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Baptism Celebrations
St. Joseph’s Church welcomes Grace Elizabeth Willett, Beau Alexander Willett and Katherine Jessica Willett into the family of God.
Congratulations to their parents Rodger & Jessica and Rodger & Jennifer who presented their children for Baptism on May 19th with Jason Plumadore & Jennifer Plumadore and Rodger L. Willett Sr. & Patricia Willett standing as Godparents.

Weekend Masses
4:00pm Saturday St. Joseph’s
8:30am Sunday St. Joseph’s
10:30am Sunday Assumption

Daily Masses
Consult Back of Bulletin
Pastor: Rev. John M. Demo
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Catholic Home Missions: Second Collection this weekend. Right now, over 40 percent of dioceses in the United States are considered home mission territory because they are unable to fund the essential pastoral work needed in their communities. Your support funds programs, such as religious education, seminary formation, and lay ministry training, to build vibrant faith communities right here in the United States. Please be generous. More information can be found at www.usccb.org/home-missions.
NOTICE: The Assumption of Mary Gym will be closed for a few weeks so that the gym floor can be resealed.

Thanks to our Church Cleaners for May for the Church of the Assumption: The Catholic Daughters. Cleaners for June: Mark & Mary Vann and Nick & Tonya Wood. Thank you very much!

TITHING - Grateful Giving

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Thank You!

May Cash Raffle Winners

May 16 - Jason Pageau, Dannemora
May 17 - Warren Bennett, Plattsburgh
May 18 - Mary Brassard, Ellenburg Depot
May 19 - Scott Sorrell, Lyon Mountain
May 20 - Stephen Dubrey, Ellenburg Depot
May 21 - August Simpson, Bloomingdale
May 22 - Andre’ Lawliss, Morrisonville

As of this weekend the St. Joseph’s 50/50 Drawing Amount is $680.

6th Sunday of Easter - The Holy Spirit will teach us and remind us of what Jesus taught. Jesus assures us in the Gospel that he will dwell within us, and the Holy Spirit will teach us and remind us of what he taught. This is good news for us, because it means we are not making this Christian journey alone, two thousand years removed from a period in human time. We are today, like the early Church of Jerusalem, taught and guided by the Spirit. We need only to listen and have faith in his working in us.

In the first reading, a letter from the Church in Jerusalem is delivered to the Gentiles in Antioch, Syria and Cilicia. In it they are assured that they are under no burdens of the Mosaic law. Revelation gives us a vision of splendor: the holy city Jerusalem. Jesus, in the Gospel, tells his disciples that he and the Father will dwell within those who love him and keep his word. He also promises to send the Holy Spirit as an Advocate.

Prayer Corner

Following the lead of Christ the Good Shepherd, we heed his voice and invitation to entrust our loved ones to the care of the Almighty God. Let us pray often and with great hope! The following people have asked to be included in the prayers of our Parish Family at Assumption and St. Joseph’s:

- Jenny Gladwin, Mary Ledwith, Linda Parker, Lisa Brousseau
- Rita Finizio, Shirley Shifflett, Herman Brunelle, Joel Rivera
- Aaron Siskavich, Megan Liberty, Wayne Smart, Phyllis Chauvin
- Kenneth Burdo, Marion Badger, Mark Rasco, Jim Dowdle
- Eleanor Rasco Leggett, Clarence Fournia, Eloise Gundrum
- Carl Johnson, Donna Couture, Rita LaRose, Lana Provost
- Taylor Allen, Lisa Benson, Jill Rasco,olly LaMora, Earl Miner
- Mandi Mawhinney Blanchard, Joyce Ryan, Wanda Sweeney
- Rose Sheffield, Larry Henderson, Marc Dubrey-Smith, Ed Chartier
- Bob LaHart, Candy Gleason, Sherry Provost, Cathy LaValley
- Jimmy Baretsky, Joseph Deschamps, Loretta Boyd
- Karen Baraniak Burkush, John Shusda Sr., Tim Rasco

Baptism Celebrations

St. Joseph’s Church welcomes Carson Kenneth Couture and Landon Adam Provost into the family of God. Congratulations to their parents Austin & Heather and Nicolas & Colleen who presented their beautiful baby boys for Baptism on May 19th with Tyler Short & Mollie Short and David Aucoin & Katelyn Atkinson standing as Godparents.

Church of Assumption welcomes Caleb Richard Beggs into the family of God. Congratulations to his parents David & Jaimie who presented their beautiful baby boy for Baptism on May 19th with Daniel Beggs, John Hinson, Amber Beggs standing as Godparents.
From the Pastor’s Desk
This past week I was on retreat with my brother priests and Bishop LaValley. Our presenter Fr. Gerry Blaszcaak provided many insights on the Book of Psalms. One in particular, is that the Psalms are Jesus’ prayer book and they call us “to be real” with God. They call us to be aware of the “sacred now” which is present in the varying circumstances of our lives.

Questions for Reflection:
1. Do I believe that God can create a pure heart in me, or do I live resigned to my own weakness, loneliness, isolation, telling myself that “this is the way it is,” closing myself off from the hope and offer of grace.
2. Do I have grievances against God that I have kept under wraps, but that still bother me? Things that happen at work or in my relationships with others.
3. Do I recognize Christ as Lord of my life and history? Do I find God in all things and desire that my life be lived fully in response to the goodness of God.

There will be a “chat & nibble” after the 4:00pm Mass on June 8th in the SJ Church Hall.

Feast of the Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary (May 31) - When the angel brought Mary the amazing message that she would be the mother of God’s Son, she also brought her some family news: her elderly cousin, Elizabeth, was going to have a baby as well. Immediately, Mary set out to visit her cousin and help her at what must have been a challenging time. When Mary arrived, something amazing happened: the child in Elizabeth’s womb leapt up in recognition, and Elizabeth, too, was filled with the Holy Spirit and realized that Mary was carrying God’s Son. Even before his birth, John the Baptist was pointing the way to Christ! We echo Elizabeth’s joyful exclamation every time we pray the Hail Mary: “Blessed are you among women, and blessed is the fruit of your womb!” And we echo Mary’s response to her cousin, her Magnificat, in the Office of Evening Prayer.

Why do Catholics invoke the Holy Spirit:
As the Third Person of the Trinity, the Holy Spirit is invoked every time we make the Sign of the Cross. In Baptism, he dwells in our souls and makes us children of God (Romans 8:15). He makes us receptive to God’s grace. He also teaches and helps us to pray. He guides and protects us, just as he guides and protects the Church. Through his gifts, he inspires and enables us to do the good we ought to do.

2019 Craft & Vendor Show
at the American Legion Post 1618, Wilson Road, Redford, Sunday, June 9th from 10:00am to 4:00pm. Food and Refreshments will be available. Over 20 Vendors.

60th Anniversary: Lawrence M. Deno, retired pastor of St. James Parish, Cadyville, celebrates his 60th Anniversary of Ordination to the Priesthood with a special Mass Friday, June 7th, 4:00pm at his home parish of St. Joseph’s, West Chazy. Reception at the Parish Hall to follow immediately after Mass. No Gifts Please! Everyone invited.

53rd Cadyville Fire Department Field Day is Sun, June 9th.

Have you been wondering if God is calling you to more leadership and involvement in your parish? The Formation for Ministry program will begin in September and we are looking for committed Catholics who want to answer that call. Come and see! Informational evenings have been planned in three locations in June:
- Tuesday, June 4 at St. Cecilia’s, Adams, 6pm
- Wed., June 12 at St. Joseph’s Church, West Chazy, 6:30pm
- Thur., June 20 at St. Bartholomew’s Church, Old Forge, 6:30pm

Applications will be available at these meetings.

Altar Server Gathering: Come and Join Us - Where: St. Mary’s Cathedral, Ogdensburg. When: August 16. Start: 10am Registration and Cathedral Tours. Register with Shayne by August 9 at slippincott@rcdony.org or 315-782-3620.


Summer Discernment Weekend Retreat for Men: At the Lake with Jesus - Friday, July 5, after 5pm through Sunday, July 7, at Noon. Come to the shores of Lower Saranac Lake at the Guggenheim Main Lodge for a time of prayer, reflection, fellowship and recreation. Participants should bring a sleeping bag, towels, toiletries, casual clothes, swim trunks and sweatshirt. Overnight retreatants must be age 18 and over. New! This year in conjunction with Discernment Retreat: Day of Recollection for High School Young Men, Ages 14-17 - Saturday, July 6 from 9am to 5pm. Participants may want to bring swim trunks and towel. Parental Consent and Medical forms are required and will be provided when registering. For more information or to register for either event, please contact: Fr. Doug Lucia 315-393-2920 or 315-388-4466 or dlucia@rcdony.org.
MASS SCHEDULE for the WEEK of May 26, 2019

Mo. May 27 - Observance of Memorial Day (bad weather - services in church)
   St. Augustine of Canterbury, Bishop (Acts 16:11-15; Jn 15:26-16:4a)
9:00am SJ - Prayer Service in old cemetery
10:00am CA - Mass Celebrated in the Cemetery - Donald & Linda Dupraw - Diann Crawford; Florence Chauvin (Anniversary) - Family
   {Those attending will need to bring a chair for the service}

Tu. May 28 - (Acts 16:22-34; Jn 16:5-11) - No Mass

We. May 29 - Anticipated Mass for Holy Day (Acts 17:15, 22-18:1; Jn 16:12-15)
   6:00pm SJ - Elizabeth Gregory - Catholic Daughters

   9:00am CA - Ed & Gladys Brousseau - Leon Brousseau; Hilda Davies, Wilbur & Winifred Canning Family - Ken Davies

Fr. May 31 - Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary ( Zep 3:14-18a; Lk 15:39-56) - No Mass
   Note: Weekday Masses will be held in the Church

Sa. June 1 - (Anticipated Mass for Sunday)
   4:00pm SJ - Derrick “Joe” Venne - Dolly

Su. June 2 – Seventh - (Acts 1:1-11; Eph 1:10-17-23; Mk 16:15-20)
   8:30am SJ - Deacon Richard “Mike” Larche & Jessica Larche - Rita
   10:30am CA - Josephine Pelletier & Lena Strack (Birthdays) - Gloria Pelletier; James Lawton (Anniversary) - Mary Ellen Lawton

Assumption’s Sanctuary Lamp
- For all our Sick & Shut-ins, for those in Hospitals & Nursing Homes

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Our Faith Community
Prays for the Repose of the Soul of:

Rev. Msgr. Peter R. Riani
Derith “Derry” Taylor Clark
Craig Bowman
Larry Ewald

Environmental Stewardship: One of the major causes of war according to the CIA is climate change. Our Christian faith-based perspective emphasizes that the poor are the most directly affected by these changes. So, environmental stewardship is not just about saving trees. It’s about saving people and preserving their dignity and ability to meet basic needs such as water, food and housing.

Jesus prayed to the Father: “That they may be one, as we are one.” As we honor all mothers who unite their children and the world, we pray for more holy vocations to the faithful married life. To support those mothers and fathers, our world needs holy priests and religious. For information talk to Fr. Mickey or Fr. Doug Lucia at 315-386-2543/dlucia@rcdony.org or Cathy Russell, the Diocesan Vocation Coordinator at 315-393-2920, ext. 1450/crussell@rcdony.org. See us also on Facebook or at www.myvocations.net.

Liturgical Ministries - 6/1 - 6/2

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St. Joseph’s HOME VISITS Assumption

A Good Pun is its own Re-Word
- Reading while sunbathing makes you well—red.
- Dijon vu - the same mustard as before
- When two egotists meet, it’s an I for an I.
- A bicycle can’t stand on its own because it is two-tired.
- A backwards poet writes inverse.

A fine is a tax you pay for doing things wrong, and a tax is a fine you pay for doing all right.

Amazing!
You hang something in your closet for a while and it shrinks two sizes!

Protecting God’s Children: All parishes and diocesan schools use VIR-TUS a compliance management system for all volunteers, employees, and clergy who work with minors in compliance with the Diocesan Policy for the Protection of Children and Youth. Please visit rcdony.org/safeenv for info.