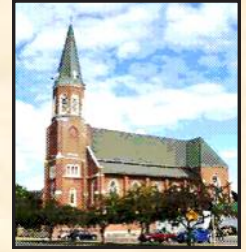




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200 N. James Street
Rome, New York 13440
Pastor: Father Sean P. O'Brien

June 28, 2020



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Congratulations to our First Communion Class

Caroline Adey

Eva Brewer

Robert Centore

Ayden Corigliano

Siobhan Firsching

Tory Glover

Audrianna Granato

Caroline Holtslander

Madelyn Hummel

Madelynn Jayne

Paul Matwijec

Liviella Murphy

Khali Ross

Khaliel Ross

Jude Sestito

Emilio Tardugno

Malaya Tardugno

Spencer Woodman



MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, June 27, 2020 St. Cyril of Alexandria, Bishop & Doctor; BVM (Lam 2:2, 10-14, 18-19; Mt 8:5-17)

Today's Mass will be available online at: www.stmarysstpeters.com

8:00 am Mass for ANNA DELANEY by Bunny Rousseau & Dave Nolan

5:00 pm Vigil Mass for LaRUE PURHENN (Birthday) by Family * RONALD CUSHMAN (21st Anniv) by Wife, Connie
MARY ANN KIMMEL by Friends, Anna Anania & Rose Mattia
BETTY O'CONNOR-REIGLER (Birthday) by Family

Sunday, June 28, 2020 Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (2Kings 4:8-11, 14-16a; Rom 6:3-4; Mt 10:37-42)

Today's Mass will be available online at: www.stmarysstpeters.com

7:00 am Mass for PARISHIONERS OF ST. MARY'S/ST. PETER'S

9:00 am Mass for ROBERT HALEY by Family

11:00 am Mass for JON TARBANIA by Ann Peach Lynch

Monday, June 29, 2020 Sts. Peter & Paul, Apostles (Acts 12:1-11; 2Tim 4:6-8, 17-18; Mt 8:23-27)

Today's Mass will be available online at: www.stmarysstpeters.com

7:00 am Mass for PAUL DELLA CONRADA by Family * SPECIAL INTENTION by Joan Pinti
JOSEPH & FRANCES COLUCCIO by Lorrie

Tuesday, June 30, 2020 The First Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church (Am 3:1-8, 4:11-12; Mt 8:6, 23-27)

Today's Mass will be available online at: www.stmarysstpeters.com

7:00 am Mass for LORETTA HOWE by Family

Wednesday, July 1, 2020 USA St. Junipero Serra, Priest (Am 5:14-15, 21-24; Mt 8:28-34)

Today's Mass will be available online at: www.stmarysstpeters.com

7:00 am Mass for BONNIE McWAYNE by Family

Thursday, July 2, 2020 (Am 7:10-17; Mt 9:1-8)

Today's Mass will be available only online at: www.stmarysstpeters.com

7:00 am Mass for the PARISHIONERS OF ST. MARY'S/ST. PETERS

Friday, July 3, 2020 St. Thomas, Apostle (Eph 2:19-22; Jn 20:24-29)

Today's Mass will be available online at: www.stmarysstpeters.com

7:00 am Mass for BARBARA EISINGER by Dad

Saturday, July 4, 2020 Independence Day, BVM (Am 9:11-15; 9:14-17; Mt 9:14-17)

Today's Mass will be available online at: www.stmarysstpeters.com

8:00 am Mass—We honor all Americans in this land of Freedom as we pray for Peace & Justice in our Country

5:00 pm Vigil Mass for BARBARA RHUDE by Family * JAMES GRIFASI by the Family of Anthony Petrelli, Sr.
ROBERT FROELICH (21st Anniv) by Wife, Pauline

Sunday, July 5, 2020 Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Zec 9:9-10; Rom 8:9, 11-13; Mt 11:25-30)

Today's Mass will be available online at: www.stmarysstpeters.com

7:30 am Mass for EDWARD & MARY ONDRAKO (Wedding Anniv) by Son, Richard

JULIO & CARMELA DeLUTIS by Bridget DeLutis & Family

FRANK CALICCHIA (Wedding Anniv) by Wife, Lorayne

10:00 am Mass for JOSEPH DeMATTEO by Robert and Barbara Brady * CATHERINE HUNZIKER by Family
DOROTHY FORCE by Goddaughter, Mary Ann * ANNA MAE DELANEY by Bill and Mary Halpin

"Daily Mass" from St. Peter's Church is available on the parish website: www.stmarysstpeters.com

Please remember our family, friends and parishioners in our prayers

Georgie Amodio
Paula Bailey
Raymond Barbar, Jr
Doris Barry
Joseph Beasock III
Karen Bieksza
James Brooks
Lorayne Calicchia
Stephanie Calicchia
Mary Carmody
Nick Coonrod
John Cordsen
Alice Dears
Tom Delpico
Barry Dunning
Sarah Eastup
Al Eisinger
Paul Eisinger
Robyn Engle

Bill Evans
Ron Fazio
Judith Ann Fesner
Joan Fiaschetti
Carol Fasick
Diana Fowler
Julianna Fusco
Lauri Fusco
Augusta Ginsburg
Scott Ginsburg
Amanda Gold
Gail Greene
Donald Hartman
Billy Jo Hidenbrandt
John Hedrington
Joshua Hedrington
John Hinman
Barbara Joanis

Carol Johnson
David Johnston
Lena Johnston
Paula Johnston
Megan Jones
Jennie Kemp
Gary Koster
Paul LaSalle
Teresa La Salle
Bill : "Dobbie" Link
Lori Losowski
Anne Lubecki
Geoff Marchione
Russell Marchione
Pat Melioris
David, Liz and Mitzi
Marcelletta
Patrick McLaughlin

Brian McQueen
Joe Migeroll
Tom Moonan
Ann Moster
Phil Murphy
Beverly Nasci
Tari-Lyn Orton
Debbie Pacicca
Barbara Pazdur
Clair Papadametrious
Jim Pekarski
Rachel Pawlikowski
Datie Ponath
John Preski
Patrick Quinn
James Rank
Bill Reese
Catherine Roman

Robert Roman
Lisa Ryder
Kelly Sabia
Jacqueline Schatche
John Schatche
Brian Schilling
Thomas Serra
Emmalynn Sharrow
Alexander Simpson
Freja Emily Simpson
Kaye Skinner
Russell Smith
Spencer Robert Smith
Blanche Sweatman
Anne Toepp
Dominick Tuzzolino
Vito Waterman
John Wright
Ray "Dusty" Whitman

Please call the rectory for additions, deletions and corrections.

REGULAR MASS SCHEDULE
All Masses at St. Peter's Church

PLEASE NOTE THE SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE CHANGES BEGINNING JULY 4-5

SATURDAY Vigil MASS 5:00 pm
SUNDAYS 7:30 am * 10:00 am
Weekdays Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday 7:00 am
 Saturday 8:00 am
Holydays 7:00 am * 12:10 pm * 5:30 pm Vigil

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION/CONFESSION
 Saturday 4:15-4:45 pm

SACRAMENTS OF MATRIMONY/ MARRIAGE AND/OR SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM
 Please call the Rectory Office for information

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK FOR THE HOMEBOUND AND THOSE IN THE HOSPITAL
 When a family member or friend may be in need of anointing, please call the Rectory Office.

HOSPITAL
 It is important that a family member indicate that the person being admitted to the hospital is a Catholic and belongs to a certain parish. Our Parish Ministers visit the hospital almost everyday.

PARISH STAFF

Director of Faith Formation: Laura Mack
Organist: Barry Russo
Office Administration: Sharon Hansen
Administrative Assistant: Sister Rosaire Anne DeMare, CSJ
Bulletin: Kathy Miller
Maintenance Director: Mark Lagasse
Cemetery Superintendent: St. Peter's and St. Mary's Joseph Fusco

PARISH ORGANIZATION and PARTICIPATION

Altar Rosary Society: Mary Wahl
St. Peter's Senior Group: W. Warren Sickles, Jr
Readers and Eucharistic Ministers: Kathy Miller
Scripture Study: Betty Pettinelli
Prayer Group: Barbara Thomas
Funeral Preparations: Barbara Thomas
Hospital Visitations: Jim Flemming

Volunteers are needed as: Altar Servers * Lectors
 Eucharistic Minister * Collection helpers
 Ushers * Choir * Greeters
 Please call the rectory for more information.

PARISH COUNCIL
Meetings are held on the 2nd Tuesday of each month at 7 pm
Father Sean O'Brien, Pastor
 Kevin Barry, President * Betty Pettinelli, Vice President
 Joseph Maurer, Trustee St. Peter's * Dale Rashford, Trustee St. Mary's
 Joseph Stanton, Trustee St. Peter's * Bernard Kaier, Trustee St. Mary's
 Michael Adey * Ginny Craiglow * Sister Rosaire Anne De Mare
 Edward Donohue * Doug Holdridge * Carol Kaun * Joan Lamb
 Laura Mack * Marguerite Maurer * Patrick Reilly
 Deacon Nicholas Rosher

MEMORIAL FUND DONATIONS

In Mission of the Christ Child
In Memory of Angela Messineo
 from a Friend

Donation
 from Connie Cushman

ALTAR AND SANCTUARY CARE

June: Mary Wahl * Fran Rose
July: Susan Mullin * Mary Ellen Utter

HOSPITAL VISITATION
TEMPORALY SUSPENDED

Please continue to support our parish by mailing in your weekly donation or visit our website and donate on-line. IF YOU ARE MAILING IN YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS, PLEASE INCLUDE YOUR WEEKLY ENVELOPES.
Thank you

A SPECIAL NOTE:
 For those who find it difficult to walk, etc. The front pews across the Church are reserved for you. Communion can be brought to your pew. If anyone needs Communion in any pew, please indicate that to the Minister of the Eucharist who will assist the person in need.

HEARING AIDS:
 Assistive hearing devices are available for loan in the Sacristy before Mass.

SECOND COLLECTION ON JUNE 28 IS FOR PETER'S PENCE

Help Us Grow:

Did you know that your weekly contributions can be debited automatically from your checking or savings account or processed using your credit or debit card? Our electronic giving program offers convenience for you and provides much-needed donation consistency for our parish. Simply scan the QR code using your phone's QR code reader or go to stmarysstpeters.com and locate **DONATE** in the menu. Questions? Give us a call: 315-336-5072



St. Mary's /St. Peter's Collection	
<u>June 21, 2020</u>	
Regular Collection	\$7,716.00
Electronic Giving	\$1,508.34
Make-Ups	\$ 651.00
Total:	\$ 9,675.34

THE FOLLOWING PARISH EVENTS HAVE BEEN CANCELLED

Wednesday, **Scripture Class on St. Matthew** at 6:00 pm in St. Peter's Church Hall
Wednesday, **Scripture Sharing** to reflect on the Readings for Sunday
Liturgy at 10:00 am in St. Peter's Church Hall.
Wednesday, **Prayer Group** at 7 pm at St. Mary's Parish Center



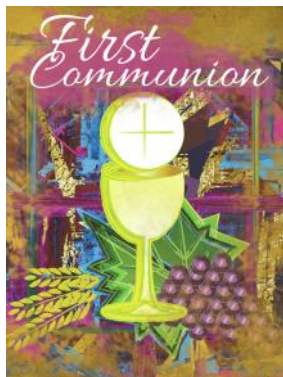
Faith Formation

June 29th marks the Solemnity of Saints Peter and Paul. We know that each of these men were devout followers of Jesus, and led others to follow Jesus as well.

But, did you know? Saints Peter and Paul were not always true to Jesus. St. Peter, on the night of the Last Supper, denied Jesus three times. St. Paul, before his conversion experience, persecuted the followers of Jesus. These very holy men had some unholy moments in their lives.

Jesus chose them to share his Good News *in spite of* their imperfections – or maybe *because of* those imperfections. That's great news for each of us! None of us are perfect, but we can do our best to share the Good News of Jesus with those around us. Through prayer, attending Mass, and celebrating the sacraments we can draw closer to Jesus and become better disciples each day.

**he Faith Formation Office remains open.
Feel free to email or call us!**



**LECTORS, EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS
AND ALTAR SERVERS**

**PLEASE PICK UP YOUR MASS
SCHEDULE FOR JULY, 2020
IN THE SACRISTY.**

**ALTAR ROSARY
SOCIETY**

**ARS Meetings are cancelled
until further notice.**

The Altar Rosary Society is always welcoming new members to join our organization. We are a productive and fun group of ladies and would love to see you come to see what we are all about. Your time and talents are needed!!!!

The "Merry Makers" Meeting Schedule

Knitters & Crocheters:

No meetings until further notice

Sewing Group

No meetings until further notice

We need **SEWERS** to sew at home and/or to sew with us at our monthly meetings. You need not be an expert. If you can sew a straight seam, please consider joining "Merry Makers".

For additional information:

Cate Powers

315-337-2289 315-225-7900

*Bishop Douglas Lucia has written a special
Novena Prayer for an end to the
Coronavirus Pandemic*

**NOVENA PRAYER
FOR AN END TO THE
CORONAVIRUS PANDEMIC**

*O Mary, full of grace, Patroness of this nation
and Mother of the Church, in this time of illness and
worldwide need we seek your intercession
for the human family before your Son's
throne of grace and mercy.*

*We ask for strength in adversity, health in weakness,
and comfort in sorrow. Help us, O Blessed Mother,
to be filled with confidence and trust in the tender
compassion of our God. Let us not be afraid,
like our own Saint Marianne Cope, who entrusted
her life and ministry among the outcasts of society
into the care of our Divine Physician.*

*Continue to watch over all who are sick as well as
those who care for them and give wisdom
to all who are seeking a cure.*

We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen

This is a nine-day prayer which can be found at:
thecatholicsun.com

*We welcome
Deacon Dan Caughey to
St. Mary's/St. Peter's Parish.
Deacon Dan will be with us
during the summer.*

FAMILY PERSPECTIVE
Body and Blood of Christ (Jn. 6:51-58)
Provided by the Hope Appeal Funds
Parenting is a Eucharistic activity because from the first moment of conception children consume us, our flesh, blood, energy, time and resources. If we don't sacrifice ourselves, our children would not have life. This is the priesthood of parenting. Christ is present in this self-sacrifice.

FORMATION FOR MINISTRY



Canon Law & Ministry Workshop

Wednesday, August 26, 2020
9 am-3pm
Christ the King Retreat House
Syracuse, N.Y.

With Father Christopher Seibt

The Office of Formation for Ministry is collaborating with the Office of Catechesis to offer a workshop on Canon Law. This workshop is open to anyone with an interest in this topic as well as FFM students and alumni. Details and registration information will be shared when available.

**Formation For Ministry
COMMISSIONING
CERERMONY**

Sunday, September 20, 2020
2:30 PM
Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception
Syracuse, N.Y.
All are welcome

Hospice and Palliative Care
Services available
When someone is seriously ill or are suffering from the pain that comes from dealing with loss. They are a resource for you. If you have a family member who needs guidance for themselves or a loved one, we can help.
Contact Joanne Moskal 315-735-6484 for more information.

**ADORATION
of the Blessed Sacrament
AT TRANSFIGURATION
Church Chapel**
Adoration times will be from 7 am to 9 pm with 2 adorers required for each hour.
To sign up or for questions call Bernadette Kapps at 315-337-5439.



BEREAVEMENT GROUP
at St. Paul's Parish Center
For Information:
Call Celeste 315-794-9851



PRAYER FOR OUR TROOPS
Lord, hold our troops in your loving hands. Protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families for the selfless act they perform for us in our time of need, and give us peace. Amen.

"Stations of the Cross" from St. Peter's Church are available for viewing on the parish website. stmarysstpeters.com

Dear Padre,

Why is a lighted candle always in front of the tabernacle in my church?

The General Instruction of the Roman Missal states that “a special lamp...should shine permanently to indicate the presence of Christ and honor it.” In the past, this candle was to be made of fine-quality beeswax. Now it can be fueled by either wax or oil, with no specification of the kind or quality (GIRM 316).

This use of a candle or oil lamp is not new to Christianity. We see the use of lamps near the Holy of Holies, a room in the Temple of Jerusalem. The vision of the heavenly throne room, portrayed vividly in the Book of Daniel, describes the use of lamps in front of the divine throne. In our own day, a perpetual flame honors the dead at the graves of the Unknown Soldier and President John F. Kennedy.

Some pastors ask parishioners to help purchase these candles and lamps. In return, these lamps are lighted for the intentions of donors, making these candles also acts of petition before the reserved Eucharist.

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Pope Francis asks us to pray for one of his published intentions each month. To pray with the Pope daily Visit: clicktopray.org

June Intentions

We pray that all those who suffer may find their way in life, allowing themselves to be touched by the Heart of Jesus.

Lord Jesus, gentle and humble in heart.. It is in You that we find rest for our agitations and the healing that frees us from evil and our selfishness. Full of faith, we ask You: Make our hearts like Yours, full of mercy and compassion, able to forgive and give meaning and joy to those who need it most, especially for those who live in greater suffering. Make each of us, members of the Pope's Worldwide Prayer Network, true disciples and apostles of his mission of compassion for the world. Our Father. . .



**CHRIST THE KING
RETREAT AND
CONFERENCE CENTER**

SPIRITUAL REFLECTION
with Brother Don Bisson, FMS
Saturday, July 22, 2020
10:00 am—3:00 pm

**CHRIST THE KING
RETREAT HOUSE
NEEDS VOLUNTEERS**
To help spruce up our gardens while maintaining social distancing. If you would like to help, please email us at ctkretreat@syrdio.org and we will make the necessary arrangements.

For more information regarding events call: 315-446-2680

“DON’T GIVE UP ON ME”

An evening with
Darryl Strawberry
Life after baseball.
I finally found my purpose in life.

Tuesday, September 23, 2020
6 to 7 pm Autograph signing
Dinner at 7 pm
Memorabilia Raffle
Tickets \$75
Call the Good News Center for tickets (315-735-6210)
Or visit the goodnewscenter.org



Please call for more info
315-735-6210

**DAY OF PRAYER
AND REFLECTION**

WOMEN AT THE WELL
Good News Center
Last Tuesday of each Month