

***St. Mary's & St. Joan of Arc Parishes***  
***The Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time***  
***July 15/16, 2017***

**Masses this Week:**

**Sat., July 15, 5 PM Vigil – *St. Mary's***  
For the People of St. Mary's & St. Joan's

**Sun., July 16, 9 AM – *St. Joan's***  
Eleanor Lynch by Ed & Dorothy  
**11 AM – *St. Mary's***  
John Mowbray by Melissa Ryan

**Mon., July 17, 9 AM – *St. Mary's***  
Pat Lamb by Altar Rosary Society

**Tues., July 18, 9 AM – *St. Joan's***  
Robertta Mueller

**Wed., July 19, 9 AM – *St. Mary's***  
All Souls Day Intentions

**Thurs., July 20, 9 AM – *St. Mary's***  
Bill & Irene Moynihan by their Family

**Sat., July 22, 5 PM Vigil – *St. Mary's***  
Isabelle Cook by Joe Connors

**Sun., July 23, 9 AM – *St. Joan's***  
Lally Family celebrating Family Reunion  
**11 AM – *St. Mary's***  
For the People of St. Mary's & St. Joan's

**This Week's Events**

***St. Mary's***

Mon., July 17, 7 PM – Parish Council Meeting

Sat., July 22, 6 PM – Dinner & a Movie

***St. Joan's***

Sun., July 16, 8:30 AM – Rosary

Tues., July 18, 7 PM – Unlocking the Mysteries of the Bible

Thurs., July 20, 5–6:30 PM – Friendship Inn

Sun., July 22, 8:30 AM – Rosary

**Dinner & a Movie**

Join us July 22 for *Moana*, the story of a headstrong chieftain's daughter who seeks out the demigod Maui to set things right and break a curse. The movie includes the voices of Auli'i Cravalho and Dwayne Johnson. Rated PG.

**Pastoral Care**

If you or a loved one are in the hospital or any other institution and would like a visit from Father Hage, please call him directly at the parish office. The hospital cannot share with the parish that you are in the hospital because of HIPAA laws, so Father Hage may not know you are in the hospital when he would love to visit you. So please call.

**FROM THE DESK OF FATHER HAGE**

This past week, I had the chance to meet with the parish staff both from Saint Mary's and Saint Joan of Arc's. I actually hosted a dinner in the rectory, and it was so much fun! I loved hearing about each staff member's background, where they are from, and what their families are like. I loved hearing about how God has been leading them throughout their lives to get to this point in their life. One thing I recognized in all of their stories is that with God's providence nothing ever happens on accident! God is always leading us. We seem to end up where we least expected, and that is why living a life of Faith is so exciting! As J.R.R. Tolkein once said, "Not all who wander are lost." We throw ourselves into God's hands!

During our staff meeting, one thing I shared with the staff is that I am always looking to bring people back into relationship with Christ and His Church. Evangelization is always in the back of my mind in everything I do. I shared with the staff that it is always our desire to see our children and our grandchildren come back to the church. One question I asked them to consider is this: If we want them back, *what* are they coming back to? Really stop and think about this. Everything we do as a community could either allow someone the opportunity to reinvest in their relationship with God or it could turn them away. I pray it is the former. As we consider as a staff and as a community how to best reach out to those who have been away, I pray that we will be open to the Holy Spirit to lead us in new and unexpected ways. All for the salvation of souls! Saint Joan of Arc and Mary Immaculate, pray for us

**Middle School Pilgrimage**

Middle school students are invited to participate in a diocesan middle school pilgrimage to Niagara Falls and the Fatima Shrine on Saturday, August 5. This day trip includes transportation, *Maid of the Mist* boat ride or Cave of the Winds, Mass and Marian procession at the Fatima Shrine, and pizza, all for only \$50. Deadline for sign up is July 21. If you are interested, please contact Mrs. Rhyde or Mrs. Mosher for registration and additional details. It sounds like a great trip.

## **Ministers for Liturgy July 22/23**

### **5 PM (7/22) – St. Mary's**

**Lector:** N. Roberts

**Eucharistic Ministers:** D. Sharp & F. Gargiulo

**Altar Server:** B. Sharp-Ballinger & B. Craven

**Usher:** D. Kirby

**Gift Bearers:** J. Lloyd

### **9 AM (7/23) – St. Joan's**

**Lector:** B. Koehl

**Eucharistic Ministers:** K. D'Addario & I. Domes

**Altar Servers:** D. & K. Koehl

**Greeter:** C. Bischoff

**Gift Bearers:** Tomcho/Johnson

**Counters:** B. Koehl & C. Doroshenko

### **11 AM (7/16) – St. Mary's**

**Lector:** M. Wehrer

**Eucharistic Ministers:** J. Swain & M. Crafa

**Altar Servers:** M. Dunckel & A. LaFrance

**Ushers:** J. Eastman & D. Martin

**Gift Bearers:** Dunckel Family

## **Consolation Ministers – July**

### **St. Joan's** – Dorothy Lynch (684-3855)

Barb Wolicki (684-3635), Lona Dahlem (495-6478)

Chuck Molloy (684-9398)

### **St. Mary's** – Janice Swain (529-8755) and

Kathy Welch (824-0863)

## **Friendship Inn Volunteers Needed**

Friendship Inn is in need of a volunteer cook every other Thursday. You would be teamed up with another person. Menus are made up ahead of time. Hours are 1:30–5 PM. The continued success of Friendship Inn depends on the many volunteers who contribute their time cooking, setting up, serving, and cleaning up. Friendship Inn has been providing our community a weekly nutritious meal for the past 7 years. If you have some free time, please consider volunteering. For information, contact Patty Higgins at pavhigg@gmail.com or 315-684-3070.

## **A Family Perspective**

The stress and anxieties of family life are the “thorns that choke off” any opportunity to reflect on God's presence in our lives. Notice in today's gospel Jesus “left the house” so He could connect with His Father. Take five minutes each day to appreciate God walking with you.

## **Blood Drive**

The next area blood drive will be July 28, 1–6 PM, at the Morrisville Community Church. To schedule an appointment call 1-800-RED CROSS or [www.redcrossblood.org](http://www.redcrossblood.org) – sponsor keyword: morrisvillecommunitych. Walk-ins are always welcome and greatly appreciated. Thank you!

## **Please Offer Prayers:**

**For those who are ill, especially:** Louise MacDonnell, Michael K. Dugan, Joan Dahlem, John Moore, Amber Buell, Brenda Thieben, Bob Gunther, David Lemery, Alex LaBrague, Nancy Cocker, Dick Cocker, Phyllis Harris, Jacob Lamb, Grace Runyon, Mike Harry, Mary Lou Sacco Crouch, James Marcellus, Mandy McCracken, Gertrude Federici, Helen Bonhotal, Nicholas Respecki, James P. Sheehan, Bethany Merenda, Jeannette Kidd, Denise Romeo Luther, Betty Roher, Jim Jackson, Jim Eiholzer, Catherine Jones, Catherine Albrecht Hanson, Pat Roher, Mike Avery, Fran Hurley, Thelma Belitz, Bonnie Avery, Theresa Blass, Mary Messere, Ellen Hall, Kaitlin Nagle, Debbie Shay, Richard Foligno, Francis Nilles, Dick Davis, Joe Dahlem, Suzanne McDonald, Eddie Kunze, Rosemary Smith, Frank Urben, Valorie Gunther, Michelle Atkinson, Diane Needham, Mary Helmer, Gladys Graham, Patti VanVoorhis, Mary Endris, and all the folks on our prayer lines.

**For all in the Military, especially:** LT Robert P. (Reserves) and LTJG Andrew G. Krainak; SPC Ryan Fowler; 2LT Shelly Respecki; SGT Wade Curtis; PO Dan Molloy, USN; SGT Ian Witchley; LT Andrew Stopchick, USN; GySgt Greg Palmere, USMC; COL Kim Parsons Daub; and PFC Wayne Lyrek, USMC.

### **The Good News Center**

***Separated & Divorced Support Group*** Meets every other Sunday, 5:00-6:30 pm; upcoming meetings July 9, July 23, and August 6 at The Good News Center, 10475 Cosby Manor Rd., Utica. The group meets in a warm, caring environment designed to help you learn skills and practical information that will guide you in rebuilding your life after your separation or divorce. Free and open to all. For more information contact Judy at 315-735-6210, [judy@thegoodnewscenter.org](mailto:judy@thegoodnewscenter.org), or visit us at [www.thegoodnewscenter.org](http://www.thegoodnewscenter.org).

***The Third Option*** Meets every other Sunday; there is an upcoming meeting July 9, 6:30–8:30 pm at The Good News Center, 10475 Cosby Manor Rd., Utica. **WISH YOU HAD A BETTER MARRIAGE?** Learn to handle anger more constructively, resolve conflicts, and communicate better. Hear couples share how they overcame problems in their marriages. The Third Option support group for married couples. For more information and to register call 315-735-6210, [melissa@thegoodnewscenter.org](mailto:melissa@thegoodnewscenter.org) or visit us online [www.thegoodnewscenter.org](http://www.thegoodnewscenter.org).

**St. Malachy's Annual Yard Sale**

9 AM-4 PM, Friday and Saturday,  
July 21 and 22  
St. Malachy's Church Grounds  
Sherburne  
Most items \$5 or less

\*\*\*\*\*

**St. Joan of Arc News**

**St. Joan's Parish Financial Support (7/9)**

Ordinary Collection	\$1,464.00
Fuel	245.00
Peter's Pence	25.00
Unbound	22.00

**Unbound**

Thank you for your continued support of Unbound and our adopted child, Andrea. She would certainly appreciate your letters and cards.

**HOPE Appeal**

St. Joan's has been assessed a goal of \$7,097.46, which we must reach or our parish is required to pay the difference. To date we have received 13 pledges for a total of \$1,613: only \$5,484.46 to go.

As you can see, we have quite a ways to go, so, *please* turn in your pledge as soon as possible. Thank you!

\*\*\*\*\*

**St. Mary's News**

**St. Mary's Parish Financial Support (7/9/17)**

Ordinary Collection	\$2,344.00
Tohatchi	45.00
Donation	75.00
Rice Bowls	28.00
Summer Subscription	10.00
Peter's Pence	50.00

**St. Mary's Parish Financial Support Previous Year**

Ordinary Collection	\$2,034.00
---------------------	------------

**Altar Care – July**

Sue Lehmann (825-1621)

**Truck Donation**

St. Mary's truck is no longer road worthy. We are hoping to find a half-ton pickup truck that someone is willing to donate to the church. It would be a tax donation for the donor and a huge help to St. Mary's.

**HOPE Appeal**

A gift to the HOPE Appeal makes a difference in the lives of so many across our diocese, from the very young to the frail elderly. Please send in your gift to help. St. Mary's has been assessed a goal of \$15,286.57. We have raised \$10,524.00 so far, from 43 families. We thank you for your generosity.



**Have You Noticed the New Art in Our Sanctuary?**

The name of the bas-relief sculpture is the Pitti Tondo (a round piece of sculpture commissioned by the Pitti family), and was given to St. Mary's by Carol Bergin this past spring. It is a plaster cast of the original marble sculpture by Michelangelo that was done between the years 1503 and 1504. The original is in the Museo Nazionale del Bargello in Florence, Italy. It depicts Mary with the infant Jesus leaning against her, and behind her shoulder is St. John the Baptist. We are very lucky to have such a stunning piece of art in our sanctuary.

**Summer Subscription**

Our annual 6-week Summer Subscription begins this weekend. The Summer Subscription will go to support two projects. The first will involve replacing the cracked sidewalks with asphalt and the resealing of the parking lots at the church and parish center. The estimate for this is \$4,800. The second is the repainting of 3 rooms in the rectory to make it more hospitable for Fr. Hage. Please support our Summer Subscription. Registered parishioners will receive envelopes in the mail. Envelopes are also available in the church. We thank you in advance for your generosity.

\*\*\*\*\*

**St. 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.

\*\*\*\*\*

**St. Mary's Church**

DFP: Margaret Rhyde (824-3027)

Parish Center: 824-1210

Music Director: Dr. R. Ryan Endris  
(rendris@colgate.edu)

Trustees: Janice Swain (529-8755)

Terry Murphy (824-1419)

**Diocesan Commissioned Lay Ministers:**

Margaret Rhyde – Faith Formation

L. Robbins – Family Ministry

**St. Joan of Arc Church**

DFP: Stephanie Mosher (893-7681)

Music: Emily Roher

Parish Council President: Chris Doroshenko

Trustees: Dan Koehl

Steve Jones

**Diocesan Commissioned Lay Ministers:**

Stephanie Mosher – Faith Formation

Judy Lyrek – Liturgy (684-3055)

**Colgate Community**

Deacon: Rev. Mr. Mark Shiner

\*\*\*\*\*