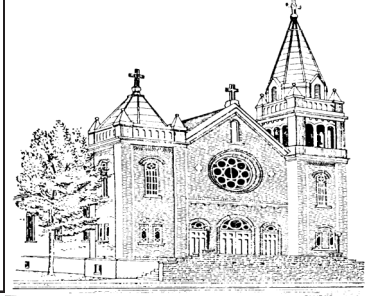


St. Alphonsus-Holy Name of Jesus Parish



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

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Masses this week

Monday	09/10	8:00am	HGPC	Communion Service
Tuesday	09/11	8:00am	HGPC	Communion Service
Wednesday	09/12	8:00am	HGPC	Communion Service
Thursday	09/13	8:00am	HGPC	Communion Service
Friday	09/14			No Mass
Saturday	09/15	4:00pm	SA	Joann Brochu by Dan & Cindy Santerre
Sunday	09/16	8:30am	HN	Dennis, Helen, James & Barbara Sullivan by M/M John Sparks Moore
Sunday	09/16	11:00am	SA	Rita Donnelly by Pat & Darlene

From the Pastor...

This is brush week. Will be at our Mom's chopping down the yearly crop of brush. Less than before because we pastured Amish Horses for the summer .

Start thinking Religious Education... teachers meeting this Sunday... classes next Sunday. Still could use two teachers for grades 5, 6, 7. Do you want to work with the young Church? In many families this is the only training that our young people receive since they don't attend Sunday Mass. One hour per week three times a month or so. The benefits are heavenly.

Parish Council meeting 18 September HGPC.

Finance mtg in October.

Fr. Doug

Parish happenings...

MEN OF THE CHURCH

Monday, Oct. 1, 7:00pm, Holy Ghost Parish Center

PARISH COUNCIL

Tuesday, September 18, 7:00pm, Holy Ghost Parish Center

HOLY HOUR

Tuesday, Sept. 25, 6:00pm, St. Alphonsus Church

DOVES PILGRIMAGE

We want to FILL THE BUS! There are just a very few seats left and we have extended the original price of \$350 to try to do it. What a great way to mix the serious business of praying for vocations with some fun and learning. Please consider joining us. Bus picks up at Malone, Potsdam and Watertown. Contact Connie Randall at 315-265-2762 or Mary Enslow at 315-268-1016 to register or for more information.

MIDDLE SCHOOL VOCATION RETREAT

God calls each one of us according to his plan. How can we find out what that is: marriage, priesthood, diaconate, consecrated life? If your child is of middle school age, September 21st will be a day long event at Camp Guggenheim on this topic. It is free! For more information, call Tom Semeraro, Youth Director or Cathy Russell, Vocation Coordinator at 315-393-2920

DAY OF PRAYER AND PENANCE:

For the victims of sexual abuse by the clergy and for the purification of the Church

In response to requests by our Pope and Bishop, St. Mary's Cathedral in Ogdensburg will host a Day of Prayer and Penance: for the victims of sexual abuse by the clergy and for the purification of the Church."

The mystical Body of Christ, the Church, is grievously wounded by these betrayals. Please join us in prayer and penance on Friday, September 14, the Feast of the Exultation of the Holy Cross, beginning with 12:00 noon Mass in St. Mary's Cathedral. The day will continue with adoration of the Holy Eucharist and praying the Divine Mercy Chaplet at 3:00 pm. Bishop LaValley will lead us in a Holy Hour of Reparation beginning at 4:00 pm. We will conclude with Benediction at 5:00 pm.

May all who have suffered find healing and strength, and may our Church reflect anew the true holiness of the Body of Christ!

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100th ANNIVERSARY OF MERCY GENERAL

September 18, 2018 marks the 100th Anniversary of the founding of Mercy General Hospital in Tupper Lake. The wonderful ministry of hope and healing that was carried out by dedicated staff and benefactors for so many years is not forgotten. The Sisters of Mercy continue to pray for all those partners in care who are a part of the history.

MEXICO CITY & OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE

Join Fr. Bob & Fr. Doug Decker on a pilgrimage to Mexico- Our Lady of Guadalupe from December 8-14, 2018. A special highlight of our trip will be visiting the Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe to celebrate Mass on the Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe, we will also visit the church of Santiago Tlatelolco where St. Juan Diego was baptized, among others. We will celebrate Mass daily. The cost is **\$1,979.00** per person/double occupancy. Please contact Lisa Reed at 518-332-8414 or Lreed49269@gmail.com for more information.

Our weekly Tithe
Offering Envelopes: \$3,553.00
Plate: \$1,402.01
Fuel: \$346.00
Total: \$5,301.01
Last Year: \$3,958.16

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