

*The Catholic Community of*

# *St. Mary of the Assumption*



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Office Hours: Monday ~ Friday 8:30 am ~ 4:30 pm Office closed: 12:00 ~ 1:00 pm

## **MASS SCHEDULE**

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 pm Sunday: 7:45 am & 10:45 am Holy Days: TBA  
Morning Masses held in the Sisters of St. Joseph Carondelet Center Chapel  
Monday, Thursday & Friday: 7:00 am Wednesday & Saturday: 8:00 am  
Confession: Saturdays 3:00 ~ 3:45 pm

Parish Mission: **Our Lady of the Rosary**  
923 Cayuga St., Hannibal, NY 564-5201 Mass: Sunday 9:15 am

**January 25, 2015 ~ 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time**

### **St. Mary's Pastoral Ministry**

Pastor	Rev. John F. Hogan, Jr.
Deacon	F. Phillip Kehoe
Parish Administrator	Michelle A. Brown
Director of Faith Formation	Deanne Hall
Music Ministry	Suzanne Branshaw Kathleen Flaherty Michael Bateman Robert McKinstry
Maintenance	F. Phillip Kehoe, Deacon
Sacristan	Frances Lanigan
City Wide RCIA Team	Patricia Barnett Charlene Mitchell Frank & Carolyn Begani
Pastoral Care	Dawn Janey
Outreach Coordinator	Kathy Mantaro
Public Policy Rep.	Eileen Sprague
Bereavement Ministry	Thomas Roman Jr.
Trustees	Sara Kehoe
Parish Historian	Justin White

### **Parish Pastoral Council**

Ex-Officio	
Pastor	Rev. John F. Hogan Jr.
Deacon	F. Phillip Kehoe
Trustees	Thomas Roman Jr. Sara Kehoe

Trinity Catholic School Liaison	Gretchen Carter
Diocesan Pastoral Council	John DeRousie
Building & Grounds	Frank Begani
Outreach	Dawn Janey
Facilitator	John DeRousie
Assistant Facilitator	James McCarthy
Recording Secretary	Jacqueline Babcock Dianne Clark Daniel Capella Sr. Valerie Hill

### **Parish Finance Committee**

Sara Kehoe	Paul Snyder
Mary Beth Docos	Thomas Roman Jr.
Robert Branshaw	Gregory Gilbert

## **FIRST RECONCILIATION**

*Tori Blakely*  
*Mia Daily*  
*Paityn Davis*  
*Alaina Diblasi*  
*Emilie Furlong*

*Beverly Hourigan*  
*Margaret Jerred*  
*Jabaree Johnson*  
*Johnathon Nacey*  
*Timothy Nacey*  
*Ella O'Connor*  
*Brooklyn Saternow*  
*Jesse Weber*

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**Prayer Requests** 415-5735 (Confidential) email: [pray4usstmary@yahoo.com](mailto:pray4usstmary@yahoo.com)

### **Pastoral Care of the Sick & Homebound**

Please call the parish office if you know a parishioner who is hospitalized, homebound or in a nursing facility that would like a visit and to receive Holy Communion.

**Safe Environment** All of our children are important to us. To keep them safe at all times, please do not let them wander alone through the church. If they need to use the restroom, please be sure they are accompanied by an adult. Thank you

**AED & First Aid Kit** Located in Vesting Room.

Headsets available for the hearing impaired. Please see an usher for details.

## **ALL ARE WELCOMED TO OUR PARISH!**

We are so pleased that you chose to celebrate with us this weekend. We warmly invite you to active participation in our liturgical celebration. No matter what your present status in the Catholic Church, your current family or marital situation, your past or present religious affiliation; no matter what your personal history, age, background, sexual orientation, gender, race or color; no matter what your self-image or self-esteem; YOU are invited, welcomed, accepted, loved, and respected at St. Mary of the Assumption Church in Oswego, New York.

## Masses & Parish Events

Week of January 25, 2015

Saturday, January 24 ~ Saint Francis de Sales

8:00 am **Ronald Waters** / Venus & Vienna Waters

4:00 pm **Tim Kennedy** / Pat & Cathie O'Neil

Sunday, January 25 ~ Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:45 am **Kevin Robert Sheridan** (birthday) / Mom & Dad

9:30 am Faith Formation Grades 1 ~ 6

10:45 am **Laura Granado Perez** / Admissions Office SUNY Oswego

11:45 am Faith Formation Grades 7 ~ 10

Monday, January 26 ~ Saints Timothy & Titus

7:00 am **Dennis Feeney** / Don & Delores

Tuesday, January 27 ~ St. Angela Merici

10:00 am Step By Step Wellness Program in the Carondelet Center

3:00 pm Legion of Mary in the Vesting Room

6:30 pm RCIA in the Carondelet Center

Wednesday, January 28 ~ Saint Thomas Aquinas

8:00 am **Robert Fetterly** (2nd Anniversary) / his sisters

7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, January 29

7:00 am **Christine Cerklewich** / Paul

7:30 pm Al-Anon in the Carondelet Center

Friday, January 30

7:00 am **Larry Reynolds** / 7:00 am Mass Group

Saturday, January 31

8:00 am **Joseph Bendzunas** / Tom Trexler

4:00 pm **Rosemary Satlin** / her family

Sunday, February 1 ~ Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:45 am **Catherine "Gen" Smegelsky** / brother, Rev. John Smegelsky

9:30 am Faith Formation Grades 1 ~ 6

10:45 am **Marie Mundy** (30 day) / Patricia Okoniewski

11:45 am Faith Formation Grades 7 ~ 10



## Memorials

Week of January 25, 2015

Bread & Wine is given in Loving Memory of:

**Christine Johnson** requested by her family

Sanctuary Lamp is burning in Loving Memory of:

**Phillip & Nellie Carolin** requested by daughter, Therese

Light of the Living is burning in Loving Memory of:

**Dante Maniccia** requested by his family

Consecration Candles are burning in Loving Memory of:

**Roger Dings** requested by Don & Delores

### A Family Perspective

It must have been difficult for Zebedee to watch his sons walk away and follow Jesus. It was the end of 'Zebedee and Sons Fishing, Inc'. Our children were never ours.

They are only on loan to us. We raise them to let them go.

from the Family Life Education Office (a Hope Appeal agency)

### Mass of Remembrance

If you've lost a child through miscarriage, illness, accident, stillbirth or abortion or have struggled with infertility, please join us for a Mass of Remembrance at Holy Trinity Church

309 Buffalo St. Fulton February 9th: 6:00~6:45 pm

Reconciliation & 7:00 pm Mass. All are welcome.

## Looking Back With Love

## Looking Ahead With Hope

Goal ~ \$200,000.

Pledged to Date ~ \$ 110,038.

## Prayer Garden

If you haven't had an opportunity to contribute (or even if you have) to the above mentioned campaign, this is a wonderful time to do so. The whole area is to be beautifully landscaped.

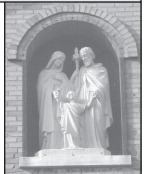
At the center will be the Holy Family statue, which sat atop the school building, as a memorial of the former St. Mary's school.

It will be dedicated to Rev. Joseph A. Hopkins, who built the school and to the Sisters of St. Joseph of Carondelet, who taught there from it's very beginning.

Ways you can contribute in memory of a loved one:

51 Dwarf Burning Bush ~ \$67 each

or a general donation to the whole project would be greatly appreciated. A colored rendering of the project is available for viewing in the vestibule. For questions or to make a contribution, please call or stop by the parish office.



### Please Pray for our Sick, Hospitalized & Recuperating

Frank Carbone

Dick Henderson

Kolton & Darrien Malone

Eleanor Palmitesso

Lori Petrie

Eileen Ranous

Adelaide Reitz

Kathy Wease

Marilyn Clyne

Laurie Kester

Barb Morgia

Gerry Pelkey

George Potter

George Ranous

Julian Ross

Sadie Wilson

Carol Griggs

SSG Jeffrey Lewis

Patricia Okoniewski

Ann Peterson

Ann Prusch

Esther Rebeor

John Slattery Jr.

& for our parishioners in Nursing Care Facilities

*If you would like to add a name to the list, please call the parish office.*

### CONGRATULATIONS FATHER MORISETTE

Rev. Richard Morisette was recently honored with a Diocese of Syracuse "Light the Way Award". This award is presented annually to an individual who demonstrates a commitment to educating students in all aspects of our Catholic faith.

Father Morisette lives by example and was recognized for his service to the students at Trinity Catholic School.

## Prayer for Our Troops

Lord, hold our troops in Your loving hands. Protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they perform for us in our time of need, and give us peace. I ask this in the name of Jesus, Our Lord and Savior. Amen.

### Please Pray for our Military

CPO Stephen Begani (USN)

SPC Kristopher Darling (USA)

SGT Ben Greeney (USA)

OS3 Michael J. Kelly (USN)

CPT Brian Scardella (USA)

PFC Benjamin Bradford (USA)

HN3 Derek Dillabough (USN)

CPT Ryan J. Harris (USAF)

SSG Jeffrey Lewis (USA)

SPC Joshua Symborski (USA)

PO2 Gregory Bradshaw (USN)

SGT Christopher Elmer (USA)

MAJ Jared R. Harris (USAF)

SGT Christopher Matthews (USA)

PVT Richard Weber (USA)

PFC Johnthan Burchim (USA)

CPT Chad C. Evans (USAF)

MAJ Adam Johns (USMC)

SPC Milo Moore (USAR)

PVT Stephen Weber (USA)

*If you have a family member or friend in our Armed Forces, and would like them added to the military prayer list, please contact the parish office.*

## PRESERVATION FUND MEMORIALS

*Have been given in Loving Memory of:*

**Marie A. Mundy**

given by Kent Snyder & Kendra Murphy  
and Donald & Sally Palmitesso

## Trinity Catholic School News

TCS will sponsor a **Trash and Treasure Sale**  
Saturday, January 31st from 10:00 am ~ 2:00 pm  
Trinity Catholic School Gym.

Donations of sale items may be dropped off at the school

Monday-Friday from 3:30 ~ 4:30 pm

Bake sale treats & Chicken BBQ will also be available.

Dinners are \$9.00 and you may pre-order.

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## Trinity Catholic School Open House

Wednesday, February 11th 6:30 pm

For parents interested in registering their child for the  
2015-2016 school year. Trinity has programs available  
for 3 & 4 yr old children as well as K~ 6.

For more information contact the school office 343-6700

## Reflections of our Parish RCIA

Last weekend the parish welcomed Elizabeth Rathbun &  
Jennifer Reebel into the life of the parish community.  
The purpose of the Rite of Christian Initiation (RCIA)  
is to guide those who are seeking the fullness of faith.  
It is important that the whole parish serve as guides as  
the parish is the community of faith who sets the best  
example for the way of faith. We ask you to continue  
to welcome these women during their journey and to be  
the example of faith we strive to be. It was wonderful  
to experience that warm St. Mary's welcome ~ Thank You!!

## TAX STATEMENTS

If you would like your 2014 giving statement for  
your taxes, please fill out the information below  
and drop in the collection basket. Statements will  
be mailed. If you prefer to have it emailed, please  
include your email address. Thank you.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_



## Stewardship UPDATE

### January 17 & 18

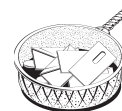
Envelopes \$ 4,265.  
Loose 731.  
Children 2.  
School 61.  
Maintenance 1,024.  
Fuel 173.  
**Total \$ 6,256.**

198 Envelopes **THANK YOU!**

2nd Collection this weekend:

**The Catholic Sun**

2nd Collection next weekend:  
Catholic Education



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GIVING**

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click on WeShare

## Our Support of Trinity Catholic School

Assessment \$ 49,302.

Paid from School Collection: \$ 8,402

Paid from Regular Collection: \$16,249.

Balance: \$ 24,651.

Thank you for supporting Catholic Education.

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The winner of the \$100 Catholic Education Raffle  
for December are: **Patrick & Catherine O'Neil.**

Congratulations Mr. & Mrs. O'Neil!

Thank you for donating your winning back to  
St. Mary's and for Supporting Catholic Education!

## THE BEST OF GERMANY, AUSTRIA & EASTERN EUROPE 12 DAYS: MAY 10 – 21, 2015

Visiting: MUNICH \* NEUSCHWANSTEIN \* OBERAMMERGAU \* SALZBURG \* MELK \* VIENNA \*  
BUDAPEST \* PRAGUE

\$3579 FROM NEW YORK (Air/land tour price is \$2899 plus \$680 gov't taxes & airline fuel surcharges)

Hosted by: FR. JOHN F. HOGAN, JR.

TOUR INCLUDES: Roundtrip Air from New York, \$680 govt. taxes/ airline fuel surcharges,  
First Class/Select Hotels, Most Meals, Professional Tour Director, and Comprehensive Sightseeing

FOR A BROCHURE & MORE INFORMATION CONTACT: Fr. John F. Hogan, Jr.

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SPACE IS LIMITED - BOOK EARLY TO AVOID DISAPPOINTMENT!



### Jan 31 & Feb 1



Mass	Reader	Chalice	Minister of the Host	Altar Servers	Children's Room
4:00 pm	S. Spath	J. Alejandro M. Collins	H. Mazuroski A. Rupert C. Knopp	Amanda Nettles Hunter Mazuroski	* * * * *
7:45 am	P. Wilder	K. Fenlon P. Wilder	V. Lund T. Lund D. Hall	Desiree Zappala Madison LeRoy	* * * * *
10:45 am	T. Weber	M. Orta D. Jarvis	R. Reitano K. Reynolds S. Orta	Aaron, Blake, Megan & Catherine Carter	S. Beshures