

Saint John Vianney Parish

ST. MARY'S CHURCH - ST. GABRIEL'S CHURCH



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Celebrations of the Lord's Day

Saturday St. Mary's Church

3:15 pm Sacrament of Reconciliation

4:00 pm Mass

St. Gabriel's Church

Sunday 8:00 am Mass

Weekend of March 13th & 14th 2021



**Rejoice, Jerusalem, and all who love her. Be joyful,
all who were in mourning; exult and be satisfied at her consoling breast.**

	Mass Intentions
Saturday	
4:00 pm	Fr. Terrence Fleming by Father Jim Robert Sestak Jr. by The Sestak Family
Sunday	
8:00 am	For an end to COVID and for Caregivers by Fr. Jim
9:30 am	Al and Mary Gaudino and Faye Tong by Rose Ormsby

If you'd like to request a Mass Intention fill out the envelopes that are available in the tray in the offertory box in the back of both churches

Fourth Sunday of Lent

Penitential Act:

GLORIA: Omitted during Lent

FIRST READING

2 Chronicles 36:14-16, 19-23

In those days, all the princes of Judah, the priests, and the people added infidelity to infidelity, practicing all the abominations of the nations and polluting the Lord's temple which he had consecrated in Jerusalem. Early and often did the Lord, the God of their fathers, send his messengers to them, for he had compassion on his people and his dwelling place. But they mocked the messengers of God, despised his warnings, and scoffed at his prophets, until the anger of the Lord against his people was so inflamed that there was no remedy. Their enemies burnt the house of God, tore down the walls of Jerusalem, set all its palaces afire, and destroyed all its precious objects. Those who escaped the sword were carried captive to Babylon, where they became servants of the king of the Chaldeans and his sons until the kingdom of the Persians came to power. All this was to fulfill the word of the Lord spoken by Jeremiah: "Until the land has retrieved its lost sabbaths, during all the time it lies waste it shall have rest while seventy years are fulfilled." In the first year of Cyrus, king of Persia, in order to fulfill the word of the Lord spoken by Jeremiah, the Lord inspired King Cyrus of Persia to issue this proclamation throughout his kingdom, both by word of mouth and in writing: "Thus says Cyrus, king of Persia: All the kingdoms of the earth the Lord, the God of heaven, has given to me, and he has also charged me to build him a house in Jerusalem, which is in Judah. Whoever, therefore, among you belongs to any part of his people, let him go up, and may his God be with him!"



The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God**

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 137:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6

R. Let my tongue be silenced, if I ever forget you!

By the streams of Babylon we sat and wept when we remembered Zion.
On the aspens of that land we hung up our harps.

R. Let my tongue be silenced, if I ever forget you!

For there our captors asked of us the lyrics of our songs,
and our despoilers urged us to be joyous: "Sing for us the songs of Zion!"

R. Let my tongue be silenced, if I ever forget you!

How could we sing a song of the Lord in a foreign land?
If I forget you, Jerusalem, may my right hand be forgotten!

R. Let my tongue be silenced, if I ever forget you!

May my tongue cleave to my palate if I remember you not,
if I place not Jerusalem ahead of my joy.

R. Let my tongue be silenced, if I ever forget you!



SECOND READING

Ephesians 2:4-10

Brothers and sisters: God, who is rich in mercy, because of the great love he had for us, even when we were dead in our transgressions, brought us to life with Christ—by grace you have been saved—, raised us up with him, and seated us with him in the heavens in Christ Jesus, that in ages to come he might show the immeasurable riches of his grace in his kindness to us in Christ Jesus. For by grace you have been saved through faith, and this is not from you; it is the gift of God; it is not from works, so no one may boast. For we are his handiwork, created in Christ Jesus for the good works that God has prepared in advance, that we should live in them.



The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God**

GOSPEL

John 3:14-21

The Lord be with you. **And with your spirit.**

A reading from the holy Gospel according to John **R. Glory to you, O Lord.**

Jesus said to Nicodemus: "Just as Moses lifted up the serpent in the desert, so must the Son of Man be lifted up, so that everyone who believes in him may have eternal life." For God so loved the world he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him might not perish but might have eternal life. For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but that the world might be saved through him. Whoever believes in him will not be condemned, but whoever does not believe has already been condemned, because he has not believed in the name of the only Son of God. And this is the verdict, that the light came into the world, but people preferred darkness to light, because their works were evil. For everyone who does wicked things hates the light and does not come toward the light, so that his works might not be exposed. But whoever lives the truth comes to the light, so that his works may be clearly seen as done in God.



The Gospel of the Lord. **R. Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ**

Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried; he descended into hell; on the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty; from there he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. **Amen**

Communion Antiphon

**Jerusalem is built as a city bonded as one together.
It is there that the tribes go up, the tribes of the Lord,
to praise the name of the Lord.**



Prayer to St. Michael

Saint Michael, the Archangel, defend us in battle, be our protection against the wickedness and the snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray; and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly host, by the power of God, thrust into Hell Satan and all evil spirits who prowl about the world seeking for the ruin of souls. Amen.

Mark your calendars!
**UPCOMING
EVENTS**

LENTEN Schedule

Wednesday, Mar. 17th
Stations of the Cross 5:45pm
followed by Mass at St. Gabriel's

Wednesday, Mar. 24th
Stations of the Cross 5:45pm
followed by Mass at St. Mary's

Religious Education

The next monthly gathering will be today Sunday, March 14th. The gathering will be virtual, via an online ZOOM meeting at 11 am. The link and password were sent out in advance by email. If you have a new or changed email address, or any questions, please contact Gerrie Sheehan at the parish office or by email at gerrie.sheehan@dor.org.



Next Confirmation class is Sunday, March 20th. If you are in 8th grade and ready to start Confirmation classes please contact the parish office at (607) 776-3327 for more information.

Instead of the usual Lenten Luncheon services that have happened in the past in Hammondspport due to Covid restrictions they have decided to have their Lenten Services on ZOOM. The Wednesday Lenten Services have started and will be at noon on the following days: March 3, 10, and 17. To join these meetings, copy the link below onto your laptop, computer, handheld device or call the number provided.



Join Zoom Meeting:
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85379379670>

Or call (929)205-6099 and enter Meeting ID: 853 7937 9670

One of our families that works in the Daycare lost everything in a house fire last week. We are accepting donations to help the family out. Please call the parish office (607) 776-3327 for details on family needs.



Starting Next Week

GRIEF SHARE -- Your JOURNEY from Mourning to JOY

-- 13 Weekly Sessions-- Held virtually via ZOOM

Beginning: Tuesday, March 16th, 2021 from 7pm-9pm thru Tuesday, June 8, 2021 from 7pm-9pm

Hosted by: St. John Vianney Parish in Bath, NY

Registration: Online at www.griefshare.org Enter Zip Code: 14810 to find the St. John Vianney group.

Cost: \$15.00, includes registration and book

Questions: Call Kacey at (607) 792-3777 or Kathleen at (607) 776-7102



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Just a reminder we no longer
accept the empty pill bottles.



Collection for Turning Point Ministry
For the month of March is Canned Vegetables
Please place the donations in the green bin
in the back of the church



St. John Vianney's Parish Support for March 6th and 7th

Attendance	90
Weekly Offertory Income	\$4,241.00
Weekly Secondary Income	\$440.00
Year to Date	\$141,634.00
Offertory Income	\$130,847.00
Secondary Income	\$10,787.00

Sincere thanks for your support of the parish and its ministries!

ELECTRONIC GIVING PROGRAM

St. John Vianney's is pleased to offer this safe and convenient option for you to make your offering to the Church automatically through your checking or savings account. Please contact the business office at 607-776-3327.

Online weekly donations can be made at our website www.sjvath.org

Catholic Ministries Appeal

Our CMA goal to meet this year is \$28,952.00. As of now, paid to-date is \$15,680.00 and we are at 54.16% of our goal! If you have not done so, please prayerfully consider making a pledge to help SJV reach our CMA goal. Donations can be made online at www.dor.org/cma, or through the parish office, and payments can be made. All donations greatly appreciated!





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