

PARISH NEWS

MAY 14, 2023

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

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Parish Office Hours are:

Monday, Wednesday – Friday 8am -Noon.

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MASS AVAILABLE ON YOUTUBE

We are excited to announce that our Sunday morning Mass is now available on YouTube. It is also available on the Holy Mother and Child facebook page. Just click on the Youtube link.

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCUtmH7wJ0FawIVbsWhLuiSg/featured>

FAITH FORMATION

<https://parishes.rcda.org/HolyMotherandChildParish/FaithFormation.php>

Over the course of the year, the Youth Group has done many things together and learned so much about each other. Our last 2 activities were direct service to the church; cleaning before Easter and hosting a pancake breakfast as our fundraiser. The donations received will pay the admission for activities at The Fun Spot on May 21st. All the youth from the parish are welcome to attend. There are flyers at both entrances of the church. Please RSVP to Becky or Alex by 5/14/23.

First Communion

Congratulations to Christopher Johnson, Olive Rodrigue, Gavin Hilker and Carter LaVigna made their First Communion last Sunday.

Thank you to the hospitality committee for providing the breakfast in their honor.

Mass Intentions

Sunday, May 14 @8:30am

Jean Ward by Frank & family

Frances Doody (birthday) by her children

Hannah & Maurice Bilodeau

Wednesday, May 17 – NO MASS

Thursday, May 18 @ 12N – The Ascension of the Lord

Sunday, May 21 @8:30am

Daniel Gately by his wife

William & Frances Cromie by Bill & Cynthia Cromie

John Matino by Frances & Nick Matino

This week, the Sanctuary Candle has been donated in memory of Rose & Joe Syouro

SUNDAY MASS

Our Mass time is now 8:30am. If you need to attend Mass at a different time, there is a 4pm Mass at St. Joseph's in Greenfield Center on Saturday afternoons, 10:30am at St. Joseph's and 12:30pm at St. Paul's in Rock City Falls on Sunday.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION/CONFESSION

Fr. Simon hears Confession every Saturday at St Joseph's Greenfield Center from 3:15pm to 3:45pm and Wednesdays after the 12 Noon Mass at Corinth

ROSARY

The rosary is recited on the first Sunday of each month at 8:10 before Mass. Please join us to pray. If you arrive when prayer is in progress, please feel free to be seated and join in.

ALTAR DECORATIONS

Thank you to Pat Sheehan for providing the altar decorations for the month of May,

WEDNESDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Please note that there will be no Wednesday Mass on May 17th. There will be a Mass on May 18th at 12 noon for The Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord.

<u>Weekly Offerings</u>	
Week of 5/7/23	
Regular : \$ 2844	
Easter: \$20	
Fuel & Maintenance: \$1339	
<u>Attendance</u>	
Wednesday 12N 31	8:30am: 172

BOTTLE DRIVE

Paula Sautter will be collecting bottles all year long to support the Alzheimer’s Association. If you would like her to pick up bottles at your house, just get in touch with her at 518-696-3864 or paula3333@roadrunner.com. She is willing to travel within a 40 mile radius to pick up your returnables. You can also bring them to church with you and put them on the side of the garage under the roof. Paula collected \$300 in April and has collected \$732 so far this year.

FUEL AND MAINTENANCE COLLECTION

Thank you for your generosity with the fuel and maintenance collection. In June, the fuel and maintenance collection will be on June 11th due a Diocesan second collection scheduled for June 4th. Of course, we will accept your donation for fuel and maintenance any time in an envelope labeled for fuel and maintenance.

MOTHER’S DAY

In celebration of Mother’s Day this weekend, May 13 and 14, Birthright located in Ballston Spa, will be offering fresh carnations for a \$1 donation after all Masses. Proceeds from this sale will benefit women who need support through a crisis pregnancy. Your support of this fundraiser is truly appreciated.

Late Spring Bible Study

Due to the popularity of the Advent and Lenten Bible Studies, we will be offering a third Bible Study this spring centered around the theme **“Finding Peace: Letting Go of Stress and Worry.”**

The study will be held on Wednesdays at 10:30 a.m. (just prior to Mass) in the parish hall on May 24, 31 and June 7. Books and a sign-up sheet for names and phone numbers (in the event of a last-minute change in schedule) are located outside the office door. You will also be able to sign up at the Adult Education table at the Ministry Fair on May 21st.

If there is sufficient interest in a different day and time, we will try to schedule another session, so please indicate that on the sign-up sheet.

Thanks, and we look forward to your participation.

NEW TABERNACLE VEILS

Throughout the years, we have the need to replace or refurbish altar linens, candles, and decorations. Our two new tabernacle lace veils would fall under this category. The price of the two veils is \$440.00. They are custom made due to the unique design of our tabernacle. If you would like to donate towards our altar needs please place an envelope marked "Altar Needs" in the regular offertory basket during Mass.

Thank you for your past generosity and we look forward to your future generosity. Thank you

BIBLE STUDY PARTICIPANTS

If you participated in the Lenten Bible Study, would you please return your books to the parish office. You can leave them on the counter outside the office if you bring them back on Sundays. I hope you enjoyed this program.

THE CATHOLIC YEARBOOK.

“The Catholic Yearbook” is available to parishioners at both entrances to the Church. They are free. Please help yourself.

COFFEE HOUR FOR TIME AND TALENT

There will be a coffee hour after Mass on Sunday, May 21st. At that time, we will have parishioners available to discuss the missions of our Time and Talent categories. We think that more parishioners would be interested in some of our programs if they could speak directly with the people involved in these ministries. It really takes a whole congregation to keep our church running smoothly. Please come join us. Have a cup of coffee or tea and see if anything interests you. We need help in many areas.

<u>SAVE THE DATE</u>		
Friday, May 19	Free Lunch	11:30am 12:30pm
Sunday, May 21	Coffee Hour	9:30am
Sunday, May 21	Fun Spot	11am

If you are homebound or going into the hospital, please let us know if you would like communion or prayers. Please call the church office at 518-654-2113 with contact information for us to reach you or your caretaker