

October 11, 2020

SS JOACHIM & ANNE CATHOLIC PARISH

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HOLY EUCHARIST:

If you know of someone in the parish who is homebound and would like Holy Communion, please call.

CONFESSIONS:

Saturday, Varysburg....4:00-4:15 pm

Sunday, Attica.....7:30-7:45 am

Also by appointment.

BAPTISMS:

Are celebrated during or after the Masses. Call the office.

TO BE A SPONSOR: You must be baptized, confirmed and attending Mass every week.

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MARRIAGES:

Call for an appointment as soon as you make your commitment.

ANointing OF THE SICK:

Call the office as soon as possible.

HOSPITAL VISITATIONS:

Please let us know when you or a loved one is in the hospital.

NEW PARISHIONERS:

New members are welcome to join our faith community.

THE 28TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

October 11, 2020

WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE

Monday, October 12

No Mass

Tuesday, October 13 – Varysburg, 8:30 am

Fr. Joe Moreno

By The Parish

Wednesday, October 14 – Attica, 8:30 am

Communion Service

Thursday, October 15 – Varysburg, 8:30 am

St. Teresa of Jesus Memorial

Richard Babula

By Pat Babula

Friday, October 16 – Attica, 8:30 am

Paula Krotz

By Sheila Springer

Saturday, October 17 – Varysburg, 4:30 pm

St. Ignatius of Antioch Memorial

Jack Sheldon

By Mary & Family

Sunday, October 18 – Attica, 8:00 am

Gerard & Ann Buckenmeyer

By Estate

Sunday, October 18 – Varysburg, 9:30 am

Mary Lakas

By John & Janet Bonner

Sunday, October 18 – Attica, 11:00 am

Dorothy Lavrincik

By Deb & Karol Lavrincik

SAINT OF THE WEEK

St. Ignatius of Antioch

October 17 Memorial



Born in about 37 BC, Ignatius was a convert to the faith and was probably a disciple of St. John the Evangelist. He may have been appointed bishop of Antioch by St. Peter himself in about AD 70. After years of alternating persecution and peace, Emperor Trajan came to Antioch in the year 107, forcing Christians to choose between death and apostasy. By refusing to deny Christ, Ignatius was condemned to a bloody death in Rome. On the long journey, in chains, he wrote to the churches in Asia Minor, urging Christians to remain faithful to the Church. He believed unity could be achieved through the Eucharist and with local authorities. As they traveled to Rome, Ignatius was welcomed by the faithful in many cities along the way and treated like a royal visitor. When he reached Rome its Christians hoped to somehow save his life. So he addressed a letter to them, requesting that they allow him to end his life in imitation of Christ. He wrote, "The only thing I ask of you is to allow me to offer the libation of my blood to God. I am the wheat of the Lord; may I be ground by the teeth of the beasts to become the immaculate bread of Christ." He bravely met the lions in the Circus Maximus, ending his saintly life in glorious martyrdom.

*I derive all my strength from
daily Mass and Communion.*

~Vince Lombardi



Liturgy for Next Week, 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

1st Reading: Is 45:1, 4-6 Ps: 96:1, 3, 4-5, 7-8, 9-10

2nd Reading: 1 Thes 1:1-5b Gospel: Mt 22:15-21

CHOOSE JOY!

WEEKLY GIVING — Oct. 4

Regular.....	\$5124.00
Buildings & Repairs.....	\$1029.00
Fuel.....	\$496.00
Last year 10/6.....	\$4129.00

Thank you for your generosity!
Remember your parish in your will.

Check out our parish website
ssjoachimanne.org
for the calendar of events.
See what's happening!

Faith Formation News

The Holy Spirit was the topic in our last Confirmation class. Besides the relationship in the Trinity, we learned about the Gifts and the Fruits of the Spirit. Our candidates were left with a decision to make: will you be a Pilgrim or a Tourist in your faith walk with God and the Church? We also enjoyed hearing the long-awaited names of the patron saints who will be joining our Confirmation Day! St Anne, St Catherine, St Gianna, St Thomas, St Sebastian, St John, St Dimitar, St Anthony, St Matthew, St Augustine, St Felix, St Peter... Pray for us! The next class will be 10/18 at 5 pm in St Vincent's Aud where we will be sharing about our Call to Serve.

Our First Reconciliation class learned about temptation and sin and God's endless mercy. We reviewed the 10 Commandments and continue to practice our prayers. We're blessed! Next class is 10/17 at 10 am. We are still taking registration forms which are available at both churches and the rectory. Our first Youth Faith Formation gathering is this Tuesday, October 13, from 6:30-8 pm starting in St Vincent's Aud. Registrations can be brought at that time. Students currently attending sacrament preparation may be excused from Youth Nights at this time.

1 PETER 3:15

"Always be prepared to make a defense to anyone who calls you to account for the hope that is in you."

NOT ALL CATHOLICS ARE ROMAN CATHOLICS?

The word *Roman* designates a particular Catholic Church, but there are other Catholic Churches with their own unique traditions: American Ruthenian, Armenian, Bulgarian, Chaldean, Ethiopian, Greek, Hungarian, Italo-Albanian, Maronite, Melkite Greek, Rumanian Greek, Slovak, Syriac, Ukrainian Greek, and many more. Most of the non-Roman Catholic Churches reflect the culture of Eastern Europe and the Middle East, and so they are called the Eastern Catholic Churches. The liturgical traditions (or rites) of the Eastern Churches are different from the Roman (Latin) liturgical traditions. Like Roman Catholics, Catholics from those churches acknowledge the pope as the head of the universal Church. Of course, not all Eastern Christians are Catholic. The vast majority belong to Eastern Orthodox Churches, which have been separated from the Catholic Church since the East-West schism of the Middle Ages. This fracture was along political boundaries, and involved cultural, political, and theological conflicts that played out across many centuries. Church leaders have been actively working to restore unity through dialogue, though important theological differences remain.

From The Catholic Faith Handbook

O Lord, as we store up provisions from your most abundant summer, let us also make room for the spiritual plenty that you provide: a harvest of faith stored up to feed our souls when our winter comes.



LECTOR SCHEDULE for October 17 & 18

4:30 pm	Jim Kelly
8:00 am	Bruce Camp
9:30 am	Maureen Gardner
11:00 am	Sheila Springer

OCTOBER THE MONTH OF THE ROSARY

Throughout his pontificate, Pope Benedict XVI promoted the rosary. In 2010 when 33 Chilean miners were trapped deep in an underground mine for 69 days, he blessed 33 rosaries in Rome and sent them to the trapped miners. The rosaries were sent down the narrow shaft to the miners, who began to pray the rosary every day and wore the blessed rosaries around their necks.

Miraculously, all 33 men survived and were rescued on October 13, the anniversary of the Miracle of the Sun at Fatima, where Our Lady appeared under the title "Our Lady of the Rosary."

from Champions of the Rosary

Don't give up.
Moses was once
a basket case!



If you or someone you know is struggling with addiction, consider this your sign to reach out for help. Catholic Charities Substance Abuse Treatment Program is a NY State OASAS licensed outpatient program to treat addiction with therapy and medicine. See www.ccwny.org/addiction

Let us pray for those who have died, for those in the military and their families, and for those in need of God's healing:

Sept~ Patrick Clothier, Shawn Knoop, Catherine Mucha, Maria Cunningham, Ed Kirby, Mary Kay Lynch, Joanne Mazur, Peter Millen, Brennon McCormick, Scott, Sally Harding, Jonathan, Margaret Loranty, Barbara Sage, Eugene Burry, Lucas Burry, Geno Slepinski, John Wilkolaski, Virginia Szydowski, Irene Rossi, Alan Sawyer, Michael Kaney, Pam Innsina, Sharon Gilbert, Jim McNall
Oct~ Bill Brick, Cindy Fugle

PLEASE NOTE:
THE K OF C WILL NOT
BE HAVING THEIR
ANNUAL OCTOBER
PANCAKE BREAKFAST
THIS YEAR.



Parish Activities

- ~Sunday, 10/11, NO Confirmation Class.
- ~Monday, 10/12, Altar & Rosary Meeting, 7:00 p.m.
- ~Tuesday, 10/13, Youth Faith Formation, 6:30-8:00 p.m.
- ~Wednesday, 10/14, K of C Meeting, 7:30 p.m.
- ~Saturday, 10/17, First Reconciliation Class, 10-11:30 a.m.

Outside Activities

- ~Wednesday, 10/14, Drive-thru Spaghetti Dinner, St. John's UCC, Dutch Hollow. 4-7 p.m. \$10. Gluten free available.
- ~ 10/17 & 10/18 & 10/20, Open House at Canisius High School Pre-register at canisiushigh.org/openhouse or check out canisiushigh.org/tours for a private tour.
- ~Monday, 10/19, A View of End of Life w/Rev. Louis Klein. 716-683-6522 for registration, Our Lady of Pompeii, Lancaster.
- ~Wednesday, 10/21, Greif-sharing Support Group. Our Lady of Pompeii, Lancaster. 10/21/20-5/5/21. See bulletin board.
- ~Wednesday, 10/28, "Hope in the Darkness" Protecting mental health with faith. Livestreaming on Facebook or attend at St. Martin of Tours by registering at 716-823-7077. Hosted by Catholic Therapist Dan Lawson.