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315-866-6373

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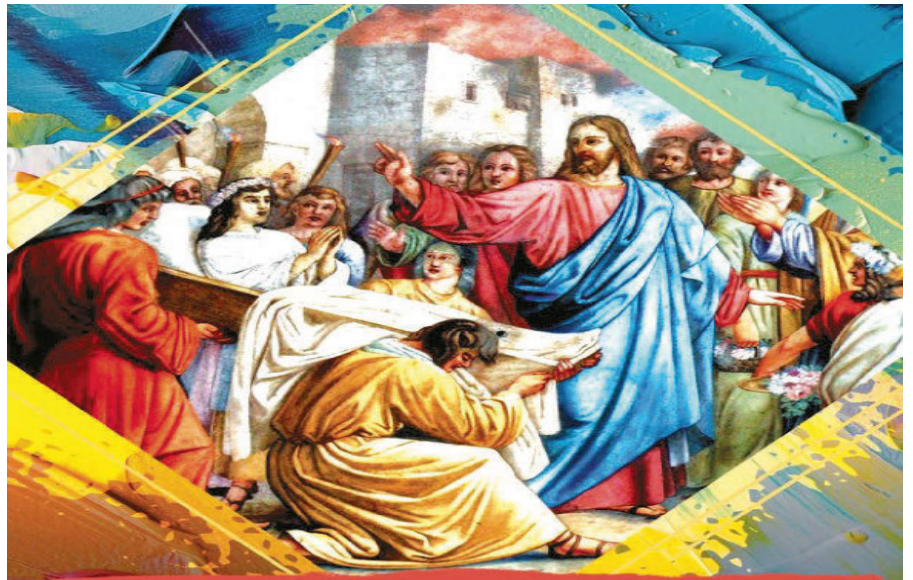
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Please send all questions, & inquiries in regards to
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above email, please or call 315-866-6373.

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four parishes will be on our Facebook page:

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

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME—JUNE 30, 2024



13TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

He took the child by the hand and said to her,
"Talitha koum," which means, "Little girl, I say
to you, arise!" - Mk 5:41

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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

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, June 30th—Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

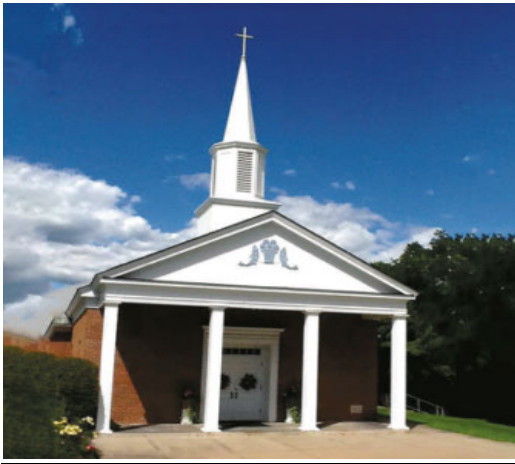
8:00 am—Ed Lynch
Kay Ciletti
Rose Mary Kane

Req. Wife
Req. Jennifer (Aney) Jones
Req. Eleanor Catlin

Sunday, July 7th—Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 am—Kay Ciletti
Ann M. Fahy
Ruth LaPorte
Cynthia O'Brien

Req. Kathleen Aney
Req. Family
Req. Denise Williams
Req. Family



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

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT

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On May 30, 2024, a meeting was held with the Blessed Sacrament Trustees, Finance Council and Pastoral Council Members. At this meeting it was voted on by Finance and Pastoral Council members to place the Blessed Sacrament Rectory up for sale. The Roman Catholic Diocese of Albany has given their approval to go ahead with the selling of the rectory.

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST CHURCH

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, June 30th—Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

11:00 AM—Helen McLean

Req. Conrad & Barbara

Sunday, July 7th —Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

11:00 AM—William Casper

Req. Conrad & Barbara



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
Brienne Slatton



FAMILY OF THE HOLY CROSS
A CATHOLIC COMMUNITY OF CHURCHES



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? _____



St. Francis de Sales School is continuing to enroll students for the 2024-2025 school year. Please call our school office to enroll your Pre-k 3, Pre-k 4, Kindergarten, or 1st Grader. You can schedule a tour when you call our school office!



So the food pantries have a special request for the month of June. They have enough tunafish, but not enough mayonnaise or miracle whip and they have enough peanut butter, but not enough jams and jellies. Please consider this as a special request, jams, and jellies mayonnaise, and miracle whip. Thank you!



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.

13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sin isn't given its due these days. Downplaying sin is dangerous. But there is also another spiritual misstep in which we make way too big a deal out of sin. It happens, for example, when we persistently wonder if our confessed sins are "really" forgiven, or suspiciously ponder what God "really" thinks about us, behind His merciful face. Or when someone returns to Church, and we question whether his or her conversion was genuine. Or when we commit some sin and put on a sad face for days, thinking, "Maybe my sins are too great for God to deal with." God save us from that attitude!

Well, he does just that, this week, in the raising of Jairus' daughter. The dead twelve-year-old's house is filled with a spirit of excessive moaning and groaning, tumultuous weeping and wailing. They even laugh at Jesus in a mocking tone. It's shocking how easy it is for him to raise the dead child. It is equivalent to gently waking a kid from a light nap. And then he sends her off to get some lunch. No big whoop. The overactive drama is actually part of the problem, and removing it is a key part of the miracle.

Friends, sin can and does kill, but Jesus is always ready and able to raise us back to life, often without much hullabaloo. His ease of forgiving should never be a pretext for presumption, minimizing sin, or taking lightly the cost he pays for our sins on the cross. But for God's sake, we often need Jesus to put out the weepers and wailers. He's the Lord. And remember, the girl is not dead, she's just sleeping.— Father John Muir ©LPI

FAMILY OF THE HOLY CROSS
A CATHOLIC COMMUNITY OF CHURCHES



Annual Family of the Holy Cross
Faith Formation
Garage Sale

Saturday, August 10, 2024

At St. Francis de Sales Church Hall

Many thanks to everyone who turned out for our first organizational meeting. It was well attended! But we still need helpers. Our next meeting will take place on July 10th, at 6:30 pm at the network office on South Main Street. We will start taking donations as of Sunday July 14th 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.

Thank You
FOR
GIVING
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GENEROUSLY

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, June 30th — Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:30 am—**Presider's Intention**

Sunday, July 7th—Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:30 am—**Michael Grant** Req. Sister, Melissa Reff

Please remember to mail all correspondence to 228 S. Main St. Herkimer, NY 13350. Mail is no longer delivered to 219 N. Bellinger St. and it takes awhile for it to be forwarded to the network office. Thank you!



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 call 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.



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, July 2nd 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

STS. ANTHONY & JOSEPH CHURCH

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, June 29th — Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Vigil Mass)

4:00 pm—**Vincent (Jim) Ocuto**

Req. The DeAngelis Family

Antoinette (Baggetta) Recchia

Req. Jim and Sharon Recchia

John Franco (Month's Mind)

Req. Roseann and John T. Franco

Karen Brittelli (Birthday)

Req. Irene and Jenna

Jemma Cancelino

Req. Evola Family

Wednesday, July 3rd—St. Thomas, Apostle

12:10 pm—**Holy Souls in Purgatory**

Saturday, July 6—Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Vigil Mass)

4:00 pm —**John Franco**

Req. Linda Sanita & Family

Morra Family

Req. Family

Jim Ocuto

Req. Peg Hyland

Anne Scerra (Birthday)

Req. Family

Francis Vennera (Anniversary)

Req. Vennera Family

Salvatore Baggetta (Anniversary)

Req. Jane Baggetta & Family



Sts. Anthony and Joseph Church Sanctuary Lamp is given in Memory of:

John Franco

Req. Linda Sanita & Family



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

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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