

Blessed Sacrament Church

*1029 Delaware Avenue
Buffalo, New York 14209*



MASSES:

Saturday: 4:30 p.m. • **Sunday:** 9:00 and 11:00 a.m.

(Note: Consult inside pages for announcements of change in schedule.)

Weekday and Holy Day Masses: See inside bulletin.

CONFESSIONS:

Saturday: 3:00-4:00 p.m.

The Sacrament of Reconciliation is celebrated in room to right of Altar.

BAPTISM:

The Sacrament of Baptism will be celebrated after consultation with parents. Parents should notify the Parish Office at least a month before the date of Baptism. A Pre-Baptismal instruction is held for the parents.

MARRIAGE:

The prospective bride and groom must have made arrangements for their wedding at least eight months before the wedding date. No weddings may be scheduled at or near, the times set for parish liturgies (confession, Saturday afternoon Mass, etc.).

NEW PARISHIONERS:

Welcome to active participation in our parish life. New families and individuals should register with us at our Parish Office.

MOVING AWAY:

Please notify our office. Our parish will miss you! Please call us at 884-0053 to give us your new address.

SHUT-INS AND HOSPITALIZED:

Please notify the Parish Office if you know someone who is in a hospital, nursing home facility, or house bound and in need of visitation.

Pastor

Rev. Paul R. Bossi

Parish Secretary

Betty Hemingway

Catholic Academy of West Buffalo

Sister Gail Glenn, S.S.J., *Principal*

Religious Education Program

Maureen A. Myers, *Director*

Music Ministry

Tony Domzal, Organist, Music Director

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Josephine Di Liberti

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Hours:

Weekdays: 9:00 a.m.–2:00 p.m.

Saturdays: 9:00 a.m.–12:00 noon

Parish Website

www.blessedsacramentbuffalo.org

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blessedsacramentbuffalo](http://www.facebook.com/blessedsacramentbuffalo)

OCTOBER 28, 2018**THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

In the first reading today, Jeremiah recounts how God has gathered together the people of Israel. God rescues the most vulnerable: "the blind...the lame...mothers...those with child." All are brought to safety in the Lord. God smooths their path and quenches their thirst. God guides them and consoles them. Rejoice! As we look around today, note how God has gathered all of us together.

Jeremiah 31:7-9 The blind and the lame I will bring back; I will console them.

Hebrews 5:1-6 You are a priest forever according to the order of Melchizedek.

Mark 10:46-52 Master, I want to see.

Announced Masses

Sunday, October 28, 2018 Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 a.m. Priest's Intention

11:00 a.m. Orlando Albornoz req. by Lalor Family

Morning Prayer is at 7:45 a. m. - Monday to Friday

Monday, October 29, 2018 Weekday

8:00 a.m. All Souls Intention

Tuesday, October 30, 2018 Weekday

8:00 a.m. Fred Manzo req. by Celine and Sam La Duca

Wednesday, October 31, 2018 Weekday

8:00 a.m. All Souls Intention

Vigil for All Saints

5:30 p.m. Grace Druar by Family

Thursday, November 1, 2018 All Saints (Holy Day of Obligation)

8:00 a.m. For the People

12:00 p.m. For the People

7:00 p.m. All Souls Intentions Memorial Mass

Friday, November 2, 2018 Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed

8:00 a.m. DiLiberti and Bianca Families req. by Josephine DiLiberti

Saturday, November 3, 2018 St. Martin de Porres (Sunday Vigil) (Anointing of the Sick)

4:30 p.m. John D. Di Pasquale req. by Betty, Sandy, Barbara and Judith

Sunday, November 4, 2018 Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 a.m. For the People

11:00 a.m. Michael Muscarella req. by Muscarella Family

SUMMARY OF COLLECTION**for Oct 20/21, 2018**

Total collection for the above weekend is \$ 5,535.00

Total number of envelopes and payments from the on-line and direct payments for the above week: 69

Please consider making your contributions to the parish through **a direct withdrawal program, or the option of charging your contribution** to a credit card.

Electronic giving this week totaled \$ 3,156.00

MINISTRY SCHEDULE**SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 3/4, 2018****Greeters**

4:30 p.m. M. Bonato

9:00 a.m. V. Mazurowski

11:00 a.m. E. Ferguson

Lectors

4:30 p.m. S. Falletta

9:00 a.m. P. Flaherty

11:00 a.m. F. Conti

Minister of Communion

4:30 p.m. S. Villa, T. and J Knab

9:00 a.m. R. and N. Vaquero, A. Guercio

11:00 a.m. M. McCracken, E. Ferguson, Sr. T. Joo

ALL SAINTS DAY AND**MEMORIAL MASS FOR ALL SOULS DAY**

November 1st is All Saints Day and a Holy Day of Obligation. The Masses will be on October 31st at 5:30 p.m. and on the day itself at 8:00 a.m., and 12:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m.

On All Soul's Day November 2nd we usually have a special Mass for all those who died and were buried from our parish over the past year. This year we are having the Memorial Mass on the evening of Thursday, November 1st at 7:00 p.m.

ANGEL TREE HELP NEEDED

Our Angel Tree program for Christmas needs help to call the families or caretakers of the children who will be receiving gifts.

Later we will need organizers and drivers.

Please sign up at the back of the church on this weekend, Oct. 27/28.

FAITH FORMATION 2018-2019

Forms to register are available at the tables in the back of church. We will especially look forward to those preparing for the Sacraments of Reconciliation, Eucharist and Confirmation.

Faith Formation Calendar for

Learning sessions are October 28 followed by Parish Rosary Celebration.

Family Mass will be celebrated at 9:00 a.m. on November 4th highlighting the Saints Session for children will follow at 10:00 a.m.

No Session on November 11th respecting the Veterans Holiday weekend.

On November 18th we will have an Advent workshop and collection food for Thanksgiving donation.

Any questions contact Maureen Myers at moey17@aol.com or cell 716-512-8176.

SPAGHETTI DINNER TODAY**TICHETS AVAILABLE AT THE DOOR**

Our **Spaghetti Dinner** is today **October 28th from 2-5 p.m.** A big Silent Auction will also be offered. Many wonderful baskets and gifts. Adult ticket is still \$12 all inclusive with salad, dessert and beverage, and children's ticket is \$6. Takeout. Let's make this a wonderful time to gather with good food and fellowship.

PROTECTING OUR CHILDREN

Since 2002, the Diocese has provided a program for adults 18 and over, to learn how to work together to create a safe environment for all our children. All are welcome to attend a session which are offered all over the diocese.

Some local places you can attend:

Nov. 7th at 8:00 p.m. at Christ the King parish, Main St. Snyder.

Nov. 8th at the Catholic Center, 795 Main St. at 12:30 p.m.

Register online at www.buffalodiocese.org/protecting-gods-children or go to www.virtus.org and click on "First Time Registration."

FOOD FOR ALL

The next collection will be November 10th and 11th. Please place your donations in the boxes provided in the church. Please, no expired or perishable food, nor used nor opened food boxes.

VOCATIONS

When Jesus healed the blind man Bartimaeus his eyesight was not only restored, but also his ability to see and appreciate God's love. How is God calling you to bring light to those in darkness? If God is calling you to a Church vocation call Fr. Andrew Lauricella at 716-847-5535. or on our website www.buffalovocations.org!

CATHOLIC ACADEMY CORNER

The 2019 Calendar Club calendar is available in church. You buy a care which has two numbers for the entire year. You are eligible for the daily drawing of \$50, weekend drawing of \$100 and selected holiday drawings of \$250 and \$25 awarded if you have the number above or the number below the number drawn. A Grand Prize of \$2,000 will be awarded on December 19th for Christmas Day 2019. Send in your stub by November 1, 2018 to participate in the Early Bird Drawing for one of five \$ 150 prizes. Call 885-6111 for more information or calendars.

AREA EVENTS

Theology of the Body, presented by Deacon Michael Ficorilli on Monday, October 29th from 7:00 to 8:30 p.m. at St. Stephen Church, 2100 Baseline Rd, Grand Island. Every person is a child of God, and because of this our body has a profound dignity and purpose. Some say, "It's my body. I can do whatever I want with it." But, how does this square with "Do you not know that your bodies are temples of the Holy Spirit, who is in you, whom you received from God? You are not your own." (1 Cor. 6:19) All are welcome—high school students, parents, parishioners, confirmation students, sponsors.

Our Lady of Hope Annual Fall Festival, Saturday, Nov. 3rd, 2018 at 5:00 p.m. in O'Brien Hall, Grant and Lafayette.

Admission is \$5 and includes tickets for basket auction and one coffee and dessert. Food also available and \$1500 Grand Cash Prize, plus 4 \$100 prizes. Call 885-2469 for more information.

David Haas in Concert on November 7 at 7:00 p.m. at St. John the Baptist Parish, 1085 Englewood Ave. Kenmore. Haas will take us on a musical journey of songs and reflections born from over 40 years of liturgical compositions. Some of his most popular sacred hymns are: You Are Mine, Blest Are They, We Have Been Told. For tickets, call 873-1122 or e-mail cherylhtickets@gmail.com.

NATIVITY DISPLAY

Fr. Roy Herberger's collection of nearly 600 nativity sets will be at a new location this year. He is in need of coat racks, "winter" mats at the doorways, glass display cases and rectangular tables. If you have ways to help or donate, call at 716-8522076.



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