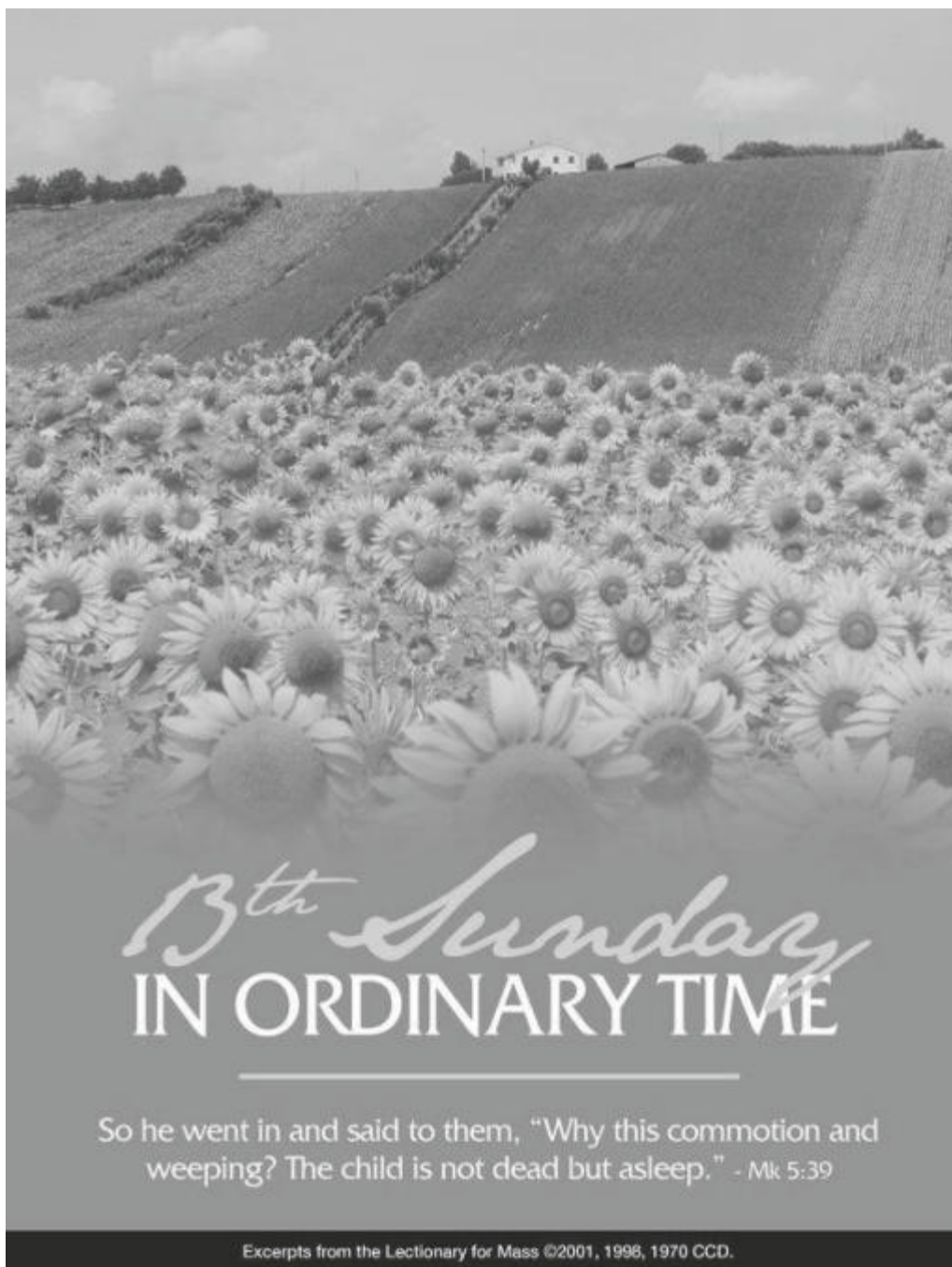


BLESSED SACRAMENT CHURCH

71 East Main Street
Mohawk, New York, 13407

JUNE 27, 2021



Sr. Mary Jo Tallman, CSJ

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315-866-1752

Trustees

Karen Slazak
Frank Paratore

Rev. Leo Potvin

Sacramental Minister
315-866-1752

Masses:

Sat. Vigil 5:30 PM
Sunday 9:30am

Confessions

By appointment

Marriages

At least 6 months notice

Baptisms

As announced

Church Staff

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<http://www.rcda.org/churches/BlessedSacramentMohawk/>

Worship Schedule

Saturday, June 26
5:30pm Communion Service

Sunday, June 27
9:30am Joseph A. Frank & family
by Dominick J. Frank
Eli Michael DeMayo
by Shirley & Edward Hassett

Every Wednesday
3-4PM Holy Hour

Saturday, July 3
5:30pm Communion Service

Sunday, July 4
9:30am Ann M. Fahy by Peg Hyland
Victoria Kane by family
Fitzer family by Mary Morse

Offerings for June 20, 2021

WEEKLY	\$1,339
MAINT & REP	\$336
MISC.	\$82
TOTAL	\$1,757

NEEDED FOR BUDGET \$2,400



Thank you for your generosity.

Readings for the week of June 27, 2021

Sunday: Wis 1:13-15; 2:23-24/Ps 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11, 12, 13 [2a]/2 Cor 8:7, 9, 13-15/Mk 5:21-43 or 5:21-24, 35b-43

Monday: Gn 18:16-33/Ps 103:1b-2, 3-4, 8-9, 10-11 [8a]/Mt 8:18-22

Tuesday: *Vigil:* Acts 3:1-10/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5 [5]/Gal 1:11-20/Jn 21:15-19 *Day:* Acts 12:1-11/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [5]/2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18/Mt 16:13-19

Wednesday: Gn 21:5, 8-20a/Ps 34:7-8, 10-11, 12-13 [7a]/Mt 8:28-34

Thursday: Gn 22:1b-19/Ps 115:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9 [9]/Mt 9:1-8

Friday: Gn 23:1-4, 19; 24:1-8, 62-67/Ps 106:1b-2, 3-4a, 4b-5 [1b]/Mt 9:9-13

Saturday: Eph 2:19-22/Ps 117:1bc, 2 [Mk 16:15]/Jn 20:24-29

Liturgical Ministers Schedule

Saturday, July 3 at 5:30 pm-Comm. Service

Lector	Jim Walczak
Host Minister	Mike Weller
Server	Christopher Waite

Sunday, July 4 at 9:30 am

Lector	Allison Shedd
Server	Anastasia Spatto

Saturday, July 10 at 5:30 pm-Comm. Service

Lector	Karen Slazak
Server	Logan Shedd
Host	Barb Smith

Sunday, July 11 at 9:30 am

Lector	Richard Barrett
Server	Anastasia Spatto

Elementary School

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Registration info for Faith Formation:

(Blessed Sacrament, St. Francis & St. A & J, St. John's-Newport) Call:

Sr. Mary Jo Tallman 315-866-1752

Parish Mission Statement

"We, the faith community of Blessed Sacrament Parish, in the Diocese of Albany, NY seek to provide a place of welcome as together we strive to live out the invitation of the gospel to "love one another" and to do all we can to build up the Kingdom of God through Celebration of the Sacraments, outreach and community service."

Prayer for God's Support

May He support us all the day long, till the shadows lengthen and the evening comes, and the busy world is hushed, and the fever of life is over, and our work is done. Then, in His mercy, may He give us safe lodging and a holy rest, and peace at the last. -John Henry Noonan

**The HOPE Ministries Program
of Catholic Charities-**

of Herkimer County is Here to Help!

HOPE Ministries is a volunteer program designed to help the frail elderly to remain independent in their homes. Because of the COVID-19 pandemic, services are limited to:

Grocery shopping with or for a client, telephone reassurance/friendly conversation and non-medical transportation.

If you or someone you know is in need of our services or you are interested in volunteering and would like more information, please contact Lori Joy, Essential Programs Coordinator at 315-894-9917 Ext. 254 or ljoy@ccherkimer.org.

Thank you and God Bless!

Prayer to St. Joseph

Remember,

O most pure spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary, my great protector, Saint Joseph,



that no one ever had recourse to your protection, or implored your aid without obtaining relief. Confiding therefore in your goodness, I come before you.

Do not turn down my petitions, foster father of the Redeemer, but graciously receive them. Amen.

Restrictions Lifted

All parish leaders received an email on Friday detailing an update around protocols for churches concerning COVID.

- Fully vaccinated people do not have to wear a mask.
- Holy water fonts may be filled and available.
- The obligation to attend mass was reinstated on June 6, 2021-however, Catholics should continue to use their prudential judgement based on religious and medical considerations as to whether or not to attend mass.
- Churches may open up pews to full capacity and social distancing is encouraged.
- Sanitizing stations will continue to be available for your use.
- Communion from the cup will be offered a later date.
- Social distancing continues to be a preferred good practice.

Thank you.

Food Pantry

Non Perishable items are always welcome for the Food Pantry. Also personal care items for the homeless. Baskets are in the back of the Church. Thank you for your generosity.



Question: What is the “Miraculous Medal” and why is it called that?

Answer:

The medal of the Immaculate Conception that has come to be called simply the “Miraculous Medal” dates back to an apparition of Mary to Saint Catherine Laboure, who was then a novice sister with the Daughters of Charity. On November 27, 1830, Our Lady appeared to her standing on a globe, with shafts of light streaming from her hands and the words, “O Mary, conceived without sin, pray for us who have recourse to thee,” surrounding the image. In the same vision, Catherine saw a capital “M” with a cross above it and below two hearts. Catherine seemed to hear a voice telling her to have what she saw struck as a medal and a promise that those who wore the medal would have the protection and intercession of the Mother of God. The first 1,500 of medals were distributed in 1832. Many miraculous favors were attributed to the use of the medal. Saint Catherine’s “Miraculous Medal” is among the recognizable and popular symbols of modern Catholicism. Reflecting on its widespread use, the 2001 Vatican document, “Directory on Popular Piety and Liturgy,” observes that the medal “recalls the mystery of Redemption, the love of the Sacred Heart of Jesus and of the Sorrowful Heart of Mary. It signifies the mediatory role of the Blessed Virgin Mary, the mystery of the Church, the relationship between Heaven and earth, this life and eternal life.”

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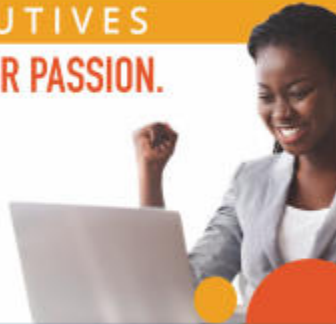
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