



# St. Mary's Cathedral Parish

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## TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

September 20, 2009

### Mass intentions for this week

**Monday, September 21 - Matthew, apostle & evangelist**

10:50 (SJ) Thomas Ryan by Pat and Jack Moulton  
7:15 *Novena Prayers*

7:30 Robert N. Payne, 17th Anniv., by his family

**Tuesday, September 22 - Weekday**

8:00 AM - Elizabeth Knight by her aunts and uncles  
10:50 (SJ) Benefactors of Catholic Charities  
12:00 NO MASS

**Wednesday, September 23 - Pio of Pietrelcina, priest**

10:50 (SJ) Intentions of Sister Sheila Stone, GNSH, by Nelson and Judy Sholette  
12:00 Deceased members of the Edward and Nina Pearl Seguin family by the estate

**Thursday, September 24 - Weekday**

10:50 (SJ) *Notre Dame*  
12:00 Carmela Robillard, 2nd Anniv., by her family

**Friday, September 25 - Weekday**

10:50 (SJ) Earl Carter by Buck, Sylvia, and Joe Tebo  
12:00 David Sharpe, Anniv., by his mother, sisters, and brother

**Saturday, September 26 - Cosmas & Saint Damian, martyrs**

4:00 (Antic.) Robbie Calcaterra, Anniv., by his family

**Sunday, September 27 - Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

8:00 AM - For the People of the Parish and Diocese  
11:00 AM - Deacon Adam S. Crowe by Betty Steele

**Next Sunday's Scripture Readings:** Numbers 11:25-29;  
James 5:1-6: and the Gospel of Mark 9:38-43, 45, 47-48.

### Support Harvest Walk 2009

The 2009 **Harvest Walk** will take place this **Sunday, September 20**, and will start at the Dobisky Community Center. Registration will begin at 12:30 PM and the walk will start at 1:00 PM

**Father Terry is unable to take part in the Harvest Walk this year due to the fact that the Marriage Jubilee is scheduled for this same afternoon. If you would like to make donations to the Harvest Walk, however, you are more than welcome to send them to Father Terry at the rectory. Your support is greatly appreciated.**

### Marriage Jubilee Mass

Please join us this Sunday afternoon, **September 20**, at 2:30 PM in the Cathedral as we celebrate the annual Marriage Jubilee honoring those couples in our Diocese who are observing significant wedding anniversaries. All are welcome!

### **Sanctuary Candles - In Memory**

#### Week of September 20

**Main Cathedral** - Deceased members of the Theodore and Sarah Laventure family by Margie, Barney, Walt, and Ann Corrice

**Deacon Winter Chapel** - Thomas Barr by his wife, Gail

### Bishop's Fund Appeal

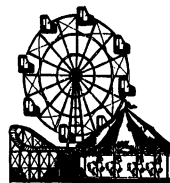
As we begin "Commitment Weekend" for the 2009 Bishop's Fund Appeal, it is our hope that this year we can broaden the response among our Cathedral parishioners. Last year, 244 families from St. Mary's participated in the Appeal. "**We, Though Many, Are One Body,**" speaks of our common journey and shared responsibility to help build up the Body of Christ. Our parish goal this year remains at last year's level: \$50,484.88. Thanks for your continued support and prayers for this year's Bishop's Fund Appeal.

### SMDA FALL CARNIVAL AND SOCCER TOURNAMENT

**Father Martin Field  
September 25-27**

St. Marguerite D'Youville Academy will be holding their annual SMDA Fall Carnival and Soccer Tournament on Friday, September 25, thru Sunday, September 27, at the Father Martin Field next to the Knights of Columbus. It will kick off with a Chicken BBQ on Friday from 4:00 PM until all is sold. Saturday there will also be an Ice Cream Social from 1:00-3:00 PM. The Soccer Tournament will run all day on Saturday and playoffs will be Sunday afternoon. Please register your team as soon as possible.

Carnival rides will be available all weekend. On Sunday there will be the Knights of Columbus' famous breakfast buffet from 8:00 AM until noon. Come, enjoy great concession food and live entertainment. It is going to be the best Fall Festival ever!



**FROM THE RECTOR'S DESK...**

The Cathedral parish family welcomes Bishop Cunningham back to St. Mary's. As you know, at an Ordination Mass Saturday morning, Bishop ordained twelve men of the Diocese of Ogdensburg as permanent deacons. We congratulate all of the newly ordained. In a special way, we express gratitude to God for our new deacons, here at St. Mary's Cathedral: Deacon David Sandburg and Deacon John White. We congratulate these men, their wives, Linda and Mary Lou, and their families. We are truly blessed to have these men answer the Lord's call in service to His Church.

**Celebrate Christ 2009**

Join Catholics from our diocese at **Celebrate Christ 2009** at Trinity Catholic School in Massena on **Saturday, October 17**. Bishop Peter Libasci, Auxiliary Bishop of Rockville Centre, will address the three "R's", Rational, Responsible and Respectful, as the manner in which we pass on our Catholic faith. Seminars presented by Lee Nagel and Nancy Bird will address the topics of the Scripture, providing catechists and teachers with effective means of unfolding the truths of Scripture, and the Four Secrets of the Spirituality of Care. Register by calling the rectory at 393-3930 or registration forms are available online at [www.dioogdensburg.org](http://www.dioogdensburg.org). **Please register by September 25.**

**A letter from the Hadley Family**

Dear friends and parishioners of St. Mary's,



At the end of June, my wife and I welcomed not one or two, but three additions to our family. The past few months have recently culminated with the baptism of these precious children from God. In between that time, we have been given a great deal of love and support from our fellow parishioners, fellow choir members, and, in particular, the newly established Elizabeth Ministry. Raising one child in these difficult economic times can be a challenge – let alone three, but with the assistance and generosity of many we were showered with baby gifts that have helped us tremendously. We thank Linda Smith for coordinating this effort. We have been blessed to receive gifts of cribs, diapers, baby food and formula, toys, clothes, car seats – I can't think of a single item that was left out. In addition, during the first month of adjusting to being parents of newborns again, the Elizabeth Ministry provided us with meals for our family, with Yvonne Lesperance organizing this effort. Delicious food was given in such abundance that we didn't need to do much in terms of grocery shopping! For these, and for all the prayers and well wishes we have received over the last few months, we offer our words of sincere and heartfelt gratitude. Never before have I experienced such an outpouring of love and support from a parish family and from my fellow staff members, especially from Father Terry and Sister Mary Teresa. We are tremendously grateful to all – know that you are in our prayers.

Love,

The Hadley Family

(Ernie, Michelle, Michael, Christian, Andrew, Jayden, Ethan, and Adam)

**St. Vincent de Paul Society collection**

The men and women of our St. Vincent de Paul Society unselfishly devote countless hours of their time to take care of the many local requests received. Our second collection this weekend, **September 19-20**, is to assist them in their efforts. Thank you for your generosity towards those less fortunate!



**Pilgrimage to Montreal**

The Diocesan Vocation Office and the Serra Club of Ogdensburg are scheduling a trip to St. Joseph's Oratory in Montreal, Canada, on **Wednesday, October 21**. Buses will depart from selected sites early Wednesday morning and will arrive at St. Joseph's Oratory around noon. Please bring your own lunch. Father Terry will celebrate Mass at 3:00 PM. Following Mass, the group will continue on to St. Joseph's Church in West Chazy for a buffet dinner. The cost of the trip is \$89.00 which includes bus transportation, dinner, and fees. All registrants must have an enhanced driver's license or a passport to participate in this pilgrimage. Registration forms are available by calling the rectory at 393-3930.

Capital Campaign Phase I goal.....	\$1,200,000.00
Capital Campaign Phase II goal.....	\$ 400,000.00
Cash received.....	\$ 790,410.27
Outstanding pledges.....	\$ 601,879.53
Total cash and pledges as of September 15.....	\$1,392,289.80
<i>Number of donors: 382</i>	



**God's plan for giving - tithing  
September 5-6, 2009**

Envelopes.....	\$ 9,209.00
<i>Number of envelope users:</i>	
Plate.....	\$ 566.00
Children's Envelopes.....	\$ 10.00
Miscellaneous/Donations.....	\$ 500.00
Total.....	\$ 10,285.00
Envelopes last year.....	\$ 8,319.75

**God's plan for giving - tithing  
September 12-13, 2009**

Envelopes.....	\$ 7,982.97
<i>Number of envelope users: 216</i>	
Plate.....	\$ 643.00
Children's Envelopes.....	\$ 6.00
Miscellaneous/Donations.....	\$ 356.61
Total.....	\$ 7,834.00
Envelopes last year.....	\$ 5,582.00

**God bless you for your continued generosity to St. Mary's Cathedral.**

**Retreat:** "You, too, go and work in my Vineyard." Come and join us for a Day of Reflection on the spirituality of the lay people on Saturday, October 3, from 9:30 AM until 4 PM. Bernard Ratneiyya will be the guest speaker at Our Lady of the Adirondacks House of Prayer, Ellenburg Center. Please phone 518-584-3253 or RSVP to [adirond@twcnry.rr.com](mailto:adirond@twcnry.rr.com) by October 1. Donations accepted but not required.

### Remember in Prayer

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

Davalene Layng, Bobby Gemmill, Leward Lucia, Ann Losurdo, Joan Cutway, Jean Seeley, Dennis Moore, Wanda Taylor, Randy Livingston, Phyllis Ritchie, Adam Wells, Ronald Smithers, John Kiechle, Mary Kiechle, Carol Baxter, Debbie Beitler, Lisa Rivers, Stanley Seymour, Doug Mentley, John and Geraldine Sansoucy, Mike Cagler, and Allen Bromling.

#### **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, September 20**

- Adult Choir rehearsal at 10:00 AM in the choir loft.
- Catechist Commissioning at the 11:00 AM Mass.
- Harvest Walk at 12:30 PM at the Community Center.
- Marriage Jubilee at 2:30 PM in the Cathedral.

#### **Monday, September 21**

- St. Vincent de Paul Society meets at 9:00 AM in the rectory.
- *Why Catholic?* September Retreat 7-9 PM at Trinity Catholic School in Massena.

#### **Wednesday, September 23**

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

#### **Thursday, September 24**

- Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament in the Deacon Winter Chapel after the 12 noon Mass until 5 PM.

#### **Friday, September 25**

- SMDA Carnival.

#### **Saturday, September 26**

- SMDA Carnival.

#### **Sunday, September 27**

- SMDA Carnival.
- Adult Choir rehearsal at 10:00 AM in the choir loft.
- Bishop Conroy School of Religion classes begin.

### Bishop Conroy School of Religion

**Religion classes will start next Sunday, September 27.** Registration packets have been mailed to all prospective students. Please return registration forms as soon as possible. If your child or grandchild did not receive a packet, you can find registration forms at the entrances of the Church. Grades K-6 will meet from 9:45-10:45 AM; Grades 7, 8, 9 (Confirmation I), and 10 (Confirmation II) will meet 12:05-1:05 PM; and Grades 11 and 12 will meet from 6-7 PM. All classes are held at the BCSR. Questions? Please contact Mrs. Celina Burns at SMDA(393-0165) or at BCSR (393-1820).

### Mission Office Secretary/Bookkeeper

The Diocese of Ogdensburg has an immediate opening for the full-time position of **Mission Office Secretary/Bookkeeper**. The applicant must possess strong bookkeeping, computer, and secretarial skills. Knowledge of Microsoft Word and Excel is required. Strong interpersonal skills and good oral and written communication skills are also required. Submit letter of interest, resume, and three professional references to: Mission Office, P.O. Box 369, Ogdensburg, NY 13669. Deadline for application is September 21st.

### Staff

#### **Diocesan Administrator/Rector**

Rev. Terry R. LaValley, J.C.L.

#### **Priest in Residence**

Rev. Vicente F. Jazmines

#### **Deacon**

Deacon Francis F. Bateman

#### **Pastoral Associate**

Sister Mary Teresa LaBrake, G.N.S.H.

#### **Office Staff**

Mrs. Gail G. Bouchard, Business Manager  
Mrs. Catherine J. Romano, Office Assistant  
Mrs. Rose-Marie M. Missert, Office Assistant

#### **Music Director**

Mr. Ernest W. Hadley, Jr., Organist/Choir Director

#### **Maintenance**

Mr. David W. Mills  
Mr. Peter F. Nadler  
Mr. Michael W. Jerome

#### **Household Staff**

Mrs. Deborah S. Henry  
Mrs. LouEllen Smithers

#### **Saint Marguerite D'Youville Academy**

315 Gates Street 393-0165  
Mrs. Celina R. Burns, Principal  
Mrs. Mary Ellen Sansoucy, Secretary

#### **Religious Education**

214 Morris Street 393-1820  
Mrs. Celina R. Burns, Director of Religious Education  
Mrs. Julie F. Gebo, Secretary  
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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**

First Sunday of the month at 11:45 a.m. Sponsors 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

### Lasagna Dinner

St. Raphael's Parish in Heuvelton will be sponsoring a Lasagna Dinner on **Wednesday, September 30**, from 4:30-7 PM at the Heuvelton Central School cafeteria. Cost is \$7 for adults, \$6 for senior citizens (over 65), and \$5 for children 6-12. Children under 6 eat free. **All proceeds will be donated to St. Joseph's Nursing Home.**

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