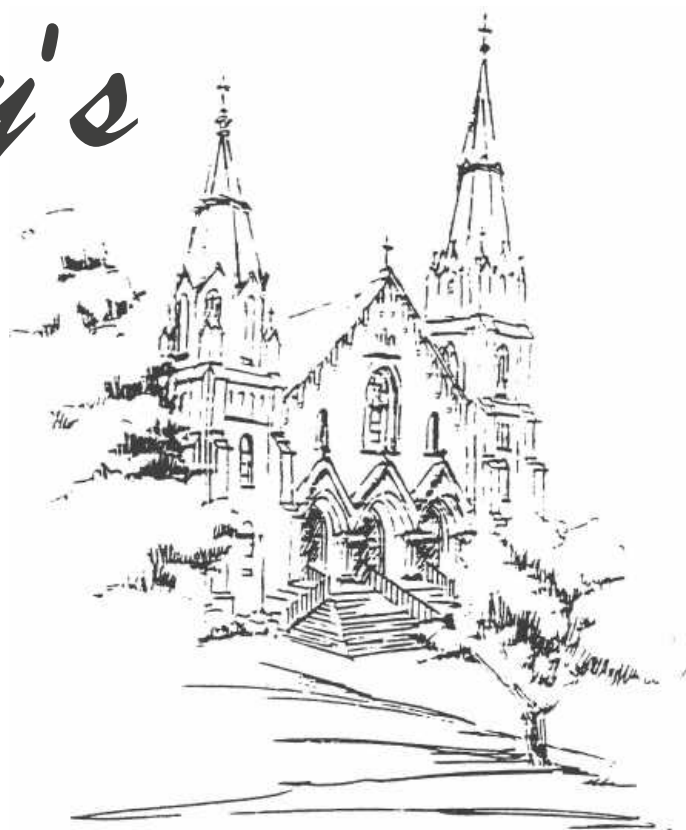


St. Mary's Parish

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Eucharistic Liturgies

Weekend Mass Saturday Vigil 5:15 PM
 Sunday 8:00 AM & 10:30 AM
Weekday Mass Wednesday – Friday 7:00 AM
 Saturday 8:00 AM

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 4:00 – 4:45 PM

Sacrament of Baptism

We joyfully welcome all into our Church family through this sacrament. Parents are asked to please call the rectory 853-2935 to make arrangements. Baptismal preparation meetings are held with the Baptismal Team the first Sunday of the month at 9 AM at St. Mary's School.

Sacrament of Marriage

Couples planning to be married are asked to schedule an appointment with Fr. Croghan at least 6 months before the desired date. Wedding dates cannot be scheduled over the phone. One of the parties being married and/or their parents must be registered members of St. Mary's (Pre-marriage instruction is required).

Prayer Line

If you or any of your loved ones are in need of prayer, please call Margaret – 853-5280, or Pat – 853-5229.

New Parishioners

Welcome! Please introduce yourself after Mass. We invite you to become an active member of our parish community. Please call the parish office to register.

Bulletin Deadline

All announcements for the bulletin should be in writing and submitted to the parish office by Monday noon.



Saturday, June 9 - Vigil Mass

5:15 PM Lewis Balon (16th) by His Family

Sunday, June 10 - The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

8:00 AM Loretta Kaido by Her Family

10:30 AM Anthony Gurdo, Sr. by His Family

Wednesday, June 13 - St. Anthony of Padua

7:00 AM Olga Cruze by Josephine Wolanin

Thursday, June 14

7:00 AM Kathleen Phillips by Her Family

Friday, June 15 - The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus

7:00 AM For the People of the Parish

Saturday, June 16

8:00 AM Laura Atkinson by Peter & Janice Atkinson

5:15 PM - Vigil Mass - M/M Vincent Calidonna by Their Family

Sunday, June 17 - 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 AM Michael Buckley by His Family

10:30 AM John Pandolfi (30th) by the Feola Family

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE DECEASED, HOSPITALIZED, SICK & SHUT-INS OF OUR PARISH



Altar Servers Needed

If you have a child, grades 4 and up, interested in being an Altar Server here in St. Mary's Church, please call Carm Foster at 853-8513.

We will hold a training session based on the number of interested children.

Altar-Rosary Cleaners - 6-16

Joyce & Denny Bojdak

Good News!

June 10, 2012

THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

Ex 24:3-8 / Heb 9:11-15 / Mk 14:12-16, 22-26

I'm a proud regular blood donor. No, I don't particularly enjoy needles or the sight of blood. But my mother trained me at a young age that donating blood is one of the most important things you can do to help people. For less than an hour of your time, a momentary prick, and sugar-laden goodies afterward, you can provide a gift that is unequalled in significance—the life-giving force of blood.

Truly, donating blood is one of the most pro-life actions you can take.

Today we take time to particularly recognize the gift of life we receive each week at the eucharistic table. Jesus is, in a way, the ultimate blood donor. He gives us all of himself—Body and Blood, the fullness of his life—in our eucharistic meal. Just as blood donations can sustain life for the human family, Jesus' gift of his Body and Blood is our sustaining spiritual life force, a symbol of the covenant between God and humanity that is given to us freely and has no equal.

Though I do give blood regularly, I'm able to remember to do so only because my blood center is kind enough to nudge me to sign up again after the eight-week waiting period. We come to the eucharistic table each week, but each time we step forward do we remember how significant this gift is? As we receive, are we aware of Jesus' power within us?

This solemnity gives us that reminder to stay attentive to and grateful for God's gift of the Eucharist.

Janel Esker

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Liturgical Ministers

Time	Altar Servers	Lector	Eucharistic Ministers
8:00 AM (6/16)	NO SERVERS		
5:15 PM (6/16)	Ricky Heintz, Fritz & Betsy Gale	Mary Lou Lauchert	Host - Bill Waldron & Ann Wilkinson Cup - Anne Debraggio, Sue Kielar, Colleen Kannianen & Jan Slawson
8:00 AM (6/17)	Jenny Maxam, Madeline Krasniak & Cheyanne Eisenhut	Bob Burns	Host - Ann Kearney & Jack McNamara Cup - Evelyn Micciche, Chris Kielar, Fran & Gwen Lallier
10:30 AM (6/17)	Marilyn Cirrincione, Lee Ann Chesebro & Abby Hyde	Maryalice Hogan	Host - Carol Fobes & Maryalice Hogan Cup - Joanne Joseph, Sister Johanne, Don & Jane Conniff

Faith Formation

Eucharist is the heart and summit of what it means to be Catholic. The only thing Jesus asks of us for His sacrifice is to go and be His disciples; proclaiming the Good News by our words and deeds.

We are always looking for volunteers for our program. If you are interested and have 2-3 hours a month you could donate to our children, please contact Mary Lou Lauchert at faithformation@stmarys-clinton.com.

TGIF (Teens Gathered in Faith) Youth Group

The next meeting will be this Sunday, June 10, 6:30 PM. Plans for our summer activity will be discussed. All high school teens are invited, so come check us out.

St. James' Rite 13 (middle school group) and TGIF will be sponsoring a family game night at St. Mary's, Friday, June 15, 6-8 PM: Wiffle ball, gym activities or board games will be available. This event is free and for the entire family to enjoy time together with neighbors and friends. Refreshments will be served! Come one, come all for a carefree evening of recreation.

The Country Pantry

Our first Kid's Pak distribution will be on Tuesday, June 26. We ask your help in continuing to fill a Kid's Pak and return it to church. We will need 175 bags each month (June, July and August), in order to give each child a completed bag. If you do not wish to fill a whole bag, we can use items needed in the pak: Canister of lemonade or other pre-sweetened drink, 4-pack of pudding or fruit, snack size raisins, canned spaghetti's, box of crackers, cereal or fruit bars, hot cocoa mix and individual 100% juice boxes. Moms and kids appreciate these little extra treats which help stretch the food dollars and satisfy those ravenous appetites. Hunger never takes a vacation.

Bags will continue to be available throughout the summer on the pamphlet rack in the back of church. Thank you and God bless!

Virtus Training

All employees and volunteers who work with our young here at St. Mary's Church or School MUST have Virtus (Protecting God's Children) training.

Also, adults trained before 2009 will need recertification training. Please go to the Virtus website at www.syracusediocese.org to sign up for a class nearest you. For information, call Carm Foster at 853-8513.

Attention Gardeners

The flowers have been planted. Once again we need your help to care for them during the hot summer months. There is a sheet in the back entrance of the Church for you to sign up for a week to water and weed our garden. If you have any questions, please call Terry Howard at 853-2886. Thank you for your help.

Collection for Last Weekend

Ordinary Collection	\$7,034.00
Holy Day.....	29.00
Faith Formation.....	55.00
School Assessment	32.00
Country Pantry	70.00
Memorial Fund.....	151.00
Diocesan Collections.....	15.00

Second Collection This Weekend

The annual Catholic Communications collection will be taken up at Masses this weekend. Many thanks for your continued generosity!

Liturgy of the Word for Children

Your children, grades K-5, are invited to join in Liturgy of the Word for Children at the 10:30 AM Mass this Sunday. Next session 6/24.

HOPE Appeal

Thank you to our generous parishioners who have made a pledge to the annual HOPE Appeal. So far we have received \$19,185 in pledges towards our assessed goal of \$31,181 - only \$11,996 to go!

Completed pledges may be placed in the collection basket mailed or dropped off at the parish office.


Thanks to all of you who are returning your pledge cards this weekend. Extra envelopes are available next to the bulletins. You can also make a secure online gift or pledge at www.syrdio.org.

Ice Cream Social and Bake Sale

There will be an Ice Cream Social next Sunday after the 10:30 AM Mass in the school gym. There will also be a Bake Sale after all Masses next weekend with all proceeds going to the Country Pantry for back-to-school supplies. If you are able to bake something for the bake sale, please bring it to the gym on Saturday, June 16, after 4 PM. We look forward to seeing everyone coming to the bake sale after each Mass and also to the Ice Cream Social after the 10:30 Mass. Remember it's Father's Day, so bring Dad along so he can have his favorite "sundae" on his day.

Parish Council Elections

Once again it is time to find new folks for two seats on the Parish Council. The Council is an advisory group to the Pastor. We meet every other month to discuss issues of importance to our parish. Each term runs for three years. If you are interested in running, please call Carol at the rectory to put your name in for consideration. The selection will take place at the 10:30 AM Mass on June 17.



Area Events

- 6/10, 10-3 PM - Clinton Fire Department's Cruise In and Chicken BBQ in the Clinton Village Park.
- 6/13, 5-8 PM - Burger & Dog Night at the American Legion Post 232 (Wednesdays 6/6 - 9/5)

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