

# The Most Holy Trinity



**May 22, 2016**

**Church of St. Boniface**

And

**St. Mary's Syro Malabar Mission**

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## MASS SCHEDULE

Weekdays: 9:00am in the Chapel  
Friday: 5:30pm Syro Malabar Rite  
Saturday: 9:00am Syro Malabar Rite  
5:00pm Mass  
Sunday: 9:00am  
11:00am Syro Malabar Rite  
12:30pm Syro Malabar (English)  
Holy Day: 9:00AM, 7:30PM day of & night before

## **CONFESSIONS**

Saturdays: 4:00PM - 4:30PM or by Appointment

## **BAPTISMS**

By appointment

## **WEDDINGS**

Couples should contact the rectory 6 months before the date of the wedding.

## MUSIC PROGRAMS

Jim Coakley, Director of Music Ministry  
Adult Choir 845-216-2768

## ROSARY

Saturday at 9AM - Religious Ed. Room - Open to all

## FUNDRAISING

Dennis Dale, Chairperson (845)354-1981

## PARISH COUNCIL

Dennis Dale, Chairperson (845)354-1981

## SPIRITUAL LIFE COMMITTEE

Peggy Noble, Chairperson 845-596-2861

## TELEPRAYER NETWORK

For prayer needs: Rose Alessi 845-290-1670

## BIBLE DISCUSSION GROUP

Saturdays in Religious Education room  
at 8AM September-June  
Kay Olive-Kelly: Call for Details 914-552-5246

## RESPECT LIFE/FAMILY LIFE

Bill Martin 914-906-4291

## ST.BONIFACE TRUSTEES

Rick Eil 845-548-4476  
Maire Liberace 845-354-3291

## ST. MARY'S TRUSTEES

George Edattel 845-354-0790  
Shajan Thottakara 845-548-6066  
Sajan Thomas 845-321-0781  
Degy Philip (Secretary) 201-374-7080

## ST. MARY'S CATECHISM DIRECTOR

James Kanacherril 845-267-0353

## MARY MATHA MALAYALAM SCHOOL DIRECTOR

Joseph Vaniapillil 845-353-3213

*Tabernacle candle lit for:*



**Let us pray for the sick:**

## Mass Intentions

<b>May 21 &amp; 22</b>	<b>Intentions</b>
<b>Sat 5:00PM</b>	Mary & Ignacio Puma
<b>Sun 9:00AM</b>	Rose Savino
<b>Mon 9:00AM</b>	Mother's Day Remembered
<b>Tues 9:00AM</b>	Mary Sullivan
<b>Wed 9:00AM</b>	Mother's Day Remembered
<b>Thurs 9:00AM</b>	Mother's Day Remembered
<b>Fri 9:00AM</b>	Patrick Owen & Family (Living)

<b>May 28 &amp; 29</b>	<b>Intentions</b>
<b>Sat 5:00PM</b>	John King
<b>Sun 9:00AM</b>	Angelina Brooks

### St. Mary's Masses

Friday: 5:30PM  
 Saturday: 9:00AM  
 Sunday: 11:00AM  
 Sunday: 12:30PM (English)  
 (When there is CCD)

## Weekly Collection

May 15th. Attendance	223
May 15th. Collection	\$ 2091.00
ParishPay	\$ 370.00
May 15th. Total	\$ 2461.00



the **CARDINAL'S**  
 ANNUAL STEWARDSHIP APPEAL  
*Sharing God's Gifts*

### Weekly Donor Listing Summary to Date:

Goal	Pledged	Paid	# of Gifts
\$34,000.00	\$16,940.00	\$12,820.00	60

*Thank you for your generosity!*

Save the Date - Saturday, June 25

St Boniface 50th Anniversary  
Parish Picnic

Gaye Collins  
 Orlando Pentrelli  
 Shajan Jacob  
 Dirce Bauco  
 Ben Costa  
 Micheline C. Birdsall  
 Daniel Meehan  
 Marie Donnelly  
 Anthony Kulik  
 Peter Huebner  
 Angelina Pineda  
 Andrew Conachey  
 Annette Irving  
 Alyssa Lombardo  
 Michael Martin  
 Marie Brennan  
 Rita Ell  
 Elisa Pomeranz  
 Walter Cekleniak  
 Thomas McHale  
 Zenaida Ermita

Regina Nowinski  
 Ralph Mascia Jr.  
 Thomas Wissman  
 Frank Maggio  
 Laura Maggio  
 Ralph Mascia  
 Nicholas Johnson  
 Emmett Green  
 Megan Hughes  
 Dorothy Crapanzano  
 Bob Cozzi  
 The Gravinos  
 John L. Lebinski III  
 Kim M. Crowley  
 Justin Rogers  
 Matthew Meehan  
 Lucretia LoRusso  
 David Nash  
 Nicholas Urban  
 Jared Scheringer

What better gift than Mass prayers and to light the Tabernacle candle to have friends and family remembered for birthdays, anniversaries, and so many other occasions. Mass intentions and candles are not only for the deceased, but also as a Special Intention for the Living. Feel free to call us with a date. There is a list of available dates. You can leave your \$15.00 donation for Mass stipends or \$10.00 for the tabernacle offering in the rectory .

### The Most Holy Trinity May 15, 2016

#### First Reading: Proverbs 8:22-31

The Holy Spirit, as personified Wisdom, speaks of His superiority over all things because He originated before them and witnessed their creation.

#### Second Reading: Romans 5:1-5

St. Paul tells us that we are at peace with God the Father through Our Lord Jesus Christ. We then can even "boast of our afflictions."

#### Gospel: John 16:12-15

The Paraclete plays the role of teacher since Jesus could not tell His disciples everything they should know. The Paraclete also became their guide to the "truth" of Jesus as God's only Son and our Redeemer.

### **Reflection by Rev. Leonard N. Peterson**

Teachers everywhere will likely agree with the maxim "If you become a teacher, by your pupils you'll be taught." My own experience of twenty-five years teaching at both the secondary and university levels bears this out. How my students urged me to make a concept clearer or an idea even more appealing.

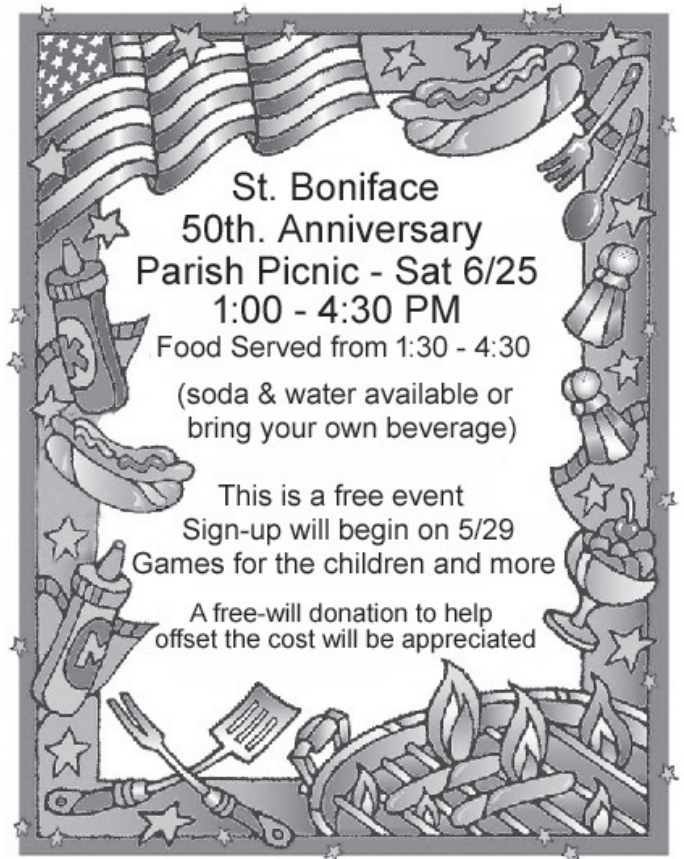
It has been both a joy and a consolation to meet many of them in later life and I enjoy listening to them tell me of some gem of wisdom which I dispensed but often don't remember. As I see time moving along in life, I cannot help but wonder if they are surprised that I'm still around. Shades of Mr. Chips!

That adage I referred to could not ever be applied to our divine Teacher. Those first uneducated disciples of Jesus were likely unaware how accurate they were when they called Him "Master." He was, and is, the perfect teacher.

We only know from Jesus that there is a Father and Son, and that they sent us yet another member of their "family" called the Holy Spirit. That Spirit is the Person who taught those simple fishermen, as well as the tax collector Matthew, and the tent-maker Paul the understanding of who Jesus was, and what He taught. The Spirit still does that for us. He also guides the Church along her grand march through time.

The Blessed Trinity is a reality far beyond our ability to understand. Nor can any earthly teacher explain it. It is a part of revelation that lives in the realm of faith. Human reason may remain puzzled, yet it dare not deny the possibility of the Trinity. When you stop to think about it, the fact that Jesus told us about it was motivated by His love for us. In revealing His authentic self, Jesus wants us to love Him as He truly is, much like a good friend lets us know him on an intimate level.

Meanwhile, we are called to remain grateful pupils for having such a Master. It is yet another sign of His love and mercy, in which we are very well schooled. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be. Amen.



### **St. Anthony's Relic Visits Nanuet June 17, 2016**

The Franciscan Friars invite you to join them in welcoming Saint Anthony of Padua. St. Anthony will be visiting us in the form of a precious relic from his Basilica in Padua, Italy. The relic will be accompanied by a friar from the Messenger of St. Anthony in Padua.

ST. ANTHONY PARISH  
36 W. Nyack Road, Nanuet,  
845.623.2138

Veneration ALL DAY  
Masses at 6:30, 9 AM and 7 PM Closing Mass  
3 PM Divine Mercy Chaplet & Rosary

For more information Please Contact  
ANTHONIAN ASSOCIATION  
TEL: 914.263.884

### **Bereavement Sessions (Ministry of Consolation)**

St Francis of Assisi, West Nyack, Tuesdays,  
7:00 PM- 8:30 PM, May 3 through June 7.  
Please call the rectory at 634-4957.

If you have lost a loved one, come for discussion, understanding and faith in healing.

## May Ministries

5/22/2016	Altar Servers	Lector	Eucharistic Ministers
5:00PM	Vettamveilil, Maduekwe	Wojnicki	Bonanno, Ball, Maralit
9:00 AM	J.Negrin, Matos	K.Negron	Echeverria, Revesz, B.Negron

5/29/2016	Altar Servers	Lector	Eucharistic Ministers
5:00PM	Vettamveilil, Maduekwe	McNamara	Liberace, Ball, E. McNamara
9:00 AM	J.Negrin, Matos	Liftin	Dale, Eckert, Kapral



A message from Cardinal Dolan:

This is an important year, not only for our archdiocese, but also for the Church Universal as we celebrate the Jubilee Year of Mercy.

Jesus' Sermon on the Mount defines what it is to be his disciple. The message is simple yet reflective: We as Christians strive to emulate the Beatitudes. Dedication to doing so brings the Lord's blessings in our lives.

Jesus teaches us to act with mercy, compassion, and love in the Beatitudes. In this brochure, you will see how the archdiocese is applying the Beatitudes throughout our communities of faith.

During this Year of Mercy, I thank you for your generosity as our archdiocesan family continues to strive in answering the call to live as Jesus taught us.

### Albertus Magnus Annual Golf Classic Paramount Country Club, New City, NY Tuesday, May 31, 2016

\$250 per golfer includes: cart, balls, breakfast, dinner, beer and wine \$125 for dinner only  
Breakfast: 9am, Shotgun start: 10:30am,  
Dinner & Silent Auction 3:30pm

For more information or to register for the event, submit a journal ad, purchase a 50/50 or become a sponsor, please visit [www.albertusmagnus.net](http://www.albertusmagnus.net) or contact the AMHS Development Office at 845-623-8842 ext 229.

**\*\*Golfers and Dinner guests MUST register by May 20th to attend\*\***

The Rockland County Catholic Choir, comprised of members of parishes throughout the county, will be presenting their spring concert entitled 'Songs of Love, Peace and Hope' on Friday, June 10th at the Church of St. Joseph, 245 West Main Street, Spring Valley and on Saturday, June 11th at the Parish of St. Paul - St. Ann, 82 Lake Road West, Congers. Both concerts will begin at 7:30pm. A freewill offering will be taken.

### WE NEED YOU TO VOLUNTEER

At One to One Learning 640 N. Midland Ave, Upper Nyack to teach beginner, intermediate, advanced English, GED and Citizenship preparation. To help with the children's program in the evening while parents are in class.

Please call Sr. Cecilia at 845-512-8176 or  
Email: [clpangel59@gmail.com](mailto:clpangel59@gmail.com).  
Website: [One2One-Learning.org](http://One2One-Learning.org)

### Women Volunteers Needed at St. Zita's Villa

If you can spare 2-hours just once or twice a month, St. Zita's Villa for adult women needs volunteers to help serve meals and assist with arts & crafts and other recreational activities for the residents. Located at 50 Saddle River Rd, Monsey, NY, St. Zita's Villa is operated by the Roman Catholic Sisters of the Reparation of the Congregation of Mary.

The volunteers program is coordinated by Catholic Daughters Court John Paul II, headquartered at St. Zita's. For information, please contact Jeanne Flaherty Ph.(917) 572-8345  
Email [jeanne@geocap.com](mailto:jeanne@geocap.com).

**If you are planning to use the Church or Fr. Boyd Hall for meetings or any other purpose in the evenings, please notify the office at least 24 hours in advance so arrangements can be made for access.**

**Help to those who have lost  
a baby at birth or prior to birth.  
Free and Confidential**

This Ministry takes place at the Marian Shrine  
(Lomagno Hall- adjacent to Shrine Church.)

June 20, 2016

**\*\*THE TIME IS 7:00p.m.\*\***

For more information e-mail  
RachelMinister1@aol.com or call 845-492-6709

**St. Boniface Website**



Our new St. Boniface website is  
now available at:  
[www.saintbonifacechurch.org](http://www.saintbonifacechurch.org)

Please take the time to check it  
out. You will find a wealth of useful  
information. If there is anything you would like to  
see added, please e-mail Bob Chamberlain at:  
n2kbc@aol.com with your suggestions.



**Worldwide Marriage Encounter**

**“Beloved: See what love the Father has be-  
stowed on us . . .”**

Take time to be with your beloved on the next  
Worldwide Marriage encounter Weekend. For  
more information go to: [www.wwme.org](http://www.wwme.org) or call  
toll free: 877-NYS-WWME ext 3.

**There is a Pro Life Mass celebrated every  
1st Monday night of the month at 7:30pm at  
St. Francis of Assisi Church, 128 Parrott  
Road in West Nyack.**

**ST. BONIFACE  
REGISTRATION FORM**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Children: \_\_\_\_\_ Ages: \_\_\_\_\_

Schools Attending: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

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Enroll me in: [ ] Envelopes [ ] ParishPay



We need more altar servers.  
If your son or daughter would like  
to be an Altar Server, please  
contact the Rectory Office for  
additional information.

The only requirement is to have  
completed First Holy Communion.  
Training will be provided.

**Get important updates from the parish  
Go to: [www.Flocknote.com/stboniface](http://www.Flocknote.com/stboniface)  
or text stbon to 84576 from your phone**

You will be able to choose what info you would like  
to receive via email or text message  
You can unsubscribe at any time

**The Sacraments**

Are you or anyone you know, in need of receiv-  
ing a Sacrament? Has time gone by and you  
suddenly realize that you or a loved one, has  
yet to receive the Sacrament of Baptism, or  
Penance, or the Eucharist, or Confirmation?  
Please call the rectory if you would like to re-  
ceive a sacrament that you have not partici-  
pated in yet.

**Garden of Memories**

Brick Donations of \$170.00  
to cover the expenses  
Contact the Rectory Office for details

**Rectory Office Hours**

Monday to Thursday 8:30am to 1:30pm  
Fr. Thadeus e-mail address is:  
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Office e-mail: [r399@archny.org](mailto:r399@archny.org)