



# St. Mary of the Assumption

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## Parish Office Hours

**Office continues to be closed to visitors  
due to COVID 19**

**Monday - Thursday • 8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.**  
**Closed Friday •**

## Mass Schedule

**Saturday: 4:00 p.m. (Fulfills Sunday Obligation)**

**Sunday: 8:00 a.m.**

**Weekday Mass: 7:45 am every Tuesday morning**

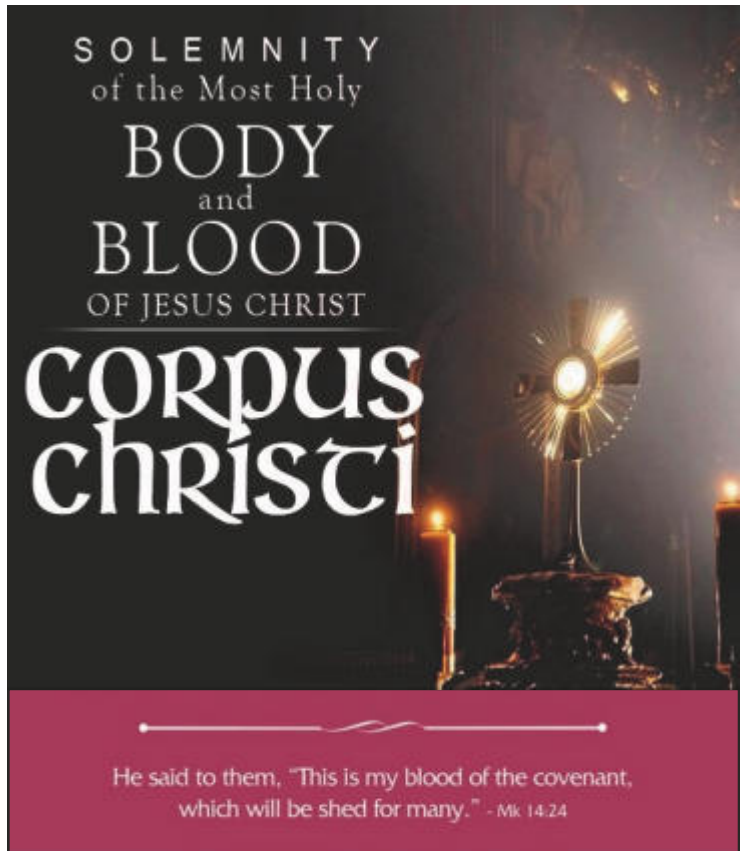
**First Saturday & Holy Days: 7:45 a.m. Mass**

**Church open for Private Prayer from 7-11 am (M-F)**

**Livestreaming 4:00 p.m. Mass each Saturday to**

**Youtube: search st. mary of the assumption church**

**Masks and social distancing are required at all  
services.**



## Sacrament of the Sick

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

## Sacrament of Matrimony

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

## Sacrament of Reconciliation

**Saturday 3:00-3:30 p.m.**

## Sacrament of Baptism

**Sundays at 1:00 p.m. by appointment  
and after preparation with Mrs. Webster.  
Contact Mrs. Webster at 518-237-3131 ext. 23**

*"One in Mind and Heart, Intent  
Upon God" ~ St. Augustine*



## MASS INTENTIONS

June 6, 2021 ~ Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ

### FRIDAY, JUNE 11

Stanislaw Suroviec

Grace Weiss & Family

### SATURDAY, JUNE 12

Living & Deceased of Our Parish Family

Ronald & Gayle Frament

Frament Family

Eileen Sullivan

Mary Caye Thompson

Judy Caponi

Richard & Katherine Vermilyea

Ira D. Castle

Anthony Catalfamo, Sr.

### SUNDAY, JUNE 13

Owen & Fannucci Family

Barb Owen

John Daly

Mary Ann & Heather Daly

Victoria Perrier

Lynda Muscatiello

Berthe Coutu

Madeline De Sorrento

### Mass Stipends and the 2022 Mass Book

Effective with this bulletin, the offering for mass stipends is \$15.00. This change was promulgated by the Vicar General for the Diocese and was instituted across all parishes within our diocese.

The 2022 Mass Book will be open on Wednesday, June 9th. Due to the fact that the Parish office remains closed to visitors, masses can be arranged either by calling the office and following up with a check by mail or by sending a list of requested masses with payment.

**PLEASE NOTE:** if you send in a list of masses and one of the dates is unavailable, you will be contacted to choose an alternative date(s).

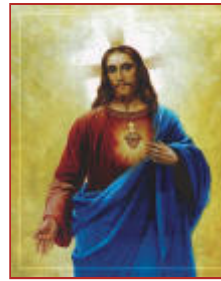
**Thank you to everyone who continues to support our parish. Offertory May 23, 2021 \$ 5775**

Registrations are still being accepted for the 2021-2022 school year!



There are limited openings at our school in some grade levels for the 2021-2022 school year from Pre K through middle school. Join our students who **learn, serve, and thrive** here. Call 518.237.0652 or visit [smswaterford.org](http://smswaterford.org) for more information!

*A Community of Faith, Tradition, and Excellence.*



June~ Month of  
The Most  
**Sacred**  
Heart of  
**Jesus**

6/6 The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ

Catholic Communication

Campaign Collection



6/11 The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus

6/12 Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary

6/18 St. Mary's School 8th Grade

Graduation

6/19 Father's Day (First day of Summer)

6/24 St. Mary's School~ L. Scott Cuomo Golf

Tournament ...Office Closed




The Sacrament of Reconciliation will be offered on Saturday afternoons from 3:00 to 3:30 p.m. beginning Saturday, June 12, 2021.



The St. Vincent de Paul Society will hold its next meeting on Wednesday, June 23, 2021 at 6:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall, lower level. This meeting takes the place of the June 16th meeting, which needed to be rescheduled.

### Catholic Communication Campaign

This week our special collection supports the Catholic Communication Campaign. This campaign connects people with Christ and builds Catholic communities in the United States and developing countries using the internet, television, radio, and print media. Fifty percent of the money collected remains here in the Diocese of Albany to fund local communications efforts, while the other fifty percent supports projects around the world.

JUNE	JUNE	JUNE
<b>BREAD</b>	<b>WINE</b>	<b>SANCTUARY CANDLE</b>
In Memory of	In Memory of	In Memory of
<b>RALPH &amp; DOLORES CUOMO</b>	<b>RALPH &amp; DOLORES CUOMO</b>	<b>GLORIA McDONALD &amp; TOM McDONALD</b>
Given by <b>FAMILY</b>	Given by <b>FAMILY</b>	Given by <b>FAMILY</b>
		

Dear Parishioners,

I received some good news recently from the Provincial of our Province. A third Augustinian will be joining us here in this community. Fr. Liam O'Doherty will be coming as a Parochial Vicar, to assist Fr. Stanley and me in our work and ministry at both St. Mary's and St. Augustine's. Fr. O'Doherty is a classmate of mine from our early days as novices. We were also together in community at St. Augustine's back in the mid 1970's prior to his departure for Japan where he ministered for several years. He and Fr. Stanley were also together in community in parish ministry during their time in Japan. His official arrival date will be toward the middle of July when you'll be able to welcome him to St. Mary's.

Other good news for our Augustinian Province is the upcoming ordination to the priesthood of three young men on Saturday, June 26th at St. Thomas of Villanova Church on the campus of Villanova University. Please keep them in your prayers as they take this important step in their young lives. You may remember one of them; Jeremy Hiers. He was here with us in the early part of 2020 and spoke at both parishes about vocations and specifically about his own vocation as an Augustinian.

Finally, I would like to extend my thanks again to all those who have returned to mass for their willingness to adhere to the parish's reopening guidelines. We strive to make our church a place where everyone feels comfortable and safe. While some public places do not require masks or social distancing, we ask that you continue to be mindful of these safeguards, as some of our parishioners are unable to be vaccinated. Thank you for your assistance.

Fr. Kelley

## THE BODY AND BLOOD of Christ



### REFLECT on the readings

#### FIRST READING

Moses and the ancient Israelites ratified the covenant God established with them at Mount Sinai with the blood of a sacrificed animal. The sacrificed animal affirmed Israel's commitment: "We will do everything the Lord has told us." Why do you think Israel tied sacrificed blood to their verbal commitment?

#### SECOND READING

The author of Hebrews teaches us that the sacrificed blood of Christ sanctifies us and offers us eternal redemption. How do you see this connected to ancient Israel's practice of sacrificing animals for their blood?

#### GOSPEL READING

Mark's account of the institution of the Eucharist is linked to the Jewish Feast of Unleavened Bread when a Passover lamb was sacrificed. What do you think Mark is teaching us in making this connection?

### Diocesan Appeal

It's not too late to contribute to the **Diocesan Appeal**, formerly called The Bishop's Appeal. The Appeal now operates on a 12-month funding cycle and **will be closing on June 30, 2021!** If you would like to donate to this appeal before it concludes on June 30th, please complete the "New Donor Gift Form", enclose your check and send it to: **Diocesan Appeal**  
40 North Main Avenue,  
Albany, NY 12203



Diocesan Appeal dates: July 1, 2020 – June 30, 2021

#### NEW DONOR GIFT FORM

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Please Mail with payment before June 30, 2021 to:  
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**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:** Carol Travis, Anna Papperman, Alexa Papperman, Marcia Trombly, Margaret Rose DeLucia, Connie Lavolette, Muriel Smith, Patricia Komoroski, Jack Neumann, Mary Beth Woodard, Carol Hervieux-Potts, Althea Alger, Sandee Murphy, Irene Marra, Maria Pascarella, Robert R. White, Judith M Hervieux, Andrew Melville, Christopher Goyette, Brady Sullivan, Bill Dame, Michael Clune, Ginny Grigoliet, Randy Morley, Melissa Rice, Bianca Razzano, Nicholas Muscatiello, Scott McGowty, William Hagadorn, Ruth Brand, Father Donald Ophals, Father Joseph Getz 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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