

# The Parish of Saints John and Andrew

Catholic Community Of The Diocese of Syracuse

**AUGUST 15, 2021**

1263 Vestal Avenue, Binghamton, 13903

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The Parish of Saints John & Andrew is a Catholic faith community called to discipleship in the Lord Jesus which we ratify sacramentally. Challenged by the Word of God, nourished by the Eucharist, we prayerfully commit ourselves to membership and mission for the sake of God's Kingdom.

**Pastor: Rev. Monsignor Michael T. Meagher**



THE ASSUMPTION OF THE  
*Blessed Virgin Mary*

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**Faith Formation:**

Madonna Hurchla

**Trustees:**

William Berg

**Office:**

Carol Hall, Mary Griffin

Shirley DeLucia

**Building/Grounds:**

Bud Caroompas Jr.

**School Principal:** 723-0703

**Music Ministry:**

Colleen Craig, Tom Kennedy

## Mass Schedule

Saturday at 4:00 PM

Sunday at 8:30 AM

Monday-Wednesday-Friday : 6:30 AM

Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday: 8:30 AM

## **Sacrament of Reconciliation**

Saturday 2:30 - 3:30 PM

or anytime by appointment

**Parish email:**

[stsjohnandrew@syrдио.org](mailto:stsjohnandrew@syrдио.org)

## Office Information

7 Livingston Street  
Binghamton, NY 13903

**Main:** (607) 722-0493 **Fax:** (607) 723-5171

Monday - Friday 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM



“From this day all generations will call me blessed: the Almighty has done great things for me and holy is his Name. He has cast down the mighty from their thrones, and has lifted up the lowly.”

— Lk 1:48b-49, 52

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**READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF AUGUST 15, 2021**

Sunday: *Vigil:* 1 Chr 15:3-4, 15-16; 16:1-2/Ps 132:6-7, 9-10, 13-14 [8]/1 Cor 15:54b-57/Lk 11:27-28 *Day:* Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab/Ps 45:10, 11, 12, 16 [10bc]/1 Cor 15:20-27/Lk 1:39-56  
 Monday: Jgs 2:11-19/Ps 106:34-35, 36-37, 39-40, 43ab and 44 [4a]/Mt 19:16-22  
 Tuesday: Jgs 6:11-24a/Ps 85:9, 11-12, 13-14 [cf. 9b]/Mt 19:23-30  
 Wednesday: Jgs 9:6-15/Ps 21:2-3, 4-5, 6-7 [2a]/Mt 20:1-16  
 Thursday: Jgs 11:29-39a/Ps 40:5, 7-8a, 8b-9, 10 [8a and 9a]/Mt 22:1-14  
 Friday: Ru 1:1, 3-6, 14b-16, 22/Ps 146:5-6ab, 6c-7, 8-9a, 9bc-10 [1b]/Mt 22:34-40  
 Saturday: Ru 2:1-3, 8-11; 4:13-17/Ps 128:1b-2, 3, 4, 5 [4]/Mt 23:1-12  
 Next Sunday: Jos 24:1-2a, 15-17, 18b/Ps 34:2-3, 16-17, 18-19, 20-21, 22-23 [9a]/Eph 5:21-32 or 5:2a, 25-32/Jn 6:60-69

**PARISH SUPPORT**

**CONTRIBUTIONS AND DONATIONS**

**OFFERTORY OF AUGUST 1, 2021**

Candle Money	\$ 607.00
Catholic University	\$ 15.00
CYO	\$ 18.00
Parish Improvement	\$ 320.00
Ordinary	\$ 6,030.00
Total Collection	\$ 6,990.00

**THE RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS**

Are you or do you know someone who:

- is not baptized and is interested in becoming a Catholic
- is baptized and is interested in coming into full communion with our church
- was baptized Catholic as a child but has never celebrated the Sacrament of Confirmation and Eucharist?

For more information, please call the Parish Office at 722-0493. Karen Howard coordinates the process and is happy to answer your questions.

**CONTRIBUTIONS:** can be mailed to the parish office at 7 Livingston St. Binghamton, NY 13903 or dropped off at the office. We now have online giving through WeShare at:

<https://saintsjohnandandrew.weshareonline.org>

**In the Parish of Saints John and Andrew, note the following which is subject to change:**

- ◆ Parishioners are not required to pre-register for Mass.
- ◆ Parishioners who are **fully vaccinated** are not required to wear a face mask at Mass.
- ◆ Parishioners who are **fully vaccinated** and prefer to continue wearing face masks and social distance are free to do so.
- ◆ Those who are **not fully vaccinated** are to wear a face mask at Mass and should observe social distancing of 6 feet from individuals not in their household.
- ◆ Those who are **not fully vaccinated** are to sit in the designated area where there is signage.
- ◆ **Please continue to bring your own liquid sanitizer to use before receiving Holy Eucharist.**
- ◆ There is still no physical contact during the Sign of Peace.
- ◆ Eucharistic Adoration will remain in the chapel on Wednesday.
- ◆ We rely on the goodness and honesty of our parishioners to follow State guidelines regarding those fully vaccinated and unvaccinated.

**ANYONE NEEDING VISITS:** If there are parishioners needing visits and the Eucharist who are **home bound**, please contact the parish office at 722-0493.

**SPONSOR OF THE WEEK:** We would like to thank **SERVPRO** for sponsoring an ad in our bulletin.

**MASS ON THE GRASS:** Little Italy Endicott & St. Anthony of Padua Church invite you to join them for “Mass on the Grass”, Saturday, August 28th at **6:00 pm** on the stage of Little Italy in George W. Johnson Park (Northside Park). For more information, call Palma at 748-0012.

## ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY



We ask that the ill person, parent or guardian make the request to be added to our prayer list.

Roman Catholic Diocese of Syracuse

Dear Diocesan Family,

Grace and peace to you! As I observe Sunday, August, 8, my second anniversary as your bishop and as we enter into endeavors which can only proceed and flourish through much prayer, I wish to announce the establishment of one of our churches as a *diocesan shrine*, setting it aside to be a place of pilgrimage and prayer for all people of the diocese and beyond.

In this place Masses will be offered in both the Ordinary and Extraordinary Forms and Eucharistic Adoration will be available, as will the Sacrament of Penance. Individuals and parish groups from throughout the Diocese will be able to journey to this place to find spiritual renewal and solace.

On Sunday, August 15th, the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, I will inaugurate the new *Diocesan Shrine of St. Mary of the Assumption at 103 W. Seventh St., Oswego, NY*. I will offer a 9:00 am Sung Mass in the Extraordinary Form on that day at the new shrine which will be followed by the recitation of the Glorious Mysteries of the Rosary and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. At 12 Noon, I will celebrate the first "Pilgrim Mass" as a concelebrated Mass in the Ordinary Form inviting clergy and lay faithful to join us in the solemn inauguration of this house of prayer. This will be followed by a reception and all are invited to share in this joyous celebration.

I am pleased to announce that Rev. James Schultz, who has been the pastoral administrator of St. Mary's church, will become the first pastor of the new shrine church. He will serve also as the pastor of Transfiguration Church in Syracuse and as my delegate to the Latin Mass community. He will administer the shrine with the help of a **Board of Directors** that will consist of myself as the Diocesan Bishop, Vicar General Rev. John Kurgan, Pastor of the shrine Rev. James Schultz, Pastor of Christ the Good Shepherd Parish in Oswego Rev. John Canorro, the two civil trustees of St. Mary's Parish and five other members appointed after further consultation.

In accordance with Canon 1232-1, the shrine will be governed by statutes approved by the Ordinary of the Diocese which will determine its purpose, the authority of its pastor and the ownership and administration of the shrine's temporal goods. A regular schedule of Masses, Confession and other devotions has been approved by me and will soon be announced. Each Sunday, the 9:00 am Mass will be celebrated in the Extraordinary Form and at 12 noon there will be a Pilgrim Mass in the Ordinary form that may be celebrated/concelebrated by priests with pilgrim groups or by Fr. Schultz or another assigned priest.

I give thanks to God that this next step in our pilgrimage as a diocesan Church can be realized, but I recognize also it is a work in progress, so please be patient. Another goal has been to provide appropriate pastoral care to the faithful in the diocese of Syracuse who desire for their spiritual good to avail themselves to the Extraordinary Form of the Mass and the Sacrament rites of the 1962 Missal and Ritual. With this in mind and in light Pope Francis' recent apostolic letter, *Traditionis custodes*, I make the following designations for the care of the faithful:

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Michael Bagnetto	Barbara Petras
Elizabeth Leppert Brown	Rani Hoke Piccola
Thomas Carnrike	James Regan
Katherine Citriniti	Cameron Richard
Brayden Deno	LuAnn Rought
Susan DePrato	John Rudy
Antoinette Dermody	Terrance Ruhland
Paula Carabino Edwards	Denise Russin
Freda Farrell	Vera Schnell
Sophia Faughnan	John Sherbo
Clare Gahagan	Dorothy Sherman
Ruby Garza	Ed Sklanka
Pat Grassi	Danielle Stento
Mary Ann Green	Clara Stout
John Harding	Diane Truex
Laura Haynes	Melissa Villanella
Joan Hays	Ann Vimislik
Bob Horan	Jay Vimislik
Nick Innarella	Mary Watson
Rachel Jones	Owen Webb
Joe Libous	June Webb
Jim Meno	Joseph Weil
Michael Murphy	Catherine Wigal
Judy Peacock	Gary L. Wigal
Linda Pechinek	Michael Wright

**DECEASED:** David McKeon, Sheila La France

The Sanctuary Candle will burn this week for  
*Fran Gennarelli*  
from July.

### HELP SUPPORT THE IHM SISTERS

The **Silver Circle** is a membership program that benefits retired Immaculate Heart of Mary Sisters. For only \$25 per membership, your name is entered in more than 324 drawings from October 2021 through June 2022 with cash prizes from \$50 to \$1,000! You will also be remembered in a monthly mass for benefactors and in the prayers of the IHM Sisters. Please contact Sister Kathleen Joy Steck, I.H.M. at 607-237-5653, for a Silver Circle Membership Form. Thank you for your kind support of the IHM Sisters!

Blessed Solanus Casey, spiritual companion to the sick,  
devotee of Blessed Mary,  
we ask you to pray to our Lord God  
for Father Malachi Clark.

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- St. Mary of the Assumption, Oswego - a personal parish for the Latin Mass Community
- Transfiguration, Syracuse - a new home for the Latin Mass community of the city of Syracuse and its environs to be cared for by Fr. Schultz and moved from the Basilica of the Sacred Heart in Syracuse
- Our Lady of Good Counsel, Verona - dispensation given for Sunday Mass at 8:00 am in the Extraordinary Form
- St. Mary of the Assumption, Binghamton - dispensation given for monthly Sunday Mass in the extraordinary form

I know there is a lot contained here. May our efforts to boost our spiritual lives and that of our diocesan Church bear much fruit.

In the Name of Jesus,

*Most Reverend Douglas J. Lucia  
Bishop of Syracuse*

### **Novena Prayer for an End to the Coronavirus Pandemic**

O Mary, full of grace, Patroness of this nation and Mother of the Church, in this time of illness and worldwide need we seek your intercession for the human family before your Son's throne of grace and mercy. We ask for strength in adversity, health in weakness, and comfort in sorrow. Help us, O Blessed Mother, to be filled with confidence and trust in the tender compassion of our God. Like our own Saint Marianne Cope, let us not be afraid. She entrusted her life and ministry among the outcasts of society into the care of our Divine Physician. Let us continue to watch over all who are sick as well as those who care for them and give wisdom to all who are seeking a cure.

We ask this through Christ, our Lord. Amen

**PRE CANA DAY:** For all engaged couples preparing for the Sacrament of Matrimony; an "in- person" Pre Cana Day will be held on Saturday, **September 18th** at St. Mary of the Assumption Church, 192-194 Court St., Binghamton, NY. The fee for the day is \$50.00. Due to Covid restrictions, there are a limited number of spots, so please make your reservations EARLY by calling the Parish Office at 607-723-5383 or 607-722-6492. We look forward to seeing you there!

### **OTHER DATES FOR PRE CANA**

<u>Date</u>	<u>Region</u>
August 21, 2021	Syracuse - TBD
Sept. 11, 2021	East - Good News Center
Nov. 20, 2021	Syracuse - TBD

Specific locations may be subject to change. For the most up to date class information, call 315-471-6754, Ext 2 or email us at [familyrespectlife@syrdio.org](mailto:familyrespectlife@syrdio.org)

**AUGUST 15, 2021**

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**ALL MASSES ARE LIVE-STREAMED  
ON FACEBOOK AT:**

**THE PARISH OF SAINTS JOHN AND ANDREW**

**SUNDAY, AUGUST 15, 2021**

8:30 am Our Parish Family

10:00 am at St. Vincent de Paul/Blessed Sacrament

***MASS ON THE RIVER***

11:00 am Fran Gennarelli (ANN) - *Judy*

**MONDAY, AUGUST 16, 2021**

6:30 am Connie Wilk - *Joe & Ann Brady*

**TUESDAY, AUGUST 17, 2021**

8:30 am John Earley - *David & Marlene West*

**WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 18, 2021**

6:30 am Janet Brown - *Society of St. Therese*

8:30 am NO MASS

***ADORATION IN THE I.H.M. CHAPEL  
9 am - 3 pm and 5 pm - 6:30 pm***

**THURSDAY, AUGUST 19, 2021**

8:30 am Mary Jo Bayer - *George & Joan Hays*

**FRIDAY, AUGUST 20, 2021**

6:30 am Thomas Allen - *The Allen Family*

**SATURDAY, AUGUST 21, 2021**

***2:30 pm - 3:30 pm Sacrament of Reconciliation***

4:00 pm Edward Earley (BDM) - *The Family*  
Robert Smith - *Glenn & Rosemary Reich*

**SUNDAY, AUGUST 22, 2021**

8:30 am Tom Harding, Jr. - *Hays & Harding Families*  
Our Parish Family

10:00 am at St. Vincent de Paul/Blessed Sacrament



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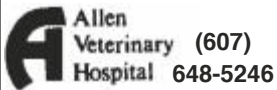
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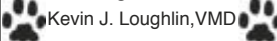
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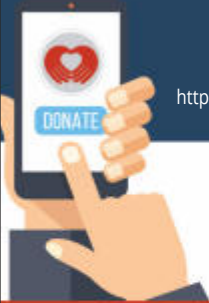
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