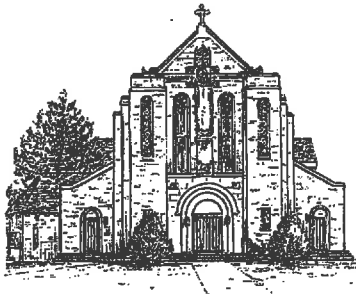
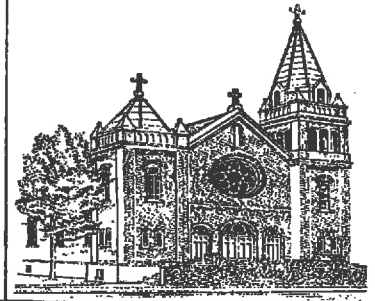


St. Alphonsus-Holy Name of Jesus Parish



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 Deacons:
James Ellis, Gerald Savage
Deacon James Ellis
 Religious Education Office (K-10):
Jill Bujold
 Parish Office:
Lisa Reed



Reconciliation:

Saturday - St. Alphonsus 3:15-3:30pm; Sunday - Holy Name 8:00-8:10am

Baptism Preparation: Call parish office **Wedding Preparation:** Call parish office at least 6 months before desired date

Communion to the Sick: Call parish office

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Masses this week

Monday	04/03	8:00am	HGPC	M/M Walter Garrow & Janice Scanlon by Vivian Theriault
Tuesday	04/04	8:00am	HGPC	Ray Degone by Jim & Elaine Ellis
Wednesday	04/05	8:00am	HGPC	Janet Charland by Jim Glennon & Brenda Mallette-Glennon
Thursday	04/06	8:00am	HGPC	Jean Smith by Anne Whittum
Friday	04/07			No Mass
Saturday	04/08	4:00pm	SA	Ron Bourque by Carol Beaudette
Sunday	04/09	8:30am	HN	Armand LaPlante by family
Sunday	04/09	11:00am	SA	Dolly Garrelts by Jim & Elaine Ellis

HN Sanctuary Candle in loving memory of Howard & Jennie Fletcher & family by Ray & Mary Chapman

SA Sanctuary Candle in loving memory of Michael Sabin by Mom & Dad

God, heavenly Father, look upon me and hear my prayer during this holy Season of Lent. By the good works You inspire, help me to discipline my body and to be renewed in spirit.

Without You I can do nothing. By Your Spirit help me to know what is right and to be eager in doing Your will. Teach me to find new life through penance. Keep me from sin, and help me live by Your commandment of love. God of love, bring me back to You. Send Your Spirit to make me strong in faith and active in good works. May my acts of penance bring me Your forgiveness, open my heart to Your love, and prepare me for the coming feast of the Resurrection of Jesus.

Lord, during this Lenten Season, nourish me with Your Word of life and make me one with You in love and prayer. Fill my heart with Your love and keep me faithful to the Gospel of Christ. Give me the grace to rise above my human weakness. Give me new life by Your Sacraments, especially the Mass.

Father, our source of life, I reach out with joy to grasp Your hand; let me walk more readily in Your ways. Guide me in Your gentle mercy, for left to myself I cannot do Your Will.

Father of love, source of all blessings, help me to pass from my old life of sin to the new life of grace. Prepare me for the glory of Your Kingdom. I ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, Your Son, Who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever.

Amen

Amen.

Parish happenings...

HOLY HOUR

Tuesday, April 25, 6:00pm, St. Alphonsus Church

NORTH COUNTRY CATHOLIC

We are continuing the *North Country Catholic* subscription campaign. If you have not yet subscribed to our diocesan newspaper I would ask you to do so today. Bishop LaValley has asked that the diocesan newspaper be welcomed in every Catholic home in the diocese as a source of information, evangelization and unity. Please place your subscription envelope in the collection basket or mail a check for \$27 to the North Country Catholic, PO Box 106, Canajoharie, NY, 13317. Patron subscriptions – for \$35, \$50, \$100 or \$250 - are also encouraged to allow the newspaper to maintain affordable subscription rates for all. ANOTHER OPTION – “go green” and receive your *NCC* through email. If interested, write your email address on the envelope

ENVIRONMENTAL STEWARDSHIP

Neutralizing your Carbon Dioxide Footprint by planting trees. A single tree will absorb one ton of carbon dioxide over its lifetime. Shade provided by trees can also reduce your airconditioning bill by 10 –15 %. Contact the following web sites for information on trees and planting: www.arboday.org; www.plant-trees.org. This is another Lenten practice for a “low carb/on diet” Low Carbon Diet: A 30 Day Program to Lose 5000 Pounds. David Gershon, p. 37

Holy Week & Easter Schedule

Sunday – April 9 – Family Day - 9:00am at Holy Ghost Parish Center: Parish Breakfast with Children's Crafts
Holy Thursday Liturgy – April 13 — Liturgy: 7:00 p.m. (St. Alphonsus)
Reposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until 9:00 p.m. (St. Alphonsus)
Good Friday Liturgy – April 14– Stations of the Cross 12:00pm – St. Alphonsus
Liturgy – 7:00pm (St. Alphonsus)
Easter Vigil – April 15- 8:00 p.m. (St. Alphonsus)
Easter Sunday Liturgy – April 16 – 8:30 a.m. (Holy Name) – 11:00 a.m. (St. Alphonsus)

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LENTEN LUNCHES

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Stations of the Cross

*Friday, 5:00pm @ Holy Ghost Parish Center
Traditional*



Fish Fry at the K. of C. Hall

each Friday during Lent

Starts Mar 3rd and runs thru Apr 14th

36 High St. 5:00 pm to 6:30 pm

Open to the Public – Take Outs Welcome

MENU: Fried or Broiled Haddock - French Fries - Cole Slaw - Tarter Sauce - Rolls, Beverage and Dessert

COST: Adults \$14.00 and Children under 10 - \$7.00

Our full service bar is also open

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Name _____

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Would you like to volunteer for any parish ministry?

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