

24th Sunday in Ordinary Time
September 15, 2019

Jesus taught that God loves a sinner as a loving father receives back a wayward son. Repentance leads to joy, celebration, music, dancing, gifts, and food.

MASSES

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 14

4:00PM + (St. Mary's) Sr. Marie Cordata Kelly by Gail Wolcott

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 15

8:00AM + (St. Pat's) Bernadette Duffy by Roger
10:00AM + (St. Pat's) Aline Terry by Janice & Bob St. John

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 16

9:00AM (St. Pat's) Paul Cloutier by Arthur Tremblay

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 17

9:00AM + (St. Pat's) Bruce Seguin by John J. Bechard Family

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 18

9:00AM + (St. Pat's) Gary Neale by Floyd & Shirley Bursey

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 19

5:00PM + (St. Mary's) Betty LaForest by Bill & Veronica LaBombard

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 20

5:00PM + (St. Mary's) Joe Leduc by Roger Giroux & Judy

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 21

9:00AM + (St. Mary's) Richard "DJ" Eddy by Mark

4:00PM + (St. Mary's) Orville "Bing" Gload by Kay

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 22

8:00AM + (St. Pat's) Agnes Bechard by Aunt Marie & Nick DiCarlo

10:00AM + (St. Pat's) Mary Ann Tremblay by Pauline, Tamala & Ashley

PRAYER REQUESTS: Thomas O'Keefe, Judy Letourneau, David Pool, Pauline Scriver, Fr. Gerald Cerank, Chuck Conner, Craig Willette, Donnie Hicks.

Nursing Homes: Art Tremblay, Doris Deso, Gerry Hayes.

Please pray for all of our Military including: Maritza St. John-Lester, Avery Trombley, Shawn LaFontaine.

SANCTUARY CANDLE SEPTEMBER 14 - 21

In Memory of All Deceased Parishioners

VIGIL CANDLE SEPTEMBER 14 - 21

(St. Joseph) Special Intention by Beverly Duprey

TO KEEP UPDATED WITH OUR BULLETINS, CURRENT MASS

TIMES, EVENTS & HAPPENINGS IN THE PARISH, AND DIOCESAN NEWS, PLEASE REMEMBER TO LOG ON TO

www.stmaryschurchchamplain.org

WEEKLY STEWARDSHIP
2019

	2019	2018
September 8	(69)	(62)
Envelopes	\$2,745	\$2,192
Make-ups		
Plate	124	132
Kids		
Total	\$2,869	\$2,324

Thanks to all who are so generous to our parish. Thanks also, to all who make their envelopes when they are unable to attend mass. It is most appreciated!

WELCOME...Whether you're just visiting us for a brief time, looking for a new parish home, or are interested in finding out more about St. Mary's, we are happy you're here and welcome! If you are a visitor, or recently moved into the parish and don't receive envelopes and would like them, or if you have just forgotten your envelopes at home, please take advantage of the "Welcome" envelopes provided in the pews.

WARM WELCOME

As mentioned last weekend, please welcome Fr. Duc Nguyen as he joins our parishes for the next year. He will serve as a Parochial Vicar at both St. Patrick's and St. Mary's Churches. Fr. Duc has been a priest for ten years with the Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph and most recently served as Pastor at Church of the Holy Martyrs in Kansas City, Missouri. As you see Fr. Duc out and about, please extend a warm welcome!

DAILY MASS SCHEDULE

Please note that with the arrival of Fr. Duc, we will have daily Masses at St. Patrick's on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday at 9:00AM and at St. Mary's on Thursday and Friday at 5:00PM and also Saturday morning at 9:00AM. When a Mass is concelebrated by either Fr. Lewis or Fr. Duc, we will be using the intentions for our Souls in Purgatory (All Souls Envelopes).

PARISH CENTER WEEKLY REPORT

+ Continuing work on exterior masonry
+ Continuing work on interior framing in sacristy and meeting room

We appreciate your patience while we are undergoing construction. Due to safety reasons, the church remains locked throughout the week.

LIFECHAIN SUNDAY.....is October 6th at Smith field Blvd Rt. 3 from 2 - 3:30pm ! Stand up for Life at this year's prayer, public, pro-life witness. Signs provided. More info. at www.lifechain.net.

AN EVENT FOR COMMISSIONED LAY MINISTERS: Joy in Ministry....All Commissioned Lay Ministers are invited to attend the Eastern Region Commissioned Lay Minister's Association Fall Event: Date: October 4 at St. Alexander's Church & Hall, 1 Church Street, Morrisonville.

5:15pm Gather in Church

5:30pm Mass celebrated by Fr. Bill Gordon

6:30pm Dinner followed by Fr. Bill Gordon's Presentation

"Joy in Ministry...our Joy May Be Complete!" which will start around 7:15pm

The cost for this event is \$10.00. Registrations must be received no later than September 20. You may register online at:

<https://www.rcdony.org/formation/commissioned-lay-ministers/clm-event-registration.html>

BISHOP'S FUND

As we begin "Commitment Weekend" for the 2019 Bishop's Fund Appeal, it is our hope that we can continue or increase our support to this vital Appeal. Please remember that this year's Bishop's Fund Appeal is separate from the Capital Campaign. The theme of this year's Bishop's Fund Appeal is "Alive in Christ". Please prayerfully consider supporting the many good works of the Diocese. This year, any gifts received after the Appeal reaches its goal will be used to further supplement the Bishop's Good Samaritan Fund which assists families in need in our own community and throughout the Diocese. Your pledge will be gratefully received and sincerely appreciated. Thank you in advance for your support. **To make your Bishop's Fund gift online, please visit www.rcdony.org/bishop-s-fund-appeal and click on the "Donate Now" tab.**

You are invited to CELEBRATE CHRIST 2019

"Creating Holy Moments" at the Crown Plaza Hotel in Lake Placid on October 19. Registration and exhibits open at 7:30am followed by Mass at 9am. Conference concludes at 3:15pm. Everyone involved in Parish Ministry is welcome! Register and pay online at www.rcdony.org/celebrate. Topic: Faith, Discipleship and Mission.

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DIOCESE OF OGDENSBURG BLUE MASS

Bishop Terry LaValley invites you to join the Diocese of Ogdensburg on Sunday, Sept. 29 at 2pm at St. Mary's Cathedral in Ogdensburg. Please join in prayer for the safety and well being of all in the law enforcement community.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE PLATTSBURGH: Prayer can change things, please join us! Calling all Christians across the Diocese to participate in this life saving event. From September 25th through November 3rd, you're invited to join other Christians for 40 Days for Life – 40 days of prayer and fasting for an end to abortion. You're also invited to stand and peacefully pray during a 40-day vigil in the public right-of-way outside Planned Parenthood 66 Brinkerhoff Street.

MARRIAGE AND CONSECRATED LIFE JUBILEE MASS

The 2nd Annual Marriage and Consecrated Life Jubilee Mass to be held on September 15 at 2:30pm at St. Mary's Cathedral. Reception to be held following the Mass. All couples interested in attending may go to www.rcdony.org/marriagejubilee to register.

AREA EVENTS

FOOD DRIVE...Our Knights of Columbus Council #3525 will be holding their 9th Annual Northern Tier Food Drive on Friday September 27th (8 am- 6 pm), Saturday September 28th (8 am- 5 pm) and Sunday September 29th (8 am - 5 pm) at Price Chopper in Champlain to help people in Northern Clinton County. Needed are non-perishable food items or donations.

ST. ANN'S HARVEST DINNER

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, from 11:00 AM - 5:00 PM at St. Ann's Pavillion, 24 Town Hall Road, Mooers Forks
Menu includes: turkey breast, stuffing, mashe dpotatoes, squash, carrots, corn, dessert & drink. Cost \$10.00 adults; \$5.00 children 6-12; Under 5 free.
Takeouts available.

NORTHERN LIGHTS SQUARE DANCE CLUB

Free September Fun Nights, Sept.17th
7-9:30pm at NCCS Middle School Cafeteria - enter behind the school. No experience necessary
For information call Joannie Duquette 518-297-8532 or Frances Grue 518-236-6919

Chicken & Biscuit Dinner on Saturday September 28, 2019
From 5:00 PM to 7:00 PM at American Legion Rouses Pt.
Adults: \$8, under 12: \$5, under 5: free!

CDA Court Little Rose # 1300 will hold an all-you-can-eat Roast Beef / Roast Pork dinner on Sunday, September 29th from 11 am to 4 pm at St. Edmund's Parish Center on Rt. 11 in Ellenburg, NY. Adults \$10, Children 5-12 - \$5 Under 5 free.

Mark your calendars for the **Annual Angel Fund Dinner...** November 8 at the American Legin Rouses Pt. sponsored by Carl & Sally Smith and Employees of Champlain Peterbilt. More info. to follow in coming weeks.

HAVE A SAFE & ENJOYABLE WEEKEND!!