

MASS INTENTIONS

Mon. Feb 19 (Lv 19: 1-2, 11-18/Mt 25: 31-46)
5:30pm – (SM) Ken Sheridan by Jim & Joan Mooney
Tues. Feb 20 (Is 55: 10-11/Mt 6: 7-15)
 8:30am –(SM) Marie Anastasia by Dave & Darlene Duprey
Wed. Feb 21 (Jon 3: 1-10/Lk 11: 29-32)
 8:30am – (SM) Living & deceased residents of Huntington Nursing Home by Sr. Mary Chris
Thurs. Feb 22 (1Pt 5: 1-4/Mt 16: 13-19)
 8:30am – (SP) Michael Zona by Nick
Fri. Feb 23 (Ez 18: 21-28/Mt 5: 20-26)
 8:30am – (SP) Didona, Miller, Marsella & Marino families by Donna and Judy
Sat. Feb 24 (Dt 26: 16-19/Mt 5: 43-48)
 8:30am–(SP) Francis Eighmey by St Francis & St Clare Seniors
 5:00pm – (SM) George DiPronio by Joy
Sun. Feb 25 (Gn 22: 1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18/Rom 8: 31b-34/Mk 9: 2-10)
 8:00am – (SP) Gesuino & Filomena Spada by their grandson
 9:30am – (SM) Ann Cook by Alice & Lou LeBrun
 11:00am – (SP) Anne Marrazzo by John & Marie Leo

ST. MARY'S

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES FOR 2/24 & 2/25/18

LECTORS/COMMENTATORS

5:00 pm –Lector: L Connolly, Commentator: Vol.
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 – J Young
9:30 am – S Elias

ALTAR SERVERS

5:00 pm – 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 2/21/18

Group #4 – please note - Wednesday

PANCAKE BREAKFAST TEAM FOR 2/20/18

Ellen Hughes, Karen O'Brien, Cathy Felber,
Paul Wenderlich, Rosemarie & Frank Capozzi

BAPTISMS

Ralph John Ellison IV

CALENDAR

Monday February 19 PRESIDENT'S DAY

PARISH OFFICE CLOSED

Rosary Makers – Min Ctr 6:00pm
NO RCIA

Tuesday February 20

Free Pancake Breakfast – Min Ctr 8:30-10am

Wednesday February 21

Eucharistic Adoration -SP Rectory basement chapel 5-6:00pm
Bldgs & Grounds Mtg – SP Rectory 6:30pm
Lenten Series – Min Ctr 6:30-8pm

Thursday February 22

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

Friday February 23

Stations of the Cross – SM Church 7:00pm

Saturday February 24

Sunday February 25

Coffee Hour – Min Ctr after 9:30am Mass
NO RE or CONFIRMATION CLASSES

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 2/25/18

LECTORS/COMMENTATORS

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

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

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

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

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

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 – Vol.,
Organ Side – Vol., Back Door – B Gribnau

ALTAR SERVERS

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

11:00am – (A) Vol. (B) Vol. (C) Vol.

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

IN MEMORIAM

Dorothy Hall

Rose Tiballi

<p>Week of 2/17/18 – 2/23/18</p> <p>St. Mary's – <u>SANCTUARY LAMP</u></p> <p>Offered by:</p> <p><u>ALTAR BREAD & WINE</u></p> <p>Offered by:</p> <p>St. Patrick's - <u>SANCTUARY LAMP</u> Domenic Caraccilo Offered by: Frances Lorenzetti & family</p> <p><u>ALTAR BREAD & WINE</u> Louis Ferrara Sr. Offered by: his friends Barbara & Alice</p>	<p><u>ANGELUS BELLS</u></p> <p>2/19 SM SP</p> <p>2/20 SM SP</p> <p>2/21 SM SP</p> <p>2/22 SM SP</p> <p>2/23 SM SP Randy Bianchi</p> <p>2/24 SM SP</p> <p>2/25 SM SP Gena Kabat</p>
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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... Tim Eighmey, Doris Zwick, Courtney Hay, T.H., E.B.L., John Passalacqua, Teresa Leone, Joel Rivera, Kay Eighmey, Roy Meyers Jr., Sr. Mary Chris, Richard Schweitz Jr., Barb Twist, Patrick Morrin, Grace Leary, Megan Seneca, Jim Mooney, 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, Alexis Eldrige, Roxanne Starr, Mary Ann Dambrosia, Ellen Moon, Fr. Eugene Weiss, Rose Marie LaLonde, Barb C, Bob B, Nancy Osborne, Cindy Williamson, Kathleen Talcott, Dolores Boeticker, Marie Ramson, Jonah Decory, Peggy (Cuddeback) Worden, Marcella Hill, Eleanor Jackson, Karen Jenkins, Theresa Anderson, Jayden Moone, Fritz Chrysler, Loretta C, Doris Rockwell, Dorothy & John Euchlund, Alice Sabatine, Lena Pagano, Bill Breen, Rose Mary Costantino, 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, Katie Verone, 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, 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, Judy Wheaton, Florence Rosbaugh, Joan Lannon, Jo Christiano, Susan D. Kuchman, Carol Eck, Mary Ebers, Rose Nehring, Margaret Nardi, Tim O'Mara, Marlin Ferrara Peterson, John Bennett, Kathleen Deal, Carmella Smith, Joyce Sinicropi, Cory Steinbacker, Charm Miller, Robin Ryan, Patty Smithover, Tim Youngs, Jarrod Ticconi, Cindy Schlegel, 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, 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.

"The direct and intentional destruction of innocent human life from the moment of conception until natural death is always wrong and is not just one issue among many. It must always be opposed."

Doctrinal Note on Some Questions Regarding the Participation of Catholics in Political Life

The season of Lent has begun. Attending Mass during Lent is an excellent spiritual practice that has a long and honored tradition. Mass is celebrated every day of the week in our parish, including Monday nights at 5:30pm and Saturdays at 8:30am.

Stations of the Cross

Paul Turner

The 14 Stations of the Cross adorn the walls of almost every Catholic church and chapel. Many parishes commemorate the Fridays of Lent with a prayerful remembrance of the passion of Christ by walking the stations with him.

Throughout our history, Christians have longed to literally walk in the footsteps of Christ. The shrines of the holy places in and around Jerusalem have drawn pilgrims inspired by the life and death of their master.

However, not everyone is able to travel to the Holy Land. So, ever since the middle ages, churches and chapels began erecting images devoted to an aspect of the passion. By the 15th century, the Franciscans had developed a devotion they called "stations." The word means a place where people stand still or gather together. So even though it implies something "stationary," the service obviously must include the movement of pilgrims following the footsteps of Christ. It took a while to fix the number and the names of the stations, but in 1731 Pope Clement XII established the 14 we know today.

We still find some variations on the number. Many places add a 15th station, for example, the resurrection of Jesus. Discontent with leaving Christ in the tomb when our faith expresses so much more, worshipers have found consolation in completing the story of the cross.

Over the years our church has authorized various versions of the stations for different occasions. For example, Pope John Paul II altered the traditional stations for his Good Friday service in Rome. He eliminated some stations that derived from tradition, and substituted them with events from the Gospels. Here are the stations he used: 1. Jesus in the Garden of Olives; 2. Jesus betrayed by Judas; 3. Jesus condemned to death by the Sanhedrin; 4. Jesus denied by Peter; 5. Jesus judged by Pilate; 6. Jesus flogged and crowned with thorns; 7. Jesus carries his cross; 8. Jesus is helped by Simon of Cyrene; 9. Jesus encounters women of Jerusalem; 10. Jesus is crucified; 11. Jesus promises the kingdom to the good thief; 12. Jesus on the cross; 13. The mother of Jesus and his disciple at the cross; 14. Jesus is placed in the tomb.

The stations inspire us all to follow Christ through suffering to peace.

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EUCHARIST QUOTES

Our own belief is that the renovation of the world will be brought about only by the Holy Eucharist.

~Pope Leo XIII~

Lent Meditation Booklets

"Through prayer, charity and humility before God, people receive a heart "which is firm and merciful, attentive and generous, a heart which is not closed, indifferent or prey to the globalization of indifference," Pope Francis said in his Lenten message. Prayer is an important part of the Lenten journey. To that end, there are Lenten Meditation Booklets at each of our churches, which we encourage you to take a look at.

Encounter MAJD In Iraq, we encounter Majd and his family, people forced to flee violence, searching for stability. How are we called to welcome the stranger in our midst? How can you support those, worldwide, who are forced to flee their homes to find safety or better opportunities? Visit crsricebowl.org for more.

We are in need of a part-time maintenance worker. Duties include general maintenance of all buildings; snow removal at St. Mary's; minor repairs; set-up for meetings and events; etc. This is an hourly position starting at \$11.50. Please contact Rebecca at 315-539-2944 or Rebecca.hollon@dor.org if interested or for more information.

Attention parents & children -

There is a new kid's corner in each church. At St. Patrick's Church, it's located by the rest room and in St. Mary's Church, it's by the side entrance. Please feel free to borrow a bag during Mass. Little ones are welcome to color activity books, play with a toy, practice a prayer and enjoy a story.

It's not too early to think about the **Men's Annual Retreat**, held each year at the beautiful Notre Dame Retreat House on Canandaigua Lake. This year's retreat for the men of our parish will be held on the weekend of March 9-11th. We ask you to reserve these dates on your calendar now. For additional information or to make a reservation, call Jim Shrey 315-568-2066 or Ray Rivet 315-418-8952.

FAMILY SPIRITUALITY WEEKLY TIP FOR:

2/18/18 First Sunday of Lent

Gospel: Mark 1: 12-15

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

Adults: What daily activities can I do without so that I can use that time to renew myself in Jesus, the Messiah?

Children: What good habit can I work on in order to grow closer to Jesus?

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

GREAT GIFT IDEA FOR THE LADY IN YOUR LIFE! "The Power of the Eucharist Eucharist - Glorifying God and Sanctifying the World," the fifth annual Rochester Catholic Women's Conference, is coming on March 10, 2018 to the Aquinas Institute in Rochester. This is a wonderful gift idea for your wife, mother, daughter, sister, grandmother, aunt or best friend! She will appreciate the opportunity to be refreshed spending the day with other Catholic women. The conference includes Mass with our Bishop, national speakers Danielle Bean and Dr. Edward Sri, a Church-approved Eucharistic Miracles exhibit, recitation of the rosary, a continental breakfast, lunch, vendors, Confessions and more. Cost: \$53 online, \$50 for mail-ins, and \$25 for students 18+ with current ID. Please contact (parish captain name and info here) or visit RochesterCWC.org to register her online. "

**COMMITTEE
CORNER**

At the **Stewardship Committee Meeting** for February we discussed the Parish performance to date for the CMA (38.3% to Goal) as of February 1, 2018. Environment Committee of St. Patrick's Church list of the needs for improvement was submitted to Funeral Directors for suggestions to families of deceased when asked for what to donate to, George Sanderson delivered. We further discussed a plan for offering education on budgeting and giving to the Parishioners Father Mike approached potential instructors on (Spirituality of Financial Stewardship Budgeting for oneself and family) to see if the interest is there and to request a presentation layout. We continue to work on the efforts to expand our communications to the Parishioners of committees and their work.



LENT

Fantastic Family Lenten Activities:

Sign up today to bring home either a Family Prayer Basket or Lenten Bakers Bag

Each offers families a way of praying together for Lent. Families keep this for a week, then pass the bag or basket on to another family(or return for us to pass on). The basket offers a small meatless meal, family prayer ideas and a journal to share your experiences. The Bakers Bag has the ingredients and instructions for making a braided dough crown of thorns which can be used as a centerpiece helping family members remember to make sacrifices. Both are a great way to bring our focus to Christ this Lent. If you would like to sign up for one of the weeks of Lent please contact the Faith Formation office.

Pam Kane 315-651-4351 pamela.kane@dor.org



SACRAMENTAL REMINDER

First Communion Rite of Enrollment

Sunday March 4TH at St. Mary's Church 9:30 am Mass.
Please have your child sit with you and bring their certificate.

Confirmation Year 2 Retreat

Sunday March 18th Ministry Center

STEWARDSHIP CORNER

February 18, 2018

1st Sunday of Lent

“After John had been arrested, Jesus came to Galilee proclaiming the gospel of God...” - MARK 1:14

Do you ever think about how difficult it must have been for Jesus to come into Galilee, knowing that John had just been arrested for teaching the same message that Jesus was proclaiming. It must have taken great love and trust for Jesus to do what the Father had sent Him here on earth to do. In the same way, following a life of stewardship takes great love and trust from us. We must be willing to surrender completely to God, trusting that God will always give us all that we need to fulfill His plan for us.

February 10 & 11, 2018		
<u>MASS ATTENDANCE</u>		
ST. MARY’S CHURCH	TOTAL – 625	ST. PATRICK’S CHURCH
5:00pm – 128		8:00am – 137
9:30 am – 191		11:00am – 169
<u>TOTAL WEEKLY COLLECTION</u>		
\$9336.71		

SFSC Catholic Ministries appeal update as of 2/9/18

of donors- 219 YTD collected-\$34,371 goal-\$86,439 % to goal- 39.76%
Doing better – let’s see if we can get over 40% !



SECOND WEEK BABY BOTTLE DRIVE BEGINS! Please take a baby bottle or card at church entrances to donate to our annual Baby Bottle Drive to benefit the Family Hope Center (former Care Net Pregnancy Care Center). Put the bottle in a place where change can be dropped in and return to the sacristy OR the Ministry Center. Make your check to the Family Hope Center. "It's not how much we give but how much love we put into giving." — **Mother Teresa**

Parish Lenten Series

All parishioners are invited to come to this year's Lenten Series. Starting this Wednesday (the 21st) and continuing through the following four Wednesdays, Fr. Jim, Fr. Mike & Jennifer Cornwell will be putting on a series of talks centered on the Eucharist. Each session will begin at 6:30 and end at 8:00 in the Ministry Center. There will be a light meal in keeping with the Lenten season, provided by the Pastoral Council, as well as good fellowship and nice reflections on the origins of the Eucharist and its continued saving work in the world today. Any questions, please call the Parish Office at 539-2944.

Week One (February 21): Biblical Foundations of the Eucharist—Old Testament Foreshadowing. Presented by Fr. Mike

Diocese of Rochester Wedding Jubilee Mass

Sunday, May 6, 2018 2pm

Sacred Heart Cathedral

296 Flower City Park, Rochester, NY 14615

All married couples are invited to attend and renew their vows with Bishop Matano. Those celebrating milestone jubilees will be given special recognition. **Please help us by registering at:**

<http://conta.c/2qXMHXQ>

As part of the recognition, the June issue of the Catholic Courier will feature a Wedding Jubilee section. If you would like your name and anniversary (25,50 and above) to be included, please send an email or a letter with the following information: **Names, Church, Town where you were married, wedding date/year, and a wedding photo (optional).**

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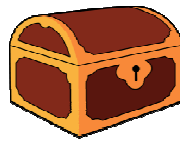
Submissions are due by May 14th

Nicaragua Project Lent, 2018



Ann Marie has suggested a Nicaragua Niche for our homes.

A box can be aside for all the items we no longer need.



Some ideas for lent:

Pick a day of the week.

Maybe Sunday could be your SAVING FOR NICARAGUA DAY!

One week, each family member can donate an article of clothing.

One week, each child in the family can donate a toy.

One week, each person can donate a hygiene product.

One week, each person can donate a few pens, pencils or other school supplies.

One week, each person can donate something from his/her closet that is rarely used.

Thank you to all for your continued support for the needy in Nicaragua!

The shed opens in May.

DEFENDING THE UNBORN

Are you confident in your ability to defend the unborn? Do you know the truth about what abortion is and isn't? Do you know how to reach out and support women and men facing life decisions? Do you know how to lovingly and compassionately bring hope and help to abortion-vulnerable in your community? Did you know that 40% of women who have abortions attend church on a regular basis? Being a pro-life advocate can be a challenge in today's culture. Starting on Thursday March 1 from 6:30 to 8:00, and continuing for 7 weeks, these questions will be answered in a short course called "Making Life Disciples" presented in the Ministry Center. You need not be present for all the sessions to be able to equip yourself to bring hope for abundant life to women and men facing an unplanned pregnancy, and truth and education to our culture. RSVP would be appreciated but not necessary to Sue Connor at 315-439-8248 or the Parish Office at 315-651-4349.