

Roman Catholic Diocese of Syracuse
Eastern Pastoral Care Area 4
St. Joan of Arc, St. Bernard, St. Mary, St. Joseph
Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
February 7, 2021

Masses this Week:

- Sat., Feb. 6, 4 PM, Vigil – St. Joan’s**
Steve Jones by Phyllis Stoker
6 PM, Vigil – St. Joseph’s
For the People of the Parishes
- Sun., Feb. 7, 9 AM – St. Bernard’s**
Anthony George by Charleen George
11 AM – St. Mary’s
Anthony Stillitano by the Family
- Mon., Feb. 8, 8 AM – St. Bernard’s**
Special Intention
- Tues., Feb. 9, 8 AM – St. Mary’s**
Kellie Place by Kathy Hyde
- Wed., Feb. 10, 8 AM - St. Bernard’s**
Nancy Morgan by Family
- Thurs., Feb. 11, 8 AM – St. Mary’s**
Gertrude Pownall by St. Mary’s Parish Family
- Sat., Feb. 13, 4 PM, Vigil – St. Joan’s**
Connor Prye by St. Joan’s Parish Family
6 PM, Vigil – St. Joseph’s
For the People of the Parishes
- Sun., Feb. 14, 9 AM – St. Bernard’s**
Margaret (Peg) Daley by Lurena McNamara
11 AM – St. Mary’s
Mike Hotaling by Karen Hotaling
- This Week’s Events**
- Fri., Feb. 5, 10am – Private Funeral Mass (Mangan),**
St. Bernard’s, Waterville
- Fri., Feb. 5, 11am-8pm – First Friday All-day Adoration**
of the Blessed Sacrament,
St. Bernard’s, Waterville
- Sat., Feb. 6, 7am – St. Bernard’s morning Rosary Group,**
St. Bernard’s, Waterville
- Sat., Feb. 6, 11am – Private Funeral Mass (Daley),**
St. Bernard’s, Waterville
- Sat., Feb. 6, 3:30pm – St. Joan’s afternoon Rosary Group,**
St. Joan’s, Morrisville
- Sat., Feb. 6, 5pm – Confessions with Fr. Kelly,**
St. Joseph’s, Oriskany Falls
- Sun., Feb. 7, 9am & 11am – Livestream Masses**
- Mon., Feb. 8, 6:30-8pm – Genesis Mission Groups, Zoom**
- Tues., Feb. 9, 5:30pm – PCA Holy Hour w/Confessions**
St. Bernard’s, Waterville
- Tues., Feb. 9, 7:00pm – McCarrick Dialogue, Zoom**
- Sat., Feb. 13, 7am – St. Bernard’s morning Rosary Group**
- Sat., Feb. 13, 3:30pm – St. Joan’s afternoon Rosary Group**
- Sun., Feb. 14, 9am & 11am – Livestream Masses**
- Sun., Feb. 14, 3pm – Divine Mercy Chaplet in Song**
St. Bernard’s, Waterville

FROM THE DESK OF FATHER HAGE

We have had a few incidents of parishioners in the past couple of months attempting to attend in person Masses knowing that they or someone in their household had experienced symptoms within a 10 day period. I humbly and respectfully ask that we always consider others first before ourselves, and that if you or someone in your household have experienced symptoms in the past seven days to please stay at home and join us by way of livestream @Route20Catholic. Some have said, “Oh Father, I thought I just had a little cold.” My inner response is always, “We are in a pandemic! We should never just assume it is a simple cold!” We ask that you closely monitor your health, and especially any symptoms (see below for more information). If you do develop any symptoms, please contact a health care provider and schedule a COVID test. Symptoms of COVID-19 may appear 2-14 days after exposure to the virus. People with these symptoms may have COVID-19:

- * Fever or chills
- * Cough
- * Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing
- * Fatigue
- * Muscle or body aches
- * Headache
- * New loss of taste or smell
- * Sore throat
- * Congestion or runny nose
- * Nausea or vomiting
- * Diarrhea

Look for emergency warning signs for COVID-19. If someone is showing any of these signs, seek emergency medical care immediately:

- * Trouble breathing
- * Persistent pain or pressure in the chest
- * New confusion
- * Inability to wake or stay awake
- * Bluish lips or face

Call your medical provider for any other symptoms that are severe or concerning to you. St. Joan of Arc, St. Bernard, St. Mary and St. Joseph, pray for us and keep us safe!

World Day of Prayer for Consecrated Life - World Day for Consecrated Life will be celebrated in the Church on Tuesday, February 2, 2021 and in parishes over the weekend of February 6-7, 2021. Please pray for all those who have made commitments in the consecrated life, and be sure to thank them on their special day. May they continue to be inspired by Jesus Christ and respond generously to God's gift of their vocation.

Ministers for Liturgy

4 PM (2/6) – St. Joan’s

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

9 AM (2/7) – St. Bernard’s

Hospitality: Laurie Toussaint
Ushers: Dick and Sandy Martin
Lectors: Stacey Miller – First Reading
Kate Rowlands – Second Reading
Altar Servers: Connor Stanton, Rylan Stanton
Shari Rowlands

11 AM (2/7) – St. Mary’s

Lectors: Margaret Wehrer – First Reading
Sue Lehmann – Second Reading
Altar Servers: John Dudrick, Katelyn Simpson
Live-Stream: Emily Delaney

The Ash Wednesday Mass Times 2021

8am at St. Bernard's in Waterville; 5:15pm at St. Joseph's in Oriskany Falls; 5:30pm at St. Mary's in Hamilton; 7pm at St. Joan's in Morrisville. Also, the 8am Ash Wednesday Mass at St. Bernard’s and the 5:30pm Ash Wednesday Mass at St. Mary’s will be live-streamed @Route20Catholic. Pre-registrations are required in order to attend: <https://form.jotform.com/210265683398161>. For the latest update from the Vatican about how Ash Wednesday will look this year during a pandemic, please read this

article: <https://www.catholicnewsagency.com/news/ash-wednesday-vatican-offers-guidance-on-ash-distribution-amid-pandemic>

Our Very First Lenten PCA Mission!

Our very first Lenten PCA Mission will take place on Thursday, February 18 from 6:00pm until 8:00pm at St. Bernard’s in Waterville. This mission will service all of the Catholic parishes in our region. The title of the Mission is “He Reigns” and is sponsored by Christ the King Retreat House in Syracuse. Chris Spilka and Jeremy Bobak will be the co-leaders of the mission. The goal of this mission is to invite our families to invite the Kingship of Jesus Christ into their homes. The evening will include inspiring talks, music, and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. Please save the date for this amazing night! Please register for this event using this link: [Parish Mission Tour Registration](#)

Ignite Catholic Men’s Conference

Please mark your calendars for this year’s Ignite Catholic Men’s Conference on Saturday, March 20 over Zoom. St. Mary’s in Hamilton was asked to be a satellite campus, and will be hosting the livestream event for all of the parishes in our PCA in the newly renovated St. Mary’s Church Hall. Our very own, Father Hage, was invited to be one of the keynote speakers! Please pre-register here: <https://www.ignitecatholicmen.org/registration>

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, 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, 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; Dan Molloy, CPO; SGT Ian Witchley; LT Andrew Stopchick, USN; GySgt Greg Palmere, USMC; Corp. Wayne Lyrek, USMC; Cameron Fisher, Staff Sgt., Father Lukasz Kozlowski: Staff Sergeant Andrew Steward; SSG. Joshua Jones; Cpl. Zachary Lallier.

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 Hooftallen and all others on the front lines of this pandemic.

From the E-PCA4 Sexual Assault Response and Prevention Team (SARP)

Breaking the Pattern: Responding Constructively to the McCarrick Report - The Sexual Assault Response and Prevention team (SARP) is an association of laymen and women from St Mary's in Hamilton, St Joan's in Morrisville, and the Colgate Newman Community who work to safeguard our PCA and provide support to *all* victims of sexual violence in our community.

On Tuesday, February 9, at 7 p.m., SARP will convene an online conference, using the Zoom platform, entitled *Breaking the Pattern: Responding Constructively to the McCarrick Report*. We do this so that all concerned parishioners in our PCA and our diocese can come together to discuss the McCarrick case and how we can best respond to it. We invite anyone interested to participate, as we are keen that all voices should be heard. The meeting can be joined by signing in to Zoom and using this link: <https://colgate.zoom.us/j/96983461525>. Please promote the attached infographic. SARP’s contact details can be found on this link: <https://route20catholic.org/parishes/st-marys-church/sarp/>

ATTN: FAITH FORMATION FAMILIES

Faith Formation Updates:

Grades K – 8:

We hope you are enjoying spiritual benefits as you begin working through your February “Family Faith Formation” packet! If your family did not receive a February packet, please contact your Catechetical Leader.

The Mardi Gras raffle ticket for each parish will be drawn by Father Hage following St. Mary’s 11:00 Mass on Sunday, February 14. The 4 winners will be announced “Live”.

Catechetical Leaders will also contact the 4 family winners to claim your Mardi Gras party prize! Good luck to all!

Ash Wednesday Mass/Ash distribution schedules, along with the “Stations of the Cross” schedules can be found in this week’s bulletin.

Monthly Zoom meetings with families are scheduled for the 3rd week of February. Catechetical Leaders will contact families with details of date and time.

Sacrament of First Reconciliation

First Reconciliation for children in our PCA will be celebrated on Sunday, March 21, 2:00 PM at St. Bernard’s, Waterville. Families with children receiving the First Reconciliation are encouraged and invited to receive the Sacrament along with their child on March 21. Father Carey will be available to hear confessions of family members, while Father Hage will meet with the children for their first Confessions. Catechetical Leaders are currently working with families to prepare the Second Grade children via workbooks and Zoom meetings. Please keep the children and their families in your prayers as they continue to grow in God’s grace and love.

Sacrament of Confirmation

The next Confirmation class will be on **February 21** followed by another class on **February 28**. An update will be sent the week before.

Faith Formation Contact Info

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Judith Kemp-Barnes, CL St. Bernard's: jkempbarnes@syrdio.org

First Friday All-day Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament at St. Bernard's in Waterville

All parishioners in our PCA are welcome to experience this grace-filled time on the first Friday of each month from 8am-8pm at St. Bernard's. Jesus is really present in the Eucharist, and He knows the inmost secrets of our hearts. If you would like to keep watch with Our Lord regularly for a one-hour increment, please reach out to Laurie Ostrander at (315) 525-7831 or l_ostrander@yahoo.com. Otherwise, stop in as your time allows and let Jesus take the lead and heal you from deep within. The next First Friday All-day Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament at St. Bernard’s will be Friday, February, 5. Join us! Due to the fact that St. Bernard’s has a funeral at 10pm this Friday, Adoration will begin at 11:00am instead of 8:00am and then continue all afternoon and evening until 8:00pm.

DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET IN SONG

3:00-3:30pm Sunday, February 14 St. Bernard’s, Waterville

In 1930, a humble Polish nun, Sr. Maria Faustina Kowalska, was called by the Lord to bring His Mercy to the world. She received a vision of Jesus, with luminous rays the colors of blood and water emitting from His heart, and reaching out to cover the world. He asked that the image be painted and made known. He also dictated to her a “Divine Mercy Chaplet”, to be recited at 3 pm daily, the hour of His death “when Mercy triumphed over justice.” (St. Faustina’s Diary, 1572.) Sr. Faustina was canonized on April 30, 2000. We now celebrate Divine Mercy Sunday, as the Lord requested to St. Faustina, on the first Sunday after Easter. In recognition of our own and the whole world’s great need for God’s mercy, we will gather on Sunday, the holiest day of our week, at 3pm, that most grace-filled hour, to recite the Chaplet in song. Please join us! (A rosary is helpful in following along.)

St. Mary’s Online Giving Year End Statements

Please be advised that if you donated to St. Mary’s through the online giving site last year, 2020 Year End Donation Statements were emailed to the email address associated with your WeShare online account. Emails were sent on Tuesday, January 26. If there is no email address associated with your online account, a statement has been mailed to the mailing address you provided when setting up your account with WeShare. Please call St. Mary’s at 315-824-2164 or email stmaryshamilton@syrdio.org with any questions.

Attn. Contribution Envelope Recipients

Please be advised that you may be experiencing delays in receiving your Cathedral envelopes. This is due to the challenges being faced by the USPS. Cathedral Corp is in no way responsible for these delays. We appreciate your patience and understanding.

PCA Update on Holy Hours

This week’s PCA Holy Hour will take place at St. Bernard’s in Waterville at 5:30pm on Tuesday, February 9. These PCA Holy Hours involve Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Evening Prayer, *the opportunity to celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation*, and Solemn Benediction. These Holy Hours take place every Tuesday at 5:30pm on a rotating basis: 1st Tuesday will be at St. Joan’s; 2nd Tuesday will be at St. Bernard’s; 3rd Tuesday will be at St. Mary’s; 4th Tuesday will be at St. Joseph’s.

PCA Update on Weekly Confessions

Father Hage will be hearing confessions this Tuesday, February 9 from 5:30pm until 6:30pm at St. Bernard’s in Waterville. The opportunity to celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation will take place every Tuesday from 5:30pm until 6:30pm on a rotating basis: 1st Tuesday will be at St. Joan’s; 2nd Tuesday will be at St. Bernard’s; 3rd Tuesday will be at St. Mary’s; 4th Tuesday will be at St. Joseph’s. All four campuses have equal opportunity to celebrate this great sacrament of mercy.

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.

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>

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 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 – February

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

St. Mary's – Janice Swain (315-529-8755), Ed Bachorik (315-691-7072) and Kathy Hyde (315-824-0859)

E – PCA 4 Financial Reports

St. Joan's Financial Support – 01-31

Weekly Ordinary \$626.00

HOPE Appeal Goal - \$6,218.44

HOPE Appeal Amount Received as of 1/10/21 \$8,520.00

Percent of Goal – 137% (+\$2,301.56!)

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 – 01-31

Weekly Ordinary \$2,222.00

HOPE Appeal Goal \$15,453.84

HOPE Appeal Amount Received as of 2/03/21 \$17,175.00

Percent of Goal – 111.14% (+1,646.16!)

St. Mary's Financial Support – 01-31

Weekly Ordinary \$1,899.00

Monthly 130.00

Fuel 50.00

Youth Group 10.00

HOPE Appeal Goal - \$15,545.63

HOPE Appeal Amount Received as of 2/03/21 \$14,608.00

Percent of Goal – 94%

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

St. Joseph's Financial Support – 01-31

Weekly Ordinary \$474.00

HOPE Appeal Goal \$6,657.83

HOPE Appeal Amount Received as of 2/03/21 \$3,615.00

Percent of Goal – 54.3%