



# St. Mary's Cathedral Parish

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**CHRIST HAS RISEN! ALLELUIA!**

**April 4, 2010**

### Mass intentions for this week

#### **Monday in the Octave of Easter - April 5**

10:50 (SJ) Kim Anyango by Edward and Linda Peak  
7:15 Novena Prayers  
7:30 PM Jude Lesperance by Allen and Jane Rishe

#### **Tuesday in the Octave of Easter - April 6**

10:50 (SJ) Kevin Davis, 1st Anniv., by his parents, Martha and Wayne Davis  
12:00 Mary Hammill, Anniv., and Robert Hammill by Ann and family

#### **Wednesday in the Octave of Easter - April 7**

10:50 (SJ) Benefactors of St. Joseph's Home  
12:00 Phyllis Hamilton, Anniv., by her family

#### **Thursday in the Octave of Easter - April 8**

10:50 (SJ) *Notre Dame*  
12:00 Suzanne Powers by Chuck and Debbie Hollis

#### **Friday in the Octave of Easter - April 9**

10:50 (SJ) Ruth Langley by Evelyn Cardinal and family  
12:00 Winnie Bouchard, 6th Anniv., by her family

#### **Saturday in the Octave of Easter - April 10**

4:00 (Antic.) Ruth Luckie by the estate of Catherine Lewis

#### **Second Sunday of Easter: Divine Mercy Sunday - April 11**

8:00 AM - For the People of the Parish  
11:00 AM - Emery Perkins by Gina and Janice

**Next Sunday's Scripture Readings:** Acts 5:12-16; Revelation 1:9-11a, 12-13, 17-19; and the Gospel of John 20:19-31.

**Please Note:** Mass times have changed. There will be no 12:00 Noon Mass on Mondays or Saturdays. Please follow the schedule shown in this bulletin. All Masses will be celebrated in the main Cathedral throughout this week.

### **Sanctuary Candles**

#### Week of April 4

**Main Cathedral** - In Memory of Alma and Albert Jeneault by Ernie and Carolyn Jeneault

**Deacon Winter Chapel** - The Intentions of Most Reverend Terry R. LaValley by Gary and Gail Bouchard and family

*Anyone who wishes to have either of the sanctuary candles burn for one week for a special intention or in memory of someone may do so by contacting the parish office. The offering is \$10.*

### Farewell, and welcome!

This weekend, we express our heartfelt gratitude to Bishop-elect Terry LaValley as he leaves us for the "big house." Thank you for giving so much of yourself to the parish. You have been here to listen, to support, and to understand our needs. May the Lord bless you always and walk with you as you Shepherd our Diocese as its 14<sup>th</sup> Bishop.

This week, our Cathedral parish will be welcoming Msgr. John R. Murphy as Temporary Administrator. He currently serves as Moderator of the Curia for the Diocese and will continue to serve in this capacity during his time with us. We thank you, Monsignor, for helping us through this transition. It is a pleasure to have you here.

### Divine Mercy Sunday

Divine Mercy Sunday is next weekend, **April 11**. We will be praying the Divine Mercy Chaplet at 2:00 PM in the main Cathedral. You are cordially invited to attend.



In 1931, our Lord appeared to St. Faustina Kowalska, a Polish nun of the Congregation of the Sisters of Our Lady of Mercy. Based on this private revelation, St. Faustina presented the message of the Divine Mercy in the Diary of St. Faustina Kowalska.

Devotion to the Divine Mercy involves a total commitment to God as mercy. It is a decision to trust completely in Him, to accept mercy with thanksgiving and to be merciful as He is merciful. Our Lord, to St. Faustina, directed that the First Sunday after Easter be dedicated to Divine Mercy and to the veneration of the image of Divine Mercy. Our Lord wishes to grant a complete pardon of sins and punishment to those who observe this Feast.

To fittingly observe this Feast, one should (1) celebrate the feast on this Sunday after Easter; (2) sincerely repent sins; (3) place complete trust in Jesus; (4) go to confession, preferably before that Sunday; (5) receive Holy Communion on the day of the Feast; (6) venerate the Image of the Divine Mercy; and (7) be merciful to others through actions, words, and prayers on their behalf.

### Attention all Liturgical Ministers

Schedules for the weekends of May 2 thru August 5 will be prepared soon. If you are not available to serve during any of this time period, please let us know by calling the rectory at 393-3930 no later than Tuesday, April 6.

**From the Rector's desk ...**

**HE IS RISEN!!** This proclamation of the Easter Mystery brings the joy and hope that sees us through life's struggles and anxieties. Our Lenten journey of faith culminates in the new life of the resurrected Christ. As a parish, we are especially happy to welcome Misty Smith into our Catholic family and Shawna Sias and Stacey Soluri into full communion in the Catholic Church. We congratulate them and their loved ones on this special occasion. We promise them our prayers and continued support. I want to thank our RCIA team: Sister Mary Teresa LaBrake, Sally Rusaw, Tony Pastizzo, Tom Lawrence, and Bill O'Brien for their inspiring witness and commitment in helping to form those seeking entrance to our Church.

I also want to express my sincere gratitude to so many parishioners who have helped to make our liturgies this Holy Week and Easter so beautiful. Our Music Ministry, Altar Society, Decorators, Liturgical Ministers, Socialization Committee, and Cathedral Staff have been so generous with their time. Let us raise our Easter alleluias in an endless song of praise to our Risen Savior!



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I am overwhelmed! Your kindness and generosity are beyond words. I leave St. Mary's Cathedral knowing that

I will be nearby as the next Bishop of the Diocese of Ogdensburg. At this time, I take the opportunity to say thank you for close to seven very special years as your Rector. It has been a pleasure to be with you, as we journeyed together as a community of faith. Know always of my affection, gratitude, and prayers for God's blessings.

**Prayer Rally 2010**

The 8th Annual **Prayer Rally**, sponsored by the New York State Council, Knights of Columbus, will be held **Tuesday, May 11**, from 11:30 AM to 2:30 PM, in Albany. This is a chance to pray for and petition our Legislators by our physical presence. Hopefully, our prayers will get them to soften their stance and open their hearts to listen to our concerns affecting all Catholic citizens, particularly Life, Parochial School Assistance, Catholic Health Care, and Marriage.

Our local Knights of Columbus Council #258 will be sponsoring a coach bus, leaving from Ogdensburg, to attend this rally. For more information, or to sign-up for the bus, please contact Harry Lucchetti at 393-6557 or call the K of C

**The Census is here!**

The Census Bureau has delivered Census forms to every household in St. Lawrence County. Completing this form is required by federal law. Authorization for conducting the Census is found in the Constitution, but more than legal requirements should motivate us to send in our Census forms. It's important to make our presence felt. Census data is used to determine how many seats in Congress New York State will have for the next ten years. **Census data is also used to determine funding levels for many federal, state, and local programs.** It has been estimated that, on average, each person missed by the Census Bureau costs his community and New York State a total of \$22,000 in forgone funding over the next decade. If you did not receive a Census form, please contact the County Planning Office at 379-2292.

**Life is Victorious!**

"Jesus Christ our King is Risen! Sound the trumpet of salvation!" (Easter Exultet). Today is the Feast of Feasts, the foundation of all that we celebrate in our faith. By rising from the dead, Jesus did not only conquer His death; He conquered ours. He overturned the entire kingdom of death! He has opened the way to the true destiny of the human person: to be on the throne of God forever, in life that knows no end! Because of this, we are the People of Life. We seek to apply the victory of Jesus over death to the problems of our day. We are a pro-life people and reject the false solutions of abortion and euthanasia. We say yes to every life, no matter how vulnerable or burdensome. It is an Easter yes. It is a yes filled with hope. This is the day the Lord has made, let us rejoice and be glad!

**St. Marguerite D'Youville Academy**

Students in Junior Kindergarten at St. Marguerite's are enjoying building tangram patterns. Pictured above are Sophie Thrall and Jake Dishaw. The school is presently taking registrations for next school year. If you are interested in your child(ren) attending SMDA, please register early to avoid a waiting list.

The school is now planning for their **Annual Spring Benefit Auction** to be held on **Saturday, April 24**. If you have any items you wish to donate, they may be dropped off at the school or at the office of Dr. Angela Rufa, 610 Cedar Street. For pick-up, please call the school at 393-0165. If you are a crafter, please consider making a donation to the auction.

There are several simple ways each of us can show our support of St. Marguerite D'Youville Academy. Please consider participating in the following projects:

**Price Chopper Tools for Schools:** Register your *Advantage Card* and the school will receive credit towards Price Chopper's school equipment and supply catalog.

**Campbell Soup Labels:** Save your Campbell soup labels. The school will receive free school supplies.

**Boxtops for Education:** Save the *Boxtops for Education* coupons from grocery items. The school receives \$.10 for each.

**Bottle and Cans at ARC:** Drop off your bottles and cans to the ARC, and ask them to credit SMDA. These funds will go towards activities and field trips for the students.

*Coupons and labels may be sent to the school at 315 Gates Street or left in the vestibule of the church.*

**Easter Duty**

All Catholics who have reached the age of reason must confess their serious sins in the Sacrament of Penance at least once a year. They must also receive Holy Communion at least once a year, during the Easter season, which this year extends to Trinity Sunday, May 30.

**Remember in Prayer**

**We pray for loved ones who are ill:**

Davalene Layng, Leward Lucia, Joan Cutway, Jean Seeley, Dennis Moore, Wanda Taylor, Randy Livingston, Stanley Seymour, Geraldine Sansoucy, Mike Cagler, Tori Elliott, Michele Cline, Janet Knill, David Troiano, Peter Hayes, Annalynn Surace, Philip Sharrow, and Virginia Downs.

**We also request your prayers for:**

Those who care for the sick and all our military men, women, and their families.

**This Week at a Glance**

**Sunday, April 4**

- No Religion classes.
- No Children's Liturgy of the Word at the 11 AM Mass.

**Monday, April 5**

- No St. Vincent de Paul Society meeting.
- No RCIA.

**Wednesday, April 7**

- Legion of Mary meeting at 3:30 PM in the rectory.
- Evangelization Meeting at 7 PM in the rectory.

**Thursday, April 8**

- Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament in the Deacon Winter Chapel after the 12 noon Mass until 5 PM.
- Adult choir rehearsal at 7PM in the choir loft.

**Sunday, April 11**

- No Religion classes.
- No Children's Liturgy of the Word at the 11 AM Mass.
- Divine Mercy Chaplet at 2 PM in the Cathedral.

**Movie night**

On Friday evening, April 16, at 6 PM in the Bishop Brzana Memorial Hall, we will be showing the movie, *The Scarlet and The Black*. This movie is the true story of Irish priest, Monsignor Hugh O'Flaherty, who helped to save thousands of Allied POW's and Jews during the German occupation of Rome in 1943-44. *The Scarlet and The Black* is a good action film, but also portrays the complex moral dilemmas that many faced during the Nazi occupation of Rome. Please watch our next bulletin for further details.

**Come one, come all!**

Christopher Gould, a well know singer at St. Mary's Cathedral and Notre Dame Church, will be performing with the Houghton College Choir in Potsdam at the Presbyterian Church on **Friday, April 9**, at 5:00 PM. This is a wonderful opportunity to celebrate the Easter Season and support a very talented young man. For more information, consult Houghton College Choir website at [www.houghtoncollegechoir.org](http://www.houghtoncollegechoir.org) or call 276-5403. Hope to see you there!

**Mater Dei Foundation**

The Mater Dei Foundation is currently offering scholarships for Catholic School and Religious Education teachers for workshops and study; scholarships for graduating students who plan on attending a Catholic college; and students who need assistance for Catholic grade school, junior high, and high school. For further information, please contact Ron Romano at [rcromano@verizon.net](mailto:rcromano@verizon.net).

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**St. Vincent de Paul Society**

1115 Ford Street 393-6579  
Store Hours: 1:30 - 4:00 p.m. Monday - Friday  
12:30 - 3:00 p.m. Saturday  
Store is closed during July and August

**Weekend Liturgies**

Saturday 4:00 p.m. anticipated  
Sunday 8:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m.

**Reconciliation**

Saturday 3:00 - 3:45 p.m.  
Sunday 10:15 - 10:45 a.m.  
or by contacting Father Terry

**Nocturnal Adoration**

Thursday before the First Friday of each month in Deacon Winter Chapel beginning with Holy Hour for Vocations at 8:00 p.m. and concluding at 7:00 a.m. on First Friday.

**Eucharistic Adoration**

First Friday and Thursdays (except the Thursday before the First Friday of the month) in Deacon Winter Chapel beginning after the noon Mass until 5:00 p.m.

**Daily Liturgies/Holy Days**

As listed in the bulletin.

**Baptism**

As arranged by parish staff. Godparents are to be at least 16 years of age, have received Holy Communion and Confirmation, and practice their Catholic faith. A baptized person who belongs to a non-Catholic ecclesial community may be admitted in the company of a Catholic sponsor, serving as a Christian Witness.

**Marriage**

As arranged with the parish staff.

**Project Rachel**

Alternatives to Abortion: 393-2255 or 393-2660

**Elizabeth Ministry**

Contact Sister Mary Teresa LaBrake, G.N.S.H., at 393-3930.

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*A Blessed Easter to all of you.*