

St. Mary of the Assumption

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St. Mary's School

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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 and click on the link
"Watch St. Mary's Online"



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

November 27, 2022 ~ 1st Sunday of Advent

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 29

7:45 am Joseph & Anna Wells Dr. Anne Marie Wells
Ambrose Martini Family

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 30

7:45 am Communion Service

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 2

11:00 am Michael Green (School Mass) Morrissey Family

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 3

7:45 am Living & Deceased Members of the Parish
4 pm Robert Perry Sr. Shirley Berthaiume
Rollande Bourgeois Linda, Lisa & Maria
Anna & Louis Coulombe Family
Marilyn Galarneau Husband & Family

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 4

8 am Jim Tuffy Barb Owen
Christopher Stewart (10th Anniv) Tompkins Family
10:30 Jeremiah Sweeter Family
Walter Kippen Family
Joan Cerqua (health) Bill Potts & Judith Hervieux



<p>NOVEMBER BREAD In Memory of LAURETTE DEYOE Given by MARIEANNE PRIMEAU WINE In Memory of BARBARA PASCUCCI Given by GERRY & PHIL BRENDESE</p>	<p>NOVEMBER SANCTUARY CANDLE In Memory of RONALD K. WHARTON, SR. Given by WHARTON FAMILY In Memory of JOSEPH & OLIVE HERVIEUX Given by FAMILY</p>	<p>NOVEMBER MOTHER OF GOOD COUNSEL In Memory of FR. JOSEPH GETZ Given by AUGUSTINIAN FRIARS</p>
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Calendar of Events & Observances

11/27 1st Sunday of Advent
12/3 1st Saturday Mass @ 7:45 am
12/3-4 Meet & Greet after masses- UPPER Hall
12/4 2nd Sunday in Advent
12/6 St. Anne Society Christmas Dinner in the
UPPER Hall 5-9 pm
12/7 **St. Ambrose, Bishop & Doctor**
12/8 Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin
Mary ~ 7PM Mass at St. Mary's
12/10-11 St. Vincent de Paul Collection
12/12 **Our Lady of Guadalupe**
12/14 Reconciliation Service @ St. Mary's 6:30 pm
St. Vincent de Paul Mtg. 6:30 pm **UPPER Hall**
12/15 Reconciliation Service @ St. Augustine's 6:30 pm

We are grateful to all the families of St. Mary's who continue to support the parish through their sacrificial giving.



November 6, 2022 \$ 5326

St. Anne Society will hold their meeting on December 6, 2022 at 5:00 PM in the upper area of the Parish Hall. There will be a catered Holiday dinner at 5 PM followed by the monthly meeting. Please contact Pearl Perrier at 518-235-3511 for reservations by December 1st.

There are no meetings during January and February. Meetings will resume on March 7, 2023 at 5 PM.

St. Mary's Parish "Meet & Greet" following all masses Dec 3rd & 4th.

Learn how you can play an important and rewarding role in the ministries of St. Mary's Church while meeting other parishioners and forging new friendships.

This will be held in the Parish hall.
Refreshments will be served.





The Sacrament of Reconciliation is the Sacrament of mercy and love, in which Christ extends to us the loving embrace of forgiveness. There will be several priests available at each church. We hope you will take advantage of the services offered this Advent season.

Wed. December 14 St. Mary's 6:30 p.m.
Thurs. December 15 St. Augustine's, Troy 6:30 p.m.



The Altar Society will be placing a Giving Tree on the side altar at the front of church. Numbered angels will be placed on the tree. Angels will be available Nov. 19 - Dec 4. Parishioners are encouraged to take an angel, purchase the item and

return the WRAPPED item no later than Sunday, **December 11th.**

When you take an angel your name and phone number **MUST** be written on the binder sheets next to the # of the angel taken. The item should be wrapped with the angel **SECURELY ATTACHED** to package. If possible include gift receipt in case size exchanges are needed.

Thank you for your generosity in assisting others this Christmas season.



St. Mary's School will be offering **Christmas Raffle Calendars** for the month of December. Calendars are \$10 and provide you the chance to win 31 times!

Daily prizes range from \$25 to \$100 (on Christmas and New Years Eve!)

Proceeds benefit Tuition Assistance. Calendars can be found in the back of church.

Pick yours up today!



The Roman Catholic Diocese of Albany
Office of Lay Ministry & Parish Faith Formation
Presents

This is My Body Given for You An Advent Reflection on the Eucharist

with Rev. Richard Fragomeni
Priest of the Diocese of Albany
Professor of Liturgy & Preaching,
Catholic Theological Union, Chicago

Wednesday, November 30, 2022 – 2:00 to 3:30 PM
Virtual Presentation by Zoom

To register- <https://webapps.rcda.org/ParishFaithFormation/>

Please register by November 28th – There is no cost for the event.

We look forward to being with you!

If you have any questions, please call us at 518-453-6670

Diocesan Women's Retreat

Awakening our hearts to share God's love.

When: Saturday, December 10, 2022

Time: Check-in and Continental Breakfast at 8:30 AM
Event runs from 9 AM to 4 PM

Location: St. Pius X Church, 23 Crumitie Rd., Loudonville, NY

Keynote Speakers: Sisters of Life

Retreat includes: Presentations, Reconciliation, Adoration, Rosary, Mass with Bishop Scharfenberger, box lunch, and beverages.

Register Here: <https://www.rcda.org/UnleashingLove>



"He was created of a mother whom He created. He was carried by hands that He formed. He cried in the manger in wordless infancy, He the Word, without whom all human eloquence is mute."
– St. Augustine

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, 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, Joe Cotrofeld, Cindy Vandiver, Maya Charles-Rivera, Loretta Fredricks, Sr. Maura Rhode, C.S.J., Michelle Weitz, Mary Beth Rockwell and Arnold Galarneau.

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





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