

ST. ANDRÉ'S PARISH

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Saint André Bessette Roman Catholic Parish, Malone, New York • Established July 1, 2014

January 15, 2017 Second Sunday In Ordinary Time



St. André Bessette, pray for us!

Father Joseph W. Giroux
Pastor

Father Scott Belina
Parochial Vicar

Deacon Bryan J. Bashaw
Permanent Deacon

Ms. Catherine Suprenant
Director of Christian Formation

Ms. Marie-Claire D'Arcy
Music Coordinator

Mr. Andrew Duso
Business Manager

Ms. Diana Grant
Secretary/Receptionist

Darlene Livernois
Bookkeeper

Our Mission at St. André's: With Jesus Christ as our center, and the Holy Spirit as our guide, we are called to be a community of saints making saints – encountering the Lord in Word and Sacrament, and opening doors for our neighbors to experience the loving mercy of God.

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Thursday

7:00–8:00 P.M. at Notre Dame

Saturday

12:00–12:45 P.M. at Notre Dame

3:00–3:45 P.M. at Notre Dame

First Sunday of the Month

Before the 9:30 A.M. Mass
at Saint Helen

SUNDAY MASS

Anticipated (Saturday)

4:00 P.M.

January–March at Notre Dame

April–December at Saint Joseph

Sunday

8:00 A.M. at Saint John Bosco

9:30 A.M. at Saint Helen

11:00 A.M. at Notre Dame

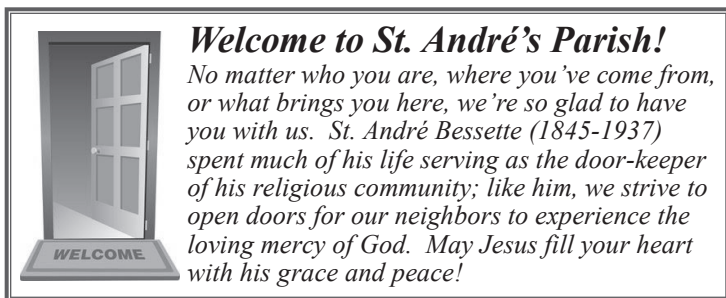
ADORATION OF THE MOST BLESSED SACRAMENT

Tuesday

Following the 6:45 A.M. Mass
until 1:00 P.M. at Notre Dame

Thursday

7:00–8:00 P.M. at Notre Dame



Welcome to St. André's Parish!

No matter who you are, where you've come from, or what brings you here, we're so glad to have you with us. St. André Bessette (1845-1937) spent much of his life serving as the door-keeper of his religious community; like him, we strive to open doors for our neighbors to experience the loving mercy of God. May Jesus fill your heart with his grace and peace!

From Fr. Joe...

We've recently been experiencing a little trouble with **the sound system at Notre Dame**, and I ask for your patience as we try to get things resolved. A microphone was stolen from the choir loft a number of weeks ago, and in the process of substituting temporary ones and settling on a permanent replacement for it, the entire system seems to have gotten a bit out of whack. We've been trying to make adjustments ourselves to fix the problems, but haven't had much success yet. We're working on bringing in an expert soon, and hopefully things will be right before long. (While we're at it, we'll also get the system at St. Joseph's looked at, since something has been amiss for awhile with the speakers in the chapel and cry room there.)

We've been in the habit of having **daily Mass on civic holidays** at 9:00am, but that's rather late into the day. This Monday, we're going to try having the Mass at 8:00am instead. Let me know what you think!

Oops! I made an error in preparing my column last Sunday. The weekly celebration of **Vespers on Tuesday is at 6:00pm**, not 6:30pm. So sorry about that!

Visit Fr. Joe's blog: <http://fromemptyhands.blogspot.com/>

VESPERS

Tuesday, 6:00pm
Notre Dame Chapel
 Sponsored by *André's Brothers*



HEARTS ON FIRE

Friday, February 3
 Notre Dame Church
 7:00pm Praise & Worship Holy Hour
 8:00pm Bonfire, Snacks & Fellowship

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

Married Couples "Take courage, it is I; do not be afraid." No matter how strong the winds, Jesus is there to take our hands and guide our marriage. Restore, renew and rekindle your marriage on the upcoming Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend on 3/17 – 3/19 at St. Anne's Shrine in Isle La Motte. For info or to apply, contact Gary & Lynn Root @ vtroot@together.net or call 802-456-8114 or go on-line @ www.wwmevt.org. Note that the application deadline is February 24, 2017.

OPEN COMMENT PERIOD ON THE PROPOSED PASTORAL PLAN

The Pastoral Council is accepting written questions, comments, and concerns from parishioners about the Pastoral Plan for St. André's until Sunday, January 15, 2017 (the day before it's next meeting). We kindly ask that these written statements include your name, and we are particularly interested in your response to these questions: *Are there needs in our parish or community that are not expressed in the proposed Pastoral Plan but which you believe St. André's ought to meet? Are there things that you have seen or heard about in other parishes that you would like to see here at St. André's? What are you looking for from our parish life besides Sunday Mass and the Sacraments? What are your greatest concerns about the proposed Pastoral Plan for St. André's Parish?* Please don't assume that something has already been said—and, even if it has been, it's helpful for us to know that it's on the minds of a number of folks. And, of course, supportive comments are just as welcome as critical ones. Your written statements can be dropped in the collection basket, given to a Pastoral Council member, or delivered to the parish office.

PASTORAL COUNCIL MEETING

St. André's Pastoral Council will be meeting on Monday, January 16th, at 6:30pm in the Notre Dame Parish Center. All parishioners are welcome to attend

ST. ANDRÉ'S PARISH COUNCIL

Jennifer Champagne, Madonna Champagne (Youth Member), Andy Duso, Mary Haas, Cathy Lane-Johnson, Pam Leduc (Trustee), Aimee LeRoy, Malcolm Miner, Greg Paye (Trustee), Judy Pelkey, Jeff Scharf, and Linda Sprague.

Your Pastoral Council members want to hear from you! Please feel free to approach them with your questions, suggestions, and concerns.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES

Thank You: The staff of Catholic Charities and the Good Samaritan Food Pantry would like to extend a heartfelt thank you to all of you who helped in any way to make our 2016 Christmas Basket/Giving Tree Program a huge success. We were able, once again, to provide Christmas Baskets to **285** families. To those of you who gave of yourself in time, talent and/or financial donations, please know your kindness and generosity did not go unnoticed. In addition to the food baskets, the Giving Tree provided gifts to **76** children from **36** families, a decrease over last year. These are unduplicated families not served through the county-wide Holiday Helper program. The warm, compassion and generosity of this community are such an inspiration to all. You make a difference in the lives of your neighbors and you do it not only in words but also through action. God Bless each and every one of you and our best to you for a happy, healthy New Year.

Parish Email Address: office@standres.org

This Weekend – Second Sunday in Ordinary Time**Saturday, Jan 14 (Heb 4:12-16/Mk 2:13-17)**

4:00pm (ND) Marguerite Sweet by Family

Sunday, Jan 15 (Is 49:3, 5-6/1 Cor 1:1-3/Jn 1:29-34)

8:00am (SJB) Marjorie Andrews by Family

9:30am (SH) Betty Mulligan by Ellie & Bob Wall

11:00am (ND) For the People of SAB

Weekday Masses**Monday, Jan 16 (Heb 5:1-10/Mk 2:18-22)**

8:00am (ND) Sylvia Hosler by Family

Tuesday, Jan 17 (Heb 6:10-20/Mk 2:23-28)

6:45am (ND) Karen Mahoney by Fran & Marilyn Johnston

Wednesday, Jan 18 (Heb 7:1-3, 15-17/Mk 3:7-12)6:45am (ND) Joseph Poissant by Meg Poissant
12:05pm (ND) Herman & Lila Lamica by the Family**Thursday, Jan 19 (Heb 7:25-8:6/Mk 3:7-12)**

6:45am (ND) James McKee III by Ann Main

Friday, Jan 20 (Heb 8:6-13/Mk 3:13-19)

6:45am (ND) Genevive Charland by Donald & Judy Bombard

12:05 (ND) Freeda Fayette by the Estate

Next Weekend – Second Sunday in Ordinary Time**Saturday, Jan 21 (Heb 4:12-16/Mk 2:13-17)**

4:00pm (ND) Karen Mahoney by Lynda & Gary Basiliere

Sunday, Jan 22 (Is 8:23-9:3/1 Cor 1:10-13, 17)**Mt 4:12-23)**

8:00am (SJB) For the People of SAB

9:30am (SH) Patricia Livernois by HFS Faculty & Staff

11:00am (ND) Margaret Pollic by SAB Rosary Society

Worship Sites of St. André's

Notre Dame Church (ND), 11 Church Place, Malone
 St. Helen's Church (SH), 755 Co. Highway 41, Chasm Falls
 St. John Bosco Church (SJB), 57 Rennie Street, Malone
 St. Joseph's Church (SJ), 306 West Main Street, Malone

Tuesday Nursing Home Mass

The Alice Center (TAC), 45 Sixth Street, Malone
Held in the 2nd floor West Dining Room

HOLY FAMILY SCHOOL

For more information about the unique education offered at Holy Family School, talk to your pastor or call Mrs. Marianne Jadlos at 518-483-4443 or email her at hfsprincipal@gmail.com

Holy Family Year-Round BINGO!

Saturday Nights - Doors open at 5:30PM

Early Bird

Progressive Bingo

Pull Tabs

Concession

CHRISTIAN FORMATION

Valentine Workshop: If you are in the 6th - 8th grade and enjoy creating valentines, join us on Friday, February 10th from 7 - 9 p.m. in the parish center. The homemade cards will be distributed to our homebound parishioners. The evening will also include a learning activity about the Sacred Heart of Jesus.

If you or someone you know is missing a Sacrament or would like to enter the Church, please contact the parish office. "Behold, I stand at the door and knock. If anyone hears my voice and opens the door, I will come in to him and eat with him, and he with me" (Rev 3:20).

CAMP GUGGENHEIM REGISTRATION

Registration for the 2017 season is now open!

Register soon to ensure a spot for an incredible week of fun and growth in faith! Go to www.rcdony.org/camp to register! For more information contact the Office of Youth Ministry at 518-393-2920 or email vlalonde@rcdony.org

**WOMEN'S STUDY STARTING**

If you are looking for other like-minded women and to grow deeper in your faith, this new study is for you! We will be discussing John Paul II's beautiful letter about the dignity and vocation of women. If you are interested in joining or would like more information, please email Catherine at catherine@standres.org



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If you'd like to contribute to St. André's Parish electronically—one time only or monthly, either from your checking account or credit card—you can now do so directly from the parish website: standres.org. Thanks for your generosity!

COMMUNITY EVENTS**St. Mary's Breakfast Buffet**

Sunday, January 15 from 8:00am - 12:30pm at St. Mary's Parish Center on the Gale Rd., Brushton. Menu: Eggs, Bacon, Sausage, Hash, Home Fries, Pancakes, French Toast, Homemade Donuts, Toast and beverages. Adults \$8.00, Seniors \$7.00, 6-12 years of age \$4.00, 5 and under free. Take outs available by calling 529-6580.

Malone Adult Center - Breakfast

Sunday, February 12th, from 8:00am - 12:00pm at 14906 State Route 30 North, Malone. Menu includes: scrambled eggs, sausage, ham, French toast, pancakes with syrup, sausage gravy, homefries and beverages. Cost is: adults & Seniors - \$8, kids (6-12) - \$3, under 5 are free. Take out are available and delivery is free by calling 483-6611.

Community Friendship Volunteer Program

Is planning a training for prospective volunteers to be held at the CP Clinic/Community Health Care Bldg. on the Creighton Rd., 380 Co. Rt. 51, on January 31 and February 6, from 10:00am until 1:00pm each day. The program provides volunteers with the opportunity to connect with an elder or infirmed person; building a relationship while providing a needed service.

If you are interested in this very rewarding experience and would like to learn more about volunteering for the Community Friendship Volunteer Program, please contact us at 483-2535 or through e-mail at sschrader@chcnorthcountry.org.

SOCIETIES AND PARISHES' EVENT(S)**Bingo - Knights of Columbus**

Every Tuesday, early bird starts at 7:00pm. Elm Street. Progressive Bingo - Pull Tabs - Concession

Knights of Columbus Career Opportunity:

The Knights of Columbus is seeking a Field Agent for a career opportunity representing their insurance program. We offer a complete benefits package with this full-time position. In order to qualify, one must be eligible for membership in the Knights of Columbus. For more information, please contact, Shawn Tetreault at 518-310-1660 or tetreaultagency@mail@kofc.org.

CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS 2016

If you would like a record of your contributions for 2016 for St. André Bessette Parish for tax purposes, please fill out the form below and return it in the collection basket. **We will mail them to you before the end of January.**

Name: _____

Phone#: _____

REGIONAL EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Could you not watch with me for one hour? (Mk. 13:47)

Notre Dame, Malone - Tuesdays following
6:45am Mass until 1:00pm

Notre Dame, Malone - Thursdays, 7:00- 8:00pm
w/confessions

St. Patrick's, Chateaugay - 1st Fridays from
9-10 am

St. Anne's, St. Regis Falls - 1st Saturday
following 4:30pm anticipated Mass

**ST. ANDRÉ'S PARISH FUNDRAISERS****Bingo - St. John Bosco**

Join us for Bingo at St. John Bosco every THURSDAY. It starts at 7:00pm. Bring a friend or two! Workers January 12, for Bingo Team 3. **Bingo now starts at 7:00pm.**

Is God Calling YOU

You are filled with the Spirit! What is your gift? What is your ministry? Pray for wisdom and knowledge, faith and healing power. God has chosen each person in Christ for a particular vocation. If He may be calling you to be holy through a vocation to the priesthood, diaconate or consecrated life, talk to Fr. Joe or Fr. Scott by calling 483-1300 or 483-4074. Also on Facebook or at www.myvocation.net.

PLATTSBURGH MARCH FOR LIFE

Sunday, January 22nd. Gathering at 12:15pm at St. John 23rd Newman Center. March begins at 12:45pm to St. John the Baptist Church. Program starts at 1pm. Guest speaker, Dale Barr, is a mom and nurse from Cornwall, Ontario, Canada. She has been active in Silent No More Awareness Campaigns as a regional coordinator for Eastern Ontario. All are welcome to the March and presentation at St. John's Church in Plattsburgh. Reception to follow in the parish center.

ST. ANDRÉ'S MINISTRIES**Holy Family School (PreK-8)**

12 Homestead Park, (518) 483-4443
Mrs. Marianne Jadlos, Principal

Good Samaritan Food Pantry

Administered by Catholic Charities
57 Rennie Street, (518) 483-1460

St. Vincent de Paul Thrift Store

6 Homestead Park (across from Holy Family School)
Mon.-Fri., 9:00 A.M.-4:00 P.M.



**Sunday, February 5th
11:00am Mass**

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Parents who wish to have a child baptized should contact Rev. Joseph Giroux to make arrangements for the date and for a program of preparation. Parents are highly encouraged to make arrangements at least three months before the child is born, as the Catholic Church encourages Baptism for infants as soon as possible after birth. Adults and older children (seven years or older) interested in Baptism or entering into full communion with the Catholic Church should inquire about the program of preparation (R.C.I.A.: the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults).

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

A Catholic wishing to be married in one of our churches should contact one of the priests at least six months prior to the desired date in order to begin making arrangements. A program of preparation is required. The parish should be contacted before any other plans are made—for example, the wedding reception.

SACRAMENT OF THE ANOINTING OF THE SICK

For those preparing for surgery, nursing home residents, or the homebound, contact one of the parish priests to make arrangements to be anointed. For those in the hospital (especially in the event of an emergency), ask the hospital staff to contact the priest on call.

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

	01/08/17	01/03/16	01/04/15
Envelopes	\$8,389.00	\$ 9,498.60	\$ 9,287.00
Plate	\$1,215.76	\$ 1,107.72	\$ 989.73
Online Gifts	\$ 200.00	\$ 120.00	\$ 0.00
TOTAL	\$9,804.76	\$10,726.32	\$10,276.73
Envelopes Used	276	287	338

"There are three kinds of giving: grudge giving says, I have to; duty giving says, I ought to; thanksgiving says, I want to. The first comes from constraint; the second from a sense of obligation; the third from a full heart."

Rev. Robert Rodenmayer

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