

St. Mary's & St. Joan of Arc Parishes
The Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time
November 18/19, 2017

Masses This Week:

- Sat., Nov. 18, 5 PM Vigil – St. Mary's**
Mike Hotaling by Karen Hotaling
- Sun., Nov. 19, 9 AM – St. Joan's**
John Doroshenko by Judy and Bill Donnelly
11 AM – St. Mary's
Marta Gallagher by Barb and Carl Albrecht
- Mon., Nov. 20, 9 AM – St. Mary's**
Carey Depuy
- Tues., Nov. 21, 9 AM – St. Joan's**
Bryan Rossi
- Wed., Nov. 22, 9 AM – St. Mary's**
Cindy Mlasgar by Lorrie and Woody Withers
- Thurs., Nov. 23, 9 AM – St. Mary's**
Special intention of the Bagnulo Family
by Rob and Beth L'Arrivee
- Sat., Nov. 25, 5 PM Vigil – St. Mary's**
Nancy Costello by Paul and Peggy Rhyde
- Sun., Nov. 26, 9 AM – St. Joan's**
Chris Klein by Jim & Nettie Periard
11 AM – St. Mary's
Nancy Mirabito by David Craine

This Week's Events

- St. Mary's**
Sun., Nov. 19, 9:30 AM – Grades K–8 Faith Formation
- St. Joan's**
Sun., Nov. 19, 8:30 AM – Rosary
9:45 AM – Grades K–8 Faith Formation
- Tues., Nov. 21, 6:30–8:30 PM – Boy Scouts
- Sun., Nov. 26, 8:30 AM – Rosary

SAVE THE DATE

- St. Mary's Finance Council Meeting – Monday, Nov 27 at 7:00pm
St. Joan's Finance Council – Sunday, December 3 at 10am

Thanksgiving Day Mass

9 AM, St. Mary's

**Bring a non-perishable food item for the
Food Cupboard**



FROM THE DESK OF FATHER HAGE

Since we are approaching Thanksgiving, I would like to speak to what I am feeling grateful for this year. I am deeply grateful to the communities of Saint Mary's and Saint Joan's for their goodness, faithfulness, and friendliness. Ever since I arrived on the job, you have all opened your hearts and your homes to me, and for that I am immensely grateful. I truly believe that Hamilton and Morrisville are one of the friendliest towns in Central New York. I have fallen in love with the towns, but most importantly with the people. You live a beautiful way of life that I wish some of my peers could have the opportunity to see for themselves. Your way of life has been a blessing to me.

On Thanksgiving Day, I will be celebrating a Thanksgiving Day Mass at 9am at Saint Mary's. My prayer is that all of us will take the time to gather as a community to offer our thanks to God in a special way by praying the Holy Mass. I believe there is no better way to express our gratitude on Thanksgiving than by starting the day with Mass acknowledging that all good gifts come from Our Heavenly Father. Please make an effort to be present for this unique opportunity to pray with me Thanksgiving Day morning. I also invite you bring a non-perishable food item that you can place in front of the altar for the Thanksgiving Day Mass. We will deliver this donated food to the food pantries in Hamilton and Morrisville.

Lastly, I would like to announce that I am planning on leading both of our parishes in a four-week Adult Faith Formation series during the season of Advent. This series will be held at St Mary's Church Hall, and will begin on Wednesday, November 29 at 6:30pm. We will be covering Matthew Kelly's book, *Rediscover Catholicism*. A copy of the book will be available to you when you arrive for the first session. This series will be a great way for anyone to dive deeper into their Catholic faith and will also be helpful to those who would like to discover their Catholic faith for the first time. Please invite any family and friends (and even strangers) to attend this special offering. You can register for this series by e-mailing stmaryshamilton@syradio.org. Mary Immaculate and Saint Joan of Arc, pray for us!

Colgate Masses

There will be no Colgate Mass this Sunday at 9 PM or this Wednesday at 5 PM due to the Thanksgiving break.

Ministers for Liturgy November 25/26

5 PM (11/25) – St. Mary's

Lector: G. Will

Eucharistic Ministers: P. Rhyde, S. Roe
& K. Hyde

Altar Server: M. Stahl & B. Craven

Ushers: D. Kirby

Gift Bearers: F. & J. Gargiulo

9 AM (11/26) – St. Joan's

Lector: M. Herrick

Eucharistic Ministers: R. Narehood & J. Parker

Altar Servers: L. & H. Doroshenko

Greeter: R. Narehood

Gift Bearers: King Family

Counters: B. & D. Koehl

11 AM (11/26) – St. Mary's

Lector: S. Lehmann

Eucharistic Ministers: P. VanVoorhees & L. Baker

Altar Servers: L. & J. VanVoorhees

Ushers: D. Martin

Gift Bearers: LaRuffa Family

Consolation Ministers –November

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

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

St. Mary's – Fran Gargiulo (518-469-5682)

& Gert Pownall (824-3025)

Fall Lecture Series at St. Agatha's

St. Agatha's Parish, Canastota, will be holding a fall lecture series Called to Be Saints Together (1 Corinthians 1:2). The next lecture will be held Monday, November 20, 7-8:30 PM. Edith Stein – Saint For Our times. Lecturer: Anne Costa.

Coloring Contest

The Safe Environment Office of the Diocese of Syracuse is offering a coloring/social media contest for all students. Winners of the contests will have their artwork used and displayed for the Child Abuse Awareness month in April 2018. The deadline is December 15. If families are interested in more information and the guidelines for the contest, please contact Peggy Rhyde.

Second Collection this Weekend

The annual collection for Human Development will be taken up at masses this weekend. Thank you for your continued generosity!

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, Eddie Kunze, Rosemary Smith, Valorie Gunther, Michelle Atkinson, Diane Needham, Mary Helmer, Patti VanVoorhis, Mary Endris, Anthony Somma, Toni and Larry Barns, John Sweeney, Hailey Fish, Pat Utter, Alyssa Hinkis, Carol Benzoni, Fred & Bernice Whipple, Anne Gaulding, Michael Little, Julie Brooks 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 LC Wayne Lyrek, USMC.

Thank You

I have been so blessed by all the kind words, e-mails, and cards I have received recently from members of both St. Joan's and St. Mary's. I appreciate them all more than I can say! Thank you to Father Hage, Deacon Paul, and the people of St. Joan's for the beautiful clock. I love it and it will always be a reminder of a wonderful time in my life. Thank you to the teachers and the children. I'll never forget standing in front of the altar with all the children around me praying that blessing. I am so touched and grateful for all the thoughtfulness and kindness I've been shown. Thank you everyone!

—Stephanie Mosher

Flu Season Is Back

As you know, flu season is back and we need to take precautions as a community to protect ourselves from the spread of illness. If you are feeling ill on a particular Sunday, please refrain from participating in the sign of peace as well as receiving from the chalice. This is an act of charity if you are feeling ill because you can spare your neighbor from some miserable days. So please use the virtue of prudence during this winter season. Thank you in advance for your cooperation.

A Family Perspective

As the man in today's gospel entrusted his servants with his money, so God has "entrusted" our family to us. Like the good servants, we are expected not to play it safe, but to selflessly and totally invest ourselves in each other.

St. Joan of Arc News

St. Joan's Financial Support – 11/12

Ordinary Collection	\$734.00
Holy Day	5.00
Thanksgiving Baskets	10.00
Human Development	5.00
Unbound	21.00
CareNet	10.40

Table of Remembrance

There will be a Table of Remembrance on the altar during the month of November to honor our deceased loved ones and to help us pray for them. Please bring pictures of your loved ones who have passed and place them on the table.

Unbound

Thank you for your support of Unbound and our sponsored child, Andrea. Your generous gifts really make a difference in her families lives.

Christmas Project 2017

The Christmas tree is up! Please take an ornament, and return your unwrapped gift by December 8. Thank you for caring!

St. Mary's News

St. Mary's Parish Financial Support – 11/12

Ordinary Collection	\$1,852.00
Thanksgiving	892.00
Fuel	50.00
Tohatchi	57.00
CCD	80.00
Memorial Fund	100.00
Seminary	102.00

St. Mary's Parish Financial Support Previous Year

Ordinary Collection	\$1,902.00
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Please remember us in your will

Altar Care

Fran Gargiulo (518-469-5682) &
Barb Albrecht (824-5345)

Immaculata Award

Anyone interested in going to the Cathedral to see the presentation of the Immaculata Award to our own Gary and Bonnie Will and would like to carpool, please call the office at 315-824-2164 and let us know. The carpool will leave the church parking lot at 1 PM for the 2:30 service.

The Giving Tree

Make Christmas brighter for families in need in our area. Take a tag from the tree and return an unwrapped gift by December 4 to the Giving Tree.

Thank you for sharing in the true meaning of Christmas.

Baptisms

We welcome Landen Johnson,
son of Edward and Alissa Bachorik
To our parish family
He will be baptized this Sunday



We welcome Anthony Joseph,
son of Anthony and Mary Murphy Donofrio
To our parish family
He will be baptized before the 11 AM Mass

Christmas Pageant

Mark your calendars for Thursday, December 21, as we will present the annual Christmas Pageant at the LaFrance's barn at 6 PM. All parishioners are welcome and invited! We are interested in having animals in the barn, so if you have a horse/pony, cow/calf, donkey, sheep, goats, etc, that would like to make their acting debut, please contact Peggy Rhyde

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.
