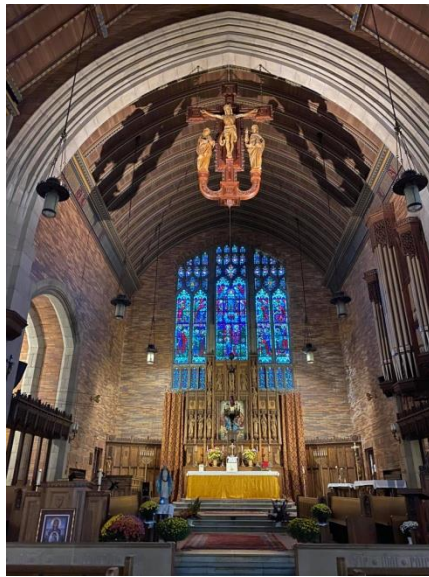


*A Very Warm Welcome to
St. Mary of the Assumption Parish
A Personal Parish in the Diocese of Syracuse*



**Today's Traditional Latin Mass will be celebrated by
*Rev. James A. Schultz***

**October 11th, 2020
*19th Sunday after Pentecost***

Romans 12:2 *“Do not be conformed to this world, but be reformed by the newness or the renewal of your mind, that you may prove or test what is the good, and the acceptable, and the perfect will of God.”*

We invite you to visit our new website at:

www.stmarysoswego.com

The website is updated frequently with a weekly schedule of Opportunities for Prayer and Sacraments at St. Mary of the Assumption Parish

PARISH NEWS:

- **Fr. Schultz will be doing an enrollment ceremony for those wishing to be enrolled in the Brown Scapular Confraternity on October 25th. Please contact Fr. Schultz with any questions at jschultz@syrdio.org**
- **Please notify Kristie Pauldine by email: kpauldine@syrdio.org or 315-402-6885 if your family has any need of sacramental preparation for First Reconciliation and First Communion. Classes will be a combination of home study and classes and will be taught in semesters. Preparation for First Reconciliation will begin at the end of November.**
- **There will be a special Rosary after 5:30 Mass on Monday. This rosary will be said at 6:00 for Our County. Please join us in prayer during these extraordinary times.**
- **It would be a great joy if St. Mary's could be open until 6:30 a few days a week to allow for others who may work (or have other conflicts) to be able to come in and pray. If you are able to volunteer and allow St. Mary's to extend open hours, please contact the office or email Kristie at kpauldine@syrdio.org**
- **St. Mary of the Assumption Parish is starting a fund for the needy called the "St. Jude Fund" as well as a Catholic School Fund. Please consider donating to these funds that help support our Catholic schools & Catholic youth, as well as the needy in our community. You may donate by writing "St. Jude Fund" or "Catholic School Fund" in the memo portion of your donation.**

October is the Month of the Rosary

St. Mary's is open for Prayer:

Monday: 11:00 am-6:30pm

Tuesday-Friday: 11:00 am – 4:00 pm

Saturday: 12 Noon-3:00 pm

Office Hours: Mon-Fri: 11:00-4:00

Thank you to our volunteers who enable St. Mary's Church & office to be open during the week!

Weekly Mass Schedule

Sunday Mass: 12:00 Noon on 10/18/20 - Novus Ordo

Monday Daily Mass: 5:30 pm (Traditional Latin)

(Confession is offered before each Mass)

Opportunities for Prayer this week:

Tue/Wed/Thurs at 3:00 the Rosary Group meets at St. Mary's – all are welcome to join as we pray together for many intentions

Monday 3:00-5:20: Adoration and Benediction

For the Month of October...

The Rosary will be said before Sunday Mass starting at 11:30 in honor of Our Blessed Mother

Starting next week, we will be collecting baby care goods to support the Pregnancy Care Center here in Oswego. Please bring in your donations of diapers, wipes, and other baby care items. With your help, we can support Mothers and Babies in need.

Thank YOU!

Mass on October 11th is offered for the repose of the Soul of
Ted Collins
From Family

The Light of the Living on the Sacred Heart Altar is lit for
Dante & Phyllis Maniccia
From Friends

Mass on October 12th is offered for the repose of the Soul of
Hannah O'Toole
From Mr. Patricia O'Hanley & Family

Online Giving is available at www.stmarysoswego.com

Thank you for your generous support!
Collections from 10/04/20: \$2,363.00

On May 31st, 2020 St. Mary of the Assumption Parish had a "Change in Status" that being:

1. "The status of the parish of St. Mary of the Assumption will transfer from a territorial parish to a personal parish for the purpose of inviting a society of apostolic life into the Diocese of Syracuse [...]"
6. The temporal goods as well as any patrimonial rights and obligations of the territorial parish of St. Mary will remain with the personal parish. The intentions of the founders and donors as well as any acquired rights are to be respected (can. 121).

The full decree can be found at
<https://www.syracusediocese.org/parishes/parish-news/>

The updated beautiful blue carpeting on the handicap ramp is donated by
Connie Murabito in loving memory of
Joe Murabito

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The Holy Rood Lighting Project is donated by
Kristie Pauldine to
Luba & Gerry LaForge & Byron Smith in loving gratitude for spiritual guidance throughout the years

If you have found a Home

...at St. Mary of the Assumption Parish, please consider registering with us. Please register online at www.stmarysoswego.com or use the forms found in the back of church. You can return the forms by placing them in the donation box or donation slot in the back of church.

Welcome and God Bless!

Your donations pay the bills to keep St. Mary of the Assumption Parish financially healthy. Your generosity is necessary and vital to our mission to teach, preach, and bring souls to Christ. Thank you! All gifts are tax deductible according to law. Help us keep track of your giving:

- 1) Please consider using online giving at www.stmarysoswego.com for automatic electronic payments using a credit or debit card, or direct debit to your bank account. This is the preferred method of giving because it is accurate, dependable, and reduces volunteer workloads. See our website for the signup link.
- 2) If you give via check (payable to St. Mary's Church or St. Mary of the Assumption Parish) or cash, it is important that you use your pre-printed envelopes. If you forget your Envelope, or are an unregistered guest, please use a blue envelope, provided on the donation tables, and include your name, address, and phone number. (When registering, choose "envelopes.")
- 3) You may want to set up online banking to send paper checks on the cycle of your choice to: St. Mary of the Assumption Parish/St. Mary's Church at St. Mary's Church, 103 West 7th Street, Oswego NY, 13126. Please include the word "donation" and your parishioner number, if known, in the memo or note section.
- 4) Anonymous cash donations or loose checks can be put into the collection basket; however, despite our volunteers' best efforts, loose checks may not be properly matched to parishioner accounts or recorded for year-end statements. If you have questions or need assistance, please contact the parish office.

The building maintenance and repair initiative is off to a good start and significant number of projects and needed repairs have been identified. We need your talents, skills, thoughts and ideas. Support at ALL levels is needed to organize the best approaches to accomplish the repair tasks. Are you a skilled craftsman, a handyman, an organizer, or a willing assistant? We need you! We have started several projects and have tons more to accomplish. Please consider sharing your time, talents, and ideas. We are also in need of licensed tradesmen, e.g. plumbers, electricians, carpenters, masons, who are willing to volunteer some of their time. If you can share your talents and give a little time, you can make a big difference in our community here at St. Mary of the Assumption Parish. Please contact Bob Demm at (315) 806-3840 or Kristie Pauldine at kpauldine@syrдио.org

To request and schedule intentions for both of our Masses, contact the parish office at **315-343-3953 or stop in during office hours**, to reserve a date **before paying for a Mass**. The stipend check *must be made out in the exact amount of \$10* per Mass and made payable to **St. Mary's Church**. **Mass intentions can be for those who are living as well as for those who have passed away.**

CANDLES burn on the Sacred Heart Altar and on the Holy Family Altar. Would you like to have a dedicated candle burn in memory of a loved one **OR** for a special intention? To schedule a dedicated candle intention call **315-343-3953 or stop in during office hours**. Donations for 7 day Sacred Heart Altar and Holy Family Candles are \$10.00 each.

ALTAR FLOWER ARRANGEMENTS: You may dedicate altar flower arrangements on the altar to family and friends or in loving memory of a deceased loved one. Please call the parish office at **315-343-3953 or stop in during office hours** to arrange for a floral arrangement dedications. Altar flower donations are \$50.00 (for two on either side of Tabernacle).

THERE ARE (AT LEAST) THREE REASONS to maintain a prayerful, quiet atmosphere in the church before and after services: (1) **RESPECT** for the House of God, (2) **REVERENCE** for the Blessed Sacrament, and (3) **REGARD** for those who want to pray in peace or may be preparing for confession. Please make an effort to carry on your friendly conversations in the church vestibules, outside after Mass, or at the coffee/social hour (when possible). Thank you for your consideration as we seek to be charitable and considerate to everyone at St. Mary of the Assumption Parish.

BEQUESTS

TO REMEMBER THE ST. MARY OF THE ASSUMPTION PARISH and ST. MARYS CHURCH, the following phraseology should be used to direct a monetary bequest (2 options):

1) *I give and bequest the sum of \$_____ to St. Mary's Church*

for its general purposes (or for a specific named program_____). **OR**

2) *I give and bequest ___% of the remainder of my estate after all debts, taxes, expenses and family bequests have been paid, to St. Mary's Church for its general purposes (or for a specific named program_____).*

HOLY COMMUNION

As Catholics, we fully participate in the celebration of the Eucharist when we receive Holy Communion. We are encouraged to receive Communion devoutly and frequently. In order to be properly disposed to receive Communion, participants should not be conscious of grave sin and normally should have fasted for one hour. A person who is conscious of grave sin is not to receive the Body and Blood of the Lord without prior sacramental confession except for a grave reason where there is no opportunity for confession. In this case, the person is to be mindful of the obligation to make an act of perfect contrition, including the intention of confessing as soon as possible (canon 916). A frequent reception of the Sacrament of Penance is encouraged for all. We welcome our fellow Christians to this celebration of the Eucharist as our brothers and sisters. We pray that our common baptism and the action of the Holy Spirit in this Eucharist will draw us closer to one another and begin to dispel the sad divisions which separate us. We pray that these will lessen and finally disappear, in keeping with Christ's prayer for us "that they may all be one" (John 17:21). Because Catholics believe that the celebration of the Eucharist is a sign of the reality of the oneness of faith, life, and worship, members of those churches with whom we are not yet fully united are ordinarily not admitted to Holy Communion. Eucharistic sharing in exceptional circumstances by other Christians requires permission according to the directives of the diocesan bishop and the provisions of canon law (canon 844 §4). Members of the Orthodox Churches, the Assyrian Church of the East, and the Polish National Catholic Church are urged to respect the discipline of their own Churches. According to Roman Catholic discipline, the Code of Canon Law does not object to the reception of Communion by Christians of these Churches (canon 844 §3). All who are not receiving Holy Communion are encouraged to express in their hearts a prayerful desire for unity with the Lord Jesus and with one another. We also welcome to this celebration those who do not share our faith in Jesus Christ. While we cannot admit them to Holy Communion, we ask them to offer their prayers for the peace and unity of the human family. © 1996, United States Conference of Catholic Bishops