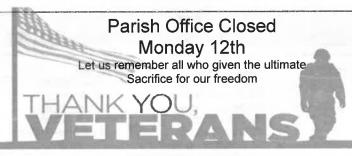
32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

In 1 Samuel, God advises the prophet Samuel not to observe as men see but as God sees. He tells him to "look to the heart." This is the movement of this Sunday's Gospel reading. "Beware the scribes," Jesus advises. He points out their public greetings and "seats of honor," which stands in sharp contrast to their private greed. For the Jewish people of Jesus' day, honor resides at the top. Power and prestige created a high profile back then as it still does today. After his warning, Jesus turns his disciples' attention elsewhere: a poor widow. "She, from her poverty, has contributed all she had." While the scribes donated large sums to the temple, they did so "from their surplus wealth." This woman, in her faith and devotion, offers "her whole livelihood." Jesus invited his disciples to see with God's eyes, to recognize a holy life in people the world overlooks. Here in the poor, the vulnerable, the marginalized God waits hidden.

Today's Gospel begs a few questions. What do we see? Whom do we value? Are we impressed by the pomp and circumstance of modern day Pharisees? Do we ignore their self righteousness because it looks impressive, even seems somewhat helpful? The point isn't to judge the scribes, of course. God can see their hearts as well, and those assessments are firmly his responsibility. The point is to turn our eyes from the typically honored to the rarely respected. Are we disinterested in the poverty of the modern day widows? Do we ignore their faith because we forget to look for it? This Sunday, consider the widows in your own life. Who can you see with God's eyes?



Parish Office Notice:

With Fr. Tom recuperating, weekday mass may be cancelled if coverage is not available. If you have a mass on that day it may be rescheduled. Contact parish office if you have any questions. Please keep Fr. Tom in your prayers.

Vocations: We Are Called

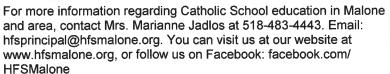
"Out of her poverty she has put in everything she had." Will you respond with generosity should the Lord choose you for priesthood, diaconate or the consecrated life? Talk to Fr. Tom or Fr. Doug Lucia at 315-386-2543, dlucia@rcdony.org or Cathy Russell, Diocesan Vocation Coordinator at 315-393- 2920 ext. 1450, or email: crussell@rcdony.org See us also on Facebook or at www.myvocation.net

HOLY FAMILY SCHOOL

Holy Family School empowers children in their faith journey by providing opportunities for them to participate in interactive prayer services and reading from the gospels.

Upcoming Events*:

November 17 Snow Angel Craft Fair *Everyone is welcome to all events!







Healina

Faith Formation Tentative 2018-19 Schedule November- 18th

Confirmation Class:

Dec 2nd, 9th and 16th 6-8 PM St. Patrick's parish center



A Prayer for Healing

Hear the humble prayer of your people, God our Father, as we implore your mercy. Bring healing to all who have suffered physical, emotional, or sexual abuse at the hands of your ministers and restore them to fullness of life.

Forgive your Church for the immense evil that has been committed and the great harm that has been done. Grant the grace of true repentance to all who have broken sacred trust, destroyed precious innocence, and failed to protect your beloved children entrusted to their pastoral care. Reconcile us to one another and never allow us be parted from you.

Through Christ our Lord. Amen. "The Lord heals the brokenhearted and binds up their wounds." (Psalm 147:3)

Upcoming Events

25 Nov- 1 PM The Star Movie- Chateaugay Town Hall Theater Admission: \$3 each or \$10 family. Bring an unwrapped toy for donation and receive a FREE admission. Sponsored by CCBC Youth Group



2018 Christmas Baskets

The time is approaching for the annual Christmas Basket program to begin. Hygiene & home cleaning products, small packages of paper products, children & teen activity /reading books, jewelry, puzzles, games, cray-

ons, coloring books, toys will be requested. We won't need food donations this year, as I 'm trying something new, which is buying the food in cases. It will save a great deal of time because we won't need to sort for outdated foods or count to see how much of each food item is still needed after donations. The holiday season is especially difficult for many, so we're hoping you can open your hearts to help. Detailed info will be in future bulletins. A container will be in the entrance of the church for financial donations which are much welcomed. Thank you Betty Cook

Second Collection for Campaign for Human Development and Black and Indian Missions: Sharing Our Harvest

The combined collection for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development and Black and Indian Missions will take place in all parishes in the Diocese of Ogdensburg on the weekend of November 18, 2018. Thanksgiving time reminds us of our call to be community and to share our resources with our brothers and sisters through generous giving. This second collection expresses our catholic capacity for mercy and compassion Remember that 25% of the Campaign for Human Development collection funds remain at the local level for addressing hunger and poverty issues in our diocese and parishes. If you have questions or would like more information, please call Catholic Charities (315) 9393-2255 or contact Dcn. Patrick Donahue: pdonahue@rcdony.org

YOUTH BUSES FOR LIFE:

Pilgrimage to the March for Life

REGISTRATION UPDATE as of Nov 8: 3 seats left on the Northern bus and the Western bus is half full!

Registration has begun for the 2019 Youth Buses for Life high school pilgrimage to the DC March for Life. The itinerary has been updated to include the "Life is Very Good" Mass and Rally for Life sponsored by the Archdiocese of Arlington and The Students for Life National Conference. Registration and updated itinerary are online at www.rcdony.org/prolife For more information, please contact the Respect Life Office 518-524-0774.

2019 Pre-Cana Schedule

Couples planning to marry in 2019 must attend a pre-cana conference.

The 2018 sessions will be offered:

January 12- 8:00 a.m.5:00 p.m. and March 9 8:00 a.m. 5:00 p.m. at St. James School in Gouverneur

March 10 -10:30 a.m. 5:30 p.m. and April 14 10:30 a.m. 5:30 p.m. at St. Peter's in Plattsburgh

March 23- 10:00 a.m.5:00 p.m. at St. James Minor in Carthage April 4 - 6:30 8:30 p.m. and April 6 9:00 a.m. 5:00 p.m. (both sessions required) at St. Augustine's in North Bangor

April 27-9:00 a.m. 5:00 p.m. at St. Peter's in Lowville.

Register as soon as you meet with your parish priest or deacon. You must register at least two weeks prior to the requested session. Online registration: www.rcdony.org/pre- cana Payment can be made online via PayPal or mail check payable to: Family Life, PO Box 106, Canajoharie. NY 13317.



Catechism Corner: Vocabulary

AMBO: The place where the scriptures (Readings and Gospel) are proclaimed.

CLERGY: A collective term referring to all those ordained: bishops, priest, and deacons.

GRACE: A free gift of God to human beings, grace is a created sharing in the life of God. It is given through the merits of Christ and is communicated by the Holy Spirit. It is necessary for salvation.

INDULGENCE: The remission before God of the temporal punishment due to sins already forgiven.

ABSOLUTION: Act by which a priest, acting as the agent of Christ, grants forgiveness of sins in the Sacrament of Penance.



To Parents of our Children RELAX!

God put the wiggle in children; don't feel you have to suppress it in God's House. All are welcome to join us for Mass in God's House. Sit toward the front where it is easier to see and hear. Quietly explain the parts of the Mass to your children. Sing the hymns and songs and pray the responses together. Children learn liturgical behavior by copying you. If you must leave Mass with your child, please feel free to do so, but please come back. As Jesus said, "Let the children come to Me."

Remember that the way we welcome children in Church directly affects the way they respond to the Church, to God and to one another. Let them know that they are at home in This House of Worship. To the members of our Parish, a smile of encouragement is always welcome to parents with small, active children. The presence of children is a gift to the Church. They give us a future of hope.



Monday, Nov 12:

(SP)8:30 AM Communion Service

Tuesday, Nov 13:

(SP) 8:30 AM Communion Service
(SM) 8:30 AM Leo Leroux by Donald & Faylene

Wednesday, Nov 14:

(SP) 8:30 AM Communion Service (OLF) 8:30 AM Everest Whitney by Wife and Family

Thursday, Nov 15:

(SG) 8:30 AM 40th Anniv. Keith Cook by his Family (SM) 8:30 AM Communion Service

Friday, Nov 16:

(SP) 8:30 AM Communion Service

(SJ) 8:30 AM Shirley Ellsworth by Dennis Elliott

Saturday, Nov 17:

(SG) 4:00 PM Shay Lynn Bushey by Roland and Adam Bushey (SJ) 4:00 PM Michelle Ives by Donald & Faylene (OLF) 5:30 PM Bradley Bombard by Joe & Theresa La Prad

Sunday, Nov 18: 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

(SF) 9:00 AM Bernard & Olga Fleury by Fleury Family (SP) 11:00 AM People of Our Parishes (SM) 11:00 AM Bill Harvey by the Family

(SJ) Bombay (SF) Constable (SM) Ft. Covington (OLF) Westville

Liberaical Ministers

St. George's
Sat~ Nov 17th 4:00 PM
Reader– B. LaBare
EM– J. Dumont, P. O'Connor

St. Patrick's
Sun ~ Nov 18th 11:00 PM
Reader—A. Selkirk
EM—S. Malette, D. Recore

The Homebound

If you know of anyone who is homebound and would like a visit and/or Holy Communion, please notify Deacon Brian at 518-569-2295

Parish Hall Rental

Please visit the Diocesan TULIP Insurance website to obtain insurance at: https://eventus.ajgrms.com prior to booking the parish hall for private use.

CCBC Weekly Stewardship of Nov 3 & 4th

Envelopes:	\$2397.00
Plate:	420.02
Fuel	982.00
Candles	24.00
Maintenance	20.00
Prop of Faith	6.00
All Saints Day	76.00
Upward Looking	633.00

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*Budget Needs: \$3850.00 per week
Our Lord blesses us a hundredfold for our Stewardship Sacrifices.
Thank you for support of your parish.

Sanctuary Candles in Memory/Honor of

We now offer the Sanctuary Candles to be burned from Sunday to Saturday in Memory of a loved one. If you would like to remember a loved one please fill out form on the back of the bulletin and either put into collection basket or mail to parish.