

Third Sunday of Easter

April 18, 2021

The risen Christ appeared to the disciples and said, "Peace be with you." The Lord ate cooked fish in their presence and discussed the law, prophets and psalms with them, opening their minds to understand the Scriptures.

MASSES

SATURDAY, APRIL 17

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

4:00PM +(St. Mary's) Joe & Agatha Dubois by CTC Retirees

4:00PM + (St. Patrick's) Albert Gokey by his Family

SUNDAY, APRIL 18

8:00AM + (St. Mary's) Jean Ethier by M/M Jean Trahan

10:00AM + (St. Patrick's) Donald LaBombard by George &

Peggy Rivers

MONDAY, APRIL 19

9:00AM +(St. Patrick's) Leo Bedard by the Maskell Family

TUESDAY, APRIL 20

9:00AM +(St. Patrick's) Priscilla Menard by Robert & Phyllis

Mooso

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 21

9:00AM + (St. Patrick's) Brian Lemieux by Jackie & Family

THURSDAY, APRIL 22

9:00AM + (St. Mary's) Ronald Gooley by Kay Wood & Ashley

Harron

FRIDAY, APRIL 23

9:00AM (St. Mary's) In Thanksgiving for prayers answered by

a Parishioner

SATURDAY, APRIL 24

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

4:00PM +(St. Mary's) Arthur Bedard by Louis & Rita Bedard

4:00PM + (St. Patrick's) William Connelly by Bev Boas & His

Family

SUNDAY, APRIL 25

8:00AM + (St. Mary's) James Crowley by Rolla & Cynthia

Parker

10:00AM + (St. Patrick's) Rita Perry Bosley by her Family

PRAYER REQUESTS: Orville "Frenchie" Babbie, Eleanor Reynolds, Theresa Boutin, Mary Ellen Filion Shutts, John See, Fr. Clyde Lewis, Joseph Louis Bedard, Carmie Babbie.

Please pray for our parishioners, who are homebound or in a nursing home: Lucien Rodier, Rose Moore, Doris Deso.

Please pray for all of our Military!

SANCTUARY CANDLE - APRIL 17 - 24

In Memory of Harold Yelle by Wife, Yvonne

VIGIL CANDLE - APRIL 17 - 24

(St. Ann) In Memory of Edward & Stella Hickey by John & Mary Zurlo

STEWARDSHIP APRIL 4 : (Envelopes): \$2,705, Plate: \$49.

Additional Easter Envelopes: \$168. Thank you to all who are so generous to our parish and to all who continue to make up their envelopes, even though they are unable to attend mass at this time.

WELCOME TO ST. MARY'S

St. Mary's Parish is happy to welcome all people to our faith community. If you attend Mass here and are not yet a registered member, we invite you to please pick up a Registration/Census form located on the small back table. Please fill in the information and return by mail, drop off at the Parish Office, or place in the collection basket.

ADDITIONAL FLOWERS

In Memory of:

... **The Parson & Fresn Family by Marilyn Parsons**

...**Cote & Bedard Family by Rita & Louis Bedard**

CAPITAL CAMPAIGN

Pledge reminders for the It's Our Church, It's Our Future Capital Campaign will be mailed out this week. For your convenience, a link is below if you would like to make a pledge payment via credit/debit card on-line. <https://www.rcdony.org/capitalcampaign/donate-now.html> (Capital Campaign on-line giving)

To date St. Mary's has received \$66,162.60 in pledges paid and single/one time gifts. If all pledges are received, our total for the Capital Campaign will be \$90,565.00. Again, thank you to all who have so generously contributed.

BISHOP'S FUND

The 2020 Bishop's Fund Appeal (July 1, 2020-June 30, 2021) is a little less than \$60,000 away from its \$1.3 million goal if all pledges are honored. If you have a pledge or wish to make an outright gift, a link is below to make that via credit/debit card on-line.

<https://www.rcdony.org/giving/donate-now-bishop-s-fund.html> (BFA giving on-line giving)

NCC

It is not too late to subscribe to the North Country Catholic if you have not already done so. The price for one year is \$27 for those who live in the Diocese. To get the paper as early as possible, consider subscribing to the e-edition, which is delivered via email, typically Monday morning. To switch to or add an e-subscription, contact Christine Ward at cward@rdcony.org or 315-608-7556.

20 WEEK CLUB WINNER:
Week 3: Mike & Kathy Duquette (\$50)

BAZAAR NEWS

Due to the ongoing pandemic, we regret to inform you that our May 2021 Bazaar is postponed once again.

APRIL IS CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION MONTH: Resources

The USCCB Secretariat of Child & Youth Protection has made available a resource guide to assist the parishes in promoting April as Child Abuse Prevention Month. Click on this link or the image above and you will have all the material you need for your April liturgies and suggested activities which can be used in your parish. Please choose what you find applicable to your parish needs.

HEALING MASS: Child Abuse Prevention Month

In conjunction with CAPM, Bishop LaValley will hold a special Healing Mass on Sunday, April 11, 2021 at 11:00 a.m. (Divine Mercy Sunday). The Healing Mass will be held at St. Mary's Cathedral in Ogdensburg. Please plan to attend and pray for all victims/survivors of child abuse. All are welcome to attend via "livestreamed" on the Diocesan YouTube channel.

ADVOCACY IN THE PALM OF YOUR HAND

You now have the tools to make your voice heard to your elected officials right in the palm of your hand. The Catholic Action Network (CAN) can text critical advocacy alerts directly to your smartphone, with links to quickly send messages to your elected officials on urgent issues of the day. To sign up, just text the word CAN to 50457. You'll immediately receive a one-time link to complete your registration, which is free. Please consider signing up today.

FRIENDLY REMINDERS

If you have someone in your family celebrating a significant birthday or anniversary, please let us know so that we can share the good news with the parishioners.

PARISH WEBSITE

For current mass times, weekly bulletins, please remember St. Mary's Parish Website:
www.stmaryschamplain.org

SUMMER CAMP GUGGENHEIM: The summer 2021 registration is now open!

We are excited and hopeful to be able to offer the opportunity for our youth to attend summer camp in 2021. Please contact Tom Semeraro, Director for the Office of Youth Ministry with questions or inquiries: 315-393-2920 ext. 1415

CEMETERY NEWS

As we will soon begin to get ready for the opening of the cemeteries next month, please think about removing and discarding your dead flowers, pots, Christmas wreaths, old decorations, etc. from your plot. This will be a huge help and less expense for us when it comes time to clean up. Thank you for your cooperation and please help spread the word!

USCCB Letters to Pharmaceutical Companies: Advocate for the development of vaccines with no connection to abortion

Description: The Vatican urges everyone concerned for the sanctity of life to protest the use of abortion-derived cell lines and advocate for the development of vaccines with no connection to abortion. To make it easier to take this action, the USCCB has provided sample letters to pharmaceutical companies that are using abortion-derived cell lines to produce and/or test vaccines.

<https://www.usccb.org/resources/letters-pharmaceutical-companies>

PRAYER FOR THE THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

*God of life, soften our hearts
to your way, that our lives
may be a witness to a world
longing for your love.
May we have courage to
walk with open hands and
hearts to the places where
we would rather not go. Amen.*

MATER DEI COLLEGE FOUNDATION: Attention High School Seniors

Are you a Catholic who is currently in your senior year of high school and who currently resides in the Diocese of Ogdensburg and is planning to attend a Catholic College or University in the Fall? The Mater Dei College Foundation is pleased to offer a Scholarship opportunity to qualifying students going on to study liberal arts and sciences at a degree granting Catholic College or University. To request an application form, please email Valerie Mathews, Mater Dei Foundation Scholarship Chair at vmathews@rdcony.org. Application deadline is June 1, 2021.

HAVE A SAFE AND ENJOYABLE WEEKEND!