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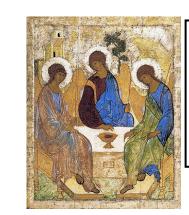
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Adoration and Exposition @ St. Mary Magdalene The Blessed Trinity Community will hold Adoration, Exposition and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament on the first Tuesday of every month from 7 to 8 PM. Come and spend an hour with the Lord. Holy Hour starts at 7pm on Tuesdays the rest of the month.

Praver for Our Troops

Salvatore Interlichia-Army, Sam Interlichia-Marines, Noah Foro-Air Force, Bryan Wetzel-Air Force 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 times of need, and give them peace. I ask this in the name of Jesus, Our Lord and Savior. AMEN

Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the Devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, And do thou, O Prince of the heavenly hosts, By the power of God, cast into hell Satan, And all the evil spirits. Who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen Glory and Praise Hymnal #978, page 2



Saint Jude • Saint Mary Magdalene • Saint Thomas 15 Northup Avenue 580 Main Street 6927 Main Street Fair Haven NY 13156 Wolcott NY 14590 Red Creek NY 13143

Parish Office: Monday, Tuesday and Thursday, 9:00AM-12:00pm 11956 Washington Street, Wolcott, New York 14590 Tel/Fax: (315) 594-9430 Check out our website: www.ccblessedtrinity.org!

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: Sunday's after Mass, at St. Mary Magdalene, before and after Mass at St. Thomas/St. Jude and on the 1st Tuesdays of the month at 6:30pm at St. Mary Magdalene 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. One of our priests will bring Communion during home visits or Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion (communion ministers) can and may bring you Communion regularly. Call the Parish Office.

Sacrament of Confirmation. Our young parishioners who wish to prepare to receive the gift of the Holy Spirit in the sacrament of Confirmation must be enrolled in a 2 year preparation program in Religious Education. Adults must call the rectory.

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!

CATHOLIC COMMUNITY OF THE **BLESSED TRINITY**



Schedule of Sacred Liturgy

Sunday, February 16th-6th Sunday in Ordinary Time 8:00am (ST) - Mark Boston by Gerry & Luba LaForge 12:00pm (SMM)- John Lyons DDS

by Ted & Mary Ann Roberts Monday, February 17th–Weekday

8:30am (SMM) - Joseph Weber by David & Terry VanFleet

Friday, February 21st -Weekday

8:30am (SMM) - Rich Bielemeier by Eileen Bielemeier

Eastern Wayne County Mass Schedule

St. Joseph the Worker (St. Michael Lyons, St. Patrick Savannah & St. John the Evangelist, Clyde) & Blessed Trinity (St. Thomas Red Creek, Winter, St. Jude Fair Haven, Summer & St. Mary Magdalene Wolcott) & St. Michael Newark

Weekend Schedule		
	4:00 pm - Saturday	St. Michael Lyons
	4:00 pm - Saturday	St. Patrick Savannah
	8:00 am - Sunday	St. Thomas Red Creek (winter)
	8:00 am - Sunday	St. Jude Fair Haven (summer)
	8:15 am - Sunday	St. Michael Newark
	10:00 am - Sunday	St. John the Evangelist Clyde
	10:30 am - Sunday	St. Michael Newark
	12:00 pm - Sunday	St. Mary Magdalene Wolcott
Daily Mass Schedule		
	8:30 am - Monday	Št. Mary Magdalene Wolcott
	7:30 am - Tuesday	St. John the Evangelist Clyde
	8:00 am - Tuesday	St. Michael Newark (in the Chapel)
	8:00 am - Wednesday	St. Michael Newark (in the Chapel)
	7:30 am - Thursday	St. John the Evangelist Clyde
	8:00 am - Thursday	St. Michael Newark (in the Chapel)
	7:30 am - Friday	St. Michael Lyons
	8:30 am - Friday	St. Mary Magdalene Wolcott
Confessions		
	5.30-6.20 pm - 1st Frid	lay St. John the Evangelist Clyde

5:30-6:20 pm - 1st Friday St. John the Evangelist Clyde 2:45-3:45 pm - Saturday St. Michael Lyons 2:45-3:45 pm - Saturday St. Patrick Savannah Before & After Mass - Sunday St. Thomas Red Creek

(winter)

After Mass - Sunday & 1st Tuesday of the month 6:30-7:15 St. Mary Magdalene Wolcott

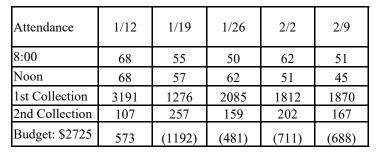
9:30-10:15 am - Sunday St. Michael Newark

7:00-8:00 pm - Wednesdays (after 6 -7 pm Holy Hour) St. Michael Newark

> The sanctuary lamp at St. Mary Magdalene will burn from February 16 to February 22 for Ida DeNoto Lord you are the light of the living and a help in time of need. Amen.

Please prav for:

Lee Poole, JoAnne Nichols, Mary Lou Adams, Ray Terry, Peg Soule, Joanne Knapp, Ann Minosh, Bill McHenry, Danny Dreschler, Shirley Howell, Jeanine Gagnon, and all of our Parishioners who are ill, at home or in the hospital.



... You visited Me...

Here for You... You Matter!

Here for You is a new outreach program which aims to connect willing, trained volunteers with Wayne County residents who are isolated due to age, illness, or disability.

Here for You strives to discover those who are isolated and who have needs which are not being met by family, friends, or agencies.

Here for You provides training, guidance, and support to volunteers who will go out to the homebound and isolated to offer them support and to enable them to

connect with other organizations and agencies as well.

Here for You ensures that volunteers have a proper background screening and Safe Training as is appropriate in their work with vulnerable adults.

Here for You provides opportunities for the volunteers to gather on a regular basis for support, networking, training, and the sharing of best practices.

Here for You reaches out to the elderly, marginalized, homebound, and handicapped of all faiths and to those who have no religious affiliation.

Here for You works with all faith communities, civic organizations, and individuals by engaging, training, and equipping volunteers who are willing and ready to serve.

Here for You's volunteers ask nothing in return but the privilege of serving.

If you have more questions about Here for You... You Matter, please contact me.

Deacon Gregory Kiley, Coordinator of Volunteer Engagement 585-330-8473/gregory.kiley@dor.org



We Are Called Join our faith community—and more than 14,000 Catholic communities across the United States in a Lenten journey with CRS Rice Bowl. Dur-

ing the 40 days of Lent, we will reflect on the challenge of global hunger and how it affects our human family. Use the resources attached with the Rice Bowl to guide you in prayer, fasting and almsgiving. Your donation will support the work of CRS in roughly 45 different countries each year. 25% of all donations to CRS Rice Bowl stay in the local diocese, supporting hunger and poverty alleviation efforts. Last year CCBT collected \$753.06. Of this amount \$188.26 will be distributed to local food pantries. CRS Rice Bowls will be handed out next week. The collection will conclude Easter Sunday. Please contact Marie Smith (315-591 -1051) or Pam AuClair (315-529-2742) if you have any guestions. To learn more about CRS Rice Bowl visit https:// www.crsricebowl.org/about

CMA Report As of 2/11/2020 Goal: \$17.207.00 Pledged: \$11,645.00 67.68%

We are in need of a sacristan for SMM every other Sunday. Please contact the office if you can help out with this!!!

From the desk of Fr. Walter My Dear People,

Last week we noted that biblical and Christian prudence is more than caution, but wisdom, helping us to know the best means to live out our Catholic Faith in the practical day-to-day circumstances and challenges that make up 'real life'. It is the Holy Spirit Himself Who gives us this supernatural aid, making us see things, not only in a human and natural way, but in the light of heaven. In other words, prudence makes us act according to the guiding principle of ordering and organizing our choices so that they lead us to, and not away from the path of salvation. And when several good things are possible, prudence makes us see and select the best among them.

Understanding why we need God's gift of prudence is part of understanding ourselves. Life is not a series of isolated and separated choices, each made in a sort of psychological "no man's land". Every choice we make carries with it the weight and force of the choices before it. For example, if I'm presented with a delicious slice of chocolate cake, my decision to eat it will be largely influenced by what I've done in the past. If I only partake when I think it would be a good idea considering my overall diet and health, then I can more easily do what would be best. But if I always indulge whenever sweets of any sort are put before me, then the weight of my past choices heavily moves me to eat the cake, even if I shouldn't at that moment for whatever reason. Of course, far less morally neutral or harmless examples could be given to demonstrate how past choices influence present ones. This is not to say, note it well, that we are not free. We are. But if we habitually make poor choices, then we are "less free" to choose what is ultimately best in each moment.

Like human relationships, our relationship with Christ is lived out in the thousand small things of ordinary life. We need to consistently and repeatedly choose what makes this relationship stronger, as opposed to what weakens it, or kills it. Prudence helps us do exactly that. But let me be more practical! Lent is coming up, which means another chance to realistically examine what needs to improve, change or increase in our spiritual life. It's easy to "give up" something small, like candy, and ignore the big problems which actually weaken, harm or destroy our union with Jesus. Sometimes we can have 'secret sins' which are causing real harm; maybe a lack of generosity or lack of commitment to living our Faith 100% is holding us back. Whatever it may be, prudence helps us both identify obstacles, and guides us to effectively overcome them.

It is never too late to make 'more prudent' choices. because God never gives up on us. Be smart, God's way, and ask Him for prudence. Build your spiritual life on rock, not on sand.

Fr Walter

Lenten Soup Suppers

3, 10, 17, 24 and 31 of March and April 7th Held at St. Mary Magdalene and St Thomas on alternate Tuesdays (starting at St. Mary Magdalene) 6pm Presenting the highly rated "Genesis to Jesus Journey Through Scripture" Video Series. Two 20 minute lessons (plus soup and discussion) each Tuesday for six weeks. No cost. Sign up sheets to provide soup, bread and beverages on any given Tuesday, if you desire, are in both St. Mary Magdalene and St Thomas. Please join us.

Coming Up This Month:		
2/16	Religion at SMM at 10:45am	
	Second Collection: Social Ministry	
	Family Promise Wine Tasting in Newark 3-6	
2/18	Holy Hour at SMM at 7pm	
2/19	Book Group at 6pm at SMM	
2/23	Second Collection: Building Fund	
	Religion review at LCC at 4pm	
2/26	Ash Wednesday:	
	7:30am St. Michael, Lyons, 8:30am SMM, Noon at St. Patrick, Savannah, Noon Service only at St. Michael, Newark, 5:30pm Service only, St. John's, Clyde, 6pm St. Michael Newark, 7:30pm Service only, St. Thomas, Red Creek	
2/27	Bell Chime Rehearsal at ST at 6:30pm	
Please note: There are now Purple envelopes for parishioners to use if they want to specifically designate which parish should get their donation. This is for people who don't use the pre-		
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Maintaining an Attitude of Gratitude

printed envelopes sent through the mail.

The first Corporal Work of Mercy is to feed the hungry. This year's food campaign was a great success. Three local food pantries benefited from the generous donations from all of you. We served the Fair Haven Blessing Box, Red Creek Community Food Cupboard and Wolcott Presbyterian Church Food Pantry. In addition, \$188.26 will be shared between the Red Creek and Wolcott Food Pantries, which is the 25% our parish gets back from the total amount of money from our CRS Rice Bowl collection. The Fair Haven Blessing Box is not in the position to receive monetary donations currently, but they welcome ANY donations of food or toiletries throughout the year. The Blessing Box is located to the right of the Village Offices on Cayuga Street in Fair Haven. Just put your donation in the box. A local Girl Scout troop is building a new Blessing Box as a service project. Repeatedly, Jesus tells us through his words and actions to care about people's physical needs. We are all doing just that! Thank you very much for your support. ~Pam AuClair and Marie Smith

Men's Retreat Weekend February 28-March 1, 2020 "Finding God in Life's Transitions" Notre Dame Retreat House Canandaigua NY 585-394-5700 or www.notredameretreat.org To learn more about this weekend retreat for men, please contact Nancy at Notre Dame Retreat House (office manager & retreat team member) at 585-394-5700.



Glory and Praise Missal Remember-The Sunday Readings are from Year A. February 16: #868 February 23 # 871