

PARISH NEWS

JANUARY 14, 2024

THE SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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Parish Office Hours are:

Monday, Wednesday – Friday 8am -Noon.

518-654-2113

Rev. Simon Udemgba Ph.D., Parish Administrator

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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/UCUtmH7wJ0FawIVbsWhLujSg/featured>

FAITH FORMATION

Due to weather issues, Faith Formation had to be canceled on January 7th so it is now rescheduled for January 21st and January 28th this month. Mrs Tagliaferro's class has Saint report due on the 21st. Any questions, please contact ffhmcc@rcda.org
<https://parishes.rcda.org/HolyMotherandChildParish/FaithFormation.php>

FROM RESPECT LIFE:

Thank you to everyone who has supported Birthright this past year. You have helped offer tangible support for mother's with unplanned pregnancies - through the ongoing baby bassinet donations, the Mother's Day carnation sale, and the financial support, especially from the Baby Bottle Boomerang Campaign in October. You have made a difference!

BELL RINGERS

Thank you to Tom and Carol Boltzer. They assisted the Corinth Community Churches' Share the Warmth collection drop at Tops in December. Thank you for representing our parish.

Mass Intentions

Sunday, January 14 @ 8:30am

Living Intention for Christina Kane

By her friend Rosann

Sunday, January 21 @ 8:30am

Parishioners of the Parish

Wednesday, January 24 @ 12 noon

Paula Moses by Donna Balcom

Edward Conway & Gerry Morreale

BY Chris & Dennis Morreale

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.

PARISH PARTNERS

St. Joseph's Parish

3159 Rte 9N

Greenfield Center, NY

518-893-7680

St. Paul's Church

771 Rte 29

Rock City Falls, NY

518-885-4877

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

Weekly Offerings

Week of 1/7/24

Regular : \$1240

Fuel & Maintenance: \$ 492

Christmas: \$225

Attendance

1/3/24 @ 12 noon - 18

1/7/24 @ 8:30am -30

BISHOP'S APPEAL

We have received our annual assessment for the Bishop's Appeal. It is \$7,805. We have reached our assessment goal. Thank you to all that donated to this appeal.

MESSAGE FROM PAULA

Good Morning and Happy New Year Everyone. The final total of my "Walk to End Alzheimer's" fundraiser for 2023 is \$5,131.92 it is by far the highest amount raised in my four years of collecting monetary donations and refunds from your refundable bottles and cans. Our "Puck Alzheimer's Team" raised a total of \$8,333.92 which is amazing for our area. Your loyalty in donating is what keeps increasing help towards research in finding a cure, educating, providing assistance and guidance to caregivers. God bless you all for your donations and keeping me on my toes through 2023 whether it was picking up a bag that held 50 cents worth of bottles or 30 bags that accumulated in your basement! I applaud you all!

CARE PORTAL

2023 is ending on a high note for the Care Portal ministry. Since Holy Mother and Child began responding to requests almost three months ago, we have helped 5 families with children and made an economic impact of \$3,100! We have provided diapers and wipes, winter clothes and shoes, hangers, towels, a high chair, and a couch. Twenty-five dollar Stewart's gift cards and three beds/frames and bedding will be delivered soon. A huge thank you to everyone who has purchased or donated these items, helped load and deliver, have made furniture available for future requests, and prayed for the Care Portal ministry. We would not have been able to accomplish all this without your help. As we set out to help more families in 2024, please join us in helping families in need. We need people to help shop for items such as clothing, diapers, and towels. We also need people to make deliveries of some of these lighter weight items, as well as help with delivery of heavier items such as furniture. Please contact Chris Fugazzi at 509-939-9084 or cmfugazzi@aol.com. Thank you and God Bless you in 2024

SMSA OPEN HOUSE

SMSA will host its festive annual Open House on Sunday, January 28, 2024, from 12:30-2:30pm, to kick off its celebration of Catholic Schools Week. Whether you're a prospective parent, an alumnus, a parishioner, or a curious friend, please join us that day for light refreshments and a chance to see our beautiful building, meet our fantastic faculty, and enjoy a display of creativestudent art work! Principal Patrick Gormley will give a presentation at 1 pm, which will be followed by a short Q & A period. Tours focusing on both our Noah's Ark preschool/preK and K-8 programs will be available. Come and see what sets SMSA apart!

EMAIL SCAM

Some parishioners are receiving emails that appear to be from Father Simon. THIS IS A SCAM!!! He will never solicit money from you via email. PLEASE DO NOT RESPOND TO THESE EMAILS.

LOOKING FOR AN ORGANIST

As you all know, our organist went off to college in the fall. Nancy Nevins has been helping since that time. Nancy would really like us to find someone to take over full time. If you know anyone who would be willing to play, please ask him/her to come to the office and get the information.

ADK CATHOLIC

ADK Catholic, a young adult Catholic Group for young adults ages 18-39, is back from our holiday hiatus. As we enter the New Year we are going to be switching things up a bit. From now on we will be focusing entirely on service opportunities. On January 21st we will be holding a meeting at St. Mary's in Glens Falls after the 11:15am mass to go over what this will mean going forward. We hope everyone can join us! Our first service will be putting together care packages for the homeless. We are hoping to begin collecting supplies for this at the meeting on the 21st so feel free to bring things with you. Check the list below for what we are looking for. Thank you all and we hope to have you with us as we embark on this next chapter!
Supplies List: Socks, bottled water, sleeping bags, scarves, hats, chapstick, toothpaste, toothbrush, blankets, backpacks, gloves, baby wipes, deodorant, coats, any other warm items or hygiene products as you see fit.

SAVE THE DATE

Friday, January 19th – Free Lunch 11:30a – 12:30p

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.