

The Catholic Communities of

St. Mary's of the Fort & St. Joseph Churches
St. Francis of Assisi & Our Lady of Fatima Churches
St. George & St. Patrick Churches

September 17, 2017 † Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Welcome to all new parishioners & visitors!
We wish you every blessing in the Lord!

Parish Office at Constable

St. Francis of Assisi Church
5 Poplar St., P.O. Box 78
Constable, NY 12926
Hours: Tues. 9AM-12:30PM, Fri.-TBD
Phone: 518-483-0486
Email: officecwtr@gmail.com
Website: cwtrcatholics.org

Parish Office at Fort Covington

St. Mary's of the Fort Church
3 Burns Holden Rd., P.O. Box 499
Fort Covington, NY 12937
Hours: Mon. 7:30AM - 3:30PM
Tue. 1:00PM - 3:30PM
Wed. CLOSED for bookkeeping
Thur. 7:30AM - 3:30PM
Fri. Time varies to offices needs
Phone: 518-358-2500
Email: stmaryfort@centralny.twcbc.com
Website: smsjcatholics.com

Parish Office at Chateaugay

St. Patrick's Church
132 W. Main St., P.O. Box 908
Chateaugay, NY 12920-0908
Hours: Mon.-Thurs., 8AM-2:15PM
Phone: 518-497-6673/Fax: 518-497-6165
Email: ccbeparish@yahoo.com
Facebook: Catholic Community of Burke
& Chateaugay



*"I am the
light of the
world.
Whoever
follows me
will never
walk in dark-
ness, but will
have the light
of life."
John 8:12*

Parish Pastor

Rev. Thomas Kornmeyer
Phone: 518-483-2775 (Rectory)

Rev. John Looby (Retired)
In residence at St. Francis Rectory

Pastoral Associate

Deacon Brian Dwyer
P.O. Box 595
Chateaugay, NY 12920
Phone: 518-497-6673
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Permanent Deacon

Garry Burnell
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Sunday Mass Schedule Anticipated (Saturday)

4:00PM St. Joseph's, Bombay
4:00PM St. George's, Burke
5:30PM Our Lady of Fatima in
Westville

Sunday Masses

9:00AM St. Francis, Constable
11:00AM St. Mary's of the Fort
11:00AM St. Patrick's, Chateaugay

Bulletin: To place announcements for the bulletin, please submit by 3PM on Mondays for the following weeks bulletin.

Sacrament of Penance

Thirty minutes before each weekend Mass until 10 minutes prior to Mass begins or contact pastor for an appointment.

Sacraments of Baptism, First Communion, Confirmation: Adults - please contact the Pastor.
Youths - register for Christian Formation classes.

Sacrament of Marriage: Six months minimum notice is expected. Pre-Cana preparation required.

Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick: Ask for "Priest-on-Call" at the hospital or Nursing Home.
Call the Pastor for home visits.

Home Visits for Holy Communion: To receive Sacraments at home, please contact the Pastor or Parish Office.

Weekly Stewardship of 9/10/17

	CWTR	SM	SJ
Envelopes	\$ 2,263.00	\$ 1,432.00	\$ 1,142.00
Plate	254.00	97.40	63.88
Fuel	95.00	136.00	206.00
Votives	7.00	29.00	71.00
Assumption		15.00	
Disaster Relief	705.00	170.00	260.00
Miraculous Prayer		50.00	
Totals	\$ 3,324.00	\$ 1,929.40	\$ 1,742.88

Our Lord blesses us a hundredfold for our Stewardship Sacrifices. Thank you for your support of your parish.

Sanctuary Candles In Memory/Honor of



St. Joseph's Church

For the Families of the Parish

St. Mary's of the Fort Church

For the Families of the Parish

St. Francis & Our Lady of Fatima

For the Families of the Parishes



Catholic Communities of Constable/Westville/Trout River

2017 BIG TICKET RAFFLE

Drawing: 7:00 PM on September 16, 2017

Donation: \$5 each or 6 for \$25

HAM DINNER W/ALL THE TRIMMINGS

September 16, 2017 4:00 PM – 7:00 PM

St. Francis Parish Hall, Constable. \$10.00 per Dinner.

Sponsored by K of C Council 9991

St. Mary's of the Fort Church Roof Donations

Anyone wishing to make a donation towards the cost of St. Mary's roof can place in an envelope marked "St. Mary's Church Roof" which can be placed in the Sunday collection or mail to the parish office.

To date: \$5,490.00 has been donated towards the roof.

Thank you for your generosity!

Youth Lead: Register for Leadership Weekend!

Students in grades 9-12 are invited to register for Youth Lead, the annual leadership weekend held at Camp Guggenheim! This weekend will be full of opportunities to grow in faith, leadership, and friendship. It will be held September 29 -October 1. Spaces are limited so register soon! To register: <http://rcdony.org/youth/leadership.html>. For more information contact Kelly Donnelly at kdonnelly@rcdony.org.

Environmental Stewardship

"So what [we] all need is an 'ecological conversion,' whereby the effects of [our] encounter with Jesus Christ becomes evident in [our] relationship with the world around [us]. Living our vocation to be protectors of God's handiwork is essential to a life of virtue; it is not an optional or secondary aspect of our Christian experience." Laudato Si (217) Summer is the blessed season for reveling in the gifts of creation. As we enjoy the special presence of nature, consider how this call for an ecological conversion has increased your awareness and fired your will to make lifestyle changes that benefit the Earth community.

Vocations: We Are Called

God is the father with open arms. Who will preach this good news of reconciliation? Consider service as a priest or deacon, brother or sister. Talk to Fr. Tom or Fr. Doug Lucia at 315-386-2543, dlucia@rcdony.org or Fr. Tom Higman at 518-594-3907, thigman@rcdony.org or Cathy Russell, Diocesan Vocation Coordinator at 315-393-2920 ext. 1450, or email: crussell@rcdony.org



Holy Family School

12 Homestead Park, Malone, NY

Holy Family School is a Pre-Kindergarten through 8th Grade school located in Malone and known for its excellent academic curriculum, small class sizes and a strong sense of community. For more information, call Marianne Jadloos at 518-483-4443 or email: hfsprincipal@hfsmalone.org

From the desk of Deacon Garry

In the community of the family we learn to bond with others. Here we make room for others in our lives. We learn to share with one another, and become responsible to and for one another. It is within the family that a child learns to use the word "we" for the first time. Without the word "we" there would be no community, no sharing, no togetherness.

Harmony in the family can be achieved only by the practice of the virtues St. Paul talks about: *kindness, humility, gentleness, patience, mutual forgiveness, and above all love*. These are the virtues to practice with consistency.

In the community of family we have a place, we have bonds, we have an identity, we have roots. Even if the family knows hardship this is not necessarily a bad thing. Through hardships the family can grow in love and togetherness.

2017 Bishop's Fund Appeal "One Bread, One Body, One Family"



As we begin "Commitment Weekend" for the 2017 Bishop's Fund Appeal, it is our hope that we can continue or increase our support of this vital Appeal. The theme of this year's Bishop's Fund Appeal is "**One Bread, One Body, One Family**". Please prayerfully consider supporting the many good works of the Diocese. This year, any gifts received after the Appeal reaches its goal will be used to further supplement the Bishop's Good Samaritan Fund which assists families in need in our own community and throughout the Diocese. Your pledge will be gratefully received and sincerely appreciated. Please be as generous as possible. Thank in advance for your support. Online giving is available at www.rcdony.org/bishop-s-fund-appeal click on "Donate Now".



DOVS Pilgrimage

Join Bishop LaValley and DOVS on the annual pilgrimage to pray for vocations October 10th. We will visit St. Marianne Cope's Shrine and Museum and have mass and holy hour at the newly renovated cathedral in Syracuse. To reserve a spot or for more information, call Mary at 315-268-1016 or Connie at 315-265-2762.

Building Parishes with Living Stones

In April of 2014 Bishop LaValley promulgated three Diocesan goals for our parishes for the next five years.

1. Create a culture of vocations.
2. Strengthening faith formation in family life.
3. Building parishes with Living Stones.

Our parishes in northern Franklin county has formed a transition team comprised of parishioners from our four parishes. The purpose of this team is to assist Fr. Tom and Deacon Brian to pray, to gather information and to propose a plan to meet the pastoral and administrative needs of our parishes. Our first meeting of the transition team will be September 20th. There will also be three town meetings scheduled later in the fall. The main objectives the team will look at are the following:

- * Liturgical Mass schedule
- * Faith Formation
- * Administration
- * Outreach
- * Sick/Elderly
- * Lay Groups/Societies

Please pray to the Holy Spirit for guidance that we all may be open to use our gifts and talents to help build the Kingdom of God. Change is never easy but let us be united in faith and trust in God's love that never changes.

Charismatic Day of Renewal - Diocese of Syracuse

Sunday, October 8, 2017 8:30AM – 5:00PM

This day of renewal is sponsored by the Diocese of Syracuse Charismatic Renewal Office and we welcome Fr. Richard McAlear, OMI and Fr. Amedeo "Padre" Guida. The day will include praise and worship, presentations, pray for healing and Mass. It will be held at Traditions Restaurant, 5900 Burdick St., East Syracuse. For more information see <https://events.syracusediocese.org/view/2812/charismatic-day-of-renewal> or contact Deacon Jen Money 315-699-2752 or kmoney@syrdio.org

Potsdam Life Chain: Attention All Pro-Lifers!

Sunday, October 1st, 2PM-3PM, Market & Main Streets

We need someone to coordinate Oct 1st Life Chain in Potsdam. Responsibilities really just include to bring signs to hand out. Let me know as soon as you can by contacting Christopher LaRose clarose@twncv.rr.org or 315-403-8123. Peace be yours.

Westville Ladies Auxiliary Fall Craft Show

Saturday, September 30, 2017

Westville Fire Department, 10:00AM-3:00PM

- * Many Craft Tables
- * 50/50 Raffle
- * Chinese Auction
- * Concession Stand
- * Face Painting
- * Bake Sale
- * Lottery Ticket Raffle

Vendors Welcome! Please contact Donna Tatro at 518-358-2065 for more information.

“Even if all spiritual fathers, patriarchs, heirarchs, and all the people forgive you, you are unforgiven if you do not repent in action.” -St. Kosmas Aitolos

“No one is as good and merciful as the Lord. But even He does not forgive the unrepentant.” -St. Mark the Ascetic

St. Mary's Annual Turkey Dinner Meeting

Tuesday, October 3rd at 6:00PM, Parish Center

Please join us for the next organizational meeting for the annual turkey dinner! This fundraiser is a whole parish event and is much needed to assist in ordinary parish expenses.

FYI: Thank you, Faylene Chapman! Faylene inquired about a cooler from Pepsi-Cola and Pepsi-Cola is donating a cooler to St. Mary's to replace the refrigerator that no longer works!

Celebrate the 100th Anniversary of Fatima Apparition The Miracle of the Sun

The Legion of Mary in Ogdensburg invites everyone to join them in celebrating the 100th Anniversary of the Miracle of the Sun. Join us at St. Mary's Cathedral in Ogdensburg at 6:00 p.m. on October 13th to pray the Rosary, followed by a presentation of the film The 13th Day, a dramatic re-telling of the Story of Fatima through the memories of Sr. Lucia. There is no charge for this event, and all are welcome! For more information contact the parish office at 315-393-3930.

Celebrate Christ 2017: Called to Lead

Leadership is a vital factor in the implementation of our diocesan priorities: creating a culture of vocations, engaging families in the faith formation of their children and providing age appropriate opportunities for our youth leading to their encounter with Christ and His Church. Plan to attend Celebrate Christ 2017 at the Crowne Plaza in Lake Placid on Saturday, October 21, 2017.

Registration information is available on our diocesan website www.rcdonny.org or by calling the Western Regional Faith Formation Office at (315) 782-3620. Registration for the event is required and must be made by September 29.

Holy Harvest Festival - Celebrating the Harvest Season

St. Andre Bessette Parish, Malone, Sunday, September 24th
Mass @11AM, Festival 12PM-3PM, Holy Family School

A Harvest dinner featuring smoked pulled pork, potato salad, coleslaw, corn on the cob, macaroni & cheese, baked beans, rolls and dessert beginning at noon.

Entertainment will be proved by the Old Timer's Band. There will also be a harvest table filled with goodies, children's games & activities and a raffle with a \$1,000 first prize! Dinner tickets will be sold at the event.

Cost: Adults \$10.00, Seniors \$8.00, Children 6-12 \$6.00
Children under 5 are free

Take out dinners will also be available. This is a wonderful opportunity to celebrate the harvest season and visit with your friends and neighbors.

The Miraculous Prayer

“Dear Heart of Jesus, in the past I have asked for many favors. This time I ask you this very special one. Take it Dear Jesus and place it within your own broken heart where your Father sees it. Then in your merciful eyes it will be become your favor, not mine. Amen.”

Say this prayer for 3 day. Promise publication and favor will be granted. Never known to fail. -MS

Upcoming Events

- Sept. 16: Ham Dinner at St. Francis Parish Hall, Constable, 4PM-7PM.
- Sept. 17: St. Mary's/St. Joseph's Rel. Ed., 9AM-10:45AM.
- Sept. 22: Constable Food Pantry, 1PM-4PM.
- Sept. 24: Holy Harvest Festival, 12PM-3PM, Holy Family School, Malone.
- Sept. 26: September Celebration @ Fort Covington Adult Center, Noon-3PM.
- Sept. 30: Westville Ladies Auxiliary Fall Craft Show, 10AM to 3PM, Westville Fire Department.

Constable Food Pantry Schedule

The next Constable Food Pantry will be Friday, September 22nd at 1PM-4PM. Please bring your own containers.

September Celebration at Fort Covington Adult Center

Tuesday, September 26th, Noon - 3PM

Meal will be served at Noon which includes: Spaghetti with Meat Sauce, Garlic Bread, Garden Salad & Dessert.

The Old Timer's Band will be playing for your entertainment from 1PM-3PM.

Cost is by donation for seniors 60 and over. \$6.75 for anyone under 60.

Reserve your place now by calling 518-358-4895.

Liturgical Ministers Schedule

Saturday Sept. 23, 2017 4:00PM St. Joseph's

Lector: Ray Brosseau

Chalice: Rita Savage, Sonja Mitchell

Saturday Sept. 23, 2017 5:30PM Our Lady of Fatima

Lector: Jan Chatland

Chalice: Cindy Ashlaw, Pat Matthews

Sunday Sept. 24, 2017 9:00AM St. Francis

Lector: Nancy Hamilton

Chalice: Mike & Sue Shea

Sunday Sept. 24, 2017 11:00AM St. Mary's

Lector: Kathleen Lauzon

Chalice: Chris Smith, Jocelyn Kelly

Diocesan of Ogdensburg Blue Mass

This year Bishop Terry R. LaValley will celebrate the Diocesan Blue Mass on Sunday, October 1, 2017 at 2:30PM at St. Patrick's Church, 123 S. Massey St., Watertown.

The Blue Mass is the Church's way to offer thanks to God for the dedication and sacrifices made by the women and men in Law Enforcement/Corrections and to pray for their safety, as well as, for their families and communities. Officers and their families are asked to be seated by 2:00PM. Questions can be addressed to Fr. Chris Carrara, Blue Mass Committee Chair at ccc@twcny.rr.com, or by phone at 315-376-6662.



*Where the spirit of
the Lord is,
there is freedom.*

All Councils Members

St. Francis & Our Lady of Fatima

Trustee's: Jack Fleury Rod Lauzon
Parish: Myron Brady Brian Cartier
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Mike Shea Lori Tulip

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Shirley Kelly (also Parish)

K of C: Mike Shea, Grand Knight, 483-2739
A & R: Susan Ryan, President 518-651-9095
Cemetery: Bruce Welch, 483-0236
Brian Cartier, 358-4411

St. Mary's of the Fort

Trustee: Faylene Chapman Cindy Healy
Parish: Danielle French Shilo Leduc
Kay Spinner

St. Joseph's, Bombay

Trustee: Ray Brosseau Patricia Niles
Parish: Alison Benedict Shirley Therrien

Finance Council

(Along with Trustee's of St. Mary's & St. Joseph's)
Jerry Mahoney, Jerry Rufa, Chris Smith

Ministries

Prayer Line: To offer or receive intentions, call Betty Clary at 518-358-2184 or Jean Robinson at 518-483-3128.

Altar Rosary Society: Contact Susan Ryan (President).

Knights of Columbus: Men 18+ contact Rod Lauzon, Grand Knight, at 483-3772.

Alcoholics Anonymous: Open meeting 7:00-8:00PM each Thursday at St. Francis Church.

Cemeteries

St. Francis & St. Bridget's Cemeteries: Contacts: Bruce Welch 518-483-0236 for burial lots; Brian Cartier 518-932-8125 regarding maintenance.

St. Mary's & St. Joseph's Cemeteries: Contact Jay Brockway at 315-705-5330.

Parish Hall Use

Please visit the Diocesan TULIP Insurance website to obtain insurance at: <https://eventus.ajgrms.com> prior to booking the parish hall for private use. Thank you.

Eucharistic Adoration

Could you not watch with me for one hour? (Mk 13:47)
St. Joseph's, Malone: Tuesdays following 6:45AM Mass until 1:00PM

St. Mary's, Ft. Covington: 1st Wednesdays, 6PM-7PM.
Notre Dame, Malone: Thursdays, 7PM-8PM w/confessions
St. Patrick's, Chateaugay: 1st Fridays, 9AM-10AM
St. Anne's, St. Regis Falls: 1st Saturday following the 4:30PM anticipated Mass.

Responsorial Psalm

"The Lord is kind and merciful, slow to anger, and rich in compassion."

THIS WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday - September 16, 2017

Anticipated for 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

- (SJ) 4:00PM For the People of the Parishes
(SG) 4:00PM Henry "Hank" McCann by Mary Harrigan
(OLF) 5:30PM Marcel Vanier by Bob & Lynn Gadway & Family

Sunday - September 17, 2017

24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

- (SF) 9:00AM Olga Fleury by the Fleury Family
(SM) 11:00AM Anniv.-James Manson by Beverly Manson & Family
(SP) 11:00AM Bert Ouimet by Linda Ryan

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Monday September 18, 2017

- (SP) 8:30AM Communion Service
(SF) 8:30AM Arthur, Beatrice & Bryan Taylor by Marion & Joe Leone

Tuesday September 19, 2017

- (SP) 8:30AM Communion Service
(SM) 8:30AM Anniv.-Fr. Jerry Bleaux by Carol Pulisfer & Family

Wednesday September 20, 2017

- (OLF) 8:30AM Donna Lamay by Shirley Reid
(SP) 8:30AM Henry "Hank" McCann by M/M Hugh McCann

Thursday September 21, 2017

- (SG) 8:30AM Frances Whalen by Beulah Whalen

Friday September 22, 2017

- (SJ) 8:30AM Anna Boulais by George & Helen Young
(SP) 8:30AM Elizabeth Lyons by Linda Ryan

NEXT WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday - September 23, 2017

Anticipated for 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

- (SJ) 4:00PM Warren Gorrow by Joseph, Karen, Rylora & Taylor Latulipe
(SG) 4:00PM William Flynn by Molly Flynn
(OLF) 5:30PM Joan Langlois by Mark, Brenda, Neil & Amie Fleury

Sunday - September 24, 2017

25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

- (SF) 9:00AM Anniv.-Bonnie Law by Ernie Daoust
(SM) 11:00AM Anniv.-Kathryn Brethour by Jean Davis
(SP) 11:00AM For the People of the Parishes

**(SJ) Bombay (SG) Burke (SF) Constable
(SM) Ft. Covington (SP) Chateaugay (OLF) Westville**

September 17: 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Readings: Sir 27:30-28:7 / Phil 1:20c-24 / Mt 20:1-16a

Do we realize how merciful our God is? He has forgiven us what we could never have paid back ourselves. Jesus paid for our offenses with his life. And yet, are we holding on to grudges when our whole life is basically a gift from God. Is there someone you need to forgive? A grudge you need to let go of? Love one another as I have loved you, says the Lord. He has loved us by giving us his very life. Should we not do the same for our brothers and sisters?