

COFFEE & DOUGHNUTS

Every Sunday after the 8:30 AM Mass in the Church Hall – Everyone is invited.



MISSIONARY THIS WEEKEND

- Fr. Jim Nero, OFM, a Franciscan priest, is here this weekend to make an appeal on behalf of the Diocese of Mandeville, Jamaica, West Indies.
- This will be our annual participation in the Missionary Cooperative Plan of the United States. Under this plan, every Catholic parish in the country, on one weekend a year, hosts a missionary who makes an appeal on behalf of the mission he represents.
- This is the one time of year when an actual second collection is taken up, that is, the basket will be passed twice, the second time for the mission.
- Please be as generous as possible, because Jamaica is the second poorest country in the Western Hemisphere, after Haiti. In the Diocese of Mandeville there are about 600,000 people, 68% of whom have no running water. The people there need the basic necessities of life: food, clothing, shoes to wear, mattresses. There is an alarming number of destitute elderly and abandoned/neglected/abused children. People are dying every day from diseases which no longer exist in the United States. Some people are completely homeless, and many live in shacks of zinc with dirt floors.
- The Church is doing immense good there. The Bishop tries to build 20 houses a month for the poor. These houses are 12x20 feet, without electricity or running water, but each home is a castle to its inhabitants.

ST. MALACHY'S PARISH FAMILY PICNIC



- **Sunday, Aug. 9th, 12:00 Noon - ?**
- **Nothing to Bring but Yourselves. You may bring lawn chairs or other items for your own use.**
- **Hot Dogs (relish), Hamburgers (tomatoes, onions, cheese), Sausage Sandwiches (peppers & onions), Homemade Potato Salad, Baked Beans, Buttered Sweet Corn on the Cob, Cookies, Watermelon, Cold Drinks.**
- **Main Meal at Noon, but food available all afternoon.**
- **Kid's Games & Races, Volleyball.**
- **Put on by St. Malachy's Social Events Committee.**
- **Please sign up by next Sunday, Aug. 2nd.**

THE ROSARY in honor of our Blessed Mother will be prayed communally each Friday of July and August after the 12:00 Noon Mass for any who would like to join in. Five volunteers are needed to choose the intentions, one volunteer to choose the intention for each decade.

BANNS OF MARRIAGE



*Marie Anne Leone Corris
&
Shawn Christian Lennon*

HOLY FAMILY SCHOOL in Norwich has openings for the 2009/10 school year from Early Childhood (3 year olds) through 7th grade. It is the only Catholic School in Chenango County, and offers a solid academic program based on our Catholic beliefs. Bus transportation is usually provided free of charge by our local public school for students in kindergarten through 7th grade. Tuition assistance is available for those in need. Please contact Gene Chilion at 607-337-2207 for further information. Information packets are available in the vestibule.

THE COMMUNITY GARDEN in North



Norwich was begun about 20 years ago to grow vegetables, and to share them with the needy. The Garden is tilled, planted and cultivated by a group of retired men from Norwich and Sherburne. Different vegetables get ripe for picking at different times, and extra hands are then needed. Pickers pick what vegetables they can use for themselves, and pick extra vegetables for St. Malachy's Community Food Pantry, which distributes them to the needy. If you would like to help pick, please call our parishioner, Paul Del Fuoco, 674-5101.

FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING

7:00 PM this Monday, July 27th, in the Parish Office/Rectorry Building.

ST. BARTHOLOMEW'S FEAST DAY CELEBRATION

- 11:00 AM-9:00 PM Saturday, August 22nd.
- Mass at 9:00 AM, followed by street procession with St. Bartholomew Statue.
- Coffee & Doughnuts
- Home-made sausage & peppers, meatball subs, pasta fagioli, hamburgers & hot dogs, French fries, corn on the cob, brownie sundaes, Italian ice and famous Italian cookies
- Lots of games for children
- Live music (including a calliope)
- Cake booth & much more.

EVENTS AT CHRIST THE KING RETREAT HOUSE

315-446-2680

Please call for reservations

- **Day of Contemplation and Senior Picnic** – August 6th, 10AM-3PM – Mass at 11AM – Picnic Lunch following Mass – Celebrant Fr. Carmola – Offering \$15.
- **Carmelite Weekend Study Retreat** – August 21st – 23rd, Registration begins at 4PM on Fri., Introduction to the weekend takes place at 5PM (Dinner at 6PM) The Retreat will end Sunday morning – Presented by Fr. John Quinn, OCDS, Discalced Carmelite Secular. Offering \$130.00.

BISHOP CUNNINGHAM PRAYER CARDS

Prayer cards with a picture of our new bishop, Bishop Robert J. Cunningham, are on the big table in the back of Church. These are free.

**WELCOME TO ST. MALACHY'S
PARISH**

P.O. Box 722
Sherburne, NY 13460
607-674-9625
Fr. Lester Smith

Please use this form to make your needs known, dropping it into the collection basket or mailing it to the address above.

- I would like to make an appointment to speak with the pastor.
- I would like to report that the following person is ill or has other special needs.
- I am interested in joining this parish.
- I would like to receive offering envelopes.
- Other comments:

Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____



those who are ill and in need of our prayers:

Rita Abbott, Genevieve Andrews, Mary Box, Susan Connelly, Peg Cunningham, Louise Diamond, Bill Doyle, Stephanie Dunshee, Ann Fernandez, Madeline Fetzko, Elwyn Goodier, Mary Harrison, Kathy Noon Hinton, Katie Hoefler, Michelle Hutchkins, Jessica Jaquay, Bertha Klockowski, John McDaniel, Margaret McNulty, Lucas Mikalunas, Martin Mikalunas, Victor Mikalunas, George & Phyllis Miller, Harry Mulligan, Tom & Bette Natoli, Joseph O'Keefe, Deacon Bob Riggalls, Maria Romanowski, Theresa Romanowski, Mike Sanner, Betty Seibert, Suzanne Sipala, Marie Suydan, Cody VanBuren, Michael Wassel, Priscilla Webb, Gary Young, Jamie Zbydniewski.

...and our priests:

Fr. Lester, Fr. John Madden, Fr. Ralph Bove, Fr. Doug Cunningham, Fr. Tom Ward, Fr. Bob Dwyer, Bishop Cunningham, Bishop Moynihan, Bishop Costello, and Pope Benedict XVI

...and our Seminarians:

Jamie Schultz, Matthew Schultz

...and our religious Sister:

Sister Mary Emmanuel Schultz, OP

The Church is a loving mother who has a zest for life and serves life everywhere, but she can become a protective "mamma bear" when the life of her innocent, helpless cubs is threatened. Everyone in this mega-community is a somebody with an extraordinary destiny. Everyone is a somebody in whom God has invested infinite love. That is why the Church reaches out to the unborn, the suffering, the poor, our elders, the physically and emotionally challenged, those caught in the web of addictions.

Most Rev. Timothy M. Dolan, Archbishop of New York, Installation Mass homily, April 15, 2009

Pro-Life Crisis Pregnancy Center: Bethany Christian Services 1-800-238-4269; Birthright 1-800-550-4900

Post-Abortion Reconciliation And Healing: Project Rachel 1-315-424-3737

Natural Birth Regulation & Fertility

Information: The Couple To Couple League 1-513-471-2000; Pope Paul VI Institute 1-402-390-6600

Traveling Mass Times: 1-410-676-6000
or www.masstimes.org

Catholic Information: 1-800-MY FAITH

PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

The Bishop has asked that this prayer be prayed in every parish of the Diocese at every weekend Liturgy. At St. Malachy's, we do it after Holy Communion.

God our Father, you sent your Spirit on the apostles to continue the mission of your Son, Jesus. We pray that you will now send your Spirit on our bishops, priests, deacons and religious, filling them with zeal to evangelize our people.

We pray for all who are presently discerning your call, those in vocational formation and those preparing them. We pray that you will bless our diocese with more priests and deacons, and religious congregations with new members.

Mary, our Mother and patroness, intercede for us that our pastoral needs may be fulfilled through Him who is Lord for ever and ever. Amen

With Ecclesiastical Permission James M. Moynihan Bishop of Syracuse

LITURGICAL MINISTRY SCHEDULES

	TIME	THIS WEEKEND	NEXT WEEKEND
GREETERS	5:00 PM	Wendy Mikalunas & Meaghan Weinell	Valerie & Colleen Bradley
	8:30 AM	Rosemarie & Anastasia Tenney	Ann Giaquinto & Alice Newman
	11:00 AM	Shannon & Stephanie Staley	Cathy & Annie Albertina
LECTORS	5:00 PM	Gretchen Bradley	Lynette McDaniel
	8:30 AM	Paul Del Fuoco	Gloria Jenny
	11:00 AM	Susan Rogers	Kelly Corey
HEAD USHERS	5:00 PM	Bodie Mikalunas	Tom McDaniel
	8:30 AM	Kevin Jenny	Paul Lawrence
	11:00 AM	Linda Staley (Shannon & Stephanie)	Vinny Magro
MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION	5:00 PM	Joe Sulton & Ellie Ferris	Lawrence Zimmerman & Joe Sulton
	8:30 AM	Jeanette Romanowski & Paul Del Fuoco	Tom Lane & Mike Hurley
	11:00 AM	Jodie Butler	Sharon Farrow