

Blessed Sacrament  **Saint Boniface**  **Saint Mary's**
Southeast Rochester Catholic Community

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October 14, 2018
The Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

WELCOME EVERYONE: No matter who you are, no matter where you've been, no matter what you've done, you are invited, accepted and most welcome in our parish communities. We hope Christ will bring fullness into your life, and that we can provide you with the spiritual support and information you need.

OUR CMA CAMPAIGN PRAYER

*Oh God, our loving Creator and giver of all good gifts,
bless our parish, strengthen our faith and grant us the spirit of Christian
Stewardship so that we may give generously of our time, talent and treasure
to the building of your kingdom here in our churches and throughout the
world.*

*We pray for your help in achieving success in this campaign in this campaign,
so that we can help others throughout our diocese.*

*This we ask through Jesus Christ, our Lord,
who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit,
One God, now and forever.
Amen*

Mass Schedule

Blessed Sacrament
534 Oxford Street
Rochester, New York 14607

259 Rutgers Street (mailing)
Rochester, New York 14607
(585) 271-7240
(585) 442-7517 Fax

Sunday 10:00 a.m. & 12:15 p.m.
Mon & Wed at 8:00 a.m.

Saint Boniface
330 Gregory Street
Rochester, New York 14620

259 Rutgers Street (mailing)
Rochester, New York 14607
(585) 271-7240
(585) 442-7517 Fax

Saturday 5:00 p.m.
Sunday 9:00 a.m.
Tues & Fri 7:30 a.m.

Sacrament of Penance
Saturday 4:00 p.m.

Saint Mary's
15 St. Mary's Place
Rochester, New York 14607

259 Rutgers Street (mailing)
Rochester, New York 14607
(585) 271-7240
(585) 442-7517 Fax

Saturday 4:00 p.m.
Sunday 10:30 a.m.
Mon, Thurs, Fri 12:10 p.m.

Rosary & Communion
Tues & Wed 12:10 p.m.

Sacrament of Penance
Saturday 3:00 p.m.



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Nursery available at Blessed Sacrament & St. Mary's at both Masses. Ask the Ushers to direct you.



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Weekly Calendar/Parish Events

Sunday, October 14

- 9:00 a.m. Faith Formation (BS)
10:00 a.m. Coffee Hour– Perotti/Scheuerman (SB)
11:00 a.m. PYC Harvest Pot Luck in the gym (BS)

Monday, October 15

- 7:30 a.m. Rosary before 8:00am Mass (BS)
6:30 p.m. Men's Club League Bowling (SB)
6:30 p.m. Social Justice Meeting (BS)
7:00 p.m. Bible Study (SB)

Tuesday, October 16

- 5:30 p.m. St. Mary's Buildings & Grounds Meeting (SM)
7:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal (SB)

Wednesday, October 17

- 7:30 a.m. Rosary before 8:00am Mass (BS)
10:00 a.m. Bible Study (BS)
7:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal (SM)

Thursday, October 18

- 7:00 p.m. Frassati Group Meeting (SB)
7:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal (BS)

Friday, October 19

- 7:00 p.m. Men's Club Fall Euchre Tournament (SB)

Saturday, October 20

- 3:00 p.m. Sacrament of Penance (SM)
4:00 p.m. Sacrament of Penance (SB)

Sunday, October 21

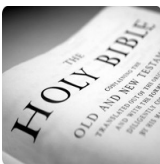
- 9:00 a.m. Faith Formation (BS)
10:00 a.m. Coffee Hour– Ehmann/Englerth/Gordon
12:00 p.m. Voices of Women (SM)



BANNS OF MARRIAGE

Please pray for the following couples getting married:

*Gina DiGuardi & Vincent Caprino (BS)
Casandra Callipare & Chris Musumeci (SM)
Amy Cimino & Adam Wren (BS)*



Readings for October 21, 2018
The 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Is 53: 10-11
Heb 4: 14-16
Mk 10: 35-45

FALL BREAKFAST



St. Boniface Men's Club Fall Breakfast is **October 28** in the basement of the Nativity School after the 9:00 am Mass. Cost is \$7.00 adults/\$4.00 kids. Reservations can be made starting the week of October 13/14 after Mass or by calling Chris Gordon at 503-3951.

Liturgies and Mass Intentions

Saturday, October 13

- 1:00 p.m. (SM) Wdg: Colleen Lechner & Brian Bayer
2:30 p.m. (BS) Wdg: Jillian Stevenson & Stephen Bovenzi
4:00 p.m. (SM) Colleen Bavosa by The Cleary Family
5:00 p.m. (SB) The Parishioners of the Southeast Rochester Catholic Community

Sunday, October 14

- 9:00 a.m. (SB) Anna Mary Knittel by Frank & patty Cost
10:00 a.m. (BS) Barbara Lamark by Family
Bonnie Van Gennip by The Curran Family
10:30 a.m. (SM) Angelina Exline by Shirley Cirillo
12:15 p.m. (BS) Ann Lobene by Children
Jim Keating by Family

Monday, October 15

- 8:00 a.m. (BS) Frances Morris by Frances Carney
12:10 p.m. (SM) Pat Beneville by Ed Woisin

Tuesday, October 16

- 7:30 a.m. (SB) Milton Camera by Sister St. Luke
12:10 p.m. (SM) Rosary & Communion

Wednesday, October 17

- 8:00 a.m. (BS) Floyd Sterling by John & Judy Lynd
12:10 p.m. (SM) Rosary & Communion

Thursday, October 18

- 12:10 p.m. (SM) Patricia & Garrett Cleary by Cleary Family

Friday, October 19

- 7:30 a.m. (SB) Tyrone Christy by Bill & Sharon Schwartz
12:10 p.m. (SM) The Parishioners of the SERCC

Saturday, October 20

- 1:00 p.m. (SM) Wdg: Casandra Callipare & Chris Musumeci
2:30 p.m. (BS) Wdg: Gina DiGuardi & Vincent Caprino
4:00 p.m. (SM) Joseph & Connie Paonessa by Children
5:00 p.m. (SB) Ann & Jim Rokos by Mary Ann Rokos Pavone

Sunday, October 21

- 9:00 a.m. (SB) The Parishioners of the SERCC
10:00 a.m. (BS) Edward Dempsey by William Barry
10:30 a.m. (SM) The Bauman Family by
George & Anne Bauman
12:15 p.m. (BS) Frank Tyler by Jeanne Tyler

Please Pray for Our Parishioners: Margherita Pompeii, Michelle Wade, Lilianna Jefferson, Michelle Bach Skubis, Layla Tremble, Pete Bansbach, Margaret Nordbye, Tina Wagner, Adam Kwon, Louise Fletcher, Carla Logan, Jim Melito, Marti Erhardt, Virginia Fijfield, Judy Wesley, Marie Voelkel, David Ballerstein, Diane Porcelli, Tim Crosier, Leona Hickey, Don Wiegand, Mary Hardy, Michael Boothby, John Larish, Joan Hacker, Bridget Toth, Terry Abramowski, Mary Dimock, Deanna Milne Aggolina, Larry Grasta, Marv Mich, Christine Caiola, Ann Marie Marfione **Please help us keep our list accurate by calling as soon as possible when you or a loved one would like to be removed from the list.**

Deadline for submitting articles for bulletin is Tuesday by noon to kathy.marfione@dor.org

A WORD FROM FR. JOHN...

First, I would like to thank everyone who participated in the Next-To-New Sale at Blessed Sacrament, including those who donated items, those who purchased stuff, and most especially those who volunteered their time and talent to make this fundraiser a great success for our parish. According to what I have been told, the sale grossed almost \$45,000. Yet, there is much more to the sale than simply raising money. It is also an opportunity to come together, renewing and making new connections, offering time and effort towards a common endeavor, and serving others in numerous ways. In addition to raising funds, the Next-To-New Sale is a place for some to stretch their limited dollars and for others to glean the remainders at the end of the sale, whether guests identified through our Supper Program or outside charitable organizations that will put those items to good use for those in need.

As with all shared human endeavors, difficulties and challenges, along with difficult and challenging people, arise. We seek to be good Christians in those instances, but sometimes we get in our own way or must strain to see Christ in the other person. Yet, the times that I visited, I sensed a wonderful spirit present. I would like to believe that it was the Holy Spirit straining to bust out of each and every one of us.

Second, we are in the process of creating a Parish Ministry Directory. We are trying to capture all the wonderful ministries that happen within our parish. Each entry will offer the name, contact person and information, a description, something about how to participate and what is expected. The goal is to provide a resource that will inform and encourage engagement in the mission and ministries of our parish. The Parish Ministry Directory will be published on our website, where it can be revised and updated on an ongoing basis. If needed, hardcopies also will be available upon request from the parish office. Hopefully, it will serve

as an invitation for each of us to consider prayerfully how we are exercising good stewardship of our time and talent in our parish. Volunteers are the lifeblood of our parish ministries.

As we anticipate the completion of the Parish Ministry Directory, several ministries currently need some more volunteers. Since the Eucharist is the source and summit of all that we do, I especially invite you to consider whether you might be called to serve as a liturgical minister. The Masses at all our churches need and would welcome more: Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, Lectors, Altar Servers, Ushers, and Sacristans. In addition, we need volunteers to assist with our Words On the Wall ministry that projects lyrics and Mass parts to aid and foster our participation at St. Mary's. If you are interested in learning more about what is involved or would like to volunteer for one or more of these ministries, please contact Beverly LaBelle, Sue Howard, or me. We will happily provide any needed training and work with you to schedule you based on your availability. A sign of the vitality of a church community as a whole, as well as of each community that gathers for a particular Mass, is whether enough volunteers come forward from that community to fulfill these liturgical ministries. If you sense that you may be called to these ministries, I strongly encourage you to step up. Serving the Lord in these roles is a great way to enliven and enrich your participation in the Eucharist.

We also need several more volunteers to serve as Collection Counters. Rotating teams of two to three people gather at each of our churches on Monday morning to count and process the Sunday collection. We welcome both those who can serve on a regularly

Yours,
Fr. John



YOUTH GATHERING

Please join us for the next Youth Gathering this weekend on Sunday, October 14, from 4-6pm. All youth grades 6-12 are invited. Come learn about God, yourself, and your faith. Dinner and fellowship will

be provided in the youth room at Blessed Sacrament.

Coming soon: Veteran's Day, Monday, November 12—laser tag from 1-3pm!!

CHILDREN CAN'T WAIT

On October 20 and 21 we will celebrate the 27th annual National Observance of Children's Sabbaths, titled "Realizing Dr. King's Vision for Every Child: Lives of Hope, Not Despair." We join with the faithful across our nation and with people of every religious tradition to work for a hopeful future in which no child suffers poverty. We will be asking you to sign a letter to Governor Andrew Cuomo on behalf of the children of Monroe County and New York.

RENEWING AND REFRESHING ADULT FAITH

Putting Capital Punishment to Rest

If you're like me, you may have missed the recent change to the Catechism enacted by Pope Francis in late August. Whereas previously the Church allowed that some extreme cases of criminal behavior might justify capital punishment, the official teaching is now that "the death penalty is inadmissible because it is an attack on the inviolability and dignity of the person" (§ 2267, Catechism of the Catholic Church).

It got me thinking: Isn't Church teaching supposed to be inspired truth from God? Did God get it wrong before?

Maybe if "inspiration" arrived like a divine text message sent from heaven, then doctrinal changes would be unsettling. But what God actually sent (and sends) is His Son, and the inspiration of the Holy Spirit doesn't lay down a lifeless text for us. Instead, the Spirit breathes a living Word that can reshape our hearts after the truth of the Gospel.

For me, this doctrinal shift reminds us that we aren't the masters of the Gospel truth. We are still students, learning to apply the Gospel more faithfully to every facet of our world. So, previously, to safeguard the sanctity of human life from dire threats, it was thought that the death penalty was sometimes necessary. Now, the Church has awoken to the fact that even the dignity of the criminal cannot be diminished, and that the state's use of capital punishment invariably drags us all further into the culture of death.

If we are to be pro-life, then let us take this stand to its ultimate logical, albeit radical, conclusion: Even the most hopeless criminal is still a beloved image-bearer of our God. May we be capable of passing on God's compassionate mercy to them, as God has shown it to us.

—*Christopher Upham*



HELP WANTED ST. BONIFACE MEN'S CLUB

We are in need of a part-time Manager to run the bowling alley for parties and league bowling.

Duties include handling money, reconciling nightly receipts, stocking coolers, answering phone, light mechanical duty, oiling the lanes and cleaning after each event. Please contact Dan Klee by email or phone at Dan.Klee@frontiernet.net or 585-473-7019.

EUCHRE TOURNAMENT

St. Boniface Fall Euchre Tournament is **October 19** in the basement of the Nativity School. Registration starts at 7:00pm with play beginning at 7:30pm. Cost is \$10.00 per person and reservations can be made by calling the club at 473-7019 or Bob Carr at 330-6336.



MASS INTENTIONS

The books are open this week to schedule Mass intentions for 2019 at our three worship sites: Blessed Sacrament, Saint Boniface and Saint Mary's. The requested donation is still \$10. Please contact the parish office to schedule intentions (585-271-7240). Please note that, while we will make every effort to schedule Masses on the date or place you request, this is not always possible, given the number of priests and the Mass schedule. We are able by Church law to schedule two announced intentions for the same Mass if the one requesting the intention is willing. Also note that the pastor is required to celebrate a Mass once a week, preferably on Sunday, "For the Parishioners."

MASS OF REMEMBRANCE

This year our annual Mass of Remembrance will be celebrated at each site in our parish rather than as one individual liturgy. The schedule is as follows: Saturday, Nov. 3 at 5pm Mass at St. Boniface, Sunday, Nov. 4 at 10am Mass at Blessed Sacrament, and Sunday, Nov. 4 at 10:30am Mass at St. Mary's. We will be specifically remembering all those who passed away from Nov, 2017 through this current month of October, 2018. If you wish to submit a name, we will need the following information: name of deceased, month in which he or she died, and which parish site you most frequently attend. Please send this info as soon as possible to Beverly LaBelle at 271-7240 or Beverly.labelle@dor.org.

SAVE THE DATE

Save the date for the 11th annual Turkey Fry to benefit the Supper Program at Blessed Sacrament. The event will be held on Saturday, October 20 at 1:00pm at The Daily Refresher, located at 293 Alexander St.. Tickets are \$25 before event or \$30 at the door. Tickets may be purchased at Eventbrite.com (search: Turkey Fry). Hope to see you there!

WEEKLY EMAIL NEWSLETTERS

Interested in having valuable parish information delivered right to your inbox? Sign up for the Southeast Rochester Catholic Community's weekly email newsletter. Receive information about upcoming events, special Masses, one click access to weekly bulletins, and more! Signing up is easy! Email Kathy Marfione at kathy.marfione@dor.org to get added to the list!

WELCOME

We are glad you came to worship with us! If you are interested in joining our parish community, check out our website at southeastrochestercatholics.org and click on "Join the Parish". There you will find access to a downloadable form or an online form. No access to a computer? No problem! Call the office at 585-271-7240 and we can mail a form to you, or pick one up in the back of any of our churches.

ST. MARY'S & ST. BONIFACE FOOD COLLECTIONS NEXT WEEKEND

Next weekend, October 22/21, St. Mary's will collect food items for Bethany House and St. Boniface will collect food items for Calvary St. Andrew's Food Cupboard. Bins will be located in the back of both Churches. All **non-perishable foods** are welcome, especially peanut butter, jelly, tuna, dry coffee, creamer, sugar, canned soup, canned fruit, canned meals, spaghetti sauce and pasta.




**Rejoice, and be glad!
Blessed are you, holy are you!
Rejoice and be glad! Yours is the kingdom of God!**

Jesus said it on the Sermon on the Mount and now Pope Francis reminds us that God calls us *all* to be saints—and he shows us how to respond to that call in his apostolic exhortation on holiness, *Gaudete et Exsultate*. **READ IT!** It is our roadmap!

Conversion is not what happens to someone else; it is what happens to us—it is a deliberate decision to live our lives for Jesus. It is a lifelong project that gives life new purpose. We can simply be consumers of spiritual services provided by the Church, mere spectators, or realize we are *called* to holiness, *we* are the ones responsible for spreading God's words, and we can show this through our everyday actions. We, the mere people, the laity, are not here to support the clergy, but rather the clergy is here to support us and our role and mission in evangelizing the world. Wow, that turns everything upside down—and requires so much more of us.

In a culture that often asks us to keep our relationship with Jesus to ourselves or has us push our faith to the sidelines, we now have a pathway to find true happiness, to find real love, to understand what God wants from us, to reorient our vision, to find Jesus! Read *Gaudete et Exsultate* and exult in how your life and faith can be invigorated. It is available online, from bookstores, or the parish office has copies for \$10. If you can, join in the retreat **October 29 and 30 at 7:00 – 8:30pm at St. Boniface** led by Dr. Joseph Kelly. Change your life and how you live your faith! You *will* rejoice and be glad!



BLESSED SACRAMENT CHURCH PARKING LOT PAVING PROJECT

Work began on **Monday, October 8**, to make repairs on the parking lot at Blessed Sacrament. The work will continue through the 15th. We thank you for your patience during the process as access and parking will be limited at different times throughout the project. Signs will be in place to help direct people to parking lot access.

To all of our parishioners that are homebound or in elder care facilities. Please be assured of our on-going prayers for you and all of your caregivers! Please call the office at 271-7240, if you would like a Communion visit.

MINISTERIAL STAFF

- Fr. John Loncle**, Pastor, Fr.John.Loncle@dor.org
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- Dave Bergeron**, St. Boniface
- Nick Caines**, Blessed Sacrament
- Walter Miller**, St. Mary's
- Diane Kannel**, Gardener, St. Mary's

BETHANY HOUSE

The next Bethany House dinner will be held on **Wednesday, October 10 at 5:30 p.m.** If you would like to participate by bringing a dish to pass and help serve guests, please call Sandy Behnke at 478-4063.

2018-19 CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL

	Blessed Sacrament	St. Boniface	St. Mary's
Goal	\$73,822	\$26,321	\$49,313
Pledged	\$12,334	\$2,620	\$5,120
% of Goal	16.71%	9.95%	10.38%
% of Households Participating	3%	5%	2%

PARISH COLLECTION INFORMATION

	Actual Collection	Weekly Budget	Variance
October 7, 2018			
Blessed Sacrament	\$ 10,621	\$ 8,450	\$ 2,171
St. Boniface	\$ 2,824	\$ 3,419	(\$ 595)
St. Mary's	\$ 5,062	\$ 5,438	(\$ 376)
Year-to-Date			
Blessed Sacrament	\$107,716	\$ 126,750	(\$ 19,421)
St. Boniface	\$ 46,748	\$ 51,285	(\$ 4,537)
St. Mary's	\$ 72,681	\$ 81,570	(\$ 9,029)

**Thank you for your faithful and generous support!
We depend on your thoughtfulness and commitment. God bless you.**

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