



Welcome!

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BAPTISM - Please call the Parish Office for an appointment

MARRIAGE - Couples must contact the Parish Office six months prior to the celebration.

RECONCILIATION - Confessions will be held on First Fridays from 8:00am—8:45am at Our Lady of the Lake before First Friday Mass & Benediction; at St. Michael Church on the first Saturday of each month from 4:00pm—4:45pm and at St. Patrick's, Moravia, before the 8:30am Sunday Mass beginning at 8:00am.

COMMUNION FOR THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND/ SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING OF THE SICK - If a loved one is seriously ill or would like to receive Holy Communion at home, please call the Parish Office.

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) - Non-Catholics interested in learning more about the Catholic Faith are invited to speak to any staff member or call the Parish Office.

NEW PARISHIONERS - Welcome! Please introduce yourselves to the Parish Staff. We want to get to know you.

REGISTRATION - Every family within the Parish should be registered. Please contact the office for a registration form. If you move to another parish, change your address or have additions or deletions to your family, please notify the Parish Office. Forms are available at each worship site.

Good Shepherd
Catholic Community
P.O. Box 296, Aurora, NY 13026

August 14, 2016

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Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

? How can I spread true peace in my little corner of the world by "keeping my eyes fixed on Jesus"?

Banns of Marriage II
Natalie Marie Jones and Joseph Pritchard



ST. PATRICK'S
Aurora

ST. MICHAEL'S
Union Springs

ST. PATRICK'S
Moravia



OUR LADY OF THE LAKE
King Ferry



SCHEDULE FOR AUG 14 —AUG 21, 2016

Readings for the Week of August 14, 2016

Sunday: Jer 38:4-6, 8-10/Ps 40:2-4, 18/Heb 12:1-4/Lk 12:49-53

Monday: Vigil: 1 Chr 15:3-4, 15-16; 16:1-2/Ps 132:6-7, 9-10, 13-14/1 Cor 15:54b-57/Lk 11:27-28

Day: Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab/Ps 45:10-12, 16/1 Cor 15:20-27/Lk 1:39-56

Tuesday: Ez 28:1-10/Dt 32:26-28, 30, 35-36/Mt 19:23-30

Wednesday: Ez 34:1-11/Ps 23:1-6/Mt 20:1-16

Thursday: Ez 36:23-28/Ps 51:12-15, 18-19/Mt 22:1-14

Friday: Ez 37:1-14/Ps 107:2-9/Mt 22:34-40

Saturday: Ez 43:1-7a/Ps 85:9-14/Mt 23:1-12

Next Sunday: Is 66:18-21/Ps 117:1-2/Heb 12:5-7, 11-13/Lk 13:22-30

MASS INTENTIONS**Sunday: 8/14 – Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time****Mass:** 8:30AM at St. Patrick's, Moravia**+For Jim Green** by Kanalley Family**Mass:** 9:00AM at St. Patrick's, Aurora**+For Katharine & Lansing Miller** by Mary Dunn**Mass:** 10:30AM at Our Lady of the Lake, King Ferry**+For Kathleen Hagin Nolan & Jackie Nolan****Monday: 8/15 – The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary****Mass:** 9:00AM at St. Patrick's, Aurora**+For Margarette Kanalley** by Kanalley Family**Tuesday: 8/16- St. Stephen of Hungary****Mass:** 9:00AM at St. Patrick's, Moravia**+For Rolland Dunham** by Wife, Marylou**Wednesday: 8/17 – Weekday****NO Mass****Thursday: 8/18– Weekday****Mass:** 4:00PM at St. Michael's, Union Springs**+For Mr. & Mrs. Matthew Bacht & Gerald Bacht**
By Lorraine Fitch & Family**Friday: 8/19 – St. John Eudes****Mass :** 9:00AM at St. Patrick's, Aurora**+For Paul & Dorothy Riester & Deceased Members of Riester and Donovan Family** by Estate**Saturday: 8/20 –Vigil of Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time****Mass:** 5:00PM at St. Michael's, Union Springs**+For Helen Gocel** by John & Pat Kimber**Sunday: 8/21 - Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time****Mass:** 8:30AM at St. Patrick's, Moravia**+For Stuart Wood Sr.** by Louise Morey**Mass:** 9:00AM at St. Patrick's, Aurora**+For Katharine Miller** by Mary Dunn**Mass:** 10:30AM at Our Lady of the Lake, King Ferry**+For Bill & Tim McGarry & Digger Powers** by Friends**VITAL STATISTICS**
Fiscal Year July 1, 2016—June 30, 2017
August 7, 2016 (week 5)

Attendance	349
YTD AVG	375
Weekly Budgeted Offering	\$4,615.00
Weekly Offering	\$ 5,033.00
YTD Budgeted Offerings	\$27,692.00
YTD Actual Offerings	\$30,156.00

Thank you for your generosity each week !

In today's second reading, St. Paul encourages us not to grow weary or lose heart, but to persevere in following Jesus. Our willingness to give of ourselves, even in the face of conflict and division, is one way to measure our discipleship.

"Life isn't about waiting for the storm to pass . . . It's about learning to dance in the rain."

UPCOMING EVENTS:

We plan to launch a LIFE-SIZE ROSARY into the air at St. Patrick's Church, Aurora, Monday, Aug. 15th @ 5:30pm, to invoke our Lady for peace within the GSCC and its members.

The Hospitality Committee of United Ministry of Aurora is inviting GSCC parishioners for a day long series of places to visit on Thursday, August 18th. We will carpool and leave UMA at 9:30am to visit the Hoffman Clock Museum & Arcadia Museum in Newark, NY., then on to Clifton Springs for lunch. For more information on other stops on the tour, and reservations by Aug. 15, call Ellen Schaffer at 889-2049.

Finance Committee Meeting: Tuesday, August 23, 4:00pm at St. Patrick's, Aurora rectory.

Rochester Catholic Men's Conference Oct. 1, 2016

At St. Jude the Apostle, 8:00am—4:00pm. "Strengthen Your Brothers". Featuring EWTN's Fr. Mitch Pacwa, "The Dynamic Deacon" Harold Burke-Silvers, and Patrick Coffin—host of "Catholic Answers Live". Cost \$50— Early-bird and Student discounts available. Details & registration at: www.exultrochester.org

This Week Remember the Following in Masses and Prayers on the Anniversary of Their Deaths:

Jeremiah Coughlin'55, Lyman Sheils'69, Vincenta Martin'75, James Welch'78, Roland Osborne'2003, Edith Haring'2015, John Maroney'57, Hugh Kanalley'66, Brian O'Connell'68, John Sullivan'74, Joseph Kanalley'85, Kathryn Grady'87, Charles Perkins'97, Joseph McNevich'73, William Halpin'2007, Michael Shields'2012, Ida Becker'67, Paul Burin, Sr.'70, Leo Gray'54, J. Frederick Welder'74, Andrew Cowan'2014, John Murphy' 57, Edward Montague'63, Rose Quinn'71, Doris McGowan'86, Mary Jane Balzac'2014, Louis Burlington'74, James Ryan'52, Marcella Hall'91, Emily "Emmy Lou" Barton'2012, Marilyn Mullarney'2015, Robert Powers'61, John Fitzgerald'2006, Paul Mara'2012

Parents, you are the first teachers of your children in the ways of the faith.

Monday, August 15th, is the Feast of the Assumption of Mary, this Feast Day honoring Mary is not a holyday of obligation this year since the Feast Day falls on a Monday. We will though be having a Mass honoring Mary's Assumption into heaven on Monday at 9:00a.m., at St. Patrick Church, Aurora. Whenever we celebrate the Feast of the Assumption it always makes me aware that summer is winding down! It is hard to believe that we are half way through August! At least Labor Day isn't as early as it could be this year so the children will get a few more days of vacation before school starts.

As we close in on the beginning of the school year, I would like to take the opportunity to remind parents of the responsibility you have of helping your children grow in their faith. In the rite of Baptism parents are reminded that, "you are the first teachers of your children in the ways of the faith, may you be the best of teachers bearing witness to the faith by what you say and do through Jesus Christ, Our Lord."

So parents, I especially ask you to take seriously your role as the primary teachers of your children in the ways of the faith. It is so important for parents to model for their children what it means to be a disciple of the Lord. It is your responsibility to teach your children about the love of God, to teach them how to pray, and to make sure they attend Sunday Mass. Talk with them at home about the Sunday readings, Teach them about the seasons of the Liturgical Year when they notice that the priest is wearing different color vestments. Share with them how Jesus through his birth, death, resurrection, ascension and the outpouring of the Holy Spirit, has given us eternal life. Above all teach them that God loves them in a very personal way and wants to be their closest friend. Encourage your children to invite Jesus into their hearts and lives. Teach them to ask Jesus to fill them with the gift of the Holy Spirit, so that they become more and more like Jesus themselves. And model what you are teaching by continuously inviting Jesus into your own life and asking for the help and grace of the Holy Spirit to teach you and lead you. If you do so I believe you will, "be the best of teachers bearing witness to the faith by what you say and do through Jesus Christ, Our Lord."

May we always remember our children deserve the best that we can give them. May they receive from all of us the gift of faith and the gift of God's love.

A few weeks ago I shared a prayer to the Holy Spirit during my homily. People asked me for a copy so you will find the prayer below.

May you all enjoy the final days of summer, and
may God's blessings and peace be with you, *Father Bill*

THE SECRET OF SANCTITY

I am going to reveal to you a secret of sanctity of happiness. If every day during five minutes, you will silence your imagination, close your eyes to things of sense, and your ears to, earthly sounds in order to enter into yourself and, there in the sanctuary of your baptized soul, which is the Temple of the Holy Ghost, speak to this Divine Spirit saying:

Prayer to the Holy Spirit—by Cardinal Mercier

**O, Holy Spirit, beloved of my soul, I adore you. Enlighten me, Guide me, strengthen me, Console me,
Tell me what I should do. Give me your orders.
I promise to submit myself to all that you desire for me
and to accept all that you permit to happen to me.
Let me only know your will.**

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL 2016

"Thank You" to all of the volunteers who helped at Vacation Bible School this year.
Also thanks to the parishioners who donated snacks and provided support.
Once again, a wonderful week!

ANNUAL PARISH MISSION:

St. Mary's Church, 15 Clark St., Auburn, Monday through Thursday, Aug. 15—18, at 7:00pm. Fr. John Quigley, OFM will speak on the theme of "Who is God for Me?" Fr. Quigley will also celebrate Mass at 9AM on Monday & Wednesday at St. Hyacinth Church and Tuesday & Thursday at St. Francis Church. Bishop Salvatore Matano will celebrate the Solemn Mass for the Feast of the Assumption at 7PM at St. Mary's Church. All are welcome!

SPONSOR A STUDENT IN NEED

Sponsors are needed to assist deserving students who do not have the means to attend Tyburn Academy in Auburn (grades 7—12). A good Catholic education is a priceless gift not only to a child and his or her family, but also to the Church and to greater society. Our world is in desperate need of the spiritual focus and moral clarity reinforced in our Catholic schools. Please consider sponsoring a student's tuition, either partially or fully. For more information, please call 252-2937.

SUMMER MEDITATIONS.....

Summer heat waves make life uncomfortable. They drain your energy and empty out your reserve supply of motivation. But that heat serves a purpose. Discomfort has a similar purpose in our own spiritual expansion. Working through difficulties and challenges with determination can lead to spiritual growth.

- From Summer Meditations,
by John Bartunek, LC, SThD (825620)