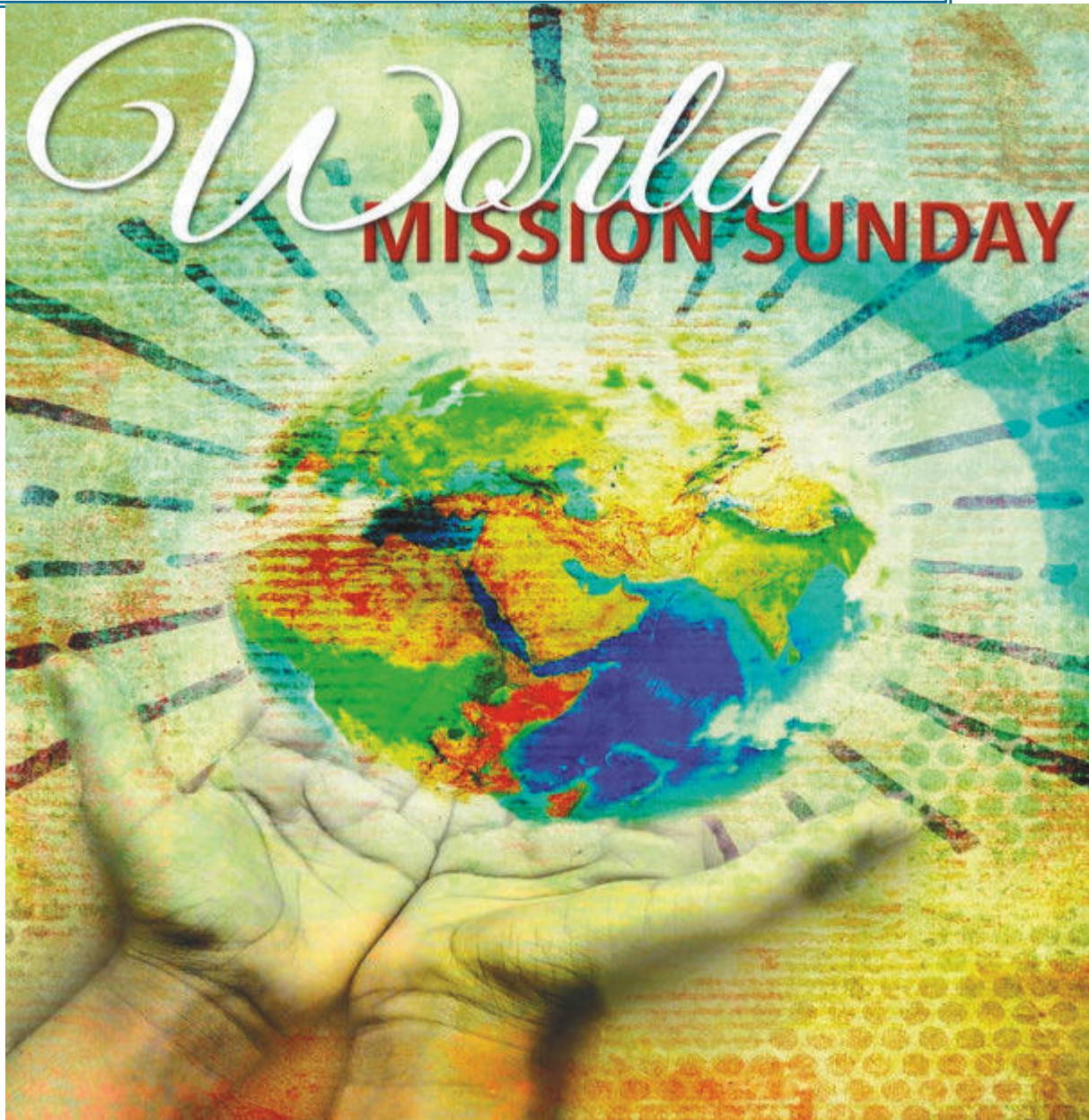


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October 24, 2021 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time



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**Adoration of  
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**Reconciliation :**  
Tuesday 5:30 – 6:45 pm  
(in Father Cliff's office, or by  
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appointment.)



**WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS  
OCTOBER 25-NOVEMBER 1**

- People of the Parish
- Joseph Moses  
*requested by Al & Jody*
- Rev. Joseph Scardella (Living Intention)  
*requested by Deacon Joe & Amy Casper*
- Anna Ventura  
*requested by Joe & Mary Ann Loffredo*
- Dennis Kenney  
*requested by Nancy Kenney & Family*
- Edward McManus  
*requested by Marty Lyons*
- Robert Streeter  
*requested by Anna Enos*
- Maureen Boak  
*requested by The Halleron Family*
- Tom Fenzl  
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- John Cox  
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For a \$10.00 donation you can have the Sanctuary Lamp or the lamp in front of the Divine Mercy Image burn for one week in memory or in honor of someone special or a loved one. To arrange this, call the Parish Office to see which weeks are available.

**PRIVATE PRAYER**  
The Church will be open for private prayer from 9 am – 4:00pm Monday – Thursday. Please enter through the North Door (across from the rectory).

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## Faith Formation News



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## FAITH FORMATION UPDATE

### Important Reminder:

The first workshop for First Reconciliation is this Sunday, October 24 at St. Augustine's. There will also be a short sacrament meeting for parents, right after drop off, in the hallway by the classrooms. The sacrament workshop and parent meeting are only for those receiving the sacraments this year. See more details below.

### Important Upcoming Dates:

#### First Reconciliation Workshop:

**October 24 from 5:30pm - 7:30pm**

This workshop will be held in the Gathering Room at St. Augustine's. Students must attend this workshop in its entirety to be eligible to receive the sacrament. A student must receive their First Reconciliation sacrament in order to receive their First Communion Sacrament.

#### Sacrament Parent Meeting:

**October 24 at 5:35pm**

Sacrament Parent Meeting will be held at Augustine's in the hallway by the classrooms.

#### Super Sunday (Grades 6 - 10):

**November 7 from 5:30pm - 8pm**

Super Sunday is for Grades 6-10 and will be held at St. Augustine's. Sign ups are coming soon.

#### Living the Lesson Assignment Due:

**November 7**

Living the Lesson assignment is due by this date in order to receive the 2 or 2.5 contact hours. Remember, students in grades 1, 2, 8, 9 and 10 must have 30 contact hours completed by the end of the Faith Formation year.

Visit [stmarysbbville.org/faithformation21-22](http://stmarysbbville.org/faithformation21-22) to see pictures of some awesome "Living the Lesson" activities that have been sent to us so far!

### Praying the Rosary

Please join us in praying the rosary on Tuesday evenings at 6:30 pm at St. Mary's Church. Also, the First Saturday Rosary will be prayed in the Chapel at St. Augustine's Church at 4:45 pm.

## Adult Faith Formation News

# YOU'RE INVITED TO THE SEARCH FINDING THE MEANING OF LIFE

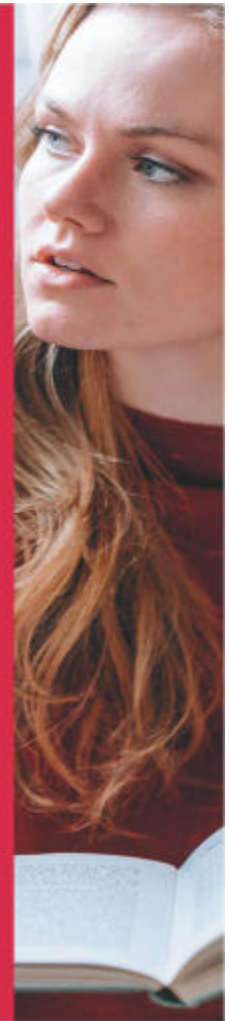
**OCTOBER 24- 27: EPISODE 4  
WHY A GOD?**

Your life is a story. And it's caught up in the great story of humanity. This great story, as we see it in the Scriptures, shows us the amazing love story that is God's pursuit of man. The God that is love created so we can ultimately be with his love. We were made to be with God. Union with God is so central to the purpose of life, we even see the afterlife in these terms. Our definition of Heaven is union with God, and hell is absence of Him. Your life has a plot. Your life has a purpose. Your life has value. We need to see how we fit into this big love story to begin to know why we exist. And that love of God isn't abstract. It has a face and name: Jesus.

Please join us for this very special seven week journey. Visit [stmarysbbville.org](http://stmarysbbville.org) for dates & times.

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### INVITE THE TRAVELING CROSS INTO YOUR HOME

The traveling Vocation Cross will go to one home a month. This is for all! We know we all are called! When you host the cross, you are committing to putting it in a prominent place in your house and praying a special prayer for vocations. You will get additional information and activities you can do if you would like. Please call the parish office or email Kerry Read at [readkm@me.com](mailto:readkm@me.com) to sign up or for more information.

We pray for all parishioners who have made a commitment to pray intensely for vocations, that their intercessory prayer for an increase of candidates for priesthood in our diocese will be fruitful for the Church, and they will be blessed for their efforts.

## SAFE ENVIRONMENT RECERTIFICATION SESSION

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 1 AT 6:30 PM

The Diocesan Office of Safe Environment is responsible for educating all clergy, members of a religious order, parish and diocesan employees, including those who have no contact with children, young people, or vulnerable adults; and adult volunteers whose ministry or role places them in regular contact with children, young people, or vulnerable adults about the prevention of sexual abuse. The required Safe Environment training also teaches attendees how to recognize predatory behaviors, and review proper boundaries, and maintain a culture of awareness, knowledge, and vigilance for those entrusted in our care. Interested parents are also encouraged to attend.

A Safe Environment recertification training session is scheduled on **Wednesday, December 1 from 6:30 pm to 8:00 pm** in St. Mary's Gathering Space. To register for the training session or to view the Safe Environment training calendar, please visit [www.syracusediocese.org/safe-environment/](http://www.syracusediocese.org/safe-environment/). Should you have any questions, please contact the Office of Safe Environment at 315.470.1421. Thank you!



There will be an Altar Server Training on Saturday, November 6 at 2 pm. Following training the Altar Servers will participate in their First Mass as Altar Servers.

## Respect Life



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Every October, we celebrate Respect Life Month. We consider more deeply why every human life is valuable and reflect on how to build a culture that protects life from conception to natural death. See the bulletin for more information.

### WORD OF LIFE

"I would now like to say a special word to women who have had an abortion. The Church is aware of the many factors which may have influenced your decision, and she does not doubt that in many cases it was a painful and even shattering decision. The wound in your heart may not yet have healed. ... But do not give in to discouragement and do not lose hope. ... The Father of mercies is ready to give you his forgiveness and his peace in the Sacrament of Reconciliation." -USCCB



**WEEKLY READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

Sunday: Jer 31:7-9/Ps 126:1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 6 [3]/Heb 5:1-6/  
Mk 10:46-52

Monday: Rom 8:12-17/Ps 68:2 and 4, 6-7ab, 20-21  
[21a]/Lk 13:10-17

Tuesday: Rom 8:18-25/Ps 126:1b-2ab, 2cd-3, 4-5, 6  
[3a]/Lk 13:18-21

Wednesday: Rom 8:26-30/Ps 13:4-5, 6 [6a]/Lk 13:22-30

Thursday: Eph 2:19-22/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5 [5a]/Lk 6:12-16

Friday: Rom 9:1-5/Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20/Lk 14:1-6

Saturday: Rom 11:1-2a, 11-12, 25-29/Ps 94:12-13a, 14-  
15, 17-18 [14a]/Lk 14:1, 7-11

Next Sunday: Dt 6:2-6/Ps 18:2-3, 3-4, 47, 51 [2]/Heb  
7:23-28/Mk 12:28b-34

**OBSERVANCES FOR THE WEEK**

Sunday: 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time; World Mission  
Sunday

Monday:

Tuesday:

Wednesday:

Thursday: Sts. Simon and Jude, Apostles

Friday:

Saturday: BVM

Next Sunday: 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time;

Priesthood Sunday; All Hallow's Eve

**40 DAYS FOR LIFE  
THRU OCTOBER 31**

Help save lives in Syracuse by joining in prayer, fasting and peaceful vigil for an end to abortion. God is doing great things in Syracuse, and invites us to be present at the abortion center to be a sign of Hope and a source of help to pregnant women in need! No experience is necessary, just a heart full of compassion for moms and their little ones. For questions, or to sign up contact Jeanie at 315-956-7772 or email [syracuse40daysforlife@gmail.com](mailto:syracuse40daysforlife@gmail.com). Thank you for your hour of prayer!

**BEREAVEMENT GROUP**

Are you grieving or know someone who has suffered the loss of a loved one? Please consider joining our Bereavement Group. Our overall goal is to help those who are grieving and mourning, realize that they are not alone. A safe and confidential environment is provided for all participants. Let us be companions on the journey. om 6:30 - 7:30 pm in Conference Room II. The meeting dates are October 27, November 3, 10, and 17. All are welcome!



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Becoming Catholic (RCIA)



Have YOU  
Thought About  
**BECOMING  
CATHOLIC?**

Are you interested in knowing what is involved in becoming Catholic? Is God inviting you - or someone you know to explore what a relationship with God as part of the Catholic community means? The process of becoming Catholic is very flexible and tailored to the needs of each individual.

St. Mary's and St. Augustine's will be working together to prepare people who desire to become Catholic to celebrate the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and/or Eucharist. For more information contact Amy Casper at 315-635-5762 or [acasper@syrдио.org](mailto:acasper@syrдио.org).

**MEDICARE OPEN ENROLLMENT**

Parishioner, Ed Gerrick from Ballard & Associates will be available in the Conference Room #2 to answer questions regarding Medicare during Open Enrollment after all the Masses on the following dates: 10/30-31, 11/13-14, 11/27-28, and 12/4-5. If you would like to set up an appointment with Ed, call 315-382-4425.

The Women of St. Mary's Book Group has reconvened. Please join us on the second Friday of the month at 10:30 am at Linda Jestin's house, 110 Meadow Street, in Baldwinsville. On November 12, we will be discussing, *In this Moment*, by Karen Kingsbury, a Christian author. If you are interested, please call the office to let us know if you are interested. Covid guidelines are important to us.

### HOPE APPEAL UPDATE

Thank you to everyone who has responded to the Hope Appeal. Right now we are at 60% of reaching our goal. Anything over our goal is returned to the parish. Envelopes are available in the pew for your convenience.

### ALL SOULS DAY MASS OF REMEMBRANCE

All are invited to the Mass of Remembrance on Saturday October 30 at 4 pm. All those who have died from our parish between November 1, 2020 – October 31, 2021, will be remembered at this Mass.

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**Week of October 24**

### COUNSELING SERVICES

John C Sopchak is a Marriage and Family Therapist based out of Syracuse, and his medical specialization is Marriage & Family Therapist. John is available for parishioners of St. Mary's and St. Augustine's. For an appointment, please call 315-466-1416.

## Parish Directory

**Office Hours: Mon - Thurs 9am - 4pm**  
**Friday: Office Closed**

**Parish Phone:** (315) 635-5762  
**Parish Email:** stmarysbbville@syrddio.org

### Parish Staff

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Catherine Mackey, <i>Director of Faith Formation</i>	Ext. 110
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Renee Romance, <i>Adoration Coordinator</i>	
Ryan Schaffer, <i>Director of Music</i>	Ext. 112

### Information:

**Baptism:** Please call the Parish Office (ext. 100) to make arrangements.

**Marriage:** Please call the Parish Office at least six months in advance to make arrangements.

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

**Reconciliation:** 5:30 -6:45 pm in the office on Tuesdays or call the Parish Office for an appointment.

**If you are moving:** Please call or email the Parish Office with your new address and phone number or to let us know if you will be leaving our parish.

### PRAYER INTENTION REQUESTS

To submit a prayer intention for the weekly Spiritual Connection, email stmarysbbville@syrddio.org or call the office 315-635- 5762 by Monday at 10AM. The intention will appear once, unless you submit it again.



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