

# St. Mary of the Assumption

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December 25, 2021 Christmas Day



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*In Residence (St. Augustine)*

**Deacon**  
Dc. Joseph R. Casper

**Weekend Masses**  
Saturday Vigil 4 pm  
Sunday 7:30am & 9am

**Daily Masses**  
Monday 10:00 am  
Tuesday 7:00pm

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**Please Note:**  
*There will be no  
10 AM Mass,  
Monday December 27*

*There will be no  
Adoration, Confessions, or 7PM  
Mass on Tuesday, December 28.*



**WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS  
DECEMBER 27-JANUARY 2**

- People of the Parish
- Elizabeth "Betty" Lynch  
*requested by Deacon Joe and Amy Casper*
- Kit & Don Cole  
*requested by Burhart Family*
- Vanessa McCarthy  
*requested by The McCarthy Family*
- Leo McCarthy  
*requested by John & Mary Salisbury*
- Father Fred Pompey  
*requested by Chris & Jim Kimak*
- Larry Keefe  
*requested by Rose Angotti*
- John & Marie Morehouse  
*requested by Their Children*
- John Cox  
*requested by Fred & Bob Zollo*
- Peggy Commenda  
*requested by Maggie Scholten*
- Rev. Joseph Scardella (Living Intention)  
*requested by Sue McManus*

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**WORLD MARRIAGE DAY CELEBRATION**

The 39th Annual World Marriage Day will be celebrated on February 13, at 2:00 pm at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, Syracuse. The Most Reverend Douglas J. Lucia will celebrate Mass and invites all couples in attendance to renew their commitment to Holy Matrimony. He will specially honor couples who will celebrate their 25th, 50th, and beyond 50th Anniversary in 2022. If celebrating your 25th, 50th, or 50+ anniversary in 2022, please contact the parish office to receive a special invitation from Bishop Lucia.

**SANCTUARY LAMP**

The Sanctuary Lamp burns in memory of:

Daniel Luke Family

*Requested by: The Luke Family*



**COVID PROTOCOL UPDATE**

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. It is Bishop Lucia's expectation that all parishes in the Diocese of Syracuse will cooperate with this important public health matter and comply with the mask mandate. This mandate applies to Mass attendance as well as any activity taking place on our campus. We appreciate your cooperation.



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

**Parish Support**

Weekend of December 12: \$11,774.00  
Weekly amount needed to meet budget:  
\$10,230.77

*Thank you for generosity and all your support!*



**St. Mary's  
Academy  
News**



**KINDERGARTEN NEWS**

December has been a month filled with excitement and joy for the Kindergarteners. We have been learning about the important components of non-fiction text by reading and writing about reindeer. We were really surprised to learn they can sleep standing up!!

Everyone loves gingerbread at Christmas so we read a large assortment of gingerbread stories that we compared and contrasted. We ended our unit by using our senses to describe gingerbread cookies, and graphing what part of the gingerbread man we eat first.

We have also been busy comparing numbers in math, learning our sight words, blending our short vowel words and writing about our classroom elf. Most importantly, we have been working on small things we can do daily during Advent to prepare for Jesus' birthday.

Now we are looking forward to setting our New Year's goals for 2022! The Kindergartners would like to wish you all a blessed holiday season.



**Faith Formation News**

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**December 12, 2021**  
Our youth attended Mass at St. Mary's with their families and made their First Reconciliation in preparation for their First Communion.

**Important Upcoming Dates:**

**December 30, 2021:** Living the Lesson assignments are due.  
**January 9, 2022 from 5:30pm - 8pm:** Super Sunday at St. Augustine's for Grades 6 - 10.  
**February 22 - 25, 2022 from 9am - 12pm daily:** Winter Break Faith Formation session at St. Augustine's for Grades 6 - 10.

[stmarysbbville.org/faithformation21-22](http://stmarysbbville.org/faithformation21-22)

*SHINING OUR LIGHT AS  
A NEW YEAR BEGINS!  
FRIDAY,  
DECEMBER 31, 2021  
NEW YEAR'S EVE  
5:00 - 7:00 pm*

Stop by!  
Luminaries will be lit outside  
St. Mary's Church.  
The beautifully decorated Church will  
be open for you to visit and pray!  
6:00 pm short prayer service  
**MAY YOU HAVE MANY BLESSINGS IN  
2022!**

**WEEKLY READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

Sunday: Mi 5:1-4a/Ps 80:2-3, 15-16, 18-19 [4]/Heb 10:5-10/Lk 1:39-45  
 Monday: Is 7:10-14/Ps 24:1-2, 3-4ab, 5-6 [cf. 7c and 10b]/Lk 1:26-38  
 Tuesday: Sg 2:8-14 or Zep 3:14-18a/Ps 33:2-3, 11-12, 20-21 [1a; 3a]/Lk 1:39-45  
 Wednesday: 1 Sm 1:24-28/1 Sm 2:1, 4-5, 6-7, 8abcd [cf. 1a]/Lk 1:46-56  
 Thursday: Mal 3:1-4, 23-24/Ps 25:4-5ab, 8-9, 10 and 14 [cf. Lk 21:28]/Lk 1:57-66  
 Friday: Morning: 2 Sm 7:1-5, 8b-12, 14a, 16/Ps 89:2-3, 4-5, 27 and 29 [2]/Lk 1:67-79  
 Saturday: Vigil: Is 62:1-5/Ps 89:4-5, 16-17, 27, 29 [2a]/Acts 13:16-17, 22-25/  
 Mt 1:1-25 or 1:18-25  
 Night: Is 9:1-6/Ps 96:1-2, 2-3, 11-12, 13 [Lk 2:11]/Ti 2:11-14/Lk 2:1-14  
 Dawn: Is 62:11-12/Ps 97:1, 6, 11-12/Ti 3:4-7/Lk 2:15-20  
 Day: Is 52:7-10/Ps 98:1, 2-3, 3-4, 5-6 [3c]/Heb 1:1-6/Jn 1:1-18 or 1:1-5, 9-14  
 Next Sunday: Sir 3:2-6, 12-14/Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5 [cf. 1]/Col 3:12-21 or 3:12-17/Lk 2:41-52 or 1 Sm 1:20-22, 24-28/Ps 84:2-3, 5-6, 9-10 [cf. 5a]/1 Jn 3:1-2, 21-24/Lk 2:41-52

**OBSERVANCES FOR THE WEEK OF DECEMBER 26**

Sunday: The Holy Family  
 Monday: St. John, Apostle and Evangelist  
 Tuesday: The Holy Innocents, Martyrs  
 Wednesday: St. Thomas Becket, Bishop and Martyr  
 Thursday:  
 Friday: St. Sylvester I, Pope; New Year's Eve  
 Saturday: New Year's Day; Mary, The Holy Mother of God; World Day of Peace  
 Next Sunday: The Epiphany of the Lord; Sts. Basil the Great and Gregory Nazianzen, Bishops and Doctors of the Church

**Christmas Prayer**

Today marks the end of the Advent season and the beginning of the Christmas season. We have lighted four candles these past four weeks and asked God to help us be present to our neighbors and friends. Now in the Christmas season we are called to be Christ in the flesh to our world. Let us pray...

God,

you became human through the obedience of a simple young woman named Mary.

Mary is our model of faith.

May we be faithful to your word as Mary was.

Give us the courage to face each day with the yes that Mary gave to you.

We ask this through the incarnate God, who comes to us again during this Christmas season.

**Sunday, December 26th: The Holy Family**

7:30am Mass in the Church

9:00am Mass in the Church

**New Year's Eve, Friday December 31**

No New Year's Eve Vigil as this is not a Holy Day of Obligation

New Year's Day Solemnity of Mary, The Most Holy Mother of God. Since this Holy Day falls on a Saturday the obligation to attend Mass is dispensed.

**Masses: Epiphany of the Lord**

4:00 PM, January 1st

7:30am Mass, January 2nd

9:00am Mass, January 2nd

**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 OFFICE CLOSED**

The Parish Office will be closed for the Christmas Holiday, on the following dates:

Monday, December 27 and

Tuesday, December 28.

We will reopen on Wednesday, December 29.

**FORMED**

**FORMED:** *Watch:* Christmas as "Christ's Mass": The Manger and the Eucharist

*Listen:* Children/Family: The Story of Christmas with Brother Francis

*Read* (Kindle or EPUB): The Blessing of Christmas - Cardinal Joseph Ratzinger:Pope Benedict XVI

*Watch:* Formed Now: The Twelve Days of Christmas

*Watch:* Formed Now: The Litany of the Infant Jesus

Thank you to our Parishioners who donated Christmas Plants in honor or in memory of their loved ones, which made our church look beautiful during the Christmas season.

John & Millicent Adsit  
 Bruno & Veronica Altenburg  
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 Maryella Annal  
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 Josephine Michalski  
 Mathew Michalski  
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 Barbara A. Miller  
 Germaine Mott  
 Nelson Family  
 Niver Family  
 Janet O'Hara  
 Robert O'Hara  
 Frank & Mary Papalia  
 Betsey Paranteau  
 Deceased members of Pastella Family  
 Peter Pawlikowski

Peter & Ann Pawlikowski  
 Dick Pengiolz  
 Sarah Perkins  
 Richard & Evelyn Perkins  
 Perrin Family  
 Laurence & Mary Peterson  
 Raymond/Robert Peterson  
 Alonzo/Laurence Peterson  
 Joan Peterson  
 Pirro Family  
 Placito Family  
 Anna Marie Ponto  
 Marjorie Quinell  
 Deceased members of Quinn Family  
 John Reeves  
 Regan Family  
 Rendino Family  
 Robbins Family  
 Rodman Family  
 Patricia Rosevelt  
 Roy Rossi  
 Dorothy Roth  
 Carl Roth  
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 Dooley Schrank  
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 Michael Sheridan  
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 Lottie Sojdak  
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 Rose Supple  
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 Underhill Family  
 Chris Vann  
 William Wafful  
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 Lucille Williams  
 Duane Woodall  
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 Adam, June, & Bob Wysoski  
 Rolf Ziegler  
 Ursula Ziegler





## Parish Directory

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

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### Parish Staff

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### 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.

**PLEASE NOTE: THERE WILL BE NO  
ADORATION OF  
THE BLESSED SACRAMENT THIS WEEK**

"In a diocese as large as ours, my Catholic Sun column is one important way I am able to talk to and accompany the faithful entrusted to my care...."

I hope, like me, you will be an avid supporter and reader of our diocesan newspaper."

— Bishop Douglas J. Lucia



The word 'Welcome' is written in a large, white, cursive font, set against a dark blue background with light blue brushstrokes.

Welcome to our parish! We are so glad that you have joined us today. We hope you find everything you need. If you have been attending here for awhile, please join our parish family by going to our website and registering or by contacting the parish office at 315-635-5762.





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