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St. Michael Corner Phelps & Holly Sts. Lyons, NY Saturday Mass: 4:00 pm Mass: Fri. 8:30 am Confessions: Sat. 3:15-3:45 pm

St. Patrick Grand Ave. Savannah, NY Sunday Mass: 12:30 pm

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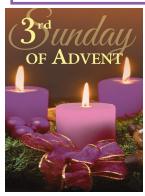
St. Mary Magdalene 15 Northup Ave. Wolcott, NY Saturday Mass: 4:30 pm Mon. & Fr. Mass: 8:30 am Confessions: Sat. 3:30 - 4:15 pm

St. Thomas 6927 Main St. Red Creek, NY Sunday Mass: 8 am (Winter) Confessions: Sun. 7:20 - 7:50 am

St. Jude 580 Main St. Fair Haven, NY Sunday Mass: 8 am

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# **DECEMBER 11, 2022**



### Fr. Mike's Message...

Advent 2022

One of the cool things about Advent this year is that, because Christmas falls on a Sunday, we actually get the full four-week Advent experience (as opposed to next year, when Christmas falls on Monday, and we only get three weeks and one day). This means that today marks the exact half-way

point of Advent. Since we are now at the midpoint of Advent, it might be helpful to take stock of where we are, how things have been going so far, and what we can do as we go into the second half.

On the First Sunday of Advent, I mentioned that, in many ways, Advent is a journey, similar to the journey that we go through during Lent. This is a journey during which we are preparing our hearts to meet Christ. The first part of Advent is a time when we look forward to the Second Coming of Christ, and although we most likely won't be around for the Second Coming, at some point all of us will meet Christ face to face when our time on Earth is finished. This is why, during the hustle and bustle of the holiday season, we need to take some quiet time to be with the Lord.

With all of the time needed to put up decorations, bake treats, and buy gifts, it's easy to lose track of time. It's easy to lose sight of that journey that we are on. But again, as we are halfway through Advent, this is the perfect opportunity to reassess and rededicate ourselves to that journey. If we haven't been spending as much time as we would like in prayer, or if we haven't yet availed ourselves of the Sacrament of Penance, or if we feel as if we haven't done enough charitable works, it's not too late. The more we are able to dedicate ourselves to the true spirit of Advent, the better our Christmas celebration will be.

My brothers and sisters, as we continue through this Advent season, may we continue to remember the true meaning of this season, a season of expectant longing, a season of hope, a season of joyfully anticipating the coming of Christ. Merry Christmas!

#### MASSES and INTENTIONS

Sunday, December 11 Third Sunday of Advent	8:15 am ~ Theresa Muoio & Dad, Frank by Rose Muoio 10:30 am ~ Alex Kehoe by Family	
Monday, December 12 Our Lady of Guadalupe	Newark Manor Mass The People of the Parish	╠
Tuesday, December 13 St. Lucy	8:00 am ~ Julia Lentz by David Lentz	
Wednesday, December 14 St. John of the Cross Bouwens 6:30 pm Holy Hour		
Thursday, December 15 Advent Weekday	8:00 am ~ Jim Hurley by Terry Urban	

# #-WEEKEND

#### Sun. Dec. 18

	8:15	10:30	
Lector	L. Lauster	S. Joslyn	
Com- mentator	J. Sherman	S. Hartman	
Extraordi- nary Min.	B. Hegeman	L.' DeRue	
Altar Server	N/A	I. Humphrey	
Greeter	Hegeman	Owen Humphrey	

#### **MONEY COUNTERS:** Team 3

Nancy Murphy Coffee Hour No Coffee Hour

Sunday, December 18

Fourth Sunday of Advent

Please pray for the families of those who have died: Joan Crider, Rita McHale & Catherine Wilhelm, mother of Pam Kehoe

## **NEWS & NOTES....**

The Harvest Basket winner was STEVE MURPHY. Congratulations.



Thank you too all who purchased tickets. The Rosary & Altar Society made \$649.00

## Advent Giving Tree

Advent Tree Tag Process When choosing your tags from the tree, please fill out the purple tag and leave it in the gathering space before leaving church. After wrap-



ping your gift, securely attach the white tag to it so the child's name is showing. Gifts must be returned to the church SUNDAY, DECEMBER 18th.

#### CHRISTMAS ALTAR FLOWERS

Envelopes and forms are both due back to the parish center by TODAY, December 11th, so that the names of those to be remembered can be placed in the insert for the Christmas bulletin. Any questions please call Katie at the parish center.



### ST. MICHAEL'S WEEKLY COLLECTION

Social Ministry/Poor Fund \$5209.00 Catholic University \$310.00

8:15 am ~ Cindy Hartman & son, Ben by Hartman Family 10:30 am ~ Wally Straight

# 2022/2023 CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL

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With	As of	Donors	Paid	Goal
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Clways	12/5/22	106	\$16,538.00	\$39,000.00

Thank you to the parishioners that have donated to the CMA already.



#### THIS WEEK AT THE PARISH

8:15 am Both Masses 11:30 am

2:00 pm

WEDNESDAY 11:30 am

6:30 pm SATURDAY

10:00 am SUNDAY

8:15 am Both Masses

#### December 11

RCIA Mass & Sending

Advent Giving Tree Tag Selection

Coffee Hour

Rosary & Altar Christmas Party

December 14

Faith Sandwiched In Holy Hour

December 17

Advent Penance Service

December 18

RCIA Mass & Sending

Advent Giving Tree Gifts Returned

# Comunida Hispana Oración para Adviento

Oremos, lubrica, Señor, las bisagras de la puerta de mi corazón para que gire gentil y fácilmente y dé la bienvenida a tu llegada.

### **ADVENT PENANCE SERVICE** SATURDAY, DECEMBER 17<sup>™</sup> 10:00 AM





#### "Don't Spend Christmas Alone"

**Together in Christ** invites everyone to the Annual Community Shared Christmas **Dinner** that is held on Christmas Day starting at 1 pm at the Newark First United Methodist Church, 301 S. Main St., Newark.

Volunteers will need to arrive by 9 am to begin prepping food. The menu will include turkey, gravy, mashed potatoes, stuffing, mixed vegetables and cookies. Take outs will be available.

Volunteers are always welcome. Anyone wishing to help prepare the meal or with the clean up, please contact, Karen Vanderbrook @ 315-331-7860 Any cash donations please direct them to IC Community Dinner, c/o Monika Brunner 414 W. Miller St., Newark.

Donations for 201b Frozen Turkeys and **pies** are needed.

Turkeys need to be dropped off on December 19th between 9am-12pm.

Pies need to be dropped off December 23rd & 24th between 9am-1 pm.

**Rosary & Altar Christmas Gathering** TODAY, December 11 2-4 pm at JUDY GREENE'S HOME **126 WILLIAMS ST, NEWARK** 



(location changed) Gift exchange optional Al ladies welcome

# Remember to Support Our Advertisers

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#### MASSES and INTENTIONS

Saturday, December 10 Vigil Third Sunday of Advent	4:00 pm St. Michael Eugene Tricarico by Mary Ann & Family
Sunday, December 11 Third Sunday of Advent	10:30 am St. John Nick & Dorothy Dileo by The Family 12:30 pm St. Patrick People of the Parish
Tuesday, December 13 St. Lucy	8:30 am St. John Karen Liseno by Paul & Sharon Ferindino
Wednesday, December 14 St. John of the Cross	6:00 pm St. John Robert Nelson Witter by M/M Robert Witter, Sr.
Thursday, December 15 Advent Weekday	8:30 am St. John Bruce Giles by Bernie Prosser
Friday, December 16 Advent Weekday	8:30 am St. Michael Anthony Lisena by Carmie Lisena
Saturday, December 17 Vigil Fourth Sunday of Advent	4:00 pm St. Michael Leonard, Jewell & Larry Delisio by Joseph Delisio, Sr.
Sunday, December 18 Fourth Sunday of Advent	10:30 am St. John Deceased members of the Bramer Family by Chris & Paul Lauster 12:30 pm St. Patrick Karen Liseno by Bob & Sue Proseus



Please pray for the families of those who have died:

Linda Cattieu

Ruth Cimineri

Catherine "Cathy" Wilhelm

Pray for the Sick Please pray for all of our sisters and brothers who are ill, at home or in the hospital, especially those listed in our book of intentions.

St. Joseph the Worker Parish Prayer Lines Parishioners attending St. John

St. Joseph the Worker Parish Prayer Lines Parishioners attending St. John or St. Patrick churches who want prayers said by the members of the parish's prayer chain , please call Marianne Weaver, 315-923-7153.

St. Michael parishioners please call, Judy Tuck, 315-946-4011.

Memorial Candle and Flowers for the week of 12/11 St. John Candle: Timothy Peters by Dave & Noreen Kanaley

ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER PARISH WEEKLY COLLECTION November 19/20 \$8462.00 Other \$1114.00 November 26/27 \$4909.00 Other \$164.00 Catholic University \$363.00

Attendance	St. John	St. Patrick	St. Michael
Nov. 26/27	120	26	73

#### 2022/2023 CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL

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s	12/5/22	96	13,770.00	\$32,000.00

Thank you to the parishioners that have donated to the CMA already.



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## **NEWS & NOTES....**

# THANKS FOR SUPPORTING THE BAZAAR AT ST. JOHN'S CHURCH

The mini bazaar held on November 19<sup>th</sup> made the Parish **\$2,250!** 

A huge thank-you for all the time the Bazaar Committee put into making so many wonderful crafts, for the individuals who baked delicious cakes and cookies and for those who made the most wonderful soups and chili that were sold that day. And we cannot forget Mr. and Mrs. Clause for taking time out of their busy Christmas schedule to spend some time with us. Most of all, thank you to all who supported our Parrish by attending the event.



Lyons Inter Church Council had a very successful Community Thanksgiving Dinner at the Community Center. We served 84 dinners at the center and delivered 151 dinners to shut ins for a total of 235 Dinners

We would like to thank the following St. Michael Parishioners for their efforts and donations: Joanne Blandino, Lisa Donovan, Melody Ellwood, Anthony Lese, Tom Pusateri, Joe Sapp, Mary Ann VanHanehan, Eileen Van Norman,



VanHanehan, Eileen Van Norman, Patty Youngman and all those who attended and supported the annual event.

Cards for Parishioners on the SJTW Christmas Card list need to be returned to the Parish Office by Monday December 19<sup>th</sup> for distribution before Christmas. Thank You.

# THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT



Jesus said to them in reply, "Go and tell John what you hear and see: the blind regain their sight, the lame walk, lepers are cleansed, the deaf hear, the dead are raised, and the poor have the good news proclaimed to them." — Mt 11:4-5



# Catholic Community of the Blessed Trinity

#### MASSES and INTENTIONS



Saturday, December 10 Vigil <i>Third Sunday</i> of Advent	<b>4:30 pm St. Mary Magdalene</b> Joseph Weber by David & Terry VanFleet Family	
Sunday, December 11	8:00 am St. Thomas	
Third Sunday of Sunday	Souls in Purgatory by Gerry & Luba LaForge	
Monday, December 12	8:30 am St. Mary Magdalene	
Our Lady Of Guadalupe	Richard Bielemeier by Eileen Bielemeier	
Friday, December 16	8:30 am St. Mary Magdalene	
Advent Weekday	Ruth Petrine by Joan Lowrey & Family	
Saturday, December 17 Vigil Fourth Sunday of Advent	4:30 pm St. Mary Magdalene Gail Neu by Cathy Immerman	
Sunday, December 18	8:00 am St. Thomas	
Fourth Sunday of Sunday	Dave & Mary Jenkins by Tom & Linda Jenkins	



🎉 h Sympathy Please pray for the families of those who have died:

#### **BLESSED TRINITY WEEKLY COLLECTION** November 19/20 \$1682.00 Other \$405.64 November 26/27 \$680.00 Other \$30.00

Attendance	St. Mary Magdalene	St. Thomas	St. Jude
Nov. 26/27	37	33	N/A

#### 2022/2023 CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL

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	As of	Donors	Paid 60.59%	Goal
1	12/5/22	45	\$9694.00	\$16,000.00

Thank you to the parishioners that have donated to the CMA already.

#### Holy Hour is Tuesday evenings at 7:00 pm at St. Mary Magdalene.

This Tuesday's topic is: For the respect and nurturing of our environment.





#### Our Parish Mission Statement

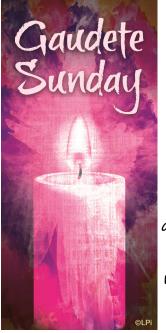
We, the people of *Blessed Trinity Parish*, come from diverse backgrounds and are *working together* to learn, live and spread the Roman Catholic Faith. We support one another on this journey of faith by studying the Gospel, celebrating the sacraments, especially the Eucharist, and nurturing the spiritual growth of all. Our pledge is to consistently strive to build an ever-stronger parish family where the word of God is proclaimed, studied, and integrated into daily living, where we worship in prayer and in sacrament the presence of God in our midst, and where we witness the Gospel through our actions of care and concern for the needs of those around us. care and concern for the needs of those around us.

# NEWS & NOTES....

**CONFESSIONS 9:00 - 10:00 AM** FRIDAY, DECEMBER 16TH ST. MARY MAGDALENE, WOLCOTT



ATTENTION BOOK LOVERS: On Friday, January 13th, we will be starting a ladies weekly morning book group at St. Mary Magdalene, 9:15-11:00 a.m. All are invited! The first book we will read aloud together is My Heart Will Triumph by Mirjana Soldo, a Medjugore visionary with an absolutely fascinating story. For more info or to purchase an advance copy for \$10, please contact Jill Lee at 315-744-4932. Consider joining and increasing our devotion to the Blessed Mother together!



The third Sunday of Advent is Gaudete Sunday and is **meant** to remind us of the joy that the world experienced at the birth of Jesus, as well as the joy that the faithful have reached the midpoint of Advent.







#### **Building Strong Catholic Families**

It is easy to look at our world and become discouraged by the apparent absence of God and signs of God's salvation. Advent, however, is a season of hope, in which we acknowledge that salvation is both mysteriously present, even in our world, and yet to be fulfilled. Read together today's Gospel. Think about John's question to Jesus: Are you the One? Jesus does not answer directly, but points to the signs of the kingdom present in his midst. Together as a family, look through the newspaper for signs of hope that God is at work in our world. Pray that the world will know God's salvation by praying together the Lord's Prayer.

#### A Year of Coming to Know God

Who is Jesus Christ? Jesus Christ is God become man. He is the second, eternal, divine person in the Trinity, and a Jewish man born of Mary around the beginning of the first century A.D. How did this happen? How did God become man? We use the term Incarnation to designate the event of God becoming man. Although "incarnate" means "in the flesh," Jesus Christ has not only flesh, but a whole human nature: body and soul. He's completely God, and completely man. He is One Person with Two Natures.

#### December Schedule Family of Faith 9:15 am

December 11- St. John's, Clyde

December 18 - St. John's, Clyde OR St. Michael's Newark



Corey Ginett
Confirmation Coordinator

Classes for Confirmation Prep are the first Saturday of the month. Next class is 1/7/23 Classes start at 9 am and end about 11 am and are held at St. John's in Clyde. For more information, Please contact Corey by text at 585-451-3902



St. Mark's Baby Closet Open House

With Care Net of Wayne County,
The Newark Food Pantry &
The Newark Girl Scout Patrol
St. Mark's Church 400 S. Main St., Newark, NY
Tuesday, December 13<sup>th</sup> 10 am-2 pm
Refreshments served
Giveaways for moms and babies
Wayne County residents welcome!

Due to Christmas & New Year's the bulletin deadlines are as follows:
Bulletin for Sunday, December 25th deadline is December 14th.
Bulletin for Sunday, January 1st deadline is December 21st.
Bulletin for Sunday, January 8th deadline is December 28th



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"I am the bread of life." John 6:51



