PARISH NEWS

JANUARY 28, 2024

THE FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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Mass Intentions

Sunday, January 28 @ 8:30am
For Parishioners of the Parish
Wednesday, January 31 @ 12noon
For Parishioners of the Parish
Wednesday, January 31 @ 4pm -5pm
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
and Benediction
Sunday, February 4 @ 8:30am
For Parishioners of the Parish

Jean Ward by the family

Wednesday, February 7 @ 12noon

SUNDAY MASS

Our Mass time is now 8:30am. If you need to attend Mass at a different time, there is a 4pm Mass at St. Joseph's in Greenfield Center on Saturday afternoons, 10:30am at St. Joseph's and 12:30pm at St. Paul's in Rock City Falls on Sunday.

PARISH PARTNERS

St. Joseph's Parish
3159 Rte 9N
Greenfield Center, NY
518-893-7680
St. Paul's Church
771 Rte 29
Rock City Falls, NY
518-885-4877

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION/CONFESSION

Fr. Simon hears Confession every Saturday at St Joseph's Greenfield Center from 3:15pm to 3:45pm and Wednesdays after the 12 Noon Mass at Corinth

Parish Office Hours are:

Monday, Wednesday - Friday 8am - Noon.

518-654-2113

Rev. Simon Udemgba Ph.D., Parish Administrator

405 Palmer Ave

Corinth, NY 12822

MASS AVAILABLE ON YOUTUBE

We are excited to announce that our Sunday morning Mass is now available on YouTube. It is also available on the Holy Mother and Child facebook page. Just click on the Youtube link.

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCUtmH7wJ0FawlVbsW hLujSg/featured

FAITH FORMATION

Faith Formation will be held today, January 28th after Mass. On February 4th, there will be a Youth Mass at 8:30am and Religious Education to follow. The second session in February will be on February 11th. Any questions, please contact ffhmcc@rcda.org https://parishes.rcda.org/HolyMotherandChildParish/FaithFormation.php

LOOKING FOR AN ORGANIST

As you all know, our organist went off to college in the fall. Nancy Nevins has been helping since that time. Nancy would really like us to find someone to take over full time. If you know anyone who would be willing to play, please ask him/her to come to the office and get the information.

ADJUSTED DIOCESAN APPEAL NUMBERS

Our Diocesan Appeal number has been adjusted, and our annual assessment is now \$14,805. This is still less than it was in 2023. We are currently at \$9032.

Weekly Offerings

Week of 1/21/24

Regular: \$1536

Fuel & Maintenance: \$ 135

Attendance

BOTTLE COLLECTING

Paula Sautter will once again be collecting bottles all year long to support the Alzheimer's Association. If you would like her to pick up bottles at your house, just get in touch with her at 518-696-3864 or paula3333@roadrunner.com. She is willing to travel within a 40 mile radius to pick up your returnables. You can also bring them to church with you and put them on the side of the garage under the roof.

CARE PORTAL

As we set out to help more families in 2024, please join us in helping families in need. We need people to help shop for items such as clothing, diapers, and towels. We also need people to make deliveries of some of these lighter weight items, as well as help with delivery of heavier items such as furniture. Please contact Chris Fugazzi at 509-939-9084 or cmf.ugazzi@aol.com. Thank you and God Bless you in 2024.

EMAIL SCAM

Some parishioners are receiving emails that appear to be from Father Simon. THIS IS A SCAM!!! He will never solicit money from you via email. PLEASE DO NOT RESPOND TO THESE EMAILS.

COMMUNITY FREE LUNCH

St. Mary's Episcopal Church in Lake Luzerne will be hosting a Free Lunch on Saturday, January 27th from 12noon until 1pm. It is a wonderful opportunity to share a meal with our friends and neighbors.

FUEL AND MAINTENANCE COLLECTION

The first Sunday of the month there is a second collection for fuel and maintenance of our parish buildings. Thank you for your generosity with this collection

FOOD PANTRIES

We collect 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. There is a box at the back of the church

PRAYER SHAWL CABINET NOW FULL

Prayer Shawl Ministries provide comfort, peace and spiritual support through the creation of hand-crafted shawls for those in need. They can be for those who are ill as well as the caregivers who support them; others find their way to those who have suffered losses of all types. All embody a prayerful blessing and a warm embrace from those who make to those who receive.

At Holy Mother and Child Parish, we have a Prayer Shawl cabinet located in the Mary Chapel off the vestibule of the church. We have replenished the supply of completed shawls and they are now available for those who wish to gift someone with one.

When you take a shawl, please be sure to also take a prayer packet (you'll find them in the basket on the top of the cabinet.) We would also ask you to include the name of the recipient in the book provided so that these people can be remembered in prayer. Thank you.

"33 Days to Eucharistic Glory"

Come join St. Joseph's Parish this Lent on a Spiritual Pilgrimage as we learn the astonishing history of the Eucharist, meet the Saints who lived in Eucharistic Glory, and experience spiritual communion with God - all in an easy to follow day-to-day format. "33 Days to Eucharistic Glory" is the first-ever Eucharistic Consecration. Be one of the first people in history to walk this journey, and learn what it means to be filled with Eucharistic Glory. St. Joseph's has purchased 15 copies for those interested in participating. You can also order your own personal copy today at www.dynamiccatholic.com. Here is a brief excerpt from the book:

"Jesus waits for you in the Eucharist, in our tabernacles and monstrances, and on the altar at every Mass. His message to you is unmistakable. In a world where so many people feel unseen, unheard, and unworthy, Jesus generously proclaims: I see you. I hear you. I know you. You are worthy. I am with you. I care. I am yours. You are Mine. And this is His invitation: "Come to me, all you that are weary and are carrying heavy burdens, and I will give you rest." (Matthew 11:28)"

We will start our pilgrimage together on Wednesday February 21st at St. Joseph's, and consecrate ourselves to the Eucharist on Palm Sunday. Please contact Joe Varone if you have any questions atjvarone@earthlink.net

SAVE THE DATE

Sunday, February 4 Youth Mass 8:30am
Friday, February 16 Free Lunch 11:30am12:30pm
Saturday, March 9 First Reconciliation 1pm

If you are homebound or going into the hospital, please let us know if you would like communion or prayers. Please call the church office at 518-654-2113 with contact information for us to reach you or your caretaker.