

July 9, 2017

St. Mary's Parish

13 Marvln Street
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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 – (315)853-5280, or Pat – (315)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, July 8 - Vigil Mass

5:15 PM Alora Rose Siepiola by Her Family
Sunday, July 9 - 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time
 8:00 AM Carol Burns by Annette & Don Foley
 10:30 AM Keith Knight (9th) by Mom & Dad

Wednesday, July 12

7:00 AM For the People of the Parish
Thursday, July 13 - St. Henry
 7:00 AM Richard Ellis by Candice O'Shea

Friday, July 14 - St. Kateri Tekakwitha

7:00 AM John Fraser by Hearts & Hands
Saturday, July 15
 8:00 AM Bob Heintz by Joe Ellis
 5:15 PM Frank & Stella Calidonna by Their Family
Sunday, July 16 - 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time
 8:00 AM Betsy Miller Hughes
 by Terry & Michael Howard
 10:30 AM Carol Burdick by Roxane Malonowski

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

Altar-Rosary Cleaners (7-15)

Laurie Calhoun

Counters (7-16)

Tim Lashinger, Mike & Anne Debraggio

Collection for Last Weekend

Ordinary Collection.....\$4,896.00
 Memorial Fund.....147.00
 Faith Formation.....26.00
 Peter's Pence.....461.00

HOPE Appeal 2017

Thank you to those who have made their pledge to this years HOPE Appeal. If you haven't had a chance, please do so ASAP

St. Mary's has been assessed a goal of \$34,629.51 which we must make or the parish pays the difference. To date we have received pledges of \$30,032.34 - only \$4,597.17 to go!

Mission Appeal/Second Collection Next Weekend

The annual Mission Appeal for the Brothers of the Christian Schools will be held next weekend. The Brothers work in 81 countries where their ministries teach over one million students. The generosity of our parishioners will go directly to help poor students receive an education (and thus, hope for their future) that they would otherwise not be able to attain. Please welcome Brother Joseph Jozwiak, FSC who is the President at Christian Brothers Academy here in Syracuse. Thank you for your generosity!

Country Pantry

We are still collecting items for our next Kid's Pak distribution on Tuesday, July 25. Our needs are Spaghetti's/canned pastas, individual 4/pks of pudding and fruits, cereal bars/granola bars. Our Kid's Paks help families whose children no longer receive school lunches during summer vacation. Hunger never takes a vacation! God bless!

Liturgical Ministers			
Time	Altar Servers	Lector	Eucharistic Ministers
5:15 PM (7-15)	Victoria Maier & Clare Kelly	Mike Debraggio	Host - Bonnie & Bill Waldron Cup - Jan Slawson, Anne Debraggio Mary Lou Lauchert & Ann Wilkinson
8:00 AM (7-16)	Kate & Henry Schweitzer	Kate Krumdieck	Host - Nan LaBrecque & Jeanne Roback Cup - Pam Sprague, Evelyn Micciche, Joe & Tina Lallier
10:30 AM (7-16)	Jesse Dombrowski & Caleb Stanco	John Burdick	Host - Don & Jane Conniff Cup - Jim Suchy, Maryalice Hogan, any available & any available

Liturgy of the Word for Children

Your children, ages 4-9, are invited to join in Liturgy of the Word for Children at the 10:30 AM Mass this Sunday. The next gathering will be Sunday, July 23..

Dear Padre

July 9, 2017

A Family Perspective

Today's gospel is about missionaries. As Jesus received a mission today, parents accept the mission of raising a family. Parents are not alone in this exhausting and difficult mission. Today Jesus tells us "Come to me and I will give you rest."

What should Jesus look like?

When people close their eyes and imagine the person of Jesus, no two images are exactly the same. Our images of Jesus are usually the result of our cultural influences and experiences. When I imagine Jesus, I often call to mind a picture of Jesus that was on one of my first holy cards.

With recent archeological investigation, combined with the work of medical artists who are often called to testify as forensic witnesses in capital murder trials, and finally starting with the assumption that Jesus resembled a typical peasant from first-century Palestine, some clues may have emerged. According to experts like Richard Neave, Jesus was possibly a person with a broad peasant's face, dark olive skin, short curly hair, and a prominent nose. His height would have been on the order of 5 feet 1 inch and he would have weighed about 110 pounds.


Of course, all of this is unnecessary speculation. What is important in matters of faith is not this level of detail but what is expressed and celebrated by the Church - that Jesus became man, born of the Virgin Mary, and we are all offered a share in the divinity of Christ.

Fr. Tom Santa, CSSR

Sundaybulletin@Liguori.org

Source: November 2007 Liguorian

Kirkland Community Bloodmobile
 The Kirkland Community Bloodmobile will be held Thursday, July 13, 1:30-6:30 PM, at the VFW on Franklin Ave., Clinton. New and past blood donors are urgently needed. For an appointment call (315)853-6300 (www.redcrossblood.org). Walk-ins are essential and most welcome.




Handwritten sign found on the wall of Mother Teresa's room

People are often unreasonable, illogical, and self-centered; forgive them anyway.
 If you are kind, people may accuse you of selfish, ulterior motives; be kind anyway.
 If you are successful, you will win some false friends, and some true enemies; be successful anyway.
 If you are honest and frank, people may cheat you; be honest and frank anyway.
 What you spend years building, someone could destroy overnight; build anyway.
 If you find serenity and happiness, others may be jealous; be happy anyway.
 The good you do today, people will forget tomorrow; do good anyway.
 Give the world the best you have, and it may never be enough; give your best anyway.
 For you see, in the final analysis, it is between you and God. It was never between you and them anyway.

Name: _____
 Address: _____
 City & Zip: _____
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