

May 10, 2026 6th Sunday of Easter

Mother's Day



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Our Lady of Fatima Mission Statement

At our Lady of Fatima, Delanson, we are God's people sharing a responsibility to witness God's unconditional love and to bring God's healing presence to our world through our service to our community and beyond.

Bishop Mark O'Connell

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Saturday Vigil Mass 4:00PM

Sunday Mass - 11:15 AM

Tuesday - 9:00 AM

Confessions - Saturday 2:00 PM

Office Hours

Mon - Thurs 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM

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Saturday Vigil Mass - 6:00 PM

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Office Hours:

Mon - Thurs 9:00 AM - 12:00PM

Liturgy Schedule

Saturday

May 9, 2026 - 4:00 PM

✝ For All Mothers

Sunday

May 10, 2026 - 11:15 AM

✝ For All Mothers

Tuesday

May 12, 2026 - 9:00 AM

✝ For Grandparents, Aunts & Uncles

Thursday

May 14, 2026 - 5:30 PM

✝ Ascension Thursday

Saturday

May 16, 2026 - 4:00 PM

✝ For the Homeless and Addicted

Sunday

May 17, 2026 - 11:15 AM

✝ Eugene Twer - By: Joan Williams

Tuesday

May 19, 2026 - 9:00 AM

✝ Rene Hebert - By: Kim & Linda Balfour

✝ Kingsway - 2:00 & 3:00 PM

Beatitudes of Christian Living

“The lovelies masterpiece of the heart of God is the heart of a mother.” ~ St. Therese of Lisieux

On this Mother’s Day, we thank God for every mother whose loving heart reflects His own tender care and brings His beauty into our world.

Mass at Kingsway

We will be celebrating Pentecost at Kingsway on Tuesday, May 19 at 2:00 & 3:00 PM. If you can help out please contact the office

5/2 & 5/3

Candles \$ 72.00

Collections \$ 7,767.60

Thank you for your contributions

Bishop Mark O’Connell’s Visit

Saturday, June 27 - 4:00 PM. Mass Our new Bishop will be here at 2:00 PM in our hall to meet with parishioners. You are invited to this discussion sharing snacks and participating at Mass

Blessing Prayer for Mother’s Day

God of Love, listen to our prayer.

God of Holy People, of Sara, Ruth and Rebecca;

God of holy Anna, Mother of John, of Holy Mary, Mother of Jesus, bend down Your ear to our request and bless our mothers.

Bless her with the Strength of Your Spirit, she who taught us how to stand and walk.

Bless her with the Melody of Your Love, she who taught us how to speak, how to sing and how to pray to You.

Bless her with a place at your Eternal Banquet, she who showed us how to feed ourselves and fed us while we were helpless but embraced in her love.

Bless her today, now, in this lifetime with good, and peace, with health. Bless her with joy and love and laughter, with pride in her children, and surround her with good friends and family.

This blessing and all graces, we pray, descend upon our mother; in the name of the Father, and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit

Amen

Mother’s Day

The Pastoral Council will be hosting a coffee hour this Sunday May 10 in the hall, following the 11:15 AM Mass.

The Knights of Columbus will be handing out flowers after both Masses to all the women of the parish

Ascension Thursday Mass

May14 - 5:30 PM at LaSalle Park Pavilion, Schoharie. After Mass, we are having a submarine sandwich picnic; please bring a salad or dessert to share.

Prayer Ministry prays for anyone in need of prayer. You can request prayers or join in this ministry. Call James Keller at (518) 295-7970 or at jamesakeller@msn.com. From our lips to God’s ears. Give your concerns to God and join your parish family in faith.

The Sacristy Lamp burns this week in Loving Memory

Peg Vogelsberg

Requested by Joan Williams

Please Pray for our Sick and Homebound

Bella Stuart, Charlotte Marks, Joan Williams, Lorraine Duffy, Mary Brewer, Ken Chrinian, Paul Reveal, Ron Fagan , Jack Finn, Diane McCulloch, Gay Wolfgang, Colleen Schlicht and Lily Davis

EASTER 50: DAYS THAT MAKE A DIFFERENCE

Ever since the very beginning, disciples of the Way...disciples of Jesus Christ would gather and recall the mysteries of redemption. That somehow through the workings of the Spirit, the faithful would remember and celebrate that the boundless Love of God would be made present to people of every age and place...that there was no confining, deadening, or entombing the Life of Christ among us. Our faith is sacramental...not just remembered as a past event or a history to be recounted...but as an ongoing story that gives life...The Resurrection happens among, within, and through us...we are bold witnesses to the new Creation for all people. God's dream is our work. Each person makes a difference! We are always sent forth to embody Christ's love, Christ's justice, Christ's healing, and Christ's presence in every aspect of our life and the life of our world community. Never say, "I don't matter." because you do! You make all the difference in the world. Remember that our faith is not self centered...we are selfless...going out of ourselves to witness to the beauty, wonder, and sacredness of all life. May the restless Spirit of Resurrection within you never settle for less, the uninspired, the tired, the routine, the negative, or the untrue...but may you always seek to live the ideal, the truly creative, the most unsettling, the wildly adventurous, with the deepest respect and highest love for all people. The stone has been rolled away...let us journey forth...together! To share the image of resurrection, color a butterfly that will be placed on our Cross as a sign of hope

Congratulations to our parishioners that were confirmed this past weekend at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception. Collin Castle, Jack Mormando, Fletcher Mormando, Maya Murphy & Elise McDonald. Cards are available to share a message or prayer in the entranceway.



Congratulations to Mia Flores Seibert on the occasion of her 1st Eucharist

GIFT: Confirmation Schedule: Small Group Session 5: (Mystagogy): Sunday, May 31 at 1:00 PM in the center

Diocesan Appeal

Our Assessment is \$ 32,271. , so far we have generously shared \$ 23,803. leaving the balance we need of \$ 8,468..Thank your for your continued support. Offering envelopes are available in the pews

Thinking of You.

If you know of anyone in our parish or your family, that is in need of sunshine (Birthday, Get Well, Thinking of You) contact Barb Willoughby at (518) 469-4073. She will get a card out to them.

WEEKEND MINISTRY SCHEDULE	
Saturday, 5/9	Saturday, 5/16
LECTOR Jeannette Coppolo	LECTOR Cindy Wright
EUCARISTIC MINISTERS John Hochmuth Dianne Church Cindy Wright	EUCARISTIC MINISTERS Linda Snow Ruth Kulesa Mary Ann Conway
Sunday, 5/10	Sunday, 5/17
LECTOR Santino Bailey	LECTOR Janine Dowling
EUCARISTIC MINISTERS Josephine Errichetto Janet Korwan Peg O'Connor	EUCARISTIC MINISTERS Kris Zedaker Christie Hennessy Jose Flores
COUNTERS Janet Ingro Janine Dowling Kris Zedaker	COUNTERS Ronna DeLuke Josephine Errichetto Nancy Chrinian

WE PRAY EASTER

Our Church is alive with flowers, colors, aromas, and Easter faith during these 50 Days of Resurrection. Our music and song gather, inspire, and uplift. Each week we exclaim "Glory to God", singing of a new Creation. Our response to the Acts of the Apostles (our first reading during Easter) is Psalm 118 "Sing to the mountains, sing to the sea, Raise your voices, lift your hearts. This is the day the Lord has made. Let all the earth rejoice. "We approach the Gospel with the exuberant Caribbean "Alleluia. Jesus is the way the truth, the truth, the life. We renew our faith in a resounding "I do to" to the Creedal questions. When we gather around the Lord's Table we sing of our mystery: "Save us, Savior of the Lord, for by your Cross and Resurrection you have set us free. "We are sent forth with an Alleluia in our heart witnessing to the unconditional love of God.

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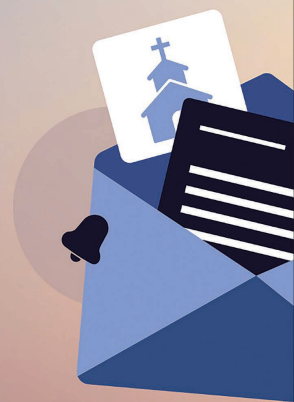
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