

27th Sunday of Ordinary Time

October 8, 2023



God Our Creator, fill us with your Beauty; may the winds of your Spirit raise us up and send us forth

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Saturday Vigil Mass - 4:00PM  
Sunday Mass - 11:00 AM  
Weekday Mass - 9:00 AM on Tuesdays

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Saturday Vigil Mass - 5:45 PM  
Sunday Mass - 9:00 AM

## Liturgy Schedule

### Saturday

**October 7, 2023 - 4:00 PM**

✠ Kay Coppola  
By: Her Family

### Sunday

**October 8, 2023 - 11:00 AM**

✠ Roy Overholt  
By: Joan Williams

### Tuesday

**October 10, 2023 - 9:00 AM**

✠ Jack Machin  
By: Bill & Kris Zedaker

### Saturday

**October 14, 2023 - 4:00 PM**

✠ Avery, Grace Wilson & Family  
By: Their Family

### Sunday

**October 15, 2023 - 11:00 AM**

✠ Ronald Hawes  
By: Jackie & Peter Bittner

### Tuesday

**October 17, 2023 - 9:00 AM**

✠ Daniel Raymo  
By: Parishioners of OLF

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### **Weekly Donations**

9/25/23—10/1/23

Candles	\$25
Collections	\$3,418

**Thank you for your generous contributions!**

### **This week at Our Lady of Fatima...**

Date	Event	Time	Place
10/9	Friendship Café	11:00 AM - 1:30 PM	Hall
10/10	Mass	9:00 AM	Church
10/11	Friendship Café	11:00 AM - 1:30 PM	Hall
10/13	Friendship Café	11:00 AM - 1:30 PM	Hall
10/14	Mass	4:00 PM	Church
10/15	Mass	11:00 AM	Church

### **WEEKEND MINISTRY SCHEDULE**

#### Saturday, Oct 7

##### **LECTOR**

Mary Ann Conway

##### **EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS**

Ruth Kulesa  
Paul Reveal

#### Sunday, Oct 8

##### **LECTOR**

Josephine Errichetto

##### **EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS**

Kris Zedaker  
Jose Flores  
Colleen Dewey

##### **COUNTERS**

Noel Luby  
Joe Oehler  
Janet Ingro

#### Saturday, Oct 14

##### **LECTOR**

Paul Reveal

##### **EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS**

John Hochmuth  
Ruth Kulesa  
Mary Ann Conway

#### Sunday, Oct 15

##### **LECTOR**

Pat Van Slyck

##### **EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS**

Addie Breitenstein  
Noel Luby  
Josephine Errichetto

##### **COUNTERS**

Ronna DeLuke  
Josephine Errichetto  
Nancy Chrinian



### Please pray for our sick and homebound

Ken Chrinian, Robin Bunnell, John Miller, George Tallman, Paul Reveal, Ron Fagan, Jack Finn, Frank Alberti, Kathleen Valvo, Dennis Corbett, Bella Stuart, Charlotte Marks, Joan Williams, Lorraine Duffy, Carolyn Terrell, Mary Brewer, Diane McCulloch, Mary Ganley, Jeff Stuto, Bill Tindale, Corrie Keller, Logan Keller, Rich Keller, Jean Frisbee, Steve Mormando, Don Uvegas and Jean Collins.

**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.

**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 e-mail him at jamesakeller@msn.com. From our lips to God's ears. Give your concerns to God and join your parish family in faith and love.

### **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.

### An Evening Psalm of Inventory

As Earth turns outward into space  
and the light fades into turquoise,  
I step aside to inventory  
the thoughts, words and deeds of my day.

I carefully scan today in the light  
of the far-flung dimensions of the universe.  
Have I failed this day by shrinking its vastness  
to the narrow limits  
of my life, my needs and desires?  
Has the smallness of that space  
caused my heart to contract as well?

Have I failed to view my work  
against the cosmic background of my mission  
as a co-explorer and co-creator with God?  
Has my limited view of the scope of life  
given me permission to fill my time  
with negative thoughts and careless assumptions?  
Have I judged as insignificant  
the needs of other members of our earth-ship crew?

Guided by a wider vision of my responsibilities,  
as well as our common duties and destinations,  
I now take inventory of this completed day  
assisted by your Spirit, O God.

Mindful that you have already forgiven and pardoned me  
the very moment I had forgotten who I am,  
the moment I had forgotten who we are  
and where we are traveling together,  
I give you thanks, O Sacred Mystery,  
Gracious God who forgives so unconditionally.

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### Cider and Donuts

The Knights of Columbus invite everyone to join our celebration of Columbus Day with free Carrot Barn cider and donuts after both Masses this week end

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### Diocesan Appeal

Contribution forms and envelopes have been mailed out to parishioners. This is for the new appeal which begins right now. Thank you for your generosity

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### Night Terror Haunted House

Night Terror Haunted House, Rte 7, Schoharie, Friday October 20.  
We will meet in their parking lot at 7:30 PM for a frightfully fun evening. All ages welcome. Cost is \$ 5.00

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### Beatitudes of Christian Living

**"Imagine what our real neighborhoods would be like if each of us offered, as a matter of course, just one kind word to another person." ~ Mr. Rogers**

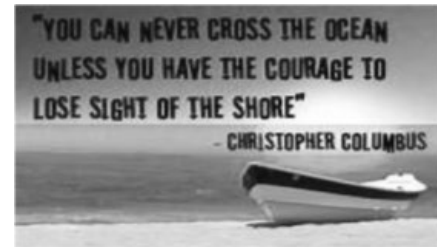
Each of us is loved by God and we are here on earth to make a difference in the world, through our family, friends, neighbors and community. He calls upon us to love, care and be kind to all people.



**Please pray for our candidates to be confirmed,** (Santino Bailey, Deniz Okayay, Tyler Castle and Matthew Newvine) on Dec 4, at St. Madeleine Sophie Church.

**Book Club discussion** preparing for Advent will begin after the 9AM Mass on Tuesday, September 26 at the OLF Center. Book: Light of the World by Amy-Jill Levine. Sign-up sheets will be available in the back of the church.

Please note that the **Liturgy of the Word newsletter** is available for our young disciples' grades 1 – 5. They are in plastic bags with crayons that can be used during Mass. Please return plastic bags and crayons and take the newsletter home to go over with your children to review each Sundays' Mass message.



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### It's Beginning to Look A lot Like.....

#### Our Christmas Schedule

##### Sunday, December 24th

4:00 PM Mass at Our Lady of Fatima

6:30 PM Mass at Our Lady of the Valley

##### Monday, December 25th

9:00 AM Mass at Our Lady of the Valley

11:00 AM Mass at Our Lady of Fatima

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### You Count !

Every October, our Diocese Counts every person in every pew in every Church at every Mass. This helps in planning wisest use of our resources and how best we can worship together.

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### Volunteers Needed

Schenectady County is looking for volunteers to deliver meals to the shut ins., in Duanesburg/Delanson area. If you are interested please call (518) 382-8481 Ext 1304 to sign up

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### Register Now for The NYS Eucharistic Congress

Catholics from across New York State are planning to come together at Our Lady of Martyrs Shrine in Auriesville on October 20 - 22, 2023 to celebrate the real presence of Our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ in the Eucharist. The Congress will feature inspiring talks, Mass, Eucharistic adoration, opportunities for confessions, inspiring music and more. For details and to register (**EVERYONE ATTENDING MUST REGISTER**), log onto <https://nyseucharisticcongress.org>.



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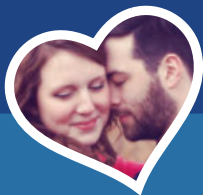
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