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July 20, 2025
16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Sunday Mass - 11:00 AM

Tuesday - 9:00 AM

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Saturday Vigil Mass - 6:00 PM

Sunday Mass - 9:00 AM

Wednesday - 9:00 AM

Office Hours:

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

Liturgy Schedule

Saturday

July 19, 2025 - 4:00 PM

† Deceased members of the 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 Reen - By: Peg O'Connor

Saturday

July 26, 2025 - 4:00 PM

† Deceased members of Hebert, Cashdollar, Weir and Dudek Families - By: Kim & Linda Balfour

† Patricia Seuling - By: Doris Madison & Irene Hayes

Sunday

July 27, 2025 - 11:00 AM

† Ralph Nocera - By: Corrie Hoffman

Tuesday

July 29, 2025 - 9:00 AM

† For those affected by the recent flooding

Mass at Kingsway

We will be celebrating the Eucharist at Kingsway on Tues. Aug 12 at 2:00 and 3:00 PM If you can help out please contact the office.

Beatitudes of Christian Living

"If we love Jesus, we shall be loved in return by Him, and that is perfect happiness." ~ St. Rose Philippine Duchesne

We are truly blessed by the love of Jesus. His love for us brings great joy and happiness each and every day.

This week at Our Lady of Fatima...

Date	Event	Time	Place
7/21	Friendship Café	11:00 am - 1:30 pm	Hall
7/22	Mass	9:00 am	Church
7/23	Friendship Café	11:00 am - 1:30 pm	Hall
7/25	Friendship Café	11:00 am - 1:30 pm	Hall
7/26	Mass	4:00 pm	Church
7/27	Mass	11:00 am	Church

Summer Prayer and Fun

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.

Please Pray for our Sick and Homebound

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

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.

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.

7/12 - 7/13

Candles	\$ 44.00
Collections	\$ 2,688.40

Thank you for your contribution

Help for Texas

Many have been asking how they can help our brothers and sisters in Texas as they struggle to recover from deadly flash floods. At least 120 deaths have been confirmed and more than 100 people are still missing. Recovery will take time.

Catholic Charities USA has set up a relief fund and you can find a donation link on its website <https://www.catholiccharitiesusa.org/>. It says 100% of donations go directly to helping survivors. If you prefer to write a check, you can send it to Catholic Charities, Albany with Texas in the memo. The address is Catholic Charities of the Dioceses of Albany, 40 North Main Ave., Albany, NY 12203.

May the world meet Christ in each of us.

Yours in Christ,
Bishop Edward Scharfenberger

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.

WEEKEND MINISTRY SCHEDULE	
Saturday, July 19	Saturday, July 26
<p>LECTOR Mary Ann Conway</p> <p>EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS Cindy Wright Jeannette Coppolo Dianne Church</p>	<p>LECTOR Joe Oehler</p> <p>EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS Linda Snow Mary Ann Conway Dianne Church</p>
Sunday, July 20	Sunday, July 27
<p>LECTOR Pat VanSlyck</p> <p>EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS Peg O'Connor Jose Flores</p> <p>COUNTERS Fred Crisafulli Julie Ann Crisafulli</p>	<p>LECTOR Santino Bailey</p> <p>EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS Christie Hennessey James Keller Raquel Okyay</p> <p>COUNTERS Karen Hawes Nancy Chrinian Kris Zedaker</p>



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 on 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.

Front Steps

No more caution tape! The front steps to the Church have been repaired

Many hands make light work.....

We need help weeding around each of our buildings. If you can help, please contact the office

Personal Care Items

Next week end July 27th, will be the last week end for collecting personal care items for our food pantry and the Works of Mercy.

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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