



MONDAY, AUGUST 17

9:00am Vito A. Volpe, Sr.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 18

9:00am Special Intention – Ann Vermehren

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 19 – ST JOHN EUDES

9:00am Mary di Grandi

THURSDAY, August 20 – ST. BERNARD

9:00am Mary di Grandi

FRIDAY, AUGUST 21 – ST. PIUS X

9:00am Mary di Grandi

SATURDAY, AUGUST 22 – THE QUEENSHIP OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

9:00am Rudolph & Irene Shemain

5:00pm Beneditto Guercio

SUNDAY, AUGUST 23 – 21TH Sun. IN ORDINARY TIME

7:30am Mary Jane Eckelman

9:00am For a Special Intention

9:30am James Mullen

11:30am Mary Jane Eckelman

Welcome to the Parish Community of Regina Coeli/St. Paul's!

A warm welcome is extended to all who have come to Regina Coeli/St. Paul's this weekend to join together in this community of worship and praise to Almighty God.

We are grateful to our faithful parishioners who come here every weekend and ask you to officially register if you have not.

Also we welcome our neighbors and guests who visit us occasionally and want you to know that you are always welcome!

If any of the below choices pertain to you, complete the information below and drop in the offertory basket or stop by the Rectory.

-----THANK YOU!-----

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____

___ Would like to register ___ Send me Catholic New York

___ Send Offertory Envelopes ___ Need to speak with a

priest

___ Moving, remove from parish census

O Mary, bright dawn of the new world, Mother of the living, to you do we entrust the cause of life. Look down, O Mother, upon the vast numbers of babies not allowed to be born, of the poor whose lives are made difficult, of men and women who are victims of brutal violence, of the elderly and the sick killed by indifference or out of misguided mercy. Grant that all who believe in your Son may proclaim the Gospel of life with honesty and love to the people of our time.

Pope Saint John Paul II

WELCOME TO OUR CHURCH!!

We extend a very warm welcome to our visitors and vacationers who may come to Regina Coeli/St. Paul's for daily or Sunday Mass while spending time in our beautiful Hudson Valley. How gratifying to see new faces! It is comforting to know that Catholics from all over the country are so conscious of their obligation to attend the liturgy. God Bless and have a wonderful, safe vacation!

HIS WORD TODAY

“I am the living bread that came down from heaven; whoever eats this bread will live forever; and the bread that I will give is my flesh for the life of the world....unless you eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink his blood, you do not have life within you. Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood has eternal life, and I will raise him on the last day.

How many times Jesus uses the ‘I am’ statements to describe Himself. This is the name God revealed to Moses in the book of Exodus. Usually the references are descriptive, as the good shepherd giving His life for the sheep, or the vine and branches needing to be connected. Sometimes Jesus uses them to describe Himself, as way, truth and life, or the gate and gatekeeper. Constantly we are reminded of these descriptions.

The passage today speaks of the reality, He is the bread of life, and the prime source of life for us. Christ is present to give us the gift of eternal life. The Eucharist is the source of that life. We are called to approach this sacrament with faith, reverence and devotion. After receiving the great gift of the Eucharist, take time to reflect, to thank and realize that Christ is present in me, to give me life.

What I do with that life is supported and directed by Him. It is this gift which will lead me home.



Intentions are available for each of the 6 candles that burn in The Adoration Chapel. The stipend for 1 week is \$25. If you would like to arrange for a candle intention, call the rectory office, we will be happy to help you. Week of 8/17 ~ 8/22:

- Special Intention Healing – Maurice Sheedy
- In Thanksgiving for Answered Prayers
- For the Intentions of RCC Altar Servers
- For the Intentions of Fr. Joseph Gaspar
- For the Intentions of Fr. Brendan Fitzgerald
- In Memory of Edward Cardinal Egan

Please pray for our loved ones serving in the Military...

Cristin Browne, Captain, US Army, Afghanistan
 Paul S. Davis, Army SSG, Guantanamo Bay, Cuba
 Christopher Delgado, Lieutenant, 82nd Airborne, Army NC
 Vincent DeSantola, Pvt. Marines, North Carolina
 Airman 1st Class Patrick E. Dixon, Hurlburt Field A.F.B., Florida
 Michael LaSelva, Pfc. Army, Washington State
 Nathan Paielli, Sgt., USS Battan, Persian Gulf
 Thomas Summers, Major, Army, Camp Casey, Korea
 Kevin Woods – Colonel, US Army



EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

“You will never find time for important things, you have to MAKE it.” Available times that need coverage: Monday 11-12Noon, 1-2pm; Saturday 5-6am, 6-7am. Call Joan @ 229.2983, Janet @ 229.5378 or Don @ 229.5920 if you can spend an hour with Our Lord.

REGINA COELI HEALING MASS

For Physical, Emotional & Psychological Healing Join us: First Tuesday of every month at 7pm



Laura Ames	Paul Becker	Stephanie Boshnack
Jacqueline Brownell	Jazmine Cappillino	Kathy Clonan
Anthony Dalbo	Crystal Dearborn	Benidette Doe
Elaine Dropauer	Ollie Gorr	Angelik Guthrie
Elizabeth Harmom	Terri Keenan	Virginia Kenisky
Kevin McGarry	Audrey Marie Michael	Margaret O'Shea
Thomas Petro	Mary Lou Re	Rob Riveria
Edna Rogers	Anne Slobodian	Colluna Tartter
Ann Vermehren	Fr. Peter Vianney	Betty DuBois

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

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Please pray for all priests and deacons

Make A Difference In The World!

REVEREND PETER VIANNEY

It's Easy! Pray that young men in our Archdiocese will hear and answer God's call to the priesthood.

For more info contact Fr. Luke Sweeney or Fr. Luis Saldana 914.968.1340 nypriest@archny.org NYPriest.com

STEWARDSHIP REPORT

Weekly needed to meet expenses: \$10,335.00

08/02/15 \$11,288.94 08/01/14 \$11,881.66

08/09/15 \$9,807.84 08/08/14 \$10,051.23

Thank you for your continued support of your Parish and all its efforts for the gospel.

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LET US CELEBRATE YOUR ANNIVERSARY WITH YOU!

Couples celebrating their 25th or their 50th Wedding Anniversary will be honored here at Regina Coeli on Sunday, October 4 during the 11:30 Mass.

Please call the Rectory office to register.

SCHOOL SUPPLIES – As school supplies go on sale, can you please pick up an extra item for those students in our area who will not be able to purchase them for their first day of school. Just put your donation in one of the baskets by the church doors.

Cardinal's Annual Stewardship Appeal

To date our parish has received \$78,538 in pledges/gifts toward the 2015 Cardinal's Appeal, from 198 families. For this Appeal to be truly successful, we must have support from all of our families. The Appeal is a vital source of funding for the programs and ministries that sustain the parishes across our Archdiocese. It is not too late to make your gift. Please be as generous as you can. Thank you for your kind support.

REGINA COELI RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Registration for new families continues this month; especially Kindergarten, First Grade and those moving to new schools. For information, please call 229-9139 or email

mrskdepew@reginacoelihp.org. This is going to be a fantastic year so we don't want your children to miss out on any of our programs!! Children who are home schooled or attend school in a different parish are **always welcome** to join our special events and to share in the music lessons after Mass. Speaking of great...this was our first year of Vacation Bible School in more than 30 years. We had 22 children joined by 9 FAST Team members, 8 adult volunteer & 3 deacons to round out our week! Poster in the vestibule of the church will help you imagine the many activities that taught us the truth that **GOD KEEPS HIS PROMISES!** Each day, guests, heroes of the Bible, visited our site which was a Nativity stable with hay bales. We added new items to our scene as we learned about Creation, Adam & Eve, Fr. Abraham and Noah. Projects, games, songs, crafts and snacks all shared a daily theme. Out tee shirts were a work of art, created following each theme. The kids enjoyed their take home bags filled with info about the saints, crafts, snacks and items to remind them of our lessons. The best day was Friday when farm animals paid us a visit after Noah shared his story. The dates for next year are on our religious education calendar...**plan ahead** so your child can join us for this wonderful experience. Thank you to our families who participated and especially to all our student and adult volunteers. There are no better men to portray Biblical heroes & saint than our deacons; thank you!

RCIA PROGRAM AT REGINA COELI CHURCH.....If

you know anyone who is interested in learning more about the Catholic faith, or know someone in your life who has not completed the sacraments, you are welcome to call and find out more about our program. If you are looking for a rewarding experience of faith, consider joining our ministry team; there are many different jobs and one is just right for you! Please contact the Religious Education office at 229-9139 or leave a message for Deacon Mark at the rectory, 229-2134.

IT'S FAIR TIME AGAIN! –Once again we are operating a food booth at the Dutchess County Fair August 23-30. A small staff of regular workers spend many hours each year getting ready & operating this booth, but we need many more workers to staff the booth which operates daily 9am-11pm throughout the week of the fair. Ideally, we need 24 workers to fill 3 shifts a day Tuesday thru Sunday. A BIG undertaking & we appreciate all the help we can get. We hope that you will consider giving a little time to help us raise some much needed funds for the parish. Those who have done this before know that it is a great chance to meet your fellow parishioners and have some fun. You will be provided with a ticket to enter the fair on the day you work, so you can spend some time enjoying the sights before or after your shift.

Sign-up sheets are in the main entrance to the church. Families are encouraged to come & work together – see the sign-up instructions for more information. If you have any questions, please contact Pat Sheehan @ 229-7193. Thank you and we hope to see you there!

The plight of Christians around the world, especially in the Middle East, has become a major catastrophe. Massive numbers of Christians are being subjected to violence, displacement and even death, explicitly because of their faith. Yet there is little attention being paid in the West & few governments are saying anything in response. However far away, we are still impacted by suffering of our fellow Christians; we are all one human family. Catholic social teaching calls us to stand in solidarity. The Middle East is the birthplace of Christianity; it is the land of Jesus' life, death and resurrection. It's time to take action! For info see www.archny.org/persecution-of-christians.

Special Prayer for Persecuted Christians

Almighty, everlasting God, look with compassion on all those who suffer persecution for justice's sake. Grant them grace to carry their cross with patience in the name of Thy beloved Son, our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. Let the chalice pass from them if such be Thy holy Will: yet, in all things, may Thy Will be done. Grant to those who persecute, light to see the truth, and the grace of mercy and forgiveness, for thy know not what they do. Mary, Mother of Jesus, Comfort of the Afflicted, help thy children in their time of bitter trial. O Lord our God, by the sign of Thy holy cross deliver us from our enemies. Amen.