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HOLY MASSES

Saturday Vigil – 5:00 p.m.
Sunday – 8:00 a.m.; 11:00 a.m. and 2:30 p.m. – Spanish
Daily – 7:00 a.m.
Holy Days – As announced in bulletin

RECTORY OFFICE HOURS

Monday: 11 a.m. – 5 p.m.
Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday: 9:00 a.m.- 5 p.m.
(Closed Thursday, Saturday & Sunday)

BAPTISM PREPARATION PROGRAM

Both parents are asked to attend the baptismal preparation class prior to the celebration of the sacrament. The ideal time to attend is during the pregnancy. Please call for an appointment.

MARRIAGES

Wedding arrangements should be made at least six months prior to the desired date. Call Rectory for an appointment.

SICK CALLS

Any time, day or night. Call the Rectory as soon as possible.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Tuesday 7:30 A.M. – 4:30 P.M. (concludes with Evening Prayer)
First Fridays 7:30 A.M. – 4:30 P.M. (concludes with Evening Prayer and Benediction of Blessed Sacrament)

YOUNG ADULTS

Upon reaching their 19th birthday should assume their own identity by registering with the parish.

LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION

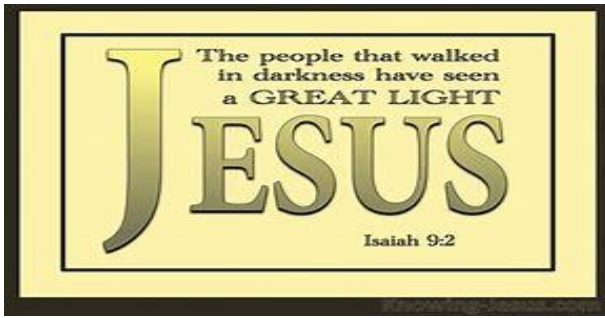
A prospective godparent or sponsor needs some evidence that he/she is an active, contributing member of the parish and leads a life in harmony with the Catholic Faith. We can only give such testimony to those who are actually parish members.

REGISTRATION OF NEW PARISHIONERS

Please call the Rectory for an appointment.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION (CONFESSION)

Every Saturday at 4 pm; Thursday before First Friday 4 pm



The people who walked in darkness have seen a great light

Readings for the Week of January 26th, 2020

- Sun Is. 8:23-9;3-1/ 1Cor 1:10-17/ Mt 4:12-23
- Mon 2 Samuel 5:1-7,10 / Mark 3:22-30
- Tues 2 Samuel 6:12b-15-19 / Mark 3:31-35
- Wed 2 Samuel 7:4-17 / Mark 4:1-20
- Thurs 2 Samuel 11:1-.5-10-17/ Mk.4:26-34
- Sat 2 Samuel 12:1-7A,10-17 / Mark 4:35-41
- Sun Mal 3:1-4/Heb 2:14-18/ Lk 2:22-40

Our Offering to God

Stewardship: The collection for the weekend was \$2,434.50. Thank you for supporting the work of your parish.

CRS Collection Today

This Sunday, we take up the Catholic Relief Services Collection in the second collection. Your contributions help six Catholic agencies to provide struggling communities with relief and support and to work for peace and reconciliation among our marginalized brothers and sisters here and around the world. Please prayerfully consider how you can support the collection. Learn more about the collection at www.usccb.org/catholic-relief.

NCCS Soup and Dessert Bash Today

Don't miss today's Soup Cook Off and Dessert Contest at Northern Chautauqua Catholic School from noon to 3 p.m. There will be lots and lots of baskets for raffling. The event raises funds for school expenses including assemblies, field trips, class room supplies, art supplies, music programs and family event nights. Your support is most appreciated.



Blessing of Candles next Sunday

In keeping with an ancient tradition, candles for devotional use will be blessed on "Candlemas Day", Feb. 2nd, the feast of the Presentation of the Lord. These candles may be obtained after masses that weekend and will be available in the church for the rest of the week.

Special Second Collection Next Weekend

Next week, we will take up the Collection for the Church in Central and Eastern Europe. This collection supports the church in more than 20 countries that still struggle to recover from Communist rule. Funds from this collection support pastoral care, catechesis, building renovations, and seminary formation. Your support restores the Church and builds the future in this region. Please prayerfully consider how you can support the collection next week. For information, go to www.usccb.org/ccee

Sign Up for Soup and Scripture

We will again offer the Soup and Scripture series in the rectory basement on the 6 Wednesday evenings of Lent beginning March 4th. We need to know NOW if you will attend so that materials can be ordered in advance. The sessions are held on the six Wednesdays evenings of Lent preceded by a simple soup supper at 6:30 p.m. with the guided discussion at 7 p.m. The Booklet, Matthew 10-20, On the Road with Jesus, has been selected to guide us. For more information or to indicate your intent to join us, contact Fr Dennis 366-1750.



Flea Market on the Hill

Blessed Mary Angela Holy Name Society invites you to a flea market on Townsend St. on Fridays and Saturdays from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. including: Jan. 24-25th; Jan. 31st -Feb. 1st and Feb. 7-8th. The final weekend will be Friday and Saturday Feb. 14 -15th from 9 – 1 p.m. when items will be sold for \$1 per bag.

Bison Scholarships and N.C.C.S.

The BISON Children's Scholarship Fund is now accepting pre-applications for funding for the 2020-2021 school year for families new to NCCS and the Bison funding. Families with students entering into Kindergarten through 12th grade at a Catholic School in 2020-2021 should apply online through the Bison website at <http://bisonfund.com/our-scholarships> Pre-application will only be available electronically again this year and only takes a few minutes to complete. The deadline to apply for 2020-2021 is February 28th, 2020. Families currently receiving Bison Funding will be notified by email when it is time to start the recertification process so watch your email.

Average scholarships are \$1,445 with a maximum of \$2,100. At present over 1900 children in 81 different private schools receive such a grant. Each family is required to contribute something toward their child's private education.

Marian Consecration, “33 Days to Morning Glory,”

On Facebook LIVE at “Basilica of St. Mary of the Angels Olean” daily at 7 p.m. through February 2nd. Fr. David Tourville leads us in prayer and adoration as we continue the Marian Consecration, “33 Days to Morning Glory.” What a gift of healing and grace! It’s never too late to jump in and complete this beautiful retreat. It will change your life!

Reminder re: Advertising in Bulletin

Letters has been sent out to all who contribute to our bulletin advertising. Remember the due date is February 18th, so that they can be prepared for printing on February 23rd 2020. Thank You for your support.

Adult Confirmation Sessions (English)

If you are an adult and never confirmed, it’s not too late. Contact Fr Dennis Riter 366-1750 X4 as soon as possible. Classes will be held on Mondays at 7 p.m. in the rectory and last about an hour. The 6 sessions will be held on Mar.4, 11, 18, 25th and April 1st.

Spanish Confirmation Classes for Adults

There will be a series of classes following the Spanish Mass for those who were never confirmed. These classes will begin on Sunday, March 8th at 4 p.m. If you wish to attend these classes in Spanish, Please contact Fr Dennis 366-1750 x 4 as soon as possible.

Our Parish Ministries Need Your Help

Do you have the gift or talent that we need? There are many unfulfilled slots for parish ministry. Some require occasional participation; others require a more regular involvement.

- Can you sing in the choir or play an instrument?
- Could you serve as an usher?
- What about lecturing after some proper training?
- How about altar serving; as a youth or an adult?
- Can you serve as Minster of the Eucharist at
 - Mass or to the homebound

Maybe you have other abiiteis that you could occasionally offer to the parish such as sewing, gardening or technical abilities. If so please let us know by calling 366-1750. Thank you!



Pray for the Sick

John Banach, Janet Bonasera, Arlene Briggs, Sue Dietzen, Jeremy Dolce, Andy Dziduch, James Gibbons Jr., Arlene Kuhn, Sue Larivey, and Jack Van Dervort. Call with a new name or email: to st.elizannseton@netsync.net Listings are normally for three weeks only.



Statement of 2019 Church Contributions

Your statement went out this week. Please let us know if you do not receive it by the end of the month or if your records do not agree with our statement.



(Vigil) January 25th, 2020

5:00 p.m. Lenore Zacharias by Ed & Ginny Van Den Vouver

Sunday, January 26^h, 2020- Third Sunday In Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. Diane G Dziduch by Dull Family
 11:00 a.m. Stanley Pacos by his wife Patricia
 2:30 p.m. Parishioners of SEAS

Monday, January 27th, 2020 –Weekday –St. Angela Merici, virgin and religious founder

7:00 a.m. Joanne Haase by husband, Gerald Haase

Tuesday, January 28th, 2020- St. Thomas Aquinas Priest and Doctor of the Church

7:00 a.m. Joseph Wdowiasz by wife Frances & Children
 1:40 p.m. NCCS James Andrews by wife Darlyn

Wednesday, January 29th, 2020- Weekday

7:00 a.m. Joseph Catalano & James Corsoro by Mary Ann Corsoro

Thursday, January 30th, 2020 –Weekday

7:00 a.m. Dorothy E. Jesionowski by Leonard & Dorothy Schrantz

Friday, January 31st, 2020- St. John Bosco, Priest

7:00 a.m. Charlotte Murphy by estate

Saturday, February 1st, 2020 Weekday

7:00 a.m. Thomas Schrantz by Leonard & Dorothy Schrantz

(Vigil) Saturday, February 1st, 2020

5:00 p.m. Daniel Sheedy by James & Cheryl Sheedy

Sunday, February 2nd, 2020- Presentation of the Lord

8:00 a.m. Bob Russell & Will Mason by the family
 11:00 a.m. Aurea DeJesus Rivera by Sons & Daughters
 2:30 p.m. Parishioners of SEAS



Memorials

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