

**PARISHES OF ST. JOSEPH / ST. MICHAEL  
SAINT TERESA OF AVILA - - - SAINT MARY**

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**Marriage:** arrangements must be made a few months in advance **Baptism:** by appointment  
**Sacrament of Reconciliation/Confessions:** Saturdays 3:15-3:45 PM (St. Joseph's); before masses or by appointment (St. Mary's);  
Sundays 8:15-8:45 AM (St. Theresa's)

***THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST***

Sat June 6 4:00pm (PH) In Memory of John Stoffel by Gloria Stoffel and Family  
5:30pm (EM) For Intentions of the Priest  
Sun June 7 9:00am (TE) For the People of the Parishes  
10:45am (EM) For Dick Trosset by Fr. Thomas Kormmeyer  
**Mon June 8 (EM) — NO MASS —**  
Tue June 9 8:00am (EM) For Intentions of the Priest  
Wed June 10 8:00am (EM) For Intentions of the Priest  
Thu June 11 8:00am (EM) For Intentions of the Priest  
Fri June 12 8:00am (EM) For Intentions of the Priest  
Sat June 13 4:00pm (PH) For the People of the Parishes  
5:30pm (EM) For Stephen Foley by Robert and Mary Boucher  
Sun June 14 9:00am (TE) For Intentions of the Priest  
10:45am (EM) For Intentions of the Priest

**Thank you to all who made home visits for the Census. Please turn in any Census cards you may have from your home visits. If there were some not interested just write their name on the card & write not interested. Thank you, ~Fr. Tom.**

**Annual Healing Mass & Antoine Tetrault Memorial Service~ Sat., June 13, 11am;** St. Mary's Church, Clayton. The Celebrants are Fr. LaBaff & Fr. Kormmeyer. Following Mass refreshments will be in the Parish Ctr. For more info call 686-3398 or go to: [www.stmarysclayton.org](http://www.stmarysclayton.org).

**Father Tom's 25th Anniversary~ On June 14, 12:00,** join us to celebrate Fr. Tom's 25th anniversary as a priest & to say thank you for the past 4 1/2 years. The Knights of Columbus will be grilling hamburgers & hotdogs at the parish center, there will be a sign up sheet for a dish to pass. Please come & show Father that he will be missed.

**This Week's Booster Club Winner is William Boulio.**

**The Mission of Love~** God works through us. We have a mission. We are in the world for a purpose— to receive God's love & to show God's love to others. God seeks to heal a broken universe. He asks us to be his witnesses & helpers in that work.

**YOUR OFFERINGS**

**For May 30<sup>th</sup> & 31<sup>st</sup>**

**ST. MARY'S**

**\$770.00**

**ST. THERESA'S**

**\$152.00**

**ST. JOSEPH'S**

**\$631.00**

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK AND  
HOMEBOUND . . . ESPECIALLY . . .**

Ida Bishop; Rev. Bob Conole; Karen Hall;  
Charlene Maloney; Leslie McKeever;  
Hailey Mills & family.

**Camp Guggenheim...**we are accepting reservations for weeks 1-5, for **ages 12-15** scheduled from **6/28 — 7/31**. The 6th week is for **ages 16-18** from **8/2-8/7**. For more info call 393-2920 ext. 1411 or for a video to see what it is like go to: [www.rcdony.org/camp](http://www.rcdony.org/camp).

**The Lord Calls:** "This is My blood of the covenant, which is poured out for many". Are you being chosen by Christ to be poured out for souls with Him as a priest, deacon or in the consecrated life? Talk to Fr. Tom or Fr. Bryan Stitt at [www.myvocation.net](http://www.myvocation.net) or 393-2920 ext. 1450.

**Next week** our parish will take up the **Collection for the Catholic Communications/Catholic Univ. of America**. This Collection communicates the Good News through Catholic social media activities & our faith through podcasts, TV, radio & print media. This campaign will also help Catholic Univ. of America, the only institution of higher education established by the Bishops & its mission provides solid Catholic education for its students. Remember, half of this collection stays in our diocese to support our communication needs, such as our NCC newspaper.

**Bishop LaValley has called our attention to the Education Investment tax credit legislation . The church strongly supports this bill. Please go to [www.nyscatholic.org](http://www.nyscatholic.org) to have your state representative vote for this. Thank you~ Fr. Tom**

**Catholic Boy/Girl Scouts can earn religious emblem; more info go to: [www.rcdony.org/scouting](http://www.rcdony.org/scouting).**

**The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ~** Today we celebrate the institution of the Eucharist. In the gift of Holy Communion, we partake of the

Body & Blood of our Lord in Holy Eucharist & we share in his divine life. We become the Body of Christ in the world. We become living tabernacles. People who may never set foot in one of our churches, who may never think to stop & pray before the Blessed Sacrament, who may not have any experience of Jesus in their life, will only come to know him through you. When you receive Communion today, pray that this source & summit of our faith will transform you & fill you with a love that overflows to your neighbor & all those you will meet today.

**This weekend** we are holding a **special 2nd collection to support the work of CRS** who are already responding to the urgent needs of shelter, water & food **in Nepal**. A 7.8-magnitude earthquake struck Nepal in the late morning of April 25<sup>th</sup> toppling buildings & homes, causing widespread panic, & claiming thousands of lives. Our Church mourns the terrible suffering of our brothers & sisters affected by this powerful earthquake. Please join with Catholic throughout the world in responding to the needs of our suffering brothers & sisters. Please be generous in this collection & for more information go to: [CRS.org](http://CRS.org).

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

**Catholic Heart Workcamp~ Sun., June 28— Sat., July 4 at Wadhams Hall.** To register/info go to: [jocelynfurnia@yahoo.com](mailto:jocelynfurnia@yahoo.com).  
**Pilgrimage to St. Anne's Shrine~ Sat., July 18; 11am-5pm,** at Isle La Motte on nearby Lake Champlain. For more info or to register go to: [startaglia@rcdony.org](mailto:startaglia@rcdony.org) or call 393-2920.

Spaghetti Dinner~ Thu., May 28th, 4:30-7pm, St. Anthony's Church-Msgr. Sechi Hall; adults \$8; Children \$4.50, children under 3 (free).

## A SUMMER BLESSING

“Go now and know that the Spirit of Jesus will be watching over you.

Go now and enjoy God’s summer gifts of warm sun, cooling waters, and long, light days.

Go now with the gift of faith that you might see God’s hand in all your work and play.

Go now with the gift of hope, that you may know God’s guidance, which is keeping you safe.

Go now with the gift of love, that you might offer kindness and care to all you meet.

Go now with the gift of knowledge, remembering all that you have learned. With God’s help, try to live it.

Go now with these words of Jesus in your hearts and minds;

‘I will not leave you; I am with you always.’ ” Amen

At the Sisters of St. Joseph Motherhouse daily Mass is offered at 6:25am and 11am Monday – Friday and at 9:30 on Saturday and Sunday. There is also a holy hour each weekday from 4-5pm and on Saturday and Sunday from 8:30-9:30 for the intention of vocations to the priesthood and religious life and for world peace. The rosary is recited at the beginning of each holy hour. The public is invited to join the Sisters for these times of prayer.

What a wonderful way to remember and pray for a loved one. In our churches there are daily and weekend Masses available. Simply drop a request and Mass fee of \$10 in the collection basket. Thank you~ Fr. Tom

### ***Give the Following Gifts:***

To your enemy–forgiveness,  
to your opponent– tolerance,  
to a friend– your heart, to a customer– service,  
to all men– charity,  
to every child– a good example,  
to yourself– respect.

**Spaghetti Dinner~ Sat., May 2nd, 4-7pm; benefits I. R. K of C; adults \$7, Seniors \$6, under 12 \$5, 5 & under are free; at St. Mary's parish center.**

† **Eternal Rest Grant Unto Her, O Lord...**      **Marcielle D. Cappuccetti**      †

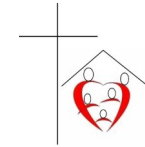
† **Eternal Rest Grant Unto Him, O Lord...**      **Glenn Call**      †

**Saint Mary's Food Pantry is open Saturday's 3pm-5pm. For more info contact Mary Boucher at 629-4458. All information is kept confidential.**

We are in need of Church cleaners at each church. Please consider helping your parish in this way. The job entails basically just vacuuming. Thank you. ~Fr. Tom

**Our Annual Pig Roast will be on Sunday, Aug. 26th,  
after the 10:45 Mass until 2, at the Parish Center in Evans Mills. This is a great  
chance to get all parishioners from our parishes together. There will be sign-up sheets for  
side dishes for those who wish to contribute covered dishes and sides. Hope to see you there!**

The Parish center is available for events at a nominal fee. Please contact the parish office if you are interested.



**The link to sign up for Faith in Action email is <http://thecatholicyearoffaith.com> .**

**Are you looking for a way to give back to the Church?**

Please consider signing up to be a Church Cleaner. There are sign-up sheets at each Church.

**LEGION of MARY**

Meets every second and fourth Wednesday of the month at St. Mary's Parish Center, Evans Mills, 6:30 pm. *Visitors are welcome.* Contact Lorna Delles, 315-628-5671.

**Flags For Our Churches**

Permanent displays of American and papal flags near the altars of Catholic churches date from the numerous and widespread memorial services honoring veterans after World War II. With respect to this noble tradition, Indian River Council 7471, Knights of Columbus, is accepting donations toward the purchase and maintenance of matched sets of flags, poles, and stands for each of our churches. To contribute, and to arrange commemoratives for relatives or friends, please see Fr. Tom.

**TREE OF LIFE** — Memorialize your loved one on our Tree of Life in St. Mary's Parish Center. You can purchase a 4-1/2 inch long engraved brass leaf for only \$100; or a silver leaf for \$250; a gold leaf for \$500. A donor stone is \$1,000. Engravings can be submitted by individuals, families, friends or businesses. You can use four lines of engraving, which includes 24 characters (including spaces) per line.

Contact Fran Veivia.

Lay Trustees are: St. Joseph's:  
St. Mary's:  
St. Theresa's:

Dennis Olshfski; Judy Stoffel  
Anna Delles; Noel Voos  
John Rajner; Gail Patrick

“TAKE TIME, SAY THREE”— during the Cold War we were asked to pray three Hail Mary's each day for the conversion of Russia and the fall of communism. It happened and it happened through the power of prayer. It took time and effort but prayer won. It is time to do it again. Pray three Hail Mary's for the fall of terrorism and terrorist nations. Make it a part of meetings, your bedtime routine, or when you have some quiet time. Prayer does not hurt, costs nothing but your time and the rewards are beyond measure.

FYI: We are up to date on our Safe Environment training which consists of background checks and Virtus training.

St. Mary's Food Pantry will be providing Thanksgiving and Christmas food baskets to local families in need. We would like to include a turkey and ham for the holidays. We are in need of donations to provide this. If you are interested in contributing, please place your donation in an envelope marked Food Pantry and place it in the collection basket. Thank you in advance for your generous support.

Helpful Catholic Links:

Our Sunday Visitor: [www.osv.org](http://www.osv.org);

NYS Conference: [nycatholic.org](http://nycatholic.org);

U S Conference of Catholics: [www.usccb.org](http://www.usccb.org); Catholic Online: [www.catholic.org](http://www.catholic.org); [www.vatican.org](http://www.vatican.org); [www.ibreviary.com](http://www.ibreviary.com); [www.catholicpages.com](http://www.catholicpages.com);

Magnificat, [www.magnificat.com](http://www.magnificat.com).

If anyone would like an end of the year statement please call the office at 629-4678 or email us at [estmarysjoe@gmail.com](mailto:estmarysjoe@gmail.com). Thank you.

Help Fly the Flag~ The Knights of Columbus welcomes donations toward the maintenance of flags & accessories for our churches & cemeteries. Please check the poster displays for details and contribution envelopes. To memorialize a friend or relative, see Fr. Tom.

**Women of Grace will meet the first Thursday of each month, 6:30pm, at SMPC to lead the rosary & liturgy of the hour. Everyone is welcome to join us for prayer.**

**Office Hours: Monday's: 9am-1pm**

**Wednesday's: 9am-1:00pm**

**Thursday's: 9am-1pm**

**Friday's: 9am-1:00pm**

**Please call to make sure someone will be here, schedule may change.**

**FYI~ The Diocese provides safe environment training for all volunteers and employees including the clergy to protect our young people. They receive background checks and Virtus Training.**

**Passionist Fathers and Brothers have a televised Sunday Mass on ABC Family Channel. Visit [www.TheSundayMass.org](http://www.TheSundayMass.org) for a listing of air time.**

**For Benefit of IHC Primary & Intermediate Schools. The children of our parish who attend IHC Primary and Intermediate Schools are collecting BOXTOPS FOR EDUCATION, LABELS FOR EDUCATION AND USED TONERS (any kind). We will have receptacles at the churches if you would like to participate. Thank you for your help and your promotion of Catholic School Education.**

Church Cleaners at St. Mary's February 21st Volunteer ??  
Church Cleaners at St. Joseph's Month of February Volunteer ??  
Church Cleaners at St. Theresa's Month of February Volunteer ??

**2015 Rachel's Vineyard Retreats:** Two after-abortion healing retreats will be offered in the Diocese of Ogd. The spring retreat will be held over Memorial Day weekend, the fall retreat Columbus Day weekend— both at the Guggenheim Lodge in Saranac Lake. It is open to men and women. Pre-registration is required. For more info and forms go to: [ww.rcdony.org/pro-life](http://ww.rcdony.org/pro-life).

**Family Prayer Cards Project:** The Family Life Office is inviting all families of the diocese to submit pictures to help us create personalized prayer cards. On one side will be the World Meeting of Families Prayer & on the other side will be a picture of a family, their name & parish they attend. To participate go to: <http://rcdony.org/family-life/family-prayer-cards-project.html>.

Did You Bring A Gift – When you are invited to a party do you think about the gift that you will bring? When God invites you to the celebration of the Eucharist every week, do you bring a gift? Do you wrap it in an envelope or select a gift that truly reflects your gratitude for being invited?

As you see in the mass schedule we have very few mass requests. So few that even on the weekends we are almost out of mass intentions. Would you please consider requesting mass intentions for loved ones. Thank you, ~Fr. Tom

If you have any questions about the church, the sacraments, our teachings, please write them down and bring them to church and place them in the collection basket. You don't have to sign them. The following weekend I will answer the questions or offer "do you know" information about a church subject. This should be fun and provide answers to questions you may have or teachings you didn't know existed. Thank you for participating in expanding your knowledge of the church. ~Fr. Tom

~FYI~

Liturgical Greeting at Mass: There are three options. All three have the same response from the congregation: "And with your Spirit": Option 1: The Grace of Our Lord Jesus Christ and the Love of God, and the Communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all. Option 2: Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. Option 3: Lord be with you. The Bishop always uses the greeting "Peace be with You." and we respond with "And with your Spirit."

World Meeting of Families is in Philadelphia, PA from Tue. 9/22 - Fri., 9/25. The Papal Mass is Sun., 9/27/15. If interested in attending or more info/register: <http://www.worldmeeting2015.org/>. The Papal Mass is open to the public & is free. Diocese of Ogdensburg is providing bus transportation to & from the Papal Mass only. If interested contact Stephen Tartaglia: 393-2920 ext. 1420 or go to: [star-taglia@rcdony.org](mailto:star-taglia@rcdony.org).

CHWC~ Fun, Faith, & Teens at Work for CHWC

Catholic Heart Work Camp is putting on a week of camp at Wadhams Hall, June 28-July 4th. To register/info go to: [jocelynfurnia@yahoo.com](mailto:jocelynfurnia@yahoo.com) or [safazamanthioli@twcny.rr.com](mailto:sfazamanthioli@twcny.rr.com), they will answer questions & provide paperwork. Then mail in registration fee & paperwork by May 25 to

St. Mary's Youth Group, PO Box 499,  
Fort Covington, NY 12937.



Please join us in prayer for a **Holy Hour at St. Joseph's** in Philadelphia on the **first Thursday** of the **month**. The next Holy Hour will be **6/4**. If you'd like prayers for special intentions, send to [Kristinadean1970@hotmail.com](mailto:Kristinadean1970@hotmail.com) or questions call her at 783-7335.