

# JULY 3, 2022 Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



**St. Francis Solanus** 3660 Orchard Street Interlaken, NY

Weekday Liturgies: Monday–Friday, 8:30 a.m.

Weekend Mass: Saturday, 4:00 p.m.

**St. James the Apostle** 17 Whig Street Trumansburg, NY

Weekend Mass: Sunday, 9:00 a.m.

Holy Cross 7231 Main Street Ovid, NY

Weekend Mass: Sunday, 10:30 a.m.

Note: Weekday liturgies may be cancelled due to funerals or bad weather. **Parish Center :** St. Francis Solanus P.O. Box 403 Interlaken, NY 14847

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Pastor: Rev. Bernard M. Maloney, OFM Cap. Pastoral Year: Br. Francisco Serrano, OFM Cap.

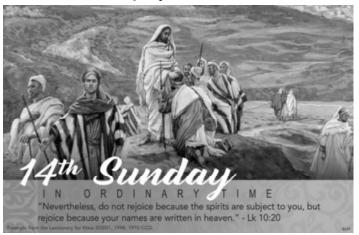
**Office Hours:** Tuesdays & Fridays 9:00 a.m.–1:00 p.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation and/or personal dialogue: Fridays, 6:30–7:30 p.m., St. Francis Solanus, with Father Bernard

To join the parish community or to celebrate the sacraments of baptism, confirmation, anointing of the sick, or marriage, please phone the Parish Center.

*In residence at St. Fidelis Friary:* Rev. Richard Crawley, OFM Cap. Chaplain at Cayuga Correctional Facility, Moravia, NY

## July 3, 2022



### **First Reading:**

Lo, I will spread prosperity over Jerusalem like a river, and the wealth of the nations like an overflowing torrent. (Is. 66:12)

#### Psalm:

Let all the earth cry out to God with joy. (Ps. 66)

#### Second Reading:

From now on, let no one make troubles for me; for I bear the marks of Jesus on my body. (Gal. 6:17)

#### Gospel:

"Into whatever house you enter, first say, 'Peace to this household.' If a peaceful person lives there, your peace will rest on him." (Lk. 10:5-6)

#### Live the Liturgy—Inspiration for the Week:

The celebration of our country's independence gives us cause to reflect on the gift of freedom. We treasure the liberties our country provides, but are they the real source of freedom? True freedom is a gift given to us by God, not by the world. In fact, the world robs us of freedom by tethering us to a need for money, power, possessions, and prestige as vehicles to success and measures of self-worth. Even though we possess certain liberties, we are held captive by a system that sees no value in the Cross of Christ. It is no wonder Jesus sent his seventytwo disciples into the world with only what they were wearing. The freedom given to us by God is a matter of the heart and requires detachment from the very things we think we cannot do without. A heart secure in God's peace is something no one can take away and something really worth dying for.

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## MASS INTENTIONS

for the week of July 2–10, 2022

Saturday, July 2	4:00 p.m. St. Francis	Parishioners and benefactors
Sunday, July 3	9:00 a.m. St. James	Joe Reynolds from the Ushers at St. James the Apostle
	10:30 a.m. Holy Cross	Dorothy and Louis O'Connell from Beverly O'Connell Prather
Monday, July 4	8:30 a.m. St. Francis	NO MASS—Independence Day
Saturday, July 9	4:00 p.m. St. Francis	Parishioners and benefactors
Sunday, July 10	9:00 a.m. St. James	Jack Rourke from Kathleen Rourke
	10:30 a.m. Holy Cross	Charles Wright from Edward and Connie Conroy

### **Upcoming Parish Events:**

- Food Pantries:
  - Ovid Federated Church: Mondays, 10:00 a.m.
  - Food Truck: July 5, 4:00–6:00 p.m.,
  - South Seneca High School
  - Interlaken Reformed Church: Fridays, 3:00-6:00 p.m.
  - Trumansburg Food Pantry: Every other Monday (July 11), 11:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m. and 5:15–6:00 p.m., Methodist Church
- Family Hope Center: Tuesdays, 10:00 a.m.–2:00 p.m., and Thursdays 4:00–6:00 p.m., Holy Cross
- Fr. Bernard is available: Fridays, 6:30–7:30 p.m., St. Francis Solanus
- Prayer for Healing and Harmony: Wednesdays, 2:00 p.m., St. James the Apostle
- Spiritual Book Reading & Discussion: Wednesdays, 3:15 p.m., St. James the Apostle
- Central and Eastern Europe Second Collection: July 9 & 10

### 2021-2022 Catholic Ministries Appeal:

Many thanks to all who participated in the Appeal. From the Appeal Office, this past week our parish received a check for \$2,983.00. Our parish was \$5,965 over goal, and the parish received 50% in excess of the goal. This is a great help to the parish. "Thank you".

#### **Baptism:**

Gavin Leander Barry was baptized on June 18, 2022, at St. Francis Solanus Church, Interlaken.

## Fr. Richard Crawley, OFM Cap:

Fr. Richard has helped-out in our parish on Sundays. He has been missed. Before Easter, Fr. William Moorby, the Pastor of the Good Shepherd Catholic Community, which has four churches (St. Patrick, Aurora; St. Michael, Union Springs; St. Patrick, Moravia and Our Lady of the Lake, King Ferry) lost their help-out priest. Since Easter, Fr. Richard has been helping Fr. Moorby on Sunday mornings. Fr. Moorby is unable to cover the four churches on the weekend. We do not know how long this arrangement will last.

## Next Week – Second Collection:

The countries in Central and Eastern Europe have faced a century of hardship. They have been oppressed by radical communism, horrendous crimes against humanity, and revolutionary, civil and world wars. Under communism, religion and religious practices were openly persecuted and atheism was actively propagated and enforced. Control of every aspect of life was taken over by totalitarian governments and the communist party, and civil society and the economy were deconstructed. Since the collapse of the former Soviet Union in 1991, Central and Eastern European countries have been working to rebuild their political structures, social welfare, economies, and their religious life.

The United Stated Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB) Subcommittee on Aid to the Church in Central and Eastern Europe funds projects in 28 countries to build the pastoral capacity of the Church and to rebuild and restore the Faith in these countries. The funds raised are used to support the renewal of vital aspects of the Church life: seminaries, out ministry, social service programs, pastoral centers, church construction and renovation, and Catholic communications projects. The 2022 Collection for the Church in Central and Eastern Europe, will focus on the theme, "*Restore the Church. Build the Future.*"

### LET US PRAY...

Please remember in your prayers those members of our parish who are in the hospital, sick at home, in a nursing home, or who have requested our prayers. We also ask you to pray for those who have died; that the Lord may comfort their family and friends during this difficult time. A full list of prayer requests may be found on our website: marymotherofmercy.com

## Food Donations Needed:

On the second Sunday of each month, non-perishable food items will be received at St. James the Apostle Church and placed on a table in front of the Blessed Mother statue. They will be donated to the Trumansburg Food Pantry. Monetary donations are also welcome. (Please make checks out to *Mary, Mother of Mercy* with "food pantry" in the memo line.) Thank you to all who contribute.

## National Eucharistic Revival:

The three-year National Eucharistic Revival begins in our Diocese and across the country last weekend on the Solemnity of Corpus Christi (The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ). The first year will be the *Diocesan Year*. The second year will be the *Parish Year*. The third year will be the *Year of Mission*.

The mission of the National Eucharistic Revival is "to renew the Church by enkindling a living relationship with the Lord Jesus Christ in the Holy Eucharist." In regard with our Diocesan Eucharistic Revival efforts, the chosen theme is *"Christ Always with Us"*. It is the hope to generate great enthusiasm during this Eucharistic Revival and work to renew our love for Jesus Christ in the Most Holy Eucharist.

Eucharistic Revival events will take place throughout this Diocesan Year and will be published for the faithful's attendance, e.g., this Sunday is the Diocesan Mass and Eucharistic Procession at Corpus Christi Church, Rochester, to celebrate the commencement of the Eucharistic Revival. Other events happening in the Diocese and parishes will be published on the website eucharisticrevival.org. Our own parish is being asked to create events and participate in other parishes' events.

### Lakeside Day Retreat:

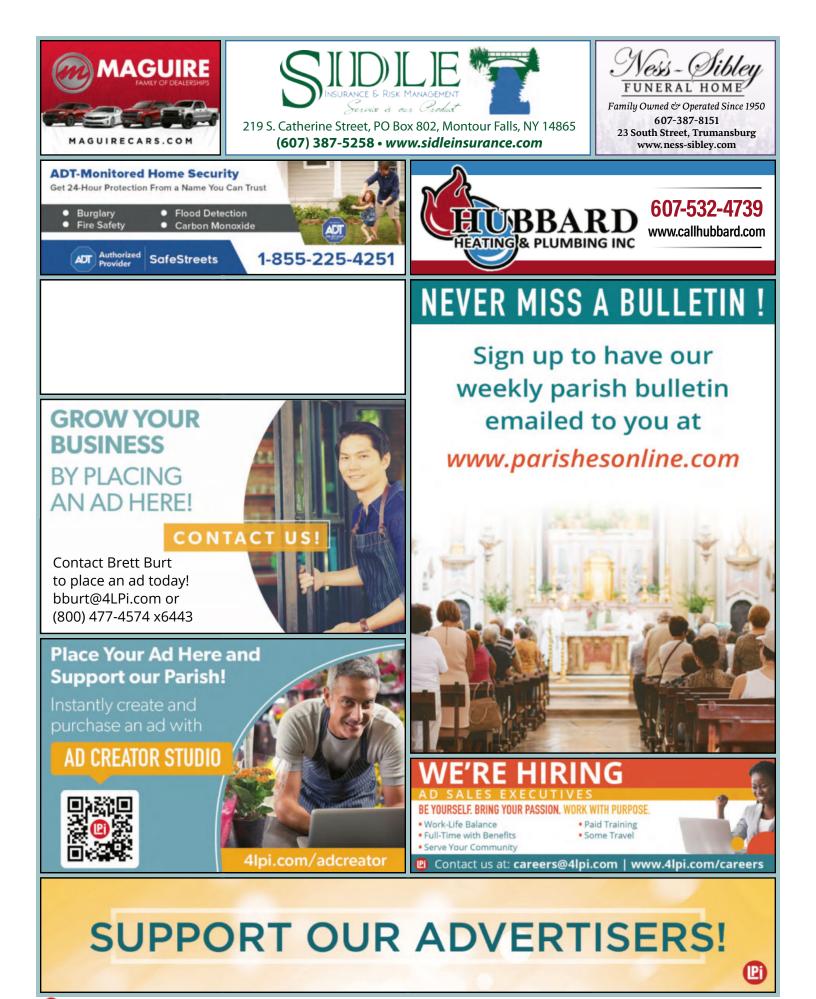
Branches Christian Rest and Renewal Centers, Inc. invites you to a retreat at our Seneca Lake property. The next day of rest and renewal will be *"Suffering and Faith"* facilitated by Ann Kern on Saturday, August 13. For more information visit branchescenter.org contact Donna Wieand at 716–901–4313 or email branches1515@live.com.

### **Donating to Your Parish:**

Online giving by WeShare is safe, simple and convenient. It's as easy as 1, 2, 3:

- 1. Visit the parish website's giving page: marymotherofmercy.com/giving.
- 2. Follow the directions under the "Donate Online" section.
- 3. Set up your donation or payment.

That's it! Your account will be created and you can put away your checkbook. If you experience any problems, please email Eileen at Eileen.heptig@dor.org.



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