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Parish Office Hours

Monday - Thursday • 8:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

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*



Calendar of Events

- 6/18 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Father's Day
- 6/19 Office Closed~ Juneteenth
- 6/22 St. Mary's School -L.Scott Cuomo Golf Outing
- 6/24 **The Nativity of St. John the Baptist**
- 6/25 12th Sunday in Ordinary Time
- 6/29 **Sts. Peter and Paul, Apostles**
- 7/2 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time
- 7/4 Independence Day- Office Closed

MASS INTENTIONS

June 18, 2023 ~ 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time

TUESDAY, JUNE 20

7:45 am

Jason Sochia

Mom

Laura Izzo

Daughter Nancy

John Fay

Anne

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 21

7:45 am Communion Service

SATURDAY, JUNE 24

4:00 pm

Patricia Rushkoski

Paul & Mary

James Dunn

Betty Cerqua

Deceased Members of the WHS Class of 1952

Joni

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SUNDAY, JUNE 25

8:00 am

M/M Mastai Germain

Pearl & Ken

Paul Landor

Daughter Mary

Maria Jez

Chris & Grace Weiss

Peg Gervais

Dick & Kathy Vermilyea

10:30 am

Frank Knorr & Monica Castracani

Jeff & Heidi

Azemma Caradori

Joni Cerqua

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DROP OFF DATES/TIMES

TUESDAY, SEPT 12

9-5 pm

WEDNESDAY, SEPT 13

9-7 pm

THURSDAY, SEPT 14

9-5 pm

Please do not leave items outside the hall in advance.

BAKE SALE!



Also on September 16, a bake sale will be held and donations of cakes, pies, brownies, breads, etc. are welcome

Please bring your baked goods on Saturday Sept 16th after 7:00 am to the Hall

Any questions or for further information contact:

Kathy Vermilyea katherinevermilyea@yahoo.com

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St. Vincent dePaul Society wants to thank the parishioners of St. Mary of the Assumption for their generous monetary donations on the weekend Masses as well as those giving during the month. We also appreciate the weekly food donation. May God bless you for your thoughtfulness.



Young Adult Event

The Diocese of Albany in collaboration with Twin Bridges Catholic (a regional young adult group that meets in Clifton Park) will host a **Good News & Cold Brews** young adult event.

Fr. Dan Quinn, Pastor of Blessed Sacrament in Albany, will be presenting on Theology of the Body. Food and beverages will be served.

When: Wed., June 21st from 7 PM to 9 PM

Where: St. Edward the Confessor, 569 Clifton Park Center Rd., Clifton Park

For more information, please contact Tom Cronin at Thomas.cronin@rcda.org or Twin Bridges Catholic at TwinBridgesCatholic@gmail.com



GOSPEL MEDITATION for June 18, 2023 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time

In the backyard of the house where I live with other priests, there is a lemon tree which produces a huge amount of fruit. One evening in the spring I needed some lemons for a chicken dish. I glanced from the kitchen and saw the tree bursting with large, bright, gorgeous lemons, hanging thick on seemingly every branch. Turning to Fr. Bob (I'll change his name to protect the innocent) who sat on the couch, I said, "Father, could you pick a few lemons for me?" He said sure and into the backyard he went. He returned a few minutes later empty-handed. "John, there's no lemons. Sorry." I said, "What are you talking about?" I looked again and saw the grapefruit tree on the other side of the yard, which had recently been picked clean of fruit. He didn't see the abundant fruit because he was looking in the wrong place!



Like Fr. Bob, we sadly don't see the fruit all around us. We think that the culture is spiraling down, young people avoid church, and the future looks bleak. Why go out into the world and work? The world looks like a fruitless tree.

Jesus doesn't see things that way. This week he tells us, "**The harvest is abundant, but the laborers are few.**" Look again: there is spiritual fruit hanging all around us! The lonely ready to be visited. The sick ready to be healed. The forgotten ready to be remembered. The poor ready to be treated with dignity. The sad ready to be consoled. The young ready for the Gospel. So, let's ask the Lord to send laborers to get to work. And he will. He might send you and me. Just remember to look at the correct trees.

— Father John Muir

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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, 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, Nicholas Muscatiello, Joe Cotrofeld, Cindy Vandiver, Loretta Fredricks, Sr. Maura Rhode, C.S.J., Michelle Weitz, Mary Beth Rockwell, Carla Salmon, Gabriel Christensen, Betty Rourke, Joann Guertin, Phyllis Pfitz and Fr. David J. Kelley, 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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