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315-336-3082
Mass Times
Saturday 4:00 PM
Sunday 11:00 PM

January 2, 2022
Welcome to
St. Paul's and St. Joseph's

St. Joseph's
315-533-6655
Mass Times
Saturday 6:00 PM
Sunday 9:00 AM

PASTOR ROBERT L. KELLY
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RECONCILIATION: ST. PAUL'S 3:45PM SATURDAY OR BY APPOINTMENT / ST. JOSEPH'S 5:45 PM OR BY APPOINTMENT



THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD
"Since from you shall come a ruler,
who is to shepherd my people Israel."
- Mt 2:6b

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Music Director: Mark Radlowski
Organist: Jean Burgdorf
Grounds & Maintenance:
David Wheat



Information:

Baptism: Please call the Parish Office to make arrangements.
St. Joseph's 315-533-5566 / St. Paul's 315-336-3082

Marriage: Couples should contact the Office to make an appointment
with Fr. Kelly. Marriages should be scheduled at least six months be-
fore the anticipated wedding date.

RCIA - Adults or children 7 and older who never have been baptized,
confirmed or received the Eucharist are invited to call the parish office
for information about the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults program.

Anointing of the Sick: If a family member is
hospitalized or homebound, please call the Parish Office as soon as
possible. Privacy laws may prevent a hospital from telling us your loved
one is there.

If you are moving: Please call/ email the Parish Office with your new
address / phone number, or to let us know if you will be leaving for
extended vacation from our parish .

The Pope's Monthly Prayer intention for JANUARY
For true human fraternity

We pray for all those suffering from religious discrimination and
persecution; may their own rights and dignity be recognized, which
originate from being brothers and sisters in the human family.

St. Joseph's

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Children's Liturgy of the Word
At St. Joseph's 9:00 am Mass
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New York State has instituted a mask mandate in all public places effective December 13 to January 15. It is being done as a safety precaution and out of the utmost concern for one's neighbor. Bishop Lucia expects that all parishes in the Diocese of Syracuse will cooperate with this important public health matter and comply with the mask mandate. It is suggested to have some masks on hand for those who may not be equipped.

MASS INTENTIONS	
Monday; January 3	Holy Name of Jesus
SP 9:00 am	People of the Parish
Tuesday; January 4	ST. ELIZABETH ANN SETON, RELIGIOUS
SP 9:00 am	People of the Parish
Wednesday; January 5	St. John Neumann, Bishop
SJ 8:00 am	People of the Parish
SP 9:00 am	George and Arletta Bateman Peg and Bill McKeever
Thursday; January 6	St. Andre Bessette, Religious
SJ 8:00 am	People of the Parish
SP 9:00 am	People of the Parish
Friday; January 7	St. Raymond of Penafort, Priest
SP 9:00 am	Elizabeth Nash (Anniversary) John and Maureen
Saturday; January 8	
SP 4:00pm	Audrey MacDougall (1 st Anniversary) Diane and Family Shirley and Leo Draper Sue Burgdorf Diane Draper Sue Burgdorf
SJ 6:00pm	Bert Barrett Ed & Bev Lubeck Howard Kirk & Amanda Osborne Jackie Wagner & family
Sunday; January 9	BAPTISM OF THE LORD
SJ 9:00am	Marian Gentile (Anniversary) St. Joseph's Church
SP 11:00	Anne Sorrel Pat Pagano Nigel Wallace Anna Carling

We pray for the Faithful Departed: Carol Dolan; Joe Fusco; Butch Welch		
Sanctuary Candle SP Special Intention		
Please pray for the sick in our parish community and those that care for them.		
J. Anderson	Bill Herrig	Faith Phillips
Ronnie Barker	Ryan Hoskins	John Plunkett
Sue Barker	Meagan Jones	Al Pohl
Sandra Brawn	Mary Klahs	Bobbi Radell
K. Brown	Michael Kronafel	David Raux
Jean Burgdorf	Lori Losowski	Stephen Rice
Noel Cain	Elizabeth Lloyd	My Son
Patricia Calcara	Gavin Maloney	Mandy Rokicki
Bill Clark	Joe Maloney	Maryilyn Rollo
Jessica Cummings	Denise & Frank Martin	Thomas Salva
Jackie Douglass	Judy Matt	Carole Sanzone
Wilma Duty	B. Morganti	Brian Perkins
Neil Ferris	Kenneth Morrow	Debra Seedto
Emmett Finn	Kevin Morrow	Peg Simonds
Nancy Fiore	Sandy Mumford	Irene Smatlak
Jean Fontana	Peter Naughton	Spencer Smith
Jeff Frank	Kristy Neilson	Alexis Spencer
Marilyn Goetz	Cole Ossont	Carmella Tagliaferri
Jane Gualtieri	Bob Parker	Karen Tomasi
Jake Hanley	Barbara Ringrose Perry	Jenna Braunlich Trigo
James Hartigan	Bill Phillip	Nisaya Vongsouvanh, Donna Willson

January 2, 2022: Epiphany (MT 2:1-12)
A Family Perspective by Bud Ozar
After meeting Jesus, the Magi returned home by "another way."
What in your family needs to be done "another way?"
Do you need "another way to resolve differences, to communicate or show affection?"
This is a new year, time to change what isn't working.
Take a tip from some wise men, there's always "another way."

JANUARY 2, 2022:
Epiphany of the Lord




Magi from the east arrive in Jerusalem, saying, "Where is the newborn king of the Jews? We saw his star at its rising and have come to do him homage." Matthew 2: 1-12

Pointing our kids to the "right" North Star...

Like the magi's journey for the newborn king of the Jews, our lives are a constant search for meaning, for purpose, for hope in the things of God. Mirroring our own journeys, the story of the magi challenges us to consider the "stars" we follow in the course of our lives: to fix our lives on the brilliant "star" of God's peace, compassion, mercy, justice, forgiveness. These difficult days challenge all of us to point to the "right North Star" that leads us to a sense of meaning and hope as we seek God in our own Bethlehems and Jerusalems.

Weekend Ministry Schedule				
St. Paul's Ministry Schedule				
Jan 8/9	Lector	Master	Server	Greeter
4:00pm	C. Snyderman	A. Mecca	W. McKeever/Volunteer	B. Hill/ Volunteer
11:00am	M. Powers	Volunteer	I. Adams/M. Rizio	G. Blackburn/Volunteer
St. Joseph's Ministry Schedule				
Jan 8/9	Lector	Eucharistic Minister	Server	
6:00pm	M. Gluck	P. Box	M. Ritchie/ A. Ritchie	
9:00am	J. Parker	M. Scheiderich	Pomales	

 Hospital Visits Please let us know if you or one of your loved ones would like a visit if they are a patient at Rome Health. Presently the only way we know they are there is if you let us know by calling the office. St. Paul's 315-336-3082/ St Joseph's 315-533-6655

Stewardship	12/2021	
St. Paul's	12/25/21/ tba	/12/26/21 tba
St. Joseph's	12/25/21/ tba	/12/26/21 tba

We welcome Fr. Sean O' Brien as vicar for the greater Rome area of catholic churches succeeding Fr. Robert Kelly who has been the vicar for many years. welcome Fr. Sean!.



The 2nd collection this week is for the support of recovery efforts following the devastating tornados in the Midwest. There is not an envelope in your packet so feel free to use your own envelope for this or one of the disaster relief envelopes available at the exits of the church.

Dear Parishioners of St. Paul's,
 I pray you all had Blessed and healthy Christmas! First of all thank you for the beautiful Christmas flowers Fr. Kelly sent me in your name. It was a touch of St. Paul's which I miss so much! I have healed from the fall I took, but it has made me more aware of my 97 years! I am fine now and grateful for Gods goodness to me and your prayers.
 May God bless you all with a healthy, peaceful and blessed New Year.
 You are always in my thoughts, love and prayers.
 Sister Marie

St. Joseph Church 20/20 Raffle
 Tickets on sale now!
 The Raffle will run for 20 weeks and the cost will be \$20 per ticket.
 The payout will be \$100,
 with special drawings on weeks 7,14, & 20.
 You can win multiple times!
 Open to everyone

Annual Giving Statements
 St. Joseph's/St. Paul's
Contributions for 2021 will only be accepted until
January 2nd 2022.
If you wish to receive a statement
of the amount you contributed
during the year of 2021.
please fill out this form and return it to the rectory
(via the collection basket, E-mail or snail mail).
Statements* will be sent out at the end of January
(*only to parishioners that have requested them).

Envelope _____ **Phone:** _____

Name _____

Address: _____


THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE	
SJ= St. Joseph SP= St. Paul	
January 2 Sunday	
SJ Children's Liturgy of the Word (C.L.O.W.)	After 9:00 Mass
SJ Faith Formation Classes	No Class
SJ Confirmation Prep	No Class
SJ Adult Continuous Faith Formation upstairs Parish Office	After 11:00 am Mass
January 3; Monday SP/ SJ Offices Closed	
SP Faith Formation -all Grades	No Class
January 4, Tuesday	
SJ Food Pantry	9:30-11:30am
SJ Adoration and Prayer	6:30pm & 7:00pm
SP Level 2 First Reconciliation Retreat in the Parish Center, retreat is for Parent & Child	6:30-8:30pm
January 5; Wednesday	
SJ Faith formation Make up Classes	No Class
SP Evening Prayer, Divine Mercy Prayer And Rosary	6:30 pm
January 6; Thursday	
SJ Food Pantry & Last Thursday of the month	9:30-11:30am
SJ Choir Practice	6:00-8:00pm
SP Choir Practice	7:00pm
January 8 Saturday	
SJ / SP Epiphany Luncheon in the parish Center	12:00 noon
SP First Reconciliation Prayer Service	10:00am
January 9, Sunday	
SJ Children's Liturgy of the Word (C.L.O.W.)	After 9:00 Mass
SJ Faith Formation Classes	10:10-11:10
SJ Confirmation Prep	11:15-12:15pm
SJ Adult Continuous Faith Formation upstairs Parish Office	After 11:00 am Mass

St. Paul's Church wishes to Thank

All who helped make our Christmas worship services so inspirational and filled with the true meaning of the season
 Choir Director: *Mark Radlowski* Organist: *Luke Radlowski*
 Flowers /Nativity Scene: *Pat Pagano; Peg Page; Pat Parry ;Paige Menneci; Callie Ott;*
Margaret DiBlasi; Paul Senecal; Dave Wheat;
 The Lectors; Altar Servers; Ushers;
 and all who served at the Christmas Masses.

St. Joseph's Church wishes to Thank

Scott and all the musicians for beautiful Masses;
 To all who helped in preparations in the Sanctuary; and Church ;
 To our Ushers; Lectors and Altar Servers.
 Thank you to one and you all!!



THE LISTENING SESSION FOR A SYNODAL CHURCH
 For the Parishes of the greater Rome area will be
Tue. January 25, 2022
From 6:30pm —8:30 pm
 St. Paul's Church 1807 Bedford St. Rome NY

BILL GAVIN FOOD PANTRY at St. Joseph's church

FOOD PANTRY NEEDS - Thank you to all who have donated to the food pantry. Our clients are very grateful for your generosity! Right now we are especially in need of kids' cereals, dessert mixes, and pasta sides as these are items that we rarely get from the food bank.

EXPANSION PROJECT - The food pantry is hoping to add an extension to the food pantry to increase the size of the pantry and add some much needed storage space. Donations and grant opportunities will be needed to be able to complete this project.



St. Joseph's
& St. Paul's Women's Club
Epiphany Luncheon
January 8, 2022

Covered Dish Luncheon
@ 12:00 pm
St. Joseph's Parish Center
Bring a dish to pass

TO SAVE ONE
HUMAN BEING IS
TO SAVE THE
ENTIRE WORLD
- TALMUD





The Rome Area Veterans' Support Group:
The meetings are scheduled for the first Sunday of every 2nd month. The next Rome Area Veterans Group Meeting will be February 6th at 1:00 PM. In the Parish Center of St. Paul's Church, on Bedford St. For fellowship, to receive or provide support and to have a light lunch
We welcome all
Call Jim Nichter, 315-339-1221 or Gene Blackburn 315-225-1520 for more info.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS: The next business meeting of the Knights of Columbus Council #391 will take place at 7PM Thursday, Feb. 10, 2022 at Council Hall, 112 Ridge Street, Rome. It will be preceded at 6:30PM by the Holy Rosary. As of now, masks are not required. Members will be notified if any changes. The Knights are looking for interested Catholic males over 18 to join and help us support our area churches and community. Call 315-337-4010 to learn about the Knights or join on-line at kofc.org/joinus and use "Council 391".
Special Note: In honor of the recent beatification of our founder, Fr. Michael J. McGivney, men are now eligible to join, or re-join, the Knights of Columbus through the end of 2021 at no cost. Men can join online at kofc.org/joinus using promo code MCGIVNEY2020. Mention Rome Council #391 and we will be automatically notified.
Please say this prayer to adopt spiritually an unborn child: "Jesus, Mary and Joseph, I love you very much. I beg you to spare the life of the unborn baby that I have spiritually adopted who is in danger of abortion." Venerable Fulton J. Sheen Knights of Columbus- Rome #391 P.O. Box 4623, Rome NY 13440.

St. Paul's Social Ministry Monthly Collection:
JANUARY BLANKETS & TOWELS

Bereavement Group:
We will meet on January 9, 2022 in the Parish center of St. Paul's, our speaker will be Fr. Robert Kelly
For Information: Call Celeste 315-794-9851.

Pilgrim People
Come along on four major pilgrimages in Scripture



PILGRIM PEOPLE

Bible Study Starts:
Monday, January 10th
9:45-10:45am
St. Paul's Parish Center
1807 Bedford St
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the journey of trust with Abraham and Sarah,
the journey of freedom with Moses and the Hebrew people,
the journey of exile and return with Israel,
and the journey of discipleship with Jesus and his followers.
God's call sometimes leads and sometimes sends,
and the destinations can be new and wondrous or even dark and dangerous.
What makes the journey a Pilgrimage is God's abiding companionship.

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For more info: Jennifer Brown 315-472-6754 ext. 7
Email: familyrespectlife@syrdio.org

**Dangerously Low Blood Supply.
Donors needed now.**

Social Ministry Blood Drive
January 17, 2022
St. Paul's Church | Parish Center
1807 Bedford St | Rome NY | 13440
01/17/2022 | 10:30 AM - 03:30 PM
To Sign up or for more info.
Contact
Mary Manfredo
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 SP Kevin Morrisroe 315-334-9570

St. Paul's

All classes will meet all Levels,
 Kindergarten – Level 10

Jan. 10th; 6:30-7:30 pm

Jan.17 MLK weekend No Class

Jan. 24rd; 31th 6:30-7:30 pm

Level 2 First Reconciliation Retreat:

Tuesday, January 4th 6:30-8pm

in the Parish Center, retreat is for Parent & Child

First Reconciliation Prayer Service

Jan. 8th 10:00 am in the Church

(Snow Date: Jan. 15th.)

Parent Gathering of First Eucharist

Jan. 24th 6:30pm in the Parish Center

St. Joseph's

All classes will meet all Levels, Kindergarten – Level 10

Confirmation prep meets from 11:15-12:15

Jan. 9th; 10:10-11:10 am

Jan. 16 MLK weekend No Class

Jan. 23rd; 30th 10:10-11:10 am

First Reconciliation & First Eucharist Prep

Jan. 9th 10:00am-1:pm

**First Reconciliation Retreat
 IN THE PARISH CENTER**

Jan. 22nd 10am First Reconciliation in the church

Jan. 30th 10:15am

**Level 2 Parent Meeting on Eucharist Prep
 In the Parish Center.**

Confirmation Prep

Jan 23rd Parent Meeting for all
 Confirmation Prep Candidates



St. Pauls Faith
 Formation
 Enjoying Christmas Celebration



Children's Liturgy of the Word
 At St. Joseph's 9:00 am Mass

Thank you to Jennifer Evans and Mary Snider for all their hard work preparing the children for the pageant. It was a blessed, song filled event for our faith community



The First Christmas
 Presented by the Children
 of St. Joseph's Church



Adult Continuous Faith Formation Program

There will be Class will Sunday, January 2nd.
 Our discussion topic will be Prayer. Learn how to have a two way conversation with God.



Class will be at
 St. Joseph
 Parish
 Lee Center

What a wonderful way to celebrate Sunday, our Holy Day, with one hour at Mass in worship and one hour in learning about our faith and the relationship God, our Father wants to have with us.

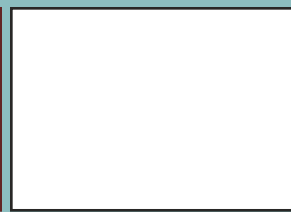


“Father, I bring all my plans for the year before you – only approve them if they are in line with your plan for me.”
 PROVERBS 19:21

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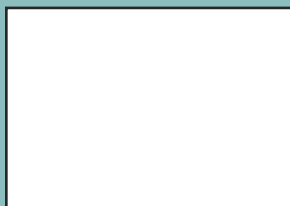
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