



St. Cyril of Alexandria
28 Walton St.
Alexandria Bay, NY

Saturday 5:00 p.m.
Sunday 10:00 a.m.

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Rev. Douglas G. Comstock, Pastor
Bernard Slate, Deacon
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St. Francis Xavier
28685 Butterfield Lake Rd
Redwood, NY

Sunday 8:30 a.m.

Liturgy Schedule for Week of January 10, 2021

Saturday, Jan. 9, 2021 The Baptism of the Lord
5:00 p.m. Betty Mitscher by Beck, Ashley & Katie Rose

Sunday, Jan. 10, 2021
8:30 a.m. (SFX) Dick Durand by Molly Briere & Linda Reynolds
10:00 a.m. Ben Cole by Deacon Bernie Slate

Monday, Jan. 11, 2021
8:00 a.m. Stanley Dodge by Elizabeth & Steven Brown

Tuesday, Jan. 12, 2021
8:00 a.m. Kenneth DeThomas by the DeThomas Family

Wednesday, Jan. 13, 2021
8:00 a.m. George R. and Frank G. Bolus by their Family

Thursday, Jan. 14, 2021
8:00 a.m. The Needs of our Parishioners

Friday, Jan. 15, 2021
8:00 a.m. *Liturgy of the Word with Communion*

Saturday, Jan. 16, 2021 Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
5:00 p.m. Dick Barnello by Peg & Dan Wallo

Sunday, Jan. 17, 2020
8:30 a.m. (SFX) Sally Sourwine by her husband, Tom
10:00 a.m. Dominic Giordano by Tim & Diane Kring

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 3:45 – 4:30 p.m. at St. Cyril of Alexandria Church
Sunday 8:00 – 8:15 a.m. at St. Francis Xavier Church

Our Stewardship

January 2 – 3, 2021

Envelopes	\$1,825.00		
Plate	\$99.00	Christmas & Priests' Retirement	\$225.00
Youth			
Electronic Giving	\$940.75	Fuel Collection	\$235.00
Total	\$2,864.75	Total Fuel Contribution to Date	\$9,647.60
Last Year	\$2,030.24	Total Fuel Goal in '20 – '21	\$21,339.00

During this Pandemic Period

At this time, the number of people able to physically attend Mass will be limited to 99 in St. Cyril of Alexandria Church and 50 in St. Francis Xavier Church.

To attend with smaller numbers, try the 8:00 a.m. Liturgy on Monday through Friday.

Please wear your mask at all times at Mass except when receiving Holy Communion.

Our Sunday Mass may be viewed on www.stcyriils.org

PRAYER FOR PROTECTION

**Mary Immaculate, our Mother and our Patroness,
we ask you to intercede for us with your Son,
as you did at the wedding in Cana.
Pray for us, loving Mother,
and gain for our diocese, our nation and our world,
for our families and loved ones,
the protection of your maternal mantle from this dreaded virus.
in this time of trial and testing,
Teach all of us to love one another and to be patient and kind.
Help us to bring the peace and healing Presence of Jesus to our land and to our
hearts.
We come to you with confidence,
knowing that you are our compassionate mother,
health of the sick and cause of our joy.
Keep us in the embrace of your arms,
help us always to know the love of your Son, Jesus our Lord. AMEN.**

ST. OLIVER PLUNKETT, Saint Of Peace & Reconciliation

Oliver Plunkett was born in County Meath, Ireland on November 1, 1629. He studied for the priesthood in Rome and was ordained there in 1654. After some years of teaching and service to the poor of Rome he was appointed Archbishop of Armagh in Ireland. He soon established himself as a man of peace and, with religious fervor, set about visiting his people, establishing schools, ordaining priests, and confirming thousands.

In 1673 there was a renewal of religious persecution, and bishops were banned by edict. Archbishop Plunkett went into hiding, suffering a great deal from cold and hunger. His many letters showed his determination not to abandon his people, but to remain a faithful shepherd. He thanked God "Who gave us the grace to suffer for the chair of Peter."

In 1679 he was arrested and falsely charged with treason. The government in power could not get him convicted at his trial in Dundalk. He was brought to London and was unable to defend himself because he was not given time to bring his own witnesses from Ireland. He was put on trial, and with the help of perjured witnesses, was sentenced to be hanged, drawn and quartered at Tyburn. With deep serenity of soul, he was prepared to die, calmly rebutting the charge of treason, refusing to save himself by giving false evidence against his brother bishops. Oliver Plunkett publicly forgave all those who were responsible for his death on July 1, 1681." [From: Saints & Angels, Catholic Online]

St. Oliver Plunkett was beatified by Pope Benedict XV in 1920 and canonized by Pope St. Paul VI on Oct. 12, 1975, the first new Irish saint for almost 700 years, and the first of the Irish martyrs to be beatified. For his canonization, the customary second miracle was waived. His head is preserved at Drogheda and his body at Downside Abbey, near Bath.

In 1920, a mosaic of him at Westminster Cathedral, London was created by Boris Anrep.

In 1997, Plunkett was made a patron saint for Peace & Reconciliation in Ireland.

Judy Pearson