

Roman Catholic Diocese of Syracuse
Eastern Pastoral Care Area 4
St. Joan of Arc, St. Bernard, St. Mary, St. Joseph
The Baptism of the Lord
January 10, 2021

Masses this Week:

- Sat., Jan. 9, 4 PM, Vigil – St. Joan’s**
Wayne Stoker by the Lynch Family
6 PM, Vigil – St. Joseph’s
For the People of our Parishes
- Sun., Jan. 10, 9 AM – St. Bernard’s**
Jerry Freeman by Family
11 AM – St. Mary’s
Thomas Fadale by St. Mary’s Parish Family
- Mon., Jan. 11, 8 AM – St. Bernard’s**
Chuck Engle by the Tower Family
- Tues., Jan. 12, 8 AM – St. Mary’s**
Charles Marshall by Woody and Lorrie Withers
- Wed., Jan. 13, 8 AM – St. Bernard’s**
For the People of our Parishes
- Thurs., Jan. 14, 8 AM – St. Mary’s**
Rocky Faraone by Betty Faraone
- Sat., Jan. 16, 4 PM, Vigil – St. Joan’s**
Thelma Belitz by Francis X. Belitz
6 PM, Vigil – St. Joseph’s
For the People of our Parishes
- Sun., Jan. 17, 9 AM – St. Bernard’s**
Pauline and Kenneth Barnes by Pauline Barnes
11 AM – St. Mary’s
Bill Gallik by Diane Needham

This Week’s Events

- Sat., Jan. 9, 7am – St. Bernard’s morning Rosary Group,**
St. Bernard’s, Waterville
- Sat., Jan. 9, 3:30pm – St. Joan’s afternoon Rosary Group,**
St. Joan’s, Morrisville
- Sat., Jan. 9, 5pm – Confessions with Fr. Kelly,**
St. Joseph’s, Oriskany Falls
- Sun., Jan. 10, 11am – Livestream Mass**
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Update on PCA Holy Hours w/Confessions

There will be no PCA Holy Hours on Tuesday, January 12 while Father Hage is away. The PCA Holy Hours will resume on Tuesday, January 19 at St. Mary’s in Hamilton. Until then, all are encouraged to take advantage of Saturday Confessions with Father Kelly at St. Joseph’s in Oriskany Falls at 5pm.

FROM THE DESK OF FATHER HAGE

I would like to share with you one of my very favorite prayers that I pray daily as a part of my private devotion. It is called the, “The Anima Christi.” The Anima Christi is a prayer from around the 14th century. It is still widely used after receiving the body and blood of Our Lord Jesus Christ in Holy Communion. St. Ignatius of Loyola specifically recommended the use of this prayer to those making a retreat. This prayer has never lost its flavor in my own life. I would recommend praying this daily in the coming week, and see what kind of impact it has on you:

Soul of Christ, sanctify me
Body of Christ, save me
Blood of Christ, inebriate me
Water from Christ’s side, wash me
Passion of Christ, strengthen me
O good Jesus, hear me
Within Thy wounds hide me
Suffer me not to be separated from Thee
From the malicious enemy defend me
In the hour of my death call me
And bid me come unto Thee
That I may praise Thee with Thy saints
and with Thy angels
Forever and ever
Amen

St. Joan of Arc, St. Bernard, St. Mary, and St. Joseph, pray for us!

Father Hage’s Upcoming Retreat

Father Hage has scheduled his annual canonical retreat from Monday, January 4 until Friday, January 8, and then will be taking vacation from Saturday, January 9 until Friday, January 15. This is typically when he schedules his mid-year time away from the parish for retreat and R&R. Father Carey has graciously agreed to cover all Masses while he is away, and Deacon Paul will be covering all pastoral emergencies that might arise in the PCA.

ATTN: FAITH FORMATION FAMILIES!

There will be NO January Zoom meetings for Grades Pre-K through 8 while we prepare to take Faith Formation in a new direction for 2021. Look for your February Faith Formation Family packet to arrive in the mail towards the end of this month!

Ministers for Liturgy

4 PM (1/9) – St. Joan’s

Lectors: Brian Koehl – First Reading
Kati Rowlands - Second Reading
Altar Servers: Lindsey Sternburg

9 AM (1/10) – St. Bernard’s

Hospitality: Laurie Toussaint, Linda Rauscher
Usher: Jane Brown
Lectors: Stacey Miller – First Reading
Kate Rowlands – Second Reading
Altar Servers: Eleonore Collins, Natalee Collins,
Shari Rowlands

11 AM (1/10) – St. Mary’s

Lectors: Jason Meyers – First Reading
Margaret Wehrer – Second Reading
Altar Servers: Elijah Meyers, Balin Olsen
Live-Stream: Naomi Meyers

New Beginnings

Advent would be a great time to consider a new beginning. If you have ever considered joining the Catholic Church or being confirmed in the Faith, now is a good time to start the exploration to see if it is right for you. We are just beginning our RCIA process for this year, so contact Deacon Paul at depaullehmann@gmail.com or call him at (315) 794-1393.

Newly Formed Finance Councils for St. Bernard’s and St. Joseph’s!

Father Hage is pleased to announce the newly formed Finance Council for St. Bernard’s in Waterville: David Upcraft as Finance Chair; Paul Gallagher as Consultant; Dick Martin as Trustee; and Bob Pletl as Trustee. Father Hage is also pleased to announce the newly formed Finance Council for St. Joseph’s in Oriskany Falls: Gary Anderson as Finance Chair; Annie Wilmot as Consultant; Corey Eastman as Trustee; and Ben Stuttard as Trustee.

St. Mary’s ARS Epiphany Party 2021

In this most difficult year, we are trying to do something fun in lieu of the Epiphany Party! Of course, we must socially distance, so the “Secret Angel” exchange has begun. Here’s how it works: Everyone who wants to participate should email or call Kathleen (315-825-5858/kathmcstahl@gmail.com) or Denise (315-430-8913/denisedinski@gmail.com). Once we have all the participants in place, we will assign each person a “pickup” number and a different number to put on your gift. Gifts should be left in the church basement kitchen by 10 am on Sunday, January 17, clearly marked with the number you were given. The gifts can then be picked up after 12:30. You will pick up the gift corresponding to your assigned pickup number. I know it’s not baked potatoes and sundaes but here’s to next year! Please spread the word, and if you can’t pickup or dropoff or if you have any questions, contact Denise or Kathleen.

Please Offer Prayers:

For those who are ill, especially: Louise MacDonnell, Michael K. Dugan, John Moore, Amber Buell, Brenda Thieben, David Lemery, Alex LaBrague, Nancy Cocker, Dick Cocker, Phyllis Harris, Jacob Lamb, Mike Harry, Mary Lou Sacco Crouch, James Marcellus, Mandy McCracken, Gertrude Federici, Helen Bonhotal, Nicholas Respecki, Bethany Merenda, Jim Jackson, Jim Eiholzer, Catherine Jones, Catherine Albrecht Hanson, Theresa Blass, Mary Messere, Kaitlin Nagle, Richard Foligno, Eddie Kunze, Valorie Gunther, Michelle Atkinson, Diane Needham, Anthony Somma, Toni and Larry Barns, Alyssa Hinkis, Carol Benzoni, Bobby D’Angelo, Hannah Karlson, Mike & Sarah Periard, Dana Camp, Emily Carroll, Malcolm Pownall, Roy Rolle, Roy Roher, Mark Losee, John Monahan, Christine Webb, Patti VanVoorhis, Carolyn Depta, Margaret Peer, Marsha Roberts, Michael Bartlett, Dorothy Lynch, Esther Davis, Shane Gallup, Robin Maciag, Mark Naef, Mary Golley, Maria Braun, Katherine Peck, John Bellan, Gladys Graham, Gerald Hayes, Dan Koehl, Jaye Parsons, Larry Winters, Jennifer Follett, Beverly Thorp, Sharon Woodcock, Teresa Lemery, Tom Barnes, Irene Lew, Marie Carroll, Dan Rauscher, Bill McClusky, Caleb Blair, David Blair, Vicki Hires and all those on our prayer lines.

For all in the Military, especially: SPC Ryan Fowler; 2LT Shelly Respecki; SGT Wade Curtis; PO Dan Molloy, USN; SGT Ian Witchley; LT Andrew Stopchick, USN; GySgt Greg Palmere, USMC; and Corp. Wayne Lyrek, USMC; Cameron Fisher, Staff Sgt., Father Lukasz Kozlowski, Staff Sergeant Andrew Steward.

For all Medical Professionals, especially: Kerri Taylor, Jennifer Meyers, Ellen Larson, Ray Meeks, Annemarie Glouse, Stefanie Zombek, Stanley Zombek, Sean Fadale, Jen Mansfield, Donna Pisiak-Relf, Jonathan Eastman, Stephen Jackowski, Emma VanVoorhis, Chelly Crouch, Esther Hoofallen and all others on the front lines of this pandemic.

Christmas Gift Idea for Homebound in our PCA

Deacon Mark Shiner is heading up a unique giving project for our PCA. He would like to facilitate the donation of Amazon Fire Tablets to all parishioners in our PCA who do not have access to the internet. A free hotspot will be provided to each of these persons along with the tablet. That way, our sick and homebound who do not have access to the internet can join our parishes for livestream Masses, classes, programs, etc. This will be a great gift to our sick and homebound because it will allow them to stay more connected to our parish communities during this time of pandemic, and hopefully provide them a little relief. Please reach out to Deacon Mark at MShiner@colgate.edu if you are interested in helping with this project or would like to donate to this initiative.

Mass Intention Requests for St. Joseph’s

Change in Procedure - Please complete the information requested on the new Mass request stipend envelope, along with your payment. Your Mass request will be recorded upon receipt of this envelope. Please also include your phone number. Envelopes are in the vestibule.

St. Bernard's Saturday Morning Rosary Group

All parishioners in our PCA are welcome to join the St. Bernard's Saturday Morning Prayer Group for the recitation of the Rosary and simple Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament every Saturday morning at 7am in the church. For more information, please reach out to Mike Tower at 315-525-9803 or towerm95@gmail.com.

St. Joan of Arc Saturday Afternoon Rosary Group

All parishioners in our PCA are welcome to join the St. Joan of Arc Saturday Hour of Mercy Prayer Group for the recitation of the Rosary and simple Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament every Saturday afternoon at 3:30pm in the church before their 4pm Vigil Mass. For more information, please reach out to Katie Rowland at katiger12@yahoo.com.

New PCA Facebook Page!

Check out our new PCA Facebook page for all up-to-date news on upcoming events in the four parishes in our PCA. The 11am Sunday morning Mass will be livestreamed for the whole PCA on this platform as well. Please like us @Route20Catholic.

11 AM Sunday Morning Mass Live-streamed!

Please join the entire PCA Parish Family for Sunday Mass online in real time every Sunday at 9am and 11am! You can access the livestream by visiting: <https://www.facebook.com/Route20Catholic>

New PCA Website!!!

Please check out our new PCA website at www.Route20Catholic.org that now includes all four parishes on one online platform! We are so excited to finally launch this collaborative online initiative. This will hopefully streamline the release of information to all four parishes, and now all parishioners across the PCA can access one platform for the most up-to-date information on what is happening locally in our region.

Consolation Ministers – January

St. Joan's –Lona Dahlem (495-6478), Chuck Molloy (684-9398) & Paula Curtis (684-9058)

St. Mary's – Bonnie Will (315-691-3168) and Nancy Roberts (315-824-3097)

E – PCA 4 Financial Reports

St. Joan's Financial Support – 01-03

Weekly Ordinary	\$798.00
Christmas Project	300.00

HOPE Appeal Goal - \$6,218.44

HOPE Appeal Amount Received as of 12/28/20 **\$7,520.00**

Percent of Goal – 121% (+\$1,301.56!)

St. Joan of Arc Mailing Address

The mailing address for St. Joan of Arc is P.O. Box 1087, Morrisville, NY 13408. Mail offertory here.

For a copy of your 2020 donations for tax purposes, please call the parish office at 315-684-9551, drop a note in the collection or email us. Thank you for your support.

St. Bernard's Financial Support – 01-03

Weekly Ordinary	\$2,107.00
Christmas	110.00
Holy Day	194.00
Votive Candles	233.02

HOPE Appeal Goal \$15,453.84

HOPE Appeal Amount Received as of 01/05/21 **\$17,100.00**

Percent of Goal – 110% (+1,646.16!)

St. Mary's Financial Support – 01-03

Weekly Ordinary	\$1,735.00
Christmas	375.00
Christmas Flowers	80.00
Monthly Ordinary	1,270.00
Fuel	165.00
Tohatchi	180.00
Holy Day	170.00
Cathedraticum	60.00
Thanksgiving	200.00
Votive Candles	60.00

HOPE Appeal Goal - \$15,545.63

HOPE Appeal Amount Received as of 01/05/21 **\$12,808.00**

Percent of Goal – 82.4%

The Sanctuary light at St. Mary's is lit in memory of Rocky Faraone by Betty Faraone.

St. Joseph's Financial Support – 01-03

Weekly Ordinary	\$286.00
Holy Day	230.00
Votive Candles	60.00

HOPE Appeal Goal \$6,657.83

HOPE Appeal Amount Received as of 01/05/21 **\$3,615.00**

Percent of Goal – 54.3%