

17th Sunday in Ordinary Time
July 26, 2020

Jesus said that the reign of heaven is like a buried treasure and a fine pearl. Those who find it sell all they have to attain it. God is like a householder who brings forth good things, new and old.

MASSES

SATURDAY, JULY 25

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

4:00PM + (St. Mary's) Bill, Frank, John & Georgie Carey by the Carey Family

4:00PM + (St. Patrick's) Anne Ballman Bashaw by Mary Racicot

SUNDAY, JULY 26

8:00AM + (St. Mary's) Jean Seymour Bickes by the Seymour Family

10:00AM + (St. Patrick's) Albert Gokey by his sister Bernice Demers

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

MONDAY, JULY 27

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

TUESDAY, JULY 28

9:00AM + (St. Patrick's) Marie Sterling by Bob & Family

WEDNESDAY, JULY 29

9:00AM + (St. Patrick's) Madeleine Bourdeau by Debbie Winters

THURSDAY, JULY 30

9:00AM + (St. Mary's) Chris Gosselin by wife, Kim

FRIDAY, JULY 31

9:00AM+ (St. Mary's) Grace Strack by Suzanne Tetreault

SATURDAY, AUGUST 1

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

4:00PM + (St. Mary's) Winifred Mousseau by Ray & Judy Mousseau

4:00PM + (St. Patrick's) John Paul Guay by Michael Lemieux & Family

SUNDAY, AUGUST 2

8:00AM + (St. Mary's) Leonard Wells by the Family

10:00AM + (St. Patrick's) Kay Cavanagh by her Family

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

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

DECEASED: Please pray for the repose of the souls of Henrietta Babbie, Gerard Ducharme, and Dale Tremblay. May they rest in peace.

Please note: 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 JULY 25 - AUGUST 1

In Memory of all Deceased Parishioners

There are still openings for both the Sanctuary and Vigil candles through the remainder of the year. Contact the Parish Office to reserve your spot.

STEWARDSHIP JULY 19: Envelopes: \$1,911 Plate: \$12.

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.

The theme of this summer's MPDO collection is "Maybe we cannot be together, but together we can make all the difference."

JULY 25 & 26

Missionary Projects of the Diocese of Ogdensburg annual collection will take place on the weekend of July 25-26, 2020. The 2020 MPDO collection will be used to help with a number of causes this year. It will support missionary priests and religious who work here in our diocese: Sisters of Chavanod, Archdiocese of Caceras, Philippines, The Herald of Good News; it will continue to support the Church in Latin America; it will further our solidarity efforts in the Diocese of Latakia, provide continued support for our former mission parish in Mollendo, Peru and lastly, will help any other mission project throughout the world that Bishop Terry LaValley, deems appropriate as part of our evangelization efforts. The MPDO collection provides hope and new life for so many in desperate and imminent need such as those impacted by flood, famine, earthquakes and war around our world. It can serve as a source of funding in a crisis or emergency conditions.

RAFFLE

As you know, due to COVID 19 our 2020 Bazaar had to be cancelled. However, we already had accepted several donations for our raffle and will proceed with that. Enclosed are 4 books of tickets for you to sell or buy. Tickets are \$2 each or 5 for \$5.00. The drawing will be held on August 30, 2020 at the Parish Center at 4:00 PM in the afternoon (rain or shine). You can get additional books of tickets from the rectory. All sold tickets and money should be turned into the rectory.

Also, on that day we are tentatively planning a parish picnic beginning at 11:00 on church grounds. On this Sunday only 10:00 mass will be held at St. Mary's and 8:00 mass will be held at St. Patrick's. The parish will provide hot dogs and hamburgers, soda and water. You are welcome to bring your own food. Due to the virus, any food you bring will be for your own family and cannot be shared. Picnic tables will be set up along with a few pop-up tents. You are also welcome to bring your own pop-up tent. All social distancing rules will apply and masks are to be worn except when you are eating. If it rains there will not be a rain date.

With the COVID 19 isolating everyone, this will be a nice way for us to get together as a St. Mary's family, using physical distancing, of course.

GUGGENHEIM SUMMER CAMP 2020: Virtual online experience

"There is always a way" and the staff at Summer Camp Guggenheim has found a way to keep in touch with campers this summer even though we are not able to gather in person. Please feel free to check in each week on the Summer Camp Guggenheim page and Youth Office Instagram page.

Facebook:

<https://www.facebook.com/CampGuggenheim/>

Instagram:

<https://www.instagram.com/dioceseofogdensburgyouth/>

For more information contact Tom Semeraro, Director of Youth Ministry at tsemeraro@rcdony.org or 315-393-2920 ext. 1415

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

ORDINATION TO THE ORDER OF PRIESTHOOD AND ORDER OF DEACON

Through the laying on of hands and the invocation of the Holy Spirit, the Most Reverend Terry R. LaValley, Bishop of Ogdensburg will Ordain to the Order of Priesthood Deacon Jude Chijioke Nnadibuagha and Deacon Severinus Kwasi Torwoe and to the Order of Deacon Matthew Stanley Conger, John Kennedy Ojuok and Donald Joseph Wilder.

Due to the COVID-19 guidelines from New York State limiting the seating capacity in St. Mary's Cathedral, we invite you to join us via livestream at www.rcdony.org/ordination on Saturday, August 1, 2020 at 11:00am. The Ordination Mass program will be available at www.rcdony.org/program shortly before the Ordination.

St. Patrick's , Rouses Point Festival Raffle Drawing...

will be held this Sunday, July 26 at 11am. Anyone who has been holding on to tickets before the pandemic hit, will need to turn them in before the drawing at 11 if you wish to qualify for the raffle.

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

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.

HAVE A SAFE AND ENJOYABLE WEEKEND!