

Sts. Mary & Matthew Faith Community

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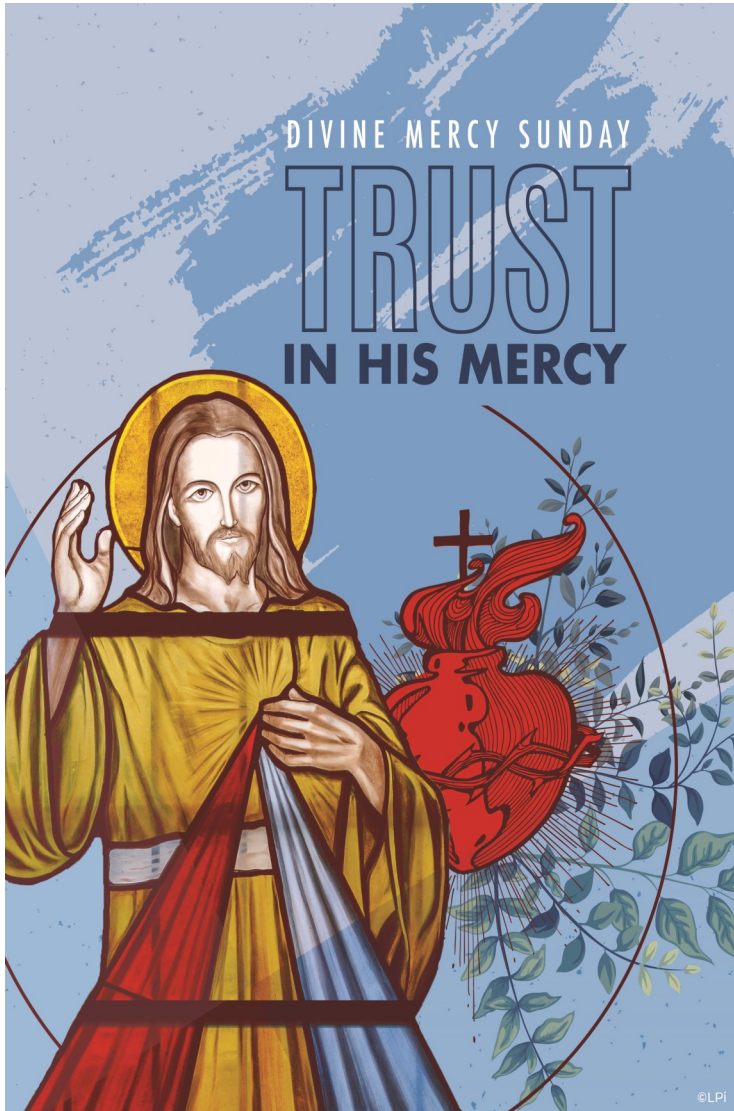
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Our Mission Is To Go and Make Disciples of Jesus Christ ~ April 7, 2024



Readings and Hymns

Readings.....828(B)

Hymns:

Entrance.....317
Offertory.....312
Recessional.....670

The Word of the Laird



This will be my last column for a while, as typing with only my left hand is not exactly something I've trained for! As well as a number of other left-handed activities. When I went for the pre-operation visit, they didn't say a lot about functioning after the operation. I had understood from the orthopedic doctor that my arm would be in a sling for three weeks and I would be doing physical therapy. What the specifics of the physical therapy might be, I don't have any idea.

I want to thank all of you for the care and concern you have expressed over these past weeks. It is sincerely appreciated. I am expecting to pick up my sister at the airport this Sunday afternoon, hoping that her flight from Tampa doesn't get cancelled due to all the eclipse visitors! She is planning on staying with me through the time of the sling and then returning to Florida on May 2. I think that by then I am hoping to have some mobility so that I can use my right arm for some of the simpler day-to-day tasks like getting the food for breakfast and the like.

During the days leading up to the surgery, I have tried to get things together that my sister and I can easily prepare.

Again, my thanks for your prayers and concern.

Thanks be to God. Alleluia! Alleluia!



Saturday, April 6

St. Matthew 4:30 pm—Ray Tette (Sue & Nick Ward)

Sunday, April 7

St. Mary's 8:30 am —For the People of this Faith Community

St. Matthew 10:30 am—William Doyle (Kathy Morsch)

Sunday, April 14

St. Mary's 8:30 am —Kay C. Gordon (St. Mary's Choir)

St. Matthew 10:30 am—For the People of this Faith Community

Due to Father Laird's upcoming surgery, there will be no weekday masses until he recovers. In the meantime, please see **"This Week in Our Faith Community"** for the Communion Service Schedule.

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Weekly Offertory

St. Mary's

- *Collection—03/24/2024 **\$1,437.62**
- *Collection—03/31/2024 **\$1,428.62**
- *Includes Electronic Offering of \$199.62
- Easter \$1,330.00

St. Matthew

- *Collection—03/24/2024 \$9,315.97
- *Collection—03/31/2024 **\$3,692.00**
- *Includes Electronic Offering of \$1,657
- Easter \$1,921.00

What our churches need per week to meet our budget:

St. Mary's	\$2,052
St. Matthew	\$5,600

Figures in red indicate weekly budget was not met

Attendance

03/24/2024	
St. Matthew—4:30 pm	112
St. Mary's—8:30 am	95
St. Matthew—10:30 am	188
03/31/2024	
St. Matthew—4:30 pm	98
St. Mary's—8:30 am	180
St. Matthew—10:30 am	350

This Week in Our Faith Community

Monday, April 8

St. Matthew—9:00 am Communion Service
NOON: BULLETIN ARTICLES DUE FOR APRIL 14.

Tuesday, April 9

St. Mary's—9:00 am Communion Service
St. Mary's—9:30 am Euchre
St. Mary's—11:30 am Rosary Group

Wednesday, April 10

St. Matthew—9:00 am Communion Service
St. Matthew—9:30 am—1:00 pm Eucharistic Adoration
St. Matthew—12:30 pm—Hearts & Hands

Thursday, April 11

ST. MARY'S OFFICE CLOSED
St. Mary's—9:00 am Communion Service

Friday, April 12

St. Mary's—10:00 am-Noon Clothing Closet Open
St. Mary's—6:00 pm—8:00 pm Clothing Closet Open

Saturday, April 13

St. Mary's—10:00 am-Noon Clothing Closet Open

Sunday, April 14

St. Mary's—8:30 am Mass—Live Streamed
St. Matthew—10:30 am Mass

In Memory of Loved Ones

Contact your Parish Office to remember a loved one. A donation of \$50/year is requested.

In Memory Of

Amanda Coble	Dan & Shirley Mulvaney
Elizabeth Klapak Coble	Linda Murphy
Pat Conlon	Jay Nowakowski
Jerry D'Hont	Richard O'Connor
Lucille DeClerck	Robert & Mary Oelwang
Jule DeClerck	Paul & Martha Pfuntrner
Joseph & Betty Eberwein	Joe Rausch
Joe Gianni	Patrick L Guenther
Leo Iten	Frank & Estelle Rodman
Paul Jones	Nan Ryan
Beverly Luther	John Scherberger
Ralph & Rocco Messura	Michelle Stefano
Betty West	Bernice Yerger
Leo & Mary Ann Morsch	Lois Cicero
Lenny & Marie Shumway	Debra Czudak
Al Stockslader	James Sheehan
Patrick Argentieri	Anita Stefano
Mark Gargano	James Ferris
Willis Johnson	Kathie Regelsberger
Bart Johnson	Joseph Carusotti
Ofc. Anthony P. Mazurkiewicz	Joan Shattuck
Jean Marie Dellies	Betty Schrader

Deceased Members of the following:

Chuck and Cathy Schwalenstocker Family
 Helinski and Ellison Families
 Giuliani Family
 Jones Family
 Muscato Family
 Culotta & Hendrick Families
 Enright & Yatteau Families
 Kurtz, Martin & O'Neil Families
 Kucich & Juriaco Families
 Quinn, Donato & Lewis Families
 Gilbert & Somers Families
 Paul & Martha Pfuntrner
 Baier, Root and Shaw Families
 Mazurkiewicz and Rumfola Families
 Moeller & Fritzen Families

Any concerns related to financial fraud can be reported anonymously:

Financial Fraud Hotline
1-800-388-7177 x1266

Reports may also be made in writing to:
 Internal Audit Department • Diocese of Rochester
 1150 Buffalo Road • Rochester, NY 14624



*The Holy Family Candle
 at St. Matthew
 burns this week
 in memory of
 Anita Stefano
 at the request of
 Jim Stefano, Sr.*

Praying for Those Who Are Ill

Florence Ahl, Diane Backus, William Beeley, Teresa Burritt, Catherine Couture, Kevin DeCillis, Hazel Delaney, Crystal DeMay, Joseph Dispenza, John Fisher, Mary Sarah Hanna, David Hess, Mary Ann Hipp, Bob Horning, Dan Jones, Peggy Knight, Jean Long, Mark (Whitmore) Maltese, Shoshana Margolin, Rose Mazurkiewicz, Nina Monteleone, Katie Boldt Norton, Richard Nowakowski, Christina Palella, Dakota Pickett, Mia Rafanelli, Ann Marie Redman, Mary Sheehan, Bill Sidlauskas, Erin Siracusa, Kathleen Smith, Jim Stefano Sr., Margaret Stuver, Marlene Tears, Ed Wendelgass

Would You Help Us Out?

Please review the list. If you requested a name to be added and the person no longer needs to be on the list, let us know so we can take the name off to add others. **As a reminder**, we need the permission of an **immediate** family member or the person themselves to place a name on the prayer list.



ROMAN CATHOLIC
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Victims of sexual abuse should always report to the civil authorities.

To receive help and guidance from the Roman Catholic

Diocese of Rochester,

contact our

Victim Assistance Coordinator:

Deborah A. House

585-328-3228, ext. 1555

Toll-free:

1-800-388-7177, ext. 1555

or by e-mail to victimassistance@dor.org

WEEKEND MINISTRY SCHEDULE

APRIL 13 & 14

8:30 am—Altar Servers: P. Stumpf, P. Gotham; **Communion Ministers:** H. Hawes, K. Rice; **Lector:** B. Missell; **Greeter/Ushers:** J&A Parshall, B. Missell; **Sacristan:** H. Hawes; **Live Stream:** C&P Gotham; **Announcer:** C. Andres

10:30 am—Altar Servers: C. Corridi, Juliette West; **Communion Ministers:** A. Huber, J. Patel; **Lector:** B. West; **Sacristan:** A. Huber

Weekly Prayer

Sunday's Readings

First Reading:

The community of believers was of one heart and mind, and no one claimed that any of his possessions was his own, but they had everything in common. (Acts 4:32)

Psalm:

Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good, his love is everlasting. (Ps 118)
Or: Alleluia.

Second Reading:

For the love of God is this, that we keep his commandments. And his commandments are not burdensome, for whoever is begotten by God conquers the world. (1 Jn 5:3-4)

Gospel:

On the evening of that first day of the week, when the doors were locked, where the disciples were, for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood in their midst and said to them, "Peace be with you." (Jn 20:19)

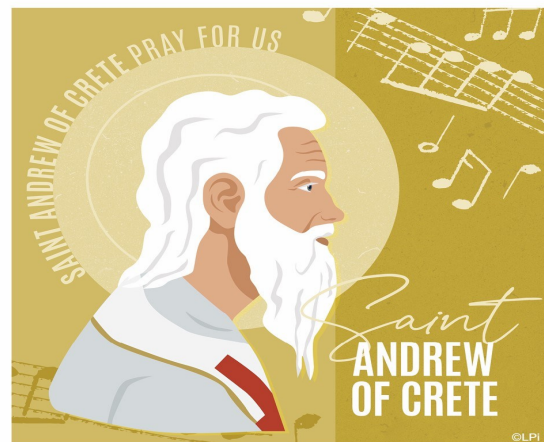
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Live The Liturgy Inspiration of the Week

We find unfathomable mercy and everlasting love in the wounds of Christ — even when we are skeptical, even when we carry doubt. God meets us there in the confusion. He reaches for our hand and places them at his side. We just have to call his name.

Observances for the week April 7, 2024

- Sunday:** 2nd Sunday of Easter (Divine Mercy)
Monday: The Annunciation of the Lord
Thursday: St. Stanislaus, Bishop and Martyr
Saturday: St. Martin I, Pope and Martyr
Next Sunday: 3rd Sunday of Easter



Saint of the week

St. Andrew of Crete was born in Damascus and was mute until he received his First Communion at age 7. He went on to be an influential archbishop and hymnist in Crete. His most renowned work, the Great Canon, is chanted during Lent in Eastern Orthodox churches.

Prayer for the 2nd Sunday of Easter

Dear Jesus,
As you greeted your disciples after you rose, fill us, too, with your peace.
As you breathed your spirit on them, breathe on us, too.
As your presence was known to Thomas, make it known to us, too.
Help us to live in your peace, power, and presence.
Amen.

Our Sacramental Life Together:

- Sacrament of Baptism:** Call either parish office for arrangements.
- Sacrament of Reconciliation:** Saturdays from 3:30 to 4:00 pm at St. Matthew or call either parish office for an appointment.
- Sacrament of Matrimony:** Please notify either parish office six months in advance of desired date.
- Anointing of the Sick:** Please notify either parish office if someone is sick at home, in a nursing facility or the hospital.
- Holy Orders:** If you're interested in serving the People of God as a priest, please visit ROCpriest.org.



We keep all those currently serving in our Military, as well as those who have previously served, in our prayers always.



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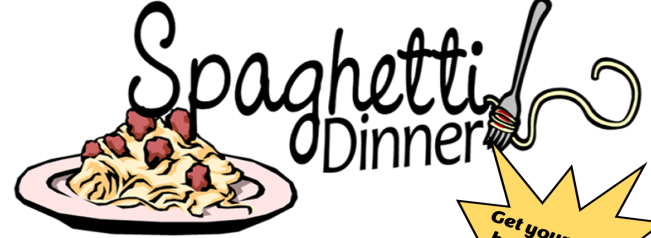
Sign in front of a church: Where will you spend eternity? Smoking or Non-smoking?



St. Mary's Coffee Hour

Please join us next Sunday for coffee, tasty treats and fellowship immediately following Mass.

We need volunteers to provide baked goods/treats and also to serve as hosts (includes serving & clean-up). Please sign up on the sheet in the vestibule.



Get your tickets before they're sold out!

St. Mary's Church

Monday, April 22, 2024

Anytime between 4:30 pm—6:30 pm

Tickets: \$10/person and \$5/Child Under 10

Tickets available at both churches on Sundays or both Church Offices

Featuring Spaghetti with Meat Sauce, Salad, Garlic Bread & Dessert

Please join us!



In your Christian Charity, you are asked to remember in your prayers

Elaine Housecamp

who God called to eternal rest. May she rest in peace and may the Risen Lord strengthen her family in their time of loss.



The following is from Don Fox, Co-ordinator of the Honeoye Food Pantry in acknowledgement of St. Mary's donation of \$820 for Christmas Hams:

"Your unwavering support for our Community's Food Pantry is more helpful than words can express. Thank you for the generosity that you show for our neighbors in need. Your donations contribute to building a stronger Honeoye Community for us all!"

THE DIVINE MERCY

COME JOIN US for DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY DEVOTION

Benediction and the Chaplet of Divine Mercy with Deacon John

April 7th at 3:00 pm

St. Matthew Church

The message of Divine Mercy that Jesus gave to Saint Maria Faustina is a reminder of what the Church has always taught: To trust in Jesus always and that His love and forgiveness are for everyone.

For more information on Divine Mercy and the Chaplet go to:

www.thedivinemercy.org/message/devotions/pray-the-Chaplet



St. Mary's

Diane Hawes (Chair), John Lloyd
Ann Bauer, Olga Leonard, Pat McRae

Trustees: Mike Dobbertin & Nancy Andres

St. Matthew

John Quinliven, Judy Couture
Christie Whitman, Pat Williams

Trustees: Lynn Maginn & Julie West



Easter Flower Offerings

THE FOLLOWING HAVE BEEN MEMORIALIZED THROUGH DONATIONS FOR OUR EASTER FLOWERS. KINDLY KEEP THEM IN YOUR PRAYERS.

Betty Schrader	Glenn Seymour & Family
Eugene & Catherine Rosplock	Celona Family
Stefan Naumczyk & Family	Len & Marie Shumway
Mr. & Mrs. Richard Towner, Jr.	Joseph Kaminski
Mary Jo Weber	Mae Kaminski
Broccolo Family	Dispenza Family
Jane Harvey	John & Lill Hofer
Jim Fitzsimmons	Richard & Caroline Hofer
Tom & Mary Donohue	Jerry Rudolph
Diane Rudolph Eades	Mary & Leo Iten
Dennis Wittman	Dolores Clark
Raymond & Helen Chmielowiec	Jeanette Bangs
Jay Nowakowski	Robert Fritzen
Fritzen & Moeller Families	Ben Collins
Carol Sabo	Eleanor McNinch
Richard O'Connor	Steven Scipioni
Linda Ciecieroga	Dave Mitchell
Lenny Olesky	Mark Dwyer
Edward Dwyer	Sterling & Lily Ellison
John & Victoria Helinski	Ralph A. Messura
Rocco A. Messura	Paul Jones
Fr. Schifferli	Austin James Schmitt
Larry Milliman	Jane Goddard
Ray Jette	Jerry & Bettye Hooker
Sam & Dorothy Borrello	Mr. & Mrs. Stanley Martin
Mr. Charles O'Neil	Mr. & Mrs. Vincent Kurtz

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Velma Donals	Ed Palmer
Edward Loux	Kay C. Gordon
James Goddard	Coryer Families
James Sheehan	Rita Simpson
Hanna & Madigan Families	Rick Finn

Parents & Siblings of Chuck & Barb Bland
Deceased Members of the Carter & Miller Families
Deceased Members of the Enright & Yatteau Families
Deceased Members of the Ceglinski & O'Connor Families
Art & Virginia DeMoors & Sister Shirley
Harry & Helen Horning & Brother Richard