

October 7, 2018

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WEEKLY COLLECTION

Many thanks for your continued generous support of our Parish. Many thanks to those who continue to support St. Patrick's while they are away from home. It is very helpful to be able to rely on your continued support throughout the year even when you cannot be here.

Last year \$3901 **Last week** \$3567 (Envelopes \$3155, Children \$7, Plate \$405)

PRAYER LIST

*(These names will be listed for two months and then removed, unless we hear otherwise. **If a name is removed and needs to be placed on the list again, please call the Rectory.**)*

Judy Rushford, Terry Hyde, Debelain Jefferson, Frank Dumas, Richard LaBombard, Amy Patrie, Emma Savage, Venita McChesney, Wanda Gamache, Brenda Jolicoeur, Brian Willette, Cathy Schoonmaker, Cassidy Spinner, Celia Lefebvre, James Boire, Art & MaryAnn Tremblay, Mike McManus, Craig Willette, Jackie Ducharme, Gary Burton

Please pray for the happy repose of the soul of Evan MacDougal. Also please pray for all those in our Community Intention Book and all the sick of our area.

READER/EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS/ALTAR SERVERS SCHEDULE

October 6 / 7

4:00PM Matt Boire
Kathy Guay, Sue Lefebvre, Carole Lefebvre
Richard McGrath
10:00AM Douglas DiSabito
Merrie Nautel, Gary Brunell, Tom Bechard, Terry Bechard
Rachel Letourneau

October 13 / 14

4:00PM Mary Ann Hebert
Mary Ann Hebert, Lori Kulevich, Josie Maskell
Lauren Lincourt
10:00AM Connie Boutin
Sandy Barcomb, Melissa Bresnahan, Joan Seguin, William Wrye
Michaela Bresnahan, Camillo Rodriguez

MASS INTENTIONS

October

Sat. 6 **(Anticipated) Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time**
4:00PM †(St. Patrick's) 19th Anniversary of Charlie Jefferson of C. Paul Jefferson
5:30PM †(St. Mary's) Jancy Joseph by Sisters of the Cross
Sun. 7 **Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time**
8:00AM †(St. Mary's) Deceased Members of Gaudette & Chenevert Families & Kevin by Don Gaudette
10:00AM †(St. Patrick's) 22nd Anniversary of Jeannine Pelkey by Sheila & Brian Pelkey & Family
Mon. 8 **Weekday**
9:00AM (St. Patrick's) Communion Service
Tue. 9 **Weekday**
9:00AM (St. Patrick's) No Mass
Wed. 10 **Weekday**
9:00AM (St. Patrick's) Communion Service
Thur. 11 **Weekday**
9:00AM (St. Mary's) Communion Service
Fri. 12 **Weekday**
9:00AM (St. Mary's) No Mass
Sat. 13 **(Anticipated) Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time**
4:00PM †(St. Patrick's) Abram & Cecile Foshier by Bob & Maria Foshier
5:30PM †(St. Mary's) Marie Tremblay by Catherine Gooley
Sun 14 **Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time**
8:00AM †(St. Mary's) M/M Orville J. Gload Sr. by Bing
10:00AM †(St. Patrick's) Anniversary of George Ducharme by his Family

SANCTUARY LAMP

Special Intentions for
Gary Burton
by Joyce & Ken Ryan & Family

GLUTEN-FREE HOSTS are available at St. Patrick's and St. Mary's Churches from Fr. Lewis or the presiding priest. Please request these only if you require a gluten-free diet.

Notes from the Pastor's Desk

WELCOME ... A special welcome to Fr. Bill Gordon who will be celebrating our Masses here and at St. Mary's this weekend. It is always a pleasure to have him here.

PLANNED GIVING: Capital Campaign ... We have begun to receive gifts to our Capital Campaign and we will be able to show you our progress in the coming weeks. Parishioners who were not able to attend one of our receptions will be receiving information about the campaign through the mail. We will also have information in the bulletin and in the church. We have set up a display in the upstairs church lobby for those wishing to read about the campaign now. We ask for your attention, consideration and prayers for the success of the campaign.

2018 BISHOP'S FUND APPEAL ... This year only, we will not be holding the Bishop's Fund Appeal. It will be combined with our Capital Campaign. The goal of our Bishop's Fund Appeal is \$13,061. This amount will be taken from our Capital Campaign and used for the Bishop's Fund Appeal. Of the funds raised after we have met this goal, 75% will be given to the parish for its needs and the remaining 25% will be used for Diocesan needs.

ATTENTION PFIZER EMPLOYEES ... Although we are not conducting the Bishop's Fund this year, it is still part of the Capital Campaign. Matching Gift Application Forms can be submitted on-line or filled out for current/retired Pfizer employees (available in the upstairs church lobby). These funds can be allocated for Seton Catholic School in Plattsburgh. If you choose to fill out the paper application, please complete it along with your check made payable to "Seton Catholic School" and drop it in the collection basket. You may also use the website at <http://employee.giving.pfizer.com> to submit your matching gift request.

20-WEEK CLUB TICKETS ... Tickets for our next 20-Week Club are now available. We are asking all our families to consider purchasing a ticket. The cost is only \$20 per ticket with drawings beginning on November 5 and continuing each week through March 18. There are eighteen \$50 prizes, one \$100 prize and two \$500 prizes. There are only 200 tickets to be sold and you may win more than once. Please contact the Rectory or one of our Parish Council Members for your tickets. They will also be available before and after the 4:00PM and 10:00AM Masses. Please show your support for St. Patrick's through this fundraiser.

VENDORS WANTED FOR OUR TWENTY-FIRST ANNUAL ST. PATRICK'S CHRISTMAS CRAFT SHOW ... Saturday, November 3 from 10:00AM to 5:30PM and Sunday, November 4 from 9:00AM to 3:00PM. As in the past, proceeds will benefit the St. Patrick's Children's Christmas Party in December. Table rentals are \$20 each. Call the Rectory (518-297-7361) for a registration form or Sabrina Barcomb (518-297-5532) for more information. Registration form and waiver can also be found on our website at www.stpatricksrpny.org under Bulletins and Events.

BAKE SALE ... We will also hold a bake sale in conjunction with our craft show on November 3 and 4. Please mark your calendars as we will be asking all our bakers for some of their goodies!!

LIFE CHAIN ... Stand up for LIFE, Sunday, October 7, 1:30 to 2:30PM, Smithfield Boulevard at Route 3, Plattsburgh. Signs are provided. Rain or Shine. For more info, www.lifechain.net.

HATS AND MITTENS ... We are collecting hats and mittens to be given out at our annual Children's Christmas Party in December. These hats and mittens may be handmade or store-bought. They can be dropped off at the Rectory. Many thanks!!

ST. PATRICK'S FOOD SHELF HOURS ... The food shelf will be open on Wednesday, October 17 and Saturday, October 27, 9:30 to 10:30AM. Contact Eleanor Reynolds at 518-298-3111 for further assistance.

MANY THANKS ... to the Sons of the Legion who so generously donated much needed food for our food shelf. As always, we are very grateful for their continued support and generosity.

ROSARY ALTAR SOCIETY ANNUAL DUES ... The yellow envelope in your packets is for Rosary Altar Society Annual Dues which help the society meet its financial goals and enables them to purchase liturgical items. By donating \$5.00 (or more), you will be listed as a member of the Rosary Altar Society. Thank you for your support.

ROSARY ALTAR ANNUAL TURKEY RAFFLE ... Tickets will be available next weekend for the Rosary Altar Turkey Raffle for a chance to win a 20-lb, 18-lb or 12-lb turkey. Tickets are 3 for \$1.00. Drawings will be held on November 5.

ST. PATRICK'S WEBSITE ... For current Mass times, weekly bulletins, upcoming events, etc., please remember our website at www.stpatricksrpny.org.

PENNY DRIVE ... As of 10/5/18, our total is \$3369. Many thanks for your continued generosity.

BENEFIT GARDEN TRACTOR PULL ... to raise money for North Country Special Olympics was very successful raising \$1000! LaValley Pulling would like to thank Fr. Lewis and St. Mary's Church for co-hosting this event. Thank you also to all of our sponsors: Mountain View Equipment, D&D Meats, Coca Cola, Foster's Rental, Sandy's On The Green, Mooers Volunteer Fire Department, Champlain Volunteer Fire Department, Dragoon's Farm Equipment, Hidden View Farm, Borderview Farm, and R.E. Beeman. A special thank you also to all those who came out to support this worthy cause.

ST. JOSEPH'S HARVEST DINNER ... Sunday, October 7, 11:00AM to 5:00PM, St. Joseph's Parish Center, West Chazy. Turkey Dinner with all the trimmings and choice of apple or pumpkin pie. Adults \$10, Children 5-12 \$5, Under 5 Free. Take-outs \$10.

CONCERT ... Sunday, October 7, 2:00PM, Holy Angels Church, Altona. Tickets \$15 donation. Reception in Parish Hall.

FREE FAMILY FRIENDLY EVENT ... Sunday, October 14, 7:00PM, Three Steeples United Methodist Church 491, Route 11, Champlain. The concert, featuring Brent Vernon, a singer-songwriter and ventriloquist, will be a mixture of energetic and hope-filled music. Concerts are geared for the whole family—from kids to seniors. All are welcome!

LADIES OF ST. ANN CRAFT SHOW ... Saturday, October 20, 9:00AM to 3:00PM, Mooers Fire Station, Route 11, Mooers. Craft & Non-Craft Vendors, Lunches, Bakes Goods, Raffle Prizes. Proceeds to benefit the Mooers Food Pantry. Donations for food pantry accepted. For more information, call 518-236-6016.

SACRED HEART HARVEST DINNER ... Sunday, October 21, 11:00AM to 5:00PM, Chazy. Turkey Dinner with all the Trimmings. Adults \$10, Under 12 \$5. Under 5 Free. Take-outs \$10.

HOLY ANGELS HARVEST DINNER ... Sunday, October 28, 11:00AM to 5:00PM, Holy Angels Church Hall, Altona. Turkey/Ham Dinner with all the Trimmings. Adults \$10, Children 6-12 \$6. Under 5 Free. Take-outs \$10.

8TH ANNUAL ANGEL FUND DINNER ... Friday, November 2, 4:00-8:00PM, American Legion Post 912, Rouses Point. Turkey Dinner with all the Trimmings. Adults \$12, Seniors >65 \$10, 6-12 \$8, 5 & Under Free. Take-outs available. Proceeds to benefit local children and the area food banks!!

TURKEY RAFFLE ... Saturday, November 3, 6:00PM, American Legion Post 912, Pratt Street, Rouses Point. Over \$5000 worth of prizes to be raffled. Door prizes every round. Light meal will be served. All are welcome!

CHRISTIAN FORMATION REGISTRATION ... There is still time to register your child for Christian Formation classes which will begin on Sunday, October 14 from 8:45 to 9:45AM in St. Patrick's Parish Center. At the time of registration, we will need to confirm that the information on your Parish Census Card is correct or fill out a new card if you are a new family in our parish. There is a **\$20 per family** registration fee that will help pay for your child's Activity and Workbooks. If you have any questions, please call the Rectory at 518-297-7361.

CONFIRMATION ORIENTATION ... will be held on Sunday, October 14 at 7:00PM in St. Patrick's Parish Hall for St. Patrick's and St. Mary's Confirmation Students and their Parents.

TEACHERS' MEETING ... Tuesday, October 9, 6:30PM in the Rectory Meeting Room.

FOR YOUR INFORMATION ... First Communion is a two-year program and students must complete first and second grades in order to make their First Communion. Confirmation is also a two-year program and students must complete eighth and ninth grades in order to make their Confirmation. Sunday and Holyday Mass attendance is also a requirement.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD ... SHOEBOXES ARE NOW AVAILABLE!! St. Patrick's and St. Mary's will once again be participating in Operation Christmas Child. This program allows our churches to get involved in the evangelization and discipleship of children and their families around the world. You can participate by: 1) Taking a shoebox, filling it with the appropriate requested items, and bringing it back to the church for mailing; 2) Purchasing some of the requested items and they will be placed in shoeboxes as needed; or 3) Making a donation to Operation Christmas Child to be used to purchase items. If the \$9.00 cost for shipment of each shoebox is not paid, it will be covered by St. Patrick's/St. Mary's Churches. There are brochures available on the table which further explain how to pack your shoeboxes. Boxes need to be returned to St. Patrick's during the week of November 12 - 19, 2018. We hope you will consider participating in this worthwhile cause. **Do not include: Candy, Toothpaste, Gum, Used or Damaged Items, War-Related Items, Seeds, Food, Liquids or Lotions, Medications or Vitamins, Breakable Items or Glass Containers or Aerosol Cans.**

LET US KEEP ALL MILITARY PERSONNEL AND THEIR FAMILIES IN OUR THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS ... Mandy McCammon, Chad McCammon, Patrick Rosenberg, Colleen Kelly, Ben Brassard, Justin R. Moore, Alexis Wrye, Andrew Patterson, Eric Pristera-Polniaszek, Craig Langley, Paul Langley, Michael Casey, Matthew Letourneau, Reece Tucker, Maritiza St. John-Lester, Ethan Gadway

