

St. Peter's Parish
Rome, New York
May 26, 2024

**THE FATHER,
THE SON,
AND THE
HOLY SPIRIT.**

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THE MOST HOLY TRINITY • THE MOST HOLY TRINITY



MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, May 25, 2024 St. Bede the Venerable, Priest and Doctor of the Church; St. Gregory VII, Pope; St. Mary Magdalene de'Pazzi, Virgin; BVM

8:00am **ROBYN ENGLE** by Debbie Myslinski
 5:00pm **JAMES AND ELLEN DUNN, VIRGINIA DUNN, SNJM** by Family

Sunday, May 26, 2024 THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

8:00am **SALOME HUEY** (Anniv) by Family * **ROBYN ENGLE** by Nancy Engle
 10:00am **HELEN O'BRIEN** (B'day) by Victoria O'Brien * **TERRI LANIGAN** by Your Loving Sisters
 6:00pm **RAYMOND BUCK** by Family

Monday, May 27, 2024 St. Augustine of Canterbury, Bishop, Memorial Day

7:00am **ROBERT BOHNING** by Germaine LeFevre

Tuesday, May 28, 2024

7:00am **ORLANDO L. DESTITO** (B'day) by RoAnn Destito and Family
THERESA LANIGAN by Jeffrey Lanigan

Wednesday, May 29, 2024 St. Paul VI, Pope

7:00am **REV. FRANCIS D. MCCARTHY** (Anniv)

Thursday, May 30, 2024 St. Joan of Arc

7:00am **THE IZZO FAMILY** by their Estate

Friday, May 31, 2024 The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

7:00am **JIM OCUTO** by Daughter, Kim

Saturday, June 1, 2024 St. Justin, Martyr

8:00am **ROBYN ENGLE** by Frank and Sharon Puma
 5:00pm **KEVIN KAIER** by Nancy and Vincent Janik * **MICHAEL A. HENRY SR.** by Kate Palitti

Sunday, June 2, 2024 THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

8:00am **JIM AND ELINOR BAUER** by Bridget and Family * **ROBYN ENGLE** by Family
 10:00am **MICHELLE ADEY** (Anniv) by Family * **LYNN INGHAM** by Altar Rosary Society
 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.	Melissa Dunning	Agnes Koster	Barbara Pazdur	Kelly Stevens
Barbara K. Acchino	Michael Eastup	Bill "Dobbie" Link	Jim Pekarski	Lillian Stutmann
Georgie Amodio	Paul Eisinger	Michael Loso	Roger Perkins	Blanche Sweatman
Leonard Amodio	Beatrice Ferguson	Anne Lubecki	Carol Piatt	Barbara Thomas
Jayne Atwood	Judith Ann Fesner	Francis Lust	Datie Ponath	Joshua Tomassi
Carol B.	Diana Fowler	Karen Martin	Nicoletta Powell	Anne Toepp
Marietta Booton	Julianna Fusco	David, Liz, Mitzi	Patrick Quinn	Lori Trifeletti
Robert Brady	Lauri Fusco	Marcelletta	Bill Reese	Rylin Turley
Jimmy Brognano	Joanne Gaffey	Geoff Marchione	Francine Riolo	Keith Utter
James Brooks	Nicole Gamble	Russell Marchione	John Ritchie	Larry Utter
Carla Cacciatori	Augusta Ginsburg	Patti Mastrangelo	Kelly Homan Rodoski	Fr. Corey VanBuren
Lorayne Calicchia	Scott Ginsburg	Nicole Mathe	Catherine Roman	Deborah Verminski
Mary Carmody	Amanda Gold	Marybeth Matyasik	Robert Roman	Francis Rosario Vitale
Adam Carpenter	Josh Gold	Brian McQueen	Pat Rushford	Vito Waterman
Kathy Chase	Gail Greene	Sarah McQueen	Lisa Ryder	Lois White
Annie Cimo	Denis Hartman	Eva Meola	Jacqueline Schachte	Ray "Dusty" Whitman
Sara Cosnett	Christine Hayden	Carol Misiaszek	John Schachte	Ellie Wood
John Cordsen	Joshua Hedrington	Ann Moster	Brian Schilling	Kim Wood
Alex D'Argenio	Billy Jo Hildenbrandt	Sonia Myers	Naomi Schipano	John Wright
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Sr. Rosaire DeMare	Jesse Johnson	Terri Nichols	Bradley Sharpstene	
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George DeFabio	Megan Jones	Debbie Pacicca	Alexander Simpson	
Denise Dunn	Cindy Justice	Al Pallas	Freja Emily Simpson	
Fr. Harold Dunn	Ted Kehoe	Clair Papadametrious	Spencer Robert Smith	
Barry Dunning	Jennie Kemp	Rachel Pawlikowski	Sharon Sprague	



St. Peter's Parish

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Office Hours:

Monday * Thursday
 9:00am-12:00pm & 1:00-3:00pm
 Tuesday
 9am-1:00pm
 Wednesday * Friday
 9:00am-12:00pm

Pastor: Very Rev. Seán P. O'Brien, VF
Parochial Vicar: Rev. Immanuel Agbulu
Deacon: Deacon Nicholas Rosher
Deacon: Deacon John MacGaffick
Pastoral Associate: Laura Mack

REGULAR MASS SCHEDULE

WEEKDAYS 7:00 am
SATURDAYS 8:00 am * Vigil Mass 5:00 pm
SUNDAYS 8:00 am * 10:00 am * 6:00 pm

PARISH STAFF

Director of Faith Formation: Laura Mack
First Sacraments Coordinator: Jean Bauer
Music Ministry: Barry Russo
Maintenance Director: Mark Lagasse
Cemetery Superintendent: Kate Stephan
Communications/Media: Joseph Stanton

PARISH COUNCIL

Pastor: Father Seán O'Brien
President: Larry Riolo
Trustees: Bernard Kaier,
 Timothy Sestito

PARISH ORGANIZATION and PARTICIPATION

Altar Rosary Society: Mary Wahl
St. Peter's Senior Group: W. Warren Sickles, Jr.
Scripture Study: Betty Pettinelli
Funeral Preparations: Barbara Thomas
Hospital Ministry: John MacGaffick
St. Aloysius Catholic Center: Julie McCormick ASL
Interpreters: Mary Margaret VanDamme
 Gabby Griffin

PARISH COUNCIL MEMBERS

Deacon Nick Rosher	Dale Rashford
Laura Evanciew	Pat Reilly
Nancy Janik	Barry Russo
Mark LaGasse	Joseph Stanton
Laura Mack	Kate Stephan

Please contact a council member with any questions or concerns you have regarding the upcoming merger.

Faith Formation Office 315-336-5066

Online at: www.smspfaith.com
 Email: spcdre@twcnny.rr.com

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION/CONFESSION

Saturday 4:00-4:30 pm or by Appointment

SACRAMENTS OF BAPTISM MATRIMONY/ MARRIAGE

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.

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.

HEARING AIDS: Assistive hearing devices are available for loan at the altar rail and in the front vestibule before Mass.

St. Peter's Cemetery
 E. Dominick Street Rome 315-337-8307
St. Mary's Cemetery
 W. Liberty Street, Rome 315-336-3110

St. Peter's Weekly Collection May 19, 2024

Cash and Envelopes	\$9,963.00
Electronic/Online	\$2,166.29
Total	\$12,129.29

St. Peter's Special Collections May 19, 2024

Ascension Thursday	\$163.00
Mother's Day	\$160.00
Fuel	\$842.00
Makeups	\$115.00

Thank you for your support.

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**FAITH
FORMATION**

JESUS LITTLE FRIENDS

May 26, 2024
10AM Mass

Jesus said, "Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of heaven belongs to such as these." Matthew 19:14

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rcalandra@syrdio.org



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ORDINATION TO THE PRIESTHOOD
for
DC. BEN SCHRANTZ

10:00 AM, Saturday, June 1, 2024
The Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception,
Syracuse

Fr. Ben's first Mass will be offered at St. Paul's
Church Whitesboro, June 2, 2024, 2:00PM

There will be a catered reception following
the mass. Call St. Paul's, Whitesboro to
reserve your spot: 315-736-1124.

**ST. JOHN'S BEREAVEMENT MEETING
GROUP**

Meetings are on the 3rd Wednesday of the month in the
Rectory Basement Meeting Room
at St. John's Church, Rome, NY.

*****NEW TIME: 5:30 PM*****

THE SANCTUARY LAMP
Will burn the week of May 26, 2024
FOR
ELIZABETH BAUER

By Family

DONATIONS
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By Mr. and Mrs. Gary Preski

DONATIONS
MISSION OF THE CHRIST CHILD
IN MEMORY OF
ROBYN ENGLE AND REV DANIEL HEINTZ

By Jim and Sue Cusack

MAY 2024 BAPTISMS
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Congratulations and Welcome

SURRENDER FOR SERENITY
is an ongoing AL=Anon meeting held on
Thursdays from 5:30-6:30
at St. Aloysius Parish Center.
All are welcome.

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

May 21, 2024

Families	79
Adults	81
Children	46
Seniors	29
Unique	4
Total Fed	160

*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.*

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.



Hold my hand, God, lead the way,
 Help me be good every day.
 Let me know what's wrong and right, keep me safe
 day and night,
 Let me know what you have planned, Lead the way
 God, hold my hand.
 Amen

INTRO TO LINE DANCING
 Kim Ocuto, Instructor
 St. Aloysius Parish Center * 400 Floyd Ave
 Thursdays in June 6-7:30pm * Only \$5 per class
 Please wear clean shoes * Dance Socks will be available

June First Friday
 June 7, 2024
 10 am - 3 pm
 with
 Fr. Donald H. Karlen

We will inaugurate the Month of the Sacred Heart with a prayerful consideration of The Litany of the Sacred Heart of Jesus which "recited and meditated, becomes a true school of the interior of life, the school of every Christian because in the Heart of Christ there is the synthesis of all the mysteries of our faith."

The day will include conferences, optional Confession, and Mass with Anointing

Offering: \$35 includes lunch.

Please join us as we welcome back Fr. Karlen Retired Pastor & Associate Priest of Catherine Doherty's Madonna House Apostolate.

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Altar Rosary Society

Our next meeting is

**Thursday, June 20th @ 6pm
 in the church hall.**

**This will be our last meeting before we
 break for summer.**

There are no meetings in July & August.

We will resume our meetings in September.

We continually look for new members to bring their time & talent to our organization. We are now **recruiting male members** as we are in need of men interested in being part of our organization. **We do have men who are planning to join the Altar Rosary Society!**

If you are interested in being an important part of a "WORKING" organization please call

**Mary Wahl @ 315-617-3478 or
 Tina Brognano @ 315-571-6707.**

ALTAR AND SANCTUARY CARE

MAY

Joan Combs
 Mary Ann Cox

MERRY MAKERS

Summer/Fall Merry Maker Schedule

July 10, October 9, 6-9 pm

*June, August & September
 NO MEETINGS*

November 13, December 11, 6-9 pm

Remember, you do not have to be an expert to join.

*As always, we continue to need more Sewers,
 Knitters & Crocheters*

Merry Makers Request Forms can be found in the vestibule on the table. Place them in the collection basket during weekend Masses.

For more information: Cate (315)225-7900



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS **COUNCIL #391**

112 Ridge Street Rome, New York

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS: The next business meeting of the Knights of Columbus Council #391 will take place on Thursday, June 13th at Council Hall, 112 Ridge Street, Rome. The meeting will be at 5:30PM followed by our Awards Dinner. This will be the final business meeting until September.

*Be a hero to your
unborn baby.*

Choose Life



We congratulate St Joseph's parishioners Roger Perry and Robert Fitzgibbon, who advanced to Fourth Degree Knighthood at a Mass celebrated by Bishop Cunningham at Sacred Heart Church in Cicero on April 20th.

The Knights are looking for interested Catholic males over 18 to join and help us support our area churches and community. Call 315-337-4010 to learn about the Knights, or join on-line at kofc.org/joinus and mention "Council 391". We will be automatically notified

The faithful are encouraged to pray the Rosary, especially on the 22nd of each month, in thanksgiving for last year's Supreme Court decision that overturned Roe v Wade. Pray also for the success of continued efforts on behalf of the sanctity of human life.

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

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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

MAY INTENTION

For the Formation of Religious and Seminarians

We pray that religious women and men, and seminarians, grow in their own vocations through their human, pastoral, spiritual and community formation, leading them to be credible witnesses to the Gospel.

A FAMILY PERSPECTIVE

May 26, 2024: Trinity Sunday (Matthew 28: 16-20)

In today's gospel Jesus commands, "Teach them to carry out everything I have commanded you." This command is meant for every Christian. In light of this command, parenting is not only the most difficult task a person can take on, it is also one of the most apostolic and missionary tasks. Jesus commands all parents to teach their children "all that I have commanded you."

VISITATION

If anyone knows of a St. Peter's parishioner who is no longer able to attend Mass, and **would like a visit and to receive the Holy Eucharist, call:**

**The Parish Office: 315-336-5072 or
Email: smsprectory@twcny.rr.com**

with the person's name, address and phone number. A member of our team will gladly provide this service.

Thank you in advance for all your help!

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 acts they perform
for us in our time of need, and give us peace. Amen.*

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