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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, Thursday, Friday: 9:00 a.m. - 5 p.m.  
(Closed Wednesday, 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.

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## 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

I have set before you  
 life and death, blessings and curses.  
*Now choose life*  
 so that your children may live, and  
 that you may love the Lord your God,  
*listen to His voice*  
*and hold fast to Him.*

Sirach 15:17 Before us are life and death; whichever we choose shall be given to us



*No words can express the deep loss I am feeling over the death of Father Dennis. Father Dennis has been priest for 40 years. He was a true brother priest to me. He was a humble and faithful servant to the Lord. Let us all thank God for his gift to this parish, and to many others who life he had touch.* Fr. Walter Werbicki

**Readings for the Week of February 16<sup>th</sup>, 2020**  
 Sun Sir 15:15-20/1Cor 2:6-10 / Mt 5:17-37 or 5:20-22a,27-28,33-34a,37 (76)  
 Mon James 1:1-11 / Mark 8:11-13 (335)  
 Tues James 1:12-18 / Mark 8:14-21 (336)  
 Wed James 1:19-27 / Mark 8:22-26 (337)  
 Thru James 2:1-9 / Mark 8:27-33 (338)  
 Fri James 2:14-24,26 / Mark 8:34-9:1 (339)  
 Sat 1 Peter 5:1-4 / Mark 16:13-19 (535)  
 Sun Lv 19:1-2,17-18 / 1Cor 3:16-23 / Mt 5:38-48 (79)

**Our Offering to God**  
 Stewardship: The collection for the weekend was \$4, 334.28. Thank you for supporting the work of your parish.



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**Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday: 9:00 a.m.–5 p.m.,**  
**(Closed Wednesday, Saturdays & Sundays)**

**Thurs., Feb. 21<sup>st</sup> Rosary**  for Peace 5:30-6p.m.



## 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- 6:30 p.m. with the guided discussion at 6:30 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, call the Rectory 366-1750.



## Taize Evening Prayer

Takes place on Lenten Sundays at 6:30 p.m. in the church for Scriptures and silence. The prayer lasts about 30 minutes.

## Think of Me / Catholic Charities

Just as our Appeal patron saint, St. Joseph, used tools as a carpenter, **Catholic Charities aims to give tools to those in need to help them protect, strengthen, and empower their lives.** Whether it be satisfying hunger through one of our nine food pantries or teaching a family or individual how to successfully navigate the world of healthcare through our Care Coordination programs, Catholic Charities stands ready to be a provider of help and hope. Your gift to the 2020 Appeal can bolster our efforts. Join us by making a secure donation online at [www.cwny.org/donation](http://www.cwny.org/donation) or by calling 716-218-1400. **Think of Me.**



## Note From The Office

We apologize we are having some kind of a problem with the company that has been doing our Stewardship envelopes. We have had a lot of them coming back to the Church office, we don't know why because we keep updating and stopping those that do not need them. Please check in back of the Church to see if yours envelopes may be in it. If any change is needed for anything please contact the office.

Thank You Linda



"Northern Chautauqua Catholic School will be hosting a Lenten Fish Fry on Friday, February 28<sup>th</sup>, from 4 p.m. – 7 p.m. in the school gym at 336 Washington Ave., Dunkirk, NY. Tickets may be purchased in advance at the school's Main Office during business hours OR at the door. Cost is \$12 each and dinner includes choice of Fish Fry, Fried Shrimp or Combo Fish & Shrimp, with sides and a cookie. Available for dine in or carry out. Cheese pizza for \$2.00 per slice will also be available."



**Reminder Women's Retreat**

Women's annual spring retreat update- Sat. April 4<sup>th</sup>  
Mark your calendars. More details to follow in the next few weeks.



**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; Feb. 7-8<sup>th</sup>. The final weekend will be Friday and Saturday Feb. 14 - 15<sup>th</sup> from 9 - 1 p.m. when items will be sold for \$1 per bag.



Candles for devotional use were blessed on "Candlemas Day", they are now available in the rectory for you to purchase. Large \$6, Small 3/\$1.00.

**"The Liturgy of the Hours: A Bridge Between the Earthly and Heavenly Realms"**

will be held on Wednesday, March 4 at Christ the King Seminary, St. Vincent Dorm Chapel, 711 Knox Rd., East Aurora. Two sessions offered – Session I: 3-4:45 p.m. *Liturgy of the Hours Presentation*, followed by 5 p.m. *Vespers (Evening Prayer)* and end with optional dinner at 5:30 p.m.; Session II: 5 p.m. *Vespers (Evening Prayer)*, optional dinner at 5:30 p.m., followed by *Liturgy of the Hours Presentation* from 6:30-7:45 p.m. Facilitator: Fr. John Adams. The Liturgy of the Hours is a liturgy, a formal rite for public worship that is prayed at certain hours of the day; it contains psalms and readings that were proclaimed by Jesus in the Temple and the saints throughout history. There is a cost for dinner. To register or for more information, contact Fr. John Adams at [jadams@cks.edu](mailto:jadams@cks.edu) or 716-655-6406.



**Pray for the Sick**

John Banach, Janet Bonasera, Arlene Briggs, Sue Dietzen, Jeremy Dolce, Andy Dziduch, James Gibbons Jr., Jackson Henderson, Rick Herling, Arlene Kuhn, and Jack Van Dermot. Call with a new name or email: to

[st.elizannseton@netsync.net](mailto:st.elizannseton@netsync.net) Listings are normally for three weeks only.



**(Vigil) Saturday, February 15<sup>th</sup>, 2020 Weekday**  
5:00 p.m. Marcia E. Mackowiak by Frederick & Children

**Sunday, February 16<sup>th</sup>, 2020- Sixth Sunday In Ordinary Time**  
8:00 a.m. Jakob Jung by Jung Family  
11:00 a.m. Santa "Babe" Salisbury by Ed & Ginny Van Den Vouver  
2:30 p.m. Parishioners of SEAS

**Monday, February 17<sup>th</sup>, 2020 –Weekday –the Seventh Holy Founder of the Servite Order Virgin**  
7:00 a.m. Audrey Lee Lagano by Cindy Maslakowski

**Tuesday, February 18<sup>th</sup>, 2020- Weekday**  
7:00 a.m. Mary L. Haase by Banach, Haase, & Woelfle Families

**Wednesday, February 19<sup>th</sup>, 2020- Weekday**  
7:00 a.m. Elizabeth Ganey by daughter Molly

**Thursday, February 20<sup>th</sup>, 2020 –Weekday**  
7:00 a.m. Jane Bremer by Len & Dorothy Schrantz

**Friday, February 21<sup>st</sup>, 2020- Weekday- St. Peter Damian, Bishop and Doctor of the Church**  
7:00 a.m. Charlotte Murphy by the Estate

**Saturday, February 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2020 –The Chair of St. Peter the Apostle**  
7:00 a.m. Rev.Fr. Dennis Riter by Leo & Sandy Bain & Family

**(Vigil) February 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2020 –The Chair of St. Peter the Apostle**  
5:00 p.m. Mary Fijal by her husband Leonard

**Sunday, February 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2020- Seventh Sunday In Ordinary Time**  
8:00 a.m. Joey Wdowiasz  
11:00 a.m. James Dimmer by Pat Ebert  
2:30 p.m. Edward Bores by estate



**Memorials**

Larry Dietzen by Susan Dietzen  
Barbara Bernstein by Kathleen Andrews  
Rev. Fr. Dennis Riter by Gawronski Family  
Rev. Fr. Dennis Riter by Jim & Jean Ellman  
Rev. Fr. Dennis Riter by Marti Webster  
Rev. Fr. Dennis by Susan Larivey  
Rev. Fr. Dennis by Nancy Renckens & Family  
Josephine Vacanti by Nancy Renckens  
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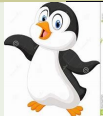
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