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December 17, 2017

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Deacon Anthony Paratore Deacon Robert Connelly

Saturday Vigil 4:00pm at St. Patrick's

5:15pm at St. Charles

Sunday 8am at St. Ann's

9am at. St. Patrick's 10:30am at St. Charles

Monday, 8am at St. Ann's

Tuesday, Thursday, 8am at St. Charles Wednesday, Friday, noon at St. Patrick's

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PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

Forged by our histories, united by our future, embracing the Spirit as one body in Christ, we are a community who prayerfully serve each other and all God's people through all our ministries both formal and informal.

We seek to support each other's journey to the Kingdom of Heaven.

This year, the 4th Sunday of Advent falls on Christmas Eve. That means that there is Mass on Christmas Eve morning for the 4th Sunday of Advent, and then Mass on Christmas Eve for Christmas. It would be very difficult to have our normal Sunday morning Masses, given the number of Masses that day. Therefore, the schedule for the 4th Sunday of Advent and Christmas Eve/Day is as follows:

4th Sunday of Advent- we will have our normal Vigil Masses on Saturday: 4:00pm at St. Patrick's and 5:15pm at St. Charles.

On Sunday morning, we will have 8:00am Mass at St. Ann's and 9:00am Mass at St. Patrick's.

There will be NO 10:30am Mass.

Christmas Eve/Day Masses- on Sunday, Christmas Eve, there will be a 4:00 pm Mass at St. Patrick's (children's liturgy)

4pm at St. Charles

and a 5:30 Mass at St. Ann's gym. (children's liturgy)

On Monday, Christmas Day,

8:00am at St. Ann's,

9:30am at St. Patrick's

11:00am at St. Charles.



THE LORD WILL BLESS HIS PEOPLE WITH PEACE.

Mass Intentions December 18-December 24

SA St. Ann SC St. Charles SP St. Patrick

MONDAY, December 18; MASS AT ST. ANN'S

Reading: Jer23:5-8/Mt1:18-25
SA 8am Parishioners

TUESDAY, December 19; MASS AT ST. CHARLES

Reading: Jgs13:2-7,24-25a/Lk1:15-25

SC 8am Stephen Anglim/15th anniversary by Ferguson Family

John Larkin by Bill and JoAn Feyerabend

WEDNESDAY, December 20; MASS AT ST. PATRICK'S

Reading: Is7:10-14/Lk1:26-38

SP noon David Donovan/1st anniversary by Parishioners Deceased members of Naughton/Spiddle Families

THURSDAY, December 21; MASS AT ST. CHARLES

Reading: Sg2:8-14/Lk1:39-45

SC 8am Raymond and Madalyn Palladino by Family

FRIDAY, December 22; MASS AT ST. PATRICK'S

Reading: 1Sm1:24-28/Lk1:46-56 SP noon Bob Wolff by Family

Marcosa Infantado by Jasmine

SATURDAY, December 23;

Reading: Mal3:1-4,23-24/Lk1:57-66

SP 4pm Noreen Driscoll by Kelly, Charlie, Matty and Ryan

Fassinger

Regina McNamara by Don, Dennis, Jeff and Sean

Angie Punch by Peter, Pam, Nicholas, Tera and

Aliviah

SC 5:15pm Anthony and Angela Paratore by Dc. Tony and

Mary Lou Paratore

SUNDAY, December 24: 4th Sunday of Advent

Reading: 2Sm7:1-5,8b-12,14a,1b/Rom16:25-27/Lk1:26-38

SA 8am Parishioners
SP 9am Parishioners

THERE IS NO 10:30AM MASS TODAY

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 24 EVE

Reading: Is62:1-5/Acts13:16-17,22-25/Mt1:1-25

SA 4pm Bud Kelley by Family

SC 4pm Helen and Charles Skahen by Dc. Tony and Mary Lou

Paratore

SA 5:30pm John and Michael Schoeneck by Family

Please pray for the sick of our Parish

Mary Aigeltinger, Sarah Albright, Teresa Barndollar, Edward Bargelski, Joseph Bertalli, Jane Benson, Paul Blais, Rose Bronzetti, Art Brzezinski, Jennifer C., Sophia Grace Castrilli, Larry Chalk, Christopher Clemons, Phil Corso, John Danaher, Mark DeSanctis, Mary Dooley, Stever Effler, Sr. Paula Jude Egan, Kay Ellis, Karl Esmark, Dominic Farrell, Faye Fox, Rosa Froio, Shawn Garland, Carol Grayson, Jerry Grosso, Bill Gunter, Doug Hague, Holli Johnson, Ellie Jones, Jeannine Kane, Marcia Kirsch, Rita Kisil, Doug Kloczko, Stanley Kowalczyk, John Krell, Christine LaPage, Rick Lavin, Maggie Flynn Loney, Mary Marcellus, Virginia Martens, Nancy Medicis, Beverly Mersfelder, Marie Messina, Mary Morley, Julia O'Keefe, James Onacki, Francis Ostrom, Michele Dubois Payne, Elsie Parsons, Eleanor Peters, Mary Petro, Ed Popcun, Bob Pray, Edward Purcell, Mary Roickle, Josephine Saccone, David Sauer, Tom Schlueter, Kimberly Schoemann, Don Schwanke, Paul W. and Janet Seville, Annette Sitnik, Christine Stepien, Mark Sunderman, Jane Sweeney, Veronica Tario, Norma Taylor, Joanne Trombetta, Makenna Grace Turner, Bill Upwood, Kathy Volcano, Angela Weeks, Mary Jo Weinheimer, Peg Welch, Rich Worden, Ed Zawacki

Heavenly Father, through the Sacred Heart of your Son, Jesus, we pray for our brethren with serious medical problems and for those among us who suffer from age-related disabilities. Amen.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE SERVING IN OUR MILITARY

Liam Halligan, Matthew Locke, Andrew Ayres, Joseph Perry, Packy Guy, Andy Bryant, Joseph Coppo, Owen Alberts, Clare Lowery, Dave Saxton, David Kaminski, Greg Tayntor, Michael Pizzari



ETERNAL REST GRANT UNTO
THEM O LORD,
AND MAY PERPETUAL LIGHT SHINE UPON THEM

We welcome our Newly Baptized members!

Bishop Ludden Minister December 24

Next week's	Lectors	Eucharistic Ministers	Homilist	Altar Servers
SC 5:15pm Sat. 12/23	M.L. Paratore S. Putnam	Rader, Dwyer, Fuller, Giannino	Dc. Tony	Dwyer, Medeiros, Medeiros, Alcaro
SA 8:00am Sun. 12/24	B. Bigelow B. Heitzman	Kearney, Nelson, Blasland, Gorman, Gorman, Hall	Dc. Tony	Gorman, Olivia, Rodriguez
SC 10:30am Sun. 12/24		THERE IS NO 10:30 AM MASS TODAY		

St. Charles-St. Ann Parish

Sunday, December 17..... Oxford Inn Breakfast YIM

K-7 Class 9am-10:15am Rehearsal for Christmas Eve

5:30pm Children's Liturgy 12pm CYO SC-SA @ St. Rose 6:30pm

Monday, December 18.....AA and Alanon

Leave the Lights On Reconciliation

4-5pm at St. Patrick's 5-7pm at St. Ann's

Tuesday, December 19...... Assumption Milk Mission

Holy Hour 4-5pm at St. Charles Church

Wednesday, December 20....Men's Basketball

Thursday, December 21.....Build a Bear Project YIM

Holiday Bingo 1-3pm Media Room

Blessed and Broken Prayer Group -

7pm in the Ministry Center

CYO IC at SA 6:30pm

Saturday, December 23.....4pm at St. Patrick's

YIM Caroling at 5pm

5:15pm at St. Charles

Sunday, December 24.....8am Mass at ST. ANN

9am Mass at ST. PATRICKS

NO 10:30AM AT ST. CHARLES

Christmas Eve 4pm at St. Charles

4pm at St. Patrick's-children's

Liturgy

5:30pm at St. Ann's-Gym-children's

Liturgy

Christmas Day 8am at St. Ann's

9:30am at St. Patrick's 11am at St. Charles

Congratulations to Emma Gorman and Meghan Dwyer for being chosen Altar Servers of the Month for November.

Keep up the good serving!



2017-2018 FISCAL YEAR INCOME REPORT

Weekly Budgeted Income	\$ 13,500.00
Weekly Budgeted Expense	14,250.00
Income from December 10	16,975.00
Rental Income	1,250.00
Bills Paid this week:	
Payroll	6,573.50
Diocese of Saginaw (little blue books)	1,035.00
Earthlink Business	287.45
Sanford & Burtis fire extinguishers	115.00
Morgan Rubbish Removal	120.88
RCIÁ	20.61
Extra Clergy	185.00

Thank you for your support!

For the month of December, candles have been lit in loving memory of Phil and Ida Corso by Family



For the last two weeks of December, candles have been lit in loving memory of Peter Balduzzi with love from Mom and family



For the last two weeks of December candles have been lit in loving memory of Angelo Cupelo by Rosemary Monticello





Please be sure to take one of the little blue books for Advent. They are on the window sills of the church and in the gathering space.

Our Parish Calendars will be here shortly.



ST. ANN'S FOOD PANTRY. On Dec.9th 25 parishioners packed food bags for 51 families from Le Moyne school. This included 209 children. Thanks to your generous donations of food and money we were able to provide bags filled with staples and treats. God bless you for making the holidays a little brighter for these families

ADDRATION OF OUR LORD

"Be still and know that I am God"...Psalm 45

We all need grace to give us strength to do the Will of God.

Just being in the presence of the Lord, in Adoration gives grace to us. Spend an hour in Adoration before the Blessed Sacrament this Tuesday, **December 19th from 4-5pm at St. Charles Church**.

Praying the Rosary, silent meditation and Benediction.

Do you really love me?

Then come to Me, Visit me.

Before the Blessed Sacrament.



For any Eucharistic Ministers or Lectors that have not yet specified dates that you will be unavailable for the next schedule that begins 12/30 and goes until April 1, please contact Mary Lou Paratore ASAP. The schedule needs to be out this week!!!

468-2283 or aparatorel@verizon.net

Dear Families,

Thanks to all who signed up to participate in our Children's Christmas Eve Mass. We will hold practice this Sunday, December 17th, at 12 noon, in St. Ann's gym. You will be able to select a costume for your child to try on and hear all the directions for that special evening. If you *didn't* sign up and still want your child to participate, send me an email to know you are coming, or just show up for practice. The evening is full of surprises, but also filled with joyous memories as we celebrate the birth of Jesus.

Secondly, I would like to thank all of you for your unbelievable generosity in support of our hat, gloves and scarf collection. Some of you have gone above and beyond. One of our families donated 5 brand new winter coats. A parishioner hand knitted two bags full of hats and mittens, and each Sunday more and more items are being dropped off. All I can say is...

You Are The BEST! Many, many thanks.

Last of all, if you would like to join us for this week's class our (our last class of 2017!) please feel free to join us. Each class will be celebrating Gaudete Sunday. Gaudete comes from the latin word that means Rejoice. The color for this weekend is *rose* instead of purple. This is the Church's way of further heightening our experience as we draw ever nearer the Solemnity of Christmas.

May God continue to bless you and all of your families.

Darvl Hall





Join us for fun, prizes and Christmas Cheer!

December 21, 2017

Bring a friend or two or more!

From 1-3 pm Medía Room @ St. Ann's Beverages and Goodíes Galore!

\$5 to play

Call the Rectory if you have any questions! 468-1803











Hundreds of bags have been packed with love and delivered to our families in need of support. Thank you so much for your ever present generosity.

Prepare ye the way of the Lord

There's nothing like homemade cookies (especially during finals week)!

A huge thanks to all the YIM members and parents who baked the delicious cookies for our annual "Cookies 4 College". Over 30 trays were sent out to our young adult parishioners away at college. The packages were packed with care, along with candy canes, hot chocolate, peppermint kisses and a greeting card written by our teens. It was a very busy morning on December 9th – we had so many trays made that we were able to deliver some to the nursing home and to several elderly neighbors of our members. We spread the love and cookies around and it was the perfect start to our Holiday giving.

Next up for our group is serving pancake breakfast to the Men's Night Shelter, then our favorite visit to an inner city Elementary School (this year it's Seymour Elem) and then we go caroling to several nursing homes, Francis House and the Men's Shelter. Our teens volunteer for each and every ministry event and many of them are Juniors and Seniors! We are blessed and we are extremely thankful for the generosity and the witness of these young men and women.

Terri Condon



From the desk of Deacon Tony....Please mark your calendars!.

Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers, Altar Servers, and Ushers, please sign up for the Christmas Eve/Day Masses as soon as possible, by December 17th. The sheets are in the gathering area at St. Charles and St. Ann's.

ALTAR SERVERS: THIS YEAR OUR ANNUAL "SKY ZONE"/PIZZA event will be held on Monday, January 15 (Martin Luther King's Birthday), 11:00am at Sky Zone. All are invited!!! Sign up sheets will be up soon. More details to follow.

Respect Life

People who say they want to kill themselves are often clinically depressed. For those who receive a terminal diagnosis, the stress and turmoil can lead to a depressive episode. Yet there is no requirement in the legislation that patients receive counseling or mental health treatment before they choose a lethal, and irreversible course of action.

Le Moyne College- CYO Scholarships Available

For many years, Le Moyne College and the Catholic Youth Organizations have worked together to offer eight \$4,000.00 scholarships. (\$1,000.) per year. The scholarships will be conferred again this year to eight deserving students in the geographical Diocese of Syracuse. These scholarships will be awarded to prospective Le Moyne students who have demonstrated leadership abilities and have performed outstanding service to their school, community and parish.

Applications are at the parish office. They need to be returned to the regional chairperson, no later than Jan. 1.





St. Charles Food Pantry



The cupboards are bare! Most needed items: Peanut butter and jelly, cereals of all kinds, soups of all kinds and sauce. We ran out of food three times in the process of packing bags! This has never happened before. The need is so great. Thank you for all you do.

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Parish Registration: Welcome to all new families and individuals. Please register as soon as possible. Registration forms and a welcome packet are available in the church office

Membership is a condition for the reception of the sacraments of baptism, reconciliation, first Eucharist, confirmation and marriage.

Registration is also required before the parish can issue a sponsorship certificate for those asked to be sacramental sponsors. You must be a registered, contributing member for at least three months before a certificate is provided.

Attendance at Mass is the most meaningful way we model and live our Catholic faith.

Baptisms: Second Sunday of each month Either during Mass or after the 10:30am Mass.

Baptism Preparation Class for Parents: By appointment with Sue Putnam. Please call the Parish Office to schedule.

Marriages: Couples must contact Fr. Kevin at least six months prior to the desired date of the wedding. To initiate the marriage preparation process or if you have questions, contact the Parish Office

Our God Reigns Prayer Group

Meets Tuesdays at 4pm in the Reading Room at St. Charles. Men and women of St. Charles-St. Ann's are invited to attend.

Please bring a rosary, bible and your prayer requests.

Any questions?

Mike Strojnowski 469-4900

Prayer Requests

Blessed

broken

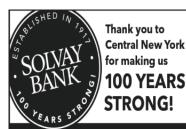
Would you like us to pray for your intentions? Prayer requests can be emailed to Sister Eileen McGrath at emcgrath1@twcny.rr.com

Your requests go directly to the Blessed and Broken Prayer Group and the Our God Reigns Prayer Group who will pray for your intention. All prayer requests are held in confidence and are known only

to the prayer intercessors. "Do not worry about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your

requests be made know to God."

Phillipians 4:6

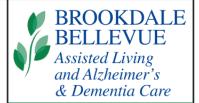




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