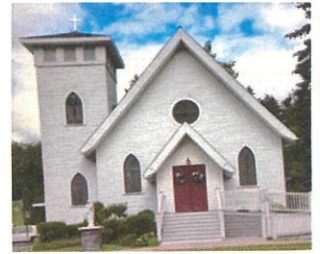




St. Vincent's Site

**50 EAST AVENUE, ATTICA 14011**

# SS JOACHIM & ANNE CATHOLIC PARISH



St. Joseph's Site

**2311 ATTICA ROAD, VARYSBURG 14167**

August 22, 2021



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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.

## **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.



## 21ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

August 22, 2021

### WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE

Monday, August 23

No Mass

Tuesday, August 24 – Varysburg, 8:30 am

*St. Bartholomew, Apostle, Feast*

Helene Zaremski

By Bev Collins

Wednesday, August 25 – Attica, 8:30 am

John Mack

By Tom & John Reilly

Thursday, August 26 – Varysburg, 8:30 am

Bob Liebler

By Liebler Family

Friday, August 27 – Attica, 8:30 am

*St. Monica, Memorial*

Gerard & Ann Buckenmeyer

By Estate

Saturday, August 28 – Varysburg, 4:30 pm

*St. Augustine, Memorial*

Mildred Bell

By Frank & Marian Nappo

Sunday, August 29 – Attica, 8:00 am

Lourdu Swamy

By Jim & Sharon, Jerry & Debbie

Sunday, August 29 – Varysburg, 9:30 am

Debbie Boxler

By Hans, Jr.

Sunday, August 29 – Attica, 11:00 am

Ray & Pat Becker

By Family

### SAINT OF THE WEEK

*St. Louis*

*August 25 Memorial*



Louis IX (1214-1270), the only sainted king of France, was brought up by his mother, Queen Blanche, who once said to him, "I love you, my dear son...I would rather see you dead at my feet than ever have you commit a single mortal sin." In hopes that he would not sin, he attended two daily Masses and often prayed for several hours. He ruled his kingdom justly and fought corruption while administering royal justice. St. Louis was once described as the "holiest and most just king who ever wore the crown." He brought peace after the violence of two previous reigns. Louis was crowned at twelve years old, with his mother ruling during his minority. When he was 19 and Marguerite of Provence was 12, the two were married; they eventually had 11 children. Louis was devoted to his people, building churches and hospitals, visiting the sick, caring for lepers, and ruling fairly. He was able to unite France by the force of his personality and holiness. For many years the nation was at peace. When he was 30 Louis led a crusade in which he and his army became prisoners of the Moslems. A ransom was paid for their release. Louis was strong willed and strong minded, but respected everyone. Most days 13 poor people ate with him, and during Advent and Lent the king himself may have served. Disturbed by Moslem advances in Syria, he led another crusade. This time Louis and his army were decimated by disease and he died at the siege of Tunis. He was canonized 27 years later. *From Saint of the Day, M.P. Foley*

### Liturgy for Next Week, 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

1st Reading: Dt 4:1-2, 6-8

Ps: 15:2-3, 3-4, 4-5

2nd Reading: Jas 1:17-18, 21b-22, 27

Gospel: Mk 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

We Catholics can become indifferent to what an ugly business sin really is, either because we slowly drift with the culture in its denial or because we take the sacrament of confession for granted. St. Louis, help us choose death before sin!



## WEEKLY GIVING — Aug. 15

Regular.....\$5155.00  
Buildings & Repairs.....\$145.00  
Priest Retirement Fund.....\$190.00  
Last year 8/16.....\$3115.00

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

### A PRAYER FOR OUR CHILDREN

Lord, please bless our children.  
Protect them day and night;  
Lead them down the right roads,  
Forever in your sight.

Let them know your presence  
Each step along the way,  
Giving strength and courage  
To sustain them, come what may.

Be their consolation  
In times of woe and strife;  
Guide them past the pitfalls  
On their journey through this life.

And when this life is over,  
See them safely to that shore,  
Where peace and love are boundless  
Beyond Heaven's golden door.

~Catherine Janssen Irwin

Sometimes we focus too much on weakness. Think about this—when was Christ most powerful? When he was on the cross! When he seemed most unpowerful, most weak, most vulnerable is when he saved the world! When you and I are most weak is when God can use us for his glory. He says to us the same thing he said to St. Paul: “My grace is sufficient for you, for my power is made perfect in weakness” (2Cor 12:0). As long as you are alive, God has a perfect plan in his will for you today. Trust in him and his power, not in you and your weakness!

## 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.”*

### CHURCH, BASILICA OR CATHEDRAL?

The Catholic Church is the one, holy, apostolic and universal church founded by Jesus Christ. “Catholic” church, meaning universal, was first used by St. Ignatius in 110. The dictionary defines *church* as a consecrated building used for public Christian worship. Church buildings have various sizes, shapes and uses. A small church may be called a *chapel*, a small chapel may be an *oratory*. Or an oratory may be a *worship space* which is set aside by permission of a bishop. A *mission church* is not self supporting but dependent on a larger religious organization. An *abbey* is a *monastery* with a community of at least 12 religious. A *shrine* is a sacred place where a relic is preserved, an apparition or historical event has taken place, or a special devotion is fostered. Shrines are regulated by the bishop. A church may have more than one designation as the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary in Baltimore is shrine, basilica and cathedral. *Basilica* is used to identify churches of historic and spiritual importance. The Pope officially designates a church as a basilica. Traditionally a basilica displays a red and yellow conopoeum (something like a big umbrella) which originally would have sheltered the patriarch. Each basilica also has a *holy door* opened only during times of special pilgrimage. A *cathedral* is the chief church of a diocese; the bishop is its pastor and his chair (cathedra) represents his authority. The eight-county Diocese of Buffalo is within the Archdiocese of New York and was established in 1847. At present it has 161 parishes and 3 basilicas. *From catholicstraightanswers.com*



### Our Chiavetta's Chicken BBQ

is September 6, 11:00 till sold.

“Take-outs only” dinner is \$12. We still need volunteers and donations to offset costs. Your help in any way will be greatly appreciated!

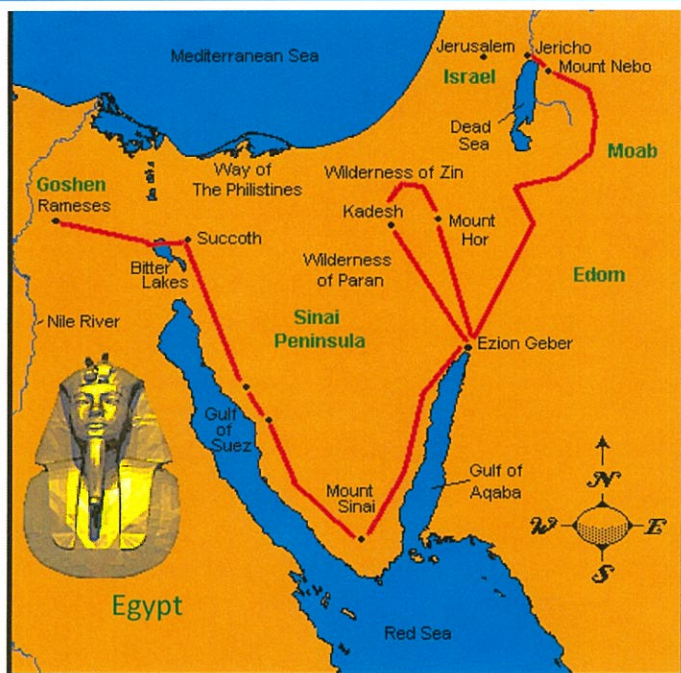
Enroute to church to make his first confession, little Billy asked his mom what to do. Mom answered, “You know, confession is where you tell all the bad things you've done to the priest.” Relieved, Billy said, “Good, I haven't done anything bad to the priest.” 😊



## MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR NEXT WEEKEND

August 28 & 29

	EUCCHARIST	LECTORS
4:30 pm	Kathy Roberts	Jim Kelly
8:00 am	Cathy Uhly	Dave Ciurzynski
9:30 am	Joe Seewaldt	Tom Liebler
11:00 am	Veronica Frost	Sheila Springer



### ROUTE OF THE EXODUS — EGYPT TO JERICO

"For it was the Lord, our God, who brought us and our fathers up out of the land of Egypt, out of a state of slavery. He performed those great miracles before our very eyes and protected us along our entire journey and among the peoples through whom we passed."

Joshua 24:17

### 50th, 60th, 70th Wedding Anniversaries

Couples who celebrate their Golden, Diamond and Platinum Anniversaries of Marriage in 2021 are invited to a special Mass at St. Joseph's Cathedral on Sunday, October 24, 2021, at 10:30 a.m. Marriage vows will be renewed and photos will be taken. Please contact the rectory (591-1228) to register for this special Mass.

**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:**



July~Peter Millen, Steve Geller, Jonathan, Irene McHugh, Shirley O'Donnell, Margaret Loranty, Arthur G. Bates Jr., Kirk Cochrane, Debbie Beach, Michael Kaney, April Zielman, Connie Kavanagh  
Aug~ Brennon McCormick, Jim Samsel, Randy Wilkins, Diane Dunbar, Cindy Weston, Geno Slepinski, Judy Bernacki, Shawn Knoop, Patrick Clothier, Bernice Rauth, Connor O'Neil, John Wikolaski, Christine Wilczek, Adrianna & daughter, David, Jim, Darwin Lapp, Edward F., Maria Cunningham, Pat Anger, Christine, Deacon Ted Pijacki, Chris Perry, Joyce Zaremski

**WACY TEENS**—Are you interested in being part of the WACY Leadership Team? Want to help plan this upcoming WACY year? Planning meeting will be Tuesday, Aug. 24, 2021, from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. at 345 Shad Road, Alden, 14004 (Zielonka home). Pizza included. See bulletin board for more info.

**K of C's Take-out Pulled Pork Dinner, Sat., Sept. 11, from 1-5 p.m. in our Auditorium. For info call 585-547-3318 or check out Facebook. \$13 or \$12 presale.**

### *Parish Activities*

- ~Tuesday, 8/24, Social Committee Meeting, 7 p.m., church basement
- ~Wednesday, 8/25 Rosary, 7:30 p.m. at the Candle Cave
- ~Wednesday, 8/25, K of C Meeting, 7:30 p.m.
- ~Saturday, 9/4, 1st Saturday Devotions, 8:30 a.m. Varysburg
- ~Monday, 9/6, Our Chiavetta's Chicken BBQ. 11 a.m. till sold out.
- ~Saturday, 9/11, K of C's Take-out Pulled Pork Dinner, 1-5 p.m. in Aud.

### *Outside Activities*

- ~Tuesday, 8/24, WACY Leadership meeting. 5:30-8:30 p.m. at 345 Shad Rd., Alden. Pizza dinner included.
- ~Saturday, 9/11, WACY Golf Tournament annual fund raiser, Quiet Times Golf Course
- ~9/11 & 9/12, Fall Festival at Blessed Sacrament, 263 Claremont Ave, Town of Tonawanda, 8 a.m.-2 p.m. Arts & crafts, food, games.
- ~Sunday, 9/12, Take-out Chicken BBQ, St. Mary's, 18 Ellicott St., Batavia. 10 a.m. till sold. \$10. Call 343-3810 for presale tickets.
- ~Monday, 9/13, Our Lady of Pompeii, 158 Laverack Ave, Lancaster, "Heart Beat 2021," Music & reflections to benefit Gianna Molla Home.
- ~Saturday, 9/25, "The 99 Experience," come to Jesus. At Our Lady of Mercy Center, 44 Lake St., LeRoy. 9:45 a.m.-3:45 p.m. Call 585-768-7535 or email gprivitera1@charter.net to register (\$5 fee returned)