

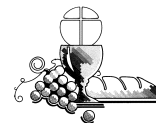
Unified in
Spirit & Faith

Saint Martha Parish

Creating Our Church for The Next Generation

10 French Road, Depew, New York 14043

Parish Website: www.stmarthadepew.org



≧THE MOST HOLY BODY & BLOOD OF CHRIST≦

~Online Parish Bulletin~

MISSION STATEMENT ~ The St. Martha Parish Community recognizes both friend and stranger as an honored guest. We strive to welcome each person as St. Martha welcomed Jesus. Embracing our Roman Catholicism, we live in faith, hope, and charity, guided by the Holy Spirit and sustained by the sacraments. We commit ourselves to serve our neighbors and others and thus strengthen the Church for the next generation.

✚ **LIVE STREAMING** - Visit www.stmarthadepew.org and click on "Watch & Listen" to view "live" at the appropriate time or click "Archive" to view later by scrolling down and clicking on what you want to view for the following:

✦ **MASSES** - Monday thru Friday at 8:15AM,
Saturday at 5:00PM (for the weekend Mass)

✦ **DAILY ROSARY** - at Noon listed as "Prayer Service"

✚ **BARN MASS** - Sunday, JUNE 14TH @ 10:00AM in the parking lot, tune your radio to 95.9FM. You must remain in your vehicle.

*Please note: We will still be live-streaming a mass that same weekend. The obligation to attend Mass is still temporarily abrogated and I seriously encourage the elderly and those who are vulnerable to not attend the Barn Mass, but to watch Mass on the live stream.

✚ **THE FOLLOWING ARE UPON REQUEST:**

ANOINTING OF THE SICK contact Fr. Bart, 684-6342 ext. 202

CONFESSIONS by appointment only, contact Fr. Bart

BAPTISMS contact the rectory for classes & dates

✚ **TEMPORARILY SUSPENDED:**

LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION CHAPEL CLOSED

MINISTRY FOR THE SICK - Most institutions are still limiting visitors at this time.

YOUTH MINISTRY - WWW.STMARTHADEPEW.ORG/YOUTH

Mrs. Koerner (681-5229), E-MAIL:

olbsyouthgroup@roadrunner.com.

✚ **FUNERALS & WEDDINGS:** ONLY 200 PEOPLE OR LESS CAN BE IN ATTENDANCE at this time.

✚ **PARISH NEWS LETTER ANNOUNCEMENTS** - At this time we will not publish any public gatherings as we are all responsible to keep ourselves and our neighbors as safe as possible from Covid-19 infection. Any article for updates as we move forward should be e-mailed to thebulletinlady@roadrunner.com by the Wednesday prior to the weekend for the announcement. Always include contact info for any questions. As always, **ALL ANNOUNCEMENTS ARE SUBJECT TO PASTOR APPROVAL & NON-parish news is also subject to "available space"**.

RECTORY 684-6342 (FAX 684-1853)

E-MAIL: INFO@STMARTHADEPEW.ORG

The rectory will be open with LIMITED office hours. Please call ahead for availability.

PASTOR: Rev. Bart W. Lipiec (ext 202)

PERMANENT DEACON: Jim Trzaska (ext 250)

SECRETARY: Gail Foster (ext 200)

BOOKKEEPER: Susan Koprucki (ext 201)

FOOD PANTRY: (ext 218)

MAINTENANCE DEPT: (ext 217)

BULLETIN EDITOR: Anne Mazurek (901-4440)

PARISH COUNCIL CHAIR: Robert Kucewicz

DIRECTOR OF MUSIC: Jill Muise (684-1825)

SCHOOL 685-2544 (FAX 685-9103)

WEBSITE: school.olbsdepew.org

PRINCIPAL: Mrs. Debbie Szczepanski

FAITH FORMATION 685-2546

DIRECTOR: Sr. Catherine Taberski, SSMN

SACRAMENTAL COORDINATOR FOR RECONCILIATION &

FIRST EUCHARIST: Mrs. Katie Honsberger

MASS SCHEDULE:

SUNDAY 06/14/20 to SUNDAY 06/21/20

SUNDAY: 10:00AM - BARN MASS
(or Watch Sat 4:30PM Mass online)

MONDAY: 8:15AM

TUESDAY: 8:15AM

WEDNESDAY: 8:15AM

THURSDAY: 8:15AM

FRIDAY: 8:15AM

SATURDAY: No Morning Mass
5:00PM (call on 6/17 for reservation)

SUNDAY: 10:00AM - BARN MASS
(or Watch Sat 5:00PM Mass online)

JUNE 14, 2020

✠ **ST. MARTHA MASS INTENTION** ✠

MONDAY, JUNE 15

8:15AM BARBARA SODARO - John & Mary Bitka

TUESDAY, JUNE 16

8:15AM MARGARET EGNER - Daughter

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 17

8:15AM MARION PALANO - Family

THURSDAY, JUNE 18

8:15AM RICHARD BREM - Jim Brem

FRIDAY, JUNE 19

8:15AM DON BAUER - Mary & Family

SATURDAY, JUNE 20

*NO Morning Mass

5:00PM For ALL FATHERS

(Saturday Mass will also be streamed & can be viewed on Sunday)

SUNDAY, JUNE 21

TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

10:00AM For ALL FATHERS

(Barn Mass or View 5:00PM Saturday Mass online)

*NO Early or Evening Mass

**HAPPY
FATHER'S
DAY!**

***MASS INTENTION NOTE**

All affected Mass Intentions will be rescheduled. We appreciate your patience as we work to accomplish the rescheduling. This will take a little bit of time as we need to contact all who made the Intention. (You will be contacted as masses become available.)

VIRTUS Training Reminder

Just a friendly reminder to all our Virtus Trained Volunteers – please don't forget to go to www.virtus.org to read this month's training bulletin. Thank you!!

From THE PASTOR

Along the Way...

RESUMPTION of PUBLIC MASS

I'm sure that you have all heard the Governor has permitted public Masses with 25% of the maximum occupancy of the church being permitted. According to this calculation that would allow us to have about 200 people per Mass. That being said there are an awful lot of protocols that have to be followed prior to, during, and after Mass. We will have to have people wear masks, seat six feet apart, and Communion will have to be distributed differently. There is a committee of parishioners working

on the protocols for public Masses. Our intention is to have a public weekend Mass on Saturday, June 20th at 5pm. This mass will also be live-streamed and available for download. Please remember that the obligation to attend Sunday mass is still suspended and I encourage those who are ill or in any way vulnerable, to not attend Mass. We will still be celebrating our parking lot Mass and on that weekend and we will no longer have to distance between vehicles and so we will be able to accommodate more people. Of course there are many moving parts to all of this, but we will be celebrating a public Mass on SATURDAY, JUNE 20TH at 5PM.

As I mentioned previously we are limited to 200 people only. We will book reservations for this Mass at the rectory. It will be on a first call, first-serve basis and we would ask that you let us know the number of people that will be attending with you. **We will be taking reservations on Wednesday, June 17th from 9AM until 4PM.** I just want to emphasize again that you must call to reserve a place for this Mass. Please do not simply show up and expect that you will be seated. People will be met at the door by an usher and escorted to a Pew. At the conclusion of Mass you will be dismissed row by row. We do ask that there be no unnecessary gathering or socializing prior to or after Mass. We do appreciate your cooperation.

LIMITED RECTORY OFFICE HOURS

Our secretaries will be in for Limited hours and they both will not be in on the same day until such time that we are given clearance to do so. For everyone's protection, we are asking that you follow the protocols listed below:

1. **Please call the rectory ahead of your visit to make sure the rectory is open and so we do not have the congregation of more than two people in the office at one time.**
 2. **Only one (1) visitor at a time will be allowed.**
 3. **Please wear a mask as you enter the rectory.**
 4. **There will be a spot marked on the rectory floor that visitor must stand on, ensuring a 6-foot distance between the visitor and the desks.**
 5. **Hand sanitizer will also be available.**
 6. **If a visitor does not comply with these guidelines they will not be permitted in the rectory.**
 7. **Our staff will wear a masks when dealing with rectory visitors.**
 8. **Any objects given to the visitor will first be placed on a receptacle and then handed to them, e.g. Mass cards, paperwork, Etc.**
- *Note: After the visitor has left a disinfectant will be sprayed in the area where they stood.

Let us pray and care for each other ~ Fr. Bart