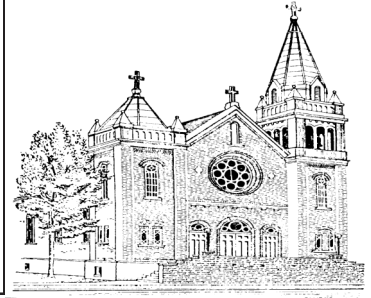


# St. Alphonsus-Holy Name of Jesus Parish



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**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	10/15	8:00am	HGPC	Communion Service
Tuesday	10/16	8:00am	HGPC	Communion Service
Wednesday	10/17	8:00am	HGPC	Communion Service
Thursday	10/18	8:00am	HGPC	Communion Service
Friday	10/19			<b>No Mass</b>
Saturday	10/20	4:00pm	SA	Lee Hovey by family
Sunday	10/21	8:30am	HN	Charlotte Russell by family
Sunday	10/21	11:00am	SA	Theresa Riley by Jim & Elaine Ellis

SA Sanctuary candle in loving memory of Lee Hovey by his family

**St. Callistus I**

A Roman by birth, St. Callistus was a slave of a Christian master early in life. After inadvertently losing some of his master's money, he panicked, fled and was cast into a dungeon when captured. Later, his master freed him in the hope that this honest and intelligent slave would be able to make some money and give back what he had lost. In trying to obtain money from some who had cheated him, the saint was accused as a Christian and condemned to the Sardinian mines.

Fortunately for him, the kindly Marcia, a favorite of the Emperor, obtained his release, and he was taken into the service of Pope Victor who was impressed by the saint's consistency in misfortune and devotion to the Sardinian martyrs. He became a deacon and later secretary to Pope Zephyrinus, who put him in charge of the Christian cemetery on the Appian Way which still bears his name. When Zephyrinus died in 217, Callistus was chosen to be Pope and he governed the Church for five years and two months.

Throughout his rather brief reign which coincided with the rather peaceful reign of Emperor Alexander Severus during which Christians began to build churches for the public exercise of their religion, this Pope displayed the qualities of a wise, firm and compassionate shepherd. He instituted the fast on Ember Days, decreed that ordinations should be held during the Ember Weeks and established the practice of absolution of all sins, including those which rigorists considered irremissible. He also founded the Church of St. Mary Beyond the Tiber and provided for the burial of martyrs. He himself was martyred in 222, probably at the hand of a mob.

*Prayer: Lord, graciously hear the prayers of Your people. Let us be aided by the merits of Pope St. Callistus, at whose passion we rejoice. Amen.*

*Parish happenings...*

**MEN OF THE CHURCH**

Monday, Nov. 5, 7:00pm, Holy Ghost Parish Center

**HOLY HOUR**

Tuesday, Oct. 23, 6:00pm, St. Alphonsus Church

**MEXICO CITY & OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE**

Join Fr. Bob & Fr. Doug Decker on a pilgrimage to Mexico- Our Lady of Guadalupe from December 8-14, 2018. A special highlight of our trip will be visiting the Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe to celebrate Mass on the Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe, we will also visit the church of Santiago Tlatelolco where St. Juan Diego was baptized, among others. We will celebrate Mass daily. The cost is **\$1,979.00** per person/double occupancy. Please contact Lisa Reed at 518-332-8414 or [Lreed49269@gmail.com](mailto:Lreed49269@gmail.com) for more information. **WE ARE STILL LOOKING FOR TRAVELERS FOR THIS TRIP, CONTACT US ASAP IF YOU ARE INTERESTED!**

**NORTH BANGOR HARVEST DINNER**

The Catholic Community of St. Augustine will be hosting a Harvest Dinner to be held on Sunday, October 28th from 12 noon to 4:00pm at the St. Augustine Parish Hall located at 2470 State Route 11 in North Bangor. A home-cooked Turkey Dinner with all the trimmings will be served. Adults: \$10.00, Senior Citizens: \$9.00, Children under 12: \$5.00 and under 5: Free. Take outs will be available.

**PARISH HARVEST DINNER**

Please join us on Sunday, November 4th for a Turkey dinner with all the trimmings at the Holy Ghost Parish Center. If you would like to bring a dish to share, please bring a dessert as the rest of the dinner & drinks will be provided. Dinner will be served at 3:00pm, so don't be late! All are welcome and there is no charge.

**OFFICES CLOSED**

Lisa will be on vacation October 11-19 & Fr. Doug will be away on Retreat October 15-19. The Parish office will be closed those dates.

Our weekly Tithe  
Offering Envelopes: \$3,364.00  
Plate: \$1,226.25  
Fuel: \$351.00  
Total: \$4,941.25  
Last Year: \$5,390.00

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**NEXT WEEK SECOND COLLECTION**

Next week, we will celebrate World Mission Sunday. Its theme this year is "Through Youth to the World: Voices for Mission." Pope Francis addresses his message for the year's celebration to young people by saying to all, "Christians who live out in the Church adventure of their life as children of God, what leads me to speak to everyone through this conversation with you is the certainty that the Christian Faith remains every young when it is open to the mission that Christ entrusts to us." Pope Francis invites the entire Church to support the young mission dioceses in Africa, Asia, the Pacific Islands, and parts of Latin America and Europe, where priests, religious and lay leaders serve some of the poorest of the poor. Please keep the Missions in your prayers and be generous in next week's collection for the Society of the Propagation of the Faith.

**Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

"Good Teacher, what must I do to inherit eternal life?" If you ask the Lord this question in prayer, are you ready to respond with a joyful "yes"? Consider following Christ more closely as a priest, deacon or in consecrated life. Talk to Fr. Decker, or Fr. Doug Lucia at (315) 386-2543/ [dlucia@rcdony.org](mailto:dlucia@rcdony.org) or Cathy Russell, the Diocesan Vocation Coordinator at (315) 393-2920, ext. 1450/ [crussell@rcdony.org](mailto:crussell@rcdony.org). See us also on Facebook or at [www.myvocation.net](http://www.myvocation.net).

**New to the Parish? Please fill this out, clip and drop in the collection so we can add you to the parish registry!**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone# \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Would you like envelopes?

\_\_\_yes \_\_\_no

Would you like to volunteer for any parish ministry?

\_\_\_yes \_\_\_no