



BLESSED SACRAMENT CHURCH

A ROMAN CATHOLIC COMMUNITY IN BOLTON LANDING, NY... ALL ARE WELCOME !

MAY 15, 2022

This week's Services and Devotions...

Sunday, May 15

Mass, 10:30am

- † Rose, Dawn and Jay Horn
- † Rita Faller
- † Mary Ellen Valenty

Tuesday, May 17

Rosary, 9am

Thursday, May 19

Liturgy of the Word w/Communion, 9am

Saturday, May 21

Liturgy of the Word w/Communion, 9am

Sunday, May 22

Mass, 10:30am

- † Eugene Coleman
- † Teresa Catherine LaPosta
- † Keri Bennett
- † Amy Corcoran
- † Mary Lou McGurl

† Denotes Deceased



5TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

"I give you a new commandment: love one another. As I have loved you, so you also should love one another." - Jn 13:34

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Winter Mass schedule is in effect;

Sunday Mass at 10:30am

Eucharistic Adoration: First Saturday each month, 9:30-10:30am

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Before and after Sunday Mass upon request

Weddings, Baptisms, Funerals: All arrangements are made through Deacon Joe Tyrrell, our Parish Life Director, including arrangements for a priest, deacon and/or organist.

North Country Ministry: Please call 518-623-2829 if you wish to donate clothing, household goods, or furniture.

Food Pantry: Boxed or canned food, paper products, baby diapers, and personal hygiene items may be left in the Food Pantry Basket in the Church vestibule (no glass, please).

We at Blessed Sacrament Church, as a community of faith, are guided by the Holy Spirit and the love of the Eucharistic Lord. We are committed to continue the modern day work and example of the North American martyrs to which this parish is dedicated.





Welcome to all on the Fifth Sunday of Easter!
 Our celebration of the Resurrection continues as
 signs of new life surround us here in the Adirondacks!
 Thank you for joining us on Spring weekend!



Readings for the Week

First Reading: *They called the church together and reported what God had done with them. (Acts 14:27)*
 We hear in Acts how Paul and Barnabas formed Gentile-believing churches in cities of the eastern Roman Empire. What do you think is needed today to build a strong faith community?

Psalm: *I will praise your name for ever, my king and my God. (Ps 146)*

Second Reading: *“He will wipe every tear from their eyes, and there shall be no more death or mourning, wailing or pain, for the old order has passed away.” (Rev 21:4)*
 In John’s final visions, he sees “a new Jerusalem” coming down from heaven. God is fully present with humanity and there is no more suffering and death. How often do you think about the end-times?

Gospel: *I give you a new commandment: love one another. As I have loved you, so you also should love one another. (Jn 13:34)*
 As Jesus discussed his impending death with the disciples, he presents them with “a new commandment: love one another.” In what ways are you challenged by this commandment?

INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK

The resurrected Christ gives us the strength to do things we can never have imagined. Life will often give us mountains to climb, and we wonder how we will find the energy, ability, and determination to forge ahead. But, with a good dosage of faith and a fervent life of prayer we find ourselves succeeding and ascending to heights that once frightened us. What we realize after we have reached the other side is that this hardship we once saw as an obstacle has become a vehicle for something better and greater. We are stronger. The same is true with the Gospel. The prospect of loving one another may seem idealistic or unobtainable. Yet, when we risk moving beyond just looking out for or helping each other to actually **LOVING** each other, miracles happen. There is something wonderful that occurs with love. We see people in ways we never saw before, understanding and appreciating each other’s journey. Love leads to reverence. Faith is strengthened and we move on to try again. ©LPi

SUMMER SCHEDULE

Beginning Memorial Day Weekend, May 29, we will return to our Summer Mass Schedule...
 There will be two Sunday Masses at 9am and 10:30am.



Vigil Mass for the Feast of the Ascension

A Vigil Mass will be held for this Holy Day of Obligation here at Blessed Sacrament

Wednesday, May 25, at 6 p.m.



Have you been to the Liturgy of the Word with Communion here at Blessed Sacrament, held each Thursday and Saturday at 9am?



During this 25-30 minute service, led by Deacon Joe, we begin with an opening prayer, followed by daily Bible readings and a brief homily. There is open sharing from parishioners, prayer intentions, music and Communion. Join us!



Hurting from an abortion? Experience the healing love of Jesus Christ on a Rachel's Vineyard weekend retreat, May 20-22, 2022 at the Dominican Retreat & Conference Center in Niskayuna. The weekend will combine discussions, spiritual exercises, the Sacrament of Reconciliation, a Memorial Service and a Mass of Entrustment. Participation is strictly confidential and offers a beautiful opportunity to experience God's love, forgiveness, and compassion. The cost is \$195. Financial assistance is available. For more information or to register contact: Pat Mousaw, 518-222-1160 or Katie Bolibaugh, 518-495-3574 or e-mail: rachelsvineyardalbany@yahoo.com. For a complete listing of retreat dates and locations contact: 1-877-HOPE-4 ME or visit the Rachel's Vineyard website: www.rachelsvineyard.org.

Easter Season Prayer:

Resurrected Savior, during this Easter Season we thank You for the gift of hope that You gave us on Easter morning. Because of You we know that no problem is too difficult and even death does not have power over us. Because of You we know there is no sin too great to separate us from You. Our hearts are full of praise and gratitude as we celebrate Your resurrection. Amen.



RESTORE THE CHURCH – BUILD THE FUTURE

The theme for this year's Special Collection for the Catholic Church of Central and Eastern Europe is "Restore the Church – Build the Future". The Church in this region of the world continues to have great needs for its pastoral work. Your donations invest in future generations of Catholics: a gift of faith to the future.

Your support of this collection helps rebuild churches, support scholarships for ministry formation and supports the Catholic organizations that provide family support, food, shelter, medical care and education in this region. Please help by giving to the collection on **May 22, 2022**



Synod Listening Sessions

The Diocese of Albany is excited to announce the beginning phase in the worldwide "Synod on Synodality" initiated by Pope Francis.

The diocese is coordinating regional listening sessions for its 126 parishes, at which everyone is encouraged to share their opinions on what they are looking for from today's Church. Bishop Scharfenberger will be in attendance, lead the opening prayer, and spend time listening to the faithful.

The session for the Adirondack area will be held at **Our Lady of the Annunciation in Queensbury on June 28 at 6:30pm.**

Visit www.rcda.org/synod for more information and to register.

Offertory Report
May 1: \$1,689
May 8: \$1,568

Thank You!



We pray the Rosary here at Blessed Sacrament each Tuesday at 9am...join us!

Please pray for those who are sick or homebound, especially: Francesca Adamo, Debra Andersen, Dr. Richard Aulicino, Mary Jane Beaulieu, Betty Berke, Linda Berry, Jean Bureau, Matt Bury, Edward Byrne, Fibio Cardenas, Jerry Carr, Nicholas Clesceri, Don Colton, Father Paul Cox, Tom Crescitelli, Claudia Daubney, Pat Doyle, Ed Faetz, Barbara Field, Cate Foy, Jill Garbutt, Genna Giaramita, Doug Goettsche, Donna Graham, Rita Grainey, Jean Hall, Pat Helmstetter, Ethan Horstmyer, Bill Manion, Judy Mari, Michelle Martino, Lucille Maxwell, Frank McDonald, Gary McLaughlin, Dale Monroe, Linda Monroe, Martin Moran, Juanita Morch, Sherman Parker, Bill Phelan, Frank Ring, Joel Rivera, Stefanie Rozell, Judy and Dick Sammis, Noah Sargent, Ron Shelli, Katie Speicher, Janet Tinker, Sue Vanderpuy and Bob Yungk, Haven and Philip (Contact Pat Nugent for any changes to our prayer list. 518-668-2765)



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