

# PARISH NEWS

MARCH 24, 2024

## PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD



### Website:

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### Mass Intentions

Sunday, March 24 @ 8:30am

Dan Gately by his wife, Shawna  
William & Frances Cromie

By Bill & Cynthia Cromie

Wednesday, March 27

NO MASS

Saturday, March 31 @ 6pm

Easter Vigil

Sunday, March 31 @ 8:30am

Easter Sunday

The Resurrection of the Lord

Parish Office Hours are:

Monday, Wednesday – Friday 8am -Noon.

518-654-2113

Rev. Simon Udemgba Ph.D., Parish Administrator

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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/UCUtmH7wJ0FawIVbsWhLujSg/featured>

### FAITH FORMATION

Next Faith Formation Classes are April 7 and April 14. Any questions, please contact [ffhmcc@rcda.org](mailto:ffhmcc@rcda.org)

<https://parishes.rcda.org/HolyMotherandChildParish/FaithFormation.php>

### HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

Palm Sunday - March 24 Procession from Parish Center to Church 8:15 am. Mass to follow at 8:30 am

Holy Thursday - March 28 Mass at Greenfield Center 7:00 pm

Good Friday - March 29 Rock City Falls 7:00 pm

Holy Mother & Child 12:00 noon - Corinth Community Churches Luncheon.

Stations at 1:30pm

Easter Vigil - March 30 - Corinth at 6:00 pm.

Easter Sunday - March 31 - 8:30 am at Corinth

### FIRST RECONCILIATION

We want to congratulate the following children for making their First Reconciliation on March 9<sup>th</sup>. They are preparing for their First Communion on May 5<sup>th</sup>: Jocelynn Rose Trombley Michael William Ghent, Molly Katherine Clothier, Gabriel James Spring, and Paityn Alicia Trombley. Please keep them in your prayers as they continue their preparation.

### 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

### HOLY WEEK CONFESSIONS

Fr. Simon will be in the Confessional on Good Friday:  
Holy Mother & Child from 10:00am to 12Noon  
St Joseph's from 1:00pm to 3:00pm  
St Paul's from 4:00pm to 6:00pm

Weekly Offerings

Week of 3/17/24

Regular : \$1568

Fuel & Maintenance: \$265

Second Collection: \$100

Attendance

3/13/24 @ 12 noon -28    3/17/24 @ 8:30am -94

ROAD PROJECT

The road project has begun. Palmer Ave is closed from Walgreens to The Star Bar. We will not be able to park on Palmer Ave in front of the church during this project. Our parking lot is reserved for people with limited mobility on Sundays. On Sundays, the construction company has prepared an area behind the church that we can use. They ask that we access that area by the Pine St. alley. We are also approved to use the Credit Union and the Operations Center parking lots for Sunday. There is also on-street parking on Oak St and below Dollar General.

At some point, the sidewalks will be removed. At that time, the Parish Center doors will be our entrance.

This is a challenging time for our parish, but the Contractor has committed to working with us as much as possible. We will keep you apprised as challenges arise.

ADJUSTED DIOCESAN APPEAL NUMBERS

Our Diocesan Appeal annual assessment is now \$14,805. This is still less than it was in 2023. We are currently at \$12,517. We still need \$2,288.

EASTER FLOWERS

There will be envelopes available in the pews to donate for Easter flowers. Please write your remembrance on the envelope. This is a great way to honor your deceased family members. Thank you in advance for your generosity.

BIRTHRIGHT THANK YOU

Thank you to parishioners that have put baby items in the bassinet in the back of the church. We've seen so many wonderful items recently. Birthright is always grateful to receive these. Holy Mother and Child is planning on having a parish breakfast this Fall to commemorate Respect Life month in October and benefit Birthright. So watch for sales on baby items! Birthright can always use items such as diapers, formula, baby wipes, and baby clothes up to one year of age. A list of items that Birthright can use will be published as we get closer to the date of the breakfast planned for this Fall. Thank you again for your amazing generosity!

BIBLE STUDY

There will be a Bible Study at Holy Mother and Child Parish in Corinth entitled "Easter, Season of Renewed Hope." We will be using the material from the Little Rock Scripture series which has been very popular in the past. All Bible Studies will take place on Wednesdays in the parish hall at 10:00 a.m. until 11:45 a.m. so participants will be able to also attend noon Mass. The dates for the Bible Study are April 10, 17 and 24. As always, if you cannot attend the Bible study but wish to follow along, books will be available for your use at home.

SCHOLARSHIP FORMS AVAILABLE

The Bethany Guild would like to announce that Scholarship forms for 2023-2024 school year are now available online at <https://parishes.rcda.org/HolyMotherandChildParish/> The application can be found under the Bethany Guild Scholarship tab. There will also be paper copies outside the church office. High school seniors (those graduating in June 2024) who are members of Holy Mother and Child Parish and who are planning to continue their education/training beyond high school, are encouraged to read over the scholarship requirements and consider filling out an application.

**APPLICATIONS ARE DUE TO THE SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE BY June 30th in the year of high school graduation.**

Please mail the application to the parish office at 405 Palmer Ave., Corinth, NY 12822 or deliver it during regular office hours. Thank you.

SAVE THE DATE

Friday, March 29	Good Friday Luncheon	12noon
Friday, April 19	Free Lunch	11:30am-12:30pm
Sunday, May 5	First Communion	8:30am Mass

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 caregiver.

