

One Catholic Family

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RIP FRANCIS POPE

Heavenly Father, we lift up the soul of Pope Francis, your humble servant, who has devoted his life to spreading your love, peace, and mercy. We ask that you grant him eternal rest in your heavenly kingdom, where light, joy, and peace reign. May his journey be embraced by your divine grace, and may his spirit find peace in your loving arms. We pray that his legacy of compassion and service continues to inspire us all. Comfort those who mourn his passing, and strengthen us to carry forth the mission he so faithfully led. Amen. May 4, 2025



Weekly Offering

April 27

* St Matthew's

April	20	\$ 7,497
April	27	\$ 4,422

* St Mary

April 20 \$ 2,260

* St Francis

April 20 \$ 1,291

* The Sunday envelope, loose and on-line donations.
This, and all other sources of income
(and expenses) are found in the detailed
Profit / Loss Statement listed in the bulletin monthly.

You may have noticed larger than normal deficits for fiscal year July 1, 2024—February 28, 2025. That is because each parish has had major (and expensive) repairs, projects or purchases during the past six months. These are one time expenditures.



FISCAL YEAR July 1, 2024 ~ June 30,2025

Summary of Income for March 2025 St Matthew's Church

lu a a un a	Current Month		Fiscal Yr-to-Date	
Income		Actual	. '	y 24-Mar 25
Sacrificial Giving	\$	28,052	\$	227,114
Auxiliary Receipts	\$	2,718	\$	19,588
Other Income	\$	6,438	\$	41,583
Total Income	\$	37,208	\$	288,285
Expenses				
Payroll & Benefits	\$	9,331	\$	116,157
Office / Admin	\$	1,480	\$	15,907
Program Services	\$	6,522	\$	64,261
Building & Utilities	\$	3,480	\$	25,510
Diocesan Assessments	\$	9,223	\$	83,008
Other Expenses	\$	2,290	\$	8,042
Total Expenses	\$	32,325	\$	312,885
Net Income for Mar 25	\$	4,883	\$	- 24,600

Summary of Income for March 2025 St Mary of the Assumption Church

Income	Cu	irrent Month	al Yr-to-Date
Income		Actual	y 24-Mar 25
Sacrificial Giving	\$	20,947	\$ 140,944
Auxiliary Receipts	\$	7,084	\$ 42,587
Other Income	\$	20,795	\$ 25,380
Total Income	\$	48,826	\$ 208,911
Expenses			
Payroll & Benefits	\$	8,835	\$ 84,694
Office / Admin	\$	1,756	\$ 14,048
Program Services	\$	2,061	\$ 10,464
Building & Utilities	\$	5,048	\$ 59,248
Diocesan Assessments	\$	3,414	\$ 30,723
Other Expenses	\$	11,807	\$ 20,568
Total Expenses	\$	32,921	\$ 219,745
Net Income for Mar 25	\$	15,905	\$ - 10,834

Summary of Income for Mar 2025 St Francis of Assisi Church

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Current Month			Fiscal Yr-to-Date			
Income		Actual		July 24-Mar 25		
Sacrificial Giving	\$	11,292	\$	90,804		
Auxiliary Receipts	\$	617	\$	1,307		
Other Income	\$	8,352	\$	79,430		
Total Income		20,261	\$	171,542		
Expenses						
Payroll & Benefits	\$	9,905	\$	96,267		
Office / Admin	\$	1,179	\$	12,213		
Program Services	\$	613	\$	8,549		
Building & Utilities	\$	2,208	\$	36,615		
Diocesan Assessments	\$	1,303	\$	11,784		
Other Expenses	\$	1,593	\$	44,630		
Total Expenses	\$	16,801	\$	210,058		
Net Income for Mar 25	\$	3,460	\$	- 38,516		

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
4 MAY	5 9am-12:30 SM 2nd Time Around Store	6 9:30-noon SMFP	7 1-3 Connections	8 9:30-noon SMFP	9	10
	10-noon Craft Club 10:30am SF Book Club ZOOM 6pm OCIA SMAPC	6:30 Rosary 6:30pm SFAPC Choir Practice SMA & SF	6pm Play Practice 6:30 Men's Grp	6-8 Women's Group 7pm BINGO		Geranium Sale after Mass
11 Geranium Sale after ALL Masses	9am-12:30 SM 2nd Time Around Store 10-noon Craft Club 10:30am SF Book Club ZOOM 6pm OCIA SMAPC	13 9:30-noon SMFP 1-3 Rosary Makers 6:30 Rosary 6:30pm SFAPC Choir Practice SMA & SF	6pm Baptism Class 6pm Altar Rosary / Living Rosary 6pm Play Practice 6:30 Men's Grp	15 9:30-noon SMFP 6-8 Women's Group 7pm BINGO	16	9am-Noon SM 2nd Time Around Store
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Our annual **Tri-Parish Baby Shower** is coming up to coincide with Mother's Day and May the month of Mary. The collection will be May 11th -25th. This year it will benefit *Birthright of Onondaga County*. Any donation big or small is greatly appreciated. Birthright is a pro-life resource center for pregnant women in need. Donations can be new or gently used and washed clothing.



Birthright's wish list include:

Walmart gift cards, newborn new and gently used jackets, sweaters, hoodies and booties, baby bottles and baby wash, onesies newborn to 24 months, sleepers newborn,0-3 and 3-6, and 12-24 months, plush and receiving blankets, toddler toothbrushes and toothpaste, diapers size 4-6 and wipes, baby cereal and baby food. Unfortunately, we are unable to accept used baby cribs, highchairs or car seats.

Please place gifts in designated cribs/boxes in each church starting May 10th. Gift cards can be put in the collection labeled for Birthright. Thank you for your faithful generosity. Questions? please call Betsy Mostrom 315-637-4611.

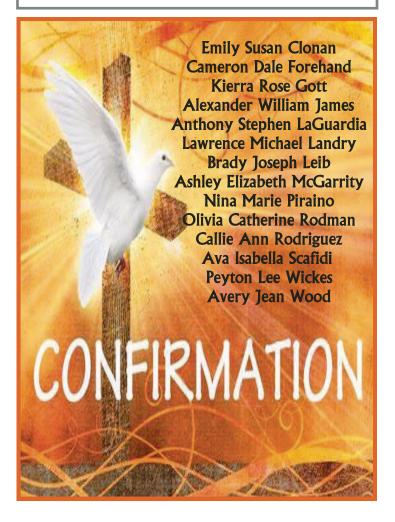




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Abigail Mae Boyd
Elaina Faith Crisafulli
Charles William Dietrich
Michael Collin Dievendorf
Jane Elizabeth Givas
Layla Mae Goff
Ryleigh Patricia Griffin
Genevieve Isabel Landers
Charlotte Grace Landry
Jaxton Gabriel Lane
Grayson Clyde Loope
Maple Rose Lupia
Addison Elizabeth Maslak
Finley John Matt



Genevieve Elizabeth McAllister
Ryan Patrick Miller
Keira Jane Owen
Kenzie Lee Raynor
MyKelti Mary Lyn Shatraw
Samuel J Squadrito III
Liam Christopher Sturick
Lucille Grace VanDeuson
Joseph Scott Zuber



THE MONTH OF MAY IS DEDICATED TO OUR BLESSED MOTHER

Come Pray and Experience the Rosary in a New Way. The Altar Rosary Society invites all to participate. The Living Rosary Wednesday, May 14, 2025



6:00pm St. Francis of Assisi Parish Center Outdoors at Mary's Grotto

(In case of inclement weather we will meet in the church) We need "50" Living Beads (participants). Each participant stands in place of a bead of the rosary and leads the first half of the "Hail Mary" when it's their turn. We all pray the second half of the "Hail Mary" as the participant places a f lower, provided by Altar Rosary, into a vase at the statue of Mary. Let us lift our prayers to Mary who intercedes for us to her Son, Jesus. For more info: contact Pat Powers at Ppowers15@twcny.rr.com or 315-575-5324. For your comfort, please bring a folding chair. All are welcome! light Refreshments will follow.

The Rosary, Explained
Christians have used beads to mark the recitation of prayers since ancient times. In the 12th century, the Rosary emerged as a meditative devotion centering on significant moments in the lives of Jesus and Mary. In the words of St. Leo XIII, "there is no more excellent way of praying."

The Rosary is traditionally attributed to a Marian vision received by St. Dominic de Guzman (1170-1221). Though scholarship on this point is uncertain, the Dominican Order was undoubtedly crucial in establishing and evangelizing the Rosary as a devotional prayer.

Over the centuries, the formula of the devotion eventually took the shape of 50 Hail Marys divided into five "decades," with each decade focused on a different mystery. The Church has defined the Joyful Mysteries (to be recited on Saturdays and Mondays), the Glorious Mysteries (Sundays and Wednesdays), the Sorrowful Mysteries (Tuesdays and Fridays), and most recently the Luminous Mysteries (to be recited on Thursdays).

Please pray for the souls of the people for whom Mass will be offered this coming week

Monday, May 5 @ St Mary

9am NO MASS— Funeral @ SM

Wednesday, May 7 @ St Mary 9am Healing for Joe Lupia ~

Tri-Parish Women's Scripture Group

Friday, May 9 @ St Matthew's

9am Bruce Viertel ~ Binion Family

Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday, May 10 @ St Matthew's 4:30pm George Engelbrecht ~

Anniversary / Family

Joseph Valentine ~ Jack & Pam Dooling
Jim & Rosemary Gerace ~ Pat Burton

Sunday, May 11 @ St. Matthew's

8am Pro Populo

Luc Poulin ~

John & Delores Yandon & Family

Mary Joan LaClair ~

Children & Grandchildren

Sunday, May 11 @ St Francis

9:30am Jim & John Behr ~ Mom

Sunday, May 11 @ St Mary

11am Christopher Bergan ~ Mom & Tony

Dee Buell ~

Tri-Parish Women's Scripture Group

Mary Peterson Riley ~

Sharon & Dean Bartholomew

st mary cemetery, Minoa

A Sacred Place "Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord..."

Single grave
Single Cremation Grave
Columbarium Niche (holds 2 urns)

Contact Laura Cavanaugh at (315) 345-8007





Angela Anastas, Fred Bennink, Helen Berger,
Frank & Sandy Bryant, Tony Buffa, Nancy Cassella,
Michelle Cayea, Tiffany Conboy, Chuck Davidson,
James, Pat & Debora Dygert, Teddy Emch-Paone,
Louise Flynn, Chuck Gaspe, Terri Gonsiewski,
Peggy Kurak, Brian Lynch, Sam Magari, Anne Marie
Maskulinski, Michael Maskulinski, Anne
McCarthy, Frank Miller, Joan Moore, Florence
Palmiere, Andrew Paulus, MaryJo Russell, Pat &
Chuck Samora, Richard Spagnolo, Helen Timmins,
Sandy & Dennis Van Auken, Chet Waskiewicz

Sacrament of Penance (Confession)

Saturdays

@ St Matthew's

3:30-4:15pm

Sundays

@ St Mary after 11am mass



Congratulations and welcome to our new Catholics

Christopher Campbell
Jeffey Kerr
Matthew Miller
Mallory Moynihan

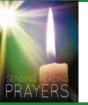


A candle has been lit at St. Matthew's for

Bruce & Ken Viertel

(Angela)





PLEASE PRAY
FOR OUR
RECENTLY DECEASED
Egidio Brunetto
Louise Flynn

Pastor
Deacon
Deacon/Business Manager
Administrative Assistant
Administrative Assistant
Buildings / Grounds
Faith Formation Coordinator
Assistant Coordinator
Cemetery Director

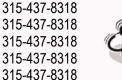
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Dc. Joseph Lupia, Jr.
JoAnn Binion
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Tom Lupia
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Laura Cavanaugh
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St Mary's CEMETERY	
OFFICE HOURS	
@ St. Mary's Parish Center	9/
MONDAY EVENINGS	
6pm~ 7pm or by appointment	1/1/1/1/1
Laura Cavanaugh @ 315-345-8007	1 //3
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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday ~ Thursday 9am ~ 4pm

OR by appointment —

PARISH OFFICE MAILING ADDRESS:

(at St Matthew's) 229 W Yates Street East Syracuse, New York 13057

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E-mail addresses:

St Matthew's St Mary's

stmatth1@twcny.rr.com stmarys2@twcny.rr.com

St Francis of Assisi Use either of the above email addresses

Website: www.faithalive1.com

Please call the parish office regarding any of the following:

BAPTISM: arrangements made 2 months prior and parents required to attend baptism class for the 1st child prior to Baptism.

MARRIAGE: Arrangements made at least 6 months in advance.

HOSPITALIZED PARISHIONERS: Please notify the rectory when a family member is admitted to a hospital or nursing home so the clergy can provide for their spiritual needs.

COMMUNION: to sick/shut-in at anytime.

REGISTRATION/NEW MEMBERS: Please call the office.

HELP OUR



You can make cash or check donations payable to specific pantry and drop in collection basket or mail to parish office at 229 W Yates Street East Syracuse, NY 13057



Bridgeport Food Pantry
at St Francis Church
3rd Wednesday of the month
9:30-11:30am & 4-5:30pm
FRESH FOOD GIVEAWAY
4th Wednesday of the month @3pm

HEAVEN'S PANTRY at Minoa United Methodist Church

3rd Wednesday of month 10-11am & 6-7pm



St Matthew's 2nd Time Around Store / Food Pantry 600 W Manlius Street 315-438-8635



PANTRY HOURS:

T / Th 9:30am-noon

2nd TIME AROUND STORE HOURS

Mondays 9am ~ 12:30pm



ST MATTHEW

Jean Sajna Mike Riley

PARISH TRUSTEES

ST MARY
Toni Carguello
Kathleen Lanphear
ST FRANCIS
Mike Stocker
Joe Group

Saint Matthew's

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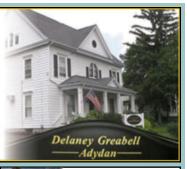
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