

St. James

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First Church Dedicated and Incorporated, 1821
Present Church Dedicated 1866*



St. Mary's

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*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: Mrs. Mary Ann Margrey, Principal

Sunday Mass Schedule

Saturday: 4:00 pm St. James (ant.)

Sunday: 8:00 am St. Mary's

10:00 am St. James

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday: 2:30 pm – 3:30 pm St. James

Sunday: 7:30 am St. Mary's

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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September 11, 2022



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Twenty-Fourth Sunday In Ordinary Time

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 10

4:00SJ(ant.) - Barbara Busch by Joanne/Mike Sligar & family

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 11

8:00SM - Phyllis Gaines by Marion Eisel & family

9:00SJ - *ROSARY*

10:00SJ - For the People of the Parishes

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 12

5:00SJ - *Rosary/Miraculous Medal Novena*

5:30SJ - Alicia Shambo by Montroy family

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13

9:00SJ - *ROSARY*

9:30SJ - Ilene O'Connor by Fralonardo family

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14

9:00SM - Cynthia Bellinger by Catherine & Frank Fazio

1:00-2:40SJ - *Flame of Love Prayer Group*

3:00-6:00SJ - *Eucharistic Adoration*

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 15

8:30SJ - *ROSARY*

9:00SJ - **Communion Service Today**

9:30-10:30SJ - *Eucharistic Adoration*

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 16

9:00SJ - *Rosary*

9:30SJ - Judy Rockwood by David & Lisa Kamide

Saturday, SEPTEMBER 17

4:00SJ(ant.) - For the People of the Parishes

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 18

8:00SM - Peg Nevills by Cliff & Sue Mattis

9:00SJ - *Rosary*

10:00SJ - Mike Condello by Becky Snyder

Calendar of Events

Sept. 11 - Pancake Breakfast, 8:30-Noon (CR)

Sept. 13 - SM Finance & Pastoral Council Mtg, 7pm (Parish Hall)

Sept. 13 - St. James Buildings & Grounds Meeting, 6pm (CR)

Sept. 18, - CCD Resumes, 9am (CAA)

Sept. 25 - Blue Mass, St. Mary's, 2:30pm (Clayton)

Baptism Classes - To be offered by Deacon Staab, in Community Room, after 10am Masses, on 1st & 3rd Sundays. If you have a first child that needs to be Baptized, this class is for you. Please call the rectory to register, 315-493-3224.

Stone Soup Supper - scheduled for St. James in September will be on September 29, 2022, and not on the 3rd Thursday as usual. Pick up only 315-493-3224

Choir Notes - Choir resumes Sunday, September 11, 2022 @ 10:00am Mass. New members are most welcome. Choir is especially in need of more Tenors, Basses and Altos, high school age and up.

Ability to read music is **not** required. If you can carry a tune and enjoy singing you are most welcome.

Choir alternates singing at 4:00pm, Saturday & 10:00am, Sunday Masses. Choir rehearsals are on **Tuesdays** at 6:00pm.

If you wish to join, call Mike Perfetto, Choir Director, 315-447-5222.

Augustinian Academy School News September 11, 2022

Religious Education classes for grades 1 - 6 will begin on Sunday, September 18th. Classes will be held at Augustinian Academy on Sunday mornings from 9:00 – 9:45. We will use the parking lot entrance. Registration forms can be found at the back of the church and in the office at Augustinian Academy.

We are always looking for individuals to assist with our Religious Education program. If you are interested please contact Mrs. Margrey at mmargrey@augustinianacademy.org or call the school, 315-493-1301.

The Annulment Process: What? Why? How?

Not all marriages make it “. . . until death do us part.” Often, following a civil decree of divorce many Catholics desire to marry again. If their first wedding was celebrated according to the norms of the Church, then unless an annulment of that first union is granted, Catholics are not free to celebrate a subsequent marriage in the Church.

The annulment process is a careful examination of the situations of both former spouses leading up to and following the celebration of the wedding. The purpose of this careful examination is to determine if there was anything present, both before and at the time of the wedding which could have invalidated the bond of marriage. If this is found to be the case, then an annulment is granted.

The Diocesan Tribunal will offer five [5] regional workshops on the annulment process to provide both information and an opportunity to ask questions. The public is most welcome. The workshops will be held at the following places:

Monday, September 12 @ 6:30pm

- **Holy Name Parish, AuSable Forks, NY**
- **St. James Parish, Carthage, NY**

Wednesday, September 14 @ 6:30pm

- **St. Patrick's Parish, Chateaugay, NY**

Monday, September 19 @ 6:30pm

- **St. Henry's Parish, Long Lake, NY**
- **St. Mary's Parish, Canton, NY**

BLUE MASS: Save the Date

Bishop Terry R. LaValley cordially invites all Police, Corrections, Fire and EMS Personnel to the Diocese of Ogdensburg Blue Mass at 2:30 p.m. on September 25, 2022. This year the Blue Mass will be at St. Mary's Church, 521 James Street, Clayton, NY. The entire New York North Country Community is invited to join in prayer for the safety and wellbeing of all first responders and public safety personnel.

For more information contact, Fr. Chris Carrara at 315-605-1039 or ccarrara@rcdony.org.

Adoration - Venerable Fulton Sheen said that he spent one hour every day adoring Jesus, in the Blessed Sacrament, "Because it is time spent in the presence of our Lord himself." St. Mother Theresa said that, "Every Holy Hour we make, so pleases the heart of Jesus that it will be recorded in heaven and retold for eternity."

We are blessed with many opportunities to spend time in front of the Blessed Sacrament at St James. Please review the bulletin to see what time might fit your schedule.

Come let us Adore Him!

St. Mary's News - September 11, 2022

September 13th - 7pm – Finance Council & Pastoral Council Meeting – 7pm – Parish Hall

September 21st - Food Pantry St. Mary's Church – 4 -6pm

ENVIRONMENTAL STEWARDSHIP:

Creation Care Tips



During the Season of Creation, we are invited to become more aware of what is happening to our common home by listening to the voice of creation. In the Holy Father's message for the World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation we read: *"If we learn how to listen, we can hear in the voice of creation a kind of dissonance. On the one hand, we can hear a sweet song in praise of our beloved Creator; on the other, an anguished plea, lamenting our mistreatment of this our common home."* Let us "[live] our vocation to be protectors of God's handiwork [which] is essential to a life of virtue; it is not an optional or a secondary aspect of our Christian experience" (Laudato Si', 217).

God bless, keep safe & healthy.

GOD IS OUR COMPASS:

Youth Leadership Retreat for Teens in Grades 9 to 12

God created each of us intentionally, out of love, and for a purpose. Each of us is equipped with God given gifts and talents intended for the glory of God.

During this overnight youth retreat we invite high school age teens an opportunity to learn skills for Christian leadership and ministry in a series of workshops and practical applications. The following skill points will be covered: Christian Leadership, Communication Skills, Group Dynamics, Decision Making and, Planning skills.

Each retreatant will be asked to use the skills above by visioning with their work group a plan for youth ministry at their parish or vicariate and possibly on a diocesan level.

Each retreatant will grow in personal awareness by participating in small groups for discussion and practical experiences of Christian Leadership, Community, Prayer and Affirmation. Each retreatant will gain knowledge and experience by participating in worship experiences and liturgical celebrations.

Overnight accommodation in the Dorm and meals included for a fee of \$95.00 per teen. Once you register, you will be directed to the payment page. After completing payment, you will receive a Guggenheim packing list and schedule for drop off and pick up times. The retreat will be held at the Guggenheim Center located at: 1468 County Route 18 Saranac Lake, New York.

Retreatant check in is: Friday, September 30th at 6:00PM.
Retreatant check out is: Sunday, October 2nd at 10:00AM.
If you have any questions please contact: Jeannie Grizzuto – jgrizzuto@rcdony.org – 315-393-2920 ext. 1413

Bishop's Fund Appeal - will begin soon in our parish and throughout the Diocese of Ogdensburg. In the coming week, you will receive a letter and brochure from Bishop LaValley asking you to join him in supporting the 2022 Bishop's Fund Appeal. Next weekend we will have "Commitment Weekend" for the Appeal in our parish. Please remember - every gift makes a difference - every gift counts. Any gifts received after the Appeal reaches its goal, will be used to further supplement the Bishop's Good Samaritan Fund which assists families in need in our community and throughout the Diocese. You are invited to bring your gift next weekend for Commitment Weekend and place it in the collection basket or return it to Bishop LaValley in the envelope provided. Online giving is also available at

www.rcdony.org/giving/donate-now-bishop-s-fund.

Thank you once again for your generosity and support.

Consecration to Mary

Group study to prepare for consecration to our Blessed Mother

Our Blessed Mother Leads Us To Jesus : Come Joins Us!

Many saints have confirmed that the Immaculate Heart of Mary is the quickest, easiest and surest way to enter the Sacred Heart of Jesus.

Participants will be enjoying fellowship as we learn what this means and how to walk along this path.

We will meet for 6 Saturdays, in the Community room from 9:00-10:30a.m. beginning Saturday, September 10th.

A DVD presentation will be followed by group discussion. Daily readings and reflections help us to prepare for the final Consecration to Mary.

The first 10 people to register will receive their materials at no cost to them.

Sign up sheets are in the back of St James. Feel free to call, or text, Kathi at 783 2230 with any questions.

All are welcome!

K of C News: Upcoming dates:

Sep. 11 - Pancake Breakfast, 8:30

Thank you to everyone who contributed to the success of our Installation of Officers ceremony on Sept. 1st.

Brother Knights, so far we have sold over 100 C&B books. The C&B program supports not only our local food pantries, but Augustinian Academy as well. If you would like to have your sold tickets as part of September's solicitor's drawing, please turn your books in by **September 16**. Extra books are available at the rectory.

Vivat Jesus!

Garry Stevens, Grand Knight

Faith Formation - On August 3rd we trained our first forty seven leaders of discussion and faith sharing for the roll out of the Catechetical Institute! School principals and several parish catechetical leaders as well as others from parishes were included. The annual fee has been paid by the diocese and we are ready to go! We really hope you will take advantage of this opportunity for adult education and spirituality.

This program is designed to form those who form others. Catechetical Leader should attend a training session since he or she is responsible for the certification of catechists. However, the training is not only for Catechetical Leaders. Commissioned Lay Ministers and deacons are also great groups for this. We hope to see representation from your parish at one of the training sessions noted below.

Saturday, September 10 in Plattsburgh, 9:30 to 11:30

Saturday, September 17th in Watertown, 9:30 to 11:30

Register at : <https://www.rcdony.org/faithsharing>

Cathy Russell

Assistant Director, Faith Formation (West)

IN MEMORIAM-For the month of September 2022(SJ & SM)

Sanctuary Lamp

SJ - In memory of Ronnie Latremore by Don & Kathy

SJ - Intentions of Carol Coniski by Bonnie & Kathleen

SM -

Mass Candles

SJ - In memory of Marco Franchini by Yvonne Ablan

SM -

Votive Lights on our Lady's Shrine

SJ -In memory of Stanley & Norma Campany by family

Votive Lights on St. Joseph's Shrine

SJ -In memory of Carol Lee Bartell Ashcroft by Jim

Altar Breads

SJ - In memory of the Souls in Purgatory by friends

SJ -

SM -In memory of Bernard Brady by Brady family



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