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PENTECOST SUNDAY

[Jesus] breathed on them and said to them, "Receive the Holy Spirit. Whose sins you forgive are forgiven them, and whose sins you retain are retained." - Jn 20:22-23

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JUNE 5, 2022 | PENTECOST SUNDAY

WELCOME TO OUR PARISH!

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& John P. Donovan, JCL (Moderator)

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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, June 4 —

4:00 PM Mass (At St. Ambrose)

+ Cory Gerard Sherling (10th anniversary of passing)/
Mom & Dad

Sunday, June 5 — Pentecost Sunday

7:30 AM Mass (At OLGC)

+ Frank Dabrovolskis / *Craig & Becky English*

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

+ Lisa Marie Curley / *Mary Donovan*

Monday, June 6 —

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

Tuesday, June 7 —

12:05 PM Mass (At St. Ambrose)

+ Living & Deceased Sullivan & Monticello Families /
Larry & Ann Sullivan

+ David Esposito / *Wife Carol & Family*

Wednesday, June 8 —

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

+ Richie Lupo / *Uncle Bill & Aunt Andrea*

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

Thursday, June 9 —

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

Friday, June 10 -

12:05 PM Mass (At St. Ambrose)

+ Robert A. Brady / *Kathleen Tinklepaugh*
All Mothers Living & Deceased

Saturday, June 11 —

4:00 PM Mass (At St. Ambrose)

+ Olga White / *Charles & Jenny Fahringer*
+ Mary Ann & Beth Gresko / *Family*

Sunday, June 12 — The Most Holy Trinity

7:30 AM Mass (At OLGC)

+ Kenneth Pigos / *Eileen & Family*

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

+ Clark Howell / *Wife, Kathleen Howell*

The **ST. AMBROSE SANCTUARY LAMP** burns this week for the soul of David Esposito/ Wife Carol 30th Anniversary.

The **OLGC SANCTUARY LAMP** burns this week for the soul of David Pipher, Jr. / Family.



From the Desk of ...

What an unimaginable wonder and awe must have filled the Apostles' hearts as the Holy Spirit descended upon them! As flames of fire flickered over their heads, their souls were filled with such radiance and love of God, and their hearts swelled to be able to speak to so many people of the great love of the Risen Lord. That Christian Pentecost truly was a shining moment in our church history.

I want to examine the word "spirit." Back in my younger days I studied Latin and Greek – 4 years of Greek and 8 years of Latin. (Yes, I definitely qualified as a "nerd"!)

The Latin verb *spiro* literally means *to breathe, to blow*. Its noun form, *spiritus*, from which we get the word *spirit*, means *breath, breathing*. Now think about the wording *Holy Spirit*. To me as a high school student, the phrase *Holy Spirit* became a much more personal, inviting phrase. I began to see the Holy Spirit as *sacred breath* being poured into me. The Holy Spirit breathes into me, giving me life, hope, and an intimate relationship with God the Father-Creator and God the Son-Redeemer. Now, I didn't fully comprehend all this in my teens, of course, but the flicker was there, and over the sixty-plus years of my life, that understanding has certainly grown.

Have you ever felt *inspired* to do something or say something? Have you felt a LACK of *inspiration*? I think we all have! *Inspiration* is when we get that nudge or kick or shove that leads our actions or thoughts. Are inspirations always divinely based? In other words, are all our inspirations coming from the Holy Spirit? I think not. My inspiration to buy that new sweater because it's on sale and looks nice is hardly coming from the Holy Spirit, but my idea to make a casserole for a friend who is home with Covid is certainly coming from God. Sitting with someone who is terminally ill and finding the right words to say isn't accidental luck; it's the Holy Spirit filling my heart and mind, inspiring me to speak with that person.

"The Lord God formed man out of the clay of the ground and blew into his nostrils the breath of life, and so man became a living being" (Gen. 2:7). How close, how intimate an image! Again, "On the evening of that first day of the week, when the doors were locked where the disciples were... Jesus came and stood in their midst and said to them, "Peace be with you... As the Father has sent me, so I send you. And when he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, **"Receive the Holy Spirit"** (John 20:19-22). What an "up close and personal" moment!

May the Holy Spirit breathe on you this day and always!

Terri Blosser, Director of Outreach

"FATHER'S DAY 2ND COLLECTION!" on **SUNDAY, June 19th**, there will be a second collection for **"our"** girls in Uganda. After a 2 year COVID restriction, the girls have finally returned to school, and they are more enthusiastic than ever about the education made possible by your generosity. Those lost years made it very clear how much education creates opportunities for them that can disappear quickly when it's no longer available. Each of these **50 girls** want so much to continue as far in their education as possible. Our support helps to make that happen. Please be as generous as our parish has always been! **NOTE: A SELECTION OF FATHER'S DAY DONATION CARDS ARE AVAILABLE IN THE OLG MAIN ENTRANCE TO BE USED IN LIEU OF A FATHER'S DAY GIFT. BE SURE TO NOTE "UGANDAN MISSION IN YOUR CHECK NOTATION". THANK YOU!!**

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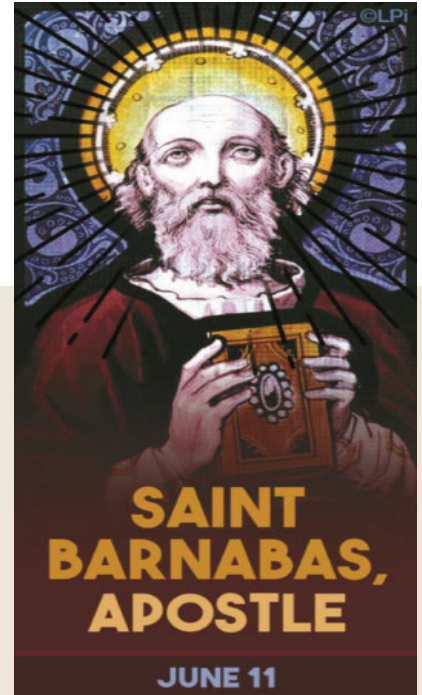
Sign up at: Give (parishsoft.com)

MASS OFFERING

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

St. Ambrose total: \$ 3279.00

OLGC total: Not Available at time of early bulletin submission.



Saint of the Week

St. Barnabas whose original name was Joseph the Levite was an important early Christian missionary mentioned in the New Testament and one of the Apostolic Fathers.

Barnabas was a Hellenized Jew who joined the Jerusalem church soon after Christ's crucifixion, sold his property, and gave the proceeds to the community. He was one of the Cypriots who founded the church in Antioch, where he preached. After he called St. Paul from Tarsus as his assistant, they undertook joint missionary activity and then went to Jerusalem. Shortly afterward, a serious conflict separated them, and Barnabas sailed to Cyprus. There is no contemporary mention of his subsequent activity, except for a brief reference by Paul a few years later (I Corinthians 9:6).

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, ToniAnn Apicella, Erin Babicek, Jackie & Bob Balsie, Mary Barcomb, Michael Baratta, James Battaglini, Chad Beck, Barbara Beebe, Sharon Belcher, Chuck Biviano, Tyler Blazey, Jerry & Janice Bouton, 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, Sharon Dorman, Douglas Dorman, Marge F., Tammy & William Fabrizi, Fil Fabrizio, Tom & Mary Farley, Michael P. Farrell, 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, Alisha Kinter, Ken Klawiter, Bernie Knight, Joan Knoop, 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, Art Olsen, Dolly Onufer, Rose Pauk, 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, Dan Williams, Ellen Williams, Sue White, Terry White, Donna Yesensky, 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

June Corporal Works of Mercy

Visit the Sick — Volunteer at a hospital, nursing home, hospice home; visit a relative or friend in a hospital or nursing home; run an errand for a homebound person; send notes or emails to those who are homebound; ask a neighbor if they need help.

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, June 7	10:00 a.m. Knitters Group 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, June 8	7:00 p.m. Choir Practice
Friday, June 10	11:15 a.m. Rosary 12:05 Mass
Saturday, June 11	2:30 Reconciliation, 4:00 Mass

Our Lady of Good Counsel Church

Wednesday, June 8	7:45 a.m. Rosary 8:00 a.m. Reconciliation 8:30 a.m. Mass 9:00 a.m. Adoration of Holy Eucharist
Thursday, June 9	9:00 a.m. Thursday Morning "Faith in Action" Group;
Friday, June 10	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: Detergents. These items can be dropped off in the bin in the gathering space or parish office.



Over-50 Luncheon – will be held on Monday June 6 at OLGC. The communion service will be at 11:30, lunch will be served at noon. Please sign up on the sheets at the church entrances or call the church office, so we can have an accurate count for lunch. **Looking forward to seeing you!!!!**

The 30th Annual Peace Camp
All are welcome!!!
Attendees:
K—Grade 6
Youth Volunteers:
Grades 7 and up
July 18—July 21
5:30—8:00 p.m.
Our Lady of Sorrows
Register: www.ols.org

Senior Awards 2022
The Second Sunday in June, OLGC announces senior awards at mass. The graduating seniors come forward at mass and are recognized and presented with an award and check. This will be happening at both masses on June 12.
Congratulations Seniors!!!!

It's Time to Update Our Records – OLGC would like to ask all members to update their contact information with the Parish. **Please complete the "pink" form in the pews over the next few weekends.** Please place in the collection basket or drop off at Parish office.

St. Ambrose – Pastoral Care of our parish family is important. Please notify the parish if you have a family members who are homebound, in the hospital, or in a nursing home, so that we can visit and/or bring communion to those who wish to receive or want to be anointed. (607) 754-2330.

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. , JUNE 18

LECTOR: RAYMOND LAROSE

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

ED BETZ, CAROL ESPOSITO, JIM LAVO, SHARON LAVO

USHERS: BERNIE MARCHUSKA, SHAWN NALEPA, KATHLEEN WOLFE

OLGC

SUNDAY, 7:30 A.M., JUNE 19

LECTOR: KELLY HAMLIN

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

TERESA FELTER, CHRIS FREE, JIM FREE

ALTAR SERVERS:

NICK PIANELLA

SUNDAY, 10:00 A.M., JUNE 19

LECTOR: JOHN CUMMISKEY, MARY

FRAN CUMMISKEY

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

BOB GRITSAVAGE, JEAN GRITSAVAGE, DEACON TOM HARLEY

ALTAR SERVERS: DANI STANDISH, VINCENT STANDISH

VOLUNTEER REQUEST

OLGC IS LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS (YOUTH OR ADULT) TO ASSIST WITH THE LIVE STREAM PROGRAM DURING MASS. PLEASE CONTACT DEACON PAUL HEILAND, PHEILAND@SYRDIO.ORG



Announcements

Roman Catholic Community of Western Broome: *Bishop Lucia* is pleased to announce that after much consultation and discussion with both clergy and lay leadership of the parishes in Western Broome, seven parishes will form a new Pastoral Care Area (PCA) effective July 1, 2022. The PCA will now be comprised of Our Lady of Good Counsel, St. Ambrose, St. Anthony, St. Joseph, Endicott, Church of the Holy Family, Endwell, Our Lady of the Rosary, Maine, and Our Lady of Sorrows, Vestal.

Father Clarence Rumble remains pastor of Church of the Holy Family, Endwell and Most Holy Rosary, Maine, as linked parishes. Father Ken Kirkman remains pastor of the Parish of St. Anthony and St. Joseph, Endicott and is appointed pastor of St. Ambrose, Endicott, as linked parishes. Our Lady of Good Counsel, Endicott and Our Lady of Sorrows, Vestal, will share a pastor, Father Rick Prior. This new configuration is to facilitate even greater collaboration among parishes and further the mission of the Church. Father Donovan is assigned Pastor of Sacred Heart Cicero.

CALLED BY NAME — Week III REMINDER: Today. Place your CALLED BY NAME response card in the collection basket or return it to the parish office. Continue to pray for the success of this program in our parish and our diocese, especially during these weeks of prayer for vocations.

Men’s Retreat “Through Him, with Him, and in Him”

“All things came to be through him, and without him nothing came to be.” (John 1:3) Christ the King Retreat House welcomes all men to join us for a weekend retreat that will be dedicated to detachment and attachment. Detachment from the things that pull us away from God and attachment to “The One” who fulfills the deepest longings of our heart. Our Director, Chris Spilka, will lead this preached retreat with talks, small group discussion, contemplative prayer and much more! **Do not be afraid.** Retreat begins on Friday, June 10th with check-in at 5 pm, dinner at 6 pm. Retreat concludes after brunch on Sunday, June 12th. *Offering: \$210, Commuter: \$120*

Anniversary Mass—Seton Catholic Central Class of 1970

The class of 1970 will be gathering for their **50th year reunion** (two years late) at OLGC on Sunday, June 12th, at the 10:00 a.m. mass. Please remember their deceased classmates from OLGC in your prayers: Joseph Barno, Mary Berry Turner, Paul Donnelly, James Fenstamacher, Joseph Fontana, Pamela Peters, John Picciano, Denise Sebesta, Kenneth Sileo, Robert Vitkus, Frank Williams.

Fisherman’s Club & Seminar Meet & Greet: Join us for food, conversation, and Prayer on Wednesday, June 22nd, 5:00 p.m. St. Patrick’s Rectory in Oneida. RSVP to: Father Nathan Brooks by June 20th to nbrooks@syrdio.org

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

JUNE 5, 2022: PENTECOST (JN 14:15-16, 23B-26): TODAY’S GOSPEL TELLS US GOD ACTUALLY WANTS TO TAKE UP RESIDENCE IN YOUR FAMILY, “WE WILL COME AND MAKE OUR HOME WITH YOU.” EVERY FAMILY IS CALLED TO BE A TABERNACLE WHERE GOD DWELLS. IS JESUS A PERMANENT MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY OR A TEMPORARY GUEST? TODAY THE PROMISE IS GIVEN. THE CHOICE IS OURS.

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