

MASS INTENTIONS

Mon. Apr 10 (SM) (Is 42: 1-7/Jn 12: 1-11)
 5:30pm – Pat Golden by Dave & Darlene Duprey

Tues. Apr 11 (SM) (Is 49: 1-6/Jn 13: 21-33, 36-38)
 8:30 am – Charlie Dendis by family

Wed. Apr 12 (SM) (Is 50: 4-9a/Mt 26: 14-25)
 8:30 am – Wally McCutcheon by Teresa Dendis

Thurs. Apr 13 HOLY THURSDAY (Ex 12: 1-8, 11-14/1Cor 11: 23-26/Jn 13: 1-15)
 7:00 pm – (SP) Mass of the Lord’s Supper – For the people of St. Francis & St. Clare Parish

Fri. Apr 14 GOOD FRIDAY (Is 52: 13-53: 12/Heb 4: 14-16, 5: 7-9/Jn 18: 1-19: 42)
 3:00 pm – (SM) Good Friday Service

Sat. Apr 15 HOLY SATURDAY (Gn 1: 1-2:2/Gn 22: 1-18/Ex 14: 15-15:1/Is 54: 5-14/Is 55: 1-11/Bar 3: 9-15, 32-4: 4/Ez 36: 16-17a, 18-28/Rom 6: 3-11/Mt 28: 1-10)
 7:00pm –(SM) Easter Vigil – For the people of St. Francis & St. Clare Parish

Sun. Apr 16 EASTER SUNDAY (Acts 10: 34a, 37-43/Col 3: 1-4/Jn 20: 1-9)
 8:00am – (SP) For the people of St. Francis & St. Clare Parish
 9:30am – (SM) For the people of St. Francis & St. Clare Parish
 11:00am – (SP) For the people of St. Francis & St. Clare Parish

ST. MARY’S

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES FOR 4/15 & 4/16/2017

LECTORS/COMMENTATORS

5:00 pm –Lector: E Hughes, Commentator: Vol.
 9:30 am – Lector: J Struzik, Commentator: K Donnelly

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

5:00 pm – D Chapin, C Felber, Vol., T Smith, Vol.
 9:30 am – C Swartout, N Dinan, L Shipley, S DeChick, Vol.

GREETERS

5:00 pm – J Seamans
 9:30 am – L VanOstrand

ALTAR SERVERS

5:00 pm – C House, Vol.
 9:30 pm – K&S Paul, C Nearpass

SENECA NURSING HOME – D Allee, L Rizzieri

HUNTINGTON NURSING HOME – A Elias, S Elias

MONEY COUNTERS FOR 4/11/17

Group #3

PANCAKE BREAKFAST TEAM FOR 4/11/17

Janette Seamans, Linda O’Connor
 Lisa Hochendal, Kathy Lansing

IN MEMORIAM

Richard Haines

CALENDAR

Monday Apr 10

Rosary Makers – Min Ctr 6:00pm
 NO RCIA

Tuesday Apr 11

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

Wednesday Apr 12

CDA Mtg – Abigail’s Restaurant 11:00am
 Tenebrae Service – SP Church 7:00pm
 Eucharistic Adoration –SP Rectory Basement 5-6:00pm

Thursday Apr 13 HOLY THURSDAY

Eucharistic Adoration – SM Church 9:30am-4pm
 Communion Service – Seneca Nursing Home 10:15am
 Mass of the Lord’s Supper – SP Church 7:00pm

Friday Apr 14 GOOD FRIDAY

Service – SM Church 3:00pm
 Stations of the Cross – SP 7:00pm
 Ecumenical Service – United Methodist Church, SF 7:00pm

Saturday Apr 15 HOLY SATURDAY

Blessing of Easter food – SM Church Noon
 Easter Vigil – SM Church 7:00pm

Sunday Apr 16 EASTER

Regular Mass times

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 4/16/2017

LECTORS/COMMENTATORS

8:00am – Lector: Vol., Commentator: Vol.
 11:00am – Lector: Vol., Commentator: Vol.

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

8:00am – Vol., Vol., Vol., Vol., Vol.
 11:00am – Vol., Vol., Vol., Vol., Vol.

GREETERS

8:00am – Front Doors – B Maloney, C Hlywa, Mary Side – K Peterson, Organ Side – B Peterson, Back Door– J Antosh
 11:00am – Front Doors – M Woods, Mary Side – KofC, Organ Side – KofC, Back Door – KofC

ALTAR SERVERS

8:00am – (A) Vincent L (B) Vol. (C) Vol.
 11:00am – (A) Grant B (B) Ryleigh B (C) Vol.

CHILDREN’S LITURGY OF THE WORD – Megan, Mary Ida

BAPTISMS

Cullen Emmel Alcott
 Henry Paul Brown

Week of 4/8/17 – 4/14/17

St. Mary's – SANCTUARY LAMP

Patricia Kunick & Norman Washko

Offered by: the Benkovich family

ALTAR BREAD & WINE

Offered by:

St. Patrick's - SANCTUARY LAMP

Offered by:

ALTAR BREAD & WINE

Offered by:

ANGELUS BELLS

4/9	SM SP	Florian Kubasik
4/10	SM SP	George & Mary Stincic
4/11	SM SP	Adelard & Grace Provencher
4/12	SM SP	
4/13	SM SP	
4/14	SM SP	
4/15	SM SP	

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, 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, 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.

"But I feel that the greatest destroyer of peace today is abortion, because Jesus said, 'If you receive a little child, you receive me.' So every abortion is the denial of receiving Jesus, the neglect of receiving Jesus."
Mother Teresa's Key Note Speech at White House Prayer Breakfast Feb. 3, 1994

Holy Week is upon us.

Palm Sunday - Before the blessing of palms during the procession on Palm Sunday the following prayer is said by the presider, "Dear friends, for five weeks of Lent we have been preparing, by works of charity and self sacrifice, for the celebration of our Lord's paschal mystery. Today we come together to begin this solemn celebration in union with the whole Church throughout the world. Christ entered in triumph into his own city, to complete his work as our Messiah: to suffer, to die, and to rise again". The palms are then blessed and the gospel account of Jesus' entry into Jerusalem is read. During the Liturgy of the Word the Passion of Christ is read. It is a story we have heard many time before and will hear many times in the future. Suffering, death and resurrection is not just something that happened to Jesus two thousand years ago part is part of our everyday life. "United with him in his suffering on the cross, may we share his resurrection and new life."

Holy Tuesday - The Chrism Mass will be celebrated this night at Sacred Heart Cathedral in Rochester at 7:00pm. The Holy Oils will be blessed by the Bishop and the priests renew their vows at this Mass. It is a very beautiful service.

Holy Wednesday - On this night, at 7:00pm at St. Patrick's Church, the Passion of Christ will be presented in a different but beautiful way in what is known as Tenebrae and combines the reading of the Passion in parts entwined with music and song. I would encourage you to attend if you can.

Holy Thursday - The Mass of the Lord's Supper starts the Triduum. The Holy Thursday Mass will be at 7:00pm at St. Patrick's and will be the only Mass that day. Part of the Mass is the Foot Washing ceremony in which twelve people will have their feet washed by the presider. Following the service, the Blessed Sacrament will be brought to a place of reposition and will be there for adoration until 10pm. The night will close with night prayer starting at 9:45pm. All are welcome.

Good Friday - The Passion of Christ is shared by all Christians; please join us to share in it. The traditional Good Friday service, which involves the reading of the Passion and adoration of the Cross will be at St. Mary's this year at 3:00 PM. Later that night at St. Patrick's at 7:00pm there will be the Stations of the Cross. After Stations, people are welcome to stay and help with decorating for Easter. There will also be an ecumenical service at 7:00pm at the United Methodist Church in Seneca Falls. I will be partaking in this prayer service with other pastors in the community and invite you to attend.

Holy Saturday - At noon there will be a blessing of Easter food at St. Mary's Church. You are welcome to bring any foods that you plan to use on Easter for your Sunday celebration to be blessed. The Easter Vigil will begin at 7pm. If you have never attended an Easter Vigil I strongly encourage you to do so. It is a very powerful liturgy.



April Catholic Daughters meeting will be held on April 12 at 11:00 a.m. at Abigail's. Donations will be for Pathway. On April 6 fourteen members, and hopefully other ladies from our parish, will attend a retreat at Genesee of the Abbey in Piffard (near Geneseo and home of Monks Bread made by the Trappists). April 5 we will hold Bingo at 2:00 PM at Seneca Nursing Home. April 25 we will be saying the Rosary with residents of Huntington Nursing Home at 9:30 a.m. following at 10:30 at Seneca Nursing Home. If interested in joining, please contact Regent Linda Nightingale at 539-3052 or lnightin@rochester.rr.com.

The wars, unrest and instability have been especially hard on Christians. Our parish will support Christians in the Holy Land through the **Good Friday Collection**, as requested by Pope Francis. Like Simon of Cyrene, you can help carry the cross under very difficult circumstances in the Holy Land. For more information about Christians in the Holy Land, visit www.myfranciscan.org/good-friday.

Donations for Operation Rice Bowl may be placed in the marked containers at the church entrances during Palm Sunday and Easter weekends, or they may be put in the container to the side of the main altar during Holy Week. Please make checks payable to Catholic Relief Services. Thank you from the social ministry committee.

Good Friday Services To Be Held At Nursing Homes

A group from St. Francis & St. Clare Parish will provide Good Friday services at the Waterloo nursing homes for the benefit of the residents. We will be at Seneca at 10:15am and at Huntington at 2:30pm. There will be readings from the Passion and hymns. Everyone is welcome to join us. For more information, contact Paul & Fran Wenderlich at 315-568-9711.

There will be no St. Francis & St. Clare Seniors Luncheon Meeting this week (April 13th) due to Holy Week services

FAMILY SPIRITUALITY WEEKLY TIP FOR:

4/9/17 Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion

Gospel: Matthew 26: 14-27: 66

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

Adults: How will you try to imitate the obedience and humility of Christ during this Holy Week?

Children: What could you do to show respect for Jesus this week as the Church remembers his Death and Resurrection?

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

HELP WANTED!

We will be decorating for Easter at St. Mary's after the 3:00pm Good Friday Service and at 1:00pm on Saturday at St. Patrick's. All are welcome to come and lend a hand!



Next CAREGIVER RESPITE is April 27, 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.

Notice to all St. Columbkille & St. Mary's Cemetery visitors

Please be advised that our cemetery crews will be starting Spring Clean-Up soon. All unclaimed wreaths, broken urns, flowerpots, etc. that are not removed before **April 14th** will be disposed of beginning April 17, 2017. **Spring Clean-Up will be April 17 – May 1.** Visitors are reminded that permanent plantings, trees, shrubs, or flowers are not to be planted on lots or graves. No fences or enclosures are allowed around any lot or any part of it. The placing of, crushed stone, mulch, wood chips, shells, etc. on or around graves or monuments, is strictly prohibited. Only one decoration per grave will be permitted, potted plants (not to exceed 12 inches in diameter) if space is available, one may be placed at each end of the monument. Glass containers or ornaments of any kind are prohibited.

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

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

Tuesday, April 11	Chrism Mass	Sacred Heart Cathedral 7pm
Wednesday, April 12	Tenebrae	St. Patrick's Church 7pm
Thursday, April 13	Mass of the Lord's Supper	St. Patrick's Church 7pm
	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament	St. Patrick's Church until 10pm
	Night prayer	St. Patrick's Church 9:45pm
Friday, April 14	Good Friday service	St. Mary's Church 3pm
	Stations of the Cross	St. Patrick's Church 7pm
	Ecumenical Service	United Methodist Church, Seneca Falls 7pm
Saturday, April 15	Blessing of Easter Food	St. Mary's Church Noon
	Easter Vigil	St. Mary's Church 7pm
Sunday, April 16	Easter	Regular Sunday Schedule

STEWARDSHIP CORNER

Palm Sunday

“As they were marching out, they came upon a man of Cyrene, Simon by name; this man they pressed into service to carry his cross.” MATTHEW 27:32

The Lord calls us to love God and to love our neighbor. Every day we are presented with opportunities to love our neighbor and help him “carry his cross”. These opportunities aren’t usually big events, they are usually ordinary occurrences like helping someone carry their groceries or holding the door open for them. The key is putting the other person’s needs before our own and not expecting anything in return.

April 1 & 2, 2017 WEEKEND		
<u>MASS ATTENDANCE</u>		
ST. MARY’S CHURCH	TOTAL – 746	ST. PATRICK’S CHURCH
5:00pm – 171		8:00am – 182
9:30am – 221		11:00am – 172
<u>TOTAL WEEKLY COLLECTION</u>		
\$17,816.00		

SFSC Catholic Ministries appeal update as of 4/4/17

of donors-246 YTD collected-\$35,352 goal-\$81,355 % of goal-43.8%

PALM SUNDAY
ENCOUNTER OUR NEIGHBORS

We encounter Jesus this week in Jerusalem, a community he knew well. We prayerfully enter into our own communities too, encountering those who are hungry and thirsty, and others who need our help. How does our Lenten journey motivate us to serve those we meet in our daily lives? Visit crsricebowl.org for more.

UNITED STATES

APRIL 9-15

Diocese of Honolulu

**encounter
OUR NEIGHBORS**

Loving God, give us vision to see the needs of our neighbors.

You are born with breadfruit, you grow up with breadfruit and you die with breadfruit. This popular saying from the Micronesian island of Chuuk, thousands of miles off the coast of Hawaii, captures the importance of this starchy fruit. It's a staple both for the Chuukese living in Micronesia, and for people like Micaela, who were forced to migrate to Hawaii due to a changing climate and rising seas.

Though Micaela moved to Hawaii seeking a better life, she instead found a community of Chuukese struggling with hunger. Through the One 'Ohana: Food and

Housing for All program, Micaela organizes groups of women to learn farming techniques. Together, they gain the knowledge to plant breadfruit trees and feed their communities.

For Micaela, the project is a way to look to the future while remembering the past. "It's been many years since I dug my hands in the ground. We are reconnecting back to our home, even though it's not the soil from where we came from," she says.

Visit crsricebowl.org to watch a video and learn more about the Diocese of Honolulu.



25% of your gifts to CRS Rice Bowl help organizations in your local community.

That means supporting important projects like One 'Ohana: Food and Housing for All.

SUMMER FESTIVAL RAFFLE TIME IS HERE AGAIN! The ticket envelopes will be in the front entryway of St. Patrick's Church from Friday, April 14, 2017 through Monday, May 8, 2017 and in the front entryway of St. Mary's Church from Friday, May 12, 2017 through Monday, June 5, 2017. Please pick up your envelope to save the Committee from **HAND DELIVERING** any remaining envelopes as the envelopes **CANNOT** be mailed. If you do not find your envelope and would like tickets, please contact us at the phone numbers below or contact the Ministry Center at 315-539-2944.

The ticket stubs and **CASH** payments may be returned to the Ministry Center in person, by mail, or by placing them in the weekend collection.

Thank you for your continued support of this important fundraiser for our parish!
Committee Co-Chairs: Joan Bells (315-539-8473) & Liz Young (315-521-2921)

Thank you to all who visited and supported the recent *One Million Voices Down Syndrome* photo exhibit at the Seneca Falls Community Center. A special thank you to Father Jim for helping us publicize the event; to the Catholic Daughters for sponsoring our public reception; and to all others who made donations to the reception. We are so grateful.

-- Kathleen Miller and Susan Porter

The St. Genesius Players of Tyburn Academy present

My Fair Lady

Books and lyrics by Alan Jay Lerner Music by Frederick Lowe

April 20-22 8:00pm

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