

Adoration

Don't forget to put aside a few minutes during this Easter season to stop by one of our Adorations to spend some quiet time in the rest of our Lord:

St. Peter on Tuesdays ~ St. John on Thursdays
Holy Family ~ Sundays

Family Perspective by Bud Ozar

The apostles were afraid of Jesus until He ate with them, and they touched Him. In your family the ordinary acts of eating together, touching, embracing not only confirm our love for each other, but also celebrate God's presence in your family. These 'ordinary' moments contain the 'Extraordinary.'

Hospice Daffodil Jazz Brunch

Enjoy a wonderful brunch amid spring daffodils listening to jazz music on Saturday, May 2, 11 am to 3 pm in Franklin. The 15th Annual Daffodil Jazz Brunch is a benefit held for those in our communities cared for by Catskill Area Hospice and Palliative Care. Donation of \$50 per person appreciated. Information~ Bob at 432.6773. RSVPs by April 24.

Marriage Moments by Susan Vogt

The way to know Jesus
"is to keep his commandments."
1 John 2:3

Examine your conscience about which of the commandments (ten Mosaic or the two Great Commandments) is the most difficult for you. Can you entrust this discernment to your spouse? How can you support each other with your challenge?

Peace & Justice

Minimum Wage Update

In recent months we've witnessed the crescendo of workers' voices break through even some of the toughest corporate walls. After repeated calls for \$15 an hour, retail and fast food corporations are responding with raises for some employees. The increases, however historic, are meager and still insufficient. Anything less than \$15 an hour and full time hours is not enough for workers to raise a family or keep food on the table without the help of charity or public assistance. Workers need a living wage.

As the Fight for \$15 movement grows, let us continue to remind corporations like Walmart and McDonald's, companies that make billions in profits each year but leave many of their workers struggling to make ends meet, that workers are their most precious assets, and paying them fairly is a moral imperative.

To learn more or find out how you can become involved in this important issue, visit *Interfaith Worker Justice* at iwj.org.

Spring Enrichment 2015

Mark your calendar for next month's Spring Enrichment: *The Church: Our Family, Our Story*. The 42nd Spring Enrichment will begin on Monday, May 11, and concludes on Thursday the 14th at the College of Saint Rose in Albany. Some of the classes offered: *Jesus As Spiritual Director, Dementia & Community of Faith, Pre-meditated Mercy, Pope Francis, and Liturgy 101*.

Some programs will be offered remotely at St. Mary's Church in Oneonta. For information, check out the details and other offerings at rcda.org/springenrichment.

Come. Enter the story. Join us for a family reunion of sorts.