



Welcome!

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Monday-Thursday

8:00AM-4:00PM and by appointment

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*

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Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time



How can I imitate the father in Jesus' parable? Whom can I welcome back'?

Catechetical Sunday

Confirmation Orientation Meeting: Sunday, September 29 at 1PM at St. Patrick's Church, Aurora. All perspective candidates and a parent/guardian are asked to attend.

GSCC VISION STATEMENT - TO LIVE BY FAITH, TO BE KNOWN BY LOVE, TO BE A VOICE OF HOPE

ST. PATRICK'S
Aurora

ST. MICHAEL'S
Union Springs

ST. PATRICK'S
Moravia



OUR LADY OF THE LAKE
King Ferry



Schedule for Sept. 15 - Sept. 22, 2019

Sunday: Ex 32:7-11, 13-14/Ps 51 3-4, 12-13, 17, 19 [Lk 15:18]/1 Tm 1:12-17/Lk 15:1-32 or 15:1-10
 Monday: 1 Tm 2:1-8/Ps 28:2, 7, 8-9 [6]/Lk 7:1-10
 Tuesday: 1 Tm 3:1-13/Ps 101:1b-2ab, 2cd-3ab, 5, 6 [2]/Lk 7:11-17
 Wednesday: 1 Tm 3:14-16/Ps 111:1-2, 3-4, 5-6 [2]/Lk 7:31-35
 Thursday: 1 Tm 4:12-16/Ps 111:7-8, 9, 10 [2]/Lk 7:36-50
 Friday: 1 Tm 6:2c-12/Ps 49:6-7, 8-10, 17-18, 19-20/Lk 8:1-3
 Saturday: Eph 4:1-7, 11-13/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5 [5]/Mt 9:9-13

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday: 9/14 -Vigil of The 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass: 5:00PM at St. Michael's, Union Springs
 +For Lyle McAllister by Marilyn Baader

Sunday: 9/15 – Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass: 8:30AM at St. Patrick's, Moravia
 +For Mary & Larry Kelley by The Tibbits Family
 Mass: 9:00 AM at St. Patrick's, Aurora
 + For All Living & Deceased Members of GSCC
 Mass: 10:30AM at Our Lady of the Lake, King Ferry
 +For Mary Bennett Kerwin by Jane & Nels Johnson

Monday: 9/16 - SS. Cornelilus and Cyprian

Mass: 9:00AM at St. Patrick's, Aurora
 +For John Bryan by Herb & Marianne Meyer

Tuesday: 9/17 – St. Robert Bellarmine

Mass: 9:00AM at St. Patrick's, Moravia
 +For Emmett Hall by Tom & Chris Steger

Wednesday: 9/18 - Weekday

NO Mass

Thursday: 9/19 – St. Janaurius

Mass: 4:00PM at St. Michael's, Union Springs
 +For Harry Lidell by Joe Guardino

Friday: 9/20 - St. Andrew Kim Tae-gon, Paul Chong Ha-sang, & Companions

Mass: 9:00AM at St. Patrick's, Aurora
 +For Josephine Vaughn by Al & Betty Pluretti

Saturday: 9/21 - Vigil of 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass: 5:00PM at St. Michael's, Union Springs
 +For All Living & Deceased Members of GSCC

Sunday: 9/22 – The 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass: 8:30 AM at Patrick's, Moravia
 +For Richard Murphy by Anonymous
 Mass: 9:00AM at St. Patrick's, Aurora
 +For Eileen Fitzgerald by Bob Fitzgerald & Family
 Mass: 10:30AM at Our Lady of the Lake, King Ferry
 +For Kathleen Hagin Nolan, Jackie Nolan, Maryann Nolan Franklin by Family
 Spanish Mass: 7:30PM at Our Lady of the Lake, King Ferry

VITAL STATISTICS

Fiscal Year July 1, 2019—June 30, 2020
 Sept 1 & 8, 2019 (Week 9 & 10)

Thank you for your generosity each week !

Attendance:	9/1: 338	9/8: 297
YTD Average289	
Weekly Budgeted Offering	\$. 5,370.08	
Weekly Offering 9/1/19	\$ 6,924.00	
Weekly Offering 9/8/19	\$. 6,168.00	
Fuel 9/1 & 9/8	\$. 2,995.00	
YTD Budgeted Offering	\$ 52,668.00	
YTD Actual Offering	\$ 56,209.00	

Jesus tells the crowd that only those who renounce all of their possessions can be His disciples. Is He truly asking us to give up everything? Perhaps instead, He is trying to help us see that everything we think we own is really a gift from God. Good stewards know that and strive to use those gifts accountably.

Upcoming Events

Liturgy of the Word Coordinator: We are looking for someone to oversee the Liturgy of the Word program at St. Patrick's Church, Moravia. Liturgy of the Word shares the Gospel message for preschool children during the Homily. Resources and training will be provided. Please contact the church office if you are interested in serving the church in this ministry. Thank you.

Saturday, Sept. 28th - Special Blessing and Dedication of new Stained Glass Window at St. Michael's Church, Union Springs, at the 5:00pm Mass, followed by Coffee Hour. Everyone is invited!



BANNS of Marriage I

Maureen McNamara & Roland (Ed) C. Ausborn
 St. Patrick's, Aurora, October 5, 2019

This Week Remember the following in Masses and Prayers on the Anniversary of their Deaths:

John Holland 1952, Bernard Currier 1953, Genevieve Baylor 1985, Myrtie Kelland 1993, Jane Reynolds Ryan 2015, Mary Clark 1953, Richard Elser 1955, Joseph Uher 1963, James E. Nolan 1961, William Delaney 1985, James H. Ryan 2007, Virginia Jones 2011, Lucy Steger 1955, Evelyn Fox 1977, Edward Shutter 1983, Hilda Vieira 1991, Mary Fitzpatrick 1975. Helen Brady 1977, Nora Cashin 1987, Frederick H. Gardner 2006, John Uher 1963, Vincent Shields 1969, Helen Holland 1976, Mary C. Ryan 2011, Thomas Maroney 1971, Anthony D'Agostino 1971, Joseph Smith 1973. Ralph Rogers Sr. 1984, Charles Manning 1996, Nina D'Agostino 1997, Sr. Paul Marie Dougherty 2001, Mark Redder 2001, Joanne Casey Mott 2003, Erica Bouma 2005

*Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time***Respecting the sacredness of Life**

The month of October each year is designated by the U.S. Conference of Bishops as Respect Life Month and the first Sunday of October as Respect Life Sunday. But the task that we have as Catholics to respect life is a year round effort and the bishops call us to the daily work of building a culture of life. As followers of Jesus we are called to hold sacred the gift of human life from the moment of conception to natural death. Our efforts on behalf of the unborn, the elderly, the dying, the imprisoned and the poor must always respect the dignity of human life. The Theme of the 2019-2020 Respect Life Program is "**Christ Our Hope: In Every Season of Life.**" On Respect Life Sunday, October 6th, at 11:15 a.m. Bishop Salvatore R. Matano will be the Principal Celebrant and Homilist at a Respect Life Mass at Sacred Heart Cathedral, 296 Flower City Park, Rochester, NY.

The past years we have promoted Respect Life activities that have taken place in Tompkins and Cortland counties and we will continue to do so. Recently though Cayuga County has begun a Respect Life ministry. Below is information about this organization, **Cayuga County Loves Life**, and events that they will be holding as well as events coming up in Tompkins and Cortland counties. I encourage you all to keep abreast on the issues that threaten the sanctity of life, to participate in ways to promote life issues and to pray for the protection of all life from the cradle to the grave. October is the month of the Rosary as well as Respect Life Month I encourage you to pray the Rosary each day that all human life may be respected and protected.

God's blessing and peace, *Father Bill*

Cayuga County Loves Life is an organization formed for the purpose of defending the right to life. Their Mission Statement is below.

MISSION STATEMENT

"Cayuga County Loves Life" defends life from conception until natural death, by:

Inspiring, uniting and encouraging our community to understand and support "Life Issues," especially abortion and euthanasia.

Providing local activists with the educational tools and motivation needed to advance the pro-life movement, always doing this with the goal of teaching people to value and love one another.

Mobilizing advocates to spread the pro-life message throughout our communities.

Cayuga County Loves Life is planning a pro-life march on Saturday, September 28, 2019, at 1 PM. The event will begin with a rally at Veterans Memorial Park located at 172 Genesee Street. This will follow with a march to City Hall located at 24 South Street. At City Hall there will be a program of well-known pro-life speakers. These speakers include Bryan Kemper, Pastoral Associate for Priests for Life and Founder and President of Stand True Ministries, a Christ-centered pro-life group determined to awaken the youth of this country and share the message of life. Be the voice for the voiceless! Connect with us on Facebook @CayugaCountyLovesLife!

Thursday, Sept 19th, 6PM-730PM Jim Havens, VP of Mission & Communications for The Station of the Cross Catholic Radio Network and Host of "**Love Will End Abortion**" Radio program, Author, Husband and Father, will share his insights and experiences in pro-life ministry; "**Love Will End Abortion: Practical Steps to Make a Real Impact in Your Community.**" This evening is sponsored by: Ithaca-40 Days For Life, Ithaca Council Knights of Columbus, and Immaculate Conception Church Respect Life Ministry. Join us for an evening of meaningful discussion. All are welcome! Parish Hall, Immaculate Conception Church, 113 N. Geneva St., Ithaca.

40 Days For Life begins Wednesday, Sept 25th! Have you been thinking of ways to make a difference and help mothers choose life for their unborn child? Join others from churches throughout our region during 40 Days of peaceful prayer, fasting and vigil watch across the street from Planned Parenthood on W. Seneca St. Ithaca. Visit <http://www.40daysforlife.com/ithaca> to select your weekly prayer time. Come! Be a sign of hope. For More information contact Mary Anne Tissot 315-246-7479 or Carolann 607-351-6668

Respect Life Sunday-Oct. 6-National Life Chain! Since 1987, Life Chains have taken place in hundreds of cities throughout the USA peacefully, silently praying for an end to abortion. Join the **Life Chain in Cortland** from 2-3pm at the intersection of Groton Ave and Main St. For More info contact Carolann 607-351-6668. Bring the whole family! Rain or shine!