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

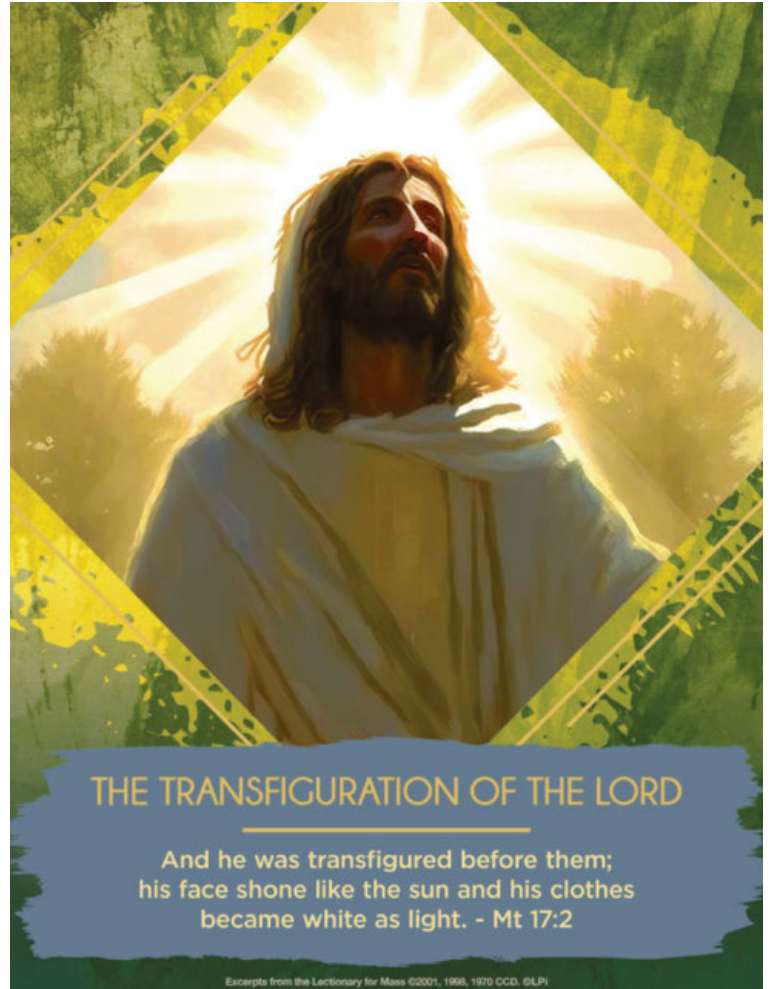
Mass Schedule

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*



MASS INTENTIONS

August 6, 2023 ~ Transfiguration of the Lord

TUESDAY, AUGUST 8

7:45 am

Dorothy Foley

Family

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 9

7:45 am

Communion Service

SATURDAY, AUGUST 12

4:00 pm

Barbara Normile

Ken Perrier

SUNDAY, AUGUST 13

8:00 am

Clement Perrier

Lynda & Family

A. Raymond Primeau

Family

10:30 am

Armand St. Onge Family

Family

Bianca Razzano

Marlene & Jeff

Living & deceased members of our Parish

August ~ Month of the Immaculate Heart of Mary



Calendar of Events

8/6 **The Transfiguration of the Lord**

8/13 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8/15 **The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary; Masses at 7:45 am & 7 pm**

Altar Society Ice Cream Social 6-8:30 pm

8/20 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8/21 **St. Pius X, Pope**

8/22 **The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

8/27 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time
Catholic Home Missions Appeal



8/28 **St. Augustine, Bishop & Doctor**




The St. Vincent de Paul food pantry could use your help.
The pantry is in need of:

Beef Stew Beef Gravy
Hot dog rolls Elbow macaroni



Thank you for your help!

May God bless you abundantly for your generosity

AUGUST BREAD	AUGUST SANCTUARY CANDLE	AUGUST MOTHER OF GOOD COUNSEL
In Memory of EUGENE A. KROMREY	In Memory of DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE ALTAR SOCIETY	In Memory of DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
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WINE In Memory of O'BRIEN & ST. ONGE FAMILY		
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Adoration Chapel - Constant adoration of Our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament takes place in St. Augustine's Perpetual Help Chapel. There are several time slots needing to be filled, day and night, regular hours or on a substitute basis. For additional information, please call Cathy Curtin at 518.274.5925.

Ice Cream Social
Tuesday, August 15th
The Feast of the Assumption
6 to 8:30pm in the church hall

The St. Mary's Altar Society would like to thank parishioners for supporting our activities throughout the year. Join us for an evening of ice cream and toppings.

There is no charge, just a little something to say thank you!



Thank you to all our families who continue to support the parish so generously.

July 16, 2023

\$ 5454.

thank you

REGISTER NOW FOR THE NYS EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS: Catholics from across New York State are planning to come together at Our Lady of Martyrs Shrine in Auriesville on October 20-22, 2023 to celebrate the real presence of Our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ in the Eucharist. The Congress will feature inspiring talks, Mass, Eucharistic adoration, opportunities for confessions, inspiring music and more. For details and to register (**EVERYONE ATTENDING MUST REGISTER**), log onto <https://nyseucharisticcongress.org>

August 9th at 6PM in the lower hall Garage Sale Meeting

Join members of Garage Sale Committee at its next planning meeting.

We value your input and support as we plan the parish's largest fundraiser!



Society of African Missions
(SMA) AMERICAN PROVINCE

The Society of African Missions (SMA) is a worldwide organization of Catholic missionaries comprised of priests, brothers, and lay men and women. There are more than 1,000 missionaries hailing from five continents and joyfully witness to the Gospel of Jesus Christ throughout Africa, and to people of African descent wherever they are.

The American Province of SMA was established in 1941 and is headquartered in Tenaflly, New Jersey. In the United States, SMA has a mission presence in the Archdioceses of Newark (NJ), Boston, and Washington (D.C.). In Africa, SMA missionaries serve in seventeen countries.

We welcome Fr. Wilson Kodavantikanti on **August 19 & 20** who will speak at each Mass on the works of the Society of African Missions.

There will be a second collection that week on behalf of the Missions. Your generosity will help Fr. Wilson and the Society of African Missions to continue to their works. Thank you.

Bulletins!

We would like to apologize for the fact that, on 4 separate occasions, our weekly bulletin has not been available at one or more weekend masses. Though the bulletin has been submitted to LPI Publishing company on time, it has not been delivered promptly. LPI assures us that they will be using a different delivery company moving forward and that the bulletins will be delivered prior to our 4:00 pm Vigil Mass.

Thank you for your patience with this issue.

Scholarships Available!

Preparations are underway at St. Mary's School for the start of the 2023-2024 school year.



New to our school this year is a grant program that will enable St. Mary's to offer scholarships to new families enrolling children in grades 1st through 8th at St. Mary's Catholic School of Waterford.

These scholarships are made possible due to the generosity of an anonymous donor. This donor is showing gratitude for the religious sisters who educated the children of Waterford over the many years they carried out their ministry and mission in Catholic Education.

To learn more about this opportunity, contact Mr. Matt Murphy, Principal, St. Mary's School at principal@smswaterford.org

St. Anne Society will be collecting school supplies for the students at St. Mary's School. Donation of either school supplies or gift cards to stores that sell school supplies such as Staples, Target or Walmart are welcome.

Donated supplies/gift cards may be dropped off in the collection box in the back of church.

School supplies will be collected until August 27.

Thank you in advance for your support!



"Prayer can truly change your life, for it turns your attention away from yourself and directs your mind and your heart towards the Lord."
St. Pope John Paul II

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, 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, Betty Rourke, Joann Guertin, Phyllis Pfitz, Bill Dame 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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