

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

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November 3, 2019
Thirty-First 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.



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.

Parish Offices are located in the Rectory of Blessed Sacrament Church
Hours are Monday through Friday 8:30am-4:30pm



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



Low gluten hosts available. Check in the Sacristy before Mass.



Online Giving

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Weekly Calendar/Parish Events

Sunday, November 3

9:00 a.m. Faith Formation (BS)
10:00 a.m. Coffee Hour— Perotti/Scheuerman (SB)
11:00 am Coffee Hour (BS)
11:30 a.m. Confirmation Prep (SM)

Monday, November 4

6:30 p.m. St. Boniface League Bowling (SB)
7:00 p.m. Bible Study (SB)

Tuesday, November 5

6:30 p.m. RCIA in School (BS)
7:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal (SB)

Wednesday, November 6

10:00 a.m. Bible Study in School (BS)
7:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal (SM)
7:00 p.m. Contemplative Prayer Group (BS)

Thursday, November 7

7:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal (BS)
7:00 p.m. First Thursday Holy Hour (SB)

Friday, November 8

Saturday, November 9

9:30 a.m. First Penance Preparation in School (BS)
3:00 p.m. Sacrament of Penance (SM)
4:00 p.m. Sacrament of Penance (SB)
5:00 p.m. Coffee Hour (SM)

Sunday, November 10

9:00 a.m. Faith Formation (BS)
10:00 a.m. Coffee Hour— Ehmann/Englerth/Gordon (SB)
10:00 a.m. Men's Club Open House (SB)
11:00 a.m. Coffee Hour (BS)
11:30 a.m. All Parish Book Discussion (SM)

Devotions, Liturgies and Mass Intentions

Saturday, November 2, The Commemoration of all the Faithfully Departed

3:00 p.m. (SM) Sacrament of Penance
4:00 p.m. (SB) Sacrament of Penance
4:00 p.m. (SM) For all the Faithful Departed
5:00 p.m. (SB) For all the Faithful Departed

Sunday, November 3, Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 a.m. (SB) For all the Faithful Departed
10:00 a.m. (BS) For all the Faithful Departed
10:30 a.m. (SM) For all the Faithful Departed
12:15 p.m. (BS) For all the Faithful Departed

Monday, November 4, St. Charles Borromeo

7:30 a.m. (BS) Rosary before 8:00am Mass
8:00 a.m. (BS) Helen Gorges by John & Judy Lynd
12:10 p.m. (SM) The Parishioners of the SRCC

Tuesday, November 5

7:30 a.m. (SB) For the Intentions of the healing of the family tree of Margaret King by Margaret King
12:10 p.m. (SM) Rosary w/ Communion

Wednesday, November 6

7:30 a.m. (BS) Rosary before 8:00am Mass
8:00 a.m. (BS) Jessamine Carpenter by Frances Carney.
12:10 p.m. (SM) Rosary w/ Communion

Thursday, November 7

12:10 p.m. (SM) Martin & Bridget Neary by Tom Sheehan

Friday, November 8

7:30 a.m. (SB) Bernie Jansen by Family
12:10 p.m. (SM) The Parishioners of the SRCC

Saturday, November 9, The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

3:00 p.m. (SM) Sacrament of Penance
4:00 p.m. (SB) Sacrament of Penance
4:00 p.m. (SM) The Parishioners of the SRCC
5:00 p.m. (SB) Anna Rokos by Mary Ann Pavone

Sunday, November 10, Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 a.m. (SB) Laura Laskey by St. Boniface Men's Club
10:00 a.m. (BS) A. Louise Lynd by John & Judy Lynd
10:30 a.m. (SM) Gerard & Veronica Flanagan by Liz Flanagan
Joseph Paonessa by Children
Consolacion Datuin by Shirley Cirillo
12:15 p.m. (BS) Elizabeth Rook by Dan & Rose Koonmen



Readings for November 10, 2019
Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
2 MC 7: 1-2, 9-14
2 THES 2: 16-3:5
LK 20: 27-38

Please Pray for Our Parishioners: Michelle Wade, Layla Tremble, Pete Bansbach, Margaret Nordbye, Tina Wagner, Louise Fletcher, Carla Logan, David Ballerstein, Tim Crosier, Mary Hardy, Michael Boothby, John Larish, Joan Hacker, Bridget Toth, Larry Grasta, Larry Schlosser, Patricia Hynes, Rob Armour, Sr. Marilyn Williams, Muriel Dech, Marilyn Dietz, Silvia Centanni, Landon August Coia, Frances Carney, Ann Marie Arnold, David Boothby, Barbara Fransen, Sheila Keeler, Thomas Stalts, Brian Dzuba, Carol Childs, Carm Donovan, Carla Spooner, Kathy Haight, Diane Kannel, Gwen Walsh, Diane Vadney, Anthony Dilanni

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.

Please Note: Due to HIPAA regulations, hospitals are not allowed to give out the names of patients when they call to report that our parishioner is in the hospital. If you or a loved one is in the hospital, please contact the church office directly to let us know.

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 Danklee@frontiernet.net or 585-473-7019.



ST. BONIFACE MEN'S CLUB ANNUAL SPAGHETTI DINNER

Tickets for the St. Boniface Men's Club Annual Spaghetti Dinner will be available for purchase this weekend after all Masses. The dinner will be held on Saturday, November 16 after the 5pm Mass at St. Boniface, in the Nativity School Basement. The cost is \$9 for adults and \$4 for kids.

Tickets may also be purchased by calling Tony Califano at 585-359-0966, or by stopping by the Men's Club on Monday nights from 6:00pm-9:00pm. Don't miss out on this popular annual event.



BANNS OF MARRIAGE

Please pray for the following couples getting married:

Kaitlyn Richardson & Joseph Jackson (SM)
Kristin Sauerbier & Kyle Tovar (BS)
Sandy Ferri & Neil Halvorsen (SM)

A WORD FROM FR. JOHN..

Our world seems unsettled these days. The weather seems to lurch dramatically with swings in temperature and conditions in the course of several days. For example, sunny and in the mid to upper 60s to start the week, and cold, rainy and blustery by the end of the week, only to cycle back again. Change just seems more chaotic than gradual. Friends and family, who are going along fine or at least stable one minute, suddenly end up in the emergency room or get an unexpected and difficult diagnosis. What appeared to be a simple cough becomes bronchitis that lands our loved one in the hospital. A droopy eyelid leads to the discovery of an inoperable cancerous growth behind the eye. What gets passed off as indigestion or mild food poisoning turns out to be a heart attack resulting from blocked arteries. A day with little or nothing on the schedule gets overwhelmed with numerous interruptions and urgent requests for help. Comfortable old patterns, customs and traditions are no longer possible or don't lead to the expected or desired results. Death robs us of a longtime and loving spouse, parent, grandparent or friend.

It can be hard to find our bearings, plan and function at our best in the midst of all this unsettledness. We may feel like those disciples in the storm-tossed boat, rowing our hearts out and bailing our boat out with the wind against us and the waves crashing over us. In the midst of this challenging and fearful time, it may appear that the Lord doesn't care about us, just sleeping peacefully in the back of the boat, or the Lord is not even with us, only giving us a fright just walking on the water and strolling on by. In both instances, the disciples called out to Jesus who came to their aid transforming the situation as he revealed more and more of his divine humanity.

As I mentioned two weeks ago, as we enter November, we turn our attention to praying to and for the dead. We acknowledge and celebrate all those who have gone before us in death to life with God in heaven on All Saints Day. And we pray for all our beloved dead that they may be brought to the full joy of heaven in the Commemoration of All Souls. But starting in November, our liturgies also shift our attention to the coming of Christ at the end of each of our earthly lives and at the end of time. When we look at salvation history, we see that God continually makes his presence known by revealing himself, often in new and powerful ways, especially in times of crisis and upheaval. Death is universally a time of crisis, a critical turning point, a moment of decision that we all face. It should not then surprise us that it is also a moment of the coming of Christ. The focus on the coming of Christ at the end of time extends from the closing weeks of the liturgical year in November into the first few weeks of Advent, before we look back again to the first coming of Christ in the Incarnation at Christmas.

As we reflect on the coming of Christ over the next several weeks, we might ask ourselves into what unsettled or crisis situation in our lives would we welcome Christ coming in new and powerful ways. Having familiarized ourselves with when, how and where Christ has revealed himself in the past, whether in our own or that proclaimed in Sacred Scripture, we are better able to recognize his coming into our current situations.

As I think of the unsettled situations in my own life and those of friends and loved ones, in our parish, in the larger Church, in our world, nation, city and neighborhood, I pray in hope and expectation for Christ's coming and that I may be open to recognizing, welcoming and facilitating the transformation that his very presence brings. I realize that will require of me patience and humility as I wait for God to act in God's time and according to God's plan. But I have faith and trust that ultimately I will not be disappointed, but surprised by the awesome wonder of our God.

Peace and blessings!

Yours,
Fr. John

WARNING – Several parishioners have alerted me to various scams involving emails they received from fake email addresses (such as fr.john.loncle@gmail.com or fr.john.loncle.dor@gmail.com) made to look like my real email account (fr.john.loncle@dor.org). The scams go on to urge the recipient to help me by purchasing gift cards and the like. I cannot think of a time when I would ever make such a request. If you ever receive such a request, please ignore it. Thanks.



CONFIRMATION

Congratulations to **Anna Murphy Black, Brittany Budd and Scott Zorn** who were Confirmed Monday evening, October 28 at Sacred Heart Cathedral. Bishop Matano challenged the Confirmation Candidates (and all who at the ceremony) to continue to grow in their faith and in their willingness to share the message of Jesus with all they encountered.

His message is a challenge to each of us. How are we sharing the Good News of Jesus' life, death and resurrection with those we encounter?

If you would like information about preparing for the Sacrament of Confirmation, contact Sister Kathleen Wayne, RSM Kathleen.Wayne@dor.org or 585-507-9961.

The Hands of Christ is a recognition program to assist parishes in affirming their high school seniors who have been the "Hands of Christ" in their church, home, school and community. Recognized seniors are invited to receive a plaque from Bishop Salvatore R. Matano at one of three special Recognition Ceremonies to be held in Winter 2020. We are encouraging any parent or parishioner who would like to nominate a current High School Senior to email Sister Kathleen at Kathleen.wayne@dor.org **BEFORE NOVEMBER 18.**

The Criteria to receive this very special recognition: • Has consistently demonstrated a Christian attitude by word and example. • Has been actively involved in the parish as well as their school or community. • Has been a positive role model to their peers, younger children and adults. • Is a practicing Roman Catholic in a parish in the Diocese of Rochester and attends Mass. • Is currently a high school senior.

Questions? Contact Sister Kathleen Kathleen.wayne@dor.org or 585-507-9961.



RENEWING AND REFRESHING ADULT FAITH

Grief and Loss

In September, 10 years ago, my husband died. Grieving and death were not strangers. My father died at age 47, grandparents passed in their time, and we lost a son to suicide when he was 27.

Shortly after our son's death, we became FARC's (fallen away returning Catholics). At the same time, my husband began exhibiting short-term memory loss, which eventually was diagnosed as Alzheimer's disease. Post diagnosis, he lived for 12 years. Most of that time was spent living at home, with his final 20 months in a skilled nursing facility. The years at home were akin to a roller coaster ride, from crises of behavior to numerous poignant special moments. During that time, I would attend weekly Mass and ask God, "Please get me through this week." And He did!

Our long good-bye was sprinkled with special blessings. Two of them have always stood out to me. At my daily visits, he always knew me and was happy to see me. Other family members who visited their loved ones were not so fortunate, even those who had been married for 40 or more years. Another blessing for which I am most grateful was that my mother remained healthy and independent during those years. After my husband's death, she experienced a gradual decline until her death at age 97. I was able to assist her without other responsibilities during those years.

I continue to remember those "seeds of grace" that God has sprinkled on me. God's blessings continue to amaze me as I live my life. He is there for us, sometimes in ways we don't recognize until much later.

—Micki Walsh

PARISH CENSUS HAVE YOU REGISTERED YET???



Who needs to fill out a new census form?
EVERYONE!

(Whether you have previously registered or not)

Why? Updated information is vital in determining the needs of our parishioners, planning services, staffing needs, and projecting our budgets. It also provides an opportunity to register for those who have yet to do so. We need to know who is with us as we plan our future together.

When? NOW is the time to fill out a registration form, either a hard copy available in our churches or using the online form found on our homepage (www.southeastrochestercatholics.org). Signing up now will prevent us from having to pester you with follow-up mailings, phone calls and visits. Please take a moment now to tell us, "COUNT ME IN!!!"

**Bulletin content is due by noon on Tuesday.
Please send bulletin info to Kathy Marfione at
Kathy.marfione@dor.org**

RCIA (RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS)

At the Saturday evening Mass (October 12), we celebrated the Rite of Acceptance into the Catechumenate with Chad Simpson who is preparing to be baptized, confirmed and celebrate his first communion at the Easter Vigil and with Patricia Sale who is already a baptized Christian and is preparing to make a profession of faith in the Catholic Church, be confirmed and receive communion at the Easter Vigil. Chad, now called a CATECHUMEN, will participate in the weekly Dismissal Rite at the 5:00 PM Mass at St. Boniface. Over the next few weeks, we will use this bulletin column to help you understand what this important step is in the RCIA process.

If you or someone you know is interested in learning more about the Catholic faith, contact Sister Kathleen 585-507-9961 or Kathleen.wayne@dor.org

Things to Know About RCIA Dismissals (adapted from Team RCIA)

✦ The baptized candidates are never dismissed with the catechumens

The baptized, by virtue of their baptism, have a different job to do than the catechumens because of their order. They are members of the order of the faithful. That means they have the right and duty to pray the prayers of the faithful. These prayers are: the Creed, the Universal Prayers (general intercessions), and the Eucharistic Prayer.

Even though they cannot yet share in Communion, they exercise their priestly role by praying these prayers. Also, even if they are barely or poorly catechized, the baptized candidates are not dismissed to be catechized. The dismissal of catechumens is not for catechesis but for faith-sharing. The baptized candidates, as with the catechumens, are learning their faith primarily by their participation in the Mass according to their order.

For Those Who Have Experienced the Death of a Child, Sibling or Grandchild of Any Age

CEREMONY OF REMEMBRANCE

Held in conjunction with

The Compassionate Friends Worldwide Candle Lighting®

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 8, 2019

6:30 PM

50 West Bloomfield Road, Pittsford, NY

Church of the Transfiguration

This ceremony is non-denominational.

Please RSVP by December 5th

with full name of child/person honoring and number of people who will be attending to childrenneverforgotten@gmail.com or by calling the phone numbers listed below.

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT:
Elaine Deacon - (585) 889-2574

Youth Ministry News

National Catholic Youth Conference is just a few short weeks away. Our 10 pilgrims (7 teens and 3 adult chaperones) were on retreat November 1st & 2nd as part of their final preparation. We are grateful that our group had the opportunity to prepare for this experience with the pilgrims from St. Pius X Parish under the guidance of Barb Legere, Youth Minister at St. Pius.

We will bless our group the weekend of November 16th in preparation for their November 20th departure. Because of the generous support of our parishioners, the group reached their goal of \$7500.00. Thank you for "Taking Stock in our Youth".

Next SERCC YM event: Save the Date: November 11, 2019: 10:30 - 2:00 for service, lunch and Lasertag! If you would like to attend, please RSVP to SERCC.youth@dor.org.

NEEDED: ALTAR SERVERS AND TRAINERS/SUPERVISORS

Serving at the altar is an important ministry at Mass. We are in need of committed individuals of *all* ages to help with this important ministry. It is open to children, teens, young adults and older adults. Parents and children may train together and serve as a team. Children must have received their first communion to become a server. We are also in need of trainers/supervisors at each of the parishes to help train and monitor those who serve. If you are interested in this ministry, please contact Fr. Mike at 585-271-7240, ext. 120; fr.mike.mayer@dor.org.



MAGNIFICAT BREAKFAST

Magnificat Rochester invites **Men & Women** to a breakfast on Saturday, December 7; seating begins at 8:30a.m.—program starts at 9:30 a.m. and ends at 12 noon at the **NEW location: Brooklea Country Club**, 891 Pixley Rd. Rochester. Confessions will be heard at 8 a.m. and at the end of the program.

The speaker is **Father Ed Palumbos**, who served as a priest in our Diocese since 1972. His dynamic and spirited leadership style has helped the people whom he has ministered to grow in the awareness of their Baptismal Call to Ministry in the Lord's name. He has recently attained "Senior Priest Status," Come and be inspired.

Reservations are \$25; after November 30, they will be \$27. The student price is \$15. Registration is required, and no tickets will be sold at the door. **Deadline for registration is December 4.** For more information, call Diane at 585-943-4759, or send an email to MagnificatRochester@frontier.com. To register by mail, send check to Magnificat Rochester, P.O. Box 24787, Rochester, NY, 14624; please include your name, address, phone number and email address. You may also register via PayPal at www.magnificatrochester.org



ROMAN CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF ROCHESTER

Victims of sexual abuse should always report to civil authorities. To receive help and guidance from the Roman Catholic Diocese of

Rochester, contact our Victims Assistance Coordinator:

Deborah Housel

585-328-3228, ext. 1555

Toll-free: 1-800-388-7177, ext. 1555

or by email to victimassistance@dor.org

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PARISH COLLECTION INFORMATION

October 27, 2019	Actual	Budget	Variance
Blessed Sacrament	\$ 5,358	\$ 7,300	(\$ 1,942)
St. Boniface	\$ 2,620	\$ 3,350	(\$ 730)
St. Mary's	\$ 4,291	\$ 5,400	(\$ 1,109)

Year-to-Date			
Blessed Sacrament	\$105,963	\$124,100	(\$ 18,137)
St. Boniface	\$ 56,172	\$ 53,950	(\$ 778)
St. Mary's	\$ 83,891	\$ 91,800	(\$ 7,909)

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

ATTENDANCE for October 19 & 20, 2019

Blessed Sacrament **Seating Capacity—800**

10:00a.m. Mass Attendance—266

12:15p.m. Mass Attendance—100

St. Boniface **Seating Capacity—550**

5:00p.m. Mass Attendance—102

9:00a.m. Mass Attendance—87

St. Mary's **Seating Capacity—550**

4:00p.m. Mass Attendance—116

10:30a.m. Mass Attendance—158

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