:24-30

Tuesday: Dn 3:25, 34-43/Ps 25:4-5ab, 6 and 7bc, 8-9/Mt 18:21-35

Wednesday: Dt 4:1, 5-9/Ps 147:12-13, 15-16, 19-20/Mt 5:17-19

Thursday: Jer 7:23-28/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9/Lk 11:14-23

Friday: Hos 14:2-10/Ps 81:6c-8a, 8bc-9, 10-11ab, 14 and 17/Mk 12:28-34

Saturday: Hos 6:1-6/Ps 51:3-4, 18-19, 20-21ab/Lk 18:9-14

Next Sunday: 2 Chr 36:14-16, 19-23/Ps 137:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6 (6ab)/Eph 2:4-10/Jn 3:14-21

Sacrificial Giving ~ 2/25

Stewardship Thought ~ "You shall not covet"...is perhaps a difficult commandment to keep in our consumer-oriented society. But as Christian stewards, we know that we are the recipients and caretakers of God's many gifts. May this understanding that all is gift help us to be less resentful of the gifts of others.

St. Martin de Porres Parish 2/25

Attendance.....	396
Sunday & Online Offering.....	\$10,832.28
Budgeted.....	\$12,548.00
Actual YTD.....	\$333,356.32
Budgeted YTD.....	\$363,347.57

Go Forth With Christ Catholic Ministries Appeal CMA Goal: \$99,000.00 Pledges: \$80,480.00 81.29% of our Goal from 276 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
- ⇒ Scan the QR code to donate

Go Forth With Christ

2023-2024 CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL



Start saving your bottles and cans! More information coming soon.

Stations of the Cross

St. Columba

Fridays at 7 pm
March, 8, 15, 22

St. Mary

Thursdays at Noon
March 7, 14, 21

St. Vincent

Tuesdays at 10 am

Dear Friends

Dear Friends,

Whenever the month of March begins it reminds me of so many things; not the least of which being Spring is coming! It always reminds me of the saying, "In like a lion, out like a lamb." but as I write this and look out my window the sun is shining and there is no snow on the ground and the temps are promising to be in the 60's this week! This begs the question, if March does not come in like a lion and out like a lamb, is it going to come in like a lamb and out like a lion? If that is the case, should we expect snow for Easter?

There is something else that is going to be happening during the month of March and that has to do with the CMA and our parish making its goal.

As you may have heard in the announcements last week, a generous parishioner has offered to match parishioners CMA donations during the month of March, in an effort to attain our goal of \$99,000. Right now, we are at \$80,480.00 which is just a little less than we were at last year.

Several people have already told me how much they appreciate this opportunity since they had not sent in their donation yet and this will allow to double what they give. They have said that this challenge is the impetus to donate.

So, if you have not made your pledge to the CMA yet please prayerfully consider doing so knowing that whatever you give will be doubled and bring us that much closer to our goal.

God bless,

Fr. John



Alanna Allen, Doug Allen, 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, Jo Martin, Jason Mattice, Elaine Montrois, Fred Montrois, Rissy Mooney, Carla Myers, Chris Nelson, Mike Pullyblank, Barbara Robinson, Eli O'Brien Rymer, 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.

Faith Formation

March

Family Faith Monthly Gatherings

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

Upcoming Playlist events & options:

Full info, as well as other options and opportunities, are available on the March 2024 webpage StMartinRochester.org/march2024

- Prayers in Pajamas on Zoom: Thursday **3/14, 7pm**
 - Meeting ID: 829 9839 8622
- Stations of the Cross
 - **3/15, Friday, 7pm at St. Columba:** Special Family Stations with the Knights of Columbus!
 - In person option and at home option any time during Lent
 - Let Jen know if you want a printed copy of the Illustrated Ministry version to color at home
- Required: Safe & Sacred Home Lesson

Don't forget to complete the Google form when you complete a playlist activity!



Eucharistic Revival

Lenten lessons from the Gospels

“Wherever he was, Jesus spent a significant amount of his guidance giving advice on our attitudes regarding one another:

- Consider others as precious as yourself;
- Cease comparing;
- Be humble and forget about pushing into first place;
- Remember what genuine love is about;
- Move toward rather than away from those who treat you as an enemy;
- Be willing to pay the price for what you believe and value;
- Stand with and support marginalized persons;
- Don't think twice about letting go of what holds you back from being truly kindhearted.”

“These are just a few of the guidelines that inspire and urge me, especially during Lent, to keep maturing spiritually, to continue to embrace the heart of the Gospels' directives.

-- from a column by Joyce Rupp, spiritual writer, in the February, 2024 issue of *America*, the Jesuit magazine of faith and culture

CMA Update: We Have a March Challenge!!!

Through the month of March all CMA donations will be matched by an anonymous donor!! Please consider donating and help us reach our parish goal.

The CMA provides funding for important ministries, services and programs that support our parish and strengthens our whole Church. We encourage participation with a gift of any amount. Please consider how you are called in your faith to live as a Catholic and to support the good works of the Church.

Thank you and please pray for the success of our efforts.

Food & Fellowship

for March will be held on
March 9th & 10th
after all Masses. We hope you
can join us!



Family Camp is a unique opportunity to enjoy all of the fun of summer camp, plus an enriching spiritual retreat together with your family! Our staff makes it easy for parents and families to relax and have fun! Each day includes morning prayer, time with peer groups for children and adults, family sharing time and a family friendly Roman Catholic Mass. Afternoons are free for swimming, hiking, crafts, sports, relaxing or socializing at the Camp store! Evenings include fun community activities such as campfires or square dancing. Best of all, you'll meet new friends that share your love of family, faith and fun! <https://www.campkoinonians.org/>.

The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend is planned for October 11-13, 2024 at the Notre Dame Retreat House in Canandaigua, NY. Register online at wwme.org.

The WWME weekend teaches communication techniques such as active listening, listening with the heart and empathy towards your spouse's feelings. It is based on the sacrament of Holy Matrimony and expresses the importance of love in the union and encourages this love be taken out into the world in various ministries to serve God by strengthening the couples and families in the church.

The Marriage Encounter gives busy couples much needed time together to focus on each other and deepen their communication. After the Experience, couples often return to their life and families refreshed with renewed commitment to each other.

Application fee is \$100. For more information, contact Mike and Kathy Williams Applications@wwme-wny.org or 585-872-5432

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.



HOLY WEEK

Holy Thursday ~ March 28

7:00 pm Evening of the Lord's Supper
at St. Mary's

Good Friday ~ March 29

3:00 pm Passion of the Lord at St. Vincent's

Holy Saturday ~ March 30

7:30 pm Easter Vigil Mass at St. Columba*

Easter Sunday Masses ~ March 31

9:00 am St. Mary's

11:00 am St. Vincent's

**All services held at St. Columba Church will be Live Streamed and available on our YouTube channel.*

<https://rb.gy/iut1bd>