

**MARCH 14th, 2010
LAETARE SUNDAY**

MASS INTENTIONS

- Sunday (March 14) Fourth Sunday of Lent**
 8:00 Steve Sr. & Anna Zorich, Daughters Mary & Sophie
Requested By: Family
 10:00 Deceased Members of the Albert Cococcia Family
Requested By: Family
 12:00 Elizabeth Huba
Requested By: Husband
 7:00 Spanish Mass
- Monday (March 15) Lenten Weekday**
 7:00 Josephine Bennett
Requested By: Ellen Bennett
 9:00 Remedios Family
Requested By: Carlos & Dorina Lopes
- Tuesday (March 16) Lenten Weekday**
 7:00 Marie Bibo
Requested By: PER Association B.P.D.E #744
 9:00 Linda Diodati
Requested By: John DeRico & Family
- Wednesday (March 17) St. Patrick, bishop**
 7:00 Patsy Salvate
Requested By: Mary & Edward Schuka
 9:00 Lillian M. Eustace
Requested By: Family
- Thursday (March 18) St. Cyril of Jerusalem**
 7:00 Romaldine Rodricks
Requested By: Agnel Rodricks & Family
 9:00 Patsy Salvate
Requested By: Mr. & Mrs. Angelo Crapanzano
- Friday (March 19) St. Joseph, Husband of the Blessed Virgin Mary**
 7:00 Pasquale "Patsy" Salvate
Requested By: Gizella Forte
 9:00 Joseph Astrologo
Requested By: Wife & Family
- Saturday (March 20) Lenten Weekday**
 9:00 John Huba
Requested By: Brother
 5:00 Silvino D'Ottavio
Requested By: Mr. & Mrs. Carmine DeLuca
- Sunday (March 21) Fifth Sunday of Lent**
 8:00 Pro-Populo
 10:00 Deceased Members of the Schuka Family
Requested By: Mary & Ed Schuka
 12:00 Maria Baldini & Deceased Members of the Baldini Family
Requested By: Angelo & Maria Baldini
 7:00 Spanish Mass

26 WEEK CLUB WINNERS

Congratulations to this the winners of the 26 week club raffle for the month of March:

Mar. 5. Anna-Lisa Matteson.

The 26 week club is a yearly fundraiser that helps our Catholic School.

FATHER WILSON HALL

Since March 1st, 2010, Father Wilson Hall has been under construction, for much needed floor repairs. We expect the repairs to take anywhere from 4-6 weeks. As a result of this work, Bingo will be moved to the Elks Lodge, 1038 Brown Street Peekskill, NY 10566, for the 5 Mondays in March.

MEMORIALIZATIONS

Altar Candles

Pasquale "Patsy" Salvate
Requested By: Sharon Daniels

PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE ILL

Msgr. Francis Ansbro, Fr. Arthur Leo, Betty Ann Malik, Arthur Farry Jr., Lillian Ward, Helen Pezanowski, Robert Polhill, James Coshigano, Cecilia Meade, Colleen Armeline, Michael Ritornato, Leon Fortier, Edith Fields, Pablo Garcia, Kieran Casey, Catherine Chesser, Nina Moretti, Maria Moretti, Judy Risenhover, Joan Bursztyn, Maria Clorinda Hurtado, Julia Elena Suarez, Gloria Segarra, Benjamina Matos, Ivania Martinez, Bessy Campos, Julio Quirindumbay, Janet Fortier, Linda McGarr, Flora McLaughlin and Jerry Traver.



Monday 7:30pm - Fr. Wilson Hall Maria Burrett, Joe Chick, Fran Cummins, John D' Angelo, Joe Danko, Dan DeLuca, Joan Guzzardo, Gert Kelly, Margaret A. Kiley, Mary Jean Merando, Joe Mirabello, Jack Polonka, Mary Simone, Pete Skorewicz, George Strumke, Viviano Machado, George Smith, and Tom Pisani.

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE 2010

HOLY THURSDAY (April 1st 2010)

9:00AM TENEBRAE –
 7:30PM Bilingual Mass - MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER
 (Bilingual — English & Spanish)
 ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT at the altar of
 repose until MIDNIGHT. The Church will close at Midnight.

GOOD FRIDAY (April 2nd. 2010)

9:00AM TENEBRAE -
 12 PM Stations of the cross (In the Church)
 1:30 PM Live Stations of the Cross (Spanish)
 at Assumption Cemetery
 3:00PM Celebration of the Lord's Passion

HOLY SATURDAY (April 3rd, 2010)

9:00AM TENEBRAE –
 8:00PM EASTER VIGIL MASS - Bilingual
 (MASS OF THE RESURRECTION)
 With the celebration of the Sacraments of Initiation

EASTER SUNDAY (April 4th, 2010)

MASSES: 8AM IOAM 12NOON
 2:30PM (Spanish) 7PM (Spanish)

Confessions

Good Friday 4:30pm - 7:00pm
 Holy Saturday 3:00pm – 5:00pm

TITHING REPORT

March 8, 2009.....	\$8,947.00
February 28, 2010.....	\$8,838.00

RESPECT LIFE



"While there are many evils rampant in our time, many threats to human life and dignity, and while we must be concerned about them all, I remain convinced that abortion can rightly be called the primal evil of our time. It is always gravely immoral. Its victims are among the most vulnerable and defenseless members of the human family. Since Roe v. Wade, 47 million human lives have been destroyed before birth or during the birth process. Hundreds of thousands of women have been traumatized by abortion. Many men grieve because they could not protect an unborn child they helped to bring into being. Abortion is the most striking and profound symptom of the abyss into which the ethics of much of the United States, indeed, the world, has fallen" – Bishop Richard Malone, Diocese of Portland, ME - January 13, 2007. **The next Respect Life Holy Hour will be March 23rd, 2010 at 7:00PM – 8:00PM.**

ASSUMPTION CHOIR

Consider the words of Saint Ambrose from the 4th Century:

Who could retain a grievance against the man with whom he had joined in singing before God? 'Psalmody – the singing of psalms (and one might add 'hymnody' - the singing of hymns) unites those who disagree, makes friends of those at odds, brings together those who are out of charity with one another. Psalmody is the rewarding work of the night, the grateful relaxation of the busy day, the good beginning and the fortifying conclusion of all work. It is the ministry of the angels, the strength of the heavenly host, the spiritual sacrifice."

The Adult Choir invites YOU to praise God and celebrate Lent and the Paschal Mystery with us! Rehearsals: Mondays in the choir loft 5:30-7:00 pm. Further information: email Donna Sticco at choir@assumptionpeekskill.org

FEAST OF ST. PATRICK & ST. JOSEPH



What emanates from the figure of Saint Joseph is faith. Joseph of Nazareth is a "just man" because he totally "lives by faith." St. Patrick began preaching the Gospel throughout Ireland, converting many. He and

his disciples preached and converted thousands and began building churches all over the country. Please join us after the 9:00am Mass on March 17th in the Annex for some traditional Irish Soda bread and on March 19th also after the 9:00am Mass for some traditional Italian Zeppoli's and Coffee in the Annex Hall.

RESPECT FOR LIFE HOLY HOUR

Did you know that Assumption Church holds a monthly Respect for life Holy Hour? Scheduled on or about the 22nd of each month (to mark the Anniversary of the Supreme Court Decision; Roe vs. Wade). It is a time to pray together for those who have been wounded by abortion, for respect, for the dignity of human life from conception to natural death, and that those who govern us may be guided by justice, truth, and a love for the gift of life. Please join us for the next Respect for Life Holy Hour on March 23rd, 2010 at 7:00 pm.

NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING CLASSES AT ASSUMPTION

Take advantage of this *great* opportunity to learn Natural Family Planning so close to home. Natural Family Planning teaches couples to understand their fertility so that they can accurately plan or postpone pregnancy. Specific studies of NFP have indicated that its reliability is over 99% when properly taught and used. Moreover, NFP involves both spouses in decision making and responsibility and so it promotes mutual love and affection of husband and wife and encourages better and deeper communication, intimacy and understanding. Moreover, spouse can feel at peace knowing that are not going against Church teaching. Assumption Parish is sponsoring Natural Family Planning classes starting Saturday, March 20th, 2010. They will take place in the Rectory library starting at 1:00 PM. To register or for more information please call the rectory (914) 737-2071 or register directly on line at - <http://register.ccli.org/> or follow the links on the Couple to Couple League Website from www.ccli.org

SCHOOL NEWS

Congratulations to our very own Ruth Leon, 8th grade student of our school, who won the 3rd prize in the Daughters of the American Revolution Essay contest.

ASSUMPTION SCHOOL ON FACEBOOK

Become a fan of Assumption School on Facebook. Keep up with all the "goings-on" at your parish school. Share a comment! Spread the good news about Catholic education.

5TH ANNUAL DIVINE MERCY CONFERENCE



The theme of the 2010 conference will be "The Time for Mercy is Now." Featuring Fr. Benedict Groeschel CFR, Fr. Donald Calloway, MIC, Fr. Frank Pavone, MEV, Special Guest Archbishop Dolan and many more, this powerful event is co-sponsored by the Marian Fathers of the Immaculate Conception, the Franciscan Friars of the Renewal (CFR), and the Divine Mercy Apostolate of the Diocese of Brooklyn, will take place at Cardinal Spellman High School – Bronx, NY. ON March 27th, 2010. Registration in advance and at the door (space permitting) \$55.00. Several bus locations are available including Beach shopping center. For more information and registration please call 1800-462-7426

SHERWIN WILLIAMS

We want to Thank our local Sherwin Williams store located in the Beach Shopping center. They very generously donated the paint that was used in our Father Wilson Hall Renovation project. Sherwin Williams would also like to extend a discount to Assumption parishioners, \$10 off a \$50 purchase, with this bulletin blurb serving as the coupon.

COFFEE HOUR



Next Sunday's Coffee Hour will be sponsored by the Sponsored By Filipino Community. Each month a different group of the parish sponsors the Coffee Hour which takes place after the 12:00 noon Mass usually the third Sunday of the Month. Please stop by and have a cup of coffee and some delicious light refreshment.