

# *Welcome to the Holy Roman Catholic Community of*

## *Holy Mother & Child      St. Joseph's      St. Paul's*



405 Palmer Ave  
Corinth, NY 12822

**Mass times:**  
8:30 am Sunday  
Noon Wednesdays

**Phone: 518-654-2113**  
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HolyMotherandChildParish**

**Office Hours are:**  
8am -Noon Monday, Wednesday - Friday

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**Our Sunday morning Mass  
can be viewed on Facebook or at  
[https://www.youtube.com/  
@holymotherandchildcorinth8851](https://www.youtube.com/@holymotherandchildcorinth8851)**

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Greenfield Center, NY 12833

**Mass times:**  
4:00 pm Saturday  
10:30 am Sunday  
9:00 am Wednesdays

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**Office hours are intermittent.**  
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518-698-9000 or [MACarroll@nycap.rr.com](mailto:MACarroll@nycap.rr.com)

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**St. Joseph's Church - St. Paul's Mission**

**Our Saturday Vigil Mass  
is recorded and shared by  
Flocknote email on Sunday mornings.  
Please visit our webpage to sign up**



771 Route 29  
Rock City Falls, NY 12863

**Mass times:**  
12:30 pm Sunday  
9:00 am 2nd Mondays

### *21st Sunday in Ordinary Time*

*August 25, 2024*

<i>At Our Eucharistic Celebrations this week</i>	
<i>St. Joseph's Saturday 8/24</i>	Frank Hansen has asked to remember Angela Santos
<i>Holy Mother and Child Sunday 8/25</i>	Bill & Cynthia Cromie have asked us to remember William & Frances Cromie  The family of James Newlove has asked us to remember him
<i>St. Joseph's Sunday 8/25</i>	The Jack Varley Family has asked us to remember the Varley, Hart, Pensak & Otrembiak Families
<i>St. Paul's Sunday 8/25</i>	We remember Our Parish Family
<i>St. Joseph's Wednesday 8/28</i>	Our Parish Family remembers Joanne Carlow
<i>Holy Mother and Child Wednesday 8/28</i>	Donna Balcom has asked us to remember Donald Moses

### *This weekend we welcome...*

Fr. Ron Sadjak, our annual Mission Cooperative Appeal guest, representing Masaka Missionaries Diocesan Medical Services.

The Medical Services Ministry coordinates and supplies thirty-seven medical clinics and two hospitals. The Catholic Church leads the way in offering HIV prevention, care of Orphan and Vulnerable Children, maternal and childcare services as well as clean water, sanitation, and nutrition programs.

From this year's cooperative plan, the Diocese is seeking financial support to extend their warehouse for storing medicines. The medical store was started with support from the Buffalo based: Reaching out 2 Africa Organization after realizing that there were many counterfeit medical supplies on the Uganda market. The main objective of this store was to ensure the availability of safe and affordable medicines in the Diocese and to save the lives of people from potentially dangerous products. After 10 years in operation, the existing warehouse needs to be expanded to accommodate the ever-increasing range of products needed to satisfy the health needs of the people in the area.

We hope and pray that you will join with us as the Catholic Church continues to be the source of hope and healing for so many poor around the world especially in the Diocese of Masaka, Uganda



**Masaka Diocesan  
Medical Services Ltd**

<i>Ministry Schedule</i>	<i>St. Joseph's 8/24 Saturday at 4:00 pm</i>	<i>St. Joseph's 8/25 Sunday at 10:30 am</i>	<i>St. Paul's 8/25 Sun at 12:30 pm</i>
<b>Greeters</b>	Mary Fornabia	The Zon Family	Kathy Zanella, Hazel Mahar
<b>Readers</b>	Volunteer needed	Monica Berrios-McKeon	Kateri Sargen
<b>Communion Ministers</b>	Joyce Rice, Frank Hansen	Dave Zon, Cindy Sharpe Monica Berrios-McKeon	Kateri Sargen
<b>Counters</b>	~~~~~	S Horne, C & L Burch	~~~~~

**CHRISTIAN OUTREACH**  
 Chairperson: Janet Singer 893-7342 j\_bsinger@hotmail.com  
 Greenfield Food Pantry at Greenfield Community Center  
 ECHO Food Pantry at St. Paul's Church  
 Call the Parish Office for more information about either  
 food pantry at 518-893-7680.  
 Meal Train requests - contact the parish office

**FINANCE**  
 Chairperson: Dawn Rodecker:  
 DRodecke@nycap.rr.com

**Christian Outreach** asks your help for children in need who attend schools served by St. Joseph's and St. Paul's: Greenfield and Milton Terrace Elementary & Maple Ave. Middle Schools.

We will be collecting school supplies for low-income families through August. The cost of supplies can be a heavy burden for these families, especially if they have more than one child. Last year the amount donated was way down from previous years. **The committee will be sorting the supplies after Mass on Sunday, September 1st, so all donations need to be in by then.**



The following items are needed:

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| White Drawing Paper                        | Glue Sticks             |
| Washable Markers                           | 1" Binders              |
| 2 Pocket Folders                           | #2 Pencils              |
| Composition Books                          | Backpacks               |
| 24 Pack Crayons                            | Colored Pencils         |
| Scissors                                   | Single packs of tissues |
| Clorox wipes                               | Hand sanitizer          |
| Baby Wipes or Wet Ones                     |                         |
| Ziplock bags of various sizes              |                         |
| Pencil boxes - plastic that can be cleaned |                         |

**PRAYER & WORSHIP**  
 Ministry Schedules: Monica Berrios-McKeon,  
 MonicaBerriosMcKeon@yahoo.com  
 Prayer Line: Pauline Simon 518-893-7240 PaulineS3159@gmail.com,



**Eucharistic Adoration  
 Holy Hour  
 Wednesday, August 28th  
 5pm to 6pm  
 at St. Joseph's**

**PARISH LIFE**  
 Chairperson: Tom Cronin 518-538-2346  
 TCronin2@nycap.rr.com



**Mark Your Calendars**

St. Joseph's & St. Paul's  
 Parish Picnic - Pig Roast  
 Saturday, September 21<sup>st</sup>  
 after the 4pm Mass.  
 Sign up poster is coming soon...

**Attention Envelope Users**  
 In the September envelope mailing, you will find envelopes marked "Maintenance" and "Faith Formation." These envelopes are not dated; we invite you to use them when you wish (Sept - June) to help us offset two of our highest expenses:  
 1) **Faith Formation Programs.** We ask our families to pay a minimal fee to cover the cost of their texts. Your contributions will help offset the cost of other supplies and expenses.  
 2) **Maintenance** - the cost of unexpected parish maintenance repairs & improvements  
 If you do not receive envelopes, but wish to contribute, please drop an envelope appropriately marked in any collection basket.

**NEIGHBORS & BEYOND**

**The Catholic Daughters of the Americas (CDA)**, Court McLaughlin #422, will hold its monthly meeting on Tuesday, September 3rd, at the Knights of Columbus, 50 Pine Road, Saratoga Springs. Members gather at 5:45PM for recitation of the Rosary, followed by refreshments until 6:30PM when the meeting will begin. CDA is one of the oldest and largest organizations of Catholic women in the Americas. Please join us.  
 Any questions? Contact our Regent, Dawn Weber by phone or by text at 518-226-5641.

<b>PARISH PARTNERS' CALENDAR</b>		
St. Paul's Rosary group will be taking a break for the summer		
Every Tue	9 - 11:30	ECHO Food Pantry at St. Paul's
Every Wed	1:30-3:30	Food Pantry at Greenfield Community Ctr
Aug. 24-25	All Masses	<b>Special Mission Co-Operation Collection for the Diocese of Masaka, Uganda</b>
Tue 8/27	1:30 pm	Bereavement Group meets at St. Joseph's
Wed 8/28	9:00 am	Morning Mass at St. Joseph's
	Noon	Mass at Holy Mother & Child
8/30-9/1	HM&C	Second collection for Fuel & Maintenance Food Pantries collection
Tue 9/3	6:30 pm	Pastoral Council mtg at St. Joseph's hall
Wed 9/4	9:00 am	Morning Mass at St. Joseph's
	Noon	Mass at Holy Mother & Child
Sept/. 7-8	All Masses	<b>Second Collection for The Catholic Home Missions Appeal</b>
Sun 9/8	7:00 pm	Weekly Rosary at St. Paul's resumes
Mon 9/9	6:00 pm	Buildings & Grounds meets at St. Joe's
	7:00 pm	Men's Group meets at St. Joseph's
Thu 9/12	6:30 pm	Bereavement Group meets at St. Joseph's
Sun 9/15	9:30 am	HM&C Parish Breakfast & Faith Formation Registrations

<i>Ministry Schedule</i>	<i>Sunday, 8/25 8:30 am</i>	<i>Thursday 8/29</i>
<i>Ushers/Greeters</i>	Chuck Rice and Gene Perry	~~~~~
<i>Readers</i>	Chris Morreale, Tim Mac Dougal	Amandine Damatha
<i>Communion Ministers</i>	H: Anna Plante W: Cathy Lozier W: Mary Anne Woodard C: Maureen Tagliafiero	W: Louie Carney

**PRAYER & WORSHIP**

*This week, the Sanctuary Candle has been donated in memory of Joan Woodward by Pat Sheehan.*

**Altar Decorations**

Thank you to Maureen Tagliafiero for August altar decorations. September will be done by Lorie VanAuken & Carol Pacco Long.

**Living Intention Cards**

We now have "Living Intentions" notification cards in the office. These may be used when you schedule a Mass intention for someone living that needs our prayers. They are handled the same way as a memorial Mass intention.

**PARISH LIFE**

**Parish Directory**

The survey regarding the Parish Directory has been completed. It passed by an overwhelming margin: We will be contacting the representative, and we will be getting back to you with additional information.



**Sunday, September 15**  
Parish Breakfast 9:30am

**Friday, September 20**  
Free Lunch 11:30am-12:30pm

**CHRISTIAN OUTREACH**

**Care Portal Request**

Anyone who would like to help local families in need can always assist financially by contributing to our parish's CarePortal Fund. You can do this by stopping by the office or by placing an envelope with "CarePortal Fund" written on it in the collection basket at Mass. Thank you in advance for helping families in our very own community.

**FAITH FORMATION**  
*Administrator: Alex Ghent fhmcc@rcda.org.*

Each year, the Catholic Church in the United States designates the third Sunday in September as "Catechetical Sunday"—a day on which to celebrate and pray for the Church's mission to teach the Gospel to all people. This year's theme is "Lord, when did we see you hungry?" (Matthew 25:37)

Please join us on Sunday, 9/15/2024 for a Parish Breakfast after the 8:30am Mass. We will be having Faith Formation sign ups, a chance to meet your child's catechist, and to catch up with your Parish Community.

The first day of Faith Formation classes is October 6th. They are held in the Parish Hall immediately after Mass. We meet twice a month, October through May. The Sacrament of First Communion is typically for children in second grade. The Sacrament of Confirmation is typically for children in tenth grade.

If you have any questions, would like to assist in the Faith Formation program, or would like to bring in food to share, please contact Alex at [fhmcc@rcda.org](mailto:fhmcc@rcda.org).

**FINANCE**  
*Interim Chairperson: Chris Morreale*

<i>Weekly Offerings</i>	<i>Attendance</i>
8/18/24 Regular: \$1649	8/18/24 117
Fuel & Maintenance \$365	8/15/24 Holy Day 47

*The first Sunday of the month there is a second collection for fuel and maintenance of our parish buildings. Thank you for your generosity with this collection.*

**ROMAN CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF ALBANY**

**Diocesan Marriage Jubilee**

The 52nd Annual Diocesan Marriage Jubilee Celebration will be held on Sunday, September 29th, 2024, at 3:00 PM, at Christ Our Light Catholic Church, 1 Maria Drive, in Loudonville. Couples celebrating their 25th, 40th, 50th or other special wedding anniversaries are invited to attend this celebration. Bishop Edward B. Scharfenberger will celebrate the Mass at 3:00 PM and greet couples and their guests at a reception in the Parish Hall at Christ Our Light immediately following Mass. \*Please register through your parish office or by email to [Marriage.Jubilee@rcda.org](mailto:Marriage.Jubilee@rcda.org).

**Unleashing Love Diocesan Women's Conference**  
*Awakening our hearts to share God's love.*

**Where:** St. Edward the Confessor,  
569 Clifton Park Center Road, Clifton Park

**When:** Saturday, October 19, 2024

**Keynote Speakers:** Bishop Edward B. Scharfenberger and Laura Phelps (National Catholic Speaker, Author, Walking with Purpose Content Creation Manager, and Podcaster)

**Event will include:** Three Presentations, Reconciliation, Adoration, Rosary, Mass, lunch, and beverages

**Conference Info and Registration Link:**  
<https://www.rcda.org/UnleashingLove>



**NEIGHBORS & BEYOND**

**Food Pantries** We collect non-perishable donations for our local food pantries on the first Sunday of the month. We also collect monetary donations for the Luzerne food pantry to purchase meat packages. There are baskets in the lobby of the Parish Center.

**PASTORAL CARE**

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 caregiver.