



<i>Mass</i>	<i>Intention</i>	<i>Requested by</i>
5:00 p.m., Saturday, February 4	George and Margaret Van Deusen James Lewis Albert Chasse, Jr. (3rd ann)	Daughters, Margaret Mary and Diane Candyce Haley Robenstein Maggie Chasse
7:30 a.m., Sunday, February 5	Nicholas Kapusniak Jane Doyle	Family Family
9:00 a.m., Sunday, February 5	Mary Wickizer	Roger and Patricia Lampron
11:00 a.m., Sunday, February 5	Paul J. Sheehan, Jr. Susan Morehouse Theresa Romania	The Fred Martin Family Barbara Ann Whelen Brandt, Jeremy, Evan, Brittany
8:00 a.m., Monday, February 6	Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion	
8:00 a.m., Tuesday, February 7	Margaret Powers	Stanton Williamson
8:00 a.m., Wednesday, February 8	Margaret Powers For those who have been on the Prayer Line, and still need our prayers	Michael and Gail Veitch St. Peter's Prayer Line
8:00 a.m., Thursday, February 9	Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion	
8:00 a.m., Friday, February 10	Deceased of the Church of Saint Peter	This Community of Faith
5:00 p.m., Saturday, February 11	Lorraine Martin Gertraude Pilipenko	Family Helen Atwell
7:30 a.m., February 12	Lorraine Martin	Family
9:00 a.m., Sunday, February 12	Margaret Powers	Charles Fricano
11:00 a.m., Sunday, February 12	Earl Derby	Kathy Lewis

Readings for Sunday, February 12, Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time: Sir 15:15-20; 1 Cor 2:6-10; Mt 5:17-37

Please remember in your prayers all those members of our parish family who are sick or suffering in any way, all those in hospitals or nursing homes, and all our shut-ins. We pray for all those who have died recently. Let us not forget the victims of violence at home and abroad. We remember the men and women serving in the armed forces and their families, as we continue to **pray for peace**.

Ministers of Communion

Readers

Server

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5:00 pm February 11, Saturday	Ethan Allen, Diane Beyer, Mary Brooks, Judy Heffer, Nancy McDonald, Judith Pierson, Deacon Ed Solomon, Kelly Waechter	Ann Marie Pryzwara Timothy Sinnott	
7:30 am February 12 Sunday	Mary Goyette, Michele Goyette, Thomas Hatlee, Deacon Brian Levine, Martha Pristupa, 3 unfilled	Michele Goyette Marlene Betta	
9:00 am February 12 Sunday	Jan Klassovity, Andrew Kozak, Diane Kozak, Marc Limeri, Anne Marthy-Noonan, Margaret McNicholas, Chris More, 1 unfilled	Marc Limeri Jessica Trzaskos	
11:00 am February 12 Sunday	Nancy Brockley, Thomas Coseo, Barbara Haner, Carol Hines, Edward Hines, Margaret Pearson, Erin Pritchard, Candyce Robenstein	Mike Murray Kathy Murray	Caroline Crouth

Attendance	Weekly Collection	Collection Average to Date
1/29/2017 799 1/31/2016 745	1/29/17 collection: \$8,328.50 (Includes Electronic Giving: \$575.50) 1/31/16 collection: \$6,439.00	2017 average to date \$9,998.48 2016 average to date \$9,148.24
SPNA (Blue envelopes): January 2017 \$2,501.00 January 2016 \$2,395.00		

Father James Quinlan of Cross Catholic Outreach will be visiting our parish next weekend to speak at all the Masses on behalf of the poor in developing countries. Cross Catholic Outreach was founded to create a meaningful link between parishes in America and the priests and nuns working in the Church overseas in the Caribbean, Africa, Asia, Central and South America.

Family Perspectives
By Bud Ozar

Marriage Moments
www.Susan Vogt.net

Parenting Pointers
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The Evangelist

To stay informed about our Catholic faith and news of our Diocese, read **The Evangelist**, our Albany Diocesan newspaper. To subscribe, please call 584-2375.


Today's gospel challenges us to be a "light" to our family. Parents shine their guiding light, not in front but behind them, inviting their children to follow their "good deeds."

Overlook a little, love a lot. To motivate yourself, you need to let go of the trivial. Ponder for one minute the possibility that your spouse might die next week. We can never be certain about the future.

"Share your bread...Shelter the homeless...Clothe the naked." (Isaiah 58:7) Although this scripture is usually meant to urge people to do beyond their own families, if you are in the active parenting stage of life, it may be enough to feed, shelter, and clothe your own family. If you're stretched pretty thin this week, you're allowed to count that. It's holy.

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

In Our Parish 

All Masses 2/4-5	Ongoing collection: nonperishable food items	All Masses	Vestibule of Church
	"Soup"er Bowl of Caring	All Masses	Youth Ministry collecting
	Community Care: 2/11-12		
	Prayerline update: 2/11-12		
2/5 S	SCCS: Music/Drama	1:00-8:00 pm	Parish Ctr: Hall/Stage
	YM GR10 Spring	10:10-11:20am	Parish Ctr: Rm 204
2/6 M	Outreach Office	9:00a-12:00p	Rectory
	AA	7:00-9:00 pm	Parish Ctr-Room 206
2/7 T	SCCS: Music/Drama	2:30-7:00p	Parish Ctr: Hall/Stage
	Piano Lessons	2:30-6:00pm	Church
	Lectio Divina	6:00 pm	Rectory: Dining Room
2/8 W	Prayer Team	8:30-8:45 am	Church
	Faith Sharing Group	8:45 -10:00 a	Parish Ctr.- Hall
	Outreach Office	9:00a-12:00p	Rectory
	SCCS: Music/Drama	3:00-8:00 pm	Parish Ctr: Hall/Stage
2/9 T	Rosary	8:30 am	Church
	Piano Lessons	2:30-6:30 pm	Church
	SCCS: Music/Drama	2:30-9:00 pm	Parish Ctr: Hall/Stage
	Choir	7:30 pm	Church
	Cursillos Group	7:30-9:00pm	Parish Ctr/Mtg Rm
2/10 F	Outreach Office	9:00a-12:00p	Rectory
	SCCS: Music/Drama	3:00-10:00p	Parish Ctr: Hall/Stage
2/11 S	Summit on Aging	2:30 pm	Parish Ctr-Meeting Rm
	SCCS: Music/Drama	12:30-5:00 pm	Parish Ctr: Hall/Stage
2/12 S	Rel Ed/Youth Ministry classes	10:10-11:20am	Parish Center
	Rel Ed Sixth grade class	9:00a-12:00p	Parish Ctr: Kitchen
	RCIA	9:00 am	Rectory
	SCCS: Music/Drama	1:00-6:00 pm	Parish Ctr: Hall/Stage
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	Community Care 	All Masses	Vestibule of Church
	Prayerline update 	All Masses	Day Chapel



Baptism

If you are interested in having your child baptized at the Church of Saint Peter, please call the Parish Office (584-2375) to learn more about the preparation needed for this Sacrament your child will receive.

"A Summit on Aging: the Second Program"

Dementia conversations: When someone you love is showing signs of dementia, what do you say, how do you say it and when do you say it? Learn about this and more.

Offered by: The Church of Saint Peter, St. Clement's Church, St. Joseph's Church-Greenfield, St. Mary's-Ballston Spa
 Presented by: The Alzheimer's Association
 Date: Saturday, February 11, 2017, 2:30-4:00 pm
 Location: The Church of Saint Peter, Parish Center, 241 Broadway, Saratoga Springs
 RSVP: by February 5, 2017 to Kathy Gorman (577-8011)



Sponsor of the week



Gregory L. Pinto, M.D.
Adult and Pediatric Ophthalmology
414 Maple Avenue, Suite 200
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587-0772

Thank you for advertising in our Bulletin!

A donation has been made to the Church of Saint Peter
 In memory of
Margaret Powers

National Catholic Youth Conference (NCYC) Fundraiser
 Hoffman Car Wash coupons will be for sale through February 12 to benefit our teens working their way to NCYC in Indianapolis in November. Please see the teens in the Parish Center Hall during Faith Formation Sunday classes (10:10-11:30am) to order your coupons!



Invitations from Knights of Columbus
Cabin Fever BBQ February 11
 Doors open at 4:00 pm, Dinner 4:00-8:00 pm
 Knights of Columbus, 50 Pine Road, Saratoga Springs
 Enjoy ribs, chicken, salads and more! Tickets are \$15.00, and must be purchased in advance at K of C. Or call 584-8547 to leave a message.
 And
Save the date!! Fish Fry Dinner, February 24, 5:00-8:00 pm \$9.00
 Choice of baked or fried fish dinner, with coleslaw and French fries.
 Also available: homemade Mac and cheese and dessert!

Saratoga Central Catholic School educators receive awards!

The Catholic Diocese of Albany, comprised of 23 schools, recently recognized two Saratoga Central Catholic educators for their commitment to promoting Catholic education.

L. Stephen Lombard was presented with the Bishop Howard J. Hubbard distinguished Principal Award for the 2016-2017 school year. As principal at SCCS for almost eight years, and was chosen for his dedication to promoting the school's Catholic education while seeking to foster a Christian community and curriculum, noting his leadership in inviting the church community, teachers and parents to share in the mission of the school. Bishop Hubbard served as the ninth Bishop of Albany, from 1977 to 2014.

Jennifer DuBois, a science teacher for the last six years, received the Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton Distinguished Secondary School Teacher Award. Ms. DuBois earned the award for promoting Saratoga Central Catholic's Catholic educational vision while demonstrating a strong awareness of the school's Catholic identity and mission. She illustrated excellence in her teaching skills and had a positive effect on the moral growth of her students. Elizabeth Ann Seton was the first native-born citizen of the United States to be canonized by the Roman Catholic Church. She founded the first Catholic girls' school in the nation. Congratulations!

Dine to Donate Sunday, February 12

Ladies of Charity invite you to dine at 2 West for Brunch 10am-2pm or Dinner 5pm or 8pm. A portion of the proceeds will go to Ladies of Charity to support their works of charity—helping others in need. Reservations (450-7200) are recommended. Be sure to mention Ladies of Charity to your server. High top and Regular tables are available. Great Food, Raffles and fun! 2 West is located on (wait for it.....) West Avenue!!

POPE FRANCIS on WALLS

From the Evangelist 11/10/16: "Citizens are tempted by the false security of physical or social walls, walls that enclose some and exile others." Frightened citizens building walls on one side and frightened and excluded people on the other: "Is this the life that God our Father wants for His children?" the pope asked on November 5. For more information about refugees or to learn how you can help, call Kathleen Heidsieck at 583-0879.

Thank you for continued support of the food collection for those less fortunate. Please leave non-perishable foods (No glass containers, please) in the box in the vestibule of Church.

Suggestions for items always needed: Cereal, Instant Oatmeal, Pancake mix, Peanut Butter and Jelly, Spaghetti-o's, and spaghetti sauce, 100% fruit juice, raisins/dried fruit, Canned tuna/chicken/salmon, dried beans, canned beans, nuts and seeds. Pet food items may also be left.

Thank you!!

