

MASS INTENTIONS

Mon. Aug 14 ASSUMPTION VIGIL (Dt 10: 12-22/Mt 17: 22-27)
7:00pm –(SP) Passifione & Ferrara families by Ed & Ann Passifione
Tues. Aug 15 ASSUMPTION (Rv 11: 19a, 12: 1-6a, 10ab/1Cor 15: 20-27/Lk 1: 39-56)
8:30am – (SM) For the people of the parish
Wed. Aug 16 (Dt 34: 1-12/Mt 18: 15-20)
8:30am – (SM) Rocco & Minnie Mariano by Jim
Thurs. Aug 17 (Jos 3: 7-10a, 11, 13-17/Mt 18: 21-19:1)
8:30am – (SP) Joseph Lama by Anne Turkett & Gary
Fri. Aug 18 (Jos 24: 1-13/Mt 19: 3-12)
8:30am – (SP) Vito & Joyce Sinicropi's 50th Anniversary by Cathy and Tree
Sat. Aug 19 (Jos 24: 14-29/Mt 19: 13-15)
8:30am – (SP) Special Intention by Maureen McGill
5:00pm – (SM) Robert Dinan Sr. by M/M Paul Sullivan & family
Sun. Aug 20 (Is 56: 1, 6-7/Rom 11: 13-15, 29-32/Mt 15: 21-28)
8:00am – (SP) John Liberatore by wife & children
9:30am – (SM) Jean Coryell by Bob & Necia Dinan
11:00am – (SP) Fred & Mary Galletti by Fred & Lorraine

ST. MARY'S

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES FOR 8/19 & 8/20/2017

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&C Adams
9:30 am – A Elias

ALTAR SERVERS

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

SENECA NURSING HOME – R Rivet, J Saxton

HUNTINGTON NURSING HOME – A Elias, S Elias

MONEY COUNTERS FOR 8/15/17

Group #1

IN MEMORIAM

Leona Sposato

PLEASE NOTE – CHANGE IN THE MASS TIME
AND LOCATION FOR MONDAY, AUGUST 14TH.

CALENDAR

Monday August 14

Rosary Makers – Min Ctr 6:00pm

Tuesday August 15 ASSUMPTION

KofC Mtg – Min Ctr 7:00pm

Wednesday August 16

Eucharistic Adoration – SP Church 5-6:00pm

Bldgs & Grounds Mtg – SP Rectory 7:00pm

Thursday August 17

Eucharistic Adoration – SM Church 9:30am-4pm

Huntington Mass 2:30pm

Friday August 18

Saturday August 19

Packing for Nicaragua at SP Rectory 9-10:30am

Sunday August 20

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 8/20/2017

LECTORS/COMMENTATORS

8:00am – Lector: M Stowell, Commentator: C Blakemore

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

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

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

11:00am – R Kernan, L Galletti, Vol., F Galletti, R Ryrko

GREETERS

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

Vol., Organ Side – M Suffredini, Back Door– J Antosh

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

Organ Side – KofC, Back Door – KofC

ALTAR SERVERS

8:00am – (A) Roy K (B) Daniel K (C) Vol.

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

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

BAPTISMS

Skyla May Cornwell Wise

MARRIAGE BANNS

I Bridget Denicola – Francesco Mannino

Week of 8/12/17 – 8/18/17

St. Mary's – SANCTUARY LAMP

Offered by:

ALTAR BREAD & WINE

Offered by:

St. Patrick's - SANCTUARY LAMP

Joseph Furano

Offered by: Millie

ALTAR BREAD & WINE

Philomena Cammuso

Offered by: Peggy & Kathy Cole

ANGELUS BELLS

8/14	SM SP	
8/15	SM SP	
8/16	SM SP	
8/17	SM SP	Donald Fordham
8/18	SM SP	
8/19	SM SP	Ed Lopez
8/20	SM SP	Evelyn 'Peggy' Plate

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... Nino French, Fred Laun, Gene Lopez, Dorothy Rizzo, Vivian Wolff, Chester Paliniski, Anne Cannuli, Keith Gibbs, Jeremy Andrews, Robert Rivet, Wendy Miller, Ed Steele, Michele, 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, Eleanor Jackson, Karen Jenkins, Theresa Anderson, Jayden Moore, 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, Jean DeLelys, 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, Amy Roepnack, 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, 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.

"I do not believe the promises of the Declaration of Independence are just for the strong, the independent, the healthy. They are for everyone--including unborn children. We are a society with enough compassion and wealth and love to care for both mothers and their children, to seek the promise and potential in every life."

Gov. George W. Bush, in a videotaped address to the National Right to Life Convention (June 1999)

The St. Francis and St. Clare fiscal year has ended and the final numbers are being put together. The amount of money that we made from the St. Pauly shed amounted to just over \$2, 700. The money will be split between the Waterloo Backpack program, (Trevor's Gift), and the Seneca Falls Backpack program. The votive lights at both of our churches brought in over \$5,000. That whole amount has been given to Pathway Home. I have had occasion to visit Pathway Home several times over the last few weeks and I must say that I am very impressed. The facility was fantastic and the staff was great. The Pathway Home is a valuable asset to Seneca County and our community. While the parish donated money this year, it is just a drop in the bucket to what they need to operate the Home. I would encourage our parishioners to consider donating to this very worthy cause. I would also encourage those who are able to volunteer some of their time to Pathway Home. A more detailed statement on the parish's finances will be forthcoming in the next few weeks.

In this month's Catholic Courier there was a very nice article on the Tuesday morning pancake breakfasts. Participation in the pancake breakfasts have grown since its inception. The breakfasts are not held during the summer and will begin again in September. I would encourage you to read the article and consider going to the breakfasts or consider volunteering to be part of the kitchen crew.

The Feast of the Assumption is this Monday August 15th. Mass that day will be at St. Mary's at 8:30am. There will be a vigil Mass Monday night at 7pm at St. Patrick's. There is generally a daily Mass on Mondays at St. Mary's, however this Monday we will change to St. Patrick's in order to give the people of Seneca Falls the opportunity to have a Mass there. Having a Mass at both locations should provide an ample opportunity for more people to get to this Holy Day of Obligation.

Fr. Jim

EUCCHARIST QUOTES

"When the Sisters are exhausted, up to their eyes in work; when all seems to go awry, they spend an hour in prayer before the Blessed Sacrament. This practice has never failed to bear fruit: they experience peace and strength."
-Mother Teresa



Catholic Daughters will have their third summer Catholic "field trip" on Thursday, August 24 to the Sisters of St. Joseph Motherhouse in Pittsford. We will leave St. Mary's parking lot at 8:45 am and will car pool. Our day plans are: tour of the Motherhouse, Mass, lunch and visiting. The cost is \$10.00 and includes lunch. Please make checks to the Sisters of St. Joseph. There is a beautiful gift shop, so bring cash, credit card or check. If you are not a Catholic Daughter but would like to go with us, contact Kathy at 315-539-8006 or kpeters6@rochester.rr.com.

FYI – Ann Marie Zon will be here to pack up the truck for Nicaragua on the 26th. If anyone would like to come by and help they are more than welcome. **She will be speaking at all the Masses that weekend.** There will be baskets at the church doors that weekend for donations to help sustain Ann Marie's various ministries. Checks may be made payable to the **Nicaragua Mission Project.**

There are still Masses available till the end of the year. Now, we have Masses available on Monday evenings at St. Mary's and Saturday mornings at St. Patrick's. Please call the office at 315-539-2944 to schedule a Mass. There are still a lot of Sanctuary Lamps and Bread & Wine dates open too!

We have low gluten hosts available at the Ministry Center for those parishioners who have health issues and would prefer to use them. Please stop by the Ministry Center to pick some up.

Library news : We appreciate the overall response of book donations for our library. Unfortunately, due to the limited space available, we can only accept religious themed books. Thank you!

Religious Education News

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

St. Francis and St. Clare Parish Religious Education Department need volunteers to lead/aid in the classrooms. We are looking for energetic and enthusiastic individuals, who have received their confirmation and enjoy working with children.

Where: Ministry Center

When: Sundays September 17, 2017 – April 29, 2018

Time: 10:30am – 12:00pm

CLASSES START SEPTEMBER 17, 2017

REGISTRATION DATES

This is for first time registrants, preK – 7th grade

Wednesday, August 30th

6:30 – 7:30pm @ Ministry Center

Please contact Donna Favia, Catechetical Leader @ 651-4351 with any questions

Notre Dame Retreat House Annual Golf Tournament September 25, 2017

At

Midvale Country Club, 2382 Baird Rd., Penfield, NY

Join us for a wonderful day of golf or if not a golfer, sign up for dinner! \$150.00 per individual golfer and \$600.00 per foursome. Dinner only guests are \$50.00 per person. This is our annual fundraiser. All proceeds from this event assist in maintaining our facility and grounds.

Notre Dame Retreat House serves the Diocese of Rochester by facilitating men and women retreat weekends and it also offers a place for parish staffs, ministries and parish schools to host retreats.

The Redemptorists order of Priests and Brothers own and operate the retreat house.

Registration form is downloadable from website: www.notredameretreat.org

Any questions, please contact Notre Dame Retreat House 585-394-5700 or ndretreat@rochester.rr.com.

FAMILY SPIRITUALITY WEEKLY TIP FOR:

8/13/17 Nineteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time

Gospel: Matthew 14: 22-33

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

Adults: When have you doubted God's loving care for you?

Children: What helps you keep trying even when you are afraid?

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



Attention All Ladies of St. Francis & St. Clare Parish!

It is time to start planning our 3rd annual Advent By Candlelight evening retreat for the women of our parish and community. Last year's event was a huge success and ***we need you*** to make this year's even better. A committee is forming to plan the evening and we will meet on Tuesday evening August 29th at 6:30pm in the Ministry Center. If you are unable to attend this meeting and would like to get please call or email Pam Kane at 651-4351 or pkane@dor.org to join! This is a tremendously rewarding volunteer opportunity, see you there!



Looking for MORE VOLUNTEERS for FREE PANCAKE BREAKFAST beginning September 5.

Information to possible volunteers....1) volunteers work once a month on a Tuesday, 2) volunteers need to be at the Parish Center by 7:30 a.m. and work until around 11:00, 3) breakfasts will be served to the public from 8:30 to 10:00 (new time from previous years), 4) we work in teams, 5) if we cannot work a week, we can call a substitute OR switch with someone from another team. We need

5 on a team!!! MANY OF YOU HAVE SAID YOU WOULD LIKE TO BE A PART OF THIS PROGRAM/MINISTRY.

PLEASE call ANNE at the Ministry Center at 315-539-2944 or email her at anne.adler@dor.org to volunteer!!! (P.S. We have a lot of fun too!)

STEWARDSHIP CORNER

19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

“He said, “Come”. Peter got out of the boat and began to walk on the water toward Jesus.”
- MATTHEW 14:29

When you hear Jesus calling, do you responded immediately and trust that He knows what He’s doing? If so, you are walking on water! When we say “yes” to Jesus, we feel the power of his presence in our lives. We can feel the freedom it gives us! Listen how Jesus is calling you to live the extraordinary life He has in mind for you.

August 5 & 6, 2017 WEEKEND		
ST. MARY’S CHURCH 5:00pm – N/A 9:30am – 212	<u>MASS ATTENDANCE</u>	ST. PATRICK’S CHURCH 8:00am – 207 11:00am – 190
	TOTAL – 609+	
	<u>TOTAL WEEKLY COLLECTION</u>	
	\$15,602.05	

NICARAGUAN MISSION NEEDS

2017

Clothing (Infants to Adults-gently used)

Baby clothes, diapers, shorts, jeans, pants, t-shirts, shirts, blouses, skirts, dresses, socks, underwear, sleepwear, maternity, suits, First Communion dresses, school uniforms, baseball caps, and purses. Please, **NO winter clothes-no sweaters or heavy jackets.**

Footwear

All types of shoes for adults and children, including sneakers, sandals, boots, and dress shoes.

Beds and Linens

Cribs, mattresses, bed frames, sheets, pillows, light blankets, towels, curtains, kitchen items.

Personal Care Items

Soap, toothpaste, toothbrushes, deodorant, shampoo, conditioner, combs, new hairbrushes, powder, toilet paper, cotton swabs, cotton balls, bandages, peroxide, rubbing alcohol, **vitamins**, aspirin, **cough medicines**, lotions, creams, ointments .

Household Items

Dishes, glasses, cups, saucers, silverware, pots and pans, can openers, liquid cleaners, detergent, room sprays, bug sprays, paper towels, thumb tacks, extension cords, candles, baby umbrella strollers, irons, blenders, electric hand mixers, electric frying pans, crockpots, flashlights, microwaves, toasters, toaster ovens, **small hand or power tools, fans**, air conditioners, clean mattresses. NO upholstered furniture, TV's, computers, stereos, vacuum cleaners or typewriters.

Wooden furniture and furniture with little upholstery are greatly accepted.

Sewing Items

Material, sewing machines, thread, needles, buttons, zippers, pins, scissors, yarn.

School Supplies

Pens, pencils, erasers, crayons, markers, paper, tablets, construction paper, copy paper: 8½ x 11 or 8½ x 14, folders, 3-ring binders, rulers, scissors, glue, staplers, staples, **backpacks**, kids posters, student desks.

Toys

Plush toys, rattles, blocks, puzzles, dolls, trucks, **sports equipment- baseball, basketball, soccer.** Please, **NO war toys, guns, bicycles, or board games.**

Religious Articles

Statues, medals, rosaries, crucifixes, Christmas decorations and trees, First Communion dresses.

Financial Support Greatly Accepted For:

Purchase of a cow for the dairy project: \$100 per cow. Supporting the sheep project for the leper community: \$50. Sponsoring a child's education: \$50 - \$100 depending on age and grade of child. Funding of well digging or shipping costs.

We will not be taking wicker baskets or picture frames because the price of shipping is so high. Special needs: toaster ovens, crock pots, small lamps, curling irons and hair dryers, sports equipment for schools, backpacks, tools, patio furniture, children's vitamins and cough medicine, bars of soap
Please no books in ENGLISH!

THANK YOU FROM ALL OF US!

NICARAGUAN MISSION, 10100 TRANSIT RD., EAST AMHERST, NY 14051 (716)688-0010

WHAT IS RCIA?

RCIA stands for the *Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults*. It is a program for those looking to be received fully into the Catholic Church. This includes those that were baptized in another Christian faith, or, who started their faith journey by being baptized Catholic, and would like to become a full-fledged member of the Catholic faith by receiving the Eucharist and the Rite of Confirmation. RCIA is also for those who have never been baptized and wish to receive all three Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, Eucharist, and Confirmation) through the Catholic Church.

Our RCIA program is a special time for those answering God's call to seek Him and understand His will for them in their lives by entering the Church. Our program meets on Monday nights starting at the end of September and continuing until the Sacraments are received by the RCIA members at Easter.

Do you or someone you know wish to become a full member of Christ's Church? Are you seeking? Do you know someone who is seeking? RCIA might be the perfect fit for you. Consider joining this special and unique program this fall to better understand God's will for your life.

For more information or any questions, please call Jennifer Cornwell in the Ministry Center at 315-651-4351. Hope to hear from you!