

***St. Mary's & St. Joan of Arc Parishes***  
***The Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time***  
***August 26/27, 2017***

**Masses This Week:**

- Sat., Aug. 26, 5 PM Vigil – St. Mary's**  
Nan Hulbert by Fran & Jimmy Gargiulo
- Sun., Aug. 27, 9 AM – St. Joan's**  
William F. & Joan S. Helmer  
By Mary Claire Helmer  
**11 AM – St. Mary's**  
John Mowbray by Melissa Ryan
- Mon., Aug. 28, 9 AM – St. Mary's**  
For the People of St. Mary's and St. Joan's
- Tues., Aug. 29, 9 AM – St. Joan's**  
Theresa Montalbano
- Wed., Aug. 30, 9 AM – St. Mary's**  
Billiejo Schnock by Lorrie and Woody Withers
- Thurs., Aug. 31, 9 AM – St. Mary's**  
John Rausa by Gert and Malcolm Pownall
- Sat., Sept. 2, 5 PM Vigil – St. Mary's**  
Joan Mosher by Lorrie and Woody Withers
- Sun., Sept. 3, 9 AM – St. Joan's**  
Jonathan Brooks by SEVAC  
**11 AM – St. Mary's**  
Gladys Donahue by Patty and Joe Caprio

**This Week's Events**

- St. Mary's**  
Thurs., Aug. 31, 1 PM – Grassroots Book Club  
6 PM – Summer Trip Meeting
- Sun., Sept. 3, Noon – Charlie Lloyd Pancake Breakfast
- St. Joan's**  
Sun., Aug. 27, 8:30 AM – Rosary  
Tues., Aug. 29, 6:30–8:30 PM – Boy Scouts  
Thurs., Aug. 31, 5–6:30 PM – Friendship Inn  
Sun., Sept. 2, 8:30 AM – Rosary

**Summer Trip**

Join Deacon Paul next summer on a trip to visit the Shrines of Italy! Come learn more about this wonderful opportunity to visit Rome, Assisi, Montecassino, and more on Thursday, August 31, at 6 PM in St. Mary's Church Hall for a presentation by Kevin Ferguson of Collette Gateway guest experiences. To RSVP, call Deacon Paul at (315) 794-1393 or the parish office at (315) 825-2164.

**FROM THE DESK OF FATHER HAGE**

Due to the historic eclipse this past week, I would like to share with you the historic *Canticle of the Sun* that was composed by Saint Francis of Assisi in the 13th century.

*Most High, all-powerful, all-good Lord,  
All praise is Yours, all glory, honor and blessings.  
To you alone, Most High, do they belong;  
no mortal lips are worthy to pronounce Your Name.  
We praise You, Lord, for all Your creatures,  
especially for Brother Sun,  
who is the day through whom You give us light.  
And he is beautiful and radiant with great splendor,  
of You Most High, he bears your likeness.  
We praise You, Lord, for Sister Moon and the stars,  
in the heavens you have made them bright, precious and  
fair.*

*We praise You, Lord, for Brothers Wind and Air,  
fair and stormy, all weather's moods,  
by which You cherish all that You have made.*

*We praise You, Lord, for Sister Water,  
so useful, humble, precious and pure.  
We praise You, Lord, for Brother Fire,  
through whom You light the night.*

*He is beautiful, playful, robust, and strong.  
We praise You, Lord, for Sister Earth,  
who sustains us*

*with her fruits, colored flowers, and herbs.  
We praise You, Lord, for those who pardon,  
for love of You bear sickness and trial.*

*Blessed are those who endure in peace,  
by You Most High, they will be crowned.  
We praise You, Lord, for Sister Death,  
from whom no-one living can escape.*

*Woe to those who die in their sins!  
Blessed are those that She finds doing Your Will.  
No second death can do them harm.*

*We praise and bless You, Lord, and give You thanks,  
and serve You in all humility.*

## Ministers for Liturgy September 2/3

### **5 PM (9/2) – St. Mary's**

**Commentator:** S. Roe

**Lector:** G. Will

**Eucharistic Ministers:** F. Gargiulo & B. Will

**Altar Server:** M. Craven & M. Craven

**Usher:** J. Gargiulo & D. Kirby

**Gift Bearers:** L. & M. Nolan

### **9 AM (9/3) – St. Joan's**

**Lector:** E. Doroshenko

**Eucharistic Ministers:** K. D'Addario & I. Domes

**Altar Servers:** D. & K. Koehl

**Greeter:** C. Bischoff

**Gift Bearers:** Crandall Family

**Counters:** D. Koehl & C. Doroshenko

### **11 AM (9-3) – St. Mary's**

**Commentator:** M. Crafa

**Lector:** C. Albrecht

**Eucharistic Ministers:** K. Welch & B. Albrecht

**Altar Servers:** A. LaFrance & M. Dunckel

**Ushers:** M. Curtis & D. Martin

**Gift Bearers:** Hunt Family

## Consolation Ministers – September

**St. Joan's** – Dorothy Lynch (684-3855),

Barb Wolicki (684-3635), Lona Dahlem (495-6478), and Chuck Molloy (684-9398)

**St. Mary's** – Kathy Welch (824-0863), Gert Pownall (824-3025), & Janice Swain (529-8755)

**Attention Ladies!**

**Mark your calendars!**

**The 8th Annual Syracuse Catholic Women's Conference is coming to the Oncenter in Syracuse on October 28, 2017. Register before August 31st and receive an incredible discount! For more information or to register online please visit [www.SyracuseCatholicWomen.org](http://www.SyracuseCatholicWomen.org).**

### Fall Family Dinner

Remember the Fall Family Dinner is Saturday, September 9, after the 5 PM Mass, at the Parish Center on W. Kendrick Ave. Please email or call the rectory to RSVP. There will also be sign-ups at the September 2/3 Masses.

RSVPing will help us accurately order the delicious BBQ chicken and pulled pork from Rusch's.

## Please Offer Prayers:

**For those who are ill, especially:** Louise MacDonnell, Michael K. Dugan, Joan Dahlem, John Moore, Amber Buell, Brenda Thieben, Bob Gunther, David Lemery, Alex LaBrague, Nancy Cocker, Dick Cocker, Phyllis Harris, Jacob Lamb, Grace Runyon, Mike Harry, Mary Lou Sacco Crouch, James Marcellus, Mandy McCracken, Gertrude Federici, Helen Bonhotal, Nicholas Respecki, James P. Sheehan, Bethany Merenda, Jeannette Kidd, Denise Romeo Luther, Betty Roher, Jim Jackson, Jim Eiholzer, Catherine Jones, Catherine Albrecht Hanson, Pat Roher, Mike Avery, Fran Hurley, Thelma Belitz, Bonnie Avery, Theresa Blass, Mary Messere, Kaitlin Nagle, Debbie Shay, Richard Foligno, Francis Nilles, Dick Davis, Joe Dahlem, Eddie Kunze, Rosemary Smith, Valorie Gunther, Michelle Atkinson, Diane Needham, Mary Helmer, Patti VanVoorhis, Mary Endris, Anthony Somma, Toni and Larry Barns, John Sweeney, Patti Benner, Pat Utter, and all the folks on our prayer lines.

**For all in the Military, especially:** LT Robert P. (Reserves) and LTJG Andrew G. Kraynak; SPC Ryan Fowler; 2LT Shelly Respecki; SGT Wade Curtis; PO Dan Molloy, USN; SGT Ian Witchley; LT Andrew Stopchick, USN; GySgt Greg Palmere, USMC; COL Kim Parsons Daub; and PFC Wayne Lyrek, USMC.

### SAVE THE DATE

**Next St. Mary's Finance Council Meeting**

Monday, August 28th @ 7:00PM

**Next Pastoral Council Meeting**

Monday, September 11th @ 7:00PM at St. Mary's??

## Heart of the Catechists

What does it mean to be a catechist? On Sunday, September 10, from 10:30 AM to 1:30 PM, the diocese of Syracuse will be offering a presentation titled "The Heart of the Catechist," hosted by St. Joseph's parish in Oriskany Falls. All catechists, as well as those interested in becoming a catechist, are encouraged to attend. For more information or to register, please contact your parish faith formation director or Andrea Slaven, associate director of Faith Formation at [aslaven@syrdio.org](mailto:aslaven@syrdio.org) by Sept. 8. Walk-ins are welcome.

## Annual HISG Picnic

The annual HISG Picnic is Sunday, September 3, from 5:30–8:30 PM at the Eaton Street Pavilion in Hamilton, NY. All are welcome. Pre-picnic, Fr. Hage will celebrate a Mass at 4:30 PM at St. Mary's, in Spanish. Then we'll kick off the picnic with a soccer game and end with food and conversation. Hot dogs, hamburgers, and side dishes will be provided. Bring a dessert to share.

**Are You Being Called to Serve the Church as a Commissioned Lay Minister?** The Formation for Ministry Program in our diocese prepares individuals to exercise their Baptismal commitment to serve our parishes as commissioned lay ministers. This exciting program offers courses, workshops, retreats, and supervised field experience, which prepare persons to serve as commissioned lay ministers in a wide variety of ministries. Courses are offered in Syracuse, Binghamton, and Utica/Rome five times a year. For more information, contact [formation@syrdio.org](mailto:formation@syrdio.org) or (315) 470-1491.

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**St. Joan of Arc News**

**St. Joan’s Parish Financial Support (8/20)**

Ordinary Collection	\$1,848.00
Fuel	50.00
Unbound	8.00

**Unbound**

Thank you for your continued support of Unbound and our adopted child, Andrea. Check out the new picture of Andrea: She is growing up so fast!

To send a letter or photo to Andrea and upload it at [unbound.org/eLetter](http://unbound.org/eLetter). In the letter section, share your latest news, ask your friend some questions, and be sure to describe who is in the photo, and when and where it was taken. Not registered? It’s easy to do: visit [unbound.org/eLetter](http://unbound.org/eLetter) to get started (CH775450 Atitlan CLT). Any questions, call 800-875-6564 or [mail@unbound.org](mailto:mail@unbound.org).

**Fall/Winter Ministers Schedule**

Please pick up your copy of the Fall/Winter Ministers Schedule at the church entrances. Thank you all for serving!

**HOPE Appeal**

St. Joan’s has been assessed a goal of \$7,097.46, which we must reach or our parish is required to pay the difference. To date we have received 21 pledges for a total of \$6,578 only \$519.46 to go.

As you can see, we’re getting close, so, *please* turn in your pledge as soon as possible and lets get it done. Thank you!

**Food Pantry Needs**

The Morrisville Community Church Food Pantry is seeking assistance to fill a need at the Pantry of unopened hygiene items: toothbrushes, toothpaste, shampoo, deodorant, toilet paper, bar soap, etc.

Anything you can do to assist would be greatly appreciated. Please leave your donations in the boxes at St. Joan’s entrances.

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**St. Mary’s News**

**St. Mary’s Parish Financial Support (8/20)**

Ordinary Collection	\$3,964.00
Assumption	271.00
Summer Subscription	1,241.00

**St. Mary’s Parish Financial Support Previous Year**

Ordinary Collection	\$1,745.00
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**Altar Care – September**

Kathleen Stahl (825-5858) & Sabrina Craven (263-7012)

**A Note from Father Hage about Parish Center**

I would like to reiterate that there is a strict *No Smoking/No Loitering* policy for all of our campuses, including the Parish Center in Hamilton. If you see teens gathering there for these types of activities, the best thing to do is to call the parish office, so we can respond accordingly. If you don’t say something, you cannot expect the parish to know that it is happening. So please call us directly. Thank you for your cooperation.

**Student Service Project**

The Hamilton Public Library is looking for student volunteers to assist in preparing for their annual book sale over the Labor Day weekend. Students are needed Saturday, September 2 at 1 to help with set up. If you are able to volunteer an hour or two please contact Mrs. Rhyde.

**HOPE Appeal**

A gift to the HOPE Appeal makes a difference in the lives of so many across our diocese, from the very young to the frail elderly. Please send in your gift to help. St. Mary’s has been assessed a goal of \$15,286.57. We have raised \$12,045.25 so far, from 55 families. We thank you for your generosity.

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**St. Mary's Church**

DFF: Margaret Rhyde (824-3027)

Parish Center: 824-1210

Music Director: Dr. R. Ryan Endris  
(rendris@colgate.edu)

Trustees: Janice Swain (529-8755)  
Terry Murphy (824-1419)

**Diocesan Commissioned Lay Ministers:**

Margaret Rhyde – Faith Formation

L. Robbins – Family Ministry

**St. Joan of Arc Church**

DFF: Stephanie Mosher (893-7681)

Music: Emily Roher

Parish Council President: Chris Doroshenko

Trustees: Dan Koehl

Steve Jones

**Diocesan Commissioned Lay Ministers:**

Stephanie Mosher – Faith Formation

Judy Lyrek – Liturgy (684-3055)

**Colgate Community**

Deacon: Rev. Mr. Mark Shiner

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**St. Mary's / St. Joan of Arc Mission Statement**

St. Mary's, Hamilton, and St. Joan of Arc, Morrisville, are a unified, faith-filled, Roman Catholic Community devoted to being the embodiment of the love and teaching of Jesus Christ through worship, religious education, and the sharing of our gifts and talents to provide for the spiritual, emotional and physical well-being of all.

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