

MASS INTENTIONS

Mon. Mar 20 (SM) (2Sm7: 4-5e, 12-14a, 16/Rom 4-13, 16-18, 22/Mt 1: 16, 18-21, 24a)
 5:30pm – (SM) Sr. Mary Chris' intentions
Tues. Mar 21 (SM) (Dn 3: 25, 34-43/Mt 18: 21-35)
 8:30 am – Deceased members of the Juris & Battley families by Pat
Wed. Mar 22 (SM) (Dt 4: 1, 5-9/Mt 5: 17-19)
 8:30 am – Alfreda Dwello by Colleen & Mack Spellecy
Thurs. Mar 23 (SP) (Jer 7: 23-28/Lk 11: 14-23)
 8:30 am – Dorothy Lotz by "the lunch bunch"
Fri. Mar 24 (SP) (Hos 14: 2-10/Mk 12: 28-34)
 8:30 am – Susan Duell by Lynda & Jim Swenson
Sat. Mar 25 (Is 7: 10-14, 8: 10/Heb 10: 4-10/Lk 1: 26-38)
 8:30am – (SP) Patricia Darmofal by Tom & Sue Connor
 5:00pm – (SM) Raymond Rutz by wife Anna & Becky
Sun. Mar 26 (1Sm 16: 1b, 6-7, 10-13a/Eph 5: 8-14/Jn 9: 1-41)
 8:00am – (SP) Tom Klecha by Sharon & Steve Wawro
 9:30am – (SM) Teresa Dendis by Donna Dendis
 11:00am – (SP) Margaret Bertino by children & grandchildren

ST. MARY'S

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES FOR 3/25 & 3/26/2017

LECTORS/COMMENTATORS

5:00 pm –Lector: L Connolly, Commentator: Volunteer
 9:30 am – Lector: L Smith, Commentator: B Smith

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

5:00 pm – D Chapin, Vol., J Bells, Vol., Vol.
 9:30 am – H Smith, Vol., C Struzik, S DeChick, Vol.

GREETERS

5:00 pm – G Rosata & Katie
 9:30 am – S Elias

ALTAR SERVERS

5:00 pm – B Ryan, C House, A&A Burm
 9:30 pm – J&L Smith, J&G Struzik

SENECA NURSING HOME – D Wolfe, T Rosata

HUNTINGTON NURSING HOME – A Elias, S Elias

MONEY COUNTERS FOR 3/21/17

Group #4

PANCAKE BREAKFAST TEAM FOR 3/21/17

Ellen Hughes, Karen O'Brien
 Cathy Felber, Albina Meyers

(We need more volunteers – contact K Peters at 315-539-8006 or
kpeters6@rochester.rr.com if interested)

IN MEMORIAM

Virginia Dimon

CALENDAR

Monday Mar 20

Rosary Makers – Min Ctr 6:00pm
 RCIA – Min Ctr 7:00pm

Tuesday Mar 21

Free Pancake Breakfast – Min Ctr 8:30-10:30am
 Liturgy Mtg – Min Ctr 7:00pm

Wednesday Mar 22

Eucharistic Adoration –SP Rectory Basement 5-6:00pm

Thursday Mar 23

Eucharistic Adoration – SM Church 9:30am-4pm
 Seneca Nursing Home Mass 2:15pm

Friday Mar 24

Stations of the Cross – SP 7:00pm
 Weekend of Adoration – St. Patrick's see bulletin insert

Saturday Mar 25

Weekend of Adoration – St. Patrick's see bulletin insert
 RCIA 2nd Scrutiny – St. Mary's 5:00pm Mass

Sunday Mar 26

2nd Collection – Catholic Relief Services

Weekend of Adoration – St. Mary's see bulletin insert
 Coffee Hour – Min Ctr after 9:30am Mass
 Religious Ed – Min Ctr 10:30am-noon
 Confirmation Yr 1 – SP Rectory 6:30-8pm

Confession – St. Mary's – Saturday – 3:30-4:30pm

St. Patrick's – 1st Friday's – 9:00-10:00am

Morning Rosary – Mon, Thurs & Fri, 7:45 am – at St. Pat's

– Tues & Wed, 7:45am – at St. Mary's

Evening Rosary – St. Mary's – Wednesdays @ 7:00 pm

ST. PATRICK'S

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES FOR 3/26/2017

LECTORS/COMMENTATORS

8:00am – Lector: P Wenderlich, Commentator: L DeVries

11:00am – Lector: D Roper, Commentator: ME Kernan

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

8:00am – J LeRoux, J DeVries, M Suffredini, M Piscitelli,
 C Ferrindino

11:00am – R Kernan, L Galletti, D Allee, F Galletti, R Ryrko

GREETERS

8:00am – Front Doors – B Maloney, C Hlywa, Mary Side –

J Shrey, Organ Side – P Wenderlich, Back Door– J Antosh

11:00am – Front Doors – M Woods, Mary Side – J Swenson,

Organ Side – L Swenson, Back Door – B Gribnau

ALTAR SERVERS

8:00am – (A) Bridget M (B) Vincent L (C) Vol.

11:00am – (A) Ryleigh B (B) Grant B (C) Vol.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD – Kathy,
 Mary Ida

BAPTISMS

Rhett Norris Foster

Liam Ethan Dingeldein

Week of 3/18/17 – 3/24/17		<u>ANGELUS BELLS</u>	
<p>St. Mary's – <u>SANCTUARY LAMP</u> Meghan S. Herman Offered by: Mom & Dad</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>ALTAR BREAD & WINE</u> Meghan S. Herman Offered by: Mom & Dad</p> <p>St. Patrick's - <u>SANCTUARY LAMP</u> Donald Verzillo Offered by: Ada</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>ALTAR BREAD & WINE</u> Donald Verzillo Offered by: the Clara Ann & Bob Drietlein family</p>		<p>3/12 SP Greg Cole</p> <p>3/19 SM SP</p> <p>3/20 SM SP</p> <p>3/21 SM SP</p> <p>3/22 SM Uncle Joe Sabatine SP</p> <p>3/23 SM SP</p> <p>3/24 SM SP</p> <p>3/25 SM Anthony Passalacqua SP Diane Jones</p>	

The cost to have the Angelus bells rung in memory of a relative or an occasion is \$10. There are many dates available.

Pray for our sick & homebound... Baby Ella, Ann Rizzieri, Alexis Eldrige, Roxanne Starry, Mary Ann Dambrosia, Ellen Moon, Fr. Eugene Weiss, Rose Marie LaLonde, Barb C, Bob B, Nancy Osborne, Cindy Williamson, Kathleen Talcott, Dolores Boeticker, Sr. Mary Chris, Marie Ramson, Joe Wyatt, Jonah Decory, Peggy (Cuddeback) Worden, Marcella Hill, Ralph Sinicropi, John Scaramuzzino, Leona Sposato, Eleanor Jackson, Kirk Cole, Karen Jenkins, Theresa Anderson, Jayden Moone, Fritz Chrysler, Loretta C, Ken Sheridan, Doris Rockwell, Dorothy & John Euchlund, Barbara Steinke, Richard Steinke, Alice Sabatine, Lena Pagano, Bill Breen, Rose Mary Costantino, Kathleen Oldfield, Jamie Canulli, Mary Jo Semler, Julia Kennedy, Ron Barnhart, Joseph Lotto, Joe Lama, Jean DeLelys, Tootsie Franceschi, Phyllis Colloggi, William Cathy, Dale Trout Jr., Ellen Clark, Maureen Orsini, Kathy Cole, Yolanda Pace, John Milligan, Katie Verone, Joan Stetz, LM, Jesse Alcott, Jean Shaw, Ed Stephany, Amber Moses, Roxanna Baker, Felicia Strong, Thomas Leone, Asa Poorman, Marjorie Edmeston, Dick Marr, Susan Juris, Mary Jensen, Henry Emerson, William Johnson Jr., Jodie Pearson, M. Claire M, Miranda Y, Colleen VanCamp, Cathy Woods, Michael Hoover, Tyler Sheldon, Mary Steele, Georgine Rosata, Alice DePasquale, Marilyn, Philomena Cammuso, Fran Wenderlich, Amy Roepnack, LouAnn Millis, Cindy Brown, Orion, Shannon, John Gnell, Julia Kennedy, Karen Ditzell, David Smith, Judy Walczak, Mary Harrin, Dr. William White, Maria C. Norman, Judy Hoffman, Ann Passifione, Marlene Bell, Joan Capaldi, Gianna, Ashley Stillwell, Lucille Cook, Theresa Antonucci, Mary Lou's Intentions, Kathy, Judy Bauer, Fred VanNostrand, Chuck Carello, Michael Cunningham, Agnes Juris, JC Christiano, Ann Cook, Judy Wheaton, Florence Rosbaugh, Joan Lannon,, Jo Christiano, Susan D. Kuchman, Carol Eck, Mary Ebers, Rose Nehring, Margaret Nardi, Tim O'Mara, Janet Fulkerson, Marlin Ferrara Peterson, John Bennett, Kathleen Deal, Carmella Smith, Joyce Sinicropi, Cory Steinbacker, Charm Miller, Robin Ryan, Dorothy Versluys, Patty Smithover, Tim Youngs, Jarrod Ticconi, Cindy Schlegel, Elizabeth Hundley, Emily , Venturelli, Yolanda Giansante, Wendy Goodman, Bonnie, Lauren, Maureen Jusko, Sue Secore, Neal Wood, Robin Jock, Zachary M., Evelyn Chiodo, Kelly, Jay Colin, Mary Paradise, Rebecca Carson, Rebecca Tuccio, Patricia Maple, Lilliana Antonucci Austin, Trevor Cauler, Lexi Neinast, Judy, Larry McMillen, Jane Kuchman, Patricia L., Gerald Goodman, Cheryl Lewis, Diane VanDamne, Marilyn Dickinson, Lainie Forde, Frank Seitz Jr., Barb McGill, Leighann Henry, Misty Clark, Kitty Allenza, MaryLou Lorenzetti, Jerome Wolfe, Pam Kirk, Jesse Pardee, David Peters, & all of our sick

Please note: I am trying to keep the prayer list updated – if you would like to be added to or **deleted from** the list, please call the parish office at 539-2944 or 651-4349.

“It is God who gives life. Let us respect and love human life, especially vulnerable life in a Mother's womb.”

Pope Francis

St. Joseph's Table Celebrated at St. Francis & St. Clare

On Sunday afternoon, March 5th the Little Flowers and Blue Knights Clubs had the opportunity to learn about St. Joseph and then experience the celebration of a St. Joseph's Table. They learned about this beautiful tradition that originated during medieval times in Sicily. The celebration is a thanksgiving offered to St. Joseph who was sought to intercede for the farmers during a great drought and famine. The farmers promised to honor God and St. Joseph by hosting a feast to which they would invite orphans and homeless people. Today parishes and individual families continue this beautiful tradition in honor of or in thanksgiving to St. Joseph for a particular intention.

Traditionally the table is set with 3 tiers representing the trinity. The focal point of the table is the "altar" of St. Joseph which in this case was a statue that Fr. Jim had in the rectory surrounded by candles and lilies. The table was then covered with foods and decorations that were native to the farmers in Italy. In keeping with tradition there was no meat on the table as the peasant families could not afford it and it honored the no meat during Lent. The Little Flowers and Blue Knights families sampled St. Joseph's bread, olives, artichokes, pasta with breadcrumbs (saw dust of St. Joseph) and fun forms of fish to represent the 12 fishes (apostles). This was a beautiful way for the families to learn and share in an age old cultural celebration of our church. **Check out the St. Francis and St. Clare Facebook page to see pictures.**

We hope that others might be interested in celebrating a St. Joseph's Table as a parish or in your own homes next year. Please contact Fr. Jim or the office for more information. St. Joseph's Day this year is being recognized Monday the 20th, consider sharing a prayer or something special in his honor.



Did you know there is no one right Act of Contrition for the Sacrament of Penance? Visit <http://forgiven.dor.org> for a list of several ways to make an Act of Contrition. We hope to see you on **Tuesday, March 28**, for the **Day of Penance and Mercy**.



COFFEE HOUR

March 26 ... after 9:30 a.m. Mass in the Parish Center. Coffee, tea, OJ and sweet treats! Please join us before you head on your way home!

The House of Concern in Seneca Falls is in need of the following items that can be left in the containers at the church doors: Bar soap, laundry detergent and dish detergent. As always, we thank you for your continuing generosity!

YOU ARE INVITED! The Men and Women of Peace (the men's and women's organizations of Our Lady of Peace Parish) invite you to join them for breakfast on Saturday, March 25, at 9:00 a.m. in the parish center at St. Francis de Sales, Geneva, NY. Join us for prayer, good food, fellowship and an opportunity to learn more about Men of Peace and Women of Peace. Both organizations are open to men and women of all ages and focus on growing in our Catholic faith. To RSVP: register by emailing menatolop@gmail.com, or register at menofpeace.net. God bless.

Beginning Experience is a peer support group for separated, divorced and widowed adults. The weekend program helps deal with the natural grief process and offers an opportunity, through God, for dealing with the pain of loss and moving into the future with renewed hope. Our next retreat will be at Camp Stella Maris on Conesus Lake March 31 - April 2, 2017. For more information contact Beginning Experience at (585) 987-1750 or visit www.beginningexperiencerochester.org

The **Catholic Courier Lenten Journal** is designed to support you throughout the Lenten season of penance, reflection and fasting in preparation for Christ's resurrection. Daily visitors to the journal will find Gospel readings, reflections, meatless recipes, children's crafts and more. Visit each day beginning March 1 at www.catholiccourier.com/lentenjournal2017

FAMILY SPIRITUALITY WEEKLY TIP FOR:

3/19/17 3rd Sunday of Lent

Gospel: John 4: 5-42

After Mass, discuss these questions & brainstorm ideas & ways to implement them this week!

Adults: Where have you found a source of "living water" for your own journey of faith?

Children: When has your belief in Jesus helped make you stronger?

LET'S LIVE THE GOSPEL!!!!!!



NEED FOOD/DRINK DONORS: There will be an exhibit to celebrate Down Syndrome at the Seneca Falls Recreation Center from March 16-26. Please look in your local media for more details on this traveling exhibit. I have volunteered to oversee the refreshments, which will be on Saturday, March 25 from 1-3:00 PM. I am hoping the parish will support the refreshment part of this exhibit by **volunteering to donate: 8 oz. block of cheese, box of crackers, bag of clementines/halos, a few pounds of bananas, bunch of grapes, a bag of apples, juice boxes OR small water bottles. If you can donate any of these items,**

please email me at kpeters6@rochester.rr.com or call at 539-8006. Thanks to the Catholic Daughters who donated \$100 toward this exhibit! For more information on this exhibit, please contact Kathy Miller at thanksmiller@gmail.com or Susan Porter at scporter1@verizon.net, or visit our Facebook page at www.facebook.com/OneMillionVoicesSenecaFalls/. Thanks and God bless you for all you do for our parish and communities!



Is your marriage or that of a relative or friend heading for divorce? Do you feel helpless?

Retrouvaille (pronounced retro-vi, meaning rediscovery) is designed to help troubled marriages regain their health. It helps spouses uncover or re-awaken the love, trust and commitment that originally brought them together. It is Catholic in nature but open to couples of all faiths or backgrounds.

This world-wide program is highly successful in saving hurting marriages, even bringing reconciliation to couples who have already separated or divorced.

For confidential information about or to register for the Spring program beginning with a weekend at Notre Dame Retreat House on **April 7-9, 2017**, please call **585-293-1552** or visit the web site at www.HelpOurMarriage.com

Remember the people of Nicaragua this Lent

Anne Marie has asked us to start collecting tools and toolboxes.



(in addition to sports equipment, etc.)

***Do you have extra hammers, wrenches, screwdrivers, shovels, rakes and hoes?
Please save them for our collection which will begin mid-May.***

Details to follow



Next CAREGIVER RESPITE is March 30, 9:30-11:00. ARE YOU or SOMEONE YOU KNOW a CAREGIVER OF CHILDREN YOUNGER THAN 5 years old? Could you use a coffee break with adult conversation?

This might be for you: Free Caregiver Respite monthly at St. Francis-St. Clare Parish Ministry Center, 25 Center St. Waterloo (parking in rear). Children are supervised with playtime, stories and crafts while the adults gather separately. We gather at 9:30 a.m. and settle the kids, then 10-11:00 a.m. spiritual fellowship and support. For more information and/or registration, call Pam Kane at 315-651-4351 or pkane@dor.org.

STEWARDSHIP CORNER

3rd Sunday of Lent

“Everyone who drinks this water will be thirsty again.” JOHN 4:13

Jesus reminds us that material things, even something as basic as water, can never satisfy us for long. When we build our lives around material possessions we always want more. True Joy and Peace only comes when we follow Jesus; when we become more “God-centered” and less “self-centered”.

	March 11 & 12, 2017 WEEKEND	
	<u>MASS ATTENDANCE</u>	
ST. MARY’S CHURCH		ST. PATRICK’S CHURCH
5:00pm – 143	TOTAL – 665	8:00am – 144
9:30am – 237		11:00am – 141
	<u>TOTAL WEEKLY COLLECTION</u>	
	\$8674.96	

SFSC Catholic Ministries appeal update as of 3/14/17

of donors-245 YTD collected-\$35,025 goal-\$81,355 % of goal-43.7%

Same as last week!

FIRST EUCHARIST SHARING SUPPER

REMINDER

SUNDAY MARCH 29TH MINISTRY CENTER 6:00pm followed
by TEACHING MASS



The **Sisters of St. Joseph** offer a variety of programs:

SSJ Artist's Soul Art Show - April 21-30, 2017 Free admission - SSJ Motherhouse

Fresh Wind in Our Sails - spiritual development opportunities:

The Dos, Don'ts & Nuances of Civil Discourse - March 30 - 7-8:30pm

Why are the Pews Emptying? - April 27 - 7- 8:30pm

For a full listing of offerings visit www.ssjrochester.org/publicatons

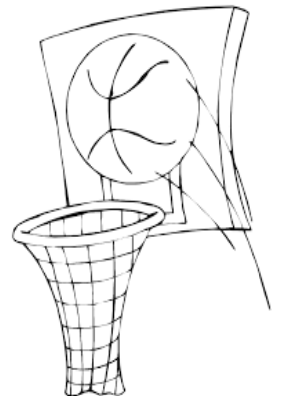
Attention Basketball Fans!

2nd Annual No Fooling Around Madness 3 on 3 Basketball Tournament

St. Joseph's School/ St. Alphonsus' Gymnasium Auburn NY

March 31st 5-9pm & April 1st 10am-2pm (times vary per team)

- ❖ *Double Elimination 3on3- Age groups (2nd-4th, 5th-6th, 7th-8th, and 9th-12th grades)*
- ❖ *Space is limited & team pre-registration is required*
- ❖ *Games 10 min. long or 15 points whichever comes first*
- ❖ *Starting times announced after registration ends **3/28 or space is full.***
- ❖ ***Entry fee of \$45** for each team: proceeds benefit St. Joseph's School Class of 2018*
- ❖ *Participant awards and recognition for top teams in each age group*
- ❖ *For full registration form please contact St. Francis & St. Clare parish office 315-651-4349 or contact tournament organizers **Shannon Reohr** at smlavey@hotmail.com or **Jen Wlad** at frjecojoza@aol.com 315-412-6135*



Received from the Cayuga/Seneca Community Action Agency, Inc.:

To the Social Ministry Committee,

Please accept my thanks on behalf of those who depend on our food pantry for sustenance for your "Operation Rice Bowl" donation. Our pantry depends on community support in order to serve those in need and your efforts make what we do here - giving food to the hungry- possible. So thank you!

Yours,

Annie Wilkes, Director

PARISH MEMORIALS

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| Albert Cappello by: | Mary Stein
Joseph & Laura Sposato
Marina Delia
James P. Cammuso | Nancy Galusha & Bob Plate
M/M Angelo Esposito
Ron & Nancy Piscitelli
SCDHS | Mildred Hayes
Mary Suffredini
John & Donna Brady
Diane Peterson & family |
| Harriet Gamache by: | MaryJane & James Calabrese
John Scura | Susan & William Belias
Daniel Zeck | Robert Scura |
| Robert Baker by: | Patrice Giansante & Trina Myers | Alice Wheeler by: M/M Angelo Esposito
Gladys DelPapa | |
| Jane Stephany by: | Gladys DelPapa | Sam Altimari by: Frank N. Scale
Flora Novak | |
| Olide Giannotti by: | Angela Mellini
Frank & Rosemary Capozzi
Renata Turri | | |

Next weekend (March 25 & 26), our parish will join with Catholic parishes across the Diocese and country to take up the annual **Catholic Relief Services Collection.**

This special national collection helps to support the U.S. Catholic community's *international social ministry* carried out in our name by six U.S. Catholic agencies, including Catholic Relief Services, Catholic Migration and Refugee Services, United States Bishops Justice, Peace and Human Development Ministry, and the Holy Father's Relief Fund.

These Catholic agencies touch the lives of more than 100 million brothers and sisters all over the world annually...giving hope to refugees, immigrants, the impoverished, victims of war and natural disasters.

Our Lenten alms offered through *Catholic Relief Services Rice Bowl* provide funding for specific projects, while this annual collection provides basic funding for Catholic Relief Services and the other U.S. Catholic international social ministries mentioned.

Thank you for your generous spirit!