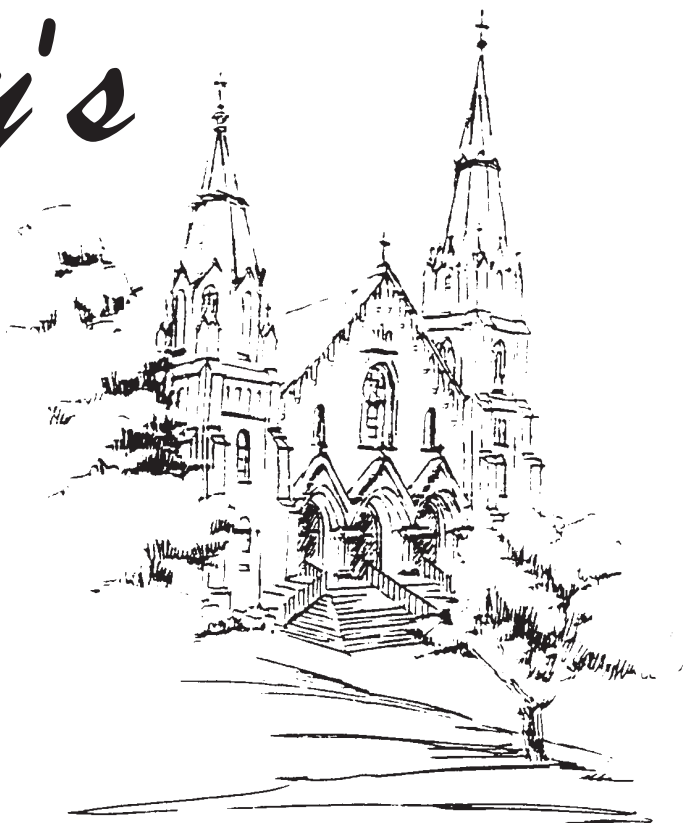


# St. Mary's Parish

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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**

Please call the parish office to make arrangements. Baptisms normally take place on the first and third Sundays at 11:30 AM.

**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, May 14 - Vigil Mass**

5:15 PM Florence O'Brien Green (32nd)  
by Her Son & Family

**Sunday, May 15 - 4th Sunday of Easter**

8:00 AM Jim Benson by Jerry & Pat Dawes  
10:30 AM David & Ethel Timian  
by David & Gail Timian

**Wednesday, May 18 - St. John I**

7:00 AM Mary Rose Crane by Her Family

**Thursday, May 19**

7:00 PM Mary Ann O'Neil by Paul Burns

**Friday, May 20 - St. Bernardine of Siena**

7:00 AM For the People of the Parish

**Saturday, May 21**

8:00 AM Mr. John Hunt by John & Sue King  
5:15 PM - Vigil Mass Albert Moore by His Family

**Sunday, May 22 - 4th Sunday of Easter**

8:00 AM Martin Halpin by Joan  
10:30 AM Beulah Granville by daughter Doris & Family

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

**Altar-Rosary Cleaners - 5-21**

Sally Glouse & Sue King

## Good News!

The power of a familiar voice over the phone amazes me. When my four-year-old nephew calls "Hi, Shaw!" (his nickname for me) over the phone, the very timbre of his voice melts my heart.

Since my husband and I know each other's voices, it takes me by surprise - in a good way - when he calls me by name over the phone instead of saying "Hey, you," or "Hi, sweetie."

Even though I'm an adult, my mother can still tell if I'm sad, angry, or worried just by how I say hello.

The sound of a loved one's voice can be almost as reassuring as the sight of that person next to you.

On this Good Shepherd Sunday, John's Gospel emphasizes the importance of the shepherd's voice. In Jesus' day, multiple flocks often inhabited one sheepfold, so it was key that each sheep become accustomed to its own shepherd's voice.

In this passage, Jesus is referring to himself as the good shepherd, the one who knows and calls each of us by name. But are we familiar with Jesus' voice? Is his voice as recognizable as our spouse's, our child's, our grandparent's?

To become more familiar with Jesus' voice, we must take the necessary time to listen to him. If we're blessed with regular quiet time during the day to listen to Jesus' voice in prayer, we should use it well.

But some of us have only snatches of time - brushing our teeth, waiting in the doctor's office, or taking a shower. All those are timely moments we can use to listen to Jesus, who is always speaking to us in love.

Janel Esker  
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Liturgical Ministers			
Time	Altar Servers	Lector	Eucharistic Ministers
8:00 AM (5/21)	NO SERVERS		
5:15 PM (5/21)	Hannah McHarris, Elizabeth Balch & Jack Hughes	Mike Debraggio	Host - Barb Blatz & Colleen Kannianen Cup - Marybeth King, Anne Debraggio, Beth & Steve May
8:00 AM (5/22)	Samantha Gaffney, Addie & Georgia Zoller	Ron Roback	Host - Chris Kielar & Bob Burns Cup - Jeanne Roback, Evelyn Micciche, Fran & Gwen Lallier
10:30 AM (5/22)	Abby Hyde, Lee Ann Chesebro & Jacob Dombrowski	Mike Cosgrove	Host - Carol Fobes & Ani Sojda Cup - Joanne Joseph, Phyllis Moore, Mary Stuttard & Manuel Teodoro

**Faith Formation**

As our season winds down for the children, plans are already under way for the fall! We are thrilled that our program continues to grow with the number of children participating. As the number of students increase, so does our need for volunteer leaders in the classrooms. If you have been thinking of using your talents in this very rewarding way, please contact me so I can answer any questions you might have. Thank you! Mary Lou Lauchert 853-7630 (h) or 853-6196 ext 3 (o).

**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 next Sunday. (Next session, June 5th.)

**A Family Perspective**

In today's gospel, Jesus tells us, HE IS THE WAY and warns anyone who offers "another way" to happiness is "a thief and a bandit." Strong words! Don't listen to the sales pitch of society for happiness. Look to yourself where God is present and "calls you by name and leads you to abundant life."

**Third Thursday Group**

The Third Thursday meeting has been **changed** due to a scheduling change. It will be held Thursday, **May 26**. Details next week.

**The Country Pantry -  
Pantry Kid's Paks**

Did you notice the brown bags with orange sheets on the front at the church entrances today? These are our new **Kid's Paks** bags.



Again this summer we will include a **Kid's Pak** during our June, July and August distributions. With the school year coming to an end, many children (about 125) will no longer be receiving school lunches. This will put an added burden on their family's already strained budget. We hope to assist them by making available to each child a **Kid's Pak** which will provide them with items to help satisfy those ravenous vacation appetites.

The list of items needed to fill the bag, is pasted on the outside of the bag. If you do not wish to fill a whole bag, we hope that you will be able to supply some of the needed items separately. These extra items can be placed in a regular grocery bag and put in the food box in the back of the church. Many of these things are easily purchased at dollar stores.

We will be collecting these bags until the middle of August so they can be returned any time before then. Our first distribution date is **June 28**. We are most grateful for anything that you can do to help our parents feed their children.

**Collection for Last Weekend**

Ordinary Collection .....	\$5,734.00
Easter.....	575.00
Faith Formation.....	30.00
School Assessment.....	53.00
Country Pantry .....	25.00
Memorial Fund.....	164.00
Fuel.....	20.00
Diocesan Collections.....	100.00

**HOPE Appeal 2011**

Remember to return your pledge card to the parish today. You may place your completed pledges in the collection basket or mail it to the parish office at 13 Marvin Street, Clinton, NY 13323. Many thanks to all of you who are returning your pledge cards this weekend. You can also make a secure online gift or pledge at [www.syrдио.org](http://www.syrдио.org).

St. Mary's assessed goal this year is \$32,469.

**Summer at Camp Nazareth  
and Camp Bethlehem Day Camp**

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Also, check out their web site: [www.campnaz.org](http://www.campnaz.org).

**St. Mary's Hearts and Hands Meeting**

There will be a meeting of St. Mary's Hearts and Hands on Tuesday, May 17, 6:30 PM, in the school. Topics of discussion will include upcoming social and spiritual events for the parish. Won't you try to attend and bring a friend? We are open to any ideas that you may have. Thank you.

**Springtime Bake Sale**

St. Mary's Hearts and Hands will be having a bake sale after all Masses next weekend, May 21/22. Please mark your calendar to stop by at the school gym and purchase your favorite baked goods.



On Sunday, we will also be having a Coffee Hour in conjunction with the bake sale after the 8 AM and 10:30 AM Masses. Won't you join your fellow parishioners after Mass for a cup of coffee and some socializing? For those of you who will be baking for our bake sale, please bring your baked goods to the gym on Saturday after 4 PM or before Masses on Sunday. We look forward to seeing everyone next weekend. We

**Area Events**

- 5/24, 7-8:30 AM - Kirkland Community Prayer Breakfast at the Martin Luther Home
- 5/27-29, St. Paul's Church Annual Spring Bazaar (Friday, 6-11 PM, Saturday, 11-11 PM, Sunday, 12-9 PM)
- 6/12, 11:30 AM - Notre Dame Elementary School Annual Scramble Golf Tournament at Twin Ponds, New York Mills. Check in 11:30 AM, Lunch at noon, 1 PM start. For tickets or information, call John at 732-8661.

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