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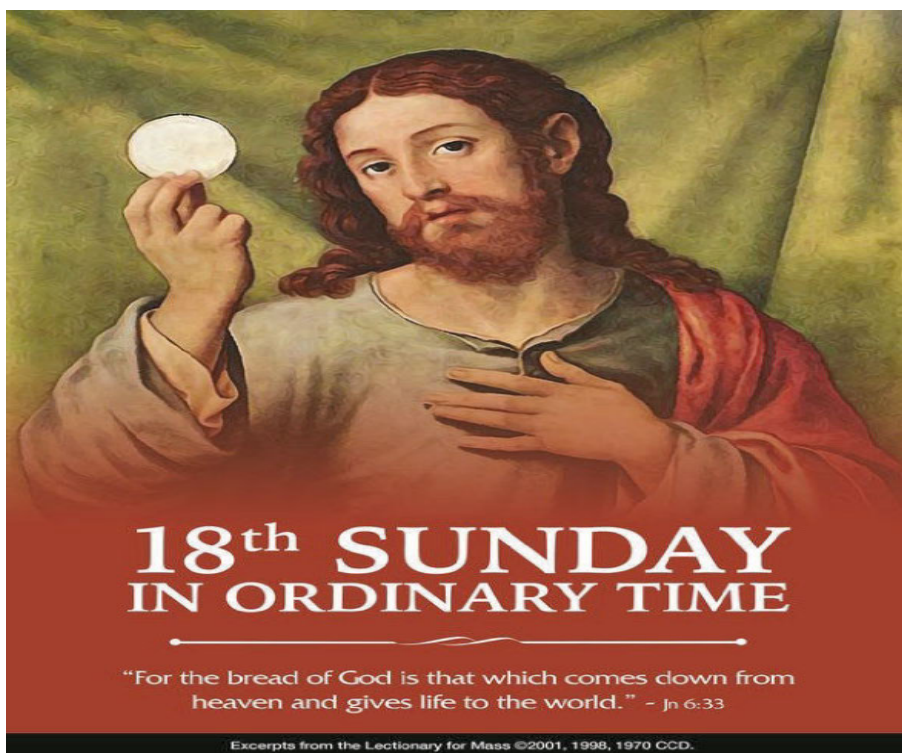
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Please send all questions, & inquiries in regards to
Family of the Holy Cross Pastoral Network to the
above email, please or call 315-866-6373.

Information, updates and cancellations from all
four parishes will be on our Facebook page:

<https://www.facebook.com/familyoftheholycross>

EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME—AUGUST 4, 2024



Sacramental Information for all of our Churches

To make arrangements, please contact Parish Office @315-866-6373

Reconciliation

After Mass and By Appointment

Matrimony

Please contact Parish Office @ 315-866-6373 six months in advance. One year for those who are under the age of 21. Pre-Cana is expected. Wedding dates are scheduled after meeting with the Pastor

Anointing of the Sick

Can be administered at any stage of a person's illness. If possible, one should not wait until someone is near death before requesting anointing. To schedule please call Parish Office 315-866-6373.

Baptism & RCIA

Call Maria Fiorentino—Faith Formation Coordinator 315-866-6373

ALL ARE WELCOME!



Blessed Sacrament Church

71 East Main St. Mohawk, NY 13407
<https://parishes.rcda.org/BlessedSacramentMohawk/>

Mass Schedule

Sunday—8:00 a.m.

Reconciliation

After Mass and By Appointment

Trustees

Jim Walczak
 Erin View

BLESSED SACRAMENT CHURCH

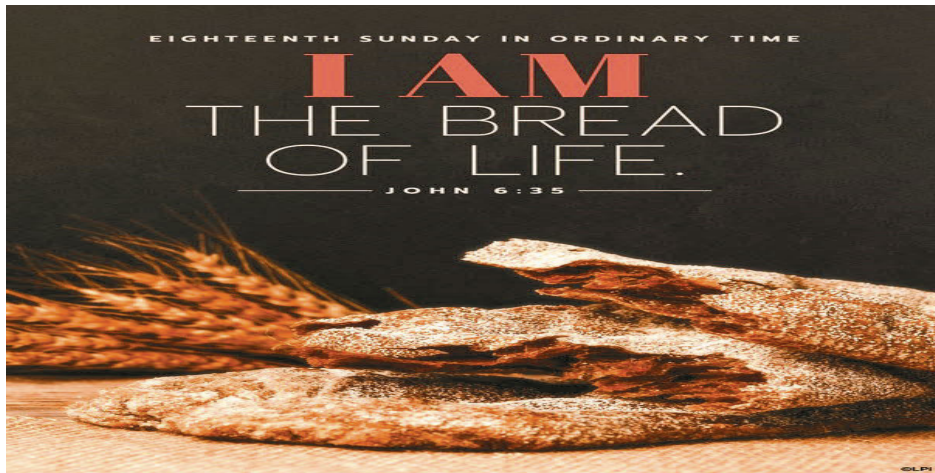
MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, August 4th—Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 am—Maureen Saunders	Req. Ellen & Bob Culver
Chip Williams	Req. Denise & Family
Ruth LaPorte	Req. The Dunn Family
Lyle Aney	Req. The Dunn Family
Bernard White Jr.	Req. Wife

Sunday, August 11th —Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 am—Bernard White Jr.	Req. Wife
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ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST CHURCH



St. Johnthe Baptist Church

7514 N. Main St. Newport, NY 13416
<https://parishes.rcda.org/StJohnsNewport>

Mass Schedule

Sunday—11:00 a.m.

Reconciliation

After Mass and By Appointment

Trustees

Steven Lane

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, August 4th—Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

11:00 AM—Presider's Intention

Sunday, August 11th—Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

11:00 AM—Presider's Intention



FAMILY OF THE HOLY CROSS

A CATHOLIC COMMUNITY OF CHURCHES



Please welcome at all Masses this weekend Father Sony Joseph Pottenplackal.

Father Sony resides at the Salesian Community of 8th St., Monrovia and coordinates projects on behalf of disadvantaged young people and also assists

in the pastoral ministry at St. Joseph Parish. Our second collection this weekend at all Masses will be for the Salesian Mission



The Family of the Holy Cross Pastoral Network Office will be having Summer Office Hours for July and August. The office will be only opened on Monday & Wednesday from 9:00 am—1:00 pm. When the office is closed on Tuesday & Thursday, please call—315-866-6373 or email—familyoftheholycross@gmail.com from 9:00 am—1:00 pm and someone will get back to you by the end of the day.



The rosary is sometimes called the Gospel in miniature because the mysteries cover many of the main events in the lives of Jesus and his mother Mary. By thinking about these mysteries, we are meditating on some of the most important messages of Christ in the Gospels. Please join us in praying the rosary **Tuesday, August 6th at 7:00 pm, at St. Francis.** During the months of May and Oct. we will meet each Tuesday. Prayer is the pathway to union with God. It makes us better people and helps us to gain inner peace. Please join us.



The Food Banks are looking for hygiene items for the month of August (ie soap, shampoo, disposable, washcloths, toothpaste.)

If you are **New** to our network and would like to register to one of our parishes, please fill out the form below. **Current parishioners** please use the form below if you would like to update your information on file. Please complete and drop the form in the collection basket or mail it to the network office.

Family of the Holy Cross Pastoral Network Office

228 S. Main St.

Herkimer, NY 13350

Please call the office at 315-866-6373 with any questions.

Please check one: New Registration _____

Updating info _____

Name of Church you wish to register to or update info:

Name: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____

Would you like to receive envelopes? _____

Would you like to receive The Evangelist? _____



We are in the process of making out the new schedules for Sept. & Oct. for all Sacristans, Eucharistic Ministers, Lectors & Altar Servers.

Please let us know the dates that you are **NOT** Available for during Sept. & Oct. Send your request to: familyoftheholycross@gmail.com

Thank you for your support & services.



The Family of the Holy Cross Pastoral Network needs volunteers for every church in our network.

If you can give just a few hours a month or just one hour a month that would be great!

If we don't have volunteers, we don't have a community and if you don't have a community, then we don't have churches.

We are in need of Sacristans, Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers, Money Counters, Greeters, Members for our Welcoming, Hospitality, Cleaners & Funeral Committees.

Have we accidentally left you off the schedules? Please let us know if you have been accidentally left off the schedules and we will add you back on.

Please call 315-866-6373 or email:

familyoftheholycross@gmail.com if you can volunteer. We need your support. Thank you!

FAMILY OF THE HOLY CROSS
A CATHOLIC COMMUNITY OF CHURCHES



Annual Family of the Holy Cross
Faith Formation
Garage Sale

Saturday, August 10, 2024

9:00 am—4:00 pm

At St. Francis de Sales Church Hall

We are taking donations at St. Francis' Church Hall. You may drop off your items before Mass from 8:30 am to 9:30 am, and after Mass until 11 am. And also on Wednesdays from 9 am till noon. Boxes will also be placed at each church for smaller items.

We are not accepting any electronic items, baby clothes, clothing of any kind, shoes, purses DVD's or Videos

Clipboards are placed at each church for Bake Sale items and workers, as well as Garage Sale workers to set up, work, and tear down.

Thanks so much! Hope to see you there!!



Please remember you can put your envelopes into the collection basket at any of the churches and they will be delivered to the church marked on the front of the envelope. Also, if you don't have envelopes and would like to put cash/check into the collection basket for a specific church, please use an

envelope and put the name of the church on the front of the envelope. There are white envelopes in the vestibule of the churches. **Please make checks payable to the church that you are donating to and NOT to Family of the Holy Cross.**

Please remember that one dollar more in your envelope will help us greatly. Thank you!

Mass Intention Request

Need a Mass Intention? Fill out the form below along with money/check **(please make check payable to the church you are requesting the Mass from)** and mail it to the office ,drop it off at the office, or put it in an envelope mark the front of envelope Mass Intention and place it in the collection basket. You may also email the parish offices and give all the information below and then mail a check to the network office or place the check/money in an envelope mark on the front of envelope payment for Mass intention with your name, church's name and put it in the collection basket. **Mass Intentions are \$15.00 per request. There will now be a limit of 6 Mass Intentions per Mass at every church.**

When requesting a Mass Intention please remember that Masses fill up fast so, please try to schedule in advance for specific dates.

Also, so we can accommodate others, please only one intention per form. **Please submit Mass Intentions 2 weeks in advance if you are requesting a specific date.**

Any questions please call 315-866-6373 or email:

familyoftheholycross@gmail.com

Church: _____

Intention: _____

Date Requested: _____

Requested by: _____

Phone #: _____

And email: _____

Would you like a Mass card sent: _____

If "yes"

Name of recipient: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

ST. FRANCIS DE SALES CHURCH

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, August 4th—Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:30 am—Larry DelGrego Req. Family
Jack C. Day Req. Family

Sunday, August 11th — Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:30 am—Theresa and Edson Schofield Req. Family



CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD

Children's Liturgy of the Word is every Sunday at 9:30 am Mass. Children will have the opportunity to attend the children's version of the Mass. Children will be called forward after the opening of the Mass to go downstairs to the church hall and hear the Scripture Readings and will return after the Homily. All children ages 3yrs. old—10 yrs. old invited to attend.

On Sunday, June 6, 1875, The first St. Francis de Sales Church on the corner of Green St. and Washington St. was dedicated. Next June we will celebrate the 150th anniversary St. Francis, an event worthy of a big celebration. We would like to get a committee together to plan such an event. If you are interested in helping, please call the office and leave your name, phone number, and email address (315-866-6373).



St. Francis de Sales Church

219 N. Bellinger St. Herkimer, NY 13350

<https://parishes.rcda.org/StFrancisdeSales/>

Mass Schedule

Sunday - 9:30 am

Reconciliation

After Mass and By Appointment

Trustees

Mark Ainsworth

Kristin Stallman

STS. ANTHONY & JOSEPH CHURCH

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, August 3rd—Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Vigil Mass)

4:00 pm —John Franco Req. Sylvia & Dina Madia
Tim Forbes (Birthday) Req. Cheryl Forbes
Antoinette Recchia Req. 3rd Order of St. Francis Society
Sullivan Family Req. Family
Mary Ann Millar Req. Angie Wiliczak

Saturday, August 10th — Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Vigil Mass)

4:00 pm—Holy Souls in Purgatory
Anne & Chet Scerra (Anniversary) Req. Family
Antoinette Recchia Req. Katie Nichols
Joseph & Marguerite Godlewski (Anniversary) Req. Cheryl Forbes
John Franco (Birthday) Req. Mr. & Mrs. Michael Aceto & Family



Sts. Anthony & Joseph Church

229 S. Main St. Herkimer, NY 13350

https://parishes.rcda.org/sts_anthony_joseph/

Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil Mass @ 4:00 PM

Reconciliation

After Mass and By Appointment

Trustees

Deborah Sweeney

Paul DeCeglie



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