

ANNOUNCED MASSES

Monday, November 10 (Leo the Great, pope and doctor of the Church)

9:00am Joan Roach, by Jack, Karen, and Jackie Flynn

Tuesday, November 11 (Martin of Tours, bishop)

9:00am Frank A. Scales, by his wife and family

Thursday, November 13 (Frances Xavier Cabrini, virgin)

9:00am Louis Napolitano, by Amelia and Bill Quinn
Daniel J. Dwyer, by Sharon, Maureen, Barbara and Dan

Friday, November 14

9:00am Charles A. Kroll, by Diane Kroll Stierle

Saturday, November 15

4:00pm the parishioners of St. Mary's

Sunday, November 16

8:30am Giuseppe Fiorillo, by Rosa Fiorillo

11:30am Christopher Retallick, by Mom and Dad

Donations of **non-perishable food items** for the **CHRISTMAS BASKETS** may be left in the containers in the narthex.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK: Ida Lissner, Joann Wilcox, Jonathan Saletto, Marion Rohner, Nick Moscatiello, Andrea Fedoruk, Richard Samek, Betty Brennan, Joe Brennan, Angela Portella, Mike Castle, Walter Szpakowicz, Danielle Scibek, Pauline Portella, John McKean, Katie Onofry, John Launt, Theresa Fuller, David Drasba, Jeremiah Stasilli, Daniel Bonet, Maureen Hildrbrandt, Joseph Portella, Catherine Simons, Mary Platania, Vada Glass, Donald Wolff, Michael Barnes, William Lincoln, Joseph Livingston, Jeff Sauschuck, Bernard Clune, Michael Bello, Amanda Evelech, Anna Onuschak, Joseph Kham, Patsy Soletro, Sue Dennington, John Kavanagh, Andrew Witkowski, Thomas Scott, Jackie Mundy, Makara Craig, Thomas Scott, Barbara Nachand, Elizabeth Hawkins, and Betty Corcoran.

St. Mary's Little Lambs is closed this Tuesday, November 11 in observance of Veterans' Day. **Court Madonna** will meet that evening at 7:00pm in the church hall.

The collection for November 1/2 was \$6,497.
Thank you for your continued generosity.

Simplify your Christmas shopping

No waiting in line at the mall!

Sunday, November 16, 2014
12:30 - 3:30pm



Close to home!
St. Mary's Church Hall
48 Ball Street, Port Jervis

St. Nicholas Faire

Vendors! Food! Fun! Fellowship!

Catholic Lighthouse Media, Mary Kay, Pampered Chef, Lia Sophia, Origami Owl, Radiantly You, local crafters, children's Christmas Craft Table, and MORE!

Fundraiser to benefit

Saint Mary's Little Lambs

(845) 858-4208 + littlelambs@stmarysportjervis.com

Dear Parishioners,

For the past several years, Catholic Charities Community Services of Orange County has been sponsoring an “adopt-a-family” program at Christmas. Throughout the fall, CCCSOC staff collect the names and details of families in need that include children ages 12 and under. The details are then provided to those who volunteer to adopt a family. Those donors include businesses, Scout troops, school groups, and families. In the past, Court Madonna, Little Lambs, and SMART have all adopted families. It’s a tremendously simple way to “put flesh” on the corporal works of mercy. Last year, more than \$200,000 in Christmas gifts were distributed to 3,000 children and families in Orange County.

Perhaps your family (or a group of coworkers, friends, business, etc.) is looking for a way to give back this year. Would you consider adopting a family? All you need to do is contact Ali Curtis, CCCSOC’s director of community outreach; she may be reached by phone at 562-4733, or by e-mail at alice.curtis@archny.org.

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Recently, the archdiocese launched two new initiatives to assist parishes in the realm of technology. The first is to see that every parish has an attractive and user-friendly website. (I’m happy to share the news that we were the first parish to go “live” under this program.) If you haven’t already, I encourage you to visit www.stmarysportjervis.com and see what we’ve done so far. While it’s still very much a work in progress, there are separate pages for various ministries, as well as links to other entities, including the regional Catholic elementary schools, John S. Burke Catholic High School, and CCCSOC. There is also the opportunity to contact any members of the staff via e-mail.

The second initiative is a communication tool called “Flocknotes.” Parishioners may sign up to receive notices from the parish via e-mail or text. You can even choose what notices you’d like to receive. There are two ways to sign up:

1. Visit flocknote.com/stmaryspj, and follow the instructions.
2. Text **smpj** to 84576.

As always, you may opt out at any time (though we promise to use it sparingly!)

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At last month’s LifeChain, we had the best turnout yet of parishioners from St. Mary’s—double the number who participated last year. We hope that we’ll double it again and have fifty people next year. If anyone is interested in joining our parish’s Right to Life efforts, please call Nancy Smith at 856-4610.

Faithfully your priest,
Fr. George Hafemann

Do you know someone who is carrying the grief of a past abortion? There is help and hope available; the pain and sorrow of a past abortion need not endure for a lifetime. ***Days of Prayer and Healing*** offer the opportunity to experience the love and mercy of God and to heal the wound of abortion. The next Day of Prayer and Healing is Saturday, November 15, 2014 from 1:00 to 4:00pm at St. Anastasia Church in Harriman. For additional tri-state retreats and information, please see Lumina—Hope & Healing after abortion (www.postabortionhelp.org), call 877-586-4621, or email lumina@postabortionhelp.org. You may also visit the Family Life/Respect Life Office/Project Rachel website (<http://nyfamilylife.org/project-rachel/>).

Join us for our annual **ADVENT WREATH MAKING** on Saturday, November 22 from 12:30 to 3:30pm in the church hall. Cost is \$10 per family, payable at the door. The day includes lunch, reflection, and wreath making materials. Bring your own clippers! Please respond to faith@stmarysportjervis.com no later than Friday, November 14.

Getting ready to buy the kids their coordinating Gymboree outfits for Christmas Eve Mass? **Support LITTLE LAMBS while you shop!** Shop for children's clothing from Crazy 8, Gymboree, and Janie & Jack online at www.littlelambs.onlinefundraiser.net, and Little Lambs will receive 10% of the proceeds.

Liturgical Ministers for November 15/16, 2014

MASS	LECTOR	MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION	ALTAR SERVERS
4:00PM	T. WEBB	L. AVELLA, M. O’CONNOR, H. ECKES	N. WEBB, A. WEBB, Q. KRENTZ
8:30AM	T. ROMBOUSEK	D. MURO, S. RIORDAN, M. REEVES, N. SMITH	J. KLOTZ, S. KLOTZ, D. KLOTZ
11:30AM	M. LATINI	E. DECKER, R. DENNINGTON	S. PHILLIPS, S. MASCI, E. WITKOWSKI