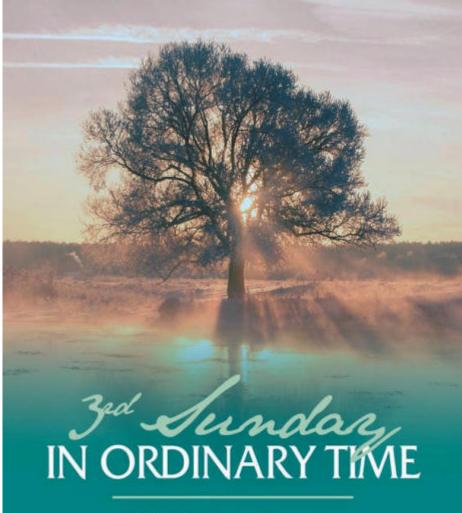
St. Mary of the Assumption 47 Syracuse St, Baldwinsville, NY 13027 (315) 635-5762 www.stmarysbville.org January 23, 2022 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time





"The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me to bring glad tidings to the poor." - Lk 4:18a

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass @2001, 1998, 1970 CCD.

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**Deacon** Dc. Joseph R. Casper Weekend MassesSaturday Vigil4 pmSunday7:30am & 9amDaily MassesMonday 10:00 amTuesday 7:00pm

St. Mary's Academy Phone (315) 635-3977 www.smabville.org Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Novena in Church Tuesday 9:00am - 6:45pm

**Reconciliation :** Tuesday 5:30 – 6:45 pm (in Father Cliff's office, or by calling the Parish Office for an appointment. www.stmarysbville.org



People of the Parish Mariette Girard requested by Ron Girard Leo McCarthy, Jr. requested by Julie Babcock Millar family requested by The Karn Family Michael Ferrell requested by Madeline Kelly Molly Engels requested by Erna Pulver Phil Falise requested by Cynthia Falise



#### DIVINE MERCY LAMP

The Divine Mercy Lamp burns in memory of: Joseph Burkhart *Requested by:* Fernandez Family



On the first weekend of each month, we will be collecting non perishable food items for the local pantry. Please place your food items in the barrels located at the entrances of the church.



## COVID PROTOCOL UPDATE

New York State has instituted a mask mandate in all public places. 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 stmarysbville@syrdio.org or call the office 315-635- 5762 by Monday at 10AM. The intention will appear once, unless you submit it again.

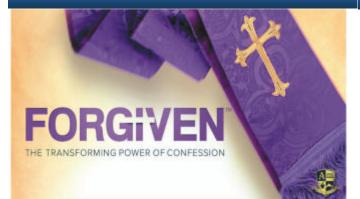
Parish Support January 9: \$ 8,754.55 Weekly amount needed to meet budget: \$10,230.77 Thank you for generosity and all your support!

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#### January 23, 2022

# **Adult Faith Formation**



# **BIBLE STUDY**

Forgiven: The Transforming Power of Confession Six Week Series Mondays starting January 24, 2022\* TIME: 7:00 – 8:00 pm LOCATION: Gathering Space No registration required.

Explores the grace and healing offered in Confession and shows how this sacrament of mercy reveals the depth and bounty of God's love. By looking at God's revelation of his mercy in Scripture and making a step-by-step examination of the Rite itself, Forgiven communicates God's invitation to each one of us to come experience his indescribable love in the Sacrament of Reconciliation.

Visit stmarysbville.org to view the trailer!

\*This is a NEW starting date. Bible study will NOT meet on February 21, 2022 (President's Day)



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. Youth Faith Formation News

# WE ARE ONE

Learning, Loving, and Living our Catholic Faith



#### UPDATES:

#### Winter Break Faith Formation Session for Grades 6-10!

Don't forget, we will have a four day long Winter Break Faith Formation session for students in grades 6-10 during February break!

This will take place at St. Augustine's from 9am – 12pm daily from Tuesday, February 22 – Friday, February 25. The students and families will also attend Mass on Sunday, February 27. This week will be worth a total of 13 hours of credit! Students must attend Mass on Sunday and class each day of the week in order to earn the 13 hours. Sorry, we cannot allow students to attend some days and not others for partial credit. Check your email or visit the website to register.



#### "Homelessness is One Paycheck Away" Assignment

This is an assignment that can be completed at home in order to receive the credit hours for the cancelled in person classes last weekend. Remember, your child is not required to do the assignment, but completing the work at home and submitting it by the due date will count towards their credit hours. Or, they can attend extra in person classes to obtain the hours, if desired. Whichever works best for your child and family!

Assignments were sent out by email on Wednesday, January 5 at 6:00pm.

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#### St. Mary of the Assumption

#### WEEKLY READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday: Neh 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15/1 Cor 12:12-30 or 12:12-14, 27/

Lk 1:1-4; 4:14-21

Monday: 2 Sm 5:1-7, 10/Ps 89:20, 21-22, 25-26/Mk 3:22-30 Tuesday: Acts 22:3-16 or Acts 9:1-22/Ps 117: 1bc, 2/Mk

16:15-18

Wednesday: 2 Tm 1:1-8 or Ti 1:1-5/Ps 89:4-5, 27-28, 29-30/ Mk 4:1-20

Thursday: 2 Sm 7:18-19, 24-29/Ps 132:1-2, 3-5, 11, 12, 13-14/Mk 4:21-25

Friday: 2 Sm 11:1-4a, 5-10a, 13-17/Ps 51:3-4, 5-6a, 6bcd-7, 10 -11/Mk 4:26-34

Saturday: 2 Sm 12:1-7a, 10-17/Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 16-17/Mk 4:35-41

Next Sunday: Jer 1:4-5, 17-19/Ps 71:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 15-17 [cf. 15ab]/

1 Cor 12:31 – 13:13 or 13:4-13/Lk 4:21-30

#### **OBSERVANCES FOR THE WEEK:**

Sunday: 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time; St. Vincent, Deacon and Martyr; St. Marianne Cope, Virgin Monday: St. Francis de Sales, Bishop and Doctor of the Church Tuesday: The Conversion of St. Paul the Apostle

Wednesday: Sts. Timothy and Titus, Bishops

Thursday: St. Angela Merici, Virgin

Friday: St. Thomas Aquinas, Priest and Doctor of the Church

Saturday:

Next Sunday: 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time; Celebrate Catholic Schools Week

#### ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Tuesday's 9:00 am - 6:30PM Rosary followed by Miraculous Novena 7:00PM Mass "Spend as much time as possible in front of the Blessed Sacrament and He will fill you with His strength and His power." – Mother Teresa

#### **Project Rachel - Healing After Abortion**

Guilt, shame and remorse after an abortion-no matter how long ago-are common emotions. God loves you and wants you to experience forgiveness and peace. You are not alone. Contact *Project Rachel Ministry* at 855-364-0076

or <u>hopeandhealing@syrdio.org</u>. Our experienced team members are here for you and want to help. We also can talk with you individually and there is a *Day of Hope* for Women on April 30, 2022. All calls and emails are strictly confidential.



Winter weather is upon us! With its arrival, we want to make sure our parishioners are up-to-date on our cancellation and closing policies. Please note that at all times, everyone is urged to use their own judgement as to whether or not traveling is safe.

#### PARISH OFFICE & MASS:

If Baldwinsville School District is <u>**DELAYED**</u>, there will be no morning daily Mass, and on Tuesdays, Adoration will begin at Noon.

If Baldwinsville School District <u>CLOSES</u>, the Parish Office will be closed and there will be no daytime or evening activities (including Adoration and daily Mass). This information will be posted on our website and Facebook, as well as television stations when possible. (Weekend Masses will not be cancelled.)

#### FAITH FORMATION:

If the Baldwinsville School District closes or cancels after school activities, evening Faith Formation classes scheduled for that day will be cancelled. This will be posted on television stations, our website, and Facebook. Mrs. Mackey will also send out an email alert to parents.



#### 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).

#### **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.

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Please Join Bishop Douglas J. Lucia for a Synodal Listening Session

Wednesday, January 26 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church Baldwinsville

Visit stmarysbyille.org for details.

THE PRAYER OF THE SYNOD Adsumus Sancte Spiritus

We stand before You, Holy Spirit, as we gather together in Your name. With You alone to guide us, make Yourself at home in our hearts; Teach us the way we must go and how we are to pursue it. We are weak and sinful; do not let us promote disorder. Do not let ignorance lead us down the wrong path nor partiality influence our actions. Let us find in You our unity so that we may journey together to eternal life and not stray from the way of truth and what is right. All this we ask of You, who are at work in every place and time, in the communion of the Father and the Son, forever and ever. Amen.

## **Meetings Subject to Cancellation**

If you are planning to attend an event at our parish, please be sure to check to be sure it is still scheduled. Meetings may be subjected to change due to COVID.

#### JOIN A LIVING ROSARY FROM THE COMFORT OF YOUR HOME!

Are you interested in honoring Our Lady through prayer? Do you have 3 minutes a day to focus on that prayer? Would you like to join a community of like minded parishioners from the privacy of your own home? The times are flexible and fits into your personal schedule. If your answer to these questions is Yes, you may be interested in joining our newly forming Living Rosary. For more information contact Kathleen Klier at (315) 565-8296 or <u>ktklier3@gmail.com</u>.

## **3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Human history reveals many periods where people lost a sense of God's transcendence. It may even be argued that human beings have been wandering and lost more than they have been at home and focused. Human nature being what it is, we struggle with who God really is — the God of our salvation history or the "gods" of human constructs. Relying on our own designs and pursuits, we forget that we really are meant to listen to One upon whom the Spirit of the Lord rests, Jesus Christ, and not to ourselves. That same history that reveals our fickleness and infidelity also reveals God's constancy and faithfulness. God always finds us.

As people wander and fumble to find their way, God is there bringing them back to holiness and giving them the assurance of His presence. We have to allow God's Word, God's life, to touch us and change us. It can make us more flexible and attentive to the sacred in all facets of life so that every day is one that is holy. Every day is a time when fulfillment is possible for one's soul. Jesus stood before those gathered in the synagogue as the fulfillment of words of promise that were echoed long ago. God doesn't forget. He always comes for us.

Now it is time to remember to go to God. Sometimes our lives are so confused and tangled that it is difficult to see the Word and hand of God. But when we realize, deep within, the depth of friendship God offers to us it really has the power to turn sadness to joy. The promise is fulfilled. Going frequently to God's Word, allowing ourselves to be enriched and rejuvenated, and pondering the certainly of God's fidelity and promise permanently transforms us. We will be more aware of the sacred and the holy and less invested in things that pull us away.



Join thousands of Catholics nationwide in the annual Respect Life novena, *9 Days for Life*, Wednesday, January 19 – Thursday, January 27. Get daily intentions, brief reflections, and more. Sign up

# FORMED

**<u>FORMED</u>**: <u>Watch</u>: Formed Daily: What role does patience play in our lives? Learn from St. Francis de Sales (Feast 1/24)

Listen: Audiobook: Saint Paul by Pope Benedict XVI Watch: Formed Live: The Conversion of St. Paul

(1/25) Listen: Pints with Aquinas Podcasts (1/28)

Watch: YDisciple: Walk Through the Mass



## 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 <u>readkm@me.com</u> 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.

# **Parish Directory**

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

Parish Phone: (315) 635-5762 Parish Email: stmarysbville@syrdio.org

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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.

#### **2021 CONTRIBUTIONS**

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