

***St. Mary's & St. Joan of Arc Parishes***  
***Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time***  
***February 16, 2020***

**Masses this Week:**

- Sat., February 15, 5 PM Vigil – St. Mary's**  
Mike Hotaling by Karen Hotaling
- Sun., February 16, 9 AM – St. Joan's**  
Jean Rohrs by Judy & Bill Donnelly  
**11 AM – St. Mary's**  
Patricia Burke by Lorrie & Woody Withers  
**9 PM – Colgate Memorial Chapel**
- Mon., February 17, 9 AM – St. Mary's**  
For the People of St. Mary's and St. Joan's
- Tues., February 18, 8 AM – St. Joan's**  
Lisa Sheridan Crane by Bill & Judy Donnelly
- Wed., February 19, 8 AM – St. Mary's**  
Rocky Faraone by Betty Faraone  
**5 PM – Colgate Judd Chapel**
- Thurs., February 20, 8 AM – St. Mary's**  
Kelie Hyde Pierce by Kathy Hyde
- Sat., February 22, 5 PM Vigil – St. Mary's**  
Francis Belitz Sr. by Fran Belitz
- Sun., February 23, 9 AM – St. Joan's**  
Wayne Stoker by Carol Marshall  
**11 AM – St. Mary's**  
Anthony George by St. Mary's Parish Family  
**9 PM – Colgate Memorial Chapel**

**This Week's Events**

**St. Mary's**

- Sun., Feb. 16, Noon – Parish Social and Town Hall Meeting
- Tues., Feb. 18, 11 AM – ARS Holy Week Meeting  
6:30 – 8 PM – Bible Study
- Thurs., Feb. 20, 1-2 PM – Grassroots Book Club
- Sun., Feb. 23, 5-6:30PM – Catholic Youth Night

**St. Joan's**

- Sun., Feb. 16, 8:30 AM – Rosary
- Thurs., Feb. 20, 5 PM – Friendship Inn
- Sun., Feb. 23, 8:30 AM – Rosary

**New Parish Bible Study!**

The next parish Bible Study will take place on Tuesday, February 18. We will meet on a monthly basis every 3rd Tuesday of the month, from 6:30–8PM. In The Eucharist in Scripture, discover God's plan as it is expressed through the Bible and the Mass. This 6-lesson study, presented by Dr. Scott Hahn, will unlock the meaning of covenant, sacrifice, and sacrament as understood in the Bible, from Genesis through Revelation. It is built around 3 of Dr. Hahn's foundational talks: "The Lamb's Supper," "The Fourth Cup," and Consuming the Word." The Eucharist in Scripture examines the Church's liturgy as the original context for the books of the Bible.

**FROM THE DESK OF FATHER HAGE**

The bishop has asked all pastors to bring to people's attention the importance and role of the *The Catholic Sun* in the life of our local church. *The Catholic Sun* is the official news media serving the people of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Syracuse. It informs, educates, and evangelizes on local, national, and international Catholic news, views, and teachings. *The Sun* was established in 1892 as a private publication. It was purchased for the diocese by Bishop Joseph O'Keefe in 1988. *The Sun* has since expanded to include a digital edition and website. *The Sun* covers the seven counties of the diocese—Broome, Chenango, Cortland, Madison, Oneida, Onondaga, and Oswego—and publishes 44 print and digital issues per year. *The Sun* is the only media solely dedicated to telling the stories of the diocese and its people. In the age of content creators, "fake news," Twitter, and the 24-hour news cycle, professional, accurate reporting is more important than ever. Catholic News Service Director and EIC Greg Erlandson has said, "The regular appearance of a Catholic publication with news, analysis, columns, and features in a virtual or actual mailbox does more to help form more adult Catholics than any other method or tool." In a time when Catholics young and old may struggle to understand and articulate both the tenets and the subtleties of the faith, *The Sun* is an indispensable teaching tool. A subscription costs just \$26 per year. *The Sun's* website, thecatholicsun.com, is updated daily. I would strongly encourage all of our parishioners who have not already done so to subscribe to *The Catholic Sun*. You can do so by filling in your information on the envelopes provided today and dropping them in the collection basket or by visiting this link: <https://thecatholicsun.com/subscribe/subscribe-print-edition-paypal/>  
Mary Immaculate and St. Joan of Arc, pray for us!

**ASH WEDNESDAY MASS TIMES!**

Ash Wednesday will take place on February 26. There will be a Liturgy of the Word with the Distribution of Ashes at 7:15am to kick-off the day (this service will only take about 25 minutes, which will give students plenty of time to get to school). There will be a 12:20pm Mass at Colgate's Memorial Chapel, a 5:30pm Mass at St. Mary's, and a 7pm Mass at St. Joan's.

**Daily Mass Update**

The daily Mass on Monday, February 17 will be at 9am instead of 8am, as is the case with every civic holiday.

**Ministers for Liturgy**

**5 PM (2-22) - St. Mary's**

**Commentator/Lector:** G. Will  
**Eucharistic Ministers:** R. Harris & P. Rhyde  
**Altar Servers:**  
**Usher:** T. Murphy  
**Gift Bearers:** J. Lloyd

**9 AM (2-23) – St. Joan’s**

**Lector:** M. Bischoff  
**Eucharistic Ministers:** K. Rowlands & B. Wolicki  
**Altar Servers:** A. Zaleski & C. Liddle  
**Greeter:** B. Donnelly  
**Gift Bearers:** Griese/Parker  
**Counters:** B. & D. Koehl

**11 AM (2-23) - St. Mary’s**

**Commentator:** S. Lehmann  
**Lector:** F. Dosanjh  
**Eucharistic Ministers:** M. Crafa & J. Swain  
**Altar Servers:** J. Dudrick & A. Beecher  
**Usher:** D. Hunt & J. Eastman  
**Gift Bearers:** Coddington Family

**Consolation Ministers – February**

**St. Joan’s** –Lona Dahlem (495-6478), & Chuck Molloy (684-9398) & Paula Curtis (684-9058)

**St. Mary’s** – Janice Swain (529-8755), Sabrina Craven 263-7012), Kathy Hyde, and Ed Bachorik

**For those who are ill, especially:** Louise MacDonnell, Michael K. Dugan, John Moore, Amber Buell, Brenda Thieben, Bob Gunther, David Lemery, Alex LaBrague, Nancy Cocker, Dick Cocker, Phyllis Harris, Jacob Lamb, Mike Harry, Mary Lou Sacco Crouch, James Marcellus, Mandy McCracken, Gertrude Federici, Helen Bonhotal, Nicholas Respecki, James P. Sheehan, Bethany Merenda, Jim Jackson, Jim Eiholzer, Catherine Jones, Catherine Albrecht Hanson, Theresa Blass, Mary Messere, Kaitlin Nagle, Richard Foligno, Eddie Kunze, Valorie Gunther, Michelle Atkinson, Diane Needham, Anthony Somma, Toni and Larry Barns, Alyssa Hinkis, Carol Benzoni, John Wells, Fred Whipple, Bobby D’Angelo, Hannah Karlson, Mike & Sarah Periard, Dana Camp, Emily Carroll, Gertrude and Malcolm Pownall, Roy Rolle, Roy Roher, Mark Losee, Thomas Fadale, Joan Gorton, John Monahan, Christine Webb, Patti VanVoorhis, Carolyn Depta, Margaret Peer, Marsha Roberts, Michael Bartlett, Barbara Terras, Dorothy Lynch, Steve Jones, Esther Davis, Shane Gallup, and all those on our prayer lines.

**For all in the Military, especially:** SPC Ryan Fowler; 2LT Shelly Respecki; SGT Wade Curtis; PO Dan Molloy, USN; SGT Ian Witchley; LT Andrew Stopchick, USN; GySgt Greg Palmere, USMC; and Corp. Wayne Lyrek, USMC.

**Ash Wednesday Special Collection**

The annual collection for the Church in Central & Eastern Europe will be taken up on Ash Wednesday. Please put your envelope in the one collection. Thank you.

**Catholic Youth Night!**

Our next Catholic Youth Night will take place on Sunday, February 23, from 5pm to 6:30pm. All teens in grades 9 thru 12 are welcome. Dinner will be provided. Bring a friend! Any questions, contact our Youth Minister, Mary Dinski at [maryleedinski@gmail.com](mailto:maryleedinski@gmail.com).



**Church Directory**

If you were photographed by LifeTouch for the Parish directory and have not received your copy, please contact April Taranto at 315-663-4689 or at [apriljtaranto@hotmail.com](mailto:apriljtaranto@hotmail.com) to make arrangements to receive your copy.

**SAVE THE DATE!**

**St. Patrick’s Dinner and Celebration!**

SUNDAY, March 8, 2020

4-7 PM at Colgate University Hall of Presidents

See the bulletin insert for details.



**Colgate Holy Hour**

All parishioners are welcome to join the Colgate Newman Community for their Holy Hour this Wednesday, February 19 at 9PM at Colgate’s Judd Chapel. There will be beautiful meditative music performed by the students while Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is taking place.

**Parish Offices Closed for Holiday**

St. Mary’s & St. Joan’s Parish Offices will be closed Monday, February 17, in observance of Presidents’ Day. Please leave a message and we’ll get back to you ASAP.

**Please Offer Prayers:**

### Stewardship Prayer

Generous God, I give thanks to You for the gifts You've given me; my life, my family, my friends, time, talent, and material possessions. All that I have comes from you. Guide me in sharing Your gifts, passing Your love along. I give glory to You, my God, as I make stewardship a way of life.

Amen

### Grassroots Book Group

In his last year as our pastor, Fr. Madden was excited about a book he was reading and thought it should be shared with a group. A few parishioners who were interested in reading and discussing that book were gathered. And so it began. About ten years and forty books later, a dozen or so still gather every Thursday at 1pm in the Church Hall for a lively discussion about a church-related book. The member who chose the current book leads the discussion; we all share our knowledge and opinions. We must be doing something right, for many of the original group remain. We read about four books a year; the only cost is buying our own books. We are happy to find new people who enjoy thinking and talking about our Church.

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### St. Joan of Arc News

#### St. Joan's Financial Support – 2-9

Ordinary Collection	\$1,136.00
Unbound	6.00

#### 2019 Tax Statements

For a statement of your 2019 donations, please put a note on your envelope, drop a note in the collection basket, or call the parish office and leave a message. Thank you all for your generosity!

#### Unbound

Thank you for your continued support of Unbound and little Andrea.

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### Mary's News

#### St. Mary's Parish Financial Support – 2-9

Ordinary Collection	\$3,122.00
Fuel	20.00
Votive Candles	52.00
Donation (Worn Again)	500.00

*Please remember us in your will*

#### Altar Care

Janice Swain (529-8755) & Mary Murphy (824-1419)

### Faith Formation

Classes will not meet for the next 2 weeks due to winter break. All classes, grades Pre K through High School, will resume March 1st.

### Mardi Gras!

St Mary's elementary student can celebrate one last time as we prepare for our Lenten journey. Students and families are invited to join the Mardi Gras festivities at the Parish Center, Tuesday, February 25, from 5–6:30. Older students are welcome to help with activities. Admission to the Mardi Gras is one nonperishable food or hygiene item to benefit the Hamilton Food Cupboard. Please RSVP (to help or attend) on the poster at the Parish center or by contacting Peggy Rhyde.

### Town Hall Meeting

Father Hage along with the St. Mary's Finance Council will be holding a parish Town Hall Meeting on Sunday, February 16 in the church basement immediately following the 11am Mass. The Finance Council will be fielding questions about the potential sale of the Parish Center located on West Kendrick Street. All are welcome.

### Lost and Found

Please be sure to check the Lost and Found area on the pew outside the bathroom in the church basement for anything you might have misplaced.

### Responsorial Psalm



*The Sanctuary Candle is lit  
for the month of January  
in Memory of Rocky Faraone  
by Betty Faraone.*



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### Mary's / St. Joan of Arc Mission Statement

St. Mary's, Hamilton, and St. Joan of Arc, Morrisville, are a unified, faith-filled, Roman Catholic Community devoted to being the embodiment of the love and teaching of Jesus Christ through worship, religious education, and the sharing of our gifts and talents to provide for the spiritual, emotional and physical well-being of all.