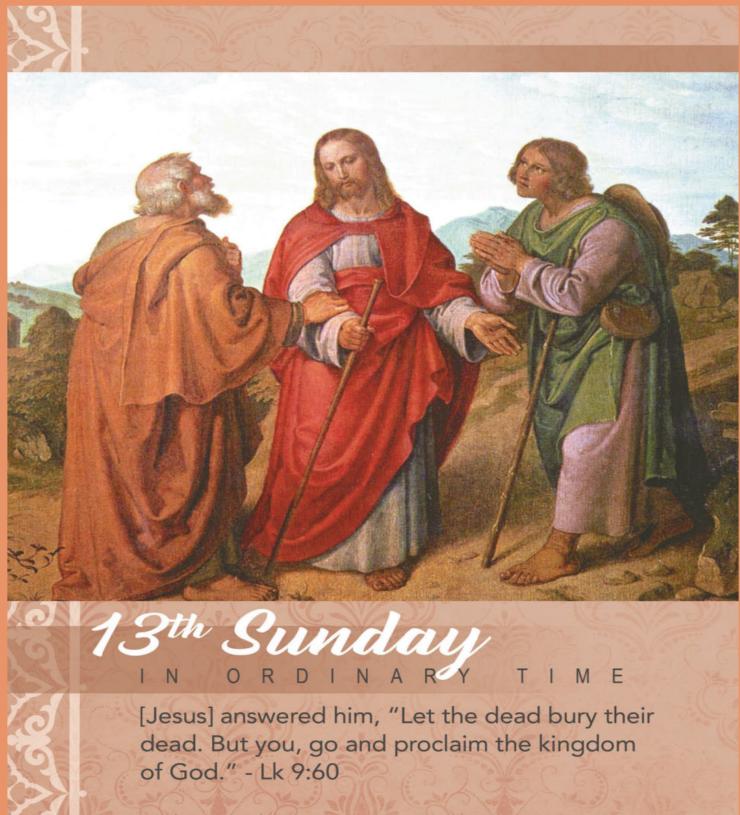
St. Peter's Parish Rome, New York June 26, 2022



MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, June 25, 2022 The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary

8:00am ANTOINETTE & MARK SANITA by Granddaughter, Kim

5:00pm CORA SUE HOWE by Judith Destito

JAMES & MARK GRIFASI by Marie & Family

<u>Sunday, June 26, 2022 Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time</u>

7:30am LEONA MYERS by Judy Destito * MARY ANN ZINGER by Pat Johnson & Connie Cushman CATHY "Murph" CLEM (Living) by Pete Wood

10:00am THOMAS HURLEY by Jeanette Řeid * JOHN F. KELLY (B'day) by Family

GAYLORD & RUTH MILLER (Wedding Anniv.) by Daughter, Kathy KENNETH BEASOCK by Pam & Steve Hunt * CHRISTINE MEYERS by Pam & Steve Hunt 6:00pm THOMAS PETERS (Anniv.) by The Stanton Family

Monday, June 27, 2022 Saint Cyril of Alexandria, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

7:00am DONALD MCLELLAN (B'day) by The McLellan Family PETER Z. FITZIK (Anniv.) by Loving Sister Pat

SMSGT. JERRY JACOBS by Pat Johnson & Garrett Johnson

Tuesday, June 28, 2022 Saint Irenaeus, Bishop and Martyr

7:00am JON TARBANIA by Ann Peach

Wednesday, June 29, 2022 Saints Peter and Paul, Apostles

7:00am KAREN READ (Living) by Cathy Clem

<u>Thursday, June 30, 2022</u> 7:00am NO MASS

Friday, July 1, 2022

7:00am JACK HURLEY by Charlie & Gretchen Sprock

<u>Saturday, July 2, 2022</u>

8:00am ANTOINETTE & MARK SANITA by Granddaughter, Kim 5:00pm FRANK SMITH SR. by Children **CORA SUE HOWE** by Chris & Sharon Hansen JULIE PANGBOURNE by John Giarruso

Sunday, July 3, 2022 Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30am WILLIAM MELLEN (Anniv.) by Ann & Roger Mellen 10:00am WILLIAM WHOOTEN (Anniv.) by Children & Grandchildren JOHN F. KELLY by Family ELIZABETH BAUER by Chris & Sharon Hansen 6:00pm PRO POPULO

> Sunday Mass and Holy Days of Obligation from St. Peter's Church are now live streamed & available on the parish website: www.stmarysstpeters.com.

Please remember our families, friends and parishioners in your prayers.

Michelle A. Barbara K. Acchino Georgie Amodio Leonard Amodio Jayne Atwood Paula Bailey Raymond Barbar Jr. Fr. Gabriel Berko Chris Bousalis **Jimmy Brognano** James Brooks Carla Cacciatori Lorayne Calicchia Stephanie Calicchia Mary Carmody Adam Carpenter Annie Cimo John Cordsen Alex D'Argenio Melody Darrow Tom Delpico Sr. Rosaire DeMare

Barry Dunning Paul Eisinger Robyn Engle Carol Fasick **Beatrice Ferguson** Judith Ann Fesner Joan Fiaschetti James Flemming **Diana Fowler** Julianna Fusco Lauri Fusco Joanne Gaffey Augusta Ginsburg Scott Ginsburg Amanda Gold Gail Greene **Denis Hartman** John Hedrington Joshua Hedrington Mike Henry William Herrig, Jr. Billy Jo Hildenbrandt

Robin Hurd Joan Jacobs Jesse Johnson Lena Johnston Megan Jones Jennie Kemp Theresa Lanigan Bill "Dobbie" Link Michael Loso Anne Lubecki Francis Lust David, Liz, Mitzi Marcelletta Geoff Marchione **Russell Marchione** Patti Mastrangelo Nicole Mathe Marybeth Matyasik Brian McQueen Carol Misiaszek Michael Mizgala Ann Moster

Sonia Myers Beverly Nasci Dale Newman Debbie Pacicca **Clair Papadametrious** Rachel Pawlikowski Barbara Pazdur Jim Pekarski Carol Piatt Datie Ponath Paul Powers Patrick Quinn **Bill Reese** Francine Riolo John Ritchie Catherine Roman Robert Roman Lisa Ryder Kelly Sabia Jacqueline Schachte John Schachte Brian Schilling

Bradley Sharpstene Thomas Serra Emmalynn Sharrow Alexander Simpson Freja Emily Simpson Spencer Robert Smith Sharon Sprague John Stark Gabriel Streiff Neil Sutherland Blanche Sweatman Anne Toepp Barbara Thomas Rylin Turley Fr. Corey VanBuren Francis Rosario Vitale Vito Waterman Ray "Dusty" Whitman Patricia Willis John Wright Bernice Young Cathy Ziemba



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Join us for "Monumental", our Vacation Bible School program. Monday, July 11– Friday, July 15 from 9-11:30AM.

Visit the Faith Formation website for the online registration link. www.smspfaith.com

JESUS' LITTLE FRIENDS

Jesus Little Friends Booklets will still be available at the exits during the summer months.

Follow us at: St. Mary's/St. Peter's Faith Formation Facebook page.

FORMATION IN A MINUTE...

On June 29 the Church celebrates the feast day of Saints Peter & Paul.

Peter, who was named Simon, was a fisherman of Galilee and was introduced to the Lord Jesus by his brother Andrew, also a fisherman. Jesus gave him the name Cephas (Petrus in Latin), which means 'Rock,' because he was to become the rock upon which Christ would build His Church.

Peter was a bold follower of the Lord. He was the first to recognize that Jesus was "the Messiah, the Son of the living God," and eagerly pledged his fidelity until death. In his boldness, he also made many mistakes, however, such as losing faith when walking on water with Christ and betraying the Lord on the night of His passion.

Yet despite his human weaknesses, Peter was chosen to shepherd God's flock. The Acts of the Apostles illustrates his role as head of the Church after the Resurrection and Ascension of Christ. Peter led the Apostles as the first Pope and ensured that the disciples kept the true faith.

St. Paul was the Apostle of the Gentiles. His letters are included in the writings of the New Testament, and through them we learn much about his life and the faith of the early Church.

Before receiving the name Paul, he was Saul, a Jewish pharisee who zealously persecuted Christians in Jerusalem.

Saul's conversion took place as he was on his way to Damascus to persecute the Christian community there. As he was traveling along the road, he was suddenly surrounded by a great light from heaven. He was blinded and fell off his horse. He then heard a voice saying to him, "Saul, Saul, why do you persecute me?" He answered: "Who are you, Lord?" Christ said: "I am Jesus, whom you are persecuting."

Saul continued to Damascus, where he was baptized and his sight was restored. He took the name Paul and spent the remainder of his life preaching the Gospel tirelessly to the Gentiles of the Mediterranean world.

St. Augustine of Hippo said of Saints Peter and Paul: "Both apostles share the same feast day, for these two were one; and even though they suffered on different days, they were as one. Peter went first, and Paul followed. And so we celebrate this day made holy for us by the apostles' blood. Let us embrace what they believed, their life, their labors, their sufferings, their preaching, and their confession of faith."

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THE SANCTUARY LAMP

Will burn the week of **June 26, 2022** In Memory of **JOHN F. KELLY** (Birthday) By Family

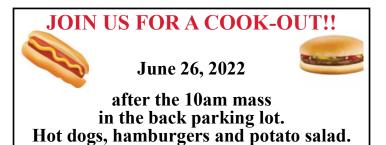
WINDOW FUND DONATIONS

In Memory of Michelle Adey by William & Mary Carmel Wolf Chad Wolf byWilliam & Mary Carmel Wolf

> Cecilia Dunn by Nicole Mathe Stephan A Mathe by Nicole Mathe

PARISH CENSUS INFORMATION

Forms are still available in the sacristy. **PLEASE** pick up a form and return it in the collection basket at your next attended mass. The last Parish census was taken in the year 2000. This census will update and maintain current parishioners' information. **All information will be confidential**.



A PRAYER FOR UKRAINE

Loving God, We pray for the people of Ukraine, for all those suffering or afraid, that you will be close to them and protect them. We pray for world leaders, for compassion, strength and wisdom to guide their choices. We pray for the world that in this moment of crisis, we may reach out in solidarity to our brothers and sisters in néed. May we walk in your ways so that peace and justice become a reality for the people of Ukraine and for all the world. Amen.

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.

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WHO LOVES A PARADE???

St. Peter's Parish will be participating in the HONOR AMERICA DAY PARADE.

The parade will take place on July 30, 2022. at 10:00AM. Anyone interested walking along the St. Peter's Church float is welcomed to come!!! Sign up sheets will be available as we get closer to the date.

The Parade begins on North James St opposite Rome Memorial Hospital and continues south past the intersections of Cedar, Oak, Walnut, Sycamore, Pine, Locust, Linden, Maple and Garden as the units positioned on those streets join the parade when the last unit of each street passes by. The parade continues on N James past the intersections of Bloomfield and Thomas. All turn right on to West Embargo, go past N Washington, and are recognized as they pass the reviewing stand opposite the Rome VFW building., and turn left on to North George St. The Parade ends as it passes the George/ Liberty intersection.

Later that evening at 8pm, Symphoria will perform popular show tunes, rousing marches, and a celebration of the American spirit at 8pm at Fort Stanwix National Monument, along with cannon fire, the ringing of church bells, and a spectacular fireworks display!



GREETING CARD MINISTRY

If anyone knows of a St. Mary's/St. Peter's parishioner who is ill, in a nursing home or home bound, and would like to receive a greeting card, call Debbie Pinti 315-337-5982 or email <u>debbiepinti5@gmail.com</u> with the person's name and address. Our team will gladly send them a greeting card to brighten their day. *Thank you in advance for all your help!*

Altar Rosary Society CONGRATULATIONS TO THE WINNERS OF OUR BASKET RAFFLE

Boat– Mary Shantz Doll– Susan Bassi

Thank you to everyone for your generous support of the Altar Rosary Society. Our next Big Raffle will begin at the Parish Picnic. See you then!

As always we invite the ladies of our parish to attend one of our meetings to see what we are all about. We are a fun, productive group who are an active, working organization whose mission is giving service to our church, our clergy and our parishioners.

Thank you for your continued support. Without our parishioners our mission would not be successful.

ALTAR AND SANCTUARY CARE

JUNE: Judy Panara Barbara Brady JULY: Tina Brognano Bre Kubik

MERRY MAKERS

Our next meeting: Wednesday, July 13, 6-9 pm (Refreshments, light h'ors d'œuvre and desserts will be served) For more information: Cate Powers (315)225-7900

<u>Winner of the YARN CHALLENGE</u> Diane Sjodahl "Congratulations Diane"

Thank you to all those who have donated yarn and material to Merry Makers. We are so grateful for your help.

Thank you also to our new members who are making it possible for us to reach more who want our services. You are greatly appreciated.

THE MISSION OF THE CHRIST CHILD

The Food Pantry is an all volunteer team that distributes free food to low and middle-income families from the mission office at 400 Floyd Ave. every Tuesday. If you are interested in joining our volunteer team, please call or text the Mission at 315-271-4849

> June 21, 2022 The Mission Served:

Children:	56
Adults:	90
Seniors:	35

Total Fed: 181

Thanks to all the volunteers that staff the Mission Food Pantry each week and to all of the parishioners that generously support the Mission with food donations and financial contributions.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

112 Ridge Street Rome, New York

The next business meeting of the Knights of Columbus Council #391 will take place on **September 15, 2022 at 7PM** at Council Hall, 112 Ridge Street, Rome. It will be preceded at **6:30PM** by the Holy Rosary.



The faithful are encouraged to pray the Rosary, especially on the 22nd of each month, with the intention that the Supreme Court will decide that laws which protect the unborn are not in conflict with the US Constitution.

Please say this prayer to adopt spiritually an unborn child: "Jesus, Mary and Joseph, I love you very much. I beg you to spare the life of the unborn baby that I have spiritually adopted who is in danger of abortion." Venerable Fulton J. Sheen

The Knights are looking for interested Catholic males over 18 to join and help support our area churches and community. For information to learn about the Knights call **315-337-4010** or join online at <u>kofc.org/join us</u> and use **Council 391**.

Special Note: In celebration of the recent beatification of our founder, Fr. Michael J. McGivney, men are now eligible to join, or re-join, the Knights of Columbus through the end of 2022 at no cost. Men can join online at kofc.org/join us using promo code **MCGIVNEY2020**. Mention Rome Council #391 and we will be automatically notified.

ROME AREA VETERAN'S SUPPORT GROUP

Rome area Veteran's support group meetings are held the 1st Sunday of every 2nd month at St. Paul's Parish Center. The next support group will meet on August 7th at 1:00PM. We welcome all for fellowship, to receive or provide support and to have a light lunch. For more info call Jim Nichter at 315-339-1221 or Gene Blackburn at 315-225-1520 for more info.

BEREAVEMENT GROUP at ST. PAUL'S PARISH

Meetings are held the second Sunday of the month. For more information call Celeste 315-794-9851

Next meeting is July 10th at 2:00pm in the parish hall.

A FAMILY PERSPECTIVE

Thirteenth Sunday

Today's gospel reminds us once we set our "hand to the plow" of parenting and marriage, "We cannot look back." This is what commitment means: We have said **YES** to what was, what is and what is to be.



Pope Francis asks us to pray for one of his published intentions each month. To pray with the Pope daily visit: <u>clicktopray.org</u>

JUNE INTENTION

FOR FAMILIES

We pray for Christian Families around the world; may they embody and experience unconditional love and advance in holiness in their daily lives.

TEACH YOUR CHILDREN TO PRAY

Kids will enjoy learning through simple rhymes while adults will also benefit from the solid truth in God's promises.

GRACE BEFORE & AFTER MEALS



BEFORE: Bless us, O Lord, and these Thy gifts, which we are about to receive from Thy bounty, through Christ our Lord. Amen.

AFTER: We give Thee thanks for all Thy benefits, O Almighty God, who lives and reigns world without end. Amen. May the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED: Altar Servers * Lectors Eucharistic Ministers * Ushers * Choir * Greeters Funeral Ministry Please call the rectory for more information.

315-336-5072



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GRIEF SURVIVORS GROUP

The only people who think there is a time limit for grief, have never lost a piece of their heart. Please join us for this **FREE**, **non-denominational** support group for those suffering the loss of a loved one. Meetings help you face the difficulty associated with losing a loved one. For those who prefer to do so, the program is also being offered via Zoom. Meetings are every other Tuesday from 6-7:30PM. Upcoming meetings are June 21st, and July 5th.

Please call the Good News Center at **315-735-6210 Monday** –**Friday 8:30AM-4:30PM** to register for both in-person or virtual meetings or email us at info@thegoodnewscenter.org.

ROSARY WALK WITH SUMMER PICNIC

Please join us for the **17th annual Rosary Walk** led by Mike Dziura on our beautiful *Peace Trail* here at The Good News Center on Wednesday, August 10th at 6PM. We will have a summer picnic which includes a sandwich, salad and sundae beforehand for everyone to enjoy from 5-5:45PM. The cost is \$10.00 per person and paid reservations are required by August 3rd. There will also be a rosary prayed on the Center lawn for those unable to walk the trail. Incase of inclement weather, we will pray the rosary in our Chapple. All are welcome.

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