

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 26

5:00pm Steve Pucino – Dorothy Benedict

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 27 – 26th

Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00am Ray Denniston – Dick & Judy Strauss

10:00am Frank Reschke (2nd Anniversary) – Marie Heck

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 28 – St

Wenceslaus, Martyr; St Lawrence Ruiz & Companions, Martyrs

9:00am Tillie Watkins – Dick & Judy Strauss

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 29 – St

Michael, Gabriel & Raphael, Archangels

9:00am Ann Benedict St Patrick’s Altar & Rosary Society

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 30 – St

Jerome, Priest & Dr of the Church

9:00am Barbara Dendis – Paul

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 1 – St Theresa

of the Child Jesus, Virgin & Dr of the Church

NO MASS

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 2 – The Holy

Guardian Angels

NO MASS

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 3 – 1st

Saturday

5:00pm Special Intention

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 4 – 27th Sunday

in Ordinary Time

8:00am Robert & Irene Benedict (Wedding Anniversary) – Family

10:00am Rev John E Fetcho – Friends MaryAnn Whitton/Marie Heck

In your kindness, please pray for John DiRisio; and for all the deceased members of our parish family.

Please pray for the safe return of our soldiers who are stationed in areas of harm. Our hope is that they, as well as all our other young men and women, return home safely, and soon.

- *Marcus Bolen*Connor Bush*Tanner Bush*Matthew Eck*Jennifer Gillian*
- *Jason Green*Jacob Ilacqua*Stephen Paul*Jared Twist*

Please come back to Mass on the weekend and during the week (Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday at 9am). Also, the Adoration Chapel is open on Tuesday from 9:30 – 4pm and on Fridays from 6am – 6pm. **We need to worship together!**

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

Saturday, September 26

4:00pm Confessions – Church

Sunday, September 27

No Coffee Hour

Monday, September 28

9:30am Legion of Mary Mtg

6:00pm A&R Mtg – Marian Hall

Tuesday, September 29

3:00pm Chapel of Divine Mercy – Chapel

8:00pm AA Mtg

Wednesday, September 30

9:30am Rosary – Chapel

Thursday, October 1

7:00pm Food Pantry – Parking Lot

No Choir Practice

Saturday, October 3

4:00pm Confessions – Church

Sunday, October 4

Coffee Hour

Liturgies September 19 & 20

Budget.....\$4,500

Collection.....\$2,911

Deficit/Surplus.....-\$1,589

In Our Community

The JE Food Pantry thanks you for your donations. Please remember the Pantry as you do your shopping.

The First Baptist Church of Jordan is holding **TAKE OUT ONLY: Chicken and Biscuit**

Dinner next Sat, Oct 3 from 5 – 7 pm. Adults: \$10/ages 6-12 \$5. Incs: Chicken & gravy, mashed potatoes, biscuits, vegetables, apple or pumpkin pie. Deliveries available – call in by 4pm, 689-6510.

You may request to light the Infant of Prague Candle or the Sanctuary Candle by calling the Parish Office. Each candle burns for 2 weeks. Donation \$10. **OR Flowers for the Altar.** The donation is \$50 per week.

The Sanctuary Candle Burns for Madeline Vaverchak
Given by the DiRenzo Family

The Infant of Prague Candle Burns for Frank Reschke
Given by his Niece, Marie

PLEASE turn off your cell phone before entering the church to preserve the spirit of prayer and reverence. Thank you.

Prayers are Requested for: Frank Amie, Marge Austin, JAB, Charles Brown, Loren Barrigar, Jackie C, Grace Davis, John DiRisio, Hildegarde Gunnip, Reese Hawathaway, Katie Hinman, Amanda Kinch, Carolyn Mangin, Teresa Moore, Mike Moresdorf, Christina Paul, Karen Platten, Gabe Rosette, Joe Ryan

Please call the Parish Office to request that someone be added to our list. (Prayer Shawls are also available upon request.)

St Patrick Prayer Request:

Name _____
For the month of August 2020.
Request deadline for publication is September 27, 2020.

Readings for Sept 27-October 4

Sun.	Ez 18:25-28/Phil 2:1-11/Mt 21:28-32
Mon.	Jb 1:6-22/Lk 9:46-50
Tues.	Dn 7:9-10,13-14/Jn 1:47-51
Wed.	Jb 9:1-12,14-16/Lk 9:57-62
Thurs.	Jb 19:21-27/Lk 10:1-12
Fri.	Jb 38:1,12-21;40:3-5/Mt 18:1-5,10
Sat.	Jb 42:1-3,5-6,12-17/Lk 10:17-24
Sun.	Is 5:1-7/Phil 4:6-9/Mt 21:33-43

Next Cemetery Clean-Up - Please join us on Sat, Oct 10 at 9am. The cemetery is the final resting place for many of our loved ones. Let’s pay tribute to them by keeping the area looking its best. Your hands are needed. Please bring sturdy work gloves and any lawn equipment you have. This ministry is a very important; we hope that you will join us. If you have placed flowers on a loved ones grave, please remove any items that you wish to preserve before that time, as we will be clearing them before winter. Thank you for understanding.

The Knights of Columbus News
Meetings: 2nd Thursday of each month @ 7pm. Please contact Ken Scott, Grand Knight for information.

Please join us on Columbus Day at Mass as we celebrate the 35th anniversary of the founding of our local chapter. Monday, October 12th at 6pm at here at St Patrick’s. **No dinner will follow Mass this year due to the Coronavirus.** Everyone is welcome!

2020 HOPE APPEAL

Next weekend is HOPE Appeal Commitment Weekend, when we join with faithful across the Diocese of Syracuse to support the HOPE Appeal.

Our annual appeal funds ministries, programs, and services that help thousands across Central New York (or Southern Tier). You will receive a letter from Bishop Lucia asking for your support of the HOPE appeal. Please review the HOPE Appeal brochure and prayerfully consider making the most generous gift possible. You may bring your completed pledge card to Mass during HOPE Appeal Weekend or drop it by the parish office. You may also pledge your gift to our parish's campaign online, using your debit or credit card, at syrdio.org. If you did not receive the HOPE Appeal mailing, or have questions about the HOPE Appeal, please call the parish office.

SAYINGS OF THE SAINTS

"Love, in fact, is the vocation which includes all others; it's a universe of its own, comprising all time and space – it's eternal. Beside myself with joy, I cry out: 'Jesus my love! I've found my vocation, and my vocation is love.' I had discovered where it is that I belong in the Church; the niche God has appointed me. To be nothing else than love, deep down in the heart of mother Church; that's to be everything at once – my dream wasn't a dream after all."
(St. Therese of the Child Jesus, whose Feast Day is October 1)

OCTOBER IS RESPECT LIFE MONTH

- "God's love – individual, real, unchanging – is the true source of our worth, identity, and dignity. It really is not a question of who we are, but rather whose we are. Because his love will never change, nothing can reduce our God-given dignity, and nothing can diminish the immeasurable worth or our lives." *USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities - "How to Build a Culture of Life"*

9th ROSARY CRUSADE

Please join us on Saturday, October 10 at 12noon at the Pieta Shrine for our Annual Rosary Crusade. We will recite the rosary and the Litany of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Please bring your own lawn chair. We will follow social distancing guidelines. Please come and pray with us! Sponsored by the St Patrick's Legion of Mary and Knights of Columbus Council #9042.

Altar & Rosary News

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What an exciting event the Altar & Rosary Society held at the 1st mtg of the year on Sept 14 in Marian Hall. 21 of our members attended our socially distanced, masked, sanitized, boxed dinner meeting! Fr D was present, and blessed our members & our mission. It was wonderful to be together again in such a thoughtful, appropriate manner. We were honored to celebrate the birthday of Pearl Simmons, and listened intently as members talked of personal experiences related to COVID-19 these past months. Our agenda included a discussion of 2 upcoming fundraisers - the Thanksgiving Bake Sale & Spaghetti Dinner. Though both are weeks/months away, planning had to begin. After much discussion, we decided that both events would not be held this year. This was a sad and painful decision, as both events engage our parish community, as well as many others who come for the delicious baked goods and spaghetti supper. Our next meeting will be Oct 19 at 6pm in Marian Hall and will focus on establishing a working committee to celebrate the 125th Anniversary of the A&R. With God's blessing, this will be a joyous event with all of our parishioners. Also, we will begin to address alternative methods of creative fundraising that will benefit our church, community and service to the Altar of St. Patrick Church. COVID-19 safety guidelines will apply. As always, we continue to invite the ladies of St. Patrick Parish to attend our meetings as we devote our prayers to the Blessed Virgin Mary and celebrate fellowship among our members.

The Annual CROP WALK this year will be virtual, due to the Coronavirus. Donations are needed as much as ever to help feed the hungry around the world and in our own Jordan-Elbridge community. Our local food pantry receives 25% of the money raised here in JE. We ask that all who can donate put your Contribution in an envelope marked "CROP WALK" and place it in the regular collection basket after mass. Please consider donating any week during the month of October. Thank you! Questions? Call Joan Scott (315-673-1722)

Religious Education News

We are making plans to resume regular Faith Formation classes in mid-October! Please share any ideas, thoughts, and concerns with us by calling Mary Badger at 315-689-6240x113.

Thank you for continuing to nurture the Faith as a family during these past months! Parents are the Primary Educators and most important examples for their children as they grow in knowledge and love for Jesus, Who established the Holy Catholic Church and Her teachings as our means to salvation.

Family Faith Sharing - Check out our website: stpatricksjordan.com, which has current information and links to prayers, readings, and Catholic teachings.

Four of our young people are now preparing to receive Jesus for the first time in Holy Communion. Please continue to pray for them and for our Confirmation Candidate.

First Holy Communion on November 1, 10am! - Armani Deemer, Daniel Ferrare, Charlotte Novak, Jesse Swidowski

Confirmation - Reilly Montreal

Respect Life Ministry - Each Tuesday, our Respect Life Ministry will pray the Chaplet of Divine Mercy and other prayers **at 3pm**, in the Adoration Chapel. About twice a month, we meet after the prayers to plan ways to spread the Pro-life message to others, including placing pamphlets in strategic places, occasional events, and participating in prayerful vigils. Please join us!

Life Chain - The National Life Chain Event will be held at Holy Family Church, Fairmount, on Respect Life Sunday, October 4th from 1-2pm. This will be one hour of peaceful prayer to take a positive stand to end abortion and to witness to the sacredness of human life. The Knights of Columbus will provide signs; "Stand up for Life."

40 Days For Life - From Sept 23 to Nov 1, pro-life advocates will gather outside abortion mills and pray for an end to the horror taking place inside...the murder of pre-born babies. This peaceful, prayerful presence on the sidewalk has been very fruitful! The lives of 17,226 babies have been saved in 1000 cities in 63 countries! Our Ministry invites you to join us in this vigil in front of Planned Parenthood on 1120 E. Genesee St. in Syracuse. Please call Mary Badger for more info.

**ARCHANGELS AND
GUARDIAN ANGELS**

September 29 is the Feast of the Archangels Michael, Gabriel, and Raphael. According to St. Thomas Aquinas, there are three spheres of angels, each containing three orders or choirs. Each sphere has a different mission. The archangels are in the third sphere, which is involved with human affairs. They are God's messengers, like St. Gabriel, who appeared to Mary and Joseph and healers, like St. Raphael, and defenders, like St. Michael.

October 2 is the Feast of the Guardian Angels, who are assigned to each of us personally to lead and guide us throughout life. We should pray frequently to our Guardian Angel for protection and direction during the day and night!

**PRAYER TO OUR
GUARDIAN ANGEL**

Angel of God, my Guardian Dear,
to whom God's love commits me
here,
Ever this day be at my side.
To light and guard, to rule and
guide. *AMEN.*

Prayer Chain

We have been asked to form a prayer chain at St Patrick's. This chain would be used to get urgent messages to our parishioners. (Perhaps a loved one has been in a car accident, or has fallen and broken a bone, or there has been a fire in their home or Father DeLorenzo needs to send us an important message quickly - - or just any need for prayers).

If you would be interested in joining this new prayer chain please fill out the form here. Be sure to tell us how you would like to be notified.

NAME _____
PHONE _____
E-MAIL _____
Preference (please circle one): e-mail – phone call - text