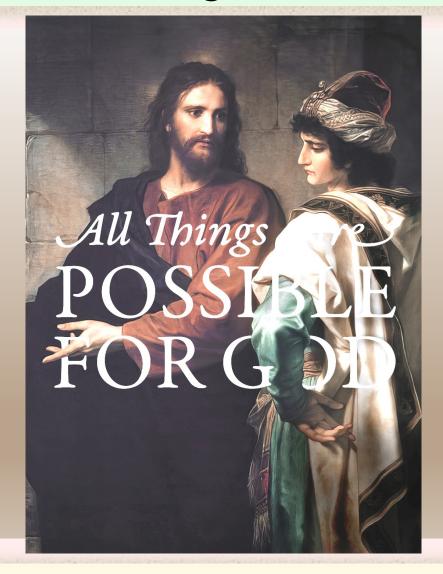
Catholic Neighbors In Faith



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Holy Apostles

Ss. Peter & Paul

508 Cherry St. Jamestown NY 14701

St. John

282 Newton Ave. Jamestown NY 14701

St. James

27 Allen St. Jamestown NY 14701

Our Lady of Victory
Oratory

6 Institute St. Frewsburg NY 14378

Sacred Heart

380 E. Fairmount Ave. Lakewood NY 14750

Our Lady of the Snows

36 E. Main St. Panama NY 14767

St. Patrick

189 Main St. Randolph NY 14772

Our Lady of Loreto

309 W. Everett St. Falconer NY 14733

Office Hours: Monday - Friday, 8:30 AM - 4:30 PM

October 13, 2024 • Twenty-Eighth Sunday of Ordinary Time

Happenings within Our Parish Families...

- CENTRAL OFFICE is CLOSED on Monday, October 14th. No Masses will be celebrated that day . See box below.
- Catholic Daughters is having a Bake Sale at Sacred Heart and Ss. Peter & Paul Masses this Sunday, October 14th.
- LTMTP Lord Teach Me To Pray meets every Monday at St. James, 6pm.
- **BAM** Be A Man bible study meets every Tuesday at St. James, 6:30pm.
- Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament every Wednesday at St. James from 9am until 7pm in the Chapel. Enter the chapel through outside entrance down the walkway by the rectory administrative offices.
- Sacred Heart is sponsoring the Chiavetta's BBQ this Thursday, October 14th in the parking lot from 12-6pm.
- **Confessions** are heard at St. James Church on Wednesdays from 6 to 6:30pm followed by Mass at 7pm; as well as Saturdays from 3 to 3:30pm followed by Mass at 4pm.
- St. James Music Ministry rehearsals on Thursdays at 6pm in the church.
- The Jubilate Singers meet for rehearsal on Thursdays from 6:15 to 7:30pm at St. John church.
- Liturgy of the Hours is prayed every Friday on Zoom at 9am. Call the central office for the ID & passcode to join.
- TMIY That Man is You faith sharing group meets every Saturday at St. James hall. Coffee at 6:30am, Class 7-8am.
- Youth Group meets next Sunday, October 20 at Sacred Heart church from 5-7pm.

Please note that there is a change to the October calendar. Friday, October 11th the Central Office will be closed, Masses will be as usual. Also, the Office will be closed on Monday, October 14th for Columbus Day, and there will be no Masses celebrated on the 14th.

Please Pray For...

Parish	Family	members
who a	re ill:	

Gayle Boudreau
James Boudreau
Kathy Bump
Collins Family
Erica Collins
Carol Coulter
Michelle Cracker
Grant Damon
Emma Eldridge
David Flavin
Sandy Galati
Gail Gillig
Barb Graham

Dolores Hacker Albert J. Hay Mark Hedstrand III Bohdan Kanicki Elizabeth LaMantia Shelly Pacheco-Johannessen Patrick Pringle Nancy Johnson Sam McMaster Elizabeth Nguyen My Nguyen Grace Peterson James Post

Louis Rieg

Marty Sargent
Andrea Schneider
Donald Segrue
Dorothy and David Seth
Robert Sprankle
Emily Sechriest
Mary Helen Smith
Megan and Sean
Jim Wirges
Therese Whit

People of the Ukraine.
Those in the military.

The Unborn.

All those touched by loneliness or illness.
Those in purgatory.
And all parishioners in need of our prayers.

Call the parish office if you would like to add a name to our prayer list.

Please Note: You must have the permission of the person you want listed before we can add them to this list.

Please let us know when someone can be taken off the Prayer List. Thank you.

Mass Intentions

Saturday, October 12 - Blessed Virgin Mary Thursday, October 17 - St. Ignatious of Antioch OLL - 9:00AM † Peter Louis Coggiola JMS - 4:00PM † Michael Felice By Children & Families By Wife, Laura OLV - 5:00PM † John McNulty 4:00PM † Rosario Calimeri (Birthday) By Mike & Audrey Shannon By Antonietta Calimeri OLS - 4:00PM † Carol Bankowski Friday, October 18 - St. Luke By OLS Altar & Rosary JMS - 8:00AM † Christopher Baczynski (Birthday) PAT - 5:30PM † Marcia Gmk. Zunner By Grandparents, Wally & Dixie Huckno By the Russ Riddell Family SHR - 9:00AM + **L & D Mothers** By Parishioners Sunday, October 13 - 28th Sunday Ordinary Time JMS - 8:00AM † Carl Calanni (Anniversary) SPP -12:10PM † Andrew & Charlotte Stauffer family By Sister, Carol Proestler **By Estate** JHN - 9:00AM † Frank Marchiando Saturday, October 19 - Ss. John de Brébeuf & Isaac Jogues By Wife, Frances JMS - 4:00PM † Tom Lombardo SHR - 9:00AM † Daniel McIntyre By Michele Ognibene By Caring Friends 4:00PM † Joe Vullo (Wedding Anniv.) & OLL -10:00AM † Living & Deceased Mothers Calogero Vullo **By Parishioners** By Wife, Mary & Sister SPP -11:00AM † Arnold DePetro OLS - 4:00PM † Carol Bankowski By the DePetro Family By Leonard Powell PAT -11:00AM † Rosemary Andrews (Birthday) PAT - 5:30PM † Marcia Zunner By the Andrews Family By Louise Lampson Monday, October 14 - Columbus Day, St. Callistus Sunday, October 20 - 29th Sunday Ordinary Time No Masses - Office Closed JMS - 8:00AM † James & Joseph Trussalo (Anniv) Tuesday, October 15 - St. Terese of Jesus By Anthony Trussalo PAT - 8:00AM † Living & Deceased Fathers JHN - 9:00AM † Nancy Mistretta By Dr. & Mrs. Darling **By Parishioners** SHR - 9:00AM † Daniel McIntyre OLL - 9:00AM † Pro-Populo: For the Parishioners By Caring Friends By the Priest OLL -10:00AM † Souls of the Faithful Departed By Parishioners Wednesday, October 16 - St. Hedwig, St. Hedwig & Margaret Alacoque SPP -11:00AM † John Scorse By Maggie Scorse JHN - 8:00AM † Baby, August Calimeri PAT -11:00AM † Living & Deceased Mothers By Linda Calimeri & family By Parishioners

JMS—St. James
JHN—St. John

OLL—Our Lady of Loreto
OLS—Our Lady of the Snows

JMS - 7:00PM † Living & DMO Scully & Miller Families
By Mary Lou Scully

OLV—Our Lady of Victory PAT—St. Patrick

SPP—Ss. Peter & Paul SHR—Sacred Heart



Sanctuary Lamps

St. James Church

In Memory of Dawn Henderson

By daughter, Valerie

Wine for the month of October

St. James Church

In Memory of Ellen Munella

By Russ Triscari

Ss. Peter & Paul Church

In Memory of Joseph & Julia Kuhl

By Children, Joseph Kuhl & Maria Lavicska

Hosts for the month of October

St. James Church

In Memory of Betty Munella

By Gioconda & Girls

St. John Church

In Memory of John Miraglia (Birthday)

By Cousin, Joan

Our Stewardship for September 29, 2024

St. James: Offertory \$5180.42, Parish Improv. \$240

Holy Apostles: Offertory \$3,925, Repair & Maint. \$280

Sacred Heart: Offertory \$2,862

Our Lady of Loreto: Offertory \$1,604, Seminary \$180,

Fuel \$100, Monthly \$100

St. Patrick: Offertory \$1,297, Seminary & Diaconate

Formation \$146, Religious Ed. \$5

Thank you for your support of our parishes & ministries!



Exchanged wedding vows on Saturday, October 5, 2024 surround by their loving family and friends...

Thomas Líuzzo & Madelyn Geary at

Ss. Peter & Paul Church

Tyler Coccagnia & Laurie Scarpino at

St. John Church

Congratulations to you both.

May you share a life of happiness, love and faith!



A Gift of Intentions

If you would like to make a donation to the church "In Memory Of..." or "In Honor Of..." someone special, consider the Wine, Hosts or Sanctuary Light in his or her name.

A month donation for Wine is \$40 and the Hosts are \$25. Sanctuary Lamps burn in memory or honor of your loved one for \$10 per week. A special card can be sent to the family notifying them of your donation. This is a great way to honor someone when a Mass date is not available. Call the central office at 716.487.0125 to schedule your gift today.

From the desk of Fr. Paul:

I have good news to share with our Catholic Neighbors in Faith family of parishes! Father Marcin Porada will be joining our family of parishes as a parochial vicar. Father Marcin (pronounced *Mar-cheen*) is originally from Rzeszow, Poland and has been serving our diocese as a priest most recently in the parishes of Cheektowaga. Please join me in welcoming him to our Catholic Neighbors in Faith family of parishes. His first day with us will be November 1st, the Feast of All Saints.

In additional news, Father Todd Remick is being called by our bishop to be assigned as pastor of The Catholic Family of Cheektowaga also effective November 1st. As you know, Father Todd has served in many capacities in our Chautauqua area as previous pastor of Our Lady of Lourdes in Bemus Point and Mayville, previous administrator of Holy Apostles and St. James, and most recently as vicar forane of Chautauqua county. We thank him for his faith and pastoral leadership and pray the best for him in his new assignment.



ATTENTION:

MEN OF CATHOLIC NEIGHBORS IN FAITH

Are you looking for fellowship within the CNIF, as well as hands-on opportunities to support the CNIF Family and local community?

Our Lady of Loreto's Holy Name

Society is the only active Holy Name Society in Chautauqua County. Since its founding in 1912, the Society has been continuously active, benefitting our community through countless projects and benevolent deeds.

With the planned closing of Our Lady of Loreto, the Holy Name Society is in the preliminary stages of considering its future direction.

Please consider joining with us as we seek God's will for the future of the Holy Name Society. Our next meeting is Tuesday, November 12th, 6:30 PM at the Our Lady of Loreto school hall. A light dinner will be served.

For more information, please contact Jim Cusimano at 716-664-7668 or any Holy Name Society member. Please call Jim by November 9th if you would like to attend the November 12th meeting.



Altar Rosary

The St. James Altar Rosary has some upcoming events scheduled:

- Nov. 2 & 3 Bake Sale after the 4pm and 8am Masses
 They are asking anyone who would like to bring baked
 goods to the church. You can bring them to St. James on
 Nov. 2nd at 3pm.
- ◆ Dec. 7 at 9am the Altar Rosary will be cleaning the church in preparation of the upcoming holidays. We invite everyone to come.

"Many hands make light work."

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS

CDA Pop-up Bake Sale

Sunday, October 13th at 9 am Mass

We will then head over to Ss. Peter & Paul Church for the 11am Mass.

If you are still thinking about attending this please call or email the Erie Cursillo Movement, information below.

ERIE CURSILLO MOVEMENT IF YOU ARE STILL THINKING ABOUT GOING THE TIME IS DRAWING CLOSER.

The next men's weekend is scheduled for October 18—20th.

The **Erie Cursillo** (kur-SEE-yo) **Movement** (ECM) began in 1963. It is a Spanish term for a "short course in Christianity". Everyone is welcome to spend 55 hours of "Special Time" devoted to learning more about living a Christian Life. At this time, all Cursillo weekends take place in Erie. Generally, Cursillo weekends alternate all men's or women's Candidates and Team members.

429 East Grandview Blvd. Erie, PA 16504

Phone: 814-824-1119 Email: office@eriecursillo.org Website: www.eriecursillo.org

Holy Apostles Choir

The choir season has begun for the Holy Apostles Choir. The choir will be singing on the 1st and 3rd Sundays of the month at St. John and the 2nd & 4th and 5th Sunday at Ss. Peter & Paul 11am Mass. If you would like to join the choir please see Anne Dolce after Mass.



St. Patrick 's Altar & Rosary will be selling 50/50 tickets starting this weekend to benefit our society.

Tickets are \$1.00 for 1 or 6 for \$5.00.

The drawing will be Sunday, Nov. 17th after the 11 AM mass.

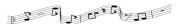
RANDOLPH CEMETERY CLEAN UP

Due to the continuance of good weather we are asking that all decorations be removed from the St. Pat's cemetery by Nov. 1st. Any decorations remaining after that date will be disposed of. Thank you.



The first class will be Sunday, October 13 at 1pm at St. James Church Hall. Class times are yet to be determined.

St. James Music Ministry



TOP "10" REASONS TO BE IN MUSIC MINISTRY

#10 - The choir chairs are cushioned and comfortable

#9 - Make new friends and become part of our family

#8 - Great Parties

WE NEED YOU

If interested in joining us, see Cathy after Mass, We practice on Thursdays at 6pm in the church.

~ Music speaks what can not be expressed~

Prayer Shawl Ministry

The next meeting for the Prayer Shawl Ministry will be on Saturday, October 26 at the **NEW** time of **10am** in the St. James Library. All are welcome from beginners to experts! Come join us!

REFLECTIONS

The Punch Line

The first reading is supposed to remind us of Solomon, who, when God promised to give him whatever he asked, chose wisdom over wealth or power. Now our modern view of wisdom is usually pictured as the knowledge and experience of an older person. In the scriptures it is God's Wisdom that is desired. More than just the wise sayings of a Benjamin Franklin or Yoda, scriptural wisdom means doing God's will in all things. As Jesus tried to tell the man in the gospel, knowing and doing God's will is more precious than wealth, or even family!

So if wisdom is that good, why do so few seek it? Most of us have no problem doing God's will, as long as it is the same as ours. Or we do God's will if it is painless and convenient. I once donated money to a charity by sending a text message. I don't know if I would have done it if I had to write a check and mail it. Sometimes we are like that man in the gospel, desiring wisdom but not willing to pay for it.

Maybe our problem is that we don't trust God enough. The first reading, after praising wisdom more than health, wealth, and beauty, ends with a promise of "countless riches" while Jesus promises that the one who gives up everything will receive "a hundred times more." Because the rich man left in sorrow, he missed the punch line. I can think of two ways to interpret that promise. One is that the more we give up for love of the Lord, the more we get back. When someone gives up selfishness and begins to love, he then becomes capable of receiving love. Which leads to the second meaning of the promise: When we let God change us by giving up our worldly attachments, we find that we are happier because we experience God's love for us more deeply. So Wisdom is the way to happiness: We outgrow our desire for things that make us feel good and appreciate the joy of accepting God's love and sharing it with others.

By Tom Schmidt

By His Poverty We are Filled

"Go, sell what you have, and give to the poor and you will have treasure in heaven; then come, follow me." (Mk 10:21)

Particularly in today's society, we tend to center ourselves around instant gratification. The newest trends that money can buy hold a constant allure since we can get them off Amazon with just the click of a mouse. Yet most are afraid or ignorant of what to expect after death. Heavenly treasures await us if we are not first distracted by the false riches we may be exposed to here on Earth. Food, material possessions and earthly comforts are temporary, whereas reliance on Christ allows for eternal salvation.

Those who by worldly standards are considered first today may be last tomorrow at Christ's second coming. The Litany of Humility has always helped keep me grounded, reiterating the importance of loving others rather than seeking that love that we desire for ourselves. As Christians, we must ask ourselves if we take the time to tend to those most in need and live in service first to one other.

We must recall the big picture, that as Christians we have the blessing to be able to spend eternity in the presence of God's great love, if we choose to emulate that love during the short time we have here on Earth. This is best demonstrated by the love Christ displays for us poor sinners by dying on the cross. Instead of seeking comfort and security we are called to depend on God always, following His example of love.

Ultimately, we must never be afraid to break open our hearts in front of others for Christ. The life of a Christian is often going to be messy. If we're not suffering alongside Christ, we are not giving our all to Him. We must take up our cross, and not hold back nor be ashamed. The Lord is worth so much more than the sum of our fears and doubts. And in the end, He does not demand much at all. Simply that we love Him with all our heart and love our neighbor as ourselves.

By Alexis Dallara-Marsh

Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

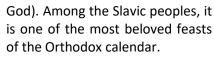
Forty-nine years ago Pope John XXIII opened the Second Vatican Council with these challenging words: "Our duty is not just to guard this treasure, as though it were some museum piece and we the curators, but . . . what is needed at the present time is a new enthusiasm, a new joy and serenity of mind." As the participants in Vatican II proceeded with their deliberations, the first document they produced was the Constitution on the Sacred Liturgy, for they knew that it is from the liturgical life of the Church that everything else we do proceeds.

This seminal document, arrived at after much debate and approved virtually unanimously, set the tone for the entire Council to follow. It also set in motion the liturgical reforms that we are still implementing today. Perhaps no single phrase of the entire Vatican Council has had more influence on the life of the Church over the last half-century as the Constitution on the Liturgy's ringing declaration that "full and active participation by all the people is the aim to be considered before all else."

-Rev. James Field

HOLY PROTECTION OF THE MOTHER OF GOD October 14

A feast of the Mother of God under this title is observed in the Eastern Orthodox and Eastern Catholic Churches. It celebrates the protection afforded the faithful through the intercessions of the *Theotokos* ("God-bearer," Mother of





"Hail Mary, full of grace; the Lord is with thee; blessed art though among women, and blessed is the fruit of thy womb Jesus. Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners, now and at the hour of our death. *Amen*."

Announcement for St. Patrick Parishioners

The St. Patrick parish drive has begun and will run the month of October.

This year your donations will be used to investigate installing an outside security system, repairing the damage caused by the leak in the back, power washing the rectory, re-staining the front church doors and repairing the damage caused by the woodchuck.

There are envelopes in the pews and at the front and back entrances that you can place in the collection basket throughout October. We thank you for your support!

Catholic Daughters Meetings

Catholic Daughters will meet October 21st, 5:30 pm at Sacred Heart Church. We invite all to join! We meet the 3rd Monday at 5:30pm.

St Vincent DePaul

The St. Vincent DePaul Societies from Ss. Peter & Paul and St. James have started meeting together.

They meet on the 4th Monday of the month at the St. James Church hall at 4pm. Anyone who is interested in joining is welcome to attend.

Knights Korner

We are an Order of the Catholic with 1.8 million+throughout the world founded in 1882. Our local council #926 formed in 1904; will celebrate 120 years this Fall. We are men of faith. Guided not only by our belief in God and the Catholic Church, but in each other and in ourselves. Join us and be the "Right Arm of the Catholic Church.

We meet on the 2nd Thursday of the month at 6pm. Contact: tfranco@stny.rr.com or www.kofc.org

Join Our Men's Group!

We have a new men's faith-sharing group for all adult men in the CNIF family of parishes that meets **Saturday mornings from 7-8 am in the St. James church hall.**Come early for coffee at 6:30am and meet others in the group. We will watch a new video each week and discuss it in small groups to help each of us to **become better men, husbands and fathers**.

For more information, text or call Jon Harmon at 630.815.6586.

Kids Corner



The LORD of hosts will prepare a lavish banquet for all peoples on this mountain;

A banquet of aged wine, choice pieces with marrow,

And refined, aged wine. Is 25:6



Jesús, mirándolo, lo amó y le dijo: "Una cosa te falta: one who owned ve y vende cuanto tienes y da a los pobres, y tendrás tesoro en el cielo; y ven, sígueme. Pero él, afligido por estas palabras, se fue triste, porque era dueño de muchos bienes". Mc 10:21-22

English Translation:

"When I keep a lot of stuff it is hard to give anything away, especially myself."

Looking at him,
Jesus felt a love for
him and said to him,
"One think you lack:
go and sell all you
possess and give to
the poor, and you
will have reassure in
heaven; and come,
follow me."
But at these words
he was saddened,
and he went away
grieving, for he was
one who owned
much property.



In Loving Memory Memorial Page

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May their soul and the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace. Amen May the prayers of Mary, the Mother of God, who stood by the cross as Her Son was dying, help those who mourn for our brothers and sisters and accompany all of us in our time of need. Amen

Leroy & Ethel Anderson Christopher Baczynski

Fred Baker

Beaver & Stearns Families

Cora Bonfiglio

Tichy, Horvath & Brunecz Families

Charles E. J. Cassidy

John W. & Mary Fran Patterson Campion

DMO the Crasti & Marino Families

John & Tillie Cusimano

Michael Danielson

Rev. Msgr. Joseph M. Dowdell

DMO the Dominick & O'Hagan Families

Dr. Anthony Floccare

DMO the Floccare & DePetro Families

Stephanie A. Frucella

Alexander Gil

Angelo Giuffre & Maria Cali Families

Glenard A. Grabow

Dr. Joseph & Concetta Griffo

Charles "Charlie" Heggarty

Grunert & Perk Families

Hacker & Tuzzo Families

Hedrich & Peterson Families

Rev. John T. Horne

Hutchinson & Truax Families

L & DMO the Irons & Pfurtscheller Families

For the Soul of Judas Iscariot

Rev. Joseph P. Janaczek

Phyllis Johenning

Andrew B. & Eleanor H. Johnson

Karg & Kurtzhals Families

Kilburn & Hoffman Family

Rev. John L. Kuhlmann

Edda Liuzzo

Giuseppe & Giuseppina Liuzzo

Joseph X. & Mary R. Lombardo

Carol K. Lucas

Marie F. MacNamara

Mareri, O'Kelly, Murphy Families

Frank & Josephine Marcello

Marchiando & Dominici Families

Nina Claire Marsh

Rev. Dennis W. Mende

Mary Jo Mason Montagna

Reinaldo E. & T. Silvia Muniz

Janet & Henry Napier

DMO the Nicastro & Gullo Families

O'Brien, Letro & Plunkett Families

L & DMO the Pappalardo Family

Mary Ann Pappalardo

James Patti

Robert J. Perron

Plummer & McGraw Families & Sisters of

St. Joseph of Buffalo

Tom Prechtl & Katy Guye

Rau & Shepherd Families

DMO Raymond & Raimondo Families

Rieg, Barnes & Pearson Families

James R. Rusiniak

Nicholas & Miriam Rodriguez

B. Muriel Rose

Dr. Joseph & Ruth Rube

L & DMO the Scarpino & Heffern Families

Jim Scully

DMO Belluz & Shay Families

Nicholas W. Shelley

Ross & Josephine Spoto

Swanson & Regan Families

The Twichell Family

Paul Tran, Minh Cong, Anna Nguyen

Kim Hong, Teressa Tran, Kim Loan,

Peter Tran Binh Thanh

Linda J. Wadsworth

Richard & Emily Weimer

Jason M. Williams

Zahler, Cuffney & Green Families

Zunner & Gumienik Family

Robert "Bob" McDowell