

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

October 8, 2017 † Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

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: cwtrecatholics.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: smsj Catholics.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
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Chateaugay, NY 12920
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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 2PM on Mondays.

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.

Sacrament of Penance

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

No Matter What...

*Your present status in the Catholic Church,
No matter what your current family or marital situation is,
No matter what your past or present religious affiliation,
No matter what your own personal history,
No matter what your age, background, race or color,
No matter what your own self-image or lack thereof,
You are invited, welcomed, accepted, loved and respected at
St. Mary's, St. Joseph's, St. Francis & Our Lady of Fatima.*

Weekly Stewardship of 10/1/17

	CWTR	SM	SJ
Envelopes	\$ 1,984.00	\$ 1,391.00	\$ 985.00
Child. Envs.		9.90	.75
Plate	395.75	72.00	54.00
Fuel	796.50	333.00	318.00
Votives		69.15	
Disaster Relief	180.00	60.00	20.00
Assump. Mary		10.00	
Mission Projects		20.00	
Cath. Univ.		10.00	
Totals	\$ 3366.25	\$ 1,975.05	\$ 1,377.75

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. Mary's & St. Joseph's Churches
For the Families of the Parishes



St. Francis & Our Lady of Fatima Churches
For the Families of the Parishes

Loose Coin Collection at St. Mary's

There will be a loose coin collection at St. Mary's this weekend to help in the cost of the turkeys for the Annual Turkey Dinner. Thank you for your generosity!

From Deacon Garry Burnell

The image of Jesus as the Shepherd of the Father's flock (us) is one of the most beautiful images we have of him. The feeling of belonging to Jesus, and being known and loved by him, enormously comforting and reassuring. Who would not want to belong to his flock? But how can we tell if we truly belong to his flock? The first and basic requirement is to believe in him. We enter the flock by becoming believers. But belief is only the beginning. We need to listen to his voice. To listen to his voice is to heed his teachings. And we need to follow him. To follow him is to do his word.

We as the sheep have to choose to belong. Jesus won't and can't save people against their will. But it is wonderfully consoling to realize that if we do sincerely want and try to belong to him, then he will take care of us in life and death.

It doesn't mean that belonging to Jesus will guarantee us an easy life here on earth. The opposite is more likely to be the case. Those who remain faithful through their trials, will share in his glory in heaven.

Scout Mass and Awards Ceremony

Attention all Catholic Scouts!

Sunday, October 15 Scouts from across the Diocese will gather at St. Agnes in Lake Placid for the annual Scout Mass. It will be followed by a luncheon and awards ceremony for all those who have earned a Catholic religious emblem this year. The Mass will begin at 10:00 AM, luncheon and awards ceremony to follow in the school gymnasium. For more information, contact Fr. Bryan Stitt, Chaplain for Catholic Scouting, at 518-593-6044 or at bstitt@rcdony.org.

Knights of Columbus Council 9991 Meeting

The next meeting will be on Tuesday, October 10th at 6:30PM at St. Francis Parish Hall, Constable.



Eternal Rest Grant Unto Them, O Lord
Please pray for the Happy Repose of the Soul of Walter Danielak Jr., Nick Gratton and James Tremblay. May they rest in peace.

Vocations: We Are Called

"This is the Lord's doing and it is amazing in our eyes." Being chosen to serve as a priest or in the consecrated life is an amazing work of the Lord. Ask the Holy Spirit and our Blessed Mother to help you recognize and be faithful to your vocation. 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

October 8: 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Isn't it wonderful to see how God never gives up on us? He continually provides us with the time and space to come to conversion, to recognize where we have fallen short of God's call to us. God continually reaches out to us, through scripture, through Christ and through the gift of the Sacraments. Cardinal Dolan spoke at the Synod of the New Evangelization in 2012 and suggested that the "primary sacrament of the New Evangelization is the sacrament of penance... The sacrament of reconciliation evangelizes the evangelizers as it brings us sacramentally into contact with Jesus who calls us to conversion of heart and inspires (us) to answer his invitation to repentance." In today's reading, the tenants are being called to conversion and to bear good fruit. We are being called to conversion. We have been given all we need to follow God's call... are we listening?

St. Mary's Roof Painting Update

To date \$6,090.00 has been donated towards the church roof fund. (Additional waterproofing work had to be done inside the bell tower at a cost of \$450.00.) Thank you for your generosity!

Eastern Region Commissioned Lay Ministers Fall Event Marian Feastdays: Understanding and Celebrating Mary

St. Joseph's Church, West Chazy, NY

Saturday, October 28th, 2017, 9:00 a.m. ~ 2:30 p.m.

Contact Starr Burke for details: sburke7035@gmail.com
Register online at www.rcdony.org/formation/commissioned-layministers/clm-event-registration.html or by mail send check to:

The Diocese of Ogdensburg
PO Box 106, Canajoharie, NY 13317

Registration is \$10.00 per person. If registering by mail, please write ERCLMA in the memo of your check.

**This year we are celebrating our 25th Anniversary!
You are invited!**

Bombay Historical Society's Annual Open House

Sunday, October 15, 2017 from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m.
At the Museum, 1716 State Route 95, Bombay

We are excited to feature an Art Show spotlighting local artists. You will be able to see some of the amazing art work done by people in our own community.

We continue to receive many donations of items to our museum and look forward to sharing those with our visitors.

Refreshments will be served & we hope to see you there!

CWTR Rosary Society Event

The CWTR Rosary Society invites everyone to join them for an enjoyable evening devoted to Our Blessed Mother Mary.

- Date: October 19th, 2017
- Place: St. Francis of Assisi Church, Constable
- Time: 6:00PM
- Speaker: Father Ted Crosby, known for his devotion to Our Blessed Mother.

Operation Andrew Dinners

Fall Season in Malone and Watertown

Want to know about being a priest? Just dinner and talk! Any man middle school age and above is welcome to attend. Parents are welcome too!

November 8: St. Anthony's Church Watertown
November 30: St. John Bosco Church Malone
Holy hour to know your vocation at 5pm, Vespers and dinner follow with Bishop LaValley and area priests.
If interested, contact your pastor. RSVP to: Cathy Russell, Vocation Coordinator crussell@rcdony.org or 315-393-2920

2017 Bishop's Fund Appeal



With a goal of \$1,280,000, the Bishop's Fund Appeal as of Sept. 29, 2017 is at 41.47% of its goal with cash and pledges totaling \$539,122.29 received.

Parish	Goal	Gifts	Pledges	Donors	%
CWTR	\$6,274.00	\$1,797.00	\$120.00	24	30.55
St. Mary's	\$6,183.00	\$1,005.00	\$250.00	21	20.30
St. Joseph's	\$3,905.00	\$2,055.00	\$0.00	15	52.62

Jubilee for Religious

The Annual Diocesan Jubilee for Consecrated Religious will take place at St. Mary's Cathedral, October 15th at 2pm. A reception will follow. All are welcome and encouraged to attend to thank our religious for their many years of service and sharing the light of Christ in so many ministries in our diocese.

Country Store at St. Mary's Turkey Dinner

St. Mary's will be accepting donations of items to sell in the Country Store. Donations can be dropped off at the parish office and if the office is closed, can be placed near the bingo hall door in the green tub. Please, no clothing. Thank you!!!

Raffle tickets for St. Mary's Fundraiser

The tickets being currently sold before and after the weekend masses are for St. Mary's fundraiser Multi-Prize Raffle to be drawn at the parish Turkey Dinner on October 15th.

For questions about the dinner, please contact dinner chairperson, Shilo Leduc at 757-635-4186.

**St. Mary's Annual Turkey Dinner
St. Mary's Parish Hall, Fort Covington**

Sunday, October 15, 2017, 11AM to 2PM

Menu: Roasted Turkey, Mashed Potatoes & Gravy, Stuffing, Squash, Corn, Coleslaw, Cranberry Sauce, Rolls, Beverage & Choice of Dessert

Cost: Adults - \$10.00 (\$13.00 Canadian)
Under Age 12 - \$6.00, Under Age 5 - Free
Take outs available.

Featuring a Country Store

Enjoy shopping for baked goods, canned goods, fresh produce & flea market items.
50/50 Raffle, Multi-Prize Raffle & Chinese Auction!

NOTE: VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED TO SELL RAFFLE TICKETS PLEASE!!!

Diocese of Ogdensburg's Christmas Card Art Contest



The Diocese of Ogdensburg is seeking a cover art design for Bishop LaValley's 2017 Christmas message. Any student in grades 6-12 affiliated with a Catholic school or attending a parish faith formation program in the Diocese of Ogdensburg may enter. Artwork provided by students will be judged by a committee and the overall winner's design will be used on the cover of Bishop LaValley's 2017 Christmas card. The winner's name will be printed on the back side of the card. The winner's artwork will also be featured in the *North Country Catholic Newspaper*.

Contest rules, Entry form and Image Release form are available with the religious ed. programs. Entries must be submitted by October 25, 2017

Call and Mission: Middle School Vocations Retreat

Students in grades 6-8 are invited to attend a free day-long retreat held at Camp Guggenheim on October 13! The theme of the retreat is Call & Mission, and the day will have workshops, prayer, and fun as middle schoolers learn and pray about vocations. There are limited spaces for overnight accommodations the night before the retreat.

Email kdonnelly@rcdony.org or crussell@rcdony.org for more information or a registration packet.

The parable of the tenants is an allegory that presents the relationship of Israel to Christ, but more than this it reveals a necessary truth about the spiritual life: that we are "tenants" in regards to the gifts that God has given us, and when we construe our relationship to God's gifts as being that of "owners", rather than "tenants", the consequences can be quite dire. -Bishop Robert Barron

Upcoming Events

- Oct. 8: St. Francis Rel. Ed., 10AM-11:45AM.
Oct. 8: Turkey Dinner w/Fr. Ray, Noon-4PM, N. Bangor Fire Dept.
Oct. 14: Rosary Rally: St. Francis Church at Noon
Oct. 14: Rosary Rally: St. Mary's of Fort at Noon.
Oct. 15: St. Mary's Annual Turkey Dinner, 11AM-2PM, Ft. Covington.
Oct. 15: Bombay Historical Society Open House, 1PM-4PM, Bombay Museum.

Turkey Dinner with Fr. Ray

Father Ray would like to invite all of you to his annual Harvest Dinner to benefit the parish of St. Mary's in Brushton. The dinner will take place on **Sunday, October 8th from 12 noon to 4:00 p.m. and will be held at the North Bangor Fire Department, 2265 State Route 11, North Bangor, NY.** Dinner includes Roast Turkey, mashed potatoes, gravy, stuffing, squash, cabbage salad, cranberry sauce, rolls, and dessert. Adults: \$10.00; Seniors: \$9.00; 6-12: \$6.00; 5 and under free. Plan to take a Sunday ride to the North Bangor Fire Department to visit with Fr. Ray and enjoy a delicious meal!

Annual Yankee Pot Roast Dinner

Sunday, October 22nd 12:00 Noon - 4:00PM
St. Patrick's Church Hall, Chateaugay, NY

Adults \$12.00, Ages 6-11 \$5.00, Ages 5 & Under Free

Takeout orders can be made by calling Pat Jones 497-3183 or Mary Lou Dwyer 497-3154 and are available for pickup or deliver at 1PM and 3PM.

Featuring at Country Store & Raffle!

Liturgical Ministers Schedule

- Saturday Oct. 14, 2017 4:00PM St. Joseph's**
Lector: Ray Brosseau
Chalice: Sonja Mitchell, Kent Bigness
- Saturday Oct. 14, 2017 5:30PM Our Lady of Fatima**
Lector: Pat Matthews
Chalice: Ethel & Jim Debyah
- Sunday Oct. 15, 2017 9:00AM St. Francis**
Lector: Connie Gerow
Chalice: Bev Sprague, Phyllis Santamore
- Sunday Oct. 15, 2017 11:00AM St. Mary's**
Lector: Kathleen Lauzon
Chalice: Jocelyn Kelly, Chris Smith

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 Brocway at 315-705-5330.

Parish Hall Rental

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

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
Finance: Deb Fleury (also Parish) Peg Lester
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

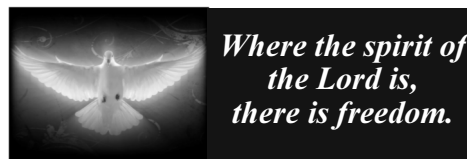
Trustee: Faylene Chapman Cindy Healy
Parish: Danielle French Shilo Leduc
Kay Spinner

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



Consecration of the Diocese

Novena Prayer

To be prayed daily from October 13-21, 2017 in preparation of the Consecration on October 22nd at St. Mary's Cathedral.

Loving Mother, 100 years ago you appeared to shepherd children in Fatima, Portugal with a message of penance, prayer, and peace. As we in the Diocese of Ogdensburg prepare to celebrate the anniversary of our Cathedral dedicated to your Assumption and consecrate the entire diocese to your Immaculate Heart, we desire to become like those young shepherds. May we have spirits courageous to face any opposition to the faith, minds made pure of the corruption of the world, and hearts open to your love—both to be received and to be shared.

In a special way during this novena, I ask your intercession on this intention _____.

Lord Jesus, we honor those who bravely built up the Church here in our diocese and around the world. We praise you—the one sure foundation of the Church and of our lives—this day and always. Hear our prayers.

Our Lady of Fatima, pray for us.

Our Lady of the Assumption, pray for us.

Immaculate Heart of Mary, pray for us.

Responsorial Psalm

“The vineyard of the Lord is the house of Israel.”

THIS WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday - October 7, 2017

Anticipated for 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

- (SJ) 4:00PM Evelyn McKenzie by Steven & Stephanie Bigness
(SG) 4:00PM Marvin Blow by his Family
(OLF) 5:30PM Ernest & Ann Premo by Jim & Sandy

Sunday - October 8, 2017

27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

- (SF) 9:00AM People of the Parishes
(SM) 11:00AM Theodore & Harriet Benore by James & Brenda Jarvais
(SP) 11:00AM Kate O'Neill by Ken O'Neill Family

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Monday October 9, 2017

- (SP) 8:30AM Communion Service
(SF) 8:30AM Rick Burnell by Staff at NFFCU

Tuesday October 10, 2017

- (SP) 8:30AM Communion Service
(SM) 8:30AM Gladys Martin by Phil & Sylvia Lauzon

Wednesday October 11, 2017

- (OLF) 8:30AM Donna Lamay by Bernice & Lawrence Snyder
(SP) 8:30AM Hosea Burnette by Therese Burnette

Thursday October 12, 2017

- (SG) 8:30AM Jean & Robert Grimshaw by the Grimshaw Family

Friday October 13, 2017

- (SJ) 8:30AM Barbara Varin by the Family
(SP) 8:30AM Annette Trombley by M/M Lionel Barcomb

NEXT WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday - October 14, 2017

Anticipated for 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

- (SJ) 4:00PM Lena & Edward Deon Sr. by Clayton & Beulah Almond
(SG) 4:00PM Roy Holt by the Family
(OLF) 5:30PM People of the Parishes

Sunday - October 15, 2017

28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

- (SF) 9:00AM Bernard Fleury by the Fleury Family
(SM) 11:00AM Joan Cunningham by M/M Dean Yaddow
(SP) 11:00AM Nancy Fayette by Elizabeth

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



Parishes Websites

Checkout the parishes websites for events, parish & faith formation information, liturgical ministry schedules and the parish bulletins. The sites are regularly maintained and updated with news, photos, links and more!

Go to: smsj Catholics.com & cwtr Catholics.org