

St. Columbanus Parish



122 OREGON ROAD, CORTLANDT MANOR, NY 10567
ST. COLUMBANUS CHURCH AND RECTORY

MASSES

SATURDAYS: 6:00 P.M.
(This satisfies Sunday obligation.)

SUNDAYS: 8:00, 10:00 A.M.
12:00 Noon and
3:00 P.M. Traditional Latin Mass

WEEKDAYS: 7:30 & 8:30 A.M.
SATURDAYS: 8:30 A.M.
EVE OF HOLY DAY: 8:00 P.M.
HOLY DAYS: 7:30 A.M.,
12:05 P.M. & 7:00 P.M.

Handicapped Accessibility

REV. FRANCIS J. SAMOYLO, PASTOR

Rev. Msgr. Patrick J. Keenan, Pastor Emeritus ~ Fr. Anthony Omenihu
John J. Coppola, Deacon ~ Christopher C. Mendoza, Deacon
Carol Connolly, Financial Administrator ~ Phyllis McGinnis, Secretary
Bulletin Team, stcolumbanusbulletin@gmail.com ~ Karen Longwell, Music

CONFESSIONS:

Saturdays 4:30 - 5:30 p.m. & after the 6:00 p.m. Mass.
Mondays during Holy Hour: 7:00 p.m.—8:00 p.m.

MARRIAGES:

Arrangements must be made at least six months in advance of desired wedding date.

VISITATION OF SICK & SHUT-INS:

Every First Friday by Priests and Deacon.
Special visitation by Eucharistic Ministers by request.

RECTORY: Phone: 914-737-4705 / Fax: 914-736-7476

DILLON (CHURCH) HALL: Phone: 914-736-1592

Parish Web Site: stcolumbanusparish.org

DEVOTIONS:

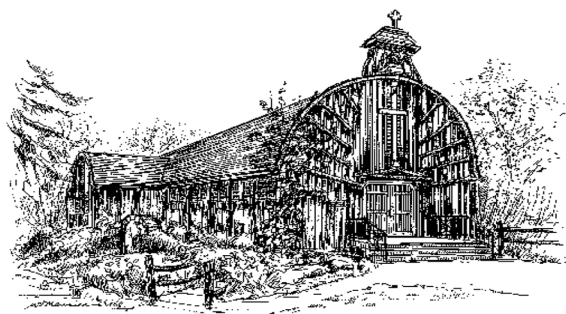
Rosary: Monday - Saturday before 8:30 A.M. Mass
Miraculous Medal Novena Devotions:
Every Saturday after 8:30 a.m. Mass
Benediction & Exposition: Monday evenings at 7:00 PM

BAPTISM PROCEDURE:

1. Call Rectory as soon as possible.
2. Appointment for Parents with Priest or Deacon; this conference is mandatory.
3. Baptism Ceremony every Sunday at 1:15 P.M.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION:

Stephanie Carlone, Coordinator (914-739-2441)
Monday evenings: 7:00-8:30 p.m.; Saturday mornings: 9:00 - 10:30 a.m.; Sunday mornings: 8:45-11:00 a.m., including Mass



**Church of the
North American Martyrs**
MISSION: Lake Peekskill, New York
55 OSCAWANA LAKE ROAD, PUTNAM VALLEY, NY
Office: 914-737-4705

MASSES

SATURDAYS: 5:00 p.m.
(This Satisfies Sunday Obligation)
SUNDAYS: 9:00 & 11:00 a.m.
HOLY DAYS: 10:00 a.m. & 5:30 p.m.

CONFESSIONS:

½ hour before each Mass



St. Columbanus School

Mr. Frank A. Disanza, Principal
Mrs. Margaret Roche, Administrative Assistant
School Phone: 914-739-1200 / School Fax: 739-1109
School Website: www.st-columbanus.com

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

MONDAY ~ SEPTEMBER 21
Saint Matthew, Apostle and Evangelist
 7:30 a.m. William Samoylo
 8:30 a.m. Daniel Kilcoyne (Living)

TUESDAY ~ SEPTEMBER 22
 7:30 a.m. Michael Piehler
 8:30 a.m. Ronald Powe

WEDNESDAY ~ SEPTEMBER 23
Saint Pius of Pietrelcina, Priest
 7:30 a.m. John Samoylo (Living)
 8:30 a.m. Suzanne Kelly

THURSDAY ~ SEPTEMBER 24
 7:30 a.m. Richard Sheehen
 8:30 a.m. Georgien DelMonaco

FRIDAY ~ SEPTEMBER 25
 7:30 a.m. Cathy Zsiday
 8:30 a.m. John Hetsko (Living)

SATURDAY ~ SEPTEMBER 26
Saints Cosmas and Damian, Martyrs;
Blessed Virgin Mary
 8:30 a.m. Mary Margaret Coppola
 6:00 p.m. Carolyn Kuscera

NORTH AMERICAN MARTYRS
 5:00 p.m. Virginia Evangelista

READINGS OF THE WEEK

1st Reading: *Let us condemn him to a shameful death.*
 (Wisdom 2: 12, 17-20)

Psalm: *The Lord upholds my life.*
 (Psalm 54: 3-4, 5, 6-8)

2nd Reading: *The fruit of righteousness is sown in peace for those who cultivate peace.*
 (Saint James 3: 16-4: 3)

Alleluia: *God has called us through the Gospel to possess the glory of our Lord Jesus Christ.*

Gospel: *The Son of Man is to be handed over...Whoever wishes to be first will be the servant of all.*
 (Mark 9: 30-37)

MARRIAGE PREPARATION

Please notify the rectory six months prior to the proposed wedding date.

STEWARDSHIP—A WAY OF LIFE

Tithing: God's Plan for Giving

September 13, 2015 ~ \$6,672.50
 September 14, 2014 ~ \$7,141.43

**WINE & HOST MEMORIAM
 TABERNACLE CANDLE**

A donation of \$25.00 will provide for the week-long burning of the tabernacle candle in memory of a loved one. A like donation for the hosts and wine offered at the weekly Masses may be made as well. Please stop by the rectory if you would like to honor your loved ones in this holy manner.

HEALING MASSES

Healing Masses are a chance to bring your spiritual & physical needs to the Lord. Healing Masses will be celebrated at the following parishes:

- Holy Rosary Church, Hawthorne, NY ~ Sept. 21st at 7:30 p.m. with Fr. Martin Njenga.
- St. Patrick's Church, Yorktown Heights, NY ~ Sept. 24th at 8:00 p.m. with Msgr. Dermot Brennan. Songs of praise will be sung at 7:45 p.m.

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK OF
 OUR PARISH**

Nicole Cattano	Alex Hetsko	Lawrence Paschetti
Linda Conner	Marvin Keeler	Rich Pettersen
John Coppola	Christine Keenan	Margaret Regan
Annemarie DeScisciolo	Kerry Kennedy	Doreen Robinson
Elizabeth Dwyer	Elena Kidder	John & Cathy Samoylo
Natalie Fernandez	Sally Kler	Paul Sarli
Daniel Fedele	Robert McLoughlin	Patrick Scelza
Abina Furnari	Roselea Megna	Evan Shiels
Aleda Radtke Gabriel	Richard Minichino	Rosemary Soboleski
John Grogan	Vivian Pabon	Paula Stasfiero
	Charles Papelian, Sr.	Joanne Tartaglioni

FOOD+REFRESHMENTS+BINGO=FUN!

Join us every Friday in Dillon Hall at 7:20 p.m.

*Try your luck at our “Quickie” games

*Come for the \$250 *Early Bird Special*

*Play the “\$700 Jackpot” each week

*Bring a new player & get a FREE admission ticket for that Night!

September 25th is Team # 5:

L. Perez; Kitchen—P. Hosang & M. Morriss

No one under 18 is allowed in Dillon Hall while Bingo is in session.

SCHOOL HAPPENINGS

“Strike up the band!” The St. Columbanus School band began the school year on Sept. 10th when the student recruitment assembly took place. The Paul Effman Music Service provides instruction to students in Grades 3-8 in a variety of musical instruments. At the assembly, music instructors introduced the instruments offered and played a musical selection on each. Not only do our new 3rd graders learn about this wonderful opportunity, but the older students are reintroduced to the thrill of playing in a band. Information & a registration form have been sent home with interested students. Music lessons begin in late September on Tuesday afternoons, after school.

WINE & BEER TASTING EVENT

Don’t miss our “FUN”draiser, on Friday, Oct. 23rd at 7:00 p.m. in the St. Columbanus School auditorium. There will be live & silent auctions, sweepstakes prizes, and a cash raffle—\$1,000 1st prize; \$500 2nd prize; & \$250 3rd prize. Kacey Morabito from “Mike and Kacey in the Morning” on WHUD-FM will be our auctioneer. Beer courtesy of Captain Lawrence Brewing Co. & wine courtesy of Dylan’s Wine Cellar. A light buffet will be served. All proceeds benefit our school. Tickets are \$25/person. To reserve tickets, please call 914-739-1200.

LIBRARY NEWS

The library is open every Sunday from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Come and see what is available for both children and adults!

CHOIR NEWS

Today we’re celebrating the Senior Choir at St. Columbanus. We’re fortunate to have a vibrant choir that enhances our worship. Considering how beneficial group singing is to both choir members & congregation alike, we can’t consider it a “frill.” Please join the choir & raise your voice to God!

PASTA DINNER FUNDRAISER

The Franciscan Sisters of Peekskill will hold a pasta dinner fundraiser on Friday, Oct. 9th from 5:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. at Mt. St. Francis, 250 South St., Peekskill. Pasta with meatballs or sausage, salad, bread, beverages, & dessert will be served. Tickets are \$20/adult & \$10/children 10 & under. Tickets are available for **advanced sale only**, & can be purchased at Mt. St. Francis or by mailing a check payable to “Franciscan Sisters” to 250 South St., Peekskill. Please call 914-737-3373 with any questions.

“AID FOR THE NEEDY” RAFFLE

Tickets are going fast for our raffle, which supports the P.V. Food Pantry, St. Columbanus Church, K of C charities, the Wounded Warrior Project & a St. Joseph’s seminarian. \$15,000 in prizes will be awarded at the Oktoberfest Dinner/Dance. Tickets are \$100 each; pick up a ticket form in either church vestibule, from a Knight, or contact Bobby Sellazzo at 914-497-0253.

**OKTOBERFEST DINNER DANCE
SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 26, 2015**

It’s your **LAST CHANCE** to get advance tickets for the Oktoberfest Dinner Dance. Tickets are \$25/adult & \$10/child; requests **must be postmarked** by Sept. 21st. After this date, the price is \$30/adult & \$15/child. Tickets at the door are \$35/adult & \$20/child. The price includes: dinner, beer/wine/cold drinks, dessert, dancing to a great DJ, and door & cash prizes. Please mail responses to: K of C, P.O. Box 2, Putnam Valley, NY 10579. Please do not leave forms at the rectory. If you have any questions, please contact Bill Schneider, co-chairman, at 914-420-6836.



Our first Communion Breakfast for the season was a big success. We thank the Knights and Columbiettes who hosted it. These are two very good organizations. I hope parishioners looking to get involved with like-minded Catholics will consider joining the Knights (men) or Columbiettes (women).

We thank the Rosary Altar Society for making us aware of the great work they do. Many women signed up to express their interest in being a member. I hope other women will consider joining as well. By the way, our Rosary Altar Society will be hosting its annual Christmas Craft Fair on Saturday, November 7th. There are raffles and many handmade items that make great Christmas gifts.

It was wonderful to see so many families at Mass on Sunday as we began a new Religious Education year. May we continue to grow in our love for Jesus in the Eucharist.

Our First Grade Rel. Ed. students are using a new program named the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd. To quote from the program, "An interpersonal relationship is always a mystery, all the more so when that relationship is between God and the child. We believe that there is a deep bond between God and the child which produces in the child the desire to draw nearer to God. The catechist's role is to prepare the environment and to give selected presentations from scripture and liturgy that 'call forth' the child's response rather than 'pours in' information. The catechist listens with the child and together they ask, 'God, who are you? How do you love us?' The adult reflects with the child on the questions generated by the presentations with the materials offered to the child to aid the child's reflection." May God bless our efforts in teaching our faith to our children.

In Jesus and Mary,
Fr. Frank Samoylo

CYO BASKETBALL REGISTRATION

Registration for St. Columbanus CYO basketball will take place on Saturday, Sept. 19 from 9:30am-12:00pm & Monday, Sept. 21 from 6:30-9:00pm at St. Columbanus School. Boys & girls in grades 3-8 are invited to register for the competitive travel teams. There is a registration fee of \$175. Proof of age is required. For additional information contact Charlie Stockinger at 914-490-6854.

COFFEE HOUR

Our choir & the Columbiettes are hosting a coffee hour in Dillon Hall after today's 10:00 a.m. Mass. Everyone is welcome for good food & fellowship!

CORTLANDT COMMUNITY SWAP

The Town of Cortlandt is hosting a Community Swap & Zero Waste Event on Sept. 26th from 9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. at the Muriel H. Morabito Community Center, 29 Westbrook Drive, Cortlandt Manor, NY. For further information, please call 914-734-1002.

PRAYER FOR THE WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES

*God and Father of us all,
in Jesus, your Son and our Savior,
you have made us your sons and daughters
in the family of the Church.
May your grace and love help our families
in every part of the world be united to
one another in fidelity to the Gospel.
May the example of the Holy Family,
with the aid of your Holy Spirit,
guide all families,
especially those most troubled,
to be homes of communion and prayer
and to always seek through your truth and
live in your love.
Through Christ our Lord. Amen.
Jesus, Mary, and Joseph, pray for us!*

**HISTORIC 2015 NATIONAL
54 DAY ROSARY NOVENA**

August 15 through October 7, 2015

Join hundreds of thousands of people of all ages in prayer across America in a message of hope in response to the spiritual crisis in our culture & nation.

What: Pray the rosary for 54 straight days for the Novena Intentions:

27 days in *petition* from 8/15-9/10

27 days in *thanksgiving* from 9/11-10/7

Where: Pray the rosary individually, as a family in your home, or as part of your parish community.

Primary Novena Intention:

“For the Family & Marriage,” including peace, human life & religious freedom.

For more information, please visit www.54days.org.

A *Hearts United Campaign* of the Rosary Evangelization Apostolate.

THIS WEEK’S EVENTS

- *Religious Ed Gr. 1-6 ~ Sun. 9:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m.*
- *Coffee Hour ~ Sunday, 11:00 a.m.*
- *Adoration ~ Monday, 7:00 p.m.*
- *Bible Study ~ Monday, 9:15 a.m., 7:00 p.m.*
- *Religious Ed Gr. 7-8 ~ Monday, 7:00 p.m.*
- *Knights of Columbus ~ Monday, 7:30 p.m.*
- *Legion of Mary ~ Tuesday, 7:00 p.m.*
- *Rosary Altar Society ~ Tuesday, 7:00 p.m.*
- *Charismatic Prayer Mtg.~ Wednesday, 4:45 p.m.*
- *Bible Study ~ Wednesday, 6:00 p.m.*
- *Choir Rehearsal ~ Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.*
- *RCIA ~ Thursday, 7:00 p.m.*
- *Playgroup ~ Friday, 10:00 a.m.*
- *Divine Mercy ~ Friday, 3:00 p.m.*
- *Youth Group ~ Friday, 6:00 p.m.*
- *Bingo ~ Friday, 7:30 p.m.*
- *Divine Mercy Chaplet ~ Mon.- Fri., 9:00 a.m.*
- *Religious Ed Gr. 1-6 ~ Saturday, 9:00 a.m.*
- *Rosary Recitation ~ Mon.- Sat., 8:00 a.m.*
- *Miraculous Medal Novena ~ Sat., 9:00 a.m.*
- *Oktoberfest Dinner Dance ~ Sat., 6:30 p.m.*