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6TH SUNDAY
OF EASTER

"Peace I leave with you."
- Jn 14:27a

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MAY 22, 2022 | 6TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

WELCOME TO OUR PARISH!

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& John P. Donovan, JCL (Moderator)

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The Roman Catholic Community of Western Broome

OUR MISSION

THE MISSION OF OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL PARISH IS "TO BRING OUR COMMUNITY INTO A LIVING RELATIONSHIP WITH CHRIST."

The mission of the Catholic community of ST. AMBROSE is to grow in faith and spirituality as we seek to proclaim and live the gospel through our liturgy, prayer and charitable works for all God's people."

PRAYER & WORSHIP

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ST. AMBROSE & OLGC DAILY SCHEDULE & MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, May 21 —

4:00 PM Mass (**At St. Ambrose**)

+ Donald Ousterout / *Jim & Nancy Fields*
+ George Bombaski / *John Bombaski*

Sunday, May 22 — 6th Sunday of Easter

7:30 AM Mass (**At OLGC**)

+ Olga White / *Elaine Closser*

10:00 AM Mass (**At OLGC**) *Livestreamed OLGC YouTube Channel*

+ Mass for the People & Vocations

Monday, May 23 —

Mass at St. Anthony of Padua at 8:30 a.m.

Tuesday, May 24 —

12:05 PM Mass (**At St. Ambrose**)

+ Raymond Wright / *The White & Jacobs Families*
+ All Mothers Living & Deceased

Wednesday, May 25 —

8:30 AM Mass - *Miraculous Medal Novena* (**At OLGC**)

+ Sally Masters / *Mary Ann*

9:00—10:00 AM - Adoration of the Holy Eucharist

5:30 PM—Ascension Vigil Mass (**At OLGC**)

+ Raymond Gasbarra, Sr. / *Donna Scales*

Thursday, May 26 — The Ascension of The Lord

Mass at St. Joseph Church at 8:30 a.m.

12:05 PM Mass (**At St. Ambrose**)

+ Jay McIntyre / *Don & Helen Makers*

Friday, May 27 -

12:05 PM Mass (**At St. Ambrose**)

+ Dan Kozarski / *Friend*
+ Living & Deceased Sullivan & Monticello Families /
Larry & Ann Sullivan

Saturday, May 28 —

4:00 PM Mass (**At St. Ambrose**)

+ Helen Yescensky / *Gary & Donna Yesensky*

Sunday, May 29 — 7th Sunday of Easter

7:30 AM Mass (**At OLGC**)

+ Anthony Consol / *Sister, Mary*

10:00 AM Mass (**At OLGC**) *Livestreamed OLGC YouTube Channel*

+ Mary VanVleet / *Pat Cargill*

The **ST. AMBROSE SANCTUARY LAMP** burns this week for the soul of Sandra Conroy / Tina Wagner.

The **OLGC SANCTUARY LAMP** burns this week for the soul of Joanie Golden / Marie & Larry.



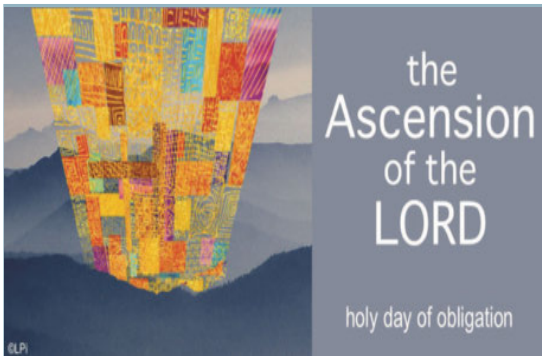
From the Desk of ...

Dear Parishioners, Friends, and Visitors,

By the time you read this, Michael Carroll and Paul Heiland will have already knelt before Bishop Lucia at the Cathedral and received the Sacrament of Holy Orders. Paul and Michael were ordained as **“Permanent Deacons”**, meaning there is no intention to become a priest. Every priest and Bishop you know was ordained a “Transitional Deacon” for a period of about 6 months during their journey to the Priesthood. Our newest Deacons have been studying for almost 8 years, first through Formation for Ministry, then through a formal period of study for the Diaconate. During this time when they had regular classes in Syracuse, they have also been meeting with me to gain insights and practical knowledge about the actual duties of a deacon. I am very proud of both these men and am in awe of the hard work and dedication they have to God and Church. Both have been assigned by the Bishop to minister at OLGC at this time. You will begin to see Paul and Michael “being deacons” at masses, baptisms, weddings and funerals, plus whatever else their pastor asks them to do. May their time as Deacons be fruitful and filled with Christ’s love.

On another note, we have not had a second collection for our **Girl’s School in Uganda** for over a year. Normally we do that for Mother’s Day, but just to be different, this year we are asking you to be generous in a second collection on Father’s day, June 19. As always, the faces of the girls, happy and thankful are all the reward we need.

Deacon Tom



Mass Schedule

Wednesday, May 25th,

Vigil 5:30 p.m.

Our Lady of Good Counsel

Thursday, May 26th

12:05 p.m. St. Ambrose

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MASS OFFERING

Thank you for your offerings to our parishes and your support throughout the year.

St. Ambrose total: \$ 4306.00

OLGC total: \$ 5803.70



Saint of the Week

Like Elizabeth Ann Seton, Rita of Cascia was a wife, mother, widow, and member of a religious community. Her holiness was reflected in each phase of her life. Born at Roccaporena in central Italy, Rita wanted to become a nun but was pressured at a young age into marrying a harsh and cruel man. During her 18-year marriage, she bore and raised two sons. After her husband was killed in a brawl and her sons had died, Rita tried to join the Augustinian nuns in Cascia. Unsuccessful at first because she was a widow, Rita eventually succeeded. Over the years, her austerity, prayerfulness, and charity became legendary. When she developed wounds on her forehead, people quickly associated them with the wounds from Christ’s crown of thorns. She meditated frequently on Christ’s passion. Her care for the sick nuns was especially loving. She also counseled lay people who came to her monastery. Beatified in 1626, Rita was not canonized until 1900. She has acquired the reputation, together with Saint Jude, as a saint of impossible cases. Many people visit her tomb each year.

THE SACRAMENTS

Reconciliation: At OLG: C

Wednesday, 8:00 am

At St. Ambrose: Tuesday, 11:30 am and Saturday, 2:30 pm

Baptism: Baptisms may be scheduled during Masses or outside of Mass. For information and to schedule a date, please contact the parish office.

Marriage: Arrangements should be made with our staff at least six months in advance with parish staff.

RCIA Program: Persons wishing to explore the Catholic faith and receive the sacraments of initiation, please contact the parish office.

Pastoral Ministry: Parishioners confined to home who would like to receive the Eucharist should contact the parish office.

PRAYER REQUESTS

For the sick of St. Ambrose & OLG: C

Charlotte Adams, AMMC, Antoinette Apicella, ToniAnn Apicella, Erin Babicek, Jackie & Bob Balsie, Mary Barcomb, James Battaglini, Barbara Beebe, Sharon Belcher, Chuck Biviano, Tyler Blazey, Jerry & Janice Bouton, William Breslin, Julie Brezee, Irene Brooks, Dave Burkle, Jane & Jim Burns, Ethel Butler, Carol, Anthony Capozzi, Maria Carroll, Anita Casella, Chris Chechatka, Hugo Ciccone, David Coleman, Thomas Cotasek, Larry Davis, Diane Dimon, Sharon Dorman, Douglas Dorman, Marge F., Tammy & William Fabrizi, Fil Fabrizio, Tom & Mary Farley, Michael P. Farrell, Rick Fitzpatrick, Edward Fraiser, Frank Frankovsky, Virginia Freedman, Raymond Gasbarra, Tricia Goodenough, Baby Cal Harmon, Justin Hoetzel, John Irving, J.M., Kevin Jackowski, Cathy Jamieson, Sandra Johnson, Jeanne Jones, Lois Kauczka, Ken Klawiter, Bernie Knight, Joan Knoop, Joan Kovalich, Alison Krymowski, Anne Marie Kuzma, Don LaBarre, Joyce LaRose, Cindi Lee, Grace Lewis, Karen Longo, Jade Lucky, Jim M., Julia M., Tom & Denise M., Joe Mariano, Catherine McKeveny, Kevin McNulty, Danny Mannetti, Elsie Morgan, Dawn Muscio, Karen Nash, Jerry Natoli, Dolly Onufer, Rose Pauk, David Quinn, Janet Reed, Joel Rivera, James Rossi, Sr., Margaret S., Gloria Seward, Jaimie Sherling, Mason Shoen, Chuck Sinclair, James Sisenstein, Julian Smith, Annette Smith, R. Smith, Richard Stank, Donna Tangorra, Pat Ulmen, John Unger, Patricia Vandermark, Joann Wage, John Wazowicz, Ellen Williams, Sue White, Terry White, Charlene M. Yoest, Janet Zuraski

HAVE A PRAYER REQUEST?

Call the parish office of either St. Ambrose or OLG: C to have someone placed on the bulletin prayer list. Names will be left on the list for 1 month. At the end of that time, names will be removed unless you call the office to request continuation.

PRAYER NETWORK

To be added to our **Prayer Network** (a group of Faithful Praying Parishioners) please contact the following: OLG: C call Ginny M. @ 444-3268 or 201-9910 or St. Ambrose call Kathleen Tinklepaugh @ 607-785-5462.

IMPORTANT

PLEASE NOTE: IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO RECEIVE COMMUNION ON THE TONGUE, PLEASE GO TO THE END OF THE PRIEST'S LINE. THANK YOU. IF UNION-ENDICOTT SCHOOLS ARE CLOSED, THERE WILL BE NO MASSES FOR THAT DAY.

St. Ambrose Faith in Action

May Spiritual Works of Mercy

Pray for the Living & Dead

Prayer: St. Gertrude the Great prayer helps our loved ones that have passed away, to find their way into the eternal paradise promised to us all. It was through Gertrude's prayer that the Lord communicated to her. He promised her that every time her prayer is said devoutly, he would ease the suffering of 1000 souls, and release them from purgatory, welcoming them into heaven. **Pray St. Gertrude's prayer daily!!!**

U.S. MILITARY PRAYER LIST

ARMY: Zachary Riley, Garrett Hendershott, Tyler Spadine, Josh Sherling, Ryan Parks, Connor Hanafin, Alex Pfister, Thomas Beebe, John Hashem

NAVY: Jon Donaldson, Mitchel Carroll, Dylan Urban, Robert Schmidt,

AIR FORCE: Alex Clark, James Sweeney

MARINES: Scott Kupres, Zachary Reardon, Shawn Runne

NATIONAL GUARD: Dominic Barillaro, Jeffery Kneer III, Shannon Sweeney

RESERVES: Michael Spadine

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE —

St. Ambrose Parish

Tuesday, May 24	11:15 a.m. Rosary 11:30 a.m. Reconciliation 11:35 a.m. Miraculous Medal Novena 12:05 Mass 12:30 Legion of Mary
Wednesday, May 25	7:00 p.m. Choir Practice
Thursday, May 26	10:00 a.m. Knitters Group 12:05 p.m. Mass The Ascension of The Lord
Friday, May 27	11:15 a.m. Rosary 12:05 Mass
Saturday, May 28	2:30 Reconciliation, 4:00 Mass

Our Lady of Good Counsel Church

Wednesday, May 25	7:45 a.m. Rosary 8:00 a.m. Reconciliation 8:30 a.m. Mass 9:00 a.m. Adoration of Holy Eucharist 5:30 p.m. Vigil Mass The Ascension of The Lord
Thursday, May 26	9:00 a.m. Thursday Morning "Faith in Action" Group;
Friday, May 27	5:30 p.m. Soup Kitchen (Return to Sit Down Only, no Take Out)

OUTREACH CORNER
FRIDAY NIGHT SOUP KITCHEN
RETURNS TO DINE IN ONLY
OLGC Food Pantry

*Our needs right now are canned fruit and meats, however, **no Tuna** at this time. We could use baked beans too.*

Email: outreach-olgc@stny.rr.com

Mother Teresa's Cupboard Needs include: *Women's Hygiene Products. These items can be dropped off in the bin in the gathering space or parish office.*



St. Ambrose Knitting Group invites you to participate in their annual baby shower for Birthright. **All through the month of May** they will be collecting diapers (sized 4 & 5), onesies (up to 12 month size), clothing (12 & 18 month sizes), handmade blankets, sweaters & hats and more. Items may be left in the Atrium or in the containers located at the church entrances. Monetary gifts may be placed in the weekend collection in an envelope marked Birthright Baby Shower.

CONGRATUATIONS RCIA

Newly Confirmed

- Victoria Anderson
- Brenda DePue
- Thomas DePue
- Catherine Fiacco
- Elizabeth Fox
- Guillermo Fuentes
- Phillip Goodrich
- Benjamin Lancki
- Sarah McKinney
- Hannah VanDick

Celebration for
Michael Carroll and
Paul Heiland

Please join us in celebrating their Ordination as "Permanent Deacons". We are gathering on May 22nd, after the 10:00 a.m. mass at OLGC in the church hall. **Refreshments will be served.**

OLGC Altar Rosary Society

would like to thank officers who served these past three years during some very difficult times in our community and world. Thank you Chris Free, Wendy Delsanto, and Diana Hayden for hanging in there and leading us through. Also, thank you Becky Kruczkowski for this past year as Secretary. We welcome our new co-presidents, Bonnie Underwood and Deacon Tom Harley and thank Becky again as she begins her second year as secretary.

VOCATIONS Week 1

"CALLED BY NAME"

A program to promote vocations to the priesthood and consecrated life, will begin in our parish next weekend. Pray for vocations. Details next Sunday.

OLGC & St. Ambrose
Vacation Bible School at
Church of Holy Family

June 26 – 30, 2022

Grades PreK—6

6:00 p.m.—8:30 p.m.

Questions Contact: Kathy Hamilton, khamilton@syradio.org

Register: vbspro.events/p/evening22chf

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

ST. AMBROSE

SATURDAY, 4:00 P.M.

MAY 28

LECTOR: MIKE BRUNNER

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

DIANNE BRUNNER, RAYMOND LAROSE, ADRIAN MORALES, MARGARET SCALZO

USHERS:

ROB BRADY, JANICE CONTINO, ED CONTINO

OLGC

SUNDAY, 7:30 A.M.

MAY 29

LECTOR: CHRIS FREE

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

KELLEY HAMLIN, GLORIA SEWARD, MARK ZIBBON

ALTAR SERVERS: DAVID COLLINS

SUNDAY, 10:00 A.M.

MAY 29

LECTOR:

LYNDA DELUCA, MARIA TSOHONIS

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

BRIDGET CONROY, DEACON TOM HARLEY, BECKY KRUCZKOWSKI

ALTAR SERVERS:

KENNEDY INGRAHAM, SIMON PANDILINAN

Announcements

OLGC Altar Rosary Spring Dinner NEWS:

Our dinner is on Wednesday, May 25 at 6:00 pm at **OLGC Atrium (location has been updated)** as we induct our new officers in their roles in Altar Rosary Society. Your new officers are Bonnie Underwood and Deacon Tom Harley as co-presidents and Becky Kruczkowski as one more year as secretary.

"GREETINGS OF JOY AND PEACE FROM UGANDA! Father Robert has sent a wealth of news about the St. Francis de Sales mission and school in Iyolwa! Much is happening now that the children have finally been allowed back into school after two years of COVID restrictions! *Please check out the photo display in the OLGC Atrium for his update and for the wonderful new pictures of the girls enjoying their activities and studies. Father Robert shares the joys and sorrows of the mission and, as always, his gratitude to the parish for our support!"*

God's garden is getting ready for a new season of delicious fresh vegetables for the OLGC Dorothy's Diner soup kitchen. If you like to garden, have fun, get dirty and help our community, we are looking for you. **We will be setting up the new garden on May 24.** We have raised beds to make gardening easier and more fun. We will be meeting in the Paden St. parking lot around 4 PM. We supply everything except garden shoes and gloves, so bring those if you wish. Any questions please email me at bhanna@binghamton.edu. We're looking forward to a fun garden summer, Bonnie Underwood.



Relics of St. Bernadette to Tour the US including Syracuse, NY

The Sanctuary of Lourdes in partnership with Lourdes North American Volunteers, The Sovereign Order of Malta and The Hospitality of Miami are thrilled to announce that for the first time in US history, the relics of St. Bernadette will be in Syracuse, NY from Saturday, May 28th -Tuesday, May 31st. The relics will travel between Holy Family Church, The Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception and Sacred Heart in Cicero. The Vatican has granted a plenary indulgence for those visiting the relics during the tour and meeting the usual conditions. It is an extraordinary opportunity to discover Lourdes, pray with St. Bernadette, follow her example of holiness and to allow God to increase our own faith.

For a full itinerary of daily events,
please visit: www.lourdesvolunteers.org/syracuse-relic-tour

Office phone : 315 476-0026





A FAMILY PERSPECTIVE — FROM THE OFFICE OF FAMILY LIFE EDUCATION (A HOPE APPEAL AGENCY)

MAY 22, 2022: SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER (JN 14:23-29)

TODAY JESUS GIVES THIS ADVICE: "DO NOT LET YOUR HEARTS BE TROUBLED." WORRY AND ANXIETY CAN CONSUME OUR LIVES PREVENTING US FROM SEEING THE LOVE WHICH SURROUNDS US AND BINDS US TO ONE ANOTHER. DON'T MISS THE FOREST FOR THE TREES. WE ARE LIVING TODAY WHAT WE WORRIED ABOUT YESTERDAY.

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