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Our Mission Is To Go and Make Disciples of Jesus Christ ~ November 10, 2024



The Word of the Laird



Although it is almost a month away, I thought it would be good to inform you of an issue that came up recently. This year the feast of the Immaculate Conception falls on the Second Sunday of Advent. A report from one of the offices specified that particularly, since it is under this title that Mary is the patroness of our country, the feast of the Immaculate Conception is being transferred to Monday, December 9. Also, the obligation to attend Mass for the Immaculate Conception is also being transferred.

After talking this over with our staff we thought it would probably be a good idea to provide the option for a Mass on Sunday afternoon at 4:30 at St. Matthew. Then on Monday have the usual 9:00am Mass also at St. Matthew. That leads us to the "Love's Pure Light" celebration at St. Mary's beginning with Carols at 5:00pm and then Mass following at 5:30pm. We hope that this schedule, and also remembering that we will publish the schedules of our neighboring parishes, will provide people with good opportunities to fulfill both the Sunday obligation and the obligation for the holy day.

I just thought it would be good to get this information out as early as possible so that if you need to make any adjustments in your schedules it might be done with the least difficulty.

Thanks be to God.

Readings and Hymns

Readings..... 947

Hymns:

St. Mary's:

Entrance..... 699
 Offertory..... 477
 Recessional..... 717

St. Matthew:

Entrance..... 732
 Offertory..... 759
 Recessional..... 694



Church Chuckle

MANGER: Where Mary gave birth to Jesus because Joseph wasn't covered by an HMO. (The Bible's way of showing us that holiday travel has always been rough.)



Saturday, November 9

St. Matthew 4:30 pm—For the People of this Faith Community

Sunday, November 10—32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

St. Mary's 8:30 am — Jim Hawes (Cliff & Nancy Andres)
 St. Matthew 10:30 am—Elizabeth Ann Donato (Family)

Monday, November 11

St. Matthew 9:00 am

Tuesday, November 12

St. Mary's 9:00 am—Bob Sparrow & Laurie Sparrow
 McGraw (Diane O'Connor & Barb Ceglinski)

Wednesday—November 13

St. Matthew 9:00 am

Thursday—November 14

St. Mary's 9:00 am—Catherine Wenthe (Sheila Gotham)

Saturday, November 16

St. Matthew 4:30 pm—

Sunday, November 17—33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

St. Mary's 8:30 am — Jane Harvey (Paul Pipitone)
 St. Matthew 10:30 am—For the People of this Faith Community

Attendance— 11/3/2024

<i>St. Matthew—4:30 pm</i>	<i>112</i>
<i>St. Mary's—8:30 am</i>	<i>101</i>
<i>St. Matthew—10:30 am</i>	<i>148</i>

CMA UPDATE

As of 11/5/2024

	<u>St. Mary's</u>	<u>St. Matthew</u>
Pledged	\$9,865.00	\$37,022.00
Goal	\$19,000.00	\$51,000.00
Percentage of Goal	51.92%	72.59%

We encourage you to make an online gift by going to: www.dor.org/cma

Or by mail at: Diocese of Rochester, CMA, PO Box 6841, Ithaca, NY 14851-6841

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Remembering our Veterans



During this month of November, we honor our veterans. We honor each and every one for their courage and dedication. Please remember our veterans in your prayers. There are special veteran's prayer cards in the Narthex of each of our churches. Please take one of these and include this with your daily prayers.

Prayer for Veterans

Eternal God, As we reflect upon the legacy of our veterans, we're reminded that their sacrifice echoes through the corridors of time. Their courage has paved the way for freedom, their dedication a beacon that guides us toward a brighter future. May their impact inspire generations to come, serving as a reminder that the price of freedom is steep and that our duty to uphold it is unwavering. As they step into history, may their legacy continue to shine, a testament to the enduring power of service and sacrifice. In Jesus' name, Amen

In Memory of Loved Ones

Contact your Parish Office to remember a loved one. A donation of \$50/year is requested.

In Memory Of

Richard O'Connor	Dan & Shirley Mulvaney
Pat Conlon	Jay Nowakowski
Lucille DeClerck	Robert & Mary Oelwang
Jule DeClerck	Paul & Martha Pfuntner
Joseph & Betty Eberwein	Joe Rausch
Mary Iten	Patrick L Guenther
Leo Iten	Frank & Estelle Rodman
Paul Jones	Nan Ryan
Beverly Luther	John Scherberger
Ralph & Rocco Messura	Michelle Stefano
Betty West	Kathie Regelsberger
Leo & Mary Ann Morsch	Lois Cicero
Lenny & Marie Shumway	Debra Czudak
Linda Murphy	James Sheehan
Patrick Argentieri	Anita Stefano
Ofc. Anthony P. Mazurkiewicz	Joan Shattuck
Jean Marie Dellies	Betty Schrader
Joseph Carusotti	Leigh Ann Hockey
Kay C. Gordon	

Deceased Members of the following:

Chuck and Cathy Schwalenstocker Family
 Helinski and Ellison Families
 Giuliani Family
 Jones Family
 Muscato Family
 Enright & Yatteau Families
 Kurtz, Martin & O'Neil Families
 Kucich & Juriaco Families
 Quinn, Donato & Lewis Families
 Gilbert & Somers Families
 Paul & Martha Pfuntner
 Baier, Root and Shaw Families
 Mazurkiewicz and Rumfola Families
 Moeller & Fritzen Families
 Cicero and Lyeth Families
 Hockey and McGinnis Families
 Koch Family

Praying for Those Who Are Ill

Florence Ahl, Gary Anderson, Diane Backus, William Beeley, Katey Boldt-Norton, Teresa Burritt, Catherine Couture, Kevin DeCillis, Hazel Delaney, Crystal DeMay, Joseph Dispenza, **Larry Ebersold**, Mary Sarah Hanna, John Henry, Mary Ann Hipp, Debbie Holtz, Dan Jones, Peggy Knight, Jean Long, Mark (Whitmore) Maltese, Shoshana Margolin, Rose Mazurkiewicz, Steve Milligan, Nina Monteleone, Christina Palella, Mia Rafanelli, Ann Marie Redman, Kathy Reynolds, Mary Sheehan, Bill Sidlauskas, Alan Siracusa, Erin Siracusa, Kathleen Smith, Helen Stefano, Jim Stefano Sr., Marlene Tears, Ed Wendelgass, David Wilks

Would You Help Us Out?

Please review the list. If you requested a name to be added and the person no longer needs to be on the list, let us know so we can take the name off to add others. **As a reminder**, we need the permission of an **immediate** family member or the person themselves to place a name on the prayer list.

This Week in Our Faith Community

Monday, November 11

Veterans Day—Both Offices Closed

St. Matthew—9:00 am Mass

Tuesday, November 12

St. Mary's—9:00 am Mass

St. Mary's—9:30 am Euchre

St. Mary's—11:30 am Rosary Group

Wednesday, November 13

12:00 pm—Articles for the 11/24 Bulletin Due

St. Matthew—9:00 am Mass

St. Matthew—9:30—11:30 am Eucharistic Adoration

St. Matthew—12:30 pm Hearts & Hands

Thursday, November 14

St. Mary's—9:00 am Mass

St. Mary's—7:00 pm Choir Practice

Friday, November 15

St. Matthew—9:00 am Mass

St. Mary's—10:00 am -Noon Clothing Closet Open

Saturday, November 16

St. Mary's—10:00 am-Noon Clothing Closet Open

St. Matthew—3:30—4:00 pm Reconciliation

St. Matthew—4:30 pm Mass

Sunday, November 17

St. Mary's—8:30 am Mass

St. Mary's—9: 15 am—Turkeys and Squash available for pickup

St. Matthew—10:30 am Mass

WEEKEND MINISTRY SCHEDULE

NOVEMBER 16 & 17

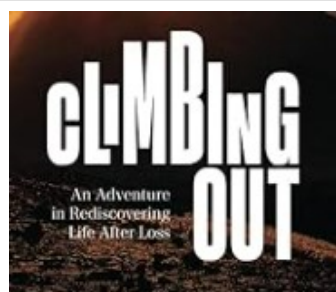
4:30 pm—Communion Ministers: S. Shaw, M. Palermo;
Lector: D. Winter; **Sacristan:** D&L Wilbur

8:30 am—Altar Servers: M&J Dobbertin; **Communion Ministers:** L. Thomas, D. Whitmore; **Lector:** S. Brown; **Greeter/Ushers:** B&D Whitmore, C. Zanghi; **Sacristan:** L. Thomas; **Announcer:** D. Hawes; **Live Stream:** J. Donsky

10:30 am—Altar Server: C. Coriddi; **Communion Ministers:** B. Cope, L. Maginn; **Lector:** J. Kahn; **Sacristan:** J. Kahn

St. Matthew Church Ministers Needed

We're looking for ministers for our Saturday Masses! If you regularly attend our Saturday evening Mass, perhaps you'd like to be part of the Liturgy. We have openings for Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers and Altar Servers. Please stop by our booth at the Ministry Fair next week to sign up or get more information. Thanks in advance!



'Climbing Out' . . . A Memoir of Faith and Hope

The recently published memoir of one of our parishioners, Bonnie Thies, is a faith-filled account of rediscovering her life after the sudden loss of her husband. We welcome you to join her and the author of 'Climbing Out', Robin L. Flanigan, at St. Matthew on Saturday, December 7th at 9:00 am. You will be graced with pictures and stories of her climb up Africa's Mt. Kilimanjaro and stories of her God-filled moments.

All are Welcome
Breakfast will be served!



SAVE the DATE ...

December 21st for our annual Christmas Concert at 6:30 pm. at St. Matthew Church
Pasta Dinner after the 4:30 Mass

More information to follow !



In your
Christian Charity, you are asked
to remember in your prayers

Paula Schuster

whom God called to eternal rest. May she rest in peace and may the Risen Lord strengthen her family in their time of loss.



Congratulations & Blessings
Phillip James West
Sacrament of Confirmation
November 3, 2024



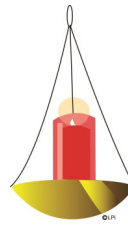
In honor of
Veterans Day
Monday, November 11
Both offices will be closed

Our Sacramental Life Together:

- Sacrament of Baptism:** Call either parish office for arrangements.
- Sacrament of Reconciliation:** Saturdays from 3:30 to 4:00 pm at St. Matthew or call either parish office for an appointment.
- Sacrament of Matrimony:** Please notify either parish office six months in advance of desired date.
- Anointing of the Sick:** Please notify either parish office if someone is sick at home, in a nursing facility or the hospital.
- Holy Orders:** If you're interested in serving the People of God as a priest, please visit ROCpriest.org.



We keep all those currently serving in our Military, as well as those who have previously served, in our prayers always.



St. Mary's Sanctuary Candle

burns this week in memory of

Betty Donsky

Requested by: Cliff & Nancy Andres



*Sts. Mary & Matthew Annual
Free Community Thanksgiving Dinner*

St. Mary's Church, Honeoye
Sunday, November 24, 2024

Dinner served from 2:00 pm to 4:00 pm (or until gone)
No takeouts

Delivery available to Homebound upon request
For More Information, call 585-229-5007
All are welcome!



Can you lend a hand with our Thanksgiving Dinner?

We have a job for everyone!

We need people to setup/cleanup, bake pies, cook turkeys, work the buffet line, cook squash and more! There's so much to do! We have a signup board at the entrance of both churches. Please prayerfully consider helping us feed a free meal to our communities.

Thanks in advance!

ATTENTION THANKSGIVING DINNER COOKERS!

If you're cooking turkeys or squash for the dinner, they will be available (with cooking instructions) next Sunday at St. Mary's. There will be 6 turkeys located at St. Matthew for our cooks from there. If you have any questions, please call Judy at 585-343-3585.

Thanks in advance for your help!

32nd SUNDAY *in ordinary time*

Calling his disciples to himself, he said to them, "Amen, I say to you, this poor widow put in more than all the other contributors to the treasury." - Mk 12:43

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St. Mary's Coffee Hour & Ministry Fair

Please join us today for coffee, tasty treats and fellowship immediately following Mass.

We will also be celebrating our Ministries with a Ministry Fair during the coffee hour!



St. Mathew Coffee Hour & Ministry Fair

The Ministry Fair originally scheduled for Sunday, November 24 will now be held next

Sunday, November 17. Please stop in for snacks and take a look at what opportunities our church has to offer you!