

Welcome to the Holy Roman Catholic Community of Holy Mother & Child St. Joseph's St. Paul's



405 Palmer Ave
Corinth, NY 12822

Mass times:
8:30 am Sunday
Noon Wednesdays



PO Box 547, 3159 Route 9N
Greenfield Center, NY 12833

Mass times:
4:00 pm Saturday
10:30 am Sunday
9:00 am Wednesdays



771 Route 29
Rock City Falls, NY 12863

Mass times:
12:30 pm Sunday
9:00 am 2nd Mondays

Phone: 518-654-2113
Email: HolyMCParish@gmail.com

**Parishes.rcda.org/
HolyMotherandChildParish**

Office Hours are:
8am -Noon Monday, Wednesday - Friday

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HolyMotherandChildParish

**Our Sunday 8:30 am morning Mass
can be viewed on Facebook or at
[https://www.youtube.com/
@holymotherandchildcorinth8851](https://www.youtube.com/@holymotherandchildcorinth8851)**

Phone: 518-893-7680

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StJosephsChurchGreenfieldCenter.org

Office hours are intermittent.
Margie Carroll, Pastoral Associate for Parish Administration
518-698-9000 or MACarroll@nycap.rr.com

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St. Joseph's Church - St. Paul's Mission

**Our Saturday 4 pm Vigil Mass
is recorded and shared by
Flocknote email on Sunday mornings.
Please visit our webpage to sign up**

Parish Administrator: Rev. Simon Udemgba, Ph.D. Simon.Udemgba@rcda.org

Easter

April 20, 2025

<i>At our Eucharistic Celebrations this week</i>	
<i>St. Joseph's 6:00 pm Saturday 4/19</i>	We remember Our Parish Family
<i>Holy Mother & Child 8:30 am Sunday 4/20</i>	We remember Our Parish Family
<i>St. Joseph's 10:30 am Sunday 4/20</i>	We remember Our Parish Family
<i>St. Paul's 12:30 pm Sunday 4/20</i>	We remember Our Parish Family
<i>St. Joseph's 9:00 am Wednesday 4/23</i>	Our parish remembers Joanne Carlow
<i>Holy Mother & Child Noon Wednesday 4/23</i>	We remember Our Parish Family

Dear Parishioner,

May the joy of the risen Lord be with you and all your loved ones. As I wish you Happy Easter, I want also to communicate with you some of the things going on in our family of parish community.

On Tuesday, April 8, 2025, we had a combined meeting of Pastoral Council, Finance Council, Trustees of St Joseph's parish along with three diocesan officials.

The meeting provided an opportunity for the diocese to share with us some information regarding the diocese as a whole and how some of this information affects our parish and parish group.

Particularly how it affects St Paul Church in Rock City Falls, as an integral mission of St Joseph's parish.

Most of the information shared is centered on low attendance and how this low attendance affects our financial sustainability. A surprising part of the presentation is the revelation that we have so many Catholic families living around us who are not actively involved in Church matters.

This provides a chance for us to reimagine a new way of evangelization that will help these families to come back to Church and to Jesus Christ.

Each of us can do something about this by inviting your neighbor, those that live around you that you encounter periodically to Church.

Make it a goal – to invite at least one person a week to Church.

We have to stay positive and find ways to reach out to those among us who are not going Church at this time.

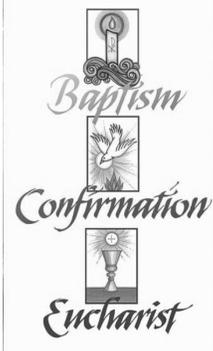
May God bless you as I thank you for being a member of our parish family and community.

Fr. Simon

Ministry Schedule	St. Joseph's 4/19 Holy Saturday 6:00 pm	St. Joseph's 4/20 Easter Sunday 10:30 am	St. Paul's 4/20 Easter Sunday at 12:30 pm
Greeters	The Kelly Family	Valerie Reside	K Zanella, H Mahar
Readers	Elizabeth Stano, Ed Stano, Monica Berrios-McKeon, Pauline Simon, Joan Scott, Wally Philips, Carol-Pacco-Long	Tina Zakrzewski	Cody & Kateri Sargen
Communion Ministers	Frank Hansen Monica Berrios-McKeon	Tina Zakrzewski, Sharon Avery	~~~~~
Counters	~~~~~	TBD	~~~~~

SJ & SP PRAYER & WORSHIP
 Ministry Schedules: Monica Berrios-McKeon,
 MonicaBerriosMcKeon@yahoo.com
 Prayer Line: Pauline Simon 518-893-7240
 PaulineS3159@gmail.com,

SJ & SP CHRISTIAN OUTREACH
 Chairperson: Janet Singer 893-7342 j_bsinger@hotmail.com
 Greenfield Food Pantry at Greenfield Community Center
 ECHO Food Pantry at St. Paul's Church
 Call the Parish Office for more information



We welcome Amy C. Esposito into the Catholic Church!
 After completing the required periods of evangelization, catechesis, election, purification and enlightenment,
Amy will receive the sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist at the Easter Vigil Mass on April 19th!

Through this final step, the elect, receiving pardon for their sins, are admitted into the people of God. They are graced with the adoption as children of God and are led by the Holy Spirit into the promised fullness of time begun in Christ and, as they share in the Eucharistic sacrifice and meal, even to a foretaste of the kingdom of God. (RCIA #206).

Please congratulate Amy if you have a chance and personally welcome her into our parish family!

SJ & SP BUILDINGS & GROUNDS
 Chairperson: Mark Vanasdale, vanasdalemark@gmail.com

Spring Cleaning Help Needed!
 Many tasks in our parish are accomplished by volunteers. This certainly allows our monetary contributions to go further. The Buildings & Grounds Committee could use extra hands for our Spring Cleanups! Please bring a rake & blower if you have one. Coffee & donuts will be served

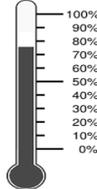


Saturday, April 26th 9 am - 1 pm- St. Paul's
Saturday, May 3rd 9 am - 1 pm- St. Joseph's

SJ & SP FINANCE
 Chairperson: Dawn Rodecker: DRodecke@nycap.rr.com



2024-2025 Diocesan Appeal
 Goal \$31,391
 Raised as of 4/10 \$24,681



Your gifts to the Diocesan Appeal will help fund dozens of ministries, programs and offices of the diocese.

SNACpack
Saratoga Nutrition Assistance for Children
 In conjunction with our Faith Formation students, Christian Outreach is collecting food through April for this weekly backpack program that sends home food to students (in a backpack) in the Saratoga Springs School District year round! It is supported entirely by donations. Currently they feed approximately 280 children throughout the Saratoga Springs School District (grades K-12) weekly, who do not have enough food to sustain them over the weekends.
Each backpack includes...
 2 breakfast items: cereal, oatmeal packets, graham crackers, granola bars
 3 entrées : mac & cheese, PB & J, Spaghetti Os, tuna, soup, etc.
 A loaf of bread
 Milk card for a gallon of milk (when available)
 Fresh fruits and 2 juice boxes (100% juice boxes)
 Canned vegetables
 2 snacks: cookies, popcorn, pudding, etc.
 Please place your donations in the labeled box at the church entrance.
 It costs \$13 for one backpack. Monetary donations can be placed in an envelope labeled SNACpack and dropped in any collection basket.



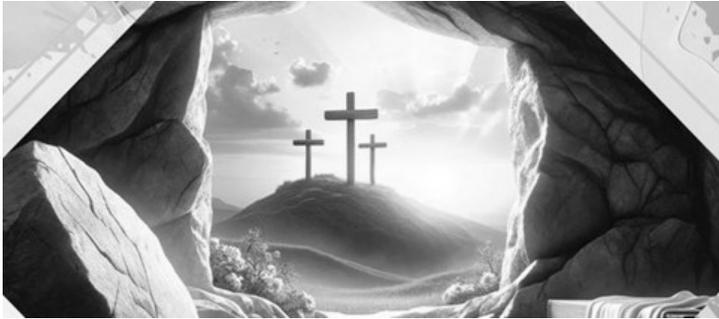
ROMAN CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF ALBANY

Diocese of Albany -- Step Up Men's Conference 2025
 The Diocese of Albany is hosting the Step Up Men's Conference on Saturday, August 9 from 8:15 AM to 3:30 PM at St. Edward the Confessor Church in Clifton Park. The Step Up Men's Conference will give men the tools needed to grow in holiness in their everyday lives. The event will include presentations from Deacon Harold Burke-Sivers and Fr. James Walsh, Reconciliation, Mass, Adoration, Rosary, refreshments, and lunch. The early registration cost is \$45. per person until July 31 and includes lunch. College age and younger men are FREE, but must register.

For more information and to register:
<https://www.rcda.org/StepUp>



Ministry Schedule	Easter Sunday 4/20 8:30 am	Wednesday 4/23 Noon
Ushers/Greeters	Chuck Rice and Gene Perry	~~~~~
Readers	Tim Murphy Carol Pacco-Long	Joan Scott
Communion Ministers	Host: Paula Sautter Wine: Fran Pickens	Wine: Jean Celeste
	Wine: Maureen Tagliaferro Choir: Chris Fugazzi	



Thank you for worshipping with us this Easter!

We welcome all our parishioners and their families, returning parishioners, newcomers, visitors and friends. We especially welcome seekers. If you are seeking a deeper relationship with the Risen Jesus, we invite you to visit our parish website at for information and resources, or call the parish office.

Thank you to everyone who contributed in making our Lenten Triduum (Holy Thursday, Good Friday, Holy Saturday) and Easter celebrations so beautiful and special.

Your participation enabled our community to experience God's presence in so many unique and wonderful ways!

On behalf of Fr. Simon, our staff and families, we wish you all a Blessed Easter Season.

ALL FAITH FORMATION

St. Joseph & St. Paul: Joe Varone jvarone@earthlink.net
 Holy Mother & Child: Maureen Tagliaferro fhmcc@rcda.org.



The next Faith Formation classes will be April 27

All Churches Special Collections

Rice Bowls

Please return your Rice Bowls by the end of April.

Easter Flower envelopes were included in the March envelope mailing if you would like to make a donation in memory or honor of a loved one. Please be sure to clearly fill out the information on the envelope and drop in any collection basket before Easter. Extra envelopes are on the table near the door.



PARISH PARTNERS' CALENDAR

Tue 4/22	1:30 pm	Bereavement Group meets at St. Joseph's
Wed 4/23	9:00 am	Morning Mass at St. Joseph's
	Noon	Mass at Holy Mother & Child
Sat 4/26	9am-1pm	Spring Cleanup at St. Paul's
	10:00 am	First Eucharist Retreat at St. Joseph's

HM&C FINANCE

Interim Chairperson: Chris Morreale

Weekly Offerings

Attendance

Due to the holiday early bulletin deadline, these reports will be delayed until next week.



Diocesan Appeal

2024-2025 Diocesan Appeal

We've exceeded our Assessment of \$12,992
 Raised as of 2/26: \$13,292
 We will receive 50% of any amount above our assessment.



HM&C PARISH LIFE



Easter Baskets

All children attending Mass at Holy Mother and Child at 8:30am on Easter Sunday will receive an Easter Basket. These baskets were donated by a parishioner. Go to the Parish Center after Mass to claim your basket.

Bake Sale...

to benefit the Community Crisis Fund on April 27th. The Community Crisis Fund is sponsored by the Community Council of Churches. This is our parish's way of contributing to that fund. Please bring your baked goods to the Parish center before the 8:30am Mass. Then come out to the sale in the Parish center Lobby after Mass. If you have any questions, please call Lorie VanAuken at 518-654-8490.



First Eucharist Breakfast

Sunday, May 4 After the 8:30am Mass

Blood Drive

Friday, May 9 12-5 pm at the Parish Center

NEIGHBORS & BEYOND

Senior Life Transition Program

A presentation was done at the First United Methodist Church about the Senior Life Transition Program. It is a program that matches volunteers to specific needs of our senior citizens so they can remain at home. They are currently looking to expand their program to northern Saratoga County. Volunteers are needed for this area. They have a training program at the Senior Center in Saratoga. They are also willing to do a presentation for any group interested in hearing about the program. There is literature about this program in the back of the church and the office lobby.