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Office continues to be closed to visitors due to COVID 19

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

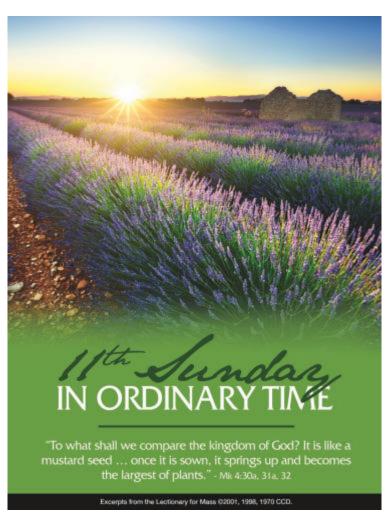
Mass Schedule

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



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

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

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



MASS INTENTIONS

June 13, 2021

TUESDAY, JUNE 15

John Pulcher Banaszewski Family

FRIDAY, JUNE 18

Joseph Izzo Daughter

SATURDAY, JUNE 19

Living & Deceased of Our Parish Family

Lynn Lyons Paul & Mary Rushkoski
Victoria Perrier (14th Anniv) Pearl & Ken Perrier
William Phoenix Joan Fontaine
Carol Irene St. Onge Joni Cerqua

SUNDAY, JUNE 20

Father's Day Memorials

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 opened 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 30, 2021 \$ 4276

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JUNE	JUNE	JUNE
BREAD In Memory of	WINE In Memory of	SANCTUARY CANDLE In Memory of
RALPH & DOLORES CUOMO	RALPH & DOLORES CUOMO	GLORIA McDONALD & TOM McDONALD
Given by FAMILY	Given by FAMILY	Given by FAMILY
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June~ Month of The Most SACTED Heart of Jesus

- 6/12 Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary
- 6/14 Flag Day
- 6/17 Garage Sale Mtg. 7 PM Parish Hall
- 6/18 St. Mary's School 8th Grade Graduation
- 6/20 Father's Day (First day of Summer)
 - World Refugee Day
- 6/22 Last day of School ~ St. Mary's School
- 6/23 St. Vincent de Paul Mtg. 6:30 PM Parish Hall
- 6/24 St. Mary's School~ L. Scott Cuomo Golf Tournament ...Office Closed

Garage Sale Planning Meeting



There will be a meeting on Thursday, June 17th at 7:00 pm in the upper level of the Parish hall for the purpose of planning this year's garage sale. Anyone who would like to attend and be part of the planning process is welcome!

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

FUTURE SITE OF OUR AIR CONDITIONING UNITS...

Engineers have drafted plans for the installation of the new air conditioning system. Though the exact timeline is still pending, we are eagerly looking forward to its completion.

STAY TUNED FOR MORE INFORMATION...



MASK POLICY

In light of recent changes released by the NYS Department of Health and the CDC, effective immediately, our parish is revising the mask requirement.



We ask unvaccinated parishioners to continue to wear a mask at all times while in church. Anyone who is vaccinated may remove their mask when seated in the pew. Otherwise, if you are out of your seat, please wear your mask (including when you arrive and make your way to your pew, when you go up and back for communion and while walking out to exit). Of course, if you are vaccinated and choose to continue to wear a mask, you may certainly do so.

Thank you for your continued support of our parish's procedures.

ST. MARY OF THE ASSUMPTION RESTORATION FUND

IN MEMORY OF

FR. JACK MCATEE, O.S.A.

TRACY & BOB BASILA

IN MEMORY OF

PAUL LANDOR

PAT MEROLA
DONNA ACKERMAN
PATRICIA HAYES
ANDREW KOVAL
SOLANGE SOULIER
DARLENE LANDOR

IN MEMORY OF

C. JUDITH CAPONI

LYNDA MUSCATIELLO
JIM & PAT MEROLA
ANNE & MARY JO DEVITO



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 lever. This meeting takes the place of the June 16th meeting, which needed to rescheduled.

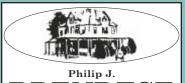
GOSPEL MEDITATION

A favorite motto of St. Teresa of Calcutta was, "do small things with great love." This is how it works in the kingdom of God. God can do tremendous things with the smallest gesture, especially when it is done in love. We can clearly see that our world is suffering greatly. People are struggling to find peace, navigate through conflicts, earn a sustainable living, find security and enough food to eat, and work through political tensions and conflicts. In the light of the magnitude of the difficulties that exist around us and even within us, we can find ourselves floundering to discover practical, effective solutions. How can something so large be helped by someone as small and seemingly insignificant as me? While whole systems and structures may be out of the league of our personal influence, are we really that helpless in the midst of all of the turmoil, sadness, and suffering?

If we believe that God is with us and that God is still working to bring about the glory of God's kingdom, then the answer is no. We are never helpless or without hope. Armed with a strong life of prayer, we can always flee to God and ask for inspiration, wisdom, and especially love. We are all blessed with unique gifts and talents and it often seems that considering all that the world lacks, love and charity remain at the top of the list. Life can easily become a battleground of hostility. Because life is challenging and difficult, anger is not far away. We see it on people's faces and hear it in their voices. There is a measure of frustration that permeates all avenues of life. It is even felt in the air.

As people of faith, we know that what we see here is not the end but only a part of something far greater to come. We know that God's kingdom is where we are ultimately meant to be, and the Gospel is the way to get there. If love and charity can prevail in us, then God will be able to do what God does best. God will use us to scatter the seeds of his kingdom. Through our small gestures, those seeds can receive the nurturing attention that is necessary for them to bear great fruit. We cannot fall victim to the strife that is around us. We have to keep ourselves refreshed and focused so that even in small ways, we can become part of the solution, not the problem. Love and charity, which come from God, can help to heal the ills of the world. May we bring these simple gifts to the everyday simple tasks of our lives! LPI

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 Laviolette, 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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