

# 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 8:30 am morning Mass**  
**can be viewed on Facebook or at**  
**[https://www.youtube.com/](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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**StJosephsChurchGreenfieldCenter.org**

**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 4 pm 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

**Parish Administrator: Rev. Simon Udemgba, Ph.D.    [Simon.Udemgba@rcda.org](mailto:Simon.Udemgba@rcda.org)**

***Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time***

***August 3, 2025***

<b><i>At our Eucharistic Celebrations this week</i></b>	
<b><i>St. Joseph's 4:00 pm Saturday 8/2</i></b>	We remember Our Parish Family
<b><i>Holy Mother &amp; Child 8:30 am Sunday 8/3</i></b>	The family of Letizia Tagliaferro has asked us to remember her  Chuck & Wanda have asked us to remember Charles Welch  The Bethany Guild has asked us to remember Charles Welch  John & Mary Ann Woodard have asked us to remember William Byrt
<b><i>St. Joseph's 10:30 am Sunday 8/3</i></b>	We remember Our Parish Family
<b><i>St. Paul's 12:30 pm Sunday 8/3</i></b>	We remember Our Parish Family
<b><i>St. Josephs 9:00 am Wednesday 8/6</i></b>	Our Parish Family remembers Joanne Carlow
<b><i>Holy Mother &amp; Child Noon Wednesday 8/6</i></b>	Jean Ward by Frank Ward

***Everyday Stewardship  
Recognize God  
in Your Ordinary Moments  
God Gives Us What We Need***



A few months back, my wife and I helped move my oldest son into his first real apartment. He was moving to start his first real job and was excited and cautious at the same time. Moving him in reminded me of when his mother and I were first starting out. We received an old couch from her aunt, some kitchen supplies from my mom, and many other things from friends and relatives so we could begin this new journey in our lives. We didn't have much. But we had one another, and we had love. Looking back, those were great times.

Sometimes, we think material possessions give evidence of a life lived well. Artifacts from our travels, collections that take time to amass and provide clues to our interests, and various pictures and prints that adorn our walls. However, those who have lived lives of hardship and pain have many of the same items. Not only doesn't all our stuff amount to real evidence of what our life has really been like, but it doesn't make our lives better either.

What makes a life well lived will be the love and compassion that we have experienced, primarily with God who loves us so deeply. Due to that love, God gives to us what we need, not always what we want. More stuff will never amount to anything in comparison to what God provides to us. If we reflected on that truth more, perhaps we would spend less time accumulating things and more time simply loving.

On that moving day, I wanted to give my son more material things than was possible. However, what he really needs then, now, and always is my love.

—Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS      ©LPi

<b>Ministry Schedule</b>	<b>St. Joseph's 8/2 4:00 pm</b>	<b>St. Joseph's 8/3 10:30 am</b>	<b>St. Paul's 8/3 12:30 pm</b>
<b>Greeters</b>	The Kelly Family	Valerie Reside	Kathy Zanella, Hazel Mahar
<b>Readers</b>	Howard Kunz	Gregory Tranchina	Jim Loviza
<b>Communion Ministers</b>	Joanne McKeon, Mary Fornabia	Rebecca Cronin, Cindy Sharpe Debi Ficaretta	~~~~~
<b>Counters</b>	~~~~~	S Horne, P Cargiulo	~~~~~

**SJ & SP PRAYER & WORSHIP**

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


**Eucharistic Adoration  
Holy Hour**

**St. Paul's**  
**Wednesday, August 20th 5 - 6pm**

**SJ & SP 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

**Christian Outreach**

We will be collecting school supplies for low-income families in July and August. The cost of supplies can be a heavy burden for these families, especially if they have more than one child.

We will be sorting the supplies after the 10:30 Mass on Sunday, August 31st, so donations need to be at St. Joe's by then.


**Prayer for Open Hands**

Lord, I do not know what any day holds,  
I cannot take for granted any of the gifts You have given.  
Help me to use them, then, as You would have me.  
Help me to live according to Your invitations.  
Amen.

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**ROMAN CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF ALBANY**
**Diocese of Albany -- Step Up Men's Conference 2025**

The Diocese of Albany is hosting the Step Up Men's Conference on **Saturday, August 9** from 8:15 AM to 3:30 PM at St. Edward the Confessor Church in Clifton Park.

The Step Up Men's Conference will give men the tools needed to grow in holiness in their everyday lives. The event will include presentations from Deacon Harold Burke-Sivers and Fr. James Walsh, Reconciliation, Mass, Adoration, Rosary, refreshments, and lunch.

College age and younger men are FREE, but must register.

For more information and to register:  
<https://www.rcda.org/StepUp>


**Mark Your Calendars**
**Unleashing Love Women's Conference**

October 18, 2025

**Our Neighbors & Beyond**
**Health, History, & Horses Charity Gala  
Presented by Ladies of Charity, Saratoga Chapter**
**Thursday, August 21st**
**6:00-9:00pm**

Saratoga Wilton Elks Lodge, 1 Elks Lane, Saratoga Springs, NY  
Funds raised are distributed annually to established charities in Saratoga & Warren/Washington Counties: Catholic Charities, food kitchens, shelters, and tuition support programs.

Complimentary Beer & Wine the 1st hour

Hot and cold food stations, Cash Bar, Live Music,

Silent Auction - 4 Seasons Basket Raffle - 50/50 raffle & Race Track t-shirt quilt

Cost: \$80.00 per person, payable to Ladies of Charity

Tickets: ladiesofcharitysaratoga.com

Contact Claudette at 518-584-7592

**The Ladies will be selling Gala & raffle tickets after Masses the weekend of August 2nd & 3rd at St. Joseph's & St. Paul's**

# Summer Fun

The letters in these words are all twisted up. To play, unscramble the letters to reveal the correct words. **Hint:** Each puzzle has a common theme!

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eishnsun \_\_\_\_\_ tsneadcal \_\_\_\_\_

icpnci \_\_\_\_\_ gfirnu \_\_\_\_\_

wmis \_\_\_\_\_ iec amrce \_\_\_\_\_

vaotınca \_\_\_\_\_ mpngiac \_\_\_\_\_

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**PARISH PARTNERS' CALENDAR**

Sundays	St. Paul's Rosary Group will resume in September	
Mondays	1:00 pm	Bethany Guild meets at Holy Mother & Child
Tuesdays	9 - 11:30	Food Pantry at St. Paul's
Wednesdays	1:30-3:30	Food Pantry at Greenfield Community Ctr
8/2-3	<b>Second Collection at all Churches for Fuel/Maintenance</b>	
Wed 8/6	9:00 am	Morning Mass at St. Joseph's
	Noon	Mass at Holy Mother & Child
Sat 8/9	9am-2 pm	Summer Fair at Holy Mother & Child
Mon 8/11	9:00 am	Morning Mass at St. Paul's
Wed 8/13	9:00 am	Morning Mass at St. Joseph's
	Noon	Mass at Holy Mother & Child
Thu 8/14	6:30 pm	Bereavement Group meets at St. Joseph's
Fri 8/15	9:00 am	Assumption of Mary Mass at St. Joseph's
	Noon	Assumption of Mary Mass at HM&C
Sat 8/16	5:30 pm	Nigerian Dinner at Holy Mother & Child

Ministry Schedule	Sunday 8/3 8:30 am	Wednesday 8/6 Noon
Ushers/Greeters	Chuck Rice and Gene Perry	~~~~~
Readers	Alex Ghent                      Chris Morreale	Mary Anne Woodard
Communion Ministers	Host: Maureen Tagliafierro    Wine: Fran Pickens	Wine    Louise Carney
	Wine: Cathy Bastible            Choir: Cathy Lozier	

## PARISH PARTNERS

### Evening of Nigerian Facts and Dinner

Join us for a combined Parish dinner with St. Joseph's Parish at Holy Mother & Child Parish Hall on Saturday, August 16th at 5:30pm for an Evening of Nigerian Facts and Dinner. We encourage Parishioners to try to make a Nigerian dish with suggestions below, to share at the dinner.

Goat meat will be provided.  
Beans with yam or potato  
Jollof Rice  
Fried Plantain  
Bean Cake  
Poached Yam/Potato  
Yam Chips/Potato



There will be sign-up sheets at Holy Mother and Child & St. Joseph's Church.

If you have any questions, please contact

Vance Plante at beavercreekfarm@live.com,  
Mike Tagliafierro at Michaeltagliafierro@gmail.com,  
Tim Murphy at timmar860@roadrunner.com or  
Joe Varone at jvarone@earthlink.net

## All Churches Second Collections

*Next weekend's 2nd collection at all Churches  
for Fuel/Maintenance*

## HM&C CHRISTIAN OUTREACH

### Care Portal Thank You!

A huge thank you to all parishioners who participated in the CarePortal campaign to help two local Corinth families with summer clothes, games and art supplies. The response was tremendous! We are very grateful for those who shopped for the items, those who provided financial donations, and those who made it happen. A special thank you to Laura Clothier, Mary Anne Woodard, and Anna Drais-Curtis for the ideas, the logistics, and the legwork. Through all of you and your generous support of our parish's CarePortal ministry, we are able to spread the love of Jesus and strengthen community ties. The families are very grateful for your amazing generosity.

### School Supplies for Corinth Students

As we "reach out to our community" for the 2024/25 academic year, we will once again assist Corinth School Students by providing supplies or monetary donations.

Collection Box for supplies and basket for monetary donations will be in back of the church.

Deadline for donations August 24.

Thank you for your support  
(Hadley-Luzerne School is not  
conducting School Supply  
Giveaway this year)



## HM&C PRAYER & WORSHIP

*This week, the Sanctuary Candle  
has been donated in memory of  
her Mom & Dad by Rosann*

*In  
Memory*

### ALTAR DECORATIONS

The August decorations are being done by Joy Rimal.  
We are grateful for your commitment to this ministry.

## HM&C FINANCE

Interim Chairperson: Chris Morreale

Weekly Offerings	Attendance
Regular collection 7/27                      \$ 1434	7/23                      25
Holy Father's Peter's Pence                      \$ 570	7/27                      106
Fuel & Maintenance                      \$ 120	

### First Sunday Food Pantries Collection

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. Collection baskets located at the back of the church.

## HM&C PARISH LIFE

### Summer Fair

The summer fair is coming up on August 9, 2025, rain or shine. We will have our gift card raffle that day at the Fair! There will be garage sale items, new or gently used. We will have fresh baked goods. There is also a luncheonette that will be serving all your favorites. It runs from 9am – 2pm.  
SEE YOU THERE!!

### Outdoor Landscaping

Have you noticed how beautiful our outdoor landscaping is looking? You need to thank Rosann Carpenter and Diane Burnham. They have spent countless hours making our grounds beautiful!! If you would take a moment and check out our old message sign in front of church, there is beautiful beaded artwork done by Diane Burnham.  
Thank you ladies.

## NEIGHBORS & BEYOND

### Invitation to Worship

The Hadley-Luzerne Community of Churches and Camp Peniel invite you to their summer series of worship, prayer and encouragement. All are welcome to join them in Peniel's Country Chapel for a summer series of Worship and Praise led by local churches. The final date is August 17th.

### Free Lunch

There will be no free lunch in August due to the Summer Fair and the Goat Roast. We will see you on September 19th.