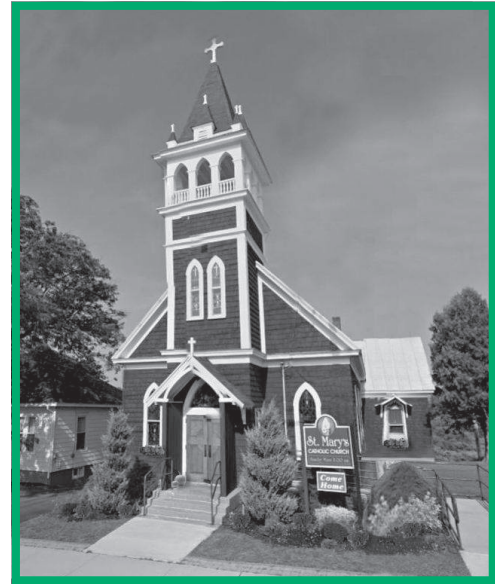


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Augustinian Academy: Mrs. Mary Ann Margrey, Principal

Sunday Mass Schedule **Sacrament of Reconciliation**

Saturday: 5:00 pm St. James (ant.) **Saturday: 3:30 pm – 4:30 pm St. James**

Sunday: 8:00 am St. Mary's **Sunday: 7:30 am St. Mary's**

10:00 am St. James **Sacrament of Marriage:** Contact Pastor

Sacrament of Baptism: Contact Rectory

Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick:

Contact the Rectory anytime

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August 27, 2017

MASS INTENTIONS

August 27, 2017

Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

SATURDAY, AUGUST 26

5:00SJ(ant.) - William Scherer by CAA Class of 1966

SUNDAY, AUGUST 27

8:00SM - Helen & Kathy Coseo by family

10:00SJ - Fr. John Cosmic by Amaral family

MONDAY, AUGUST 28

5:30SJ - Dorothy Murphy by Bette

TUESDAY, AUGUST 29

12:00SJ - Beverly Ashcraft by Maureen Walker

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 30

9:00SM - John Brett by Joe & Peg Shambo

THURSDAY, AUGUST 31

THERE IS NO MASS OR COMMUNION SERVICE TODAY

FIRST FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 1

9:30SJ - Earl Brown by Jim & Betty Wilton

2:00HR - Carolyn Peters by John & family

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 2

5:00SJ(ant.) -David Shampine by Donald Murphy

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 3

8:00SM - Wayne Woodard by Betty Ann

10:00SJ -Ernest Ricci -by his sister Yolanda & Frank Skvorak

NOTE: 2PM High Rise Mass on Friday

Calendar of Events:

- Aug. 27 - Parish Picnic, 12 noon (SJ)
- Aug. 28 - Formation For Ministry Orientation Class, 6pm (CR)
- Aug. 29 - CAA Meet & Greet, 3-5pm (CAA)
- Sep. 5 - CAA Opens - First day of school
- Sep. 6 - St. Mary's Altar & Rosary Meeting, 7pm (SM)
- Sep. 7 - St. Mary's Turkey Dinner meeting, 7pm (SM)
- Sep. 12 - St. Mary's Pastoral Council Meeting, 7pm (SM)
- Sep. 30 - Pre-Cana Class, 10am-5pm (CR)
- Oct. 5 - St. Mary's Turkey Dinner, Copenhagen Fire Hall

Creating a culture of vocation...WHAT IS A DEACON? *A permanent deacon is a man ordained -- like a bishop or priest--to serve as Christ Jesus who "came not to be served but to serve and to give His life as a ransom for many" (Mark 10:45) The word deacon comes from the Greek word for service: diakonia.*

**Weekly Offerings
August 20, 2017**

St. James		St. Mary's	
Envelopes	\$5,076.00	Envelopes	\$899.00
Plate	\$564.57	Plate	\$134.50
TOTAL	\$5,640.57	TOTAL	\$1,033.50
Last Year	\$5,748.25	Last Year	\$885.25

Thank You!



**St. James & St. Mary's
Parish Picnic**



August 27; 12 noon
On lawn in front of St. James

*Bring dish to pass

*Parishes will provide beverages, meat and tableware
*Children's Program - CHILD & ADULT GAMES including a Magic Show



St. Mary's News: Aug. 27th

- Aug. 27th** - Come to the Parish Picnic...Fun for all!
Thanks to all who donated & wrapped items for the door prizes. Further picnic details in today's bulletin.
- Sept. 3rd** - Coffee & Donuts – Thanks to Cliff & Sue Mattis and Gloria & Floyd Company
- Oct. 5th** - St. Mary's Turkey Dinner... Copenhagen Fire Hall ...
Mark your Calendar !!!
Anyone wishing to donate an item for the **Turkey Dinner Raffle** please notify MJ Fleming at 315-688-4464 by Aug. 20th so that tickets can be prepared and mailed by Sept. 1st.
- Sept. 6th** - Altar & Rosary Meeting – 7pm – beginning with the recitation of the Rosary.
- Sept. 7th** - There will be a meeting at church at 7pm for anyone interested in volunteering at the Turkey Dinner.
If unable to attend and would like to help, have comments or suggestions, please call Peg Nevills at 315-771-8123.
- Sept. 12th** - Pastoral Council Meeting – 7pm
Thanks to all. God bless & a safe summer!

WANTED- GRAVE DIGGER

St. James is looking for a person to dig graves in the Old and New St. James Cemeteries. Interested persons should please call the St. James Rectory 315-493-3224.

The Fall 2017 Pre-Cana Session - will be Saturday, September 30 from 10am-5pm.

Pre-Cana will be held in the St. James Community Room and lunch and refreshments are included in the fee. Couples must pre-register on the Diocese of Ogdensburg website and sessions are limited to 7 couples. To register and pay, please go to the following website and click on the Office of Pre-Cana link: <http://www.rcdonny.org>. The fee is \$75 and is payable by check or credit card.

If you have questions about Pre-Cana at St. James, you can contact Andrianna Crawford at 778-1883 and leave a message if necessary.



From the Pastor:

Today is the long awaited Second Annual Parish Picnic for St. James & St. Mary's. It will begin at 12 noon outside at St. James. It is a wonderful occasion to celebrate the end of summer and celebrate our unity as the parishes of St. James and St. Mary's. It is planned as a "fun time" for all of us. Please gather up your family and children and come and have a good time. The parish will provide the hotdogs and hamburgers, the beverages (including wine and beer), and the tableware. Please bring your favorite dish to pass. We will have tables and chairs set up but if you would like to bring a folding chair, that would be great. The Magic Show will start promptly at noon; other children's activities will follow. Beverages and snacks will be served at noon and the eating will commence about 12:30pm. Toward the end of the afternoon, some great prizes will be awarded to some lucky people. The top Grand Prize will be an all expense paid trip for 2 nights and 3 days cruising the beautiful Black River. A row boat is included. Come and see the mosquitoes and fireflies as you cruise the Majestic Black River. You have to be present to receive the prizes and you won't want to miss them.

A good number of parishioners from St. James and St. Mary's have registered for the Formation for Ministry program which begins in September here at St. James. Don't forget that there will be an important Orientation Meeting tomorrow evening at 6pm in the Community Room for all the participants.

A Diocesan audit was held on August 16th for St. James, St. Mary's and CAA. I am happy to report that we passed with "flying colors." Thanks to Margaret Woods for preparing all the necessary documentation for the auditor. When the full report is issued from the Diocese, I will share it with the Parish Finance Councils from both parishes along with the CAA Education Council.

Father James Spenard, O.S.A. was here at St. James this week to officiate at the funeral of Margaret Tracey. It was his first trip back to St. James in a long time and it was good to see him. Father sends his warmest regards and prayers to all the St. James parishioners.

This past February I took a bad fall and landed on my right shoulder, while skiing at Park City, Utah (and I thought I was a good skier)! Anyway, it has been troublesome for me ever since. Over the past months I treated it with 2 cortisone shots and they proved somewhat helpful. Anyway, after a recommendation from the doctor, I had a MRI done on the shoulder this summer. Much to my surprise and horror, I discovered I had a severely torn rotator cuff. I had it operated on this past week and have now begun the long, arduous rehabilitation process. I will try to manage the best I can using only my left arm/hand. With my new foot and shoulder, when this is all over, I should be good for another 50,000 miles!

"Who do you say that I am?" Like Peter, we all must answer that question in our lives. Would you like to help others answer that question? Priests, deacons and religious do. Talk to Fr. Donald Robinson or contact Fr. Tom Higman at www.myvocation.net.

Augustinian Academy News

August 27, 2017

Returning and new families: do not forget our Meet and Greet on August 29th from 3:00 – 5:00. Meet your teachers and drop off school supplies.

Check out our website, www.c-augustinian.org, for information on our After School Care Program. A special thank you to Ms. Jessica Altmire who will be coordinating our program.

CAA will be back in session on Tuesday, September 5, 2017

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT - Will be on First Friday, September 1, after the 9:30am Mass. You are invited to come and spend an hour in prayer. Nocturnal Adoration is 6pm until 7am, Sat. REMINDER - Confessions on First Friday are at 8:45am. Also, **Holy Hour for Vocations 7-8pm every First Friday.**

Second Annual Labor Day Ice Cream Weekend

Free Ice Cream Cones

Sunday, September 3 after 10am Mass

Sisters of St. Joseph Lay Associate Program

The Sisters of St. Joseph invite you to a meeting on Sunday, September 10, 2017 from 1:30 to 4:00 at the Motherhouse on Washington Street. It is for those who are interested in learning about our Lay Associate Program. Associates meet once a month to learn about the spirituality and history of the Sisters, pray together, and discuss ways to deepen one's spiritual life. This group is open to men and women. If you are interested, please call Sr. Kathleen, Sr. Norma, or Sr. Mary William at 782-3460.

St. James Cemetery

You may have noticed...We have a generous parishioner who has been brightening up Old St. James Cemetery lately. He has been cleaning the head stones and they are starting to shine. He will be in the New St. James Cemetery on September 2, 2017 from 7-11am and then again from 2-5pm. If you have a head stone that you would like cleaned you can meet him then. If you are not available on that day, please contact Bob Demers 315-493-6643 to make other arrangements.

Parish Update

Please return to the Rectory or drop in collection basket.

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