

Fourth Sunday of Easter

April 25, 2021

Jesus is the good shepherd who knows the sheep. The Good Shepherd not only loves and protects the sheep but is willing to lay down his life for the sheep.

MASSES

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

MONDAY, APRIL 26

9:00AM +(St. Patrick's) Betty & Roland LaForest by Dick & Jojo LaBombard

TUESDAY, APRIL 27

9:00AM (St. Patrick's) Special Intention by Josie Maskell

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 28

9:00AM + (St. Patrick's) Neil Guay by his Mom

THURSDAY, APRIL 29

9:00AM + (St. Mary's) Janet Carey by Todd & Catherine Blondo

FRIDAY, APRIL 30

9:00AM + (St. Mary's) The Eddy Family by Mark

SATURDAY, MAY 1

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

4:00PM +(St. Mary's) Richard Bodette by Judy Bodette

4:00PM + (St. Patrick's) Eva Favro by Ted Favro

SUNDAY, MAY 2

8:00AM + (St. Mary's) 5th Anniversary of Rene Bedard by Helen & Family

10:00AM + (St. Patrick's) Gerard Ducharme by Steve & Diane Menard & Family

PRAYER REQUESTS: Orville "Frenchie" Babbie, 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 24 - May 1

In Memory of Deceased Parishioners

VIGIL CANDLE - APRIL 24 - MAY 1

(St. Ann) Special Intention for a Favor Received by a Parishioner

VIGIL CANDLE APRIL 24 - MAY 1

(St. Joseph) In Memory of Edward & Stella Hickey

by John & Mary Zurlo

STEWARDSHIP APRIL 4 : (Envelopes): \$1,709 Plate: \$59.

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.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD SHOE BOX THANKS

On behalf of the Operation Christmas Child, Northern Adirondack Team we express our gratitude for your donation of shoe boxes. Your support has made the difference in the life of children all over the world. Your gift of a shoe box provides much needed personal hygiene items, school supplies and a toy that brings a smile to the face of a child. These simple gifts remind children they are not forgotten and they are loved, most important of all.

Thank you for partnering with us! Because of your generosity, over 9 million children received shoe boxes at Christmas. The global pandemic has made this a particularly difficult year, especially in war torn and impoverished areas. Your gift has Blessed these children far more than you can imagine. So, thank you for what you've done...and thank you in advance for helping transform lives through Operation Christmas Child 2021, which will be held in November.

(St. Mary's collected and sent out roughly 20 boxes for Christmas 2020. Again, thank you to all who participated.

BAZAAR NEWS

Due to the ongoing pandemic, our May 2021 Bazaar is postponed once again.

20 WEEK CLUB WINNER:

Week 4: Suzanne Tetreault (\$50)

PARISH WEBSITE

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

CHRISTIAN FORMATION CLASSES continue this Sunday, April 25:

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| Grade 1 | St. Patrick's Parish Hall | 8:45-9:45am |
| Grade 2 & 3 | St. Patrick's Parish Center Basement | 8:45-9:45am |
| Grade 4 | Remote Learning | |
| Grade 5 & 6 | St. Mary's | 9:15-10:15am |
| Grade 7 & 8 | St. Mary's | 6:30-7:45pm |
| Confirmation | St. Patrick's Parish Center Basement | 7:00pm |

UPCOMING DATES TO REMEMBER:

FIRST RECONCILIATION...Saturday, May 22, 10:00am, St. Patrick's Church (all students)
FIRST COMMUNION REHEARSAL...Saturday, June 5, 10am, St. Patrick's Church (all students)
FIRST COMMUNION AT ST. MARY'S...Saturday, June 5, 4:00pm Mass
FIRST COMMUNION AT ST. PATRICK'S...Sunday, June 6 at 1:00pm
CONFIRMATION...Friday, June 11, 7:00pm at St. Patrick's

NEW DEACON CLASS INFORMATION SESSION: Plattsburgh, The Deacon Formation Department will hold an information meeting for men interested in the ministry. Class will be held in the fall of this year. An Information Session will be held at St. Peter's in Plattsburgh May 18, 2021 at 7:00 pm. For further information contact Deacon John Drollette at 518-726-0019 or jdrollette@rcdony.org

LET US DREAM: Save the Dates

The Laudato Si Committees of the Diocese of Syracuse and the Diocese of Ogdensburg are planning a joint project with virtual presentations via Zoom to address and discuss our responsibilities to See + Choose + Act for a better future on God's Earth inspired by Pope Francis' book Let Us Dream. Save the dates to be able to join the discussion: May 25, 26, and 27 from 7pm-9pm.

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.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS CORNER...

Ogdensburg – Bishop Terry R. LaValley accepted a \$10,000 donation from New York Knights of Columbus State Deputy Wally Wych at the March Annual Bishop's Bourse Dinner hosted by Ogdensburg Council 258. Following the State Deputy's presentation, Grand Knights and Faithful Navigators representing North Country councils and assemblies presented gifts. The combined gifts totaled almost \$16,000. The Bishop will use the donations to support the education of the seminarians and vocations.

TO REPORT ABUSE...All allegations of sexual abuse of a minor by a bishop, priest, deacon, religious, employee or volunteer must be reported immediately to the Victim Assistance Coordinator of the Diocese of Ogdensburg (Terrienne Yanulavich, Ph.D., M.A., M.H.T., 5050 Route 374, Merrill, New York 12955; e-mail: terriannyanulavich@yahoo.com; phone: 518-651-2267 or (evenings) 518-569-0612); or the Vicar for Clergy (Father Christopher Carrara at 315-393-2920, ext. 1340; ccarrara@rcdony.org); or, in his absence, the Vicar General of the Diocese of Ogdensburg (at 315-393-3930). In addition, all state-mandated reporters should call the New York State Child Abuse Hotline at 1-800-342-3720. Any allegations of sexual abuse of minors or related misconduct by a Bishop may also be reported to the Catholic Bishop Abuse Reporting Service (CBARS) at 800-276-1562, or www.ReportBishopAbuse.org.

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!

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

Have a safe & enjoyable weekend!