THE PARISHES OF EASTERN WAYNE COUNTY

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Monday 10:00 am Local Nursing Homes

Tuesday 8:00 am

Wednesday 6:00 pm, with Holy Hour Confessions: Sunday 9:45 –10:15 am Wednesday 6:45-7:15 pm (or by appointment) Holy Hour: Wednesday 6:30-7:30pm Please check inside the bulletin for any schedule changes

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St. John the Evangelist 114 Sodus St., Clyde, NY Sunday Mass: 10:30 am Wed. 6:00 pm

Thurs. 8:30 am Confession: Wed. 5:20 - 5:50 pm

St. Michael Corner Phelps & Holly Sts. Lyons, NY Saturday Mass: 4:00 pm Mass: Fri.. 8:30 am Confessions: Sat. 3:15-3:45 pm St. Patrick Grand Ave. Savannah, NY Sunday Mass: 8:30 am (April- December)

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St. Mary Magdalene 15 Northup Ave. Wolcott, NY Saturday Mass: 4:30 pm Mon. & Fr. Mass: 8:30 am Confessions: Sat. 3:30 - 4:15 pm

St. Thomas 6927 Main St. Red Creek, NY Sunday Mass: 8 am (Winter)

580 Main St. Fair Haven, NY Sunday Mass: 8 am Confessions: Sun. 7:20 - 7:50 am

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APRIL 6, 2025



Dear Parishioners,

The veiling of statues and images of Christ during Passiontide (Passiontide, the last two weeks of Lent focused on Christ's suffering, begins on the Fifth Sunday of Lent, April 6th, and continues through Holy Week, culminating in Easter on April 20th) which is the two weeks before Easter is an ancient Catholic practice which seems puzzling at first sight. We have begun this practice of covering statues and crucifixes.

The custom of veiling crosses and images has much to commend it in terms of religious psychology, because it helps us to concentrate on the great essentials of Christ's work of Redemption. The historical origin of this practice lies elsewhere. It probably derives from a custom, noted in Germany from the ninth century, of extending a large cloth before the altar from the beginning of Lent. This cloth is called the Hungertuch" (hunger cloth). Some authors say the practical reason for this practice was so the often-illiterate faithful had a way to know it was Lent. Others, maintain that it was a remnant of the ancient practice of public penance in which the penitents were ritually expelled from the church at the beginning of Lent. Prior to the revision of the Roman Missal (Sacramentary) in 1970, crosses and images were covered with veils during Passiontide which is the last two weeks of Lent, starting from the end of the Mass for Saturday of the Fourth Week of Lent. Since 1970, in the United States, the practice of veiling crosses and statues was not allowed since the USCCB had not voted on the issue. With the revision of the General Instruction of the Roman Missal (GIRM), the USCCB, in 2001, approved adaptations for the United States.

Fr. Felician Praised be Jesus Christ!







St Michael Church, Newark



MASSES, INTENTIONS AND EVENTS



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| Sunday, April 6 Fifth Sunday Of Lent | 8:15 am ~ Wally Straight by Judy & Randy 10:30 am ~ Tracy Fenyn Bussani by Family | Easter Flower envelope or forms due |
| Monday, April 7 Lenten Weekday | 10:00 am Wayne County Nursing Home The People of the Parish | |
| Tuesday, April 8 Lenten Weekday | 8:00 am ~ Bill Sweeney by Crowley Family | |
| Wednesday, April 9 Lenten Weekday | 6:00 pm ~ Betty Viola by Frank & Georgia Zappia | Holy Hour |
| Sunday, April 13 Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord | 8:15 am ~ John Bailey by Bailey Family 10:30 am ~ Eugene F. Palmer by Joanne Palmer | Palm Sunday |



Please pray for the repose of the soul of:



Memorial Candle and Flowers for the week of 4/6/25

Candle: Wally Straight by Randy & Judy

Flowers: No flowers during Lent

ST. MICHAEL'S WEEKLY COLLECTION March 23 \$5993.00

| Attendance | 8:15 am | 10:30 am |
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| March 23 | 93 | 150 |

Recitation of Our Lady's Rosary is every Thursday, 1 pm in our Mary's Garden behind the Parish Center, (weather permitting), or in the chapel. All are welcome to join.

BIBLE STUDY every Tuesday 9-10:30 am in the parish center. You are invited to join, and study the Mass readings for the following Sunday. So much can be learned by the discussions. Everyone is welcome to join.

Stations of the Cross

Every Friday during Lent at 6 pm.





EASTER ALTAR FLOWERS

Envelopes or forms are due back to the parish center TODAY, April 6th so that the names of those to be remembered can be placed in the Easter Sunday bulletin insert.

Our world is in desperate need of prayer! We will pray in the church after the 8:15 Mass. There will also be prayer at 10:15 (before the 10:30 Mass). We will pray for about 10 minutes. Please join us. We will have a box in the Gathering Space for your private prayer intentions. We will pray for all of the intentions in the box, but they will not be viewed by anyone.



for April 13

| 1 | ZZAM | Altar Server | Lector | Commentator | Extraordinary Minister | Greeter |
|---|----------------------|-----------------------|------------|-------------|---------------------------|-------------------------|
| | April 13 8:15 am | J. Phillips | L. Lauster | J. Bouwens | D. Switzer | B. Hegeman L. Poiesz |
| | April 13 10:30 am | A. Diamond L. Bean | S. Joslyn | C. Owen | L.DeRue | C. Owen S. Eagley |

Children's Liturgy 10:30 S. Joslyn & J. Petrus Money Counter: *Team 2*

Nancy Murphy Coffee Hour L. Graham & B. Woodward



FAITH FORMATION

Sue Joslyn will be our Faith Formation Coordinator.

Class Schedule 9 - 10:30 am

April 6 + 27



Good Friday, April 18th 4:30 pm in the church hall





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YOU ARE INVITED TO OUR ANNUAL ADULT VOLUNTEER OPEN HOUSE

If you have volunteered at St. Michael's Church any time in the past year, you are invited to attend our VOLUNTEER OPEN HOUSE

On **THURSDAY**, April 24th from 6-8 pm in the **PARISH CENTER**.

This is hosted by St. Michael's staff as thanks for the dedication of your time and talents to
St. Michael's Church.

Please RSVP by calling the Parish Center at 315-331-6753.





SPRING RUMMAGE SALE

Moving, down sizing, spring cleaning? Please consider donating any unwanted items to St. Michael's Spring Rummage Sale. As always though, we CANNOT ACCEPT; type-

writers, TVs, bowling balls, skis & skiing equipment, tires, baby car seats & cribs, non-working electronics, no stained, cracked or broken items. If you are available on Sunday, April 27th after 10:30 am mass, we could use your help setting up tables.

Marking begins Monday, April 28th at 9 am.

Sale begins Tuesday, May 6th ends Saturday, May 10th.

THANK YOU FOR ALL YOUR SUPPORT & TIME!



MASSES and INTENTIONS



| Saturday, April 5 | 4:00 pm St. Michael | |
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| Vigil Fifth Sunday Of Lent | Richard Youngman by Terry & Angela Switzer | |
| Sunday, April 6 | 10:30 am St. John | |
| Fifth Sunday Of Lent | William Heald Family by Ken & Sylvia Disanto | |
| Wednesday, April 9 | 6:00 pm St. John | |
| Lenten Weekday | Carol Kenyon by Angela Petrus | |
| Thursday, April 10 Lenten Weekday | 8:30 am St. John Deceased members of the Flora Forjone Petrus Family by The Family | |
| Friday, April 11 | 8:30 am St. Michael | |
| Lenten Weekday | Larry DeTorio by Paul & Sandy Cassetta | |
| Saturday, April 12 Vigil Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord | 4:00 pm St. Michael Deborah Sykora Bianco by Angela & Terry Switzer | |
| Sunday, April 13 Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord 10:30 am St. John Donna & Jim lati by Deacon Greg & Elena Kile 12:30 pm St. Patrick Foster Deuel by Darrell Legacy | | |

In Sympathy

Please pray for the repose of the soul of:



Memorial Candle for the week of 4/6/25

St. John Candle: Ralph Howell by Dave & Noreen Kanaley

St. Michael Church, Lyons has Exposition and Benediction at the conclusion of Mass on First Fridays, closes at 10:00 am.

ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER PARISH WEEKLY COLLECTION March 23 \$4890.00

| Attendance | St. John | St. Patrick | St. Michael |
|------------|----------|-------------|-------------|
| March 23 | 131 | N/A | 80 |



SJTW Spring Spa Raffle
Basket is on display at the
Parish Office. Tickets are
\$1.00 each or six for \$5.00
and can be purchased during office hours at the
Parish Office. The winning
ticket will be drawn at
the SJTW Ice Cream Social
and \$100.00 Raffle drawing

on Thursday May 15th.

Good Luck!

Live The Liturgy Inspiration of the Week

"Go, and sin no more," Jesus tells the woman caught in adultery. Her life, like ours, has been saved. She, like us, has a chance for a new beginning. So he begs her, and he begs us: be changed by it. Let the mercy transform you. Go, and sin no more.



Stations of the Cross during Lent 10:00 am Sunday ~ St. John, Clyde 3 pm Friday ~ St. Michael, Lyons

Spring Plants Just in Time for Mother's Day. St. Joseph the Worker Parish is selling spring plants. Plants will be delivered and available after Masses, May 10 & May 11. Types of plants available include 10" hanging baskets with Fuchsia, Boston Fern, Geraniums, Wave Petunias, New Guinea Impatiens, Million Bells (Calibrachoa), Scaevola & Begonias.

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Plants must be pre-ordered & paid for when you place your order by April 30th. \$25 a plant.
Order forms available at all SJTW churches & at the Parish Office.

The Lyons Inter-Church Council is having a **free Soup and Sharing** gathering on April 9th, below are the details.

What- Free meal of Soup and Bread **Sponsor**- The Lyons Inter-Church Council **When**- Wednesday, April 9th, 5:30-7:00 pm **Where**- The Lyons Community Center

A "Lenten Message" will be delivered by Deacon Greg Kiley

Assists needed from each Church-2 Crocks of Soup, 2 Loaves of Bread, 12 Bottles of Water, 2 Sticks of Butter Signups in front of St.

Signups in front of St. Michael's Church.
Please bring a canned good for the Lyons Food Pantry. Donations

are gladly accepted



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St. Joseph The Worker Parish
St. Joseph's Day Ziti Dinner
Thursday, May 1st in St. John's Hall

4:00 - 6:00 pm Dine in or Take Out \$12 per person. Dinner includes ziti, meatballs, salad & dessert

(Gluten free ziti available upon request)

Tickets will be sold at all SJTW churches & at the Parish Office April 4th through April 28th.

Hope to see you there.





Catholic Community of the Blessed Trinity

NEWS & NOTES....



MASSES and INTENTIONS



| Saturday, April 5 Vigil Fifth Sunday Of Lent | 4:30 pm St. Mary Magdalene In Honor & Blessings of Beau Centro By Denise Centro | |
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| Sunday, April 6 | 8:00 am St. Thomas | |
| Fifth Sunday Of Lent | Ron Polacek by Nancy Polacek | |
| Monday, April 7 | 8:30 am St. Mary Magdalene Holy Hour | |
| Lenten Weekday | Holy Souls in Purgatory by Mahoney Family | |
| Friday, April 11 | 8:30 am St. Mary Magdalene | |
| Lenten Weekday | Rev. John B. Crowley by The Propagation of the Faith | |
| Saturday, April 12 Vigil Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord | 4:30 pm St. Mary Magdalene Richard Bielemeier by Eileen Bielemeier | |
| Sunday, April 13 Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord | 8:00 am St. Thomas Maurice Keefe by Gerry & Luba LaForge | |



Please pray for the repose of the soul of:



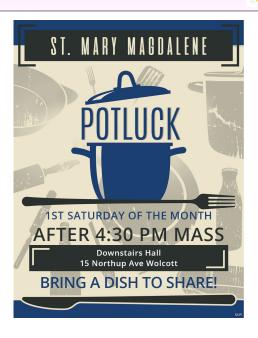
Memorial Candle for the week of 3/30/25 St. Mary Magdalene:

BLESSED TRINITY WEEKLY COLLECTION March 23 \$3150.00

| Attendance | St. Mary Magdalene | St. Thomas | St. Jude |
|------------|-----------------------|------------|----------|
| March 23 | 53 | 28 | N/A |

CARING CARD MINISTRY

If you know of any parishioner who is sick or grieving and might benefit from a card of care, concern and encouragement from our church, please contact Karen Kaindl at #315–587–9796 and leave a message, including name and address of the person. Thank you!



Holy Hour and Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament is on Mondays at the conclusion of the 8:30 am Mass at St. Mary Magdalene Church.

This Monday's Topic is:
For a collective and individual renewal of faith.



Stations of the Cross during Lent, 4 pm Saturday ~ St. Mary Magdalene, Wolcott, 7:30 am Sunday ~ St. Thomas, Red Creek



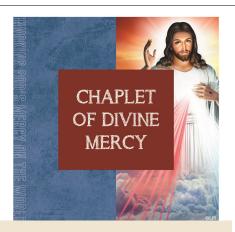
Our parish has joined a nationwide effort entitled "Walking with Moms in Need". Once again, CCBT Social Ministry is sponsoring a Diaper Drive to provide for this need. The diapers can be placed in the bins located at the back of each church. The drive will run until Sunday, April 20. Thank you for prayerfully considering a donation.

BOOK GROUP UPDATE:

The CCBT ladies Book Group will be taking a break during Lent. We will reconvene on **Friday**, **April 25th** after the morning Mass at **SM**. Our next book that we will read aloud together will be **River of Fire** by Sr. Helen Prejean. This is the story of a

nun's journey from the novitiate pre-Vatican II to many decades later and her awakening to social justice. It's available to purchase online. Anyone who is interested is cordially invited to join us! (Questions, contact Jill Lee at 315-744-4932.)





Devotions, Explained!

Prayed with an ordinary fivedecade Rosary, the Chaplet of Divine Mercy is an intercessory prayer invoking God's mercy on the world, utilizing words drawn from the text of The Diary of St. Faustina Maria Kowalska.



Corey Ginett Confirmation Coordinator

The next Confirmation class will be Saturday, May 3rd in the St. Joseph Worker Parish Office building 9-11 am. If you have any questions please call or email Corev Ginett, 315-524-2611 or corrinne.qinett@dor.org.

The CRS Rice Bowl is the Lenten Program of Catholic Relief Services. We will not be distributing cardboard bowls this year. Please donate online at craries of the control The CRS Rice Bowl is the Lenten Program donate or drop off a check to your parish office. Thank you for your generous support.

ST. FRANCIS-ST. STEPHENS SCHOOL

The Father Mull Tuition Scholarship was awarded to Colton Decann, Adaline Illes, Winston Peters, and Loren Plucinik, students of St. Francis-St. Stephens School. Initiated by Mr. Robert Schick, the scholarship is a tribute to Father Thomas Mull-a devoted advocate to Catholic education in the diocese of Rochester. Each student was nominated by school faculty for their character, demonstration of Catholic faith in everyday life, and work ethic. Three of the four winners are members of our parish cluster: Colton, Winston, and Loren.

Congratulations!





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"I am the bread of life." John 6:51

Easter Schedule

Holy Thursday Mass of the Lord's Supper, April 17 7:00 pm ~ St. Michael. Newark 7:00 pm ~ St. John, Clyde

Good Friday Passion Service, April 18 12:00 Pm ~St. Mary Magdalene, Wolcott

3:00 pm ~ St. Michael, Newark 3:00 Pm ~ St. John, Clyde

Easter Vigil, April 19 8:00 pm ~ St. Michael, Newark

7:30 pm ~St. Mary Magdalene, Wolcott

Easter Sunday, April 20 8:00 am ~ St. Thomas, Red Creek 8:30 am ~ St. Michael, Lyons 10:30 am ~ St. Michael, Newark

10:30 am ~ St. John, Clyde 12:30 pm ~ St. Patrick, Savannah



NOTRE DAME RETREAT HOUSE 5151 Foster Rd., Canandaigua, NY 585-394-5700 www.notredameretreat.org

Women's Weekends: May 2-4 & May 16-18

Fill Your Soul Day

May 13 Blessed are you: A Closer Look at the Fundamental Message of Jesus Sr. Carole Cimino SSJ

June 17 Poetry and Prayer ~ A presentation for our Jubilee Year Fr. Peter Murray, SJ



2024/2025 **CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL**



Extending Christ's Mission through the Catholic Ministries Appeal

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| St. Michael *Goal met* | \$41,000.00 108.11% | 144 | \$44,327.00 |
| St. Joseph the Worker | \$34,000.00 84.81% | 125 | \$28,835.00 |
| Blessed Trinity | \$16,000.00 98.01% | 64 | \$15,681.72 |

