



**Liturgy Intentions
For The Week**

5:00 p.m. May 7, Saturday	Donna Corsale Anthony Delvecchio Andrew DeGregorio, Sr.	Tom and Joan Esposito Theresa Reynolds and Family Family
7:30 a.m. May 8, Sunday	Deceased members of the Julian Family Mary Zacek Rita Rowland	Roger Julian Family Michael Rowland
9:00 a.m. May 8, Sunday	Rosena Vogel Susan Fricano	Kathy Hart Fricano Family
11:30 a.m. May 8, Sunday	Kelly Parsley Jackson	Linda Lampron Shufelt
8:00 a.m., May 9, Monday	Martha and Joseph Niederberger	Daughter, Rita
8:00 a.m. May 10, Tuesday	Sherrill "Bunky" Cudney	Fr. Neil Draves-Arpaia
8:00 a.m. May 11, Wednesday	Zoa and Edward McKiernan	Daughter, Catherine Hubbs
8:00 a.m. May 12, Thursday	Louis S. Agosta	Wife, Nellie
8:00 a.m. May 13, Friday	Sherrill Cudney	Stanley Williamson
5:00 p.m. May 14, Saturday	Deceased Members Donna Corsale Mr. and Mrs. Edward Scala	Ladies Auxiliary, ITAM Post 35 Bob Spratt Daughter and Family
7:30 a.m. May 15, Sunday	William Arpey, Jr. Charles King	Maria and Ted D'Aloia Charles ad Alberta Bennett
9:00 a.m. May 15, Sunday	J. Michael Fitzgibbons Margaret Iacovelli	Carol, Katie and David Fitzgibbons Iacovelli Family
11:30 a.m. May 15, Sunday	Timothy J. Tellstone Daniel O'Donnell	Family

Readings for Sunday, May 15, Fourth Sunday of Easter: Acts 2:14a,36-41, 1 Pt 2:20b-25; Jn 10:1-10



May 14-15, 2011



Mass	Eucharistic Ministers	Bread Baker	Readers
5:00 p.m. Saturday, May 14	Diane Beyer, Leo Demers, Mary Ann Foley, Mary Rose Turo, Ed Dannehy, Barbara Dannehy, Mary Brooks, Judith Pierson. 1 unfilled	Michele and Tara Suprunowicz	Francis Pierson John Sisk
7:30 a.m. Sunday, May 15	Rich Rowland, Eileen Reese, Christine Rowland, Steve Rowland, Debbie Kwiecien, 3 unfilled		Michael Postlethwait Mary Riegert
9:00 a.m. Sunday, May 15	Diane Kozak, Andrew Kozak, Cindy Sharpe, Clarie Couch, Michelle Hicks, Maria Forbes, Rita Usher, Anne Marthy-Noonan, Maggie McNichols, 2 unfilled		Marie Poutre Kathleen Greiner
11:30 a.m. Sunday, May 15	Jacqueline Donnelly, George Pitts, Marilyn Pitts, Marie Landry, Eugene Landry, Marilyn Lategano, Judy Walker, 3 unfilled		JoAnn Clements Cheryl Dudinetz

Please remember in your prayers all those members of our parish family who are sick or suffering in any way, all those in hospitals or nursing homes, and all of our shut-ins. We pray for all who have died recently, including Frances Lemay and Philomena O'Malley. Let us not forget the victims of violence at home and abroad. We remember the men and women serving in the armed forces as we continually pray for peace.

~~~ Many additional donations have been made to SPNA (St. Peter's Needy Association) in memory of Sherrill "Bunky" Cudney. ~~~

| Attendance        | Collection                                                                     | Average to Date                        |
|-------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|
|                   | Easter Collection 2011 (to date):<br><b>FINAL</b> Collection Total Easter 2010 | \$19,793.50<br>\$19,433.52             |
| May 1, 2011 1,164 | Weekly Collection                                                              | \$9,584.85                             |
| May 2, 2010 1,139 | Weekly Collection                                                              | \$10,697.25                            |
|                   | SPNA (Blue Envelopes)<br>(To date)                                             | May 2011 \$682.00<br>May 2010 \$631.00 |

Thank you for your generosity and for remembering your weekly contribution when you are away.

**Family Perspective**

By Bud Ozar

In today's gospel the disciples were returning home so "downcast" they did not recognize Jesus walking with them. In our homes we can be so overwhelmed with responsibilities we don't see God with us. Today's gospel tells us to stop and open our eyes to the blessings we are to one another.

**Marriage Moments**

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Husbands, your wife is not your mother, but your mother probably set a tone for how you regard women.

If it was a healthy model, thank your mother. If it wasn't, don't live in the past. Change it.

**Parenting Pointers**

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"A life focused on what I on will always be a poor substitute for one focused on knowing who I am." (Raising Kids Who Will Make Difference) You're your child know him/herself better this week. Help them identify a strength and an area for growth.

**Faith Alive!**

To stay informed about our Catholic faith and news of our Diocese, read The Evangelist, our Albany Diocesan newspaper. The Evangelist offers extensive, in depth coverage. To subscribe, call 584-2375.

## Third Sunday of Easter

### This Week in Our Parish

|        |                             |               |                              |
|--------|-----------------------------|---------------|------------------------------|
| 5/9 M  | Outreach Office             | 9:00a-12:00p  | Rectory                      |
|        | SCCHS Testing               | 8:00-11:00 am | Parish Center-Flr 3/Cafe     |
|        | Catholic Homeschrs-TORCH    | 1:00-3:00p    | Parish Ctr                   |
|        |                             | 1:15-1:45 pm  | Church                       |
|        | SCCHS – Fine Arts           | 4:00-10:00 pm | Parish Ctr-Cafe              |
|        | AA Meeting                  | 7:00-9:30 pm  | Parish Center-Room 206       |
|        | Pastoral Council            | 7:00 pm       | Parish Ctr-Rsrce Rm          |
| 5/10 T | SCCHS Testing               | 8:00-11:00 am | Parish Center-Flr 3/Cafe     |
|        | SCCHS Mass                  | 1:30-2:15 pm  | Church                       |
|        | SCCHS                       | 11:00a–2:00   | Parish Ctr                   |
|        | SCCHS – Fine Arts           | 2:30-5:30 pm  | Parish Ctr-Cafe              |
|        | SCT                         | 6:00-8:30p    | PC:Rm 203-205/209 Cafe/Stage |
| 5/11 W | Prayer Team                 | 8:30-8:45 am  | Church                       |
|        | Scripture Group             | 8:45-10:00 am | Pctr: Resource Rm            |
|        | Outreach Office             | 9:00a-12:00p  | Rectory                      |
|        | Roman Missal Workshop       | 7:00-9:00 pm  | Parish Ctr-Room 206          |
|        | SCCHS Fine Arts             | 2:30-5:00 pm  | Parish Ctr-Cafe              |
|        | SCT                         | 6:00p-8:30a   | PC:Rm 203-205/209 Cafe/Stage |
| 5/12 T | SCCHS Testing               | 8:00-11:00 am | Parish Center-Flr 3/Cafe     |
|        | Rosary                      | 8:30 am       | Church                       |
|        | SCCHS – Fine Arts           | 2:30-5:30 pm  | Parish Ctr-Cafe              |
|        | Choir Rehearsal             | 7:00 pm       | Church                       |
| 5/13 F | SCCHS Testing               | 8:00-11:00 am | Parish Center-Flr 3/Cafe     |
|        | SCCHS – Fine Arts           | 6:00-10:00 pm | Parish Ctr-Cafe              |
|        | Outreach Office             | 9a-12 noon    | Rectory                      |
| 5/14 S | SCT                         | 9:00-4:00p    | PC:Rm 203-205/209 Cafe/Stage |
|        | SCCHS – Fine Arts           | 6:00-10:00 pm | Parish Ctr-Cafe              |
| 5/15 S | Sister Anne Gratton Jubilee | 1:00 pm       | Church                       |
|        | Reception                   | Following     | Parish Ctr                   |

**Thank you** for continued support of the food collection for our less fortunate brothers and sisters. Please leave non-perishable foods (No Glass containers, please) in the blue basket in the vestibule of the Church. Pet food items may also be donated.



*Sponsor of the week*  
**Kincaid Home furnishings of Latham**  
**801 New Loudon Road, Latham 783-1850**  
 Thank you for advertising in our weekly bulletin!

### BIRTHRIGHT to offer carnations on Mother's Day

Birthright of Ballston Spa will offer fresh carnations for a \$1 donation after all masses in celebration of Mother's Day on May 7 and 8. Proceeds from this sale will benefit women who need support through a crisis pregnancy. Your continued support of this fundraiser is truly appreciated.

### Church of St. Peter Golf Tournament

**Monday June 20–Ballston Spa Country Club/9:00 a.m. Shotgun Start**  
 18 hole scramble, open to all parishioners and friends of St. Peter. There will be prizes for Low Team scores, closest to the line and 4 closest to the pin. Make your own team or sign up and be put in a foursome. Male or female and any handicap level. Beginners and pros welcome.



Cost is \$95.00 and includes Greens Fees, Carts, Prizes, and Dinner by Panza's. All profits will be donated to the Church. Checks should be made payable to "The Church of St. Peter". Please sign up with Carolyn Hamlin in the Church office. (584-2375). Questions? Please call Bruce Kay. (583-8864).

~~ All loving and compassionate God,

You grace us, your children with every good gift. Father, open our hearts and our eyes and well as our hands to those of your people in need. To those who have less, to those who are sick, to those who are poor, to those who are homeless and those who despair. Enkindle in us the love of Jesus so that we may be as Christ in serving others among us who are in need, in the human family. Amen.

### 50th Anniversary ~ Sister Anne Gratton, CSJ

Come celebrate with the Sisters of Saint Joseph and the family of Sister Anne Gratton, on the occasion of her 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary as a Sister of Saint Joseph! The celebration will be Sunday, May 15, 2011 at 1:00 p.m. here in the Church of Saint Peter, the hometown Parish of Sr. Anne. There will be a reception with cookies, fruit and punch, immediately following in the Parish Center.

### Crowning of the Blessed Virgin Mary

The 17<sup>th</sup> Annual May Day Coronation will take place on Tuesday, May 17<sup>th</sup>, at St. Mary's Church in Ballston Spa at the regular 5:30 p.m. Mass and Crowning, with Fr. James Ebert. Confessions will be at 4:30 pm and Rosary at 5:15 pm with outside Procession after Mass. Father Ebert will bless and enroll the scapulars immediately after Benediction. Rosaries and Scapulars will be available, free of charge. Please join us in this very special evening dedicated to Mary, the Mother of Jesus. For more information, call Doris Smith (882-9226. This is sponsored by St. Mary's Our Lady of Peace Prayer Group.

### Volunteer Appreciation Brunch

Sunday, May 22, following the 11:30 a.m. Mass, all who serve in a Ministry are invited to attend the Volunteer Appreciation Brunch—a way of saying thank you for all that you do for our Parish Community. There is no cost but reservations are a must. Look for the information flyer with the tear-off reservation slip. Reservations close May 16.

### Bishop's Appeal

Today the 2011 Bishop's Appeal begins in our parish and throughout the Diocese of Albany. This is an opportunity for us to unite with all Catholics in the diocese, to share our blessings and to show our concerns for one another.

Your gift is important. Please assist the parish and the diocese in providing a wide variety of religious, educational, pastoral and charitable services throughout the fourteen counties of our diocese.

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### Emma Spaeth

Read updates and follow Emma's progress  
[www.caringbridge.org/visit/emmasarahspaeth](http://www.caringbridge.org/visit/emmasarahspaeth)

## New Students and Kindergarten Registration



We are in the process of registering children for K-6 Religious Education sessions for next fall. Forms will be mailed out to those in K-5 this year. If your child will be entering Kindergarten in fall 2011, or if your children have not previously attended Religious Education here at the Church of St. Peter, please call 587-4487 or visit our website at [stpeteronline.org](http://stpeteronline.org).

## Youth Ministry Grades 7 and 8 Registration

Registration forms for youth entering grades 7 and 8 in the fall will be sent out in the very near future. Watch for them in the mail!

## High School Youth Ministry Registration

Registration forms for High School Youth Ministry, those entering grades 9-11, will be mailed out in the next few weeks to those who participated this year. Watch for them to arrive! Thanks for your continued commitment to your teen's faith formation.

## Confirmation Program 2011-12

Do you know a high school tenth grader attending an area private school and planning on receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation? If so, please extend to them an invitation to contact Patty Poulette, in the Youth Ministry office for registration for next year's program.

Tenth graders currently registered in Youth Ministry at St. Peters will be mailed information regarding registration for next year's Confirmation program.

## Fair Trade Coffee House UpDate

Heartfelt thanks to all who supported this year's Fair Trade Coffee House. Whether you placed a pre-order, picked up a box of tea at the Palm Sunday gathering, or enjoyed a cup of coffee and a cupcake, your purchase made a difference. Because of your support, the Spring Semester ninth grade Youth Ministry students raised \$425 for their chosen charity: Saratoga Center for the Family. Thank you, as well, to the teens who hosted the event and the adults who helped for a job well done!  
 Pam Funciello, Catechist and Patty Poulette, Pastoral Associate for Youth Ministry, Grades 9-12.