

St. James
State Street, Carthage
Land Deeded by James D. Leray de Chaumont, 1818
First Church Dedicated and Incorporated, 1821
Present Church Dedicated 1866



St. Mary's
NYS Rt. 12, Copenhagen
Land Deeded 1901, Incorporated 1890
Present Church Dedicated 1902

We are two diverse communities of faith who are united in bringing the Gospel into the daily lives of all who worship with us. We stand together with all people, especially the poor and the alienated, as a sign of God's universal love for all people.

We extend a warm welcome to all and hope that you will find the parishes of St. James and St. Mary's places where faith can be nourished.

Parish Staff

Pastor: Rev. Todd E. Thibault

Pastoral Associate: Deacon Richard J. Staab

Pastoral Associates: Sr. Mary Ellen Brett, SSJ

Sr. Annunciata Collins, SSJ

Augustinian Academy: Sister Suanne Johnson, Principal

Sunday Mass Schedule Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday: 4:00 pm St. James (ant.) Saturday: 2:30 pm – 3:30 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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Website: www.sj-sm.org August 27, 2023



August 27, 2023

Twenty-First Sunday In Ordinary Time

SATURDAY, AUGUST 26

4:00SJ(ant.) - For the People of St. James & St. Mary's

SUNDAY, AUGUST 27

8:00SM - Jessie Bourgeois by St. Mary's Pastor & Parishioners

9:00SJ - Rosary

10:00SJ - David C. Steenburgh by Bruce, Dale & Carol Steenburgh

Monday, August 28

5:00SJ - Rosary/Miraculous Medal Novena

5:30SJ - Albert Abbass by family

TUESDAY, AUGUST 29

9:00SJ - *Rosary*

9:30SJ - Carol Lee Bartell Ashcroft by Jim

Wednesday, August 30

9:00SM - Tom Fleming by Kathie Doolittle

2:40-3:00SJ - Rosary

3:00-6:00SJ - Eucharistic Adoration

THURSDAY, AUGUST 31

8:30SJ - *Rosarv*

9:00SJ - Communion Service

9:30-10:30SJ - Eucharistic Adoration

FIRST FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 1

9:00SJ - *Rosary*

9:30SJ - Joyce Becker by Woods family

10:15-7:00amSJ - Eucharistic Adoration

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 2

7:15SJ - Communion Service followed by Men of Faith

4:00SJ(ant.) - Jon Burns by Kathy & Bill

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 3

8:00SM - For the People of St. James & St. Mary's

9:00SJ - *Rosary*

10:00SJ - James Pike by K of C Council 291

Calendar of Events

Aug. 28 - Good Samaritan Meeting, 6:00pm (CR)

Sep. 2 - Men of Faith, 8:30am (CR)

Sep. 2/3 - Pennies Collections, after Masses

Sep. 5 - Ave Maria Circle Meeting, 6:30pm (CR)

Sep. 7 - K of C Meeting, 7pm (CR)

Sep. 10 - Pancake Breakfast, 8:30 (CR)

Sep. 19 - Worship/Liturgy Meeting, 3pm (CR)

Sep 26 - Buildings & Grounds Meeting, 6pm (Rectory)

Weekly Offerings				
August 20, 2023				
St. James		St. Mary's		
Envelopes	\$4,972.00	Envelopes	\$965.00	
Plate	\$722.00	Plate	\$186.00	
TOTAL	\$5,694.00	TOTAL	\$1,151.00	
Weekly Need to Meet Budget	\$9,938.07	Weekly Need to Meet Budget	\$1,754.80	
Last Year	\$4,946.00	Last Year	\$1,057.00	
THANK YOU!				

Augustinian Academy School News

August 27, 2023

It is hard to believe school begins in just one week! It is such an exciting time of the year! I am looking forward to meeting everyone and welcoming our students back for another great year! If you have any questions, please feel free to call the office.

I would like to take a moment and offer prayers of thanksgiving for the generosity of the Irene Arnot estate. Irene Arnot was an alumni of Augustinian Academy and bequeathed the Academy a large gift which was used to purchase the walk-in freezer and upgrade the heating system. We are grateful for her generosity and support of the Academy.

Some upcoming dates to keep in mind:

- Teachers will be meeting for staff development on August 29th
- Open House / Popsicles on the Playground will be from 1pm - 4pm. Come see your classroom and meet your teacher! Then, enjoy a popsicle and have some fun on the playground!
- First Day of School: Grades K-8: September 5th
- First Day of school: Pre-K 4: September 7th
- Pre-K 3 year olds: Open House: September 8th. First day of school: Sept. 11th
- Back to School Night: Wednesday, September 13th starting at 6:30pm

<u>Religious Ed Coordinator</u> - St. James & St. Mary's is looking for a Religious Education Coordinator. Also, looking for Confirmation Leaders and teachers for Grades 1-6, and RCIA Help. Please call the rectory 315-493-3224

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, Saturday.

Music News - Our Choir will resume singing on Sunday, September 10, 2023 at the 10am Mass. New members are most welcome! We alternate singing at the 4:00pm anticipated Mass on Saturdays and the 10:00am on Sundays. Weekly Choir rehearsals are on Tuesday, 6:00-7:00pm.

If you would like to join our Choir, we accept High School age and up. Give a call to Music Director, Michael Perfetto 315-447-5222.



St. Mary's News - August 27, 2023

Moving forward, please pickup Mass Cards from Joanne Norrgard at St. James Rectory, Carthage, NY.

Spread some sunshine today. Smile at everyone you meet. Light up their day – and yours.

K of C News: Upcoming dates:

Sep 1 - First Friday

Sep 2 - Men of Faith, following 7am Communion Service;

Sep 2&3 - Pennies collections

Sep 7 - K of C meeting & meal in community room, details to follow

Sep 10 - Pancake Breakfast.

Brother Knights: have you considered getting more active with the Council? If so, please consider joining us for our monthly meeting, usually on the first Thursday of the month in the community room. If you're enrolled in Flocknote, you can join the K of C group and we often send emails on upcoming events.

Serving families in Charity, Unity and Fraternity, Garry Stevens, Grand Knight

Renovation Schedule For Handicap Ramp

Work has begun on the St. James handicap ramp. The ramp will be unavailable for use as work continues for the next few weeks.

Please be patient while the ramp is unavailable for use

Bulletin Info Submission For Labor Day
Weekend bulletin for Sep. 10 - info due to SJ by Aug. 31

New Members Welcome!

<u>Ave Maria Circle monthly meeting</u> - September 5 at 6:30 in the community room (covered dish supper). New members are welcome!

The Knights of Columbus and the Ave Maria Circle will be hosting a pancake breakfast in honor of Sr. Suanne Johnson and Sr. Mary Ellen Brett on Sunday, September 10 following the 10am Mass. Please come and help to welcome Sr. Suanne as the new CAA principal and to say farewell to Sr. Mary Ellen, wishing her luck on her transfer to Ogdensburg.



SISTERS OF ST. JOSEPH LAY ASSOCIATE PROGRAM

The Sisters of St. Joseph invite you to a meeting on Sunday, September 10, 2023 from 2:00 to 4:00 at their Motherhouse, 1425 Washington Street, Watertown if you are interested in learning about our Lay Associate Program. Associates meet once a month to learn about the spirituality, the charism and mission and history of the Sisters of St. Joseph, pray together, and discuss ways to deepen one's spiritual life. This group is open to men and women. If you are interested, please contact Sister Mary Eamon (smelyngssj@yahoo.com) or Sister Bethany srbethssj@gmail.com or call 315-782-3460.

DIOCESAN BLUE MASS (September 24th)

Bishop LaValley will celebrate the annual Blue Mass on Sunday September 24th at 2:30 p.m. at St. Alexander's Church (1 Church Street) in Morrisonville. The Blue Mass is the Church's way to offer thanksgiving to God for the dedication and sacrifices made by the men and women of Fire, EMS, Corrections, Law Enforcement, and Communications.

First Responders, their families, and all the faithful are invited to attend this Sunday celebration. Uniforms are encouraged but not required. Questions can be addressed to Fr. Chris Carrara, Blue Mass Committee Chair at info@rcdony.org or by phone at 315-393-2920.

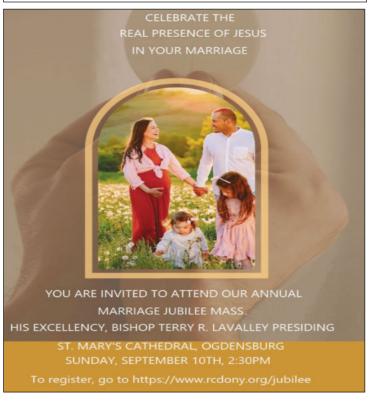


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