

12<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time  
June 21, 2020

Jesus encouraged his apostles not to be intimidated or afraid because "Everyone who acknowledges me before others I will acknowledge before my heavenly Father." He comforted them, assuring that in God's eyes their worth exceeds a flock of sparrows. God knows them intimately and cares for them.

**MASSES**

**SATURDAY, JUNE 20**

9:00AM (St. Mary's) NO MASS

4:00PM + (St. Mary's) Orville Bing Gload by Catherine & Robert Arruda

4:00PM + (St. Patrick's) N. John Racine by his Family

**SUNDAY, JUNE 21**

8:00AM + (St. Mary's) Keith Favreau by Rita Cody

10:00AM + (St. Patrick's) 2<sup>nd</sup> Birthday of Joshua Duval Jr. By Sara, Larry, Noah, Nathan & Xavier

10:00AM + (St. Patrick's) Souls in Purgatory (All Souls Envelopes)

**MONDAY, JUNE 22**

9:00AM+ (St. Patrick's) Francis "Pete" LeBlanc by Genevieve & Gerard Ducharme

**TUESDAY, JUNE 23**

9:00AM + (St. Patrick's) 15<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Alda Brunell by Gary Brunell

**WEDNESDAY, JUNE 24**

9:00AM + (St. Patrick's) Bruce Anctil by Connie & Family

**THURSDAY, JUNE 25**

9:00AM + (St. Mary's) Genevieve Rodier by M/M Arthur Frennier

**FRIDAY, JUNE 26**

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

**SATURDAY, JUNE 27**

9:00AM (St. Mary's) NO MASS

4:00PM + (St. Mary's) Leon Dupee by Marie & Family

4:00PM + (St. Patrick's) Scott Wilson by Joan & Mary

**SUNDAY, JUNE 28**

8:00AM + (St. Mary's) Darrell Mesec Sr. by Aline Ethier

10:00AM + (St. Patrick's) Henry Van Acker by his Friends

10:00AM + (St. Patrick's) Souls in Purgatory (All Souls Envelopes)

**PRAYER REQUESTS:** Carmie Babbie, Donnie Hicks, Gerald Arno, Tina Marie Lapan, Pauline Scriver, Mary Baker, Morris (Buster) Roberts.

We keep the names on the sick list for a couple of months and then remove them, unless we hear otherwise.

**Nursing Homes:** Lucien Rodier, Rose Moore, Doris Deso, Gerry Hayes.

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

**SANCTUARY CANDLE JUNE 20 - 27**

In Loving Memory All Deceased Parishioners

**WHEN VISITING OUR CHURCH Please use Sanitizer Upon Entrance & Exit!**

**STEWARDSHIP May 31:** Envelopes: \$2,060; Plate: \$47.

Parish Offertory – Weekly parish offertory gifts through the mail, personal delivery to the rectory to assist the funding of the day-to-day operations of the parishes are still very much appreciated. We truly thank you for your continued support to St. Mary's during this extremely difficult time for everyone.

**BLOOD DRIVE**

**Monday, June 29<sup>th</sup>**

**3 - 7pm**

**Champlain EMS**

**Sponsored by the Champlain K of C #3525**

**Co-sponsored by Champlain EMS**

**CONGRATULATIONS NCCS GRADUATES AND ALL GRADUATES OF 2020**

Please use caution....kids are out and about and more visible with the summer weather. Please use caution when driving and remember to brake for kids and to drive safely!

**WELCOME**

Welcome back to Mass! We are following the guidelines established by the Diocese of Ogdensburg for churches opening. Please be patient with us as we transition into this new "normal" together. **Our plan for the two parishes allows us to celebrate Mass and the Sacraments in a safe and responsible way. Please see the entrance bulletin boards for the entire plan.**

**NO PRINTED BULLETINS**

For the time being we will NOT be providing paper copies of the weekly bulletin.

You can go online to [www.stmaryschamplain.org](http://www.stmaryschamplain.org).

**ANNUAL COLLECTION: Annual Mother's Day**

**Appeal moved to Father's Day**

Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Ogdensburg had delayed the second collection in parishes for the annual Mother's Day Appeal to Father's Day, June 21. This collection directly serves the needs of the poor and underprivileged in our diocese and assists those with needs for food, clothing shelter casework and other support services. Catholic Charities is still accepting direct mailed and online donations.

**K OF C PILGRIMAGE**

On Sunday, July 19th, Knights of Columbus from throughout the Diocese of Ogdensburg will participate in their 72nd annual pilgrimage to St. Anne's Shrine in Isle LaMotte, Vermont. State Deputy Wally Wych will welcome Most Reverend Terry A. LaValley, who will celebrate mass at 12:15 p.m. Families are welcome to bring a picnic lunch to enjoy on the grounds following mass. The Peru Knights will not be serving lunch this year, and the Shrine's cafeteria will not be open.

Beautiful St. Anne's Shrine is located on the shores of Lake Champlain only a few miles from the Rouses Point Bridge. The Shrine's religious history began in 1666 when the French erected a fort and chapel on the site. The chapel was blessed in 1893, and a beautiful statue of St. Anne, the mother of Mary, was erected. For more information, please call Pilgrimage Coordinator Peter Keenan at 518-643-9241.

**RELIGIOUS FREEDOM WEEK 2020: June 22-29**

Beginning June 22, the Feast of Saints Thomas More and John Fisher, the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops celebrates Religious Freedom Week. Join us in promoting religious freedom for the good of all. More information, including daily prayers and reflections, prompts to take action, can be found at [USCCB.org/ReligiousFreedomWeek](http://USCCB.org/ReligiousFreedomWeek).

*May God Bless All Our Fathers.  
Happy Father's Day!*

**ENVIRONMENTAL STEWARDSHIP**

Don't Miss - In these days when concerts and fireworks are cancelled, and amusement parks closed, don't miss what God is offering daily; in early mornings a chorus of bird songs and other insects; on clear nights fireworks of stars and planets that can take our breath away; during the day amusement with the antics of animals in our backyards or in TV nature channels. What entertainment abounds!

**Please be patient as we continue with repairs, etc around the church and rectory grounds.**

**CEMETERY RULES**

1. Artificial flowers, arrangements or gadgets are NOT PERMITTED and will be disposed of when found. This is due to safety reasons when mowing.
2. Small flags are permitted on the graves, but they must be maintained and removed when they become damaged.
3. The plot owner is responsible for the upkeep of flowers such as weeding and watering.
4. All cemetery work is done by cemetery employees or approved persons. Under no circumstances should you take it upon yourselves to have work done without contacting the office.

**Thank you for your cooperation!**

**NOTE:** The 2019-2020 Bishop's Fund Appeal will soon come to a close. If you have made a pledge to the Bishop's Fund Appeal, we encourage you to complete your pledge by June 15, 2020. You may mail your final payment to: The Bishop's Fund Appeal, PO Box 150, Ogdensburg, NY 13669 or make an online payment at <https://www.rcdony.org/giving/donate-now-bishop-s-fund.html>. Thank you for your support!

**HAVE A WONDERFUL WEEK AND STAY SAFE!**