




COFFEE HOUR – Every Sunday except Easter Sunday. There will be no Coffee Hour on Easter Sunday.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS!
 Classes for Grades K-10
 9:45-10:45 AM Today & next Sunday 

MAKE SANDWICHES FOR THE RESCUE MISSION

- Calling all 7th-12th Grade Students
- Help make sandwiches for the hungry
- 6:30-8:00 PM today, Sunday, March 29th.
- Do a good deed and have fun.

EASTER EGG HUNT

- For all children, 3rd Grade and under.  Children under 3 years of age will have their own hunt at the same time.
- 11:30 AM Saturday, April 11th, in St. Malachy's Church Hall and grounds.
- Please bring a basket or bag for collecting.
- Followed by a special prayer and hot dogs, chips and cold drinks.
- Children must be signed up by Palm Sun., April 5th.

SEE THE LORAX BY DR. SEUSS

- 3:00 PM Sat., April 18th, at the Palace Theater in Hamilton.
- For all children in Grade 6 and younger – Parents of younger children are encouraged to come along.
- Transportation Provided – Depart from St. Malachy's parking lot at 2:15 PM, return about 5:00 PM.
- Free
- Signed Permission Form must be put in box on big table in back of Church by Easter Sunday. Blank permission forms are there too.
- Leader – Christine Donovan, 674-5683.

FROM THE GOOD SAMARITAN COMMITTEE


- Only one more week to fill our Easter food baskets for the needy. Please help, if you can, by taking the rest of the food tags.
- All food must be brought to the Church Vestibule by next Sunday, April 5th.
- Monetary donations for hams are greatly appreciated. Please put in collection basket.

FRIDAY LENTEN DEVOTIONS

THE ROSARY BEFORE OUR SACRAMENTAL LORD

- Each Friday of Lent, immediately after the 12:00 Noon Mass, there will be Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Communal Recitation of the Rosary and Benediction.


STATIONS OF THE CROSS

- Friday, April 3rd – 6:30 PM 
- Good Friday, April 10th – 5:30 PM

BREAK-FAST SUPPERS

- Every Friday night of Lent after the Stations of the Cross.
- Everyone tries to fast a little extra that day.
- Each person or family brings a meatless food to share.
- Money saved by fasting that day is put into the family's Rice Bowl to fight world hunger.

OPERATION RICE BOWL – At the Mass of the


 Lord's Supper on Holy Thursday, a collection will be taken up for the poor. Rice Bowls may be brought as they are to that Mass, or to the Church or the Parish Office during Holy Week or Easter Week (April 5th-19th). All money thereby collected will be sent to Catholic Relief Services.

THE EASTER VIGIL MASS is the preeminent time out of the whole year for Baptism. And at this year's **Easter Vigil** there will be one adult and one infant baptized, one adult coming into full Communion with the Catholic Church from another ecclesial body, and three teenagers being confirmed and making their first Holy Communion. Because of these joyous events, this year's **Easter Vigil** will be followed by a **Feast** in the Church Hall for everyone.

SCHEDULE FOR THE SACRED TRIDUUM


Thurs., April 9th
 7:00 PM – The Mass of the Lord's Supper with the Washing of the Feet, followed by the Procession of our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament. The Church will be open for visits until 12:00 Midnight.


Fri., April 10th
 10:00-10:45 AM - Confessions
 3:00 PM – The Good Friday Liturgy with the Veneration of the Cross and Holy Communion
 5:30 PM – The Stations of the Cross
 7:45-8:30 PM – Confessions

Sat., April 11th
 11:00-11:45 AM – Confessions
 12:00 Noon – The Blessing of Food
 8:00 PM – The Easter Vigil Mass 

Sun., April 12th
 8:30 AM – Easter Sunday Mass
 11:00 AM – Easter Sunday Mass

WATCH ONE HOUR WITH ME

After the Mass of the Lords' Supper on Holy Thursday, the Church will be open until 12:00 midnight for personal visits. We need to have at least two people in the Church at all times until 12:00 midnight. Please sign up in the vestibule for a half-hour time slot. This would be a great way to begin the sacred Triduum. 

CHOIR PRACTICE FOR THE EASTER TRIDUUM - 7:00 -9:00 PM Tuesday, April 7th. 

YOUTH CHOIRS FOR EASTER SUNDAY

- We would like to have some children sing at each Mass on Easter Sunday.
- Any child, 2nd Grade and up, may sing in these youth choirs.

CONFESSIONS WILL NOT be heard here this Wednesday, April 1st, because Fr. Lester will be helping with the Penance Service in Oxford.


PENANCE SERVICES with several presbyters hearing confessions will be held:

7:00 PM Tues., Mar. 31st – St. Paul's, Norwich
 7:00 PM Wed., Apr. 1st – St. Joseph's, Oxford
 4:00 PM Sun., Apr. 5th – St. Bernard's, Waterville
 7:00 PM Mon., Apr. 6th – St. Mary's, Hamilton
 7:00 PM Wed., Apr. 8th – St. Malachy's

VOLUNTEERS FOR THE READING OF THE PASSION

Six male voices and two female voices are needed for the Reading of the Passion at each Mass for Palm Sunday, April 4th & 5th, a total of 24 voices. If you are willing to help by being one of those voices, please sign up for whichever Mass you plan on attending. All you need is the ability to read your part in a loud voice.

THE CHRISM MASS – which the Bishop

 concelebrates with the presbyterate and at which the Holy Chrism is consecrated and the oils blessed, manifests the communion of the priests with their bishop in the same priesthood and ministry of Christ." (from the document, On the Preparation of the Easter Feasts.) This year the Chrism Mass will take place on Tuesday, April 7th, at 7:00 PM in the Cathedral. It is open to all.

GOOD SAMARITAN NEEDED – One of our

parishioners who lives in her own apartment in the village of Sherburne is in need of someone willing to run occasional errands for her, such as picking up her mail. She already gets her groceries and medicine delivered, but needs a little more help-not everyday, maybe only once or twice a week. Anyone who would do this should call the Parish Office, 674-9625, to volunteer. Thank you.

LENTEN FISH FRY!

- Friday Evenings of Lent
- 5:00-7:00 PM – Holy Family School Cafeteria, 17 Prospect St. (St. Paul’s Church) Norwich
- Baked or Fried Fish, Baked or Mashed Potato, Soup, Salad, Cole Slaw, applesauce, roll, homemade dessert, hot and cold beverages.
- Adults \$8.00, Seniors (60+) \$7.00, Children 5-12 \$6.00, Children under 5 Free.
- Take outs are available from 4:30-6:00 PM, all take out dinners are \$8.00. Call 337-2208 to order.

EVENTS AT CHRIST THE KING

RETREAT HOUSE

315-446-2680

Please call for reservations

- **Marching Through Lent – Each Wednesday of March – 10:00 AM-3:00 PM** – After gathering for hospitality, Fr. Michael Carmola will offer a talk, and lead in praying the Stations of the Cross – Each day will end with Celebration of the Mass. Offering \$15 includes lunch. Please call for reservations. Join for one, two, three or all four Wednesdays.

A DAY WITH MARY

- 9:00 AM-3:00 PM next Sat., Apr. 4th, at St. Joseph’s Church in Oxford.
- Presented by the Friars of the Immaculate.
- A Lenten lunch of soup and bread will be offered.
- Prepare to live Holy Week with Mary.
- Come when you can and stay as long as you wish.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE, a national campaign to end abortion, which is taking place in 123 cities throughout the nation will continue through April 5th, Palm Sunday. For more information and/or to participate, please call Jane Schultz at 334-7060.



those who are ill and in need of our prayers:

Rita Abbott, Genevieve Andrews, Gretchen Boise, Mary Box, Susan Connelly, Ann Cunningham, Peg Cunningham, Louise Diamond, Bill Doyle, Ann Fernandez, Madeline Fetzko, Ann Giaquinto, Frank Giglio, Elwyn Goodier, Carmel Greenwood, Mary Harrison, Kathy Noon Hinton, Katie Hoefler, Kathlyn Hurley, Michelle Hutchkins, Jessica Jaquay, Bertha Klockowski, George Lewis, Lawrence Majka, Catherine Mastro, Kacie Matott, John McDaniel, Margaret McNulty, Lucas Mikalunas, Martin Mikalunas, Victor Mikalunas, Phyllis & George Miller, Margaret Minarik, Harry Mulligan, Paul Mulligan, Bette & Tom Natoli, Doris Newman, Joseph O’Keefe, Ann Marie Plante, Mary Postiglione, Maria Romanowski, Theresa Romanowski, Ronald Sabre, Mike Sanner, Betty Seibert, Suzanne Sipala, Gregory Snyder, Rosa Spinelli, Marie Suydan, Ryan Tabolt, Michael Trask, Jerry & Coralie Ulatowski, Cody VanBuren, Michael Wassel, Priscilla Webb, Richard Wood, Jamie Zbydniewski.

...and our priests:

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

...and our Seminarian:

Jamie Schultz

...and our religious Sister:

Sister Mary Emmanuel Schultz, OP

In the mystery of the Incarnation, the Son of God confirmed the dignity of the body and soul which constitute the human being. Christ did not disdain human bodiliness, but instead fully disclosed its meaning and value: “In reality, it is only in the mystery of the incarnate Word that the mystery of man truly becomes clear.”

--*Dignitas Personae*, Instruction on Certain Bioethical Questions, Congregation for the Doctrine of the Faith, Sept. 8, 2008, n 7.

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	Cindy Gardiner & Margaret Mulligan	Wendy Mikalunas & Meaghan Weinell
	8:30 AM	Rosemarie & Anastasia Tenney	Gloria Jenny & Ann Giaquinto
	11:00 AM	Shannon & Stephanie Staley	Cathy & Annie Albertina
LECTORS	5:00 PM	Gretchen Bradley	Lynette McDaniel
	8:30 AM	Dick Toerner	Matthew Weinell
	11:00 AM	Stephen Dunshee	Grace Dunshee
HEAD USHERS	5:00 PM	Bodie Mikalunas	Bob Osowski
	8:30 AM	Ed Dromgoole	Kevin Jenny
	11:00 AM	Paul Peschel	Linda, Stephanie & Shannon Staley
MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION	5:00 PM	Ellie Ferris & Lawrence Zimmerman	Joe Sulton & Ellie Ferris
	8:30 AM	Bob Fetzko & Dick Toerner	Paul Del Fuoco & Jeanette Romanowski
	11:00 AM	Deacon Bob & Barrett Mikalunas	Deacon Bob & Mary Jo Burlison