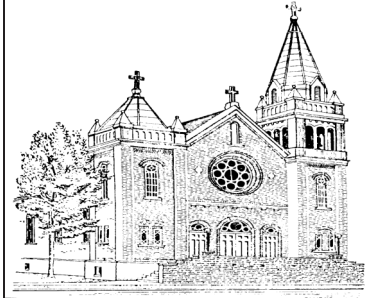


St. Alphonsus-Holy Name of Jesus Parish



Pastor:
Reverend Douglas Decker
 Deacons:
James Ellis, Gerald Savage
Deacon James Ellis
 Religious Education Office (K-10):
Jill Bujold
 Parish Office:
Lisa Reed



Reconciliation:

Saturday - St. Alphonsus 3:15-3:30pm; Sunday - Holy Name 8:00-8:10am

Baptism Preparation: Call parish office **Wedding Preparation:** Call parish office at least 6 months before desired date

Communion to the Sick: Call parish office

Pastor's residence:

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Deacon Ellis: DeaconEllis@tupperlakecatholics.org

Masses this week

Monday	08/07	8:00am	SA	Stanley Pine by Claire D.
Tuesday	08/08	8:00am	HN	Del Boyer by Marlene & Don Sabin
Wednesday	08/09	8:00am	SA	Al Becker by Connie Amell & Sandy Hayes
Thursday	08/10	8:00am	HN	Audrey Delair (5th Anniversary) by Bill & family
Friday	08/11			No Mass
Saturday	08/12	4:00pm	SA	Ray DeGone by Mary DeGone & family
Sunday	08/13	8:30am	HN	J. Edward Moore & Anna Sparks Moore by M/M John Sparks Moore
Sunday	08/13	11:00am	SA	Michelle LaMere by Dean & Kathleen Lefebvre

SA Sanctuary Candle (week of 8/6) for the Special Intentions of the Mayotte family

From the Pastor...

The Parish Planning for Tupper Lake, Long Lake, and Newcomb has begun. Fr. Kevin O'Brien from the Chancery Office came last week to begin the process with the Trustees and clergy from the three parishes. He outlined the process for us. The plan is made up of seven pages and the trustees and the clergy from Tupper Lake, Long Lake and Newcomb parishes compile for Bishop LaValley.

- 1) The Plan includes the status of current churches. Some of the current churches will have to be closed. One priest cannot drive 75 miles and serve three Masses on Sunday.
 - 2) We will develop the weekend Mass schedule keeping in mind there is only one priest.
 - 3) We designate the parish personnel
 - 4) We list the different ministries
 - 6) We estimate the future budgets
 - 7) We list the members of the Finance committee
 - 8) We list the members of the Parish Council
 - 9) We list the plan for the home bound, nursing home, hospital duty, religious education, and the other sacraments
 - 10) Consultations with trustees, Parish Council, Finance council and Parishioners are done
 - 11) Names of personnel creating this plan given in the report
- These plans take a number of months to prepare. Will try to keep you informed.

Parish happenings...

HOLY HOUR

Tuesday, August 29, 6:00pm, St. Alphonsus Church

BUS TRIP TO NASHVILLE & MEMPHIS!

Join us for 8 days/7 nights in Nashville & Memphis September 23-30, 2017. Includes transportation, hotels, 7 breakfasts & 5 dinners as well as admission to all the great sights!

\$1,099.00 per person/double occ. Contact Lisa Reed for more information 518-332-8414. **Last chance to sign up this week!**

RACHEL'S VINEYARD: 2017 Fall Retreat

The fall Rachel's Vineyard after-abortion healing retreat will be September 1-3. Fr. Mark Reilly will serve as the chaplain for the fall retreat. Retreats are held at the Guggenheim Lodge in Saranac Lake. For more information and a confidential registration form please visit www.rcdony.org/prolife. Dates and locations of retreats outside of our diocese are available at www.rachelsvineyard.org. Don't suffer alone. Help is available

HEARTS ON FIRE:

Friday, August 4, Malone, NY

Join us for Adoration with praise and worship music on the First Friday of the Month at 7 p.m. in Notre Dame Church in Malone. A bonfire with snacks will follow! This event is open to all and occurs on every first Friday. Contact Catherine Suprenant (catherine@standres.org) for more information.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

We are currently looking for teachers & teachers helpers for the 2017-2018 school year. We have a specific need for a 3rd grade teacher. There is no experience required and textbooks are provided. Not really interested in teaching but would still like to help? We would love to have a teachers helper in each classroom! If you are interested in helping in any way, please contact Jill Bujold at 359-3405.

BUILDING CLOSED

The floors are being done at the Parish Center in the upcoming week, if you need to see Father or Lisa, please call first.

Our weekly Tithe
Offering Envelopes: \$3,192.00
Plate: \$1,738.62
Fuel: \$35.00
Total: \$4,965.62
Last Year: \$5,362.50

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FAMILY GUGGENHEIM: Family Guggenheim welcomes families of all dimensions to come enjoy a special weekend in the beauty of the Adirondacks. Expect fun family workshops and activities that will have you working and laughing together. Celebrate Christ's presence in your lives through liturgy (often outside) and special prayer services. Take time for great outdoor activities like paddle boat rides, beach volleyball, and hiking. You are never too young or too old to enjoy being family at Camp Guggenheim!

Come celebrate family ... be strengthened by what you experience...gain insight from other families you meet...share the love of your family with others. **Parish scholarships are available to families that wish to go.**

Schedule

Session1: August 17 - August 20, 2017
Session 2: August 24 - August 27, 2017
Session 3: October 6 - October 8, 2017
Register online at: <http://www.rcdony.org/familylife.html>

DOVS PILGRIMAGE:

Join Bishop LaValley and DOVS on the annual pilgrimage to pray for vocations October 10th. We will visit St. Marianne Cope's shrine and museum and have mass and holy hour at the newly renovated cathedral in Syracuse. To reserve a spot or for more information, call Mary at 315-268-1016 or Connie at 315-265-2762.

New to the Parish? Please fill this out, clip and drop in the collection so we can add you to the parish registry!

Name _____

Address _____

Phone # _____

Email: _____

Would you like envelopes?

___yes ___no

Would you like to volunteer for any parish ministry?

___yes ___no