

# Church of the Infant Saviour

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February 15, 2015

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## *Sixth Sunday In Ordinary Time*

### Infant Saviour, Pine Bush



### Our Lady of the Valley, Walker Valley



#### **CHURCH LEADERSHIP:**

Father S. Niranjan Rodrigo - Administrator  
Deacon Jack Carr  
Mr. Frank Rose - Trustee  
Deacon Jack Carr – Parish Council President  
Mrs. Patricia Ditizio – Parish Secretary/Notary Public

**PARISH OFFICE HOURS:** Monday, Wed– Friday  
9:00 AM-12 PM and 1:00PM – 4:00 PM, & Tues. 9AM-6PM (744-2391)

#### **MASS SCHEDULE:**

Saturday Evening: 5PM-Pine Bush  
Sunday: 8:00 AM – Walker Valley  
9:30AM & 11:15AM – Pine Bush  
Daily Masses: 8:00AM Monday through Sat. – Pine Bush  
CONFESSIONS: Saturday 4:00-4:30 and 6-6:30PM

#### **INFANT BAPTISMS:**

Any Saturday or Sunday by appointment.

Please call the Rectory at 744-2391

**Baptism Catechesis** is offered on the third Saturday of every month at 3PM in the church hall. Any parents who are getting their children baptized and have been directed to attend should plan on coming to one of the sessions before the baptism takes place. Godparents may also attend. Please direct any questions or concerns to Dn. Jack Carr.

#### **ADULT BAPTISMS:**

We use the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults.  
Please call Marcie Acevedo at 457-5634 for information.

#### **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL 5329:**

Meets the first Thursday of the month in the Church Hall. Any questions, call Charlie Cino at 845-744-6174

#### **EDUCATION & YOUTH LEADERSHIP:**

Religious Education Office – 744-9944  
Mrs. Gail Baumann – Coordinator  
Mrs. Jeanette Coates – Secretary

#### **ADULT FAITH FORMATION:**

Gail Baumann, Coordinator 744-9944

#### **CATHOLIC YOUTH ORGANIZATION:**

Jeanette & Don Coates 744-9944  
Lula & Michael Tartaglione

#### **RCIA COORDINATOR:**

Marcie Acevedo – 457-5634

**THE HOMEBOUND** are visited regularly. To arrange a visit, please call the Parish Office at 744-2391.

#### **DEVOTIONS:**

**Rosary** – 7:40 Rosary said before Daily Mass  
**Miraculous Medal Novena** – after Saturday 8:00AM Mass  
**Holy Hour** – Wednesday, 6:30 – 7:30PM  
Last Wednesday of Every month Holy Hour will be held at Our Lady of the Valley in Walker Valley 6:30-7:30.  
**Marian Prayer Group** – 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesdays, 10:30AM, Mother's Chapel  
**Ultreya** – 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of the month: 7:30PM, Church Hall  
**Eucharistic Adoration** – First Friday of the Month: 9AM – 6PM

**MARRIAGES:** Please call the Rectory 744-2391 for an appointment at least six months prior to the desired date. No date will be given until the couple has met with Fr. Niranjan or Deacon Jack



## February 15, 2015 Sixth Sunday In Ordinary Time

### **MASS INTENTIONS**

#### **Sat: February 14, 2015**

8:00AM:

5:00PM: All Souls In Purgatory

#### **Week of February 15, 2015**

**Sun:** 8:00AM: Frances Kiselak (Kiselak Family)

9:30AM: Sam Napolitano (His Family)

11:15AM: Josephine Venza (Lenihan Family)

**Mon:** 8:00AM: Amthony P. Mondello  
(Augusto Teneglia & Patricia Carluccio)

**Tues:** 8:00AM:

#### **ASH WEDNESDAY:**

8:00AM Mass :

12PM: Liturgy of the Word Service

4PM: Liturgy of the Word Service for

Religious Ed Students

7:00PM Mass: Rosalina & Domingo Rodrigues

(Their Daughter, Grandchildren & Great Grandchildren)

**Thur:** 8:00AM:

**Fri:** 8:00AM: Mary Regan (Your Loving Friends)

**Sat:** 8:00AM:

5:00PM: Marie Vasseur (Ditizio Family)

#### **Week of February 22, 2015**

**Sun:** 8:00AM: Anna Amiana (Lou & Cathy Corti)

9:30AM: Elizabeth Knudsen-DeLaura (Her Mom & Dad)

11:15AM: Kenneth Oboyski (1st Anniversary In Heaven)  
(His Sister Laura & John, Katie & Kyle)

**CONFESSIONS: Saturday 4:00-4:30 and 6-6:30PM**

### **Readings: February 22, 2015**

First Reading: Genesis 9:8-15 (23B)

Psalm: Psalm 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9

Second Reading: 1 Peter 3:18-22

Gospel: Mark 1:12-15

**Cenacle for Life:** Please join the Healing Hands for Life Ministry **4:00PM** every Friday in the Mother's Chapel to pray for the end of Abortion and the Sanctity of Life

**Mass Intentions:** If you wish to have a Mass said you can call or stop by the Parish Office to schedule Mass(es) needed – Phone # 744-2391. You may also reserve an unannounced Mass for \$5.00

#### **Prayers for the Sick and Deceased:**

Please contact the Parish Office with names of anyone who need prayers for healing or have recently died in which you would like to have included in the Prayer of the Faithful at Mass and/or in the bulletin. The names of those who are sick are to be submitted only with the named person's permission.

**Please pray for the sick:** Darlene Schulz, Steven Pondi, Ellie Carter, Ashley Barco, Baby Sean, Michael Thompson, Michelle Condenzio, John Araneo, Roland Mora, Helen Dennedy, George Burrow, Joan Moschetto, Michael Martino, Annie Napolitano, Herbert Black, Theresa Madigan, Harry Brown, Pat Matteo, Jeffrey Selear, Bob Carlson, Colleen Minik, Jack Botta, George Rescigno, Matthew Schaffner, William Meyers, Richard Tanagretta, Diane DeGatano, Doris Bennett, Jeanie Kane, Alexander Elia, Bob Broughal, Ed Gatzen, Thomas Fitzsimmons, Edward Staff, Mary A. Thomas, Jordan Bumgartner John McPhillips, Nicolina Riggi, Rose Marie Cahill, Kathy Ross-Collins, Rose Marie Wilkins, John Giuliano Joseph Manfredi, Regina Schelin, Jill Westerfield Davis, Thomas Nendze, Dorothy Klauss, Terrence Mahoney and Anthony Gordon

### **RELIGIOUS ED NEWS:**

**8th Level:** February 27, 6:30PM, Students must attend Stations of the Cross followed by a game night.

All community service hours and sponsor paperwork must be handed in NOW.

**7th Level:** Group C Mass on February 28 at 5PM. Group C only. Students must arrive by 4:45.

**2nd Level:** Reconciliation Meeting on February 26 from 7-9PM, with Ray Boswell.

Reconciliation : PBE at 10AM and EJR at 1PM.

Substitute teachers are needed especially for Monday and Tuesday evenings levels 6, 7 and 8. If you are able to help please call the Religious Ed Office at 744-9944 ext. 11.

***For information or club dates on events for young adults please look on Infant Saviour's website at [infantsaviour.org](http://infantsaviour.org)***

### **WALKER VALLEY CATHOLIC SOCIETY NEWS:**

Feb. 15 : Business Donation Letters mailed out

**First Meeting:** March 1st-- Dues, Easter Basket/Tricky Tray Plans, Business Donations

**THE WALKER VALLEY CATHOLIC SOCIETY** Our successful Tricky Tray Socials in 2014 had much to do with the generosity of donations from the parish. We hope we can count on your continued support in 2015. We already have our donations boxes out as our first Tricky Tray event will be on April 25. We will be collecting NEW items until the end of February. Thank you in advance for your help and support!

**PLEASE REMEMBER OUR MILITARY IN YOUR PRAYERS:**

Henry Brylowski Jr. (Army); John Walton (Army) Ryan Gordon (Navy); (Navy); Ed Ryan (Iraq); Jamie Flodin (Marines); Lyndsey Flodin (Marines) Chris Corti (US Air Force); Sean Patrick Barry (Marines), Louis Springer (Commander, Navy); John Broughal (Air Force) Jon M. Donofrio (Marines); Michael Ditzio (Navy), Captain Caitlin Conley (Fort Bragg, NC) James Grabinski (US Air Force), Jeremy Reinhardt (Navy) Eddison Parris (Camp Lejeune, NC); Capt. Francis Pascucci (USMC), CPT Jennifer Pascucci, (Army); Michael Haffner (Airforce), Heather Owney (1st Lt. Army), John A. Burrow (Air Force), Breana Mangold (Navy), Christopher Mangold (Navy), Christopher Chase (Midshipman, Navy), Nicholas G. Burrow (AirForce), Andrew Starke (Air Force), Daniel Vasseur (Navy) Philip Longden (Army), Alex Hyde Goudreau (MP Army), Matthew Wilkins (Air Force), Zachary Sawitsky (Marines), Jake Sawitsky (Marines), Aaron Nahs (Air National Guard), James A. Tremper, Jr. (Army), Sean Kane (Army), Arthur Jefferson III (Army), Timothy Fay (T/Sgt., Air Force), Casey Fay (1st. Lt., Army), Brian Daniel Gray (Marines), Devin Masiero (Marines), William LaCovara (Air Force)

**PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR MEN AND WOMEN:**

Almighty God, we stand before You asking for Your divine mercy and protection. Embrace with Your invincible armour our loved ones in all branches of the service. Give them courage and strength against all enemies both spiritual and physical and hasten their safe journey back to their homes and families. Amen.

**DO YOU HAVE** 2-3 hours a week to spend time with a Senior Parishioner. For more detailed information please contact Gail Baumann at 744-9944 ext. 11

<b>COLLECTIONS:</b>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2014</u>
Sunday Collection 02/08/2015	\$5,797.56	\$6,041.24

Thank you for your generosity.

**Collections for the Month of February 2015**

- February 1: Weekly/Building Fund
- February 8: Weekly
- February 15: Weekly/Peter's Pence
- February 22: Weekly/Maintenance

**PARISHPAY** is a really good alternate means of support for our Church in which **96 families** in our Parish are currently participating instead of using envelopes. Parish Pay will now collect weekly or monthly contributions from your checking, savings or credit card each Month at NO cost to you. It is all highly confidential and secure. The quickest, easiest and secure way to enroll is through using the website [www.parishpay.com](http://www.parishpay.com), or calling the Parish Office 744-2391 x10

**Cardinal's Appeal 2015** has now begun. The Appeal is critical to the work and life of the Archdiocese of New York and each of its Parishes. Please consider giving a sacrificial pledge to the 2015 Appeal. Thank you.



**Season of Lent**

Another **Season of Lent**, which is a special time of grace, is going to begin on **Ash Wednesday**. The Season of Lent has always been a graceful time of prayer and a period to experience special acts of self-sacrifice. This season encourages fasting and charity joined with an awareness for the need to pray.

However, although those disciplines of fasting and abstinence are important aspects of Lent, this season is more than just observing them. Above all, Lent needs to be a time of conversion and renewal of faith and life. In this time of conversion, we are called to allow Jesus to enter into our lives. And so, it is a time of renewal as we continue our journey of following His call with a renewed commitment. Fasting and abstinence are good disciplines that are meant to help us pray better and to be charitable. At the beginning of the season, it is good to remind us of the words of Jesus, "Come to Me... I will refresh you." Repentance, turning away from sin, and returning to God once again, may include some form of penance. And so, the fundamental motif of Season of Lent involves repentance, and eventually, it invites us to rethink how we live.

Fasting and abstinence from certain food is a biblical discipline that can be referred both from the Old Testament (Daniel 10:2-3) and the New Testament. Jesus encouraged His disciples to fast (Mt 9:14-15, Luke 5:35) and gave instructions for how they should do so (Mt 6:16-18). Traditionally and according to USCCB (United States Conference of Catholic Bishops), Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are obligatory days of fasting and abstinence for Catholics. In addition, Fridays during Lent are obligatory days of abstinence. The norms of fasting obliges all those who have reached the age of 18 and encourages continuing until age 59 unless one is exempted for various reasons, such as health reasons. Let us have a meaningful Lent. *Fr. Niranjan Rodrigo*

- February 20**
- February 27**
- March 6**

**STATIONS OF THE CROSS WILL BE HELD EVERY FRIDAY NIGHT DURING LENT AT 6:30PM:**

- March 13**
- March 20**
- March 27**

**If you are not a registered Parishioner and would like to register or have a change of address please fill out form and drop in collection basket or mail to the Rectory.**

<p>PARISH MEMBERSHIP:      Date: _____</p> <p>Name _____</p> <p>Street _____</p> <p>City _____ Zip _____</p> <p>Phone No. _____</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Check          _____ New Registration receive envelopes _____          _____ Change of Address          _____ Moving out of Parish</p>
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