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Please pray for Dick and Joanne Nichols, Peg Soule, & Rose Johnson, Gail Nau, Jovce Loveless, Joanne Knapp, Ann Minosh, Bill and Margaret McHenry, David Reid, Dennis "Gravedigger" Anderson and all of our Parishioners who are ill, at home or in the hospital.





Our Book Club: Contact Susie Gallo at susiedgallo@gmail.com for more info.

Magnificat Rochester (a ministry to Catholic Women) invites all women to a breakfast buffet on Saturday, March 4, 2017 at the Diplomat Banquet Center on Lyell Ave. Rochester. Seating begins at 8:30 AM and the program is from 9:30 to noon. Confessions available from 8:00am -9:20am and again at noon. Our speaker will be Fr. Mark Noonan, the pastor of St. Mary & St. Mark Churches in Holley & Kendall in the Diocese of Buffalo. He is one of 8 children and was a law student in Cleveland. Ohio when he slowly developed an awareness that the Eucharist is truly the Body and Blood of Jesus. That propelled his faith and he soon realized God was calling him to be a priest. Pre-Reservation is \$20.00; after February 25th \$22.00; Student \$12.00. No tickets sold at the door. To register, mail check to: Magnificat Rochester, PO Box 24787, Rochester NY, 14624; include your name, address, phone number and email address. You can also register via PayPal on our website at www.MagnificatRochester.org. For more information: call Kathy Murty at 436-1284, or send an email to: MagnificatRochester@frontier.com



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Living in Grace through the Sacraments

Sacrament of Baptism. We share in your joy as we welcome the newest member of your family into God's family, the Church. Our Parish offers Baptism Preparation Program

to parents, with godparents, who wish to share their faith with their child. To register, please call the Parish Office.

Sacrament of Reconciliation. Persevere on the journey to holiness: Say "No" to sin and "Yes" to God's love, mercy and forgiveness. Saturday from 3:30 to 4:00 PM at SMM, or call the Parish Office to make an appointment.

Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick. Jesus continues his healing ministry through his Church. If you or any parishioner is ill at home, in the hospital or the nursing home, and desires to celebrate this sacrament of healing, call the Parish Office to schedule a visit.

Sacrament of the Eucharist. Fr. Upson brings communion during sick calls. Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion (communion ministers) can and may bring you communion regularly. Call the Parish Office.

Sacrament of Marriage. You and your fiancé are called to mirror the love of Jesus for his Church! Please contact the Parish Office at least six months before the intended date of your wedding so we can help you prepare for this wonderful sacrament of committed love.

Sacrament of Holy Orders. Do pray for vocations to the ordained priesthood and permanent deaconate. It is our common obligation to raise vocations—ordained, religious, married, single—in the Church. Now do you happen to know if and when our parish has produced an ordained priest for our diocese?

Are You a Visitor or a Newcomer? Welcome and we are glad you're here to worship with us! If Fr. Upson missed your presence, please see him after Mass.

Be near to the fonts of divine life!

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time January 29th, 2017

For my flesh is true food, and my blood is true drink. Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood remains in me and I in him.

- John 6:55-56

Our Parish Mission Statement



We, the people of Blessed Trinity Par*ish*, come from diverse backgrounds and are working together to learn, live and spread the Roman Catholic Faith. We support one another on this journey of faith by studying the Gospel, celebrating the sacraments, especially the Eucharist, and nurturing the spiritual growth of all. Our

pledge is to consistently strive to build an ever-stronger parish family where the word of God is proclaimed, studied, and integrated into daily living, where we worship in prayer and in sacrament the presence of God in our midst, and where we witness the Gospel through our actions of care and concern for the needs of those around us.

Masses on the Lord's Day

Saturday 4:30 PM at St. Mary Magdalene, Wolcott Sunday 8:30 AM at St. Thomas, Red Creek Sunday 10:30 AM at St. Mary Magdalene, Wolcott

Weekday Masses

Tuesday to Friday 8:30 AM at Saint Mary Magdalene, Wolcott

Confessions

3:30-4:00 PM every Saturday at Saint Mary Magdalene, Wolcott

Holy Hour

7:00-8:00 PM every Tuesday at Saint Mary Magdalene, Wolcott

Schedule of Sacred Liturgy

Sat., Jan. 28th-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:30pm (SMM) - RoseMarie Gallo by John & Susie

Sunday, Jan. 29th-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30am (ST)- Rev. John B. Crowley

10:30am (SMM)- Right to Life by CDA

Monday, Jan. 30th-Weekday

8:30am (SMM) - COMMUNION SERVICE

Tuesday, Jan. 31st- Weekday

8:30am (SMM) -For the special intentions of Jean Mrzwyka By Kim Reithel

Wednesday, Feb. 1st-Weekday

8:30am (SMM) - Kevin Seymour by Rosemary Seymour

Thursday, Feb. 2nd-Weekday

8:30am (SMM) -

Friday, Feb. 3rd- Weekday

8:30am (SMM)- Skip Delf by the Delf Family

Sat., Feb. 4th -Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:30pm (SMM) - Robert Delf by the Delf Family

Sunday, Feb. 5th– Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time 8:30am (ST)- Joan Grunow by Gerry and Luba LaForge

10:30am (SMM)- Alex Kehoe by Carmen & Donna Parenti

Monday, Feb. 6th-Weekday

8:30am (SMM) - COMMUNION SERVICE

Tuesday, Feb. 7th- Weekday

8:30am (SMM) - John Houpana by Tom, Linda, & Family

Wednesday, Feb. 8th-Weekday

8:30am (SMM) -

Thursday, Feb. 9th-Weekday

8:30am (SMM) -

Friday, Feb. 10th- Weekday

8:30am (SMM)-

Sat., Feb. 11th-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:30pm (SMM) -Sunday, Feb. 12th-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30am (ST)- Kevin Seymour by Rosemary Seymour 10:30am (SMM)- Rich Bielemeier by Eileen Bielemeier



Parish Scripture Study

Thanks to all of you who signed up to increase in knowledge of your faith through a study of Holy Scripture. Scripture study will begin the week of April 17th and will conclude the week of June 12th. For your convenience, two sessions will be offered

each week; an evening session to be held on Tuesdays from 6:30 to 7:45 PM at St. Thomas and a morning session to be held on Thursdays from 9:30 to 10:45 at St. Mary Magdalene. The sessions will be identical so you may choose to attend either based on your schedule on any particular week.

The first evening session is scheduled for Tuesday, April 18th and the first morning session is scheduled for Thursday, April

The cost per person is \$15.00, which covers the study guide. Deacon Bob will hand the study guides out in February. Please make checks payable to the Catholic Community of the Blessed

Please contact Deacon Bob Lee at 315-744-4933 (cell) or relee@rochester.rr.com for more information.



Periodically the bulletin will feature reviews of books being read by groups in our parish. Today's review is about a book the Book Club read recently.

Hail, Holy Queen: The Mother of God in the Word of God, by Scott Hahn

Drawn from a desire to deepen our reverence for Mary, the Women's Book Group recently finished reading this most enlightening book about the Blessed Virgin Mary. Those who wish to become more knowledgeable and reflective about a central aspect of their faith will grow spiritually as they journey through Hail, **Holy Queen**. This book helps us to understand what is taught about Mary, to appreciate her as she is shown directly and foreshadowed in the Holy Scriptures, and to explain about her to those who do not have a clear understanding of Mary's place in our Catholic faith. You will be moved toward a greater devotion to Mary after reading this book.

Scott Hahn has tried to explain in simple terms why Catholics venerate Mary. One of the things we liked about this book is that it was not "beyond understanding". While his text is serious, Scott Hahn has a playful practice of making puns with chapter and section headings. For example: "I Dream of Genealogy" introduces the genealogies of Matthew and Luke. "Idol Talk?" addresses the notion that some non-Catholics charge that Marian dogmas add up to Mary worship. Another aspect of his writing we were drawn to is that Dr. Hahn includes his own very humbling experiences to demonstrate how the Lord, whom he had served as a Protestant, introduced him to his mother. He begins by recalling his own intolerance of anything Marian, even the ripping up of his grandmother's rosary, when it was bequeathed to him.

As we read this book we thought about how, at times, when God calls us to do things we may grumble, complain, question, and think...this is too hard...I don't have the time...someone else will do it. We can think of a million REALLY good reasons to not answer the call. Yet Mary was someone who was willing to sacrifice for the will of God. Never once did Mary question WHY. Mary did not say NO! Having read this book one is also left with a greater desire to honor Mary and to say YES, I have a desire to serve.

CELL PHONES

Beginning February, Catholic Daughters are accepting cell phones for recycling by the

Victim Resource Center in Newark. The Center provides shelter and services for victims of domestic violence. You can deposit phones in marked containers at the rear of the church.



Just a reminder! If school is closed due to weather, there is NO Mass and Office will also be closed.

Liturgical Ministers Schedule

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| | Feb. 4/5 | Feb. 11/12 |
| SMM 4:30pm | | |
| Sacristan | Volunteer needed | M. Gowers |
| Altar Server | Volunteer needed | M. Mahoney |
| Commentator | S. Gallo | S. Gallo |
| Lector | G. Pendelton | B. Campbell |
| Usher/s | Volunteer needed | Volunteer needed |
| | Volunteer needed | Volunteer needed |
| EOMC | Volunteer needed | M. Watson |
| | Volunteer needed | Volunteer needed |
| ST 8:30am | | |
| Sacristan | K. Arcadi | C. VonHoltz |
| Altar Server | J. Houck | C. VonHoltz |
| Commentator | G. LaForge | K. Arcadi |
| Lector | S. Hadcock | K. DeMass |
| Usher/s | S. DeMass | D. Arcadi |
| | E. Durocher | S. DeMass |
| EOMC | W. McVea | G. LaForge |
| | N. Polacek | M. Smith |
| SMM 10:30am | | |
| Sacristan | K. Hoyt | E. Bielemeier |
| Altar Server | Volunteer needed | Volunteer needed |
| Commentator | N. Hamilton | M. Thomas |
| Lector | C. Parenti | I. Interlichia |
| Usher/s | K. Kieliszak | K. Kieliszak |
| | Volunteer needed | Volunteer needed |
| EOMC | P. Younglove | B. Adams |
| | M. Thomas | T. Interlichia |
| Counters | 2/6 | 2/13 |
| | P. Younglove | J. Mrzwyka |
| | C. Immerman | J. Lee |
| | G. Pendleton | L. Faiola |
| | K. Arcadi | P. AuClair |
| | L. LaForge | S. Gallo |
| | E. Bielemeier | |



"The Clothing Center was the grateful recipient of a portion of the items donated to the CCBT hat & mitten tree. Thank you all so much! The items were delightfully received by several families in our community and surrounding rural areas. Many THANKS!"

Mardi Gras: February 25, 2017, after the 4:30pm Mass at St. Mary Magdalene. Dish to Pass Dinner. Questions: Please call Karla Van-Fleet at 594-2091.



Coming Up at Blessed Trinity Pastoral Council 7pm @ ST 2/4 First Holy Communion Workshop 3:30pm Confirmation Workshop after 4:30pm Mass 2/5 Second Collection: Faith Formation Religious Education 9:30 to 10:30am 2/9 CDA Meeting Finance Council 5pm 2/12 Second Collection: Youth Fund 2/13 Men's Group: 7PM @ SMM 2/19 Second Collection: Social Ministry Religious Education 9:30 to 10:30am 2/24-26 Notre Dame Retreat for Men Second collection: Building Fund Ash Wednesday



The Men's group will meet on Monday, 13 February at 7 PM at SMM. New members are encouraged and are most welcome.

Please contact Deacon Bob Lee at 315-744-4933 (cell) or relee@rochester.rr.com for more information.

: MEN'S RETREAT: The weekend of February 24 -26 has been designated by Notre Dame Retreat House as : retreat weekend for all men of The Catholic Community of the Blessed Trinity Parish. The retreat theme is "Prayer: God is Talking, Are you Listening". Registration : begins at 6:00 PM on Friday the 24th. For further information please contact Dick Campbell at 315-587-2342 or Gerry LaForge at 315- 754-6324.

Quarterly Social Ministry Report for Oct. Nov. and Dec.

During this quarter, Social Ministry Outreach helped 8 households. One family was helped with part of their rent, two families were helped with part of their security deposit, and one family, facing eviction, was helped with part of the down payment to purchase a mobile home. The total housing cost was \$1352. Two families were helped with a water bill for a total of \$377.33. One person was helped with a car payment, needed to get to work, for \$269.69. And one elderly woman was helped with a furnace repair for \$81. Of those helped, three were from Wolcott, three were from Red Creek, one from South Butler, and one from Sodus. In addition, there were a total of 97 food youchers honored for \$748.69 and \$500 given to the Clothing Center to purchase winter coats and other items not donated in sufficient quantity to meet the need. Total expenses were \$3,328.71.

Two people asked for assistance and were denied, one who did not keep the appointment, and one who lived out of the

During this quarter, we received donations of \$1397.44 from our generous parishioners, and once again the Auer Family Foundation awarded us a grant of \$4000! Thank you all.