



TWENTY - THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

St. Mary's Cathedral Parish

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September 4, 2011

Mass intentions for this week

Monday, September 5 - Weekday

10:50 (SJ) Special Intention

7:15 PM *Novena*

7:30 PM Intentions of Theresa Kaczmarek by Steve, Debbie and family

Tuesday, September 6 - Weekday

10:50 (SJ) Eleanor Burke by Barbara Wood

12:00 J. E. Denoncourt, 45th Anniv., by M/M Denoncourt

Wednesday, September 7 - Weekday

10:50 (SJ) Benefactors of St. Joseph's Home

12:00 Edgar Tanglao 45th Anniv., By Mae and Michelle Baildon and the Tanglao family

Thursday, September 8 - The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary

10:50 (SJ) *Notre Dame*

12:00 Kenneth Lawless, Anniv., By Bea and family

Friday, September 9, Saint Peter Claver, priest

10:50 (SJ) Mort Backus, Month Mind, by Bonnie Burns

12:00 Edward Lyna by St. Marquerite D Youville Academy

Saturday, September 10 - Weekday

4:00 PM (Antic.) Donald Stevenson, 19th. Anniv., by Carolyn, Cindy and Paul

Sunday, September 11 - Twenty-Fourth Sunday In Ordinary Time

8:00 AM - For the people of the Parish

11:00 AM - World Peace and an end to terrorism, war and violence

Sanctuary Candles

Week of September 4

Main Cathedral - Robbie Calcaterra by his family

Deacon Winter Chapel - Intentions of Rev. Scott R. Seymour by Mae and Michelle Baildon

The 2011 Bishop's Fund Appeal

The 2011 Bishop's Fund Appeal will begin soon in our parish and throughout the Diocese of Ogdensburg. Our goal is to have 321 or more families participate in this important Appeal. If we do this, we will surely exceed our parish financial target of \$53,107.10. Your gift to the 2011 Bishop's Fund Appeal will help continue the vital ministries, services and programs that reach out to so many in need. Please consider making a pledge or one - time gift to this year's effort.



Thank you, Deacon Spike!!

Deacon Frank (Spike) Bateman has been faithfully serving the Cathedral Parish as Deacon for the past eight years. He has asked Bishop LaValley for permission to retire from the day-to-day demands of ministry. With Bishop's blessing, Deacon Spike will "retire" effective September 5, 2011. How blessed we have been by his prayerful, generous gift of self! Whether it be preparing families for baptism, couples for marriage, assisting at or conducting funeral and burial services, preparing monthly homilies, and a host of other parish activities, Deacon Spike has put his whole self into it. We are a better parish because of his devotion, and we thank him. We are also grateful to his wife, Betty, for sharing him with us. You know what they say about "every great man"...there's a great woman behind him! Deacon Spike is not planning on moving away, just taking a step back...so, fortunately, we'll continue to have him around as "elder statesman". God bless you, Spike and Betty...and thanks a million!



Next Sunday's Scripture Readings: Sirach 27:30 - 28:7 Romans 14:7 - 9 and the Gospel of Matthew 18:21 - 35

Congratulations, Sister Mary Teresa!!!

Sixty years ago, *Sister Mary Teresa LaBrake* entered the Grey Nuns of the Sacred Heart. Her commitment to the Lord has taken her to Georgia, western New York, the metropolitan NYC area, and here in the North Country. Her wonderful and faithfulness witness to Christ continues to be a great gift to the Church and to all of us who know and love her. Please join us in congratulating Sister and asking God's blessings upon her. *This weekend during the 11AM Mass, we will honor her so please join us for a picnic on the Cathedral grounds immediately afterward.*

On Monday, September 5 we celebrate **Labor Day**. We will offer Mass at St. Joseph's Home at 10:50 AM and in the evening in the Deacon Winter Chapel with Novena Prayers at 7:15 PM and Mass at 7:30 PM. We wish everyone a safe and enjoyable holiday weekend.

St. Marguerite D' Youville Academy

Classes at SMDA begin this **Tuesday**, September 6. All teachers are NYS certified and follow NYS Learning Standards with the assistance of a state-of-the-art computer lab, classroom computer workshops, and access to all NYS mandated services. Academics at SMDA meet an educational focus and commitment to the whole child. SMDA offers a Fine Arts Program including weekly art classes, music instruction lessons, and many after school activities. The staff is looking forward to the beginning of a wonderful new year. If you would like more information, please speak to Father Joe, or contact the school principal, Celina Burns, at 393-0165.



Harvest Walk 2011 Breakfast

The *Knights of Columbus* Council #258 will be sponsoring a *breakfast buffet* on **Sunday, September 11**, to benefit the **Harvest Walk**. Come and enjoy a delicious breakfast buffet and show your support for the **Harvest Walk** which will be held on **Sunday, October 2**.

Accounts have been set up at both Perry's on Route 68 and the ARC on State Street to receive bottles. Please support the fund raising efforts for our local food pantries.



Mass and Picnic

Attention all **Youth/Altar Servers**: On **September 18, 2011** there will be a **Youth Mass at St. Mary's Cathedral in Ogdensburg**. There will be special recognition for our Altar Servers for their faithful ministry in our parishes. Bishop LaValley will preside at liturgy at **2:30 PM** and *following Mass there will be a tour of the Bishop's home*.

There will be games and activities for all ages as well as BBQ at the Knights of Columbus. We hope many of our young people and servers in our parish will take part in this special event. Please RSVP by September 13, 2011. Families are welcome to come to help celebrate in this wonderful event! For more information or if you have any questions please contact **Jean Grizzuto at 315-393-2920 ex 401** or email at jgrizzuto@dioogdensbug.org we look forward to seeing you there.

Marriage Jubilee Mass 2011

The Family Life Office is pleased to announce the annual Marriage Jubilee Mass honoring those couples in our Diocese who are observing significant wedding anniversaries. This is a wonderful opportunity for those couples who are newly married to come together and celebrate with couples who have truly lived the sacrament of matrimony. We welcome all married couples to come together with their families on **Sunday, September 25** at 2:30 PM at the Cathedral.

Couples celebrating jubilees and wishing to receive a certificate need to *register* for this event through the parish *before September 13th*.

The Eucharist

Bill O'Brien will be facilitating a study of the Eucharist in the Bishop Brzana Hall. It is a three-part study to be offered on Wednesdays; September 14th, 21st, and 28th. Each day there will be two different opportunities to attend. 10AM or 6:30PM each day. We will be using the DVD by Father Robert Baron called The Eucharist and the workbook from the series. The cost of the workbook is \$12.95 each. ALL PARISHIONERS are welcome.

Why RCIA?

Is something drawing you to the Roman Catholic Church, yet you may not be sure if you want to really join and become more involved? This year, we will be presenting an opportunity for interested people to enter into a process to explore their many questions. The **R.C.I.A.** (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) is the Church's process to prepare adults for admission into full communion in the Roman Catholic Church. It is designed for non-baptized persons and those who were baptized into another faith tradition and would like to seek full communion with the Roman Catholic Church. Perhaps you were baptized as a Catholic, but have not received the Sacraments of Reconciliation, Eucharist, and/or Confirmation. If this sounds like it may be what you are looking for, please contact us at 393-3930. You will be notified regarding the R.C.I.A. program for the 2011-2012 year for St. Mary's Cathedral.



The Presence of Christ in the Community

"Where two or three are gathered together in my name, there am I in the midst of them." The Gospel of Matthew, a Church Gospel, reminds us how important it is to love one another, to forgive one another, and to pray together. As a Church, A Family of Faith, we often gather in Communities to share the Good News through faith sharing and reaching out to one another. Beginning the week of October 2, Communities will gather together to begin to reflect some of the changes to the new Roman Missal. The resource many of the parishes will be using is **Lifting Up Our Hearts**. There will be six sessions from *October 2 - November 6th*. The topics for the six sessions are:

- Session 1: The Lord Be With You
- Session 2: Have Mercy on Us, O Lord
- Session 3: You Alone Are the Lord
- Session 4: I Believe
- Session 5: Until You Come Again
- Session 6: I Shall Be Healed to Go Forth

There will be a Regional morning of reflection at Wadhams Hall on Saturday, October 8 from 9:30 AM - 12:00 PM to prepare for these changes. If you are interested in attending, please call the Rectory (393-3930) and leave your name. Materials need to be prepared for the session.

St. Vincent de Paul Store

The St. Vincent de Paul Store at 1115 Ford Street is now open. Store hours are: **Monday thru Friday, 1:30 - 4:00 PM, and Saturday from 12:30 - 3:00 PM**. The store has an abundance of very nice clothing for fall and the winter.

Remember in Prayer

We pray for loved ones who are ill:

M/M Leward Lucia, Dennis Moore, Randy Livingston, Geraldine Sansoucy, Michele Cline, Janet Knill, Peter Hayes, Patrick Hayes, Annalynn Surace, James Stiles, Eric Roach, Ronald McGaw, Mary Spooner, Judy Layo, Debbie Abel, Don Burns, David McLellan, Paul Prebish, Thelma Carmody, Jim Adams, Kermit Main, David Franz, Melvin Ashley, Carolyn Jeneault, Ernie Jeneault, Connor Grenier, Michael Spellman, Mary Morgan, George Swan, Jamie Haliday, and Helen Knepp.

We also request your prayers for:

Those who care for the sick, all those who are suffering from cancer, and all our military men, women, and their families.

This Week at a Glance

Sunday, September 4

- Jubilee Picnic on the Cathedral grounds after 11 Mass

Monday, September 5

- Labor Day

Tuesday, September 6

- First day of school

Wednesday, September 7

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

- Evangelization meeting at 7 PM in the rectory

Thursday, September 8

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

Friday, September 9

We pray ... That as students conclude their summer vacations and resume their studies, they may grow in their love of knowledge and wisdom.

Capital Campaign Phase I goal.....	\$ 1200,000.00
Capital Campaign Phase II goal	\$ 400,000.00
Cash received	\$ 1,043,995.85
Outstanding pledges	\$ 411,693.63
Total cash and pledges as of August 30	\$ 1,455,689.48
Number of donors: 397	



God's plan for giving - tithing

August 27 - 28 2011

Envelopes	\$ 5,035.00
Plate.....	\$ 555.00
Miscellaneous/Donations	\$ 55.00
Total	\$ 5,645.00
Envelopes last Year	\$ 6,144.00

**A sincere thank you
with prayers for God's blessings**

Staff

Bishop

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

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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 the rectory

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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