

The Catholic Communities of

St. Mary's of the Fort & St. Joseph Churches
St. Francis of Assisi & Our Lady of Fatima Churches
St. George & St. Patrick Churches

August 19, 2018 † Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday Mass Schedule

Anticipated (Saturday)

4:00PM St. Joseph's, Bombay
4:00PM St. George's, Burke
5:30PM Our Lady of Fatima in
Westville

Sunday Masses

9:00AM St. Francis, Constable
11:00AM St. Mary's of the Fort
11:00AM St. Patrick's, Chateaugay



Sacrament of Penance

Thirty minutes before each week-end Mass until 10 minutes prior to Mass begins or contact pastor for an appointment.

Eucharistic Adoration

St. Patrick's, Chateaugay: 1st Fridays, 9AM-10AM
St. Mary's, Ft. Covington: 6PM-7PM, please consult parish bulletin for schedule.

Parish Office at Constable

St. Francis of Assisi Church
5 Poplar St., P.O. Box 78, Constable, NY
Phone: 518-483-0486
Hours: Tues. 9AM-12:30PM, Fri.-TBD
Email: officecwtr@gmail.com
Website: cwtrcatholics.org

Sacraments of Baptism, First Communion, Confirmation:

Adults - please contact the Pastor.
Youths - register for Christian Formation classes.

Sacrament of Marriage: Six months minimum notice is expected. Pre-Cana preparation required.

Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick: Ask for "Priest-on-Call" at the hospital or Nursing Home. Call the Pastor for home visits.

Home Visits for Holy Communion: To receive Sacraments at home, please contact the Pastor or Parish Office.

Parish Pastor

Rev. Thomas Kornmeyer
Phone: 518-483-2775 (Rector)
Rev. John Looby (Retired)
In residence: St. Francis Rector

Pastoral Associate

Deacon Brian Dwyer
P.O. Box 595
Chateaugay, NY 12920
Phone: 518-497-6673
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Permanent Deacon

Garry Burnell
Phone: 518-483-1878
Email: gararl111@gmail.com

Bulletin: To place announcements for the bulletin, please submit them by 2PM on Mondays.

Parish Office at Fort Covington

St. Mary's of the Fort Church
3 Burns Holden Rd., P.O. Box 499, Fort Covington, NY
Phone: 518-358-2500
Hours: Mon. & Thurs. 8:00AM - 4:00PM,
Tue. 1:00PM - 4:00PM
Wed. Closed for bookkeeping
Fri. Time varies by office needs
Email: smsjoffice@gmail.com
Website: smsjcatholics.com

No Matter What...

*Your present status is in the Catholic Church,
No matter what your current family or marital situation is,
No matter what your past or present religious affiliation,
No matter what your own personal history,
No matter what your age, background, race or color,
No matter what your own self-image or lack thereof,
You are invited, welcomed, accepted, loved and respected at
St. Mary's, St. Joseph's, St. Francis & Our Lady of Fatima.*

Weekly Stewardship for 8/12/18

	CWTR	SM	SJ
Envelopes	\$ 1,934.00	\$ 1,217.00	\$ 1,065.00
Child. Envs.		.78	
Plate	366.00	104.00	94.00
Fuel	65.00	545.00	160.00
Votives			
Mission Co-Op	25.00	15.00	
Assumption		2.00	15.00
Thrift Store		106.00	
Totals	\$ 2,390.00	\$ 1,989.78	\$ 1,334.00
Env. Users	59	49	36
Budget needs	\$ 2,580.92	\$ 2,359.44	\$ 1,743.19

Our Lord blesses us a hundredfold for our Stewardship Sacrifices. Thank you for your support of your parish.

Sanctuary Candles In Memory/Honor of



St. Mary's of the Fort Church
For the Families of the Parish

St. Joseph's Church
For the Families of the Parish

St. Francis & Our Lady of Fatima Churches
For the Families of the Parishes



PIG ROAST PICNIC - PARISHWIDE!

Sunday, August 26th from 12PM-3PM
at St. Francis of Assisi, Constable
Activities for the Children & DJ
Entertainment!

Please join us for Roast Pork & Variety of other Meats,
Salads, Beverage & Watermelon!

FUN! - FAMILY! - FREE!

Fund Raising Committee Announcement

CCCWTR 2018 RAFFLE tickets are available. Please check for your packet before or after Mass at Our Lady of Fatima (Westville) and St. Francis of Assisi (Constable).

This is our one Annual Fundraiser for 2018, we need your help to make it successful. Teams of two are needed to sell tickets on Fridays and Saturdays from now until the drawing in September. Please contact Jim Lester, Committee Chairman (518-483-1176) for more information as to venues where tickets will be sold. Thank you in advance for your kind support.

UPDATE: Mary's Place: End of Season Sale!

There will be an End of Season Sale Event Days on August 23-25 and August 30-September 1. 50% off all Spring/Summer clothing. Extended store hours on Saturdays. Open: Thursdays: 2PM-7PM, Fridays: 9AM-2PM and Saturdays: 9AM-4PM.

UPDATE: Saturday, August 25th will be a Bake Sale only (wings & panini's will not be available that day).

Donations of baked goods such as fudge, cookies, etc.. are appreciated. For more information on the food offerings and to volunteer, contact the parish office at 518-358-2500.

Vocations: We Are Called

"Very truly, I tell you, unless you eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink His blood you have no life in you." Are you being chosen to give life to His people as a priest, deacon or in the consecrated life? If God is calling you, 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

12 Homestead Park, Malone, NY

For more information, call the school at 518-483-4443 or email Principal, Mrs. Marianne Jadlos at: hfsprincipal@hfsmalone.org. visit our new and improved website at: hfsmalone.org for all the latest HFS news.

Aug. 19th: 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Prv 9:1-6 / Eph 5:15-20 / Jn 6:51-58

"Whoever eats this bread will live forever." Jesus gives us a choice. Just like the crowd we don't always understand, we lack wisdom and act foolishly, choosing temporary pleasure rather than true joy and happiness. St. Paul in our second reading gives us an antidote. We live in a community of faith. *Filled with the Holy Spirit* we are called to *address one another in psalms and hymns and spiritual songs*, worshipping the Lord together. We are to remind each other to *taste and see the goodness of the Lord*. Let us not be afraid to tell our story of how God has loved us, to share our faith by living our faith out loud.

Planned Giving: Capital Campaign

When you are prayerfully considering your gift for the *It's Our Church, It's Our Future* Capital Campaign, there will be a variety of giving options for you to think about. There is a pledge option of up to four years with payments ranging from monthly, quarterly, semiannually or annually. A one-time gift option is also available. As you reflect upon your level of support, please remember that the 2018 Bishop's Fund Appeal is included in this gift. The Bishop's Fund Appeal will return in September 2019 to provide its support to the annual ministries and program needs of the Diocese.

Methods of Giving Can Include: Pledges via cash, check or credit/debit cards. Gifts of Securities. Gifts of qualifying Retirements (IRA's). Gifts of Property, Life Insurance, Wills, Bequests, etc.

For further information on ways to give, contact Scott Lalone at 315-393-2920 or slalone@rcdony.org.

A Pilgrimage to Western NY with Bishop LaValley

Time is running out to get the discounted rate for the DOVS Pilgrimage to western New York from October 16th-18th! So if you have been thinking about it, go for it! It will be amazing. There is limited seating still available. For more information, contact Connie at connierandall47@yahoo.com or call her at 315-783-0574 or Ms. Mary Enslow at 315-268-1016.

Cost: \$350.00 per person for individuals registered before August 31, 2018. \$399.00 per person for individuals registered after August 31, 2018.

**St. Mary's & St. Joseph's
Religious Education Registration**

St. Mary's & St. Joseph's Religious Education registration has begun in anticipation of the start of this year's program. Religious Education will begin on Sunday, September 9 with a Family Breakfast at 9:00 a.m. at St. Joseph's Parish Center, Bombay. We are asking that all children be registered for class and families be registered for the Family Breakfast by September 2nd. This can all be done online at smsj Catholics.com. The religious education calendar is also available on the website. If you are unable to register online, please call the parish office at 358-2500 with your registration information.

All children in Pre-K through Confirmation are invited to join the religious education program. Classes will be held on Sundays from 9 a.m. to 10:45 a.m. The cost of registration is \$20 per child or \$40 per family, which can be paid at the Family Breakfast. Again, the calendars can be viewed on and printed from the parish website. If you have questions or would like more information, please contact Jocelyn Kelly at 518-358-2500 or jocelynkelly64@gmail.com.

Special Thank You to Jane Landry!

St. Mary's of the Fort Parish would like to thank Jane Landry for writing and applying for a grant to OCP for funds to benefit St. Mary's Choir. A grant of \$1,000 was awarded to be used for expenses relating to church choir needs. The award will be used for choir expenses and a much needed sprucing up of the choir loft. Thank you again, Jane!

"Our Gospel for this weekend is the climax of Jesus' Bread of Life Discourse from the sixth chapter of John's Gospel. Given every opportunity to offer a symbolic interpretation of his words concerning his body and blood, Jesus intensifies the realism of his statement: "My flesh is real food; my blood is real drink." All Catholics must wrestle, in season and out, with the implications of this claim."

"Jesus offers himself as food for the soul. There is a great truth revealed in the bread of life discourse. It is the law of the gift. This personal, incarnating God wants to be eaten and drunk, to be radically and fully for the other.

Why were the gods of the ancient world so popular? Because they were projections of ourselves—vain, arrogant, resentful, violent. This means that they put little moral pressure on us. They were frightening but not morally demanding.

But this God who shows that he is totally love and who wants us in relation to him, to eat and drink him in, is the God who wants us to be like him. As he is food and drink for the world, so we must be food and drink for the world. As he gave himself away utterly, so we must give ourselves away utterly, without clinging to the goods, honors, or values of the world—all those things that aggrandize the ego.

The personal God, the incarnate God, the God of the gift. How compelling. How deeply challenging. How will you decide?" -Bishop Robert Barron, Word on Fire website

Communion Antiphon:

"With the Lord there is mercy; in him is plentiful redemption." -Psalm 130:7

MASS CHANGES FOR NEXT WEEKEND

Due to the parish-wide Pig Roast Picnic, there is a change in the Mass schedule as follows:

Saturday, Aug. 25th, 4:00PM at St. Patrick's, Chateaugay
Saturday, Aug. 25th, 4:30PM at Our Lady of Fatima

Sunday, Aug. 26th, 9:00AM at St. Mary's of the Fort
Sunday, Aug. 26th, 11:00AM at St. Francis, Constable

**FAMILY GUGGENHEIM:
"Family - Become What You Are!"**

It's time to register for Family Guggenheim. Bring your family to the most meaningful weekend of the year! Hike, swim, pray, play...be. To register, visit: www.rcdony.org/familylife/family-guggenheim.html

Three sessions to choose from.

Session 1: (Session 1 is fully booked)
Session 2: August 23 - August 26, 2018
Session 3: October 5 - October 7, 2018

Contact Deacon Henry and Dayna Leader for information at 315-323-0827 or dleader@rcdony.org

Youth Lead: 2018 Leadership Weekend

Jesus calls us to, "Love one another as I have loved you" John 13:34

Join us on this weekend of faith, fellowship and fun as we learn about Jesus's love for us and how we can grow to become "Disciple Leaders" in our homes, communities, schools and work.

This year's retreat location will be held at Guggenheim on the weekend of September 28-30. The ticket price for this all inclusive retreat is \$70.00 *Workshops, meals, and accommodations, included*

For schedule information visit: www.rcdony.org/youth/leadership.htm or contact Tom Semeraro, Director of Youth Ministry at: 315-393-2920 ext. 1415

**A SPECIAL CALLING: Prayerful Residents for
House of Prayer, Ellenburg, NY**

Our Lady of the Adirondacks House of Prayer, located at 7270 Star Road Route 190 in Ellenburg, NY, is seeking the right person to live on premises as the House Formation Coordinator. A strong prayer life, a genuine love of people, a welcoming inclusive spirit, and joyful excitement at the prospects of renewal through evangelization are among the prerequisites for this position. Other people who share this calling are also being sought for Residency to live in community. The mission of the House of Prayer is "to promote prayer, recollection, retreats, and spiritual development for all, and with special attention to those living in the North Country." Its vision is "to imitate the way of life of Jesus Christ in a spirit of simplicity and hospitality expressed through the poverty, love and peace exemplified in our Lord and his blessed mother, Mary." We know that the House Formation Coordinator position is not for everyone, but we believe that some folks have been called by the Lord in this special way, either as the House Formation Coordinator, or as a Resident....and we look forward to hearing from you. Please call the House at 518-594-3253 for more information or contact Sarah Anderson at 518-846-3060

Upcoming Events

Aug. 19: St. Mary's/St. Joseph's Confirmation students have a required class at St. Mary's Parish Center at 9:30AM - 10:45AM.

Aug. 24: Constable Food Pantry, 1PM-4PM.

Aug. 26: Parish-wide Pig Roast at St. Francis, Constable, 12PM-3PM.

Fall Craft Show

Westville Fire Department

September 29, 2018, 10:00AM - 3:00PM

Vendors Welcome! Call Now to Reserve Your Space!

Please contact Donna Tatro (518-358-2065) for more information

Sponsored by the Westville Ladies Auxiliary

Liturgical Ministers Schedule

Saturday Aug. 25, 2018 4:30PM Our Lady of Fatima

Lector: Brenda Chatland

Chalice: Karen & Bruce Welch

Sunday Aug. 26, 2018 9:00AM St. Mary's of Fort

Lector: Angie Bashaw

Chalice: Phillis Walrath, Jocelyn Kelly

Sunday Aug. 26, 2018 11:00AM St. Francis

Lector: Bev Sprague

Chalice: Mike & Sue Shea

Catechism Corner:

What is the Holy Eucharist?

The Holy Eucharist is the Sacrament which contains the Body and Blood, Soul and Divinity, of Our Lord Jesus Christ under the appearances of bread and wine.

When did Christ give His priests the power to change bread and wine into His Body and Blood?

Christ gave His priests the power to change bread and wine into His Body and Blood at the Last Supper.

Who can change bread and wine into Christ's Body and Blood?

Only an ordained Priest, Bishop, etc can do this, not a Deacon or a Nun or other holy person. We call this change Transubstantiation.

Why did Christ institute the Holy Eucharist?

1. To unite us to Himself and to nourish our soul with His Body and Blood.
2. To increase sanctifying grace and all virtues in our soul.
3. To lessen our evil inclinations
4. To be a pledge of everlasting life
5. To fit our bodies for a glorious resurrection.
6. To continue the Sacrifice of the Cross in His Church.

What is necessary to receive Holy Communion?

It is necessary to be in the state of grace and to be fasting for one hour from food (including gum) and all drinks, except water.

All Councils Members

St. Francis & Our Lady of Fatima

Trustee's: Jack Fleury Rod Lauzon
Parish: Ernest Daoust Brian Cartier
Mike Shea Dick Onufer
Lori Tulip

Finance: Deb Fleury (also Parish) Peg Lester
Shirley Kelly (also Parish)

K of C: Rod Lauzon, Grand Knight, 483-2739

A & R: Shirley Therrien, Vice President 518-358-2659

Cemetery: Bruce Welch, 483-0236

Brian Cartier, 358-4411

St. Mary's of the Fort

Trustee: Mark Peets Kathleen Lauzon
Parish: Danielle French Shilo Leduc
Kay Spinner

St. Joseph's, Bombay

Trustee: Jennifer Reardon Christopher Jock
Parish: Alison Benedict Shirley Therrien

Finance Council

(Along with Trustee's of St. Mary's & St. Joseph's)
Jerry Mahoney, Jerry Rufa, Chris Smith

Ministries

Prayer Line: To offer or receive intentions, call Betty Clary at 518-358-2184 or Jean Robinson at 518-483-3128.

Alcoholics Anonymous: Open meeting 7:00-8:00PM each Thursday at St. Francis Church.

Cemeteries

St. Francis & St. Bridget's Cemeteries: Contacts: Bruce Welch 518-483-0236 for burial lots; Brian Cartier 518-932-8125 regarding maintenance.

St. Mary's & St. Joseph's Cemeteries: Contact Jay Brockway at 315-705-5330.

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.

Constable Food Pantry Schedule

The next Constable Food Pantry will be Friday, Aug. 24th from 1:00PM-4:00PM. Please bring your own containers.

Regional Eucharistic Adoration

Could you not watch with me for one hour? (Mk 13:47)

St. Mary's, Ft. Covington: Please consult the bulletin.

St. Joseph's, Malone: Tuesdays following 6:45AM Mass until 1:00PM

Notre Dame, Malone: Thursdays, 7PM-8PM w/confessions

St. Patrick's, Chateaugay: 1st Fridays, 9AM-10AM with Confessions.

*Where the spirit of
the Lord is,
there is freedom.*



Responsorial Psalm

"Taste and see the goodness of the Lord."

THIS WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday - August 18, 2018

Anticipated - 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time

(SJ) 4:00PM Anniv.-Sue Fullum by Betty Clary & Family

(OLF) 5:30PM Paul Kelly by Jean Austin

Sunday - August 19, 2018

20th Sunday in Ordination Time

(SF) 9:00AM Pal Lamondie by Jim & Peggy Lester

(SM) 11:00AM Manuela & Joseph Soto by Smith & Soto Families

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Monday: August 20, 2018

(SF) 8:30AM Carl Wilbur & Theresa Wilbur Vogel by \ Rada

Tuesday: August 21, 2018

(SM) 8:30AM Miriam Doherty by the Family

Wednes.: August 22, 2018

(OLF) 8:30AM Mary Jane Lamica by Joan, Richard & James Bushey

Thurs.: August 23, 2018

(SM) 8:30AM Communion Service

Friday: August 24, 2018

(SJ) 8:30AM James Henderson by the Family

NEXT WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday - August 25, 2018

Anticipated - 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time

(SP) 4:00PM Red Premo by Walter and Caroline Barse

(OLF) 4:30PM Joyce Smith by Frank & Shirley Brockway

Sunday - August 26, 2018

21st Sunday in Ordination Time

(SM) 9:00AM Grace French by M/M Dean Yaddow

(SF) 11:00AM John Larue by Shirley Kelly

(SJ) Bombay (SG) Burke (SF) Constable

(SM) Ft. Covington (SP) Chateaugay (OLF) Westville



Mary's Place Thrift Store

St. Mary's Center, Ft. Covington

Religious items are available.

Come browse our selection of gently used items!

Thursdays: 2pm - 7pm, Fridays: 9am - 2pm

Saturdays: 9am - Noon

For information/contact: 518-521-9349

Check out Summer Sales and extended hours listed in the bulletin.