Roman Catholic Diocese of Syracuse
Eastern Pastoral Care Area 4
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St. Joan of Arc, St. Bernard, St. Mary, St. Joseph
Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time
October 2, 2022

Masses this Week:

Sat., Oct. 1, 4:00 Vigil Mass - *St. Joan of Arc*
People of the Parishes
Alfred Netto by Joe & Kitty D'Addario
5:30pm Vigil Mass - *St. Joseph's*
Ernest & Genevieve Haslauer by Fleming Family

Sun., Oct. 2, 9:00am - Sunday Celebration in the Absence of a Priest (SCAP) - ***St. Bernard's***
11:00am Sunday Mass - *St. Mary's (L-s)*
William McClusky (18th Ann.) by The Stahl Family
Kathryn Terras by The Rhydes
8:30pm - *Colgate Memorial Chapel*

Mon., Oct. 3, 8:00am Daily Mass - *St. Bernard's*
Mike Wratten by The Tower Family
Carter Stephenson by Family

Tues., Oct. 4, 8:00am Daily Mass - *St. Mary's*
Jim Finch by Diane Finch

Wed., Oct. 5, 8:00am Daily Mass - *St. Bernard's*
Marie Guido by Henty Family
The Holy Souls in Purgatory by The Tower Family

Thurs., Oct. 6, 8:00am Daily Mass - *St. Mary's*
Joanie Sane by Claudia & Rick

Sat., Oct. 8, 4:00pm Vigil Mass - *St. Joan of Arc*
Steve Jones by The Higgins Family
5:30pm Vigil Mass - *St. Joseph's*
Charleen Jones by Carol Jordan

Sun., Oct. 9, 9:00am Sunday Mass - *St. Bernard's (L-s)*
The People of the Parishes
Esther & Don Fuess by Sharon & David Wankel
11:00am Sunday Mass - *St. Mary's*
Joan McClusky (6th Ann.) by the Stahl Family
Arthur W. Kidd by Jennifer Follett & Family

This Week's Events

Sat., Oct 1, 5:30pm - Parish Social Potluck, St. Joan of Arc
6:30pm - Parish Social Potluck, St. Joseph's

Sun., Oct. 2, 11:00am - Meola Baptism, St. Mary's
7:00pm - AA Meeting, St. Joan's

Mon. Oct. 3, 6:30pm - All PCA Pastoral Council Meeting, St. Bernard's

Tues. Oct. 4, 10:00am - Communion & Anointing Service, Crouse Community Center, Morrisville
11:30am - McCredy Funeral Mass, St. Bernard's
5:30pm - PCA Holy Hour with Confession, St. Joan of Arc
7:00pm - ALPHA, St. Mary's

Wed., Oct. 5, 10:00am - Communion & Anointing Service, Waterville Residential Care Center
7:00pm - AA Meeting, St. Bernard's

Thurs., Oct. 6, 1:00pm - Grassroots Book Group, St. Mary's Church Hall
5:30pm - Friendship Inn, St. Joan of Arc

Fri., Oct. 7, All-Day Rosary Rally
4:30pm - Hughes/Browning Wedding Rehearsal, St. Bernard's

Sat., Oct. 8, 9:00am - ARS Meeting, St. Bernard's
2:30pm - Hughes/Browning Wedding Mass, St. Bernard's

Sun., Oct. 9, 10:00am - Parish Social Coffee Hour, St. Bernard's
7:00pm - AA Meeting, St. Joan of Arc

FROM THE DESK OF FATHER HAGE

This Friday we will celebrate the feast day of Our Lady of the Rosary in a special way. We also celebrate Altar Rosary Society Awareness this weekend to encourage new membership and greater participation in this beautiful parish society. I cannot help but think that the devotion to the Most Holy Rosary inspires countless acts of love and service in our local parishes. For instance, the members of ARS are constantly at work within our community to be present to those in need. Many of their actions are hidden, but are done for the greater glory of God and the salvation of souls. I believe it is our Altar Rosary Society's devotion to the Rosary that is the fount of their charitable actions. The reason for my belief is that the Rosary takes us into the heart of Jesus in a special way when we announce a mystery of his life before each decade, and then meditate on that mystery in union with Mary, who always surprises us with her motherly insights about her Son. When we encounter the mystery of the person of Jesus in union with Mary, the human heart will not only find peace, but also the desire to do good for the community. A heart seeking the will of God in union with Mary will always blossom into a life of generous service. I encourage all to take advantage of the opportunity to pray the Rosary during this month of Mary. Anytime we go to Mary, she will always bring us closer to the heart of her Son.

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

All-Day Rosary Rally

In honor of the Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary, all four Altar Rosary Societies at Route20Catholic will be facilitating an all-day Rosary Rally whereby the recitation of The Most Holy Rosary will take place at different hours at the Marian shrines in our four churches. This Route 20 Rosary Rally will take place on Friday, October 7th at the following locations: 8am Rosary at St. Bernard's; 12pm Rosary at St. Mary's; 3pm Rosary at St. Joseph's; 5pm Rosary at St. Joan of Arc.

All-PCA Pastoral Council Meeting

Our first Route20Catholic Pastoral Council meeting of the Fall will take place on Monday, October 3rd at 6:30pm at St. Bernard's in Waterville. The newly elected members as well as the past members will both meet at this kick-off meeting for our pastoral year.

The Recitation of the Most Holy Rosary
The Rosary is being prayed weekly on the following days: every Saturday at 7am at St. Bernard's; every Saturday at 3:30pm at St. Joan's; every Wednesday at 7pm at St. Mary's. The Wednesday Rosary at St. Mary's is sponsored by the Route20Catholic Vocations Ministry Team and is offered weekly for an increase in vocations to the priesthood for our diocese.

Monthly Communion & Anointing Services at Nursing Homes
If you were not aware, Father Hage has been visiting the nursing homes in our PCA every month. He celebrates a Communion & Anointing Service every first Tuesday of the month at Crouse Community Center in Morrisville and every first Wednesday of the month at Waterville Residential. He does this to reduce the number of emergency anointing calls in our region by ensuring that every Catholic resident at our nursing homes are anointed on a regular basis. If you have a loved one in one of the two nursing homes in the region, please know that they are being cared for by our Catholic community.

PCA Holy Hour w/Confessions
The next Holy Hour with Confessions will take place on **Tuesday, October 4th at St. Joan of Arc in Morrisville from 5:30-6:30pm.**. These PCA Holy Hours involve Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, the *opportunity to celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation*, and Solemn Benediction and take place every Tuesday at 5:30pm on a rotating basis: 1st Tuesday at St. Joan's; 2nd Tuesday at St. Bernard's; 3rd Tuesday at St. Mary's; 4th Tuesday at St. Joseph's. Father Hage will not be able to do the PCA Holy Hour this week because he will be away on the annual Priest Convocation for the Diocese of Syracuse.

Altar Rosary Society Awareness Weekend
This weekend is ARS Awareness Weekend and we would like to invite anyone who may want to join to step up and let us know! The ARS is not just about altar care, but decorating during Advent, Christmas, Lent and Easter. We do fundraising and much more. We are a team that will go that extra mile - not just our own parishes, but for our

PCA Children's Liturgy of the Word
Children's Liturgy of the Word will be offered at the 9am Sunday Mass when Family Catechesis is taking place on the Waterville campus and at the 11am Sunday Mass when Family Catechesis will take place at the Hamilton campus. Children in grades pre-K, K, and 1st grade are invited to join our catechists in our church hall during these Masses for a children's lesson on the Word of God. They will depart at the beginning of Mass and return for the "Our Father." All are welcome. This will be a great way for your child to grow in faith with their peers during Mass with the hope that they will receive more from their experience of Worship on Sundays.

Sunday Celebration in the Absence of a Priest Update
Deacon Paul Lehmann will be celebrating a Sunday Celebration in the Absence of a Priest (SCAP) on Saturday, October 15 at St. Joseph's in Oriskany Falls at 5:30pm in place of the Saturday Vigil Mass.

Prayer Intentions for Saint Padre Pio
Father Hage will be taking pilgrims from Route20Catholic to the Shrine of Saint Padre Pio at San Giovanni Rotondo in Italy. Father Hage would like to take all of the intentions of our parishioners on pilgrimage with him. He has placed a prayer intention book on the St. Joseph altars at all four parishes in our PCA, so he can personally deliver your prayer intentions to the tomb of St. Padre Pio. Padre Pio was known as the saint of miracles, so if you are looking for a grace of healing for yourself or for a loved one, please write in your intentions in the prayer intention book this weekend.

Colgate Mass Update
Any and all are welcome to join the Colgate Newman Catholic Community for their Sunday evening Masses on campus. The Colgate Mass takes place every Sunday at 8:30pm at the Colgate Memorial Chapel. This Mass can be utilized as a "last chance" Mass for anyone in the PCA who may have missed one of our weekend parish Masses. The student community is always very welcoming to the parishioners from our family of parishes at Route20Catholic.

Prayers for Vocations
A "spiritual bouquet" is when individuals say prayers of their choice, from their home, or at church, for a specific intention. A Spiritual Bouquet for seminarian John Buttner is currently being organized. John is a Colgate graduate who assisted in teaching the middle school Faith Formation students at St. Mary's while a student. He is from Holy Family in Syracuse and his brother, Deacon James Buttner, also a Colgate graduate, will be ordained next June. John is currently enrolled at Mount St. Mary's Seminary in Emmitsburg PA. If you would like John to know you are praying for him, and what prayers are being said for him, please contact Peggy at peggyrhyde@yahoo.com to be included in the Spiritual Bouquet for John. Please keep John and all of our seminarians in your prayers.

ALPHA!
The Alpha program takes place every Tuesday at 7pm through November 1st (the Feast of All Saints). It will be hosted by St. Mary's for the entire PCA. The sessions will always begin with dinner and a talk followed by small group questions. The goal of these sessions is to facilitate deeper conversion with the support of the faith community, and is open to all. Please consider participating as well as inviting at least one family member or friend who you think could benefit from this offering. This will be a transformative experience for the parishioners of our four parishes.

Widow's Bereavement Support Group
The Widow's Bereavement Support Group meets the first Saturday of each month at 1:00pm at St. Joan of Arc Church. We offer support, healing and Hope to women who have lost their spouses. For more information contact Lynn Smith at 3 (315)655-8471.

Sunday Evening Masses in New Hartford
Beginning this weekend, Mary, Mother of Our Savior Church at 1736 Burrstone Rd., New Hartford has resumed their 5:00pm Sunday Masses.

CROP Hunger Walk

The CROP Hunger Walk is a nationwide annual event sponsored by "Church World Services" to raise funds to end hunger and poverty in the U.S. and around the world. The Hamilton community will gather at the Baptist Church, Sunday, October 16th to participate in the event. Registration begins at 1:30, and the walk will begin at 2:00. Please consider supporting the Route20catholic team by committing to walk, pledge and/or collecting donations. Hamilton's area churches have a great turnout year after year. Let's join our fellow neighbors to help with the hardships of hunger and poverty right in our community. To join the team, please contact Peggy Rhyde at (315)824-3027 or peggyrhyde@yahoo.com

St. Bernard's Altar & Rosary Society is holding a Boscov's Friends Helping Friends Fundraising Event. For a $5.00 donation, you will receive a coupon which enables customers to save 25% off their Entire Boscov's Purchase on Oct. 19. Coupons may be purchased before or after any Mass or by contacting Judy Henty 315-725-3017 or any ARS member.

St. Bernard's Sunshine Club

The next meeting of St Bernard's Sunshine Club will be Monday October 3 at 1:30 in the church hall. All are welcome. If anyone knows of a person who is ill, shut in, or temporarily housebound who might appreciate receiving a card, please call the rectory or Lurena McNamara at (315) 841 4361.

Route20Catholic Men's Breakfast

The Route20Catholic Knights of Columbus sponsor a monthly Men's Breakfast. The meetings include the recitation of the Most Holy Rosary, a delicious hot breakfast, and then a brief meeting to review upcoming service opportunities in the PCA. You do not have to join the Knights of Columbus to attend this Men's Breakfast, but if you are interested in joining the Knights you can register here: https://www.kofc.org/secure/en/join/jointheknights.html.

St. Bernard's Bazaar Update

Baskets may be dropped off Sunday at Church, or at the Rectory 9-1:30 Monday or Wednesday, or call Lynne at (315)527-4016.

Sun. 10/9-Fri. 10/14 - Set-up and receive other items

Sat. 10/15 - Bazaar!

Route20Catholic Oktoberfest Celebration!

All are invited to attend our upcoming PCA Oktoberfest Celebration on Sunday, October 16th from 4pm until 7pm at St. Bernard's in Waterville. The evening will include live music featuring the local talents of Mark Barnes! The dinner menu will feature German homemade delights. Cost is $7 per person or $15 for the whole family! Beer and wine will be available. Please RSVP by using the Oktoberfest envelopes located in the vestibules of each church in our PCA. Drop your RSVP envelope in the collection basket or deliver it to St. Bernard's rectory office. Limited seating. Reserve now!

Bottle Drive

St. Joan of Arc is collecting bottles for its Altar & Rosary Society. Donations may be dropped off at Caz Cans in Hamilton or Cazenovia. Please indicate that your donation is for St. Joan's. Thank you!

Ministers for Liturgy

4:00pm (10/1) - St. Joan of Arc
Greeter: Judy Parker
Altar Server: Joshua Tomcho
Lectors: Brian Koehl - 1st Reading
Brian Koehl - 2nd Reading
Counters: Priscilla Crandall & Paula Curtis

5:30pm (10/1) - St. Joseph's
Altar Server: Volunteer Needed
Lectors: Gary Anderson

9:00am (10/2) – St. Bernard's
Ushers/Hospitality: Dick Martin & Sandy Martin
Altar Server: Brayden Miller
Lectors: Lynne Pletl - 1st Reading
Bob Pletl, Jr.- 2nd Reading
Gift Bearers: Volunteers Needed
Eucharistic Ministers: Diane Bootie & Dolly Abbe
Livestream: Mark Barnes & Scott Barnes

11:00am (10/2) - St. Mary's
Ushers: Mark Curtis & Dan Martin
Altar Servers: Volunteers Needed
Lectors: Susan Lehmann - 1st Reading
Nancy Roberts - 2nd Reading
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Livestream: Volunteer Needed

ROUTE20CATHOLIC FINANCIAL REPORTS

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St. Joan's Financial Support – 09/24

Weekly Offertory	$ 463.75
Youth Programming	$ 25.00

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St. Joseph's Financial Support – 09/24

Weekly Offertory	$ 663.00
Fuel	$ 50.00

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St. Bernard's Financial Support – 09/25

Weekly Offertory	$ 1,981.00
Youth Programs	$ 332.00
Fuel	$ 10.00
Holy Day-Assumption	$ 1.00
Catholic University	$ 6.00
Faith Propagation Mission	$ 10.00
Respect Human Life	$ 10.00

The Sanctuary light for the month of October at St. Bernard's is lit in memory of Phillip Person by Wife Sylvia & Family

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St. Mary's Financial Support – 09/25

Weekly Offertory	$ 1,253.00
Youth Programs	$ 192.00
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The Sanctuary light for the month of October at St. Mary's is lit in memory of Rocky Faraone by Betty Faraone