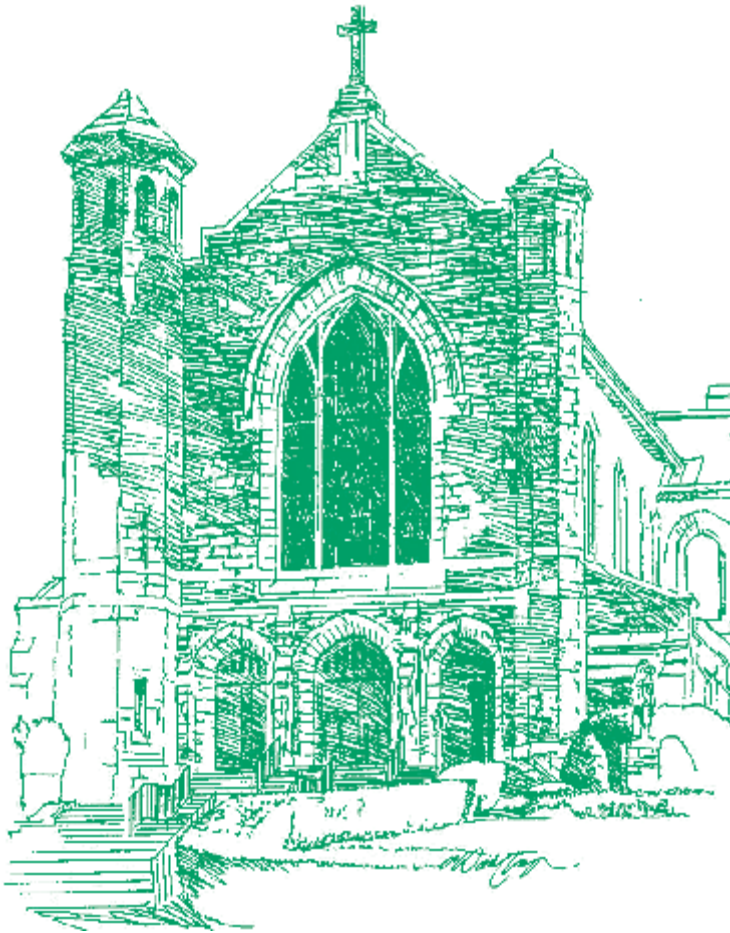


August 25, 2019



Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday: 7:15 to 7:35 a.m. and 3:00 to 3:45 p.m.

Sacrament of Baptism

Baptism of adults and youth follows the Church's traditional "Catechumenate," a gradual acquaintance with Catholic life leading to Baptism, Confirmation, and First Holy Communion at the Easter Vigil. Baptism of infants and pre-school children is celebrated on the third Sunday of each month at 1:00 PM (except during Lent), and at the Easter Vigil. Parents (or expecting parents) must be registered parishioners, call at least six weeks in advance, and participate in a brief parent preparation held regularly. Please call parish office for more information.

Sacrament of the Sick

In case of an emergency, at any time. Whenever someone is in the hospital, seriously ill, or confined at home, please notify the parish office.

Sacrament of Matrimony

Bride and groom must meet with the pastor at least one year before date and must present a recent baptismal certificate.

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Eucharistic Liturgies

Saturday: 4:00 p.m. (Fulfills Sunday Obligation)
Sunday: 8:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.
Weekdays: 7:45 a.m. (Monday through Saturday)
First Friday : 7:45 a.m.
11:00 a.m. (when School is in session)
Holy Days : 7:45 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.
Civic Holidays: 7:45 a.m.

Staff of St. Mary of the Assumption

Joe Senecal	Trustee
Gerry Brendese	Trustee
Ken Perrier	Sacristan - Sexton
Bette Swartfigure	Music Ministry
Jim Charles	Organist
Debbie Webster	Adult Education & Faith Formation

Parish Office Hours

Monday - Thursday • 8:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Closed on Friday

Parish Membership

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All adult parishioners should fully participate in parish life, be registered in the parish and support the parish. We often receive requests for sponsorship certificates for parishioners to serve as godparents and sponsors. If we do not know you, we cannot give such certification. The Church requires that Baptisms and Marriages be celebrated in one's own parish. Without parish registration, issues can arise at those important times. *When moving, please inform the parish office.*

St. Mary of the Assumption Parish
Served By The Augustinian Friars

TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY AUGUST 26

7:45 Rose Soulier Leo
 Anne Gabriel Sandy Stewart

TUESDAY AUGUST 27

7:45 Helen & Harvey Baillargeon Gerald & Barbara
 Clinton

WEDNESDAY AUGUST 28

7:45 Communion Service

THURSDAY AUGUST 29

7:45 Anna M. Wells Dr. Anne Marie Wells
 Vincent Bissell Family

FRIDAY AUGUST 30

7:45 Fred & Rosemary Searle Family
 Anne Gabriel Sean & Ann Denvir

SATURDAY AUGUST 31

7:45 Living & Deceased of Our Parish Family
 4 pm Edmund F. Becker Brother, Joe
 Dorilda Bissell husband

SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 1

8:00 Helen Guzy Kathleen
 Robert Soulier Family

10:30 Rose Soulier Leo
 Carmen Martinez Bernie
 Intentions of Marlita Paigo Barbara & John
 Dunbar

If you requested a Mass Intention and would like to bring up the gifts, please see an usher before the start of Mass.

ALTAR SERVERS & EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS NEEDED

We are in need of individuals to serve in our weekend celebrations. Please prayerfully consider serving, especially in those ministries where we are most in need. We have several servers who are unavailable over the summer months. If you are interested in becoming an Altar Server, please see our Sacristan, Ken Perrier. If you are interested in becoming a Eucharistic Minister, please see Fr. Kelley.

Sacrificial Giving

Offertory 8/11 \$ 5178
 Mission Appeal \$ 2585



*Thank you for your continued generous offerings.
 We are especially thankful to those who include gifts
 for the weeks they are unable to celebrate with us.*

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is the companion of wisdom.
 ST. AUGUSTINE

August/September

08/27 Feast of St. Monica
 08/28 Feast of St. Augustine
 09/02 Labor Day (Office Closed)
 09/06 Opening School Mass 11:00 am
 09/14 The Exaltation of the Holy Cross



St. Anne's Society will be collecting schools supplies for students at St. Mary's School.
 Items needed are:

9x12 construction paper Crayons (8, 24 or 48 ct.)
 #2 pencils Elmer's washable school glue
 Copy Paper Washable colored markers
 3x5 Index cards (ruled) Yellow highlighters (chisel tip)
 Stereo ear buds Hand sanitizer 8 oz w/ pump
 A collection box can be found in the back of church.

St. Mary's Choir will begin rehearsal for the 2019-2020 season on Thursday, September 12th at 7:00 p.m. in the choir loft. The choir cordially invites singers who wish to participate in and contribute to the beautiful liturgies of the church to join us.
 Rehearsals are every Thursday night from 7-9 p.m. We sing at the 10:30 mass on Sunday as well as other important feast days around Christmas and Easter.
 You are welcome to come up any Sunday after Mass if you have questions.

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FAMILY



We have still have Mass Intentions available for 2019.
 Stop by the parish office! **The 2020 book has been opened.**

Faith Formation Program News:

As we begin preparations for the coming years' Religious Ed Program, I would like to take this opportunity to announce a change in the program. After 10 years of dedicated service to the parish, Mrs. Keene Olmstead has decided to retire from her position as Faith Formation Director, a job she did very well. In her work here, Mrs. Olmstead did much more than oversee our Sunday Faith formation. Her initiatives included the annual Vacation Bible School, the Youth Group Ministry, as well as our RCIA program. And, of course, Mrs. Olmstead prepared the young men and women of St. Mary's for the Sacrament of Confirmation. I would like to extend my heartfelt thanks to Mrs. Olmstead for all her hard work and offer my wishes for a blessed retirement.

I am pleased to announce that Mrs. Debbie Webster has accepted the position of Religious Ed Coordinator here at St. Mary's. Mrs. Webster has over 30 years of teaching experience at St. Augustine's School and is excited to be assuming these responsibilities. Mrs. Webster will have the unique opportunity to work with families and students from St. Mary's and St. Augustine's parishes, as I have decided to combine the programs. Classes for all grade levels will continue to be held here at St. Mary's on same schedule as previous years. Registration forms for the faith formation program can be found on the parish website or in the back of church. Mrs. Webster can be reached at 518-237-3131 ext. 23.

We are blessed to be able to teach and share our Catholic faith with our children and look forward to seeing them in class in September!

Fr. Kelley

Catholic Central High School - Class of 1969 will hold a 50th Class Reunion on Friday, October 4, 2019 from 6 – 11 pm at the Franklin Terrace Ballroom, 126 Campbell Avenue, Troy, NY. For more information or to register, contact Linda Galuski at 518-237-8198 or go online to <http://www.troycchs1969.myevent.com>.

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Sandy Hagadorn
Gail Oliviere



TEAM 7
09/01
Garry & Sue Nathan
Carla Ward
John & Barbara Dunbar

HELP WANTED for one of St. Mary's Largest Fundraisers

Volunteers are needed to assist before and during the
September 14th Garage Sale.

Drop off of items will take place as follows:
Wed. 9/11, Thurs. 9/12 from 9 am-8 pm
Fri. 9/13 9 am—Noon

We will be accepting items in good, clean, saleable condition. Please no clothes, magazines, microwaves, t.v.'s or other electronic items.

If you would like to share your time and talent, but were unable to make the planning meeting, please fill out the information below, clip it out and drop it in the offertory or send it in to the parish office.

Questions? Call Gerry Brendese at 518.237.8296

Name _____

Phone _____

Email _____



Our food pantry is in need of:
Apple Juice, Grape Juice Cereal
Jelly Gravy
Paper Towels Cake Mix/Frosting
Mens & Womens Deodorant
Thank you for your continued generous support!

ST MARY OF THE ASSUMPTION MISSION STATEMENT

We, the parishioners of St. Mary of the Assumption located in Waterford, New York, are a Eucharistic-Centered community who bear witness to our faith by the celebration of the sacraments, by our ministries and by our devotion to the Blessed Virgin Mary. Through our many ministries, we offer praise to God and by our Christian service, we offer support and comfort to those in need. We strongly support Catholic education through our parochial school and faith formation program. We strive to grow in our love of God and to be good stewards of our time, talents and resources.

Please pray for all the sick and suffering and for anyone close to death; for those troubled in body, mind, or heart, and for their care givers in a special way: Ellen Sheehan, Rose Bix, Carol Travis, Anna Landor, Anna Papperman, Alexa Papperman, Marcia Trombly, Margaret Rose DeLucia, Robert Wittemann, Connie Laviolette, Muriel Smith, Renal Goulet, Patricia Komoroski, Jack Neumann, Mary Beth Woodard, Carol Hervieux-Potts, Althea Alger, Sandee Murphy, Irene Marra, Maria Pascarella, Robert R. White, Terry Coloney, Judith M Hervieux, Cathy Powers Vanina, Andrew Melville, Christopher Goyette, Dr. Miro Burjetka, Alice Lahue, Mike Campbell, Brady Sullivan, John Daly, Bill Dame, Barbara Plummer, Michael Clune, Mary Celeste Stephanowski, Maria Pascarella, Jacob Ward, Joan & George Fontaine, Patricia Herchenroder, Father Joseph Getz O.S.A., and Father John Byrnes, O.S.A.,

Please help us keep our list up to date, and call the office (518.237.3131) with any changes.



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