

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

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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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PO Box 547, 3159 Route 9N
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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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

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 27, 2025

<i>At our Eucharistic Celebrations this week</i>	
<i>St. Joseph's 4:00 pm Saturday 7/26</i>	CTC has asked us to remember Norris Wilson
<i>Holy Mother & Child 8:30 am Sunday 7/27</i>	William & Cynthia Cromie have asked us to remember Bill & Frances Cromie Cathy & Dan Lozier have asked us to remember Jane, Bill & Mike Walsh Gail Kim & Family have asked us to remember Bob Kader
<i>St. Joseph's 10:30 am Sunday 7/27</i>	We remember Our Parish Family
<i>St. Paul's 12:30 pm Sunday 7/27</i>	We remember Our Parish Family
<i>St. Josephs 9:00 am Wednesday 7/30</i>	Our Parish Family remembers Joanne Carlow
<i>Holy Mother & Child Noon Wednesday 7/30</i>	We remember Our Parish Family

17th Sunday in Ordinary Time **Luke 11:1-13**

Once I went to a hospice facility to celebrate Last Rites for an elderly dying man. His family had told me that he had been uncommunicative for days. At the conclusion of the ritual, we began to recite the Our Father prayer. To everyone's surprise, his lips moved, clearly mouthing the words to the Lord's prayer. Stripped of most of his faculties, the man could still pray those precious God-given petitions. A lifetime of prayer had planted the words even deeper than his failing consciousness.

Do we want the Lord's prayer to be as deeply embedded in us? If we want to be people of hope, we should. Recall that our Lord immediately follows the prayer by saying: "Ask, and it will be given to you; search, and you will find; knock, and the door will be opened to you" (Luke 11:9). We only ask, search and knock because we hope that the request is not in vain. Everything we could possibly hope for is contained in the prayer. Praying the Our Father deepens our hope.

We should consciously pour all our hopes into the Lord's prayer; we should allow it to be an expression of hope, not simply rote words. Then, over time, it builds up our hope in God. It sinks deep into our souls and bodies. How blessed we are when these words of hope are on our lips, even when everything else seems to fail.

Father John Muir
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Ministry Schedule	St. Joseph's 7/26 4:00 pm	St. Joseph's 7/27 10:30 am	St. Paul's 7/27 12:30 pm
Greeters	Frank Hansen	Randy Miczek	Kathy Zanella, Hazel Mahar
Readers	John McPhillips	Ed Stano	Kateri Sargen
Communion Ministers	Pauline Simon, Frank Hansen	Tina Zakrzewski, Sharon Avery Monica Berrios-McKeon	~~~~~
Counters	~~~~~	S Guyon, M Schultz	~~~~~

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.



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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.

The early registration cost is \$45 per person until July 31 and includes 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



Daily Examen, Explained!

The daily examen is a spiritual practice derived from the writings of St. Ignatius of Loyola, the founder of the Society of Jesus. A Basque nobleman, Ignatius underwent a series of religious conversions as a young man following a wound sustained in the Battle of Pamplona in 1521. His Spiritual Exercises were first published in 1548 and form the basis of what is known today as "Ignatian spirituality."

Many different versions of the examen have been developed over the centuries, but all are centered on the same five elements which themselves reflect Ignatius' process of self-review and spiritual discernment.

In completing the daily examen, an individual places himself in the presence of God, prayerfully reflecting on the blessings of the day, the actions he took, and the invitation God has for his future decisions.

For more information on the examen and to find different variations of it, visit ignatianspirituality.com.

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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: ladiesofcharitysarotoga.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

All Churches Second Collections

***This weekend's second collection will be for
 The Holy Father's Peter's Pence.***

The Holy Father's Peter's Pence Collection unites us and Catholics around the world more closely with the Holy Father in two ways:

- ♦ it supports the structures of the Holy See through which the Pope governs the Church
- ♦ as well as his charitable efforts to assist victims of war, oppression, natural disasters, and others most in need.

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

Ministry Schedule	Sunday 7/27 8:30 am	Wednesday 7/30 Noon
Ushers/Greeters	Chuck Rice and Gene Perry	~~~~~
Readers	Kay Winchester Wally Phillips	Tim MacDougal
Communion Ministers	Host: Jean Celeste Wine: Cathy Bastible	Wine Fran Pickens
	Wine: Louise Carney Choir: Paula Sautter	

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
7/26-27	Second Collection at all Churches The Holy Father's Peter's Pence.	
Sat 7/26	8am-12pm	Memorial Blood Drive at St. Paul's
8/2-3	Second Collection at all Churches for Fuel/Maintenance	
Wed 7/30	9:00 am	Morning Mass at St. Joseph's
	Noon	Mass at Holy Mother & Child

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



If you have any questions, please contact
Vance Plante at beavercreekfarm@live.com,
Mike Tagliaferro at Michaeltagliaferro@gmail.com,
Tim Murphy at timmar860@roadrunner.com or
Joe Varone at jvarone@earthlink.net

Jubilee Mass Thank You

Our Jubilee Mass was held on Sunday, July 13th at 2pm. Sixteen couples celebrated their marriages and received a blessing from Father Simon. A buffet was served after the Mass for the celebrants, family and friends. The celebration was capped off with a trivia quiz led by Maureen Tagliaferro. Thank you to all who helped make this a joyous occasion!

HM&C CHRISTIAN OUTREACH

Care Portal Thank You!

A special thank you to everyone who donated items for our Care Portal needs list. They were delivered to the family this week, and they are very appreciative. It is very fulfilling to witness our parish answer the call for community needs.

HM&C PRAYER & WORSHIP

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

*In
Memory*

ALTAR DECORATIONS

Thank you, Louise Carney and Paula Sautter for the July decorations.
The August decorations will be done by Joy.
We are grateful for your commitment to this ministry.

New Eucharistic Minister

Please welcome Linda Mason as our newest Eucharistic Minister. We are very grateful that she has become part of this ministry.

HM&C FINANCE			
Interim Chairperson: Chris Morreale			
Weekly Offerings		Attendance	
Regular collection 7/13	\$ 1490	7/16	20
Fuel & Maintenance	\$ 120	7/20	108

First Sunday Food Pantries Collection

Holy Mother & Child collects 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! If you would like to donate a Gift Card for the raffle, please bring it to the office or give to Donna Balcom by JULY 27.

Donations of food for the Food Sale would be appreciated. Call Marie Sadler 518-654-7811 or Lorie VanAuken 518-654-8490. Food sale items should be dropped off at 8:30 am the morning of the food sale

Items for the Garage Sale can be brought to the Parish Center at any time during the hours that the office is open. If you need someone to pickup your items, call Louise Carney 518-260-9590 or the office at 518-654-2113.

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 date is August 17th.