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8:15 am & 10:30 am

Daily Masses

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



St. Joseph the Worker Parish
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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

Sacraments Only

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Catholic Community of the Blessed Trinity
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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)

Confessions: Sun. 7:20 - 7:50 am

St. Jude

580 Main St.

Fair Haven, NY

Sunday Mass: 8 am

(Summer)

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**21st SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME**

"People will come from the east and the west and from the north and the south and will recline at table in the kingdom of God. For behold, some are last who will be first, and some are first who will be last."
- Lk 13:29-30

Beloved in Christ, the readings on this 21st Sunday in ordinary time focus on the narrow way to salvation and importance of choosing God. The readings emphasize that while many are called, few will be chosen, highlighting the need for intentional effort and commitment to enter through the narrow gate, which represents choosing God's path and making sacrifices to align with his will. Jesus' words about the narrow gate are a central theme. This gate symbolizes the challenges and sacrifices required to follow Jesus and enter the Kingdom of Heaven. It is not a path of ease, but one that requires dedication and a turning away from worldly desires. The readings highlight that salvation is not automatic. Individuals must make a conscious choice to follow God and actively strive to live according to his will. We know that God loves each one of us, but we should realize that God's love is not a permissive love that ignores sin. Like a parent who disciplines a child out of love, God calls us to repentance and offers forgiveness, but also expects us to turn away from sin and strive to live according to his commandments. As we you reflect on the readings today, ask yourself: where I am struggling to enter the narrow gate? What areas in my life that need to be brought into alignment with God's will? Let us not be afraid to ask for help from others, from spiritual mentors, or from the sacraments of the church to strengthen our resolve and find the grace we need.

God loves you!!! Fr. Sylvester



MASSES, INTENTIONS AND EVENTS



Sunday, August 24 Twenty-First Sunday In Ordinary Time	8:15 am ~ Joseph Gallant Judy & Randy Bouwens 10:30 am ~ Margaret Bailey by Bailey Family	
Monday, August 25 Weekday	10:00 am DeMay Living Center Special Intention by Carolyn	
Tuesday, August 26 Weekday	8:00 am ~ Salvatore & Clara Vito by Carolyn Mowry	
Wednesday, August 27 St. Monica	6:00 pm ~ Jack Dubler by Michele McManus	No Holy Hour
Sunday, August 31 Twenty-Second Sunday In Ordinary Time	8:15 am ~ Thomas & Mary Baldwin by Arthur Santelli 10:30 am ~ Deborah A. Lyons by Bob, Kirsten & Travis	

MASS	Altar Server	Lector	Commentator	Extraordinary Minister	Greeter
Aug. 31 8:15 am	J. Phillips	Sr. Kay	J. Addyman	C. Taylor	L. Poiesz B. Hegeman
Aug. 31 10:30 am	P. & A. Petrus	S. Joslyn	A. Diamond	T. Hendrick	H. Banker D. Dubler

Children's Liturgy 10:30
No CLOW until Sept.

Money Counter:
Team 1

Nancy Murphy
Coffee Hour
No Coffee Hour
Happy Summer!



Please pray for the repose of the soul of:



Memorial Candle and Flowers
for the week of 8/24/25
Candle: & Flowers Joseph J. DeMarco
by Stephanie & Sandy

ST. MICHAEL'S WEEKLY COLLECTION

August 3 \$5151.00

Attendance	8:15 am	10:30 am
August 3	87	100

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.

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.

There will be no Holy Hour during the month of August. Holy Hour will resume the Wednesday after Labor Day, September 3rd.



This week, August 24th there will be a second collection for Catholic Charities of Wayne County. Please check out their website for more information on what Catholic Charities does and where: www.ccwayne.org and www.ourtfp.org. Thank you for your generosity and support. It is much appreciated.

FALL RUMMAGE SALE



Are you having a Garage Sale this summer? Please consider donating your unsold items to St. Michael's Fall Rummage Sale. Marking begins on Monday, October 6th. If you are available on Sunday, October 5th after 10:30 am Mass, we need help setting up. We will begin marking Monday at 9:00 am!

Rummage sale begins,
Tuesday, October 14th.

THANKS FOR YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT.



Parish Feast day Celebration!

Sunday, September 21st

We will have a Spaghetti and Meatball lunch after the 10:30 am Mass on September 21st.

Please check the bulletin for more details as the date gets closer.

AND... PLEASE JOIN US FOR THIS CELEBRATION!



FOOD CLOSET ITEMS ARE NEEDED.

The Newark Food Closet is accepting donations of non-perishable food items. Please leave donations in the gathering space. Your continued support is appreciated.

The Newark Food Closet, 301 E. Miller St., Newark, NY
Open Monday-Friday from 10 till noon.



MASSES and INTENTIONS



Saturday, August 23 Vigil Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time	4:00 pm St. Michael John & Tina Tricarico by The Savage Family
Sunday, August 24 Twenty-First Sunday In Ordinary Time	10:30 am St. John Viv & Marian Ferindino by Paul & Sharon Ferindino
Wednesday, August 27 St. Monica	6:00 pm St. John Glenn & Tiny Lauster by Paul & Chris Lauster
Thursday, August 28 St. Augustine	8:30 am St. John Novena Mass
Friday, August 29 The Passion of St. John	8:30 am St. Michael Betty Meehan by St. Patrick Altar & Rosary
Saturday, August 30 Vigil Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time	4:00 pm St. Michael Anthony, Rachel & Salvatore Vito by Carolyn Mowry
Sunday, August 31 Twenty-Second Sunday In Ordinary Time	10:30 am St. John Rodney Riviello by M/M David Alena



Please pray for the repose of the soul of:



Memorial Candle for the week of 8/24/25
St. John Candle: *Daisy & Shirley O'Brien*
by The Family

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 August 3 \$5708.00

Attendance	St. John	St. Patrick	St. Michael
August 3	128	N/A	75

Rummage Sale 2025

St. Michael Church in Lyons is hosting a rummage sale this fall. **VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED!** We will need volunteers for setting up, marking and selling items. Please contact Eileen Van Norman through the Parish Office, 315-902-4130 with any help you can give.

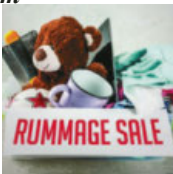
The Rummage Sale schedule:

Wednesday, 9/24 9 am - 1 pm
Thursday, 9/25 9 am - 6 pm
Friday, 9/26 9 am - 4 pm
Saturday, 9/27 9 am - 12 pm

The following **CLEAN** items will be accepted:

- Knick- Knacks
 - Collectibles
 - Décor items
 - Costume Jewelry
 - Seasonal (Christmas, Thanksgiving, Easter, etc.)
- NO CLOTHING, GLASSWARE or LARGE FURNITURE.**
PLEASE NO BROKEN, CHIPPED OR STAINED ITEMS.

Contact the parish Office to make arrangements to drop off your donations.



St. Joseph the Worker Parish

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The Family Promise house next to St. Michaels Church in Lyons has been sold as a private residence. We no longer have access to that property or the driveway. Please do not park by the back door of the Church or in the driveway.

St. Joseph The Worker Mum Flower Sale

St. Joseph the Worker Parish is selling Chrysanthemum (Mum) potted plants for your fall decorating.



Orders are due by Saturday August 30th and payment is due upon placement of your order.

Mums are \$20 each.

Please make checks payable to St. Joseph the Worker Parish.

Flowers will be available for pick up at each Church on September 6th and 7th.

Order forms are available at both Churches and at the Parish Office.



Catholic Daughters of the Americas Court Gleason #924 Upcoming Events

- We are taking a Pilgrimage this fall to visit Jubilee 2025 Doors in the Syracuse area. Any Catholic woman are welcome to join us.
- We are planning four fundraising events to support our charitable activities for the upcoming year. This fall, we will host a **Prepaid Firemen's Chicken BBQ & Bake Sale** at the Firemen's Hall in Clyde and a **Voter's Day Bake Sale**. During the winter there will be a **Pampered Chef Party** followed by a spring **Doug's To Go Fish Fry** in Waterloo.

Please contact Christine Lauster (315.870.2993) or Regent Karen Barker (315.651.7252) for more information on any of the above activities or to join Catholic Daughters of the Americas





MASSES and INTENTIONS



Saturday, August 23 Vigil Twenty-First Sunday In	4:30 pm St. Mary Magdalene Mary Werner by Robin Deif
Sunday, August 24 Twenty-First Sunday In Ordinary Time	8:00 am St. Jude Bob & Phyllis Smith by Kevin & Marie Smith
Monday, August 25 Weekday	8:30 am St. Mary Magdalene Michelle Seymour by Rosemary Seymour
Friday, August 29 The Passion of St. John The Baptist	8:30 am St. Mary Magdalene All Souls in Purgatory by Mahoney Family
Saturday, August 30 Vigil Twenty-Second Sunday In Ordinary Time	4:30 pm St. Mary Magdalene Pat Pivarnik by Eileen Bielemeier
Sunday, August 31 Twenty-Second Sunday In Ordinary Time	8:00 am St. Jude Bob & Joan Grunow by Dewey Poole



Please pray for the repose of the soul of:



Memorial Candle for the week of 8/24/25
St. Mary Magdalene:
St. Jude

BLESSED TRINITY WEEKLY COLLECTION
August 3 \$2111.00

Attendance	St. Mary Magdalene	St. Thomas	St. Jude
August 3	84	N/A	87

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 Kaundl at #315-587-9796 and leave a message, including name and address of the person. Thank you!



ANNUAL BACKPACK COLLECTION



We are now collecting new backpacks once again for the children in our community. The Community Clothing Center will distribute the free packs in August before the start of the school year. As this event helps many families, please consider donating. Collection bins are placed in the back of our churches. *Thank you* in advance for your ever-inspiring generosity! Any questions, please contact Jill Lee at 315-744-4932.

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 the strengthening of the family unit.



Gospel Meditation

Encourage Deeper Understanding of Scripture

I've been hiking Camelback Mountain in Phoenix, Arizona most of my life. It is a vigorous forty-five minutes to the top. Near the peak, the end suddenly appears much further away, and steeper. At that moment, a descending hiker often offers encouragement: "Keep going! The peak is right there. It's not as far as it looks. You can do it!" It usually works. After another five minute push, you summit and enjoy a glorious panorama of the Sonoran Desert in the Valley of the Sun.

When Jesus is asked about how many people are saved, he says: **"Strive to enter through the narrow gate" (Luke 13:24).** How many? Strive! Focus on your journey. What does heavenly census taking have to do with you or me? How would it help a hiker on a mountain to ask the others coming down, "How many people are going to make it to the top?" A normal response would be something like: "How is that a relevant question? Carry on!"

Jesus links one virtue directly to salvation: perseverance (cf. Matt 24:13; hypomone in Greek). Strive! Endure! Keep going! The one absolutely necessary virtue is perseverance, to not give up on our journey. The mountain we struggle to climb is often our own weakness, failures, and sins. Persevere in prayer. Keep celebrating the sacraments. Embrace daily duties. With God's grace, you are strong enough to keep going. Perhaps the peak is not as far away as you might fear. Keep going!

— Father John Muir

Live The Liturgy
Inspiration of the Week

"Strive to enter through the narrow gate," Jesus tells us. "Many will attempt...but will not be strong enough." So let us never be so foolish that we rely on our own strength. Narrow does not mean unpassable — not if we ask for help.



Corey Ginett

Confirmation Coordinator

If your child is at least in 8th grade and ready to begin preparing for the Sacrament of Confirmation email Corey Ginnett or call the office. The preparation for Confirmation in the Diocese of Rochester is a two-year program.

New Confirmation classes will begin in the Fall.

The first class will be Saturday, October 4, 2025

Corey Ginett, 315-524-2611 or corinne.ginett@dor.org.



33rd Annual St. Michael Church Golf Tournament

SATURDAY, September 27, 2025

Winged Pheasant Golf Links, 18 holes of golf with cart

Four person scramble,

11 am registration—Noon Shotgun Start

Hot Dog and a Drink on the turn.

5:15 pm Cash Bar Cocktail hour at the Newark Elks Club
(with complimentary 1st drink of beer or wine or soda)

6:15 pm Deluxe Italian Buffet Dinner at the Elks Club

Make your own Foursome

Entry fee: \$75 per player, Seniors \$60 (age 62+),

Juniors \$40 (17 and under)

To enter the tournament you must have your completed entry form & check at the parish center on the deadline date. The pairings & preparation will be completed on Friday, Sept. 19th. No player is considered to be in the tournament until we receive their entry fee. No payments allowed on the day of tournament. To reserve your place in the field, payment must accompany entry form. Send entry form and check to:

St. Michael Church

Attn: Bob Hanrahan Jr. PGA

401 South Main St., Newark, NY 14513

ENTRY DEADLINE: THURSDAY, SEPT. 18, 2025

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Diocese of Rochester website
eucharisticrevival.dor.org



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

RECONCILIATION

We continue our reflection on the Sacrament of Reconciliation. In the Book of Genesis, Chapter 3, after Adam and Eve sinned, we see the first effects of sin.

Alienation from Self. We read that their eyes "were opened, and they knew they were naked; so, they sewed fig leaves together and made loincloths." Shame and uneasiness replaced openness, and uneasiness replaced openness and confidence. When we sin, the nakedness of trust is replaced by a cloak of defensiveness. No matter how attractive and pleasurable sin may seem, it has a diminishing and disintegration effect on our inner selves.

The second effect of sin is **Alienation from God.** We read that they "*hid themselves from the Lord God among the trees of the garden.*" Fear and distance replaced trust and intimacy they previously had with God. Uncomfortable in God's presence they hid. When we sin, we distance ourselves from God, thinking we're unworthy of God's love.

The third effect of sin is **Alienation of Others.** We read in the Book of Genesis, "*the woman whom you put here with me - she gave me fruit from the tree, so I ate it.*" Adam blamed Eve for leading him into disobedience just as Eve blamed the serpent. As a result, Adam and Eve became alienated from each other. Our self-centeredness alienates us from others. Sin introduces division. Next week we will explore how Jesus ministered to us sinners, and how He came to reconcile and save us from sin. Have a wonderful and blessed week. *Fr. Felician*

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Cremation Plots in our new Cremation Garden are also available. Please contact the Parish Office for availability and pricing information at 315-902-4130.

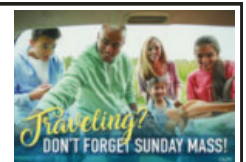
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