

# Sts. Mary & Matthew Faith Community

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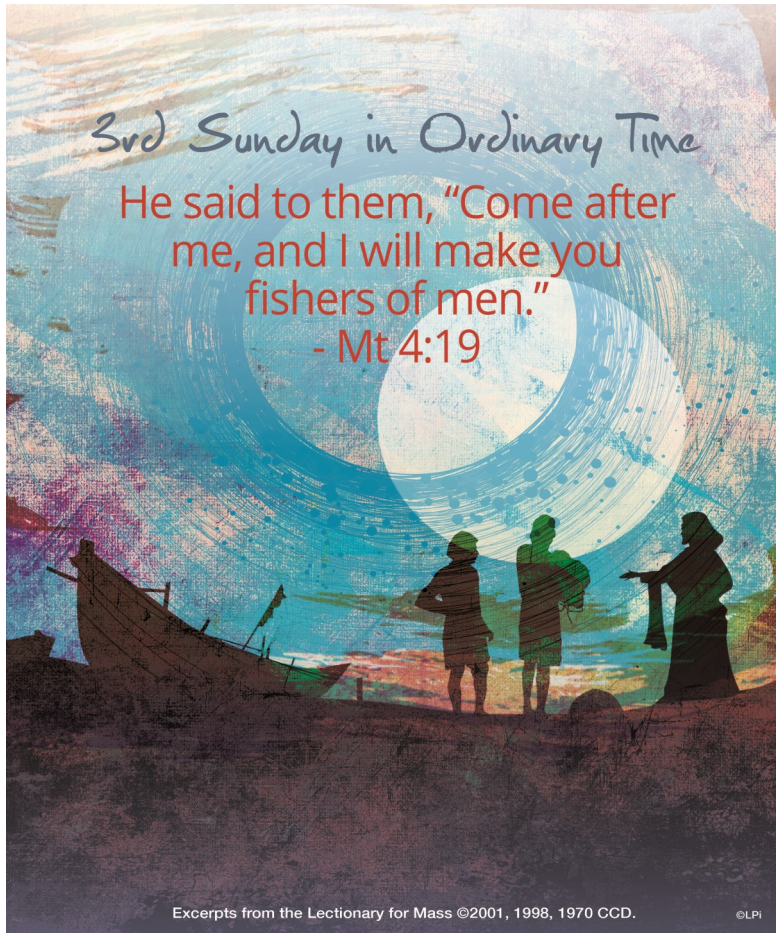
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*Our Mission Is To Go and Make Disciples of Jesus Christ ~ January 22, 2023*



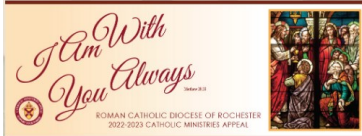
## The Word of the Laird

I am pleased to report that last Sunday, for our holy three-quarter hour, we had over a dozen people in church! In view of that number attending, I think it best to make the noon to one o'clock hour our standard. I want to thank everyone who attended and hope that more will consider setting some time aside (maybe not necessarily the whole hour) for spending time with the Lord in the Eucharist.

Today's Gospel reading has the call of the first disciples. It might be inferred that from the time of His baptism by John the Baptist until the time of the Baptist's arrest, Jesus was a disciple of John. But now, with John being arrested by Herod, Jesus makes that the occasion to begin His own ministry. He calls two sets of brothers, Peter and Andrew, James and John. His calling them to be "fishers of men" had an eschatological ring to it. The end times are getting nearer and the harvest of humans for the Kingdom is now becoming more urgent.

Our pre-Mass prayers for vocations echo Jesus' call. I hope that they will inspire some of our young men to look into the possibility of priesthood for their life's work. This year will make forty-eight years that I have been a priest. I worked in parishes, I worked in the Diocesan Tribunal where we did marriage annulments. I was a delegate of Bishop Clark administering the sacrament of confirmation around the diocese for twenty-one years. While there have been some moments that presented challenges, for the most part I feel that my ministry has been a blessing for me and for the people I have served. I hope that we will have more of our young men giving this consideration.

Thanks be to God.



### CMA UPDATE

As of 1/17/2023

	<u>St. Mary's</u>	<u>St. Matthew</u>
Pledged	\$21,584.00	\$47,298.00
Goal	\$19,000.00	\$50,000.00
Percentage of Goal	113.60%	94.60%
Remaining to Goal		\$2,702.00

**We encourage you to make an online gift by going to: [www.dor.org/cma](http://www.dor.org/cma)**

**Or by mail at: Diocese of Rochester, CMA, PO Box 6841, Ithaca, NY 14851-6841**



**Monday, January 23**

St. Matthew 9:00 am—Deceased Members of the Kucich Family (Family)

**Tuesday, January 24**

St. Mary's 9:00 am—Frederick B. Root (Estate of Dolores B. Root)

**Wednesday, January 25**

St. Matthew 9:00 am—Richard Genung (Karen Harrington)

**Thursday, January 26**

St. Mary's 9:00 am—Marian Wenthe (Phyllis Quinn & Larry Milligan)

**Saturday, January 28**

St. Matthew 4:30 pm—Jay Nowakowski (Family)

**Sunday, January 29—4th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

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

St. Matthew 10:30 am—Margaret & Robert J. Quinn (Family)

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*This Week in Our Faith Community*

**Monday, January 23**

St. Matthew—9:00 am Mass  
St. Matthew—11:00 am to 1:00 pm Eucharistic Adoration

**Tuesday, January 24**

St. Mary's—9:00 am Mass—Live Streamed  
St. Mary's—9:30 am Euchre  
St. Matthew—4:30—6:30 pm Eucharistic Adoration

**Wednesday, January 25**

St. Matthew—9:00 am Mass  
St. Matthew—12:45 pm Hearts & Hands  
St. Mary's—6:00 pm Men's Club

**Thursday, January 26**

St. Mary's—9:00 am Mass  
St. Matthew—6:30 pm Bible Study

**Saturday, January 28**

St. Mary's—9:30 am—Bible Study  
St. Matthew—3:30 pm—4:00 pm Reconciliation  
St. Matthew—4:30 pm Mass

**Sunday, January 29**

**CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD DURING MASS**

St. Mary's—8:30 am Mass—Live Streamed  
St. Mary's—Faith Formation after Mass  
St. Matthew—9:15 am Faith Formation  
St. Matthew — 10:30 am Mass  
St. Matthew—Give Warmth Coffee Hour After Mass  
St. Matthew—6:30 pm Crossroads

**Men's Retreat**

Notre Dame Retreat House

February 3– 5

To register call: 585-394-5700 or email [ndretreat@rochester.rr.com](mailto:ndretreat@rochester.rr.com)

**Weekly Offertory**

**St. Mary's**

\*Collection—1/15/2023 **\$1,520.68**  
\*Includes Electronic Offering of \$237.68

**St. Matthew—Collection Information not available at press time. Will appear in 1/29/2023 Bulletin.**

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— 1/15/2023**

St. Matthew—4:30 pm	112
St. Mary's—8:30 am	94
St. Matthew—10:30 am	145

## 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
Dottie Gotham	Debra Czudak
Lenny & Marie Shumway	James Sheehan
Al Stockslader	Anita Stefano
Patrick Argentieri	James Ferris
Mark Gargano	
Officer Anthony P. Mazurkiewicz	

**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

Praying for Those Who Are Ill

Diane Backus, William Beeley, Charlie Braun, Gloria Cote, Catherine Couture, Kevin DeCillis, Hazel Delaney, Joseph Dispenza, Theresa (Pfuntrner) Donlon, Joseph Erhart III, Sharon Erhart, Phil Farrell, Kay C. Gordon, Bill Greene, Bob Horning, Peg Hynes, Tom Kranz, Jean Long, Mark (Whitmore) Maltese, Shoshana Margolin, Rose Mazurkiewicz, Nina Monteleone, Katie Boldt Norton, Christina Palella, Mia Rafanelli, Jeff Sabo, Paula Schuster, Joan Shattuck, Mary Sheehan, Erin Siracusa, Kathleen Smith, Jim Stefano Sr., Courtney Stevenson, Marlene Tears, Ray Tette, Soledad Tewksbury, Kate Weider, Charlotte Wood, Jean Woods

### 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.

## WEEKLY PRAYER

### READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF JANUARY 22, 2023

**Sunday:** Is 8:23—9:3/Ps 27:1,4, 13-14 (1a)/1 Cor 1:10-13, 17/Mt 4:12-23 or 4:12-17

**Monday:** Heb 9:15, 24-28/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4, 5-6/Mk 3:22-30

**Tuesday:** Heb 10:1-10/Ps 40:2 and 4ab, 708a, 10, 11/Mk 3:31-35

**Wednesday:** Acts 22:3-16 or Acts 9:1-22/Ps 117:1bc, 2/Mk 16:15-18

**Thursday:** 2 Tm 1:1-8 or Tit 1:1-5/12/Ps 132:1-2, 3-5, 11, 12, 13-14/Mk 4:21-25

**Friday:** Heb 10:32-39/Ps 37:3-4, 5-6, 23-24, 39-40/Mk 4:26-34

**Saturday:** Heb 11:1-2, 8-19/Lk 1:69-70, 71-72, 73-75/Mk 4:35-41

**Next Sunday:** Zep 2:3; 3:12-13/Ps 146:6-7, 8-9, 9-10 (Matthew 5:3)/1 Cor 1:26-31/Mt 5:1-12a

## Men's Club

Our Faith Community Men's Club will meet January 25th from 6-8 pm at St. Mary's. **All are welcome!**

For more information contact Per Adamson at 585-509-4492 or [persvenadamson@gmail.com](mailto:persvenadamson@gmail.com)

## WEEKEND MINISTRY SCHEDULE

JANUARY 28 & 29

**4:30 pm—Communion Ministers:** M. Enright, J. Patel; **Lector:** D. Wilbur; **Sacristans:** L&D Wilbur

**8:30 am—Altar Servers:** P. Gotham, C. Andres; **Communion Ministers:** S. Brown, N. Andres; **Lector:** R. Healy; **Ushers:** J&A Parshall, S. Dixon; **Sacristan:** S. Brown; **Live Stream:** P&C Gotham; **Announcer:** B. Missell

**10:30 am—Communion Ministers:** D&P Somers; **Lector:** B. West; **Sacristan:** A. Huber

# SUNDAY'S READINGS

## FIRST READING:

The people who walked in darkness  
have seen a great light; (Is 9:1)

## PSALM:

The Lord is my light and my salvation. (Ps 27)

## SECOND READING:

I urge you, brothers and sisters, in the name of our  
Lord Jesus Christ,  
that all of you agree in what you say,  
and that you be united in the same mind and in the same  
purpose. (1 Cor 1:10)

## GOSPEL:

He left Nazareth and went to live in Capernaum by the sea,  
in the region of Zebulun and Naphtali,  
that what had been said through Isaiah the prophet  
might be fulfilled. (Mt 4:13-14)

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## OBSERVANCES FOR THE WEEK OF JANUARY 22, 2023

- Sunday: 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time  
Monday: St. Vincent, Deacon and Martyr; St. Marianne Cope, Virgin, Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children  
Tuesday: St. Francis de Sales, Bishop and Doctor of the Church  
Wednesday: The Conversion of St. Paul the Apostle  
Thursday: Sts. Timothy and Titus, Bishops  
Friday: St. Angela Merici, Virgin  
Saturday: St. Thomas Aquinas, Priest and Doctor of the Church  
Next Sunday: 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Celebrate Catholic Schools Week



## Saint of the Week

St. Marianne Cope immigrated to the USA from Germany when she was a child. A gifted leader, she oversaw schools, hospitals, and missions during her long life. Most notably, she volunteered to provide care to those outcast with leprosy in Hawaii.

## Prayer

Prayer for St. Marianne Cope's intercession

Lord Jesus, you who gave us your commandment of love of God and neighbor, and identified yourself in a special way with the most needy of your people, hear our prayer. Faithful to your teaching, St. Marianne Cope loved and served her neighbor, especially the most desolate outcast, giving herself generously and heroically for those afflicted by leprosy. She alleviated their physical and spiritual sufferings, thus helping them to accept their afflictions with patience.

Her care and concern for others manifested the great love you have for us. Through her merits and intercession, grant us the favor which we confidently ask of you so that the people of God, following the inspiration of her life and apostolate, may practice charity towards all according to your word and example.  
Amen.

(Prayer Source: <https://www.saintmarianne.org/prayer---novena2.html>)

## 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](http://ROCpriest.org).



## St. Agnes School Open House and Registration

Saturday January 28<sup>th</sup>  
10:00am-Noon

Pre-K3 Pre-K4  
Kindergarten-Grades 1-6

Stop by St. Agnes School for information, tours and to register for the 2023-2024 school year!

Small class sizes, faith, excellent academics plus all the extras (PE, Art, Music, Library, Fine Arts, STEM, field trips and more).

Busing from local districts for K-6 (some PreK4). After School Care available for PreK4 all day students and K-6 students.

**Pre-K3:** 2 or 3 day options from 8:00-11:00am  
**Pre-K4:** 3 or 5 day options with ½ day or full day  
**Kindergarten:** Full day

Contact the school office at 585-226-8500 with questions.



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



### Church Chuckle

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

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



HELP SUPPORT NEIGHBORS IN NEED

### Give Warmth, Give Hope

Together with Catholic Charities you can help make a difference to those in need through the Give Warmth, Give Hope funds. Through the month of January there will be envelopes available at St. Mary's and St. Matthew's Churches, or you can donate online at:

[ccsteubenlivingston.org](http://ccsteubenlivingston.org).  
You can also bid on a variety of silent auction items located in the Narthex of St. Matthew's Church through January 29th.

**There will be a coffee hour after 10:30 am Mass next Sunday to wrap up the Give Warmth, Give Hope Campaign and Silent Auction.**

**Sent by Ravens**—Our local food cupboard and general support for the Livonia area, Sent by Ravens, is very appreciative of St. Matthew's weekly donations. For these cold winter days, they have requested some donations of hearty soups that they may include with their deliveries to our homebound friends. Many thanks for your consistent love for others.

### Readings and Hymns

Readings .....859

#### Hymns:

Entrance .....779  
Offertory .....555  
Recessional .....548

#### Folk Mass

Entrance .....605  
Psalm .....134  
Offertory .....771  
Recessional .....607