

*St. Peter's Parish
Rome, New York
October 13, 2024*



28th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

They were exceedingly astonished and said among themselves, "Then who can be saved?" Jesus looked at them and said, "For human beings it is impossible, but not for God. All things are possible for God."

- Mk 10:26-27

MASS INTENTIONS**Saturday, October 12, 2024 BVM**

8:00am **DIANE M. BAKER** Love, Tara
 5:00pm **MARILYN PALINSKI** by Family
LINDA AND FRANCIS SCHWARTZ (Anniv) by Amedeo, Heidi, and Hannah Libertella

Sunday, October 13, 2024 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00am **JACQUELINE BAYNES AND MICHAEL J. KUNKEL** by Marie Kunkel
 10:00am **CARL J. MASSETT, JR.** (Anniv) by Family * **CORNELIUS O'BRIEN** (Anniv) by Victoria O'Brien
 6:00pm **FRANK J. COSTELLO** (B'day) by Family * **WILLIAM ERNENWEIN** (Anniv) by Judy Ernenwein

Monday, October 14, 2024 St. Callistus I, Pope and Martyr

7:00am **JOSEPH AND LORRAINE UTTER** (Wedding Anniv) by Sharon Hansen
WINDSOR S. THOMAS (Anniv) by Barb Thomas

Tuesday, October 15, 2024 St. Teresa of Jesus, Virgin and Doctor of the Church

7:00am **MARIAN NILES** by Bob, Kim and Marlee

Wednesday, October 16, 202 St. Hedwig, Religious; St. Margaret Mary Alacoque, Virgin

7:00am **IN MEMORY OF THE TWINS** by Gramma * **VINCENT JANIK** (41st Anniv) by Janik Family

Thursday, October 17, 2024 St. Ignatius of Antioch, Bishop and Martyr

7:00am **JENNIFER RICE** by John Goodman

Friday, October 18, 2024 St. Luke, Evangelist

7:00am **PEARL MELLEN** (Anniv) by Ann and Roger Mellen

Saturday, October 19, 2024 Sts. John de Brébeuf and Isaac Jogues, Priests, and Companions, Martyrs; St. Peter of Alcantara

8:00am **JIM OCUTO** by Daughter, Kim
 5:00pm **JAMES AND ELLEN DUNN** by Family * **ELEANOR CONIGLIO** by Joanne Gaffey

Sunday, October 20, 2024 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time - World Mission Sunday

8:00am **DAVID BOVI** by Jake and Carly Pohl * **EDWIN AND MABEL MARGGI** by Pam and Cal Sprague
 10:00am **DONALD L. HARTMAN** (Wedding Anniv) by Family
GENEVIEVE SUTTON (Anniv) by Victoria O'Brien
 6:00pm **THE IZZO FAMILY** by their Estate

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

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

Michelle A.	Melissa Dunning	Agnes Koster	Jim Pekarski	Freja Emily Simpson-
Barbara K. Acchino	Michael Eastup	Bill "Dobie" Link	Roger Perkins	Spencer
Georgie Amodio	Paul Eisinger	Michael Loso	Carol Piatt	Robert Smith
Leonard Amodio	Beatrice Ferguson	Anne Lubbecki	Datie Ponath	Sharon Sprague
Jayne Atwood	Judith Ann Fesner	Francis Lust	Nicoletta Powell	Brian Stevens
Carol B.	Diana Fowler	Karen Martin	Patrick Quinn	Kelly Stevens
Marietta Booton	Julianna Fusco	David, Liz, Mitzi	Kathleen Redden	Lillian Stutmann
Robert Brady	Lauri Fusco	Marcelletta	Bill Reese	Blanche Sweatman
Jimmy Brognano	Joanne Gaffey	Geoff Marchione	Sally Reid	Joshua Tomassi
James Brooks	Nicole Gamble	Russell Marchione	Francine Riolo	Anne Toepp
Carla Cacciatori	Augusta Ginsburg	Amelia Mastrangelo	John Ritchie	Lori Trifeletti
Lorayne Calicchia	Scott Ginsburg	Patti Mastrangelo	Kelly Homan Rodoski	Rylin Turley
Mary Carmody	Amanda Gold	Nicole Mathe	Catherine Roman	Keith Utter
Adam Carpenter	Josh Gold	Marybeth Matyasik	Robert Roman	Larry Utter
Kathy Chase	Gail Greene	Brian McQueen	Fran Rose	Fr. Corey VanBuren
Annie Cimo	Denis Hartman	Sarah McQueen	Pat Rushford	Deborah Verminski
Sara Cosnett	Christine Hayden	Carol Misiaszek	Lisa Ryder	Francis Rosario Vitale
John Cordsen	Joshua Hedrington	Ann Moster	Jacqueline Schachte	Vito Waterman
Alex D'Argenio	Billy Jo Hildenbrandt	Sonia Myers	John Schachte	Lois White
Melody Darrow	James Hopping	Beverly Nasci	Brian Schilling	Ray "Dusty" Whitman
Sr. Rosaire DeMare	Joan Jacobs	Terri Nichols	Naomi Schipano	Ellie Wood
Pat DeMatteo	Jesse Johnson	Mark Oppen	Jean Sereno	Kim Wood
George DeFabio	Lena Johnston	Debbie Pacicca	Bradley Sharpstene	John Wright
Denise Dunn	Megan Jones	Clair Papadametrious	Emmalynn Sharrow	Patricia Zeller
Fr. Harold Dunn	Ted Kehoe	Rachel Pawlikowski	Alexander Simpson	
Barry Dunning	Jennie Kemp	Barbara Pazdur		



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 ORGANIZATION and PARTICIPATION

Altar Rosary Society: Mary Wahl
Scripture Study: Betty Pettinelli
Funeral Preparations: Barbara Thomas
Hospital Ministry: Deacon John MacGaffick
St. Aloysius Catholic Center: Julie McCormick
ASL Interpreters: Gabby Griffin
Mary Margaret VanDamme

Faith Formation Office 315-336-5066

Online at: www.smspfaith.com
Email: spcdre@twcny.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.

PARISH COUNCIL

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

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.

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 October 6, 2024

Cash and Envelopes	\$10,731.00
Electronic/Online	\$1,684.36
Total	\$12,415.36

St. Peter's Special Collections October 6, 2024

Fuel	\$55.00
Mission	\$3855.00
Respect for Life	\$918.00

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FAITH FORMATION


JESUS LITTLE FRIENDS
 October 13, 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


RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

First Sacraments October 13th NO CLASS Monday Night Classes October 14th Grades 1-6 NO CLASS Grades 7-8 NO CLASS	First Sacraments October 20th 9:00-9:50 AM Monday Night Classes October 21st Grades 1-6 6:00-7:00 PM Grades 7-8 7:30-8:30 PM
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2nd Year Confirmation
 October 20th
 4:30 PM Dinner,
 5:00 PM Class,
 6:00 PM Mass
www.smsfaith.com

ST. PETER'S
ALTAR ROSARY





Navigating right and wrong in an uncertain world...

Two adult religious education sessions by Fr. O'Brien:
Oct 28th and Nov 4th
6:30pm
at the St. Aloysius Center

Refreshments will be served.



Altar Rosary Society

****SAVE THE DATE****

Our 2nd annual "Oktoberfest / International Potluck Dinner"

***** See Flyer *****

Last year's dinner was well attended. It was an amazing time to gather as a parish family to enjoy great food & most importantly great company!!

"SAVEAROUND" Coupon books are now available @ \$25.00. If you are interested in saving with various participating businesses for the coming year please contact Mary Wahl @ 315-617-3478. Supplies are limited.

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

We are actively Recruiting Male Members as well!!!

ALTAR AND SANCTUARY CARE

OCTOBER

Tina Brognano, Mary Wahl

MERRY MAKERS

Merry Maker Fall/Winter 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



THE SANCTUARY LAMP

Will burn the week of October 13, 2024

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OCTOBER 2024 BAPTISMS

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Congratulations and Welcome

DONATIONS

MISSION OF THE CHRIST CHILD

IN MEMORY OF
ROSE MATTIA

By Gretchen Sprock; Gerald and Carol Nethercott



SYRACUSE WOMEN'S CATHOLIC CONFERENCE AT THE ONCENTER

JOIN US FOR A DAY OF SPIRITUAL RENEWAL

October 26th 7:30am to 4:00pm

The Pastors of the Catholic Parishes in Rome are organizing a bus trip to the conference, leaving St. John's parking lot at 6:45 am.

For event details, go to
www.syracusecatholicwomen.org or contact
Barbara LaMonica 315-339-2833,
Deb VanderVoort 315-336-1172,
Mary Wahl 315-617-3478, or
Carol Fergo 315-336-5483.

Registration Forms available at the entrances to the church.

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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

October 1, 2024

Families 78
Adults 91
Children 67
Seniors 19
Unique 4

Total Fed 181

October 8, 2024

Families 72
Adults 91
Children 57
Seniors 23
Unique 2

Total Fed 174

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



Ite, Missa Est: You Are Sent

14th Annual Women's Conference
Oncenter Convention Center



Sister Deirdre "Dede" Byrne, POSC, is a retired US Army Colonel, surgeon, general medical physician, and superior of the Little Workers of the Sacred Hearts of Jesus and Mary in Washington, DC. Her apostolate provides missionary surgery overseas and free medical care for the poor and uninsured. She is passionate about the sanctity of life.



Fr. Daniel Reehill journeyed from Wall Street banker to Catholic priest, and is now a renowned exorcist for the Diocese of Nashville. He is the National Director of Radio Maria USA where his daily program *Battle Ready* seeks to fortify, strengthen, and embolden the people of God to advance the Gospel and His Kingdom.



Fr. Donald Haggerty, serving at St. Patrick's Cathedral in NYC, has taught moral theology and worked as spiritual director at seminaries for over 20 years. He has directed spiritual retreats worldwide for Saint Mother Teresa's Missionaries of Charity. He writes for *Magnificat* and is the author of numerous books on contemplative prayer, including *Saint John of the Cross*.



Ann Burns is the founder of *The Feminine Project*, an organization dedicated to the joy of womanhood. The Feminine Project brings together Catholic women to cultivate our minds and build community in order to restore authentic femininity, the home and heart of society. As wife and mother, writer and speaker, she always strives to uphold what is truly good and beautiful.



4 WAYS TO REGISTER
Check your parish bulletin for a Table for 10 reservations.
www.SyracuseCatholicWomen.org or mail in form on reverse.

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Fr. Immanuel's Coffee & Questions
are live on the church website!



Joint Parish Planning

"Creating One New Parish for All"

A message from the Parish Name Subcommittee

Thank you to all who voted!

The Parish Name Subcommittee received over 716 ballots. Receiving over half the votes, **"Sacred Heart"** is the overwhelming choice.

It is important to remember that each Church will retain its current name.

The name **"Sacred Heart"** will be submitted to the Bishop for approval as the name of our overall Catholic community. If the Bishop approves, the new name will be in effect on July 1, 2025.

Thank you again for your suggestions.

HOLY CROSS ACADEMY EVENTS**ONGOING BOTTLE DRIVE**

To raise money for a trip to Washington D.C.
Bottles/cans can be dropped off at the school door
or for pick-ups call 315-363-1669.

PULLED PORK TAKE-OUT DINNER

Drive-Thru Pulled Pork Take-Out Dinner
October 24th 5:00-6:30, \$12 each.
Make reservations by Oct 21st at 315-363-1669.

Holy Cross Academy
4020 Barrington Rd in Oneida Castle.

****** TOWN HALL MEETING ******

<u>DATE</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>
October 21 (Mon)	6:30 PM	ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST



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

OCTOBER INTENTION
FOR A SHARED MISSION

We pray that the Church continue to sustain in all ways a Synodal lifestyle, as a sign of co-responsibility, promoting the participation, the communion and the mission shared among priests, religious and lay people.

A FAMILY PERSPECTIVE

October 13, 2024: 28th Sunday (Mark 10:17-30)

Having possessions is an illusion. In today's gospel, Jesus told the young man to give up his need to control and put his trust in God. He could not let go! In families, our need to control destroys relationships. We can lead, teach and encourage, but we cannot control anyone but ourselves.



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A message from the Social Subcommittee

Your social subcommittee has been busy learning about our five (5) parishes. Did you know that we share over 30 distinct organizations – many of these are unique to an individual church? Several of the organizations reflect the unique nature of their respective congregations, for example, St Joseph's Rummage Sale, St John the Baptist's Marion Guild, St Paul's Samaritans, St Peter's Merry Makers, and St Leo & St Ann's rural outreach. Let's not forget our Adoration host Transfiguration Church. Over the next several months we will celebrate all of parishioners and our various organizations.

Our goal is to celebrate our parishioners and acknowledge that together we make a parish. A first step was taken by our pastors who invited us all to visit the various parish picnics this summer. The social subcommittee will follow their lead with a series of celebrations.

On October 23rd we will celebrate our volunteers who feed the hungry. Over 100 volunteers will gather at St John the Baptist to celebrate volunteerism and our common mission of feeding the hungry.

On November 17th we will celebrate all the organizations across the five parishes with a meet and greet event. All are invited to meet the members of our parishes, learn about our many organizations, feel free to join an organization you might not have known about, even if it's not in your local church. This event is an opportunity for us to embrace each other as a Catholic community. Members of the social subcommittee will be reaching out to all organizations to personally invite them to our celebration.

Future events will celebrate our music ministries. Other events are anticipated; we will keep you apprised of future activities through our communications subcommittee.

Your Social Subcommittee



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