

Join in the dance



July 13, 2025
15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Saturday Vigil Mass - 6:00 PM

Sunday Mass - 9:00 AM

Wednesday - 9:00 AM

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

Liturgy Schedule

Saturday

July 12, 2025 - 4:00 PM

✠ George Tallman - By: Kim & Linda Balfour

Sunday

July 13, 2025 - 11:00 AM

✠ Eileen Cesca - By: Margaret O'Connor

✠ John Knoll - By: Mike & Colleen Dewey

Tuesday

July 15, 2025 - 9:00 AM

✠ Bob Spires - By: Mary Brusoe

Saturday

July 19, 2025 - 4:00 PM

✠ Nichols, McGraw & Ingro families - By: Janet Ingro

✠ Madeleine Hebert - By: Kim & Linda Balfour.

Sunday

July 20, 2025 - 11:00 AM

✠ Paul Howard - By: Pastoral Council

Tuesday

July 22, 2025 - 9:00 AM

✠ Patrick Reed - By: Peg O'Connor

Beatitudes of Christian Living

"My whole strength lies in prayer and sacrifice; these are my invincible arms; they can move hearts far better than words." ~ St. Therese of Liseux

God's love for us is so wonderful. Live each day with God at the center of our hearts and prayers.

Please Pray for our Sick and Homebound

Dennis Corbett, Jeff Stuto, Deacon Larry, Addie Breitenstein, Jean Jonker, David Ciantetta, Janine Dowling, Corrie Ann Keller, Richard Kennedy, Rami, and Patrick

This week at Our Lady of Fatima...

Date	Event	Time	Place
7/13	Friendship Café	11:00 am - 1:30 pm	Hall
7/15	Mass	9:00 am	Church
7/16	Friendship Café	11:00 am - 1:30 pm	Hall
7/18	Friendship Café	11:00 am - 1:30 pm	Hall
7/19	Sausage w/Onions & Peppers	12:00 pm	Hall
7/19	Mass	4:00 pm	Church
7/20	Mass	11:00 am	Church

Summer Prayer and Fun

Kateri Tekakwitha Day Prayer and Native American Dinner

- Monday, July 14, 6:30 PM - OLV - Hall. In honor of Kateri of the Mohawks

Knights of Columbus

- Saturday, July 19, 12:00 PM until sold out - Sausage W/Onions and Pepper Sandwich Drive Through. Cost is \$7.00. Proceeds will benefit our Works of Mercy.

All Aboard! Catskill Mountains Train Ride

- Sunday, August 3, leaving OLV at 1:15 PM, train ride from Rt 28 in Arkville along the Delaware River. Cost is \$10. per person. There will be a BBQ after the train ride. Please RSVP by July 28 to either office.

Assumption Feast Day Mass and Picnic

- Friday, August 15, 6:00 PM at Fox Creek Park, Schoharie. We celebrate the harvest of God. Hot dog BBQ also.

Mission Weekend

- Saturday, August 30 & 31. We support the work of our Church in Haiti.

Summer Savoring Walks

- Friday, September 12 at 5:30 PM Landis Arboretum, Esperance. A leisurely walk along ponds, woods and unique trees.

WEEKEND MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Saturday, July 12	Saturday, July 19
LECTOR Jeannette Coppola EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS John Hochmuth Linda Snow Mary Ann Conway	LECTOR Mary Ann Conway EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS Cindy Wright Jeannette Coppolo Dianne Church
Sunday, July 13	Sunday, July 20
LECTOR Janet Korwan EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS Kris Zedaker Noel Luby COUNTERS Janine Dowling Janet Ingro Kris Zedaker	LECTOR Pat VanSlyck EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS Peg O'Connor Jose Flores COUNTERS Fred Crisafulli Julie Ann Crisafulli

A Summer Morning Prayer

Blessed are you, Creator of the Universe. After a night of viewing the moon and a million stars, our earth turns so that we might look with wonder upon a single star, the sun. Large and orange it appears, as in turquoise twilight the sunrise leaves behind the darkness of space at dawn. Silent and golden, the rising sun fills the new summer day. May I, in a fullness of silence, a silence that leaves no room for fear, be one with you.

Your love, O God, has been my tent this past night. As this new day begins in that love, may I taste your tenderness and care. Full-bodied and green are the leaves of trees that know no five-day week. Their labors ceaselessly create oxygen as a free gift for all, so that life might abound on this small green planet. May I also labor tirelessly to create a world of peace and harmony so that life may abound. I pray now for these intentions: _____.

Whatever this day holds for me, may I embrace it as sacrament and gift. In play or work, may I ever travel the pilgrim's path to you, O God. Restrain my desire to rush eagerly from one task to another. Slow me down that I may not miss the mysteries of your presence hidden in this warm summer day.

I bow before you, Divine Father, Holy Mother,
Eternal Source of my existence.
Your heart is my home,
from you I have come
and to you I journey this day. Amen

Yes, You Can!

We need you to share Eucharist as a Minister of Communion with our people at Mass or to our homebound parishioners at their residence. And yes you can do this important and vital ministry. Please see Fr. Tom Zelker or call our office. You are most appreciated.

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.

	6/28 - 6/29	7/5 - 7/6
Candles	\$ 47.00	\$ 72.00
Collections	\$ 4,688.40	\$ 3,991.40
Thank you for your contribution		



GIFT: The Summer Season of Service brochure is now available. Families are invited to volunteer and illustrate their experience for our Gift session.

Opportunities include volunteering to help with the food pantry at Our Lady of Fatima, to serve food at the Summer lunch programs at Middleburgh HS and Presbyterian Church in Schoharie, organize and/or deliver food to families through the backpack program or accompanying Frank and I with Meals on Wheels. Emails will be sent out to families to volunteer shortly.

Also there is a link to volunteer at the City Mission (for information, click on <https://citymission.com/volunteer/>)

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 Sunday's Mass message.

The Sacristy Lamp burns this week in loving memory of
Anthony & Antoinette Rea
Requested by Jo Errichetto & family

Continuing On

Thank you for your ongoing support of our parish and our Christian Ministries. Yet cost arising. Please take care of your medical, food heat and family needs. If you could help out each week with an extra dollar, or two, or even five it would keep our parish stable and thriving.

Summer Ordinary Time

Our worship space is simpler yet noble. Our prayer relaxes from the intensity of Easter. Yet we celebrate our sharing in the mission of Jesus, with God's Spirit enthusing us.

Our Glory to God is the ancient chant "Gloria, in excelsis Deo, Alleluia." The response to the Hebrew Scripture is Psalm 34 "Taste and see, O taste and see the goodness of God." The word of the Lord nourishes us in boundless faith. The joyous Celtic Alleluia leads us to the Gospel. And when we, gather at Table we proclaim "When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, we proclaim your Death, O Lord, until you come again. As Church, the Sacred People of God, we seek to embrace the Cross of the world, of our sisters and brothers with faith in God's life giving Love.

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