

22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

August 30, 2020

Jesus said, "Whoever wishes to come after me must deny himself, take up his cross, and follow me. For whoever wishes to save his life will lose it, but whoever loses his life for my sake will find it."

MASSES

SATURDAY, AUGUST 29

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

4:00PM + (St. Mary's) Maria Surprenant by Claude & Joan Boucher

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

SUNDAY, AUGUST 30

8:00AM + (St. Mary's) Jane Zmudzinski by Linda Rivers

10:00AM + (St. Patrick's) Lorraine Falace by Bob & Mary Ann Hebert

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

MONDAY, AUGUST 31

9:00AM+ (St. Patrick's) Robert Rochester by Russ & Pam Gadway

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 1

9:00AM + (St. Patrick's) Anne Ballman Bashaw by Noel & Therese Hinerth

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 2

9:00AM + (St. Patrick's) John McCaffrey by Maureen Allen

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 3

9:00AM + (St. Mary's) Edward & Eva Favreau by their Children

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 4

9:00AM+ (St. Mary's) Denise Gooley by Jeffrey Gooley

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 5

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

4:00PM + (St. Mary's) Lorraine Joanne Dempsey by Erik Dempsey

4:00PM + (St. Patrick's) Deceased Members of the Jefferson Family by Brian, Paul & Patty

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 6

8:00AM + (St. Mary's) Anna Gooley by Jean & Sharman Birtz

10:00AM + (St. Patrick's) Albert Gokey by Allan & Merrie Nautel

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

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

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.

VIGIL CANDLE AUGUST 29 - SEPTEMBER 5

(St. Joseph) In Loving Memory of Paul Cloutier by wife, Elaine Cloutier

(St. Ann) In Memory of 22nd Anniversary of Dorothy Ackey by Liz & Gerry Boire

There are still votive openings left for the remainder of 2020. Call the office to reserve your date.

STEWARDSHIP AUGUST 16: Envelopes: \$1,399 Plate: \$17.

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!

COVID Reminder

The question has been presented to this office for clarification: Do people need to continue wearing masks throughout the entire time they are in the church—especially when it is hot?

Wearing masks is essential. All those who are not taking a speaking part during the liturgy are asked to please keep their masks on as they are able. If they are unable, they must refrain from moving about, singing, or projecting their voices in other ways. So, it is possible to allow parishioners to lower their masks as long as they are in their pews and not singing. This is in line with the intention of the NYS guideline.

(<https://www.governor.ny.gov/sites/governor.ny.gov/files/atoms/files/ReligiousandFuneralServicesMasterGuidance.pdf>)

RAFFLE DRAWING TODAY SUNDAY, AUGUST 30 AT 4:00PM IN THE PARISH CENTER

It is not too late to purchase some last minute tickets. You have up to the drawing at 4pm. Many great prizes including:

+ 75 INCH LG UHD TV (\$1,800 value)

+ \$1,500 Certificate toward Caribbean or

Disney Destination Vacation

+ Keurig Coffeemaker Bundle (\$345 value)

+ 2 @ \$250 each JC Penney Gift Card

+ CASH PRIZES & much more!

All are welcome to come to the drawing!

2020 BISHOP'S FUND APPEAL

"United in Faith – Continuing Christ's Mission".

The Bishop's Fund Appeal provides us the opportunity to share our blessings with others as we continually serve those who most need our help throughout the Diocese of Ogdensburg. We have great hope that together we will be successful in our 2020 Bishop's Fund Appeal. Please respond as generously as possible when you receive your request from Bishop LaValley asking for your support of this year's Appeal.

CDA COURT #1451 --NEXT MEETING THURS SEPT 10TH AT 6PM AT ST MARY'S PARISH CENTER (NOTE DIFFERENT TIME AND LOCATION). THERE WILL BE NO MEAL OR AUCTION BUT WE WILL HAVE THE 50/50 DRAWING. TO BE REVIEWED AND/OR VOTED ON: BUDGET, DINNER COMMITTEES, YEARLY AGENDA, FUNDRAISING IDEAS. PLEASE WEAR A MASK AND WE WILL PRACTICE SOCIAL DISTANCING AS WELL. HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE!!

IRON SHARPENS IRON PROJECT: Videos From The Conference

Description: Check out the Iron Sharpens Iron Project at <https://www.rcdony.org/vflc> to see the videos from the Virtual Family Life Conference or to submit a video of your family doing something fun.

VIRTUAL PRIEST DISCERNMENT SESSIONS: Attention Men Hearing the Call

Zoom in to Priest Discernment

High School Junior men & older are invited to join Father Howard Venette & guests for 60-minute virtual discernment sessions on the following Sundays at 3:00 PM: Sept. 20, Oct. 4 & 18, Nov. 1, 15 & 29, Dec. 13. Contact Father Venette at hvenette@gmail.com for meeting access.

PRAYER FOR SOCIAL INJUSTICE

Lord Jesus, look with tender mercy upon the multitudes of our day who bear the indignities of injustice everywhere. Raise up leaders in every land dedicated to Your standards of order, equity, and justice.

PRAYER FOR COVID-19 PANDEMIC

God, keep us safe and healthy. Keep our families safe and healthy.

God, help us to be knowledgeable about the diagnosis and treatment of this disease, as well as the changing protocols.

God, help us to stay clear-minded in the midst of the surrounding panic.

God, deliver us from anxiety for our own loved ones (aging parents, children, spouses, roommates).

God, provide for us financially, especially if we fall ill and are unable to work.

God, help us to exhibit extraordinary peace, so that many would ask about the reason for our hope. Give us opportunities to proclaim the gospel.

HARVEST DINNER

Sacred Heart Church in Chazy will have a TAKE OUT ONLY Harvest Dinner on Sunday, September 27. All dinners are \$12 and include roast turkey, mashed potatoes, gravy, turnip, corn, coleslaw, cranberry sauce, rolls, apple or pumpkin pie.

Noon - 2 pm: prepaid home delivery within 5 miles and prepaid curbside pick up ONLY

2 pm - 4 pm: unreserved take out ONLY

For information to reserve and prepay for your dinner, call Noreen at Sacred Heart Rectory 518-846-7650 by September 15.

SAFE ENVIRONMENT CORNER: Did you know? ...

Did you know...in 2019, New York State became the 37th state to enact Erin's Law. The law requires all public schools to teach classes to students in kindergarten through eighth grade about preventing sexual abuse and exploitation. The legislation mandates that these prevention classes include practical and age-appropriate instruction on how to recognize the warning signs of child sexual abuse and exploitation, and resources on how to find help. The law takes effect on July 1, 2020. For more information, visit <http://www.erinslaw.org/>