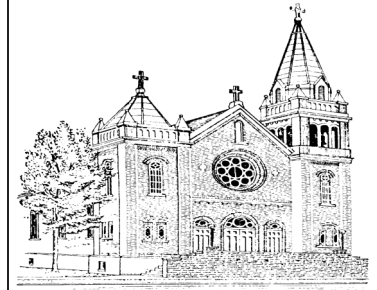


# St. Alphonsus-Holy Name of Jesus Parish



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 - St. Alphonsus 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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## Masses this week

Monday	02/15	8:00am	HGC	Desabrais family by Claire
Tuesday	02/16	8:00am	HGC	Ernie Jessie by his wife Rita
<b>Ash Wednesday</b>	<b>02/17</b>	<b>12:00pm</b>	<b>SA</b>	<b>Ken Brunette by Don &amp; Nancy LaBarge</b>
		<b>5:30pm</b>	<b>SA</b>	<b>People of the Parish</b>
Thursday	02/18	8:00am	HGC	Marylin Cummings by Cathy Hinson Hall
Friday	02/19			NO MASS
Saturday	02/20	4:00pm	SA	Robert & Aline Decker
Sunday	02/21	8:30am	SA	Neva Santerre by the Fortune family
Sunday	02/21	11:00am	SA	Shirley Savage (5th Anniversary) by family

## From the Pastor...

1) Good News from India... Fr. Clement Rimonds HGN sent an email... "Prayerful greetings from Father Clement Rimonds. I pray that you are safe and fine. I am contacting you about my arrival. I will start my travel on 23 February, 17:50 and arrive on 24 February 21:17pm at Syracuse airport. I will strictly follow all medical protocols as recommended by New York state including testing negative (RT-PCR test) prior to boarding flight. Hoping to meet you soon.

2) Homeschooling religious education this Sunday 14 February..

3) I have been cleaning out the cellar at the Church. If anyone likes wicker baskets we have 50 of them. If you like flower vases we have several. These things are in the daily chapel at church for your pick-up.

*Fr. Doug*

*Parish happenings...*

**ROSARY WITH BENEDICTION**

Every Monday, 7:00pm, Holy Ghost Chapel

**PLANNED GIVING:**

**Please Consider Our Parish in Your Estate Plans**

When considering gifts in your Will or estate plans please remember our parish. Gifts can be made to our parish in the following manner: Specific dollar amount: a percentage of your estate or a particular asset such as savings bond, life insurance, real estate or other valuables. For more information, contact: Scott Lalone, Executive Director, Development Office 393-2920, slalone@rcdony.org.

**ENVIRONMENTAL STEWARDSHIP:**

'Fast from Food Waste' is suggested as a Lenten practice by Ignatian Solidarity Network. Approximately 1/3 of food produced is wasted across the global food supply chain in one year. Around 40% is wasted in the United States annually. (Yale Climate Connections) As a result of the 1.3 billion tons of food wasted every year worldwide, 45 trillion gallons of water are also wasted. When we throw food in the trash, we're throwing away all of the resources that went into growing, harvesting, packaging, and shipping the food such as water, gasoline, land, and pesticides. (NPR) "... 'whenever food is thrown out it is as if it were stolen from the table of the poor.'" -- Laudato Si' So food waste is an issue within our control. We have the power to avoid food waste three times a day.

**SAFE ENVIRONMENT CORNER:**

**Did you know?**

Did You Know... **Justice** is the virtue by which we give others that which belongs to them. Justice safeguards the rights of others, which are based upon the reality that each human person is made in the image of God. Our dignity is derived from our nature. Justice assures harmony in our relationships: family, society, work, church, and others. Justice is necessary to respect the order and dignity of societal and personal relationships.

Our weekly Tithe  
Offering Envelopes: \$2,079.00  
Plate: \$309.00  
Fuel: \$239.00  
Total: \$2,627.00  
Last Year: \$3,036.00

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**LENTEN MISSION PODCAST**

St. Mary's Church of Ticonderoga is offering a special Lenten Parish Mission podcast hosted by Father J. Roger McGuinness! They have graciously invited us all to listen in!

Fr. J. Roger McGuinness has been a priest of the Diocese of Ogdensburg for over 50 years. He has been a pastor, seminary and university professor, retreat master, college chaplain and vocation director. Now retired from active ministry he continues to write and give spiritual direction.

Fr. Roger will be leading us in a Lenten mission featuring weekly reflections on the Sunday gospel readings. He will also offer a special reflection on the life of St. Joseph on March 19th, the Feast of St. Joseph.

The podcast can be found at our website <https://www.route74catholics.org/fatherroger> It can also be found at Apple Podcasts, Google Podcasts and Spotify. The first episode will be available on February 16th.

**ASH WEDNESDAY COLLECTION**

Our special collection on Ash Wednesday, February 17<sup>th</sup> supports the Church in Central and Eastern Europe. Your donation today helps **restore the Church and build the future** in more than 25 countries recovering from communist oppression. The collection supports reconstruction, education, formation, and outreach to alleviate poverty. Please be generous. For more information, visit [www.usccb.org/cee](http://www.usccb.org/cee).

**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