

St. Mary of the Assumption

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December 1, 2019 First Sunday of Advent



Pastor

Rev. Clifford H. Auth

In Residence (St. Augustine's)

Rev. Lou Sogliuzzo, S.J.

Deacon

Dc. Robert J. Talomie

Dc. Joseph R. Casper

Mass Times

Saturday Vigil 4:00pm
Sunday 7:00am, 9:00am & 5:00pm

Daily Mass

Mon, Wed, Thurs 6:45am
Tuesday 7:00pm
First Friday As Published

Reconciliation

Monday (St. Augustine's) 10:30am
Tuesday (St. Mary's) 6:00pm
Saturday (St. Mary's) 3:15pm
or by appointment

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament In Chapel

Tuesday 9:00am

Rosary & Miraculous Medal Novena in Chapel

Tuesday 6:30pm

St. Mary's Academy

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"Be sure of this: if the master of the house had known the hour of night when the thief was coming, he would have stayed awake and not let his house be broken into. So too, you also must be prepared, for at an hour you do not expect, the Son of Man will come."

- Mt 24:43-44

December Parish Outreach

CHRISTMAS BUREAU FOOD COLLECTION

Now through December 14th, we will be collecting food for the Baldwinsville Christmas Bureau. This collection helps to support those families in need within our community during the holiday season. Please place your donation items in the red barrels that will be located at the Syracuse Street entrance to the church or near the Parish Office. Thank you.

THE GIVING TREE

The Giving Tree tags for Christmas are available in the baskets at the side altars. We ask that each parishioner take a tag or two and return the unwrapped item with the tag attached and place it in the designated drop-off area in the South Hallway (leading to the Parish Center) no later than Sunday, December 14th.

Gifts from the Giving Tree will be distributed to Brady Faith, Lullaby League, Parent Aide, Vincent House, Catholic Charities Men's Shelter, and other agencies that assist those in need in our community.

If you have questions, please call the Parish Office at 315-635-5762.

THE MITTEN TREE

The mitten tree is out in the main hallway of the Parish Center. Gloves, mittens, hats, and scarves can be hung on the tree until December 14th. They will then be delivered to the Catholic Charities Men's Shelter, Vincent House, Brady Faith, and other agencies that assist those in need in our community. Your gifts will warm the hearts of those less fortunate.

If you have questions, please call the Parish Office at 315-635-5762.

Advent Workshop for Grades K - 3

All kindergartners through 3rd graders are invited to an Advent Workshop on Saturday, December 7th from 9:30-12 in the St. Augustine's Parish Hall. Members of our Youth Group will be running fun stations to teach children about Advent and the reason for the season! It will be a lot of fun! Must sign up by December 3rd with Kathyne Sparaco (ksparaco@syrdio.org).

CONFESSIONS DURING ADVENT

During the season of Advent, confessions will take place on **Tuesday evenings from 5:00pm - 6:30pm in the Church.**

The Light Is On For You will take place on Monday, December 16th from 10:30am - 1:00pm at St. Augustine's and from 5:00pm - 7:00pm at St. Mary's.

Congratulations!

Immaculata Award for Service

DIOCESE OF SYRACUSE

The Immaculata Award is an award, given by the Bishop to an individual or couple, recognizing and honoring those who generously and unselfishly give of themselves to their parishes and whose love for the Church has been shown through their devotion to the Holy Father, as well as to our Diocese. They are the unsung heroes in our midst who build up our parish communities by extraordinary service in parish ministry in volunteer service.

THE 2019 IMMACULATA AWARD WILL BE GIVEN THIS YEAR TO ST. MARY'S PARISHIONERS

PAUL & JOAN BERRAFATO

We want to thank Paul and Joan for their many years of service in ministry as Faith Formation Catechists, Eucharistic Ministers, volunteers at our weekly McHarrie Life Sr. Center Mass, Altar Linen care team members, and volunteers at our annual Lenten Fish Fry. Their commitment to our parish has been remarkable. Congratulations to Paul and Joan! We are most proud to call you our parishioners and friends!

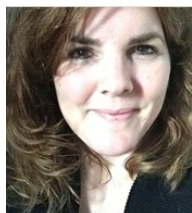
Paul and Joan will receive the **Immaculata Award** on Sunday, December 8, 2019 at 2:30pm at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception. All parishioners are cordially invited to attend the ceremony.



The front of the Immaculata Medallion is an image of the Immaculate Conception, the Patroness of the Diocese of Syracuse. The reverse features an image of the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, our Mother Church. The Immaculata Award was instituted in December 2011 as a component of the Celebration of the 125th Anniversary of the founding of our Diocese.



Join us for Rejoice! Advent Afternoon Tea
Sunday, December 8, 2018 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm
St. Mary's Gathering Space



GUEST SPEAKER:

Cathy Mackey

Director of St. Mary's Faith Formation
 will share her experience on a pilgrimage
 journey of the Camino de Santiago in Spain.



MUSIC:

Ryan Schaffer

Director of Music
 St. Mary's and St. Augustine's.

Invite your friends and host a table or be our guest at an open holiday themed table.
 Coffee, tea and desserts will be served.

*Sign up November 30th or December 1st after all Masses
 and receive a free Rejoice! Advent Meditations with Joseph journal.*

Visit rejoiceprogram.com for accompanying videos.

You're Invited!



WEDNESDAY, December 11th

We will begin with Mass at 11am and proceed
 to the Gathering Space for a catered lunch.
 All are welcome!

Please RSVP by December 4th to
 315-635-5762.

Upcoming Youth Ministry Events

Middle Schoolers (6th & 7th):

Save the date for our December
 Hangout on Wednesday, Decem-
 ber 18th 6-8 PM at St. Mary's!
 We'll have food, games and lots of
 fun! RSVPs appreciated!



Also, join us on Friday, December 27th
 from 2-4 PM for ice skating at Clinton
 Square! Cost is free, but must sign up
 in advance.

High schoolers (8th & up)

Join us on Monday, Decem-
 ber 30th from 7-10PM at St.
 Mary's for an early New
 Year's party. We'll have
 food, games, and hangout
 time. RSVPs appreciated!



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Annual Parish Holiday



**DATE: Saturday, December 14th &
Sunday, December 15th**

TIME: Immediately Following All Masses**

PLACE: Parish Center Gathering Space

Come enjoy the delightful baked goods that the bakers of our parish have prepared! Treats and goodies that are great for gift giving and holiday gatherings.

Sponsored By: The Women of Faith

We wish to thank all those who have supported and patronized our annual bake sale. Through your generosity we are able to provide a small gift card to each Seminarian in our Diocese, provide Advent Meditation books to women who attended the Advent Tea, donate to the Sisters of St. Francis of the Neumann Communities, sponsored the June "Faith and Fellowship Dinner" attended by 35 women and provided lunch for the women's retreat to the Abbey of the Gene-see.

**** Baked goods available while supplies last.**

CALLING ALL BAKERS

Please help our Women of Faith Group Annual Parish Bake Sale by donating your wonderful baked goods, as you do each year. Please bring them to the Gathering Space on Friday, December 13th, between 8:00am and 12:00pm or before any of the weekend Masses on December 14th & 15th.

Costume Jewelry Sale

December 14th and 15th after All Masses in conjunction with the Annual Bake Sale in the Gathering Space!

Great for Christmas gifts!

Wide variety of earrings, necklaces, bracelets and rings available for adults.

Children's earrings.

\$1.00 or a donation of your choice.

Proceeds will go to Women of Faith.

This week we remember in prayer:**December 2 - 8**

Living & Deceased Members of our Parish
For Mark Ramsgard & Family (*Living Intention*)

requested by Dc. Joe & Amy Casper

Paul McAuliffe

requested by Brian & Louise Corrigan

Joseph Marco

requested by A Friend

Wayne Horton

requested by The Family

David Auth

requested by Jody & Dale Spilman

Millie Hourihan

requested by Joe & Mary Ann Loffredo

Stephen Coyne, Jr.

requested by Dick & Sue Berkery

Ola Vesosky

requested by The Witt Family

Patricia Putt

requested by Jackie James

Tom Fenzl

requested by Deolinda Reeves

Weekly Mass Schedule**Monday, December 2**

6:45am (Chapel)

Tuesday, December 3

10:45am (McHarrie) Mass

7:00pm Chapel

Wednesday, December 4

6:45am (Chapel)

Thursday, December 5

6:45am (Chapel)

Friday, December 6

No Mass

Saturday, December 7

4:00pm

Sunday, December 8 - Second Sunday of Advent

7:00am

9:00am

5:00pm

*The Sanctuary Lamp burns this week in honor of:
Cindy Horton*

*The Divine Mercy Lamp burns this week in memory of:
The Taddeo Family
Requested by: Renee Romance*

Readings for the week of December 1, 2019

Sunday: Is 2:1-5/ Ps 122:1-2, 3-4, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [cf. 1]/Rom 13:11-14/Mt 24:37-44

Monday: Is 4:2-6/Ps122:1-2, 3-4b, 4cd-5, 6-7, 8-9/Mt 8:5-11

Tuesday: Is 11:1-10/Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 12-13, 17 [cf. 7]/Lk 10:21-24

Wednesday: Is 25:6-10a/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 [6cd]/Mt 15:29-37

Thursday: Is 26:1-6/Ps 118: 1 and 8-9, 19-21, 25-27a [26a]/Mt 7:21, 24-27

Friday: Is 29:17-24/Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14 [1a]/Mt 9:27-31

Saturday: Is 30:19-21, 23-26/Ps 147:1-2, 3-4, 5-6/Mt 9:35 – 10:1, 5a, 6-8

Next Sunday: Is 11:1-10/ Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 12-13, 19 [cf. 7]/Rom 15:4-9/Mt 3:1-12

**This Advent...
GIVE YOUR GIFTS ONLINE!**

IT'S SAFE. IT'S SIMPLE. IT'S CONVENIENT.

Support your church today using your debit, credit cards, checking, or savings accounts.

- 1** Visit stmarysville.org and click **Give Online**.
- 2** Select the collection or event of your choice.
- 3** Set up your donation or payment. That's it!



Questions? Contact the Parish Office at
315-635-5762

Parish Support

Weekend of November 16th & 17th: \$10,190.50

**Weekly amount needed to meet budget:
\$10,230.77**

Thank you for all your support!

Mon Dec 2	Tues Dec 3	Wed Dec 4	Thurs Dec 5	Fri Dec 6	Sat Dec 7
Faith Formation Grades 1-6 6:30pm Baptism Class 7:00pm Scripture Study 7:00pm	All Day Adoration in Chapel 9:00am Confessions 5:00pm	Choir Rehearsal 7:00pm Men's Group 8:30pm	Rosary @ McHarrie Life 10:30am		Advent Workshop @ St. Augustine's 9:30am Confessions 3:15pm Respect Life Rosary 5:00pm Taste of St. Mary's 5:00pm
Sun Dec 8	Children's Liturgy 9:00am Faith Formation Grades 1-6 10:00am Respect Life Rosary 10:00am Advent Tea 2:00pm Youth Choir Rehearsal 3:30pm Anointing of the Sick 6:00pm				



Holiday Schedule

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Saturday, December 21st: Fourth Sunday of Advent
4:00pm Mass in the Church

Sunday, December 22nd: Fourth Sunday of Advent
7:00am, 9:00am, 5:00pm Mass in the Church

Tuesday, December 24th: Christmas Eve
 4:00pm Family Christmas Mass at St. Augustine's
 4:00pm Family Christmas Mass at St. Mary's in the Gym
 4:00pm Children's Christmas Mass at St. Mary's in Church
 7:00pm Christmas Vigil at St. Augustine's
 10:00pm Mass of Midnight at St. Augustine's
Music Prelude at 9:30pm
 12:00am Midnight Mass at St. Mary's
Choir and carols begin at 11:30pm

Wednesday, December 25th: Christmas Day
 9:00am Mass at St. Mary's
 10:30am Mass at St. Augustine's

Saturday, December 28th: The Holy Family
4:00pm Mass in the Church

Sunday, December 29th: The Holy Family
7:00am, 9:00am, 5:00pm Mass in the Church

Wednesday, January 1st: Solemnity of Mary Mother of God
 9:00am Mass at St. Mary's
 10:30am Mass at St. Augustine's



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Parish Directory

Office Hours: Mon - Thurs 9am - 4pm
Fri 9am - Noon

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Parish Staff

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Dc. Joseph R. Casper, <i>Deacon</i>	(315) 720-4727
Amy Casper, <i>Pastoral Associate</i>	Ext. 104
Jackie James, <i>Homebound Minister</i>	
Catherine Mackey, <i>Director of Faith Formation</i>	Ext. 110
Patti Pitts, <i>Business Administrator</i>	Ext. 114
Renee Romance, <i>Adoration Coordinator</i>	
Ryan Schaffer, <i>Director of Music</i>	Ext. 112
Kathryne Sparaco, <i>Youth Minister</i>	(315) 729-0286
Joelle Zarnowski, <i>Director of Communications</i>	Ext. 102

Information:

Baptism: Please call the Parish Office (ext 100) to make arrangements.

Marriage: Please call the Parish Office at least six months in advance to make arrangements.

Anointing of the Sick: If a family member is hospitalized or homebound, please call the Parish Office as soon as possible. Privacy laws may prevent a hospital from telling us your loved one is there.

If you are moving: Please call or email the Parish Office with your new address and phone number, or to let us know if you will be leaving our parish.