

# St. Mary of the Assumption

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## St. Mary's School

**Mr. Matthew Rucinski, Principal**  
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## Parish Office Hours

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

## Mass Schedule

**Saturday Vigil Mass** 4:00 p.m.  
**Sunday Mass** 8:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.  
**Holy Days of Obligation** TBD

## Weekday Mass

**Monday at St. Augustine's** ~ 8:30 am  
**Tuesday at St. Mary's** ~ 7:45 am  
**Wednesday & Friday at St. Augustine's** ~ 8:30 am  
**Thursday at St. Augustine's** ~ 12:00 pm  
**First Saturday of each month at St. Mary's** ~7:45 am  
**St. Mary's open for Private Prayer**  
from 7-11 am (M-F)

St. Mary's Livestreams 4:00 p.m. Saturday. To view,  
visit [stmaryswaterford.org](http://stmaryswaterford.org) and click on the link  
"Watch St. Mary's Online"



## 20<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Jesus said to his disciples: "I have come to set the earth on fire,  
and how I wish it were already blazing!" - Lk 12:49

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass ©2001, 1998, 1970 CCD.

## 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

*Third Sunday of each month at 1:00 p.m.  
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

August 14, 2022

### MONDAY, AUGUST 15

7:45 AM Fr. John Kostek Oliver Family

### TUESDAY, AUGUST 16

7:45 AM Priest's Intentions

### WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 17

7:45 AM Communion Service

### FRIDAY, AUGUST 19

Rosanna Germain Lynda Muscatiello

### SATURDAY, AUGUST 20

4 PM Tammy Taylor Mom & Dad  
Jeanette & Henry Graziane Gerry & Phil  
Josephine Rivet Pearl Perrier  
Kevin Barrett Dodi & Family




### SUNDAY, AUGUST 21

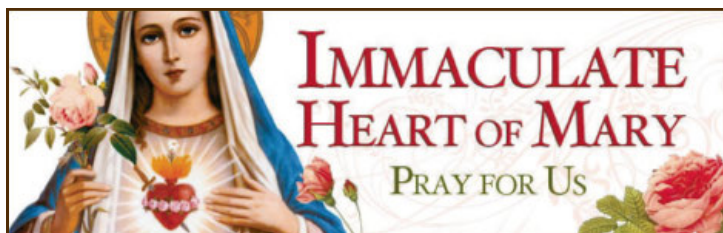
8 AM A. Raymond Primeau Family  
Lucille Primeau (1st Anniv.) Family  
10:30 Earla Cannon Bills Judith Hervieux &  
(85th Birthday) William Potts  
Living & Deceased Members of the Parish

**Wanted:** Adults and Youth Volunteers as Catechists and Assistants in our Faith Formation/Religious Education Program.

Please consider this exciting service in Parish Life. Direction and Instruction will be provided, if this is an appropriate fit for you. Background checks will be needed and provided by Parish.

Please contact Mrs. Debbie Webster at: 518-237-3131 Ext 23 or 518-944-0806 with any questions.

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### Calendar of Events & Observances

- 8/13 St. Vincent DePaul Collection-Back of Church  
8/15 **The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary** 7:45 am & 7 pm Mass  
Altar Society Ice Cream Social ~ Hall from  
6:15 p.m. -8:15 p.m.  
8/27 **Feast of St. Monica**  
8/28 **Feast of St. Augustine**  
Catholic Home Missions Appeal  
9/3 **St. Gregory the Great**  
9/4 Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time  
9/5 Labor Day ~ Office Closed

### Augustinian Seculars to Re-convene

Augustinian Seculars are lay men and women who share in the Augustinian charism: striving to live of one mind and one heart, intent upon God. While living and working with-in the community, Augustinian Seculars meet regularly to pray and study St. Augustine's teachings, the traditions of the Order, and the Gospel of Jesus.

For many years, our local chapter was very active. We went on hiatus during the COVID-19 pandemic. We are happy to announce that on the Feast of St. Augustine (Sunday, August 28) at the 10:30 AM Mass at St. Augustine's, we will reconvene!

Following the Mass, we will meet for a pot-luck brunch, pray, and discuss plans for future activities.

#### **New Members are welcome!**

Please consult Anne Marie LaVallee, Gerry Carlo, or Father Liam (518) 237-3131 ext. 18 for details.



**We are grateful to all the families of St. Mary's who continue to support the parish through their sacrificial giving. Your generosity is much appreciated!**

July 17, 2022

\$ 5496.



St Mary's Altar Society's  
Ice Cream Social in celebration of the  
Feast of the Assumption  
**THIS Monday, August 15, 2022**  
at the Parish Hall 6:15 - 8:15 PM  
Free & all are welcome!

*The St. Anne's Society will be holding  
its annual **School Supply Drive**  
for the students of St. Mary's School*

*Donations of school supplies, such as pencils, glue sticks, crayons and loose leaf are greatly appreciated. We are also accepting donations of GIFT CARDS to stores that sell school supplies, such as Staples, Target or Walmart.*

*A drop-box will be located in the rear of church for donations.*

*Gift cards can also be mailed into the parish office.*

*Please indicate "St. Anne's Supply Drive" on the envelope.*

*Thank you, in advance, for your support of this drive and of our students.*



### Faith Formation News:

#### Religious Education Classes for Grades 1 - 10

will begin on September 25th, so please get your children's registrations in as soon as possible for materials to be ordered.

For the Sacrament of First Holy Communion (Holy Eucharist), a child must be in the program for two years, 1st and 2nd Grade, unless other instruction was approved by the Director.

**For the Sacrament of Confirmation**, a young person should be in the program for two years, for the 9th and 10th grade. If a situation has prevented this at grade level, please contact Mrs. Debbie Webster, the Director/Coordinator of this program.

If a student is attending a Catholic High School for 9th and 10th Grade, they would register in our program in 10th grade, to begin instruction in January. Early registration is important.

**\*\*Important for Confirmation:** Catholic High Schools DO NOT provide Confirmation Instruction. It is necessary to register with your parish Faith Formation/Religious Education Program.

Registration Applications are being emailed to all families registered in the program in 2021 - 2022.

We welcome all new families and they may contact Mrs. Webster for an application to be sent, picked up, emailed or may access from parish websites.

*God Bless all with a healthy and enjoyable summer conclusion.*

### Women's Pilgrimage to OUR LADY of MARTYRS SHRINE

Albany NY Chapter of Magnificat (a Ministry to Catholic Women) is hosting a **Women's PILGRIMAGE** on **Saturday, September 10, 2022**

11:00 AM – 2:30 PM at

**Our Lady of Martyrs Shrine,  
136 Shrine Road, Fultonville, NY.**

Check in begins at 10:30 am by the Coliseum for this day of spiritual renewal on Holy Ground where Sts. Isaac Jogues, Rene Goupil and Jean de Lalande were martyred and the birthplace of St. Kateri Tekakwitha. The day includes Mass, Our Lady of Sorrows Rosary, lunch (**bring a bag lunch and beverages**), Praise & Worship, a Reflection by Fr. Kyle Gorenski, our Spiritual Advisor – topic: "Our Lady of Sorrows".

**Cost: Free-will Donation**

**RSVP by Thursday, Sept 8. To register:** email us at [albanymagnificat@gmail.com](mailto:albanymagnificat@gmail.com) and include your name, phone # and parish. Let us know if you are interested in carpooling. Questions, call Diane Bigos @ 518-810-1310 or visit: [www.magnificat-ministry.org/ny-albany](http://www.magnificat-ministry.org/ny-albany); or [www.facebook.com/albanymagnificat](https://www.facebook.com/albanymagnificat)

World Humanitarian Day is observed on August 19th every year to commemorate the humanitarian workers and those humanitarians who lost their lives in the course of work. Please keep them in your prayers.



### Bible Sharing has Resumed

The St. Mary and St. Augustine Bible Sharing Group has resumed. We meet most Monday evenings at 7:15 PM in the St. Rita's Room at St. Augustine's. Each session focuses on the Mass readings for the *following* Sunday and lasts 80 to 90 minutes. You do not have to attend every week to benefit.

Please bring your Bible!

If it's your first time, please call Father Liam at 518.237.3131, ext. 18, and leave your name and phone number.

**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, Connie Laviolette, Muriel Smith, Patricia Komoroski, Jack Neumann, Mary Beth Woodard, Sandee Murphy, Irene Marra, Robert R. White, Judith M Hervieux, Andrew Melville, Christopher Goyette, Brady Sullivan, Michael Clune, Ginny Grigoliet, Randy Morley, Bianca Razzano, Nicholas Muscatiello, John Neilson, Joe Cotrofeld, Cindy Vandiver, Maya Charles-Rivera, Loretta Fredricks, and Father Joseph Getz O.S.A.

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