



<i>Mass</i>	<i>Intention</i>	<i>Requested by</i>
5:00 p.m., Saturday, October 1	<b>Mary Ellen DelVecchio Harry Earle Jeffrey Cross</b>	Rose Marie Zacek Louella Williams Pete and Wanda Watson
7:30 a.m., Sunday, October 2	<b>Jane Doyle Mary Lou DelVecchio Florence DeGregorio</b>	Family Alberta and Charles Bennett Terry Reynolds and Family
9:00 a.m. Sunday, October 2	<b>Jacob Barton Carmelina Fabrizio</b>	Brian and Mary Egan Koshgarian Family
11:00 a.m., Sunday, October 2	<b>Eugene Landry Priscilla Moore</b>	Charles and Alberta Bennett Patty and Anton Pecha
8:00 a.m., Monday, October 3	<b>Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion</b>	
8:00 a.m., Tuesday, October 4	<b>Mary Zacek</b>	Family
8:00 a.m., Wednesday, October 5	<b>Those who have been on the Prayer Line and still need prayer Tom Waldron Al Mackey</b>	St. Peter's Prayer Line Marybeth Boehm Jack and Margaret Ditch
8:00 a.m., Thursday, October 6	<b>Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion</b>	
8:00 a.m., Friday, October 7	<b>Florence DeGregorio</b>	Michael and Maureen Smith
5:00 p.m., Saturday, October 8	<b>Joseph Corsale, Jr. James Reynolds Florence DeGregorio</b>	Anne and Barbara Corsale and Gary Keroack Rose Marie Zacek Italian American Post 35 Auxiliary
7:30 a.m., Sunday, October 9	<b>Foster and Margaret James James Reynolds Joyce Spratt</b>	Their children Carol Leone Family
9:00 a.m. Sunday, October 9	<b>William O'Donnell Joyce Harley</b>	Sister, Mary Rev. Thomas H. Chevalier
11:00 a.m., Sunday, October 9	<b>Eugene Landry Elizabeth (DeeDee) Wardell</b>	Sharon and Stan Drosky Rose Marie Zacek

Readings for Sunday, October 9, Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time: 2 Kgs 5:14-17; 2 Tm 2:8-13; Lk 17:11-19

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 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.**

10/8-9

**Ministers of Communion**

**Readers**

**Server**

<b>5:00 pm Saturday</b>	Judith Person, Phyllis Delay, Linda Benton, Deacon Ed Solomon, Mary Brooks, Kelly Waechter, Michael Murray	Ann Marie Przywara Deborah Mahoney	Emma Spaeth
<b>7:30 am Sunday</b>	Sharon Drosky, Stan Drosky, Margaret Pearson, Martha Pristupa, Deacon Ed Solomon, 2 unfilled	Michael Postlethwait Margaret Pearson	
<b>9:00 am Sunday</b>	Diane Kozak, Andrew Kozak, Mary Tokos, Linda Bubniak, Anne Marthy-Noonan, Deacon Ed Solomon, Maggie McNicholas	Laura Greco Marc Limeri	Sophia Anzaroot
<b>11:00 am Sunday</b>	Candyce Robenstein, Barbara Haner, Edward Hines, Carol Hines, Emilia Pacifico, Nancy Brockly, Deacon Ed Solomon	Ellen Bradley Carol Gurney	Caroline Crouth

<b>Attendance</b>	<b>Weekly Collection</b>	<b>Collection Average to Date</b>
9/25/16 852 9/27/15 943	9/25/16 collection: \$7,645.00 (includes Electronic Giving: \$610.50) 9/27/15 collection: \$8,002.50	2016 average to date \$10,079.65 2015 average to date \$ 9,219.45
<b>SPNA (Blue envelopes):</b>		
September 2016	\$1,912.00	September 2015 \$2,039.00

**The Evangelist**

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**Family Perspectives  
By Bud Ozar**

Faith is one of those things we just can't get enough of! In today's gospel the apostles asked Jesus to "increase our faith." It is faith in ourselves, our spouse, our children and our parents which equips us to overlook annoyances, helps us to forgive and urges us to ask forgiveness. "Lord, increase our faith!"

**Marriage Moments  
www.Susan Vogt.net**

Trading places with your partner can increase your ability to understand and connect with each other. The next time you have a disagreement, physically trade places with your partner to remind yourself that there is more than one way to see and understand an issue. (adapted from www.CoupleTalk.com)

**Parenting Pointers  
www.Susan Vogt.net**

October is Respect Life month. Are there people in our world that you find difficult to respect? (Criminals, people who are lazy or mean, people of a different political persuasion...) Yes, even these are worthy of human respect. Talk to your children about giving respect—even to people they don't like.

# The Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

In Our Parish 

All Masses 10/1-2	Ongoing collection: nonperishable food items	All Masses	Vestibule of Church
10/02	RCIA	10:00 am	Rectory: Dining Room
	Rel Education/Youth Ministry	10:10-11:20 am	Parish Center
	Blessing of Animals	1:00 pm	Church lawn
	SCCS: Music/Drama	1:00-7:00 pm	Par Ctr: Hall/Stage
10/3 M	Outreach Office	9:00a-12:00p	Rectory
	Baptism Preparation I	7:00 pm	Parish Ctr: Mtg Room
	AA	7:00-9:30 pm	Parish Ctr: Room 206
10/4 T	Piano Lessons	2:30-6:00 pm	Church
	Lectio Divina	6:00 pm	Parish Ctr: Meeting Room
	YM GR10	6:30-8:30pm	Parish Ctr--Room 204
	Eucharistic Ministers Mtg	7:00 pm	Church
10/5 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	5:00-8:00pm	Parish Ctr: Hall Stage
10/6 T	Rosary	8:30-8:45 am	Church
	S and F Janitorial	2:30-3:30p	Church/Parish Center
	Piano Lessons	2:30-6:30 pm	Church
	SCCS: Music/Drama	6:00-9:00pm	Parish Ctr: Hall and Stage
	Choir	7:30 pm	Church
10/7 F	Outreach Office	9:00a-12:00p	Rectory
	SCCS: Mass	9:30 a	Church
10/8 ..S	Wedding rehearsal	1:00 pm	Church
10/9 S	Wedding	4:00 p.m.	Church
	No Rel Ed/YM		
	RCIA	10:00 am	Rectory: Dining Room
All Masses 10/8-9	Ongoing collection: nonperishable food items	All Masses	Vestibule of Church

 **Festival of Trees**  
The crafty teens in our Confirmation Preparation program will again be decorating items for the Festival of Trees December 1-4, which benefits Catholic Charities. "Crafty" adults are invited to join them November 19 from 1 to 4 pm in the Parish Center to decorate table top trees and door wreaths for the Festival Sale. The teens have plenty of ornaments and rolls of ribbon, but could use holiday picks and stuffers to trim out the wreaths and trees. If you have some, or see a bargain out there, please drop them off at the church office or call Patty Poulette, Youth Ministry to make arrangements for pick up. To sign up and for more details, call Patty Poulette (587-5182). Many hands make light work and loads of fun!

**Anointing of the Sick**  
No one is exempt from sickness and suffering, it is a part of the human condition. It is not surprising, therefore, that Jesus devoted to much of his ministry to those who were sick. One of the ways that the Church continues that ministry is through the Anointing of the Sick.  
The Church of Saint Peter will celebrate that Sacramental Anointing at a Eucharist to be celebrated on Wednesday, October 12, at 1:00 pm in Church.  
Anyone who is suffering from physical or emotional weakness, anticipating surgery or has grown frail through age is invited to join us at that Liturgy

An invitation from Sage College of Albany  
Sage Gators' Columbus Day Basketball Skills Clinic for boys ages 10-17: October 10 at Sage College of Albany. Please contact Brian Barnes (518) 292-1969 or by email barneb@sage.edu for more information. Download the brochure at Sagegators.com.


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Fall is here, so why not FALL IN LOVE ALL OVER AGAIN on the next Marriage Encounter weekend November 4-6. For more information, contact Ed and Rhonda Staats 279-3243 or visit www.albanyme.org



**Community Care**  
Next weekend, the second full weekend of the month, we are asked to bring personal care or cleaning items to be left in the bin in the vestibule of Church. These items are given, in turn, by our Church to one of the several agencies that support people in need

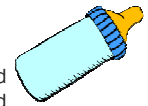
 **St. Peter's Prayer Line**  
The Prayer Line list updated for the month, will be available in the Day Chapel for members in this Ministry to pick up next week. All are invited to be a part of this quiet, but powerful Ministry, spending a few minutes a day in prayer, praying for the needs of others. Many members receive the daily requests by email each day, or if requested, by a brief telephone call.  
This Ministry began over 15 years ago by two dear friends who began to pray together and now has over 180 people and is growing. This ministry is powerful, and brings comfort and peace to so many. If you would like to be a part of this Ministry, please contact prayerline241@gmail.com.

**Ministry Fair**  
A Ministry Fair was held last month inviting all to learn more about Liturgical ministries...with very pleasing results! Another Ministry Fair with additional Ministries will be held next weekend! Look for them after Church on October 8-9!!

**Thank you**  
from Backstretch Employee Service Team of New York, Inc.  
Thank you so much for your generous donation of personal care items. Although the racing season has ended, our workers will be here well into November and these items will be greatly appreciated. In fact, your donation was very timely as our store of personal care items was running quite low.  
We look forward to partnering with you in the future and if you have any questions about volunteering with our organization, please contact the Saratoga Program Director, Nancy Underwood (518) 832-3052 or Nancy@bestbackstretch.org.  
Again, thank you for thinking of us and for helping the backstretch workers.  
Sincerely, Paul Ruchames, Director

**Bishop to Celebrate Red Mass for Lawyers and Judges**  
Lawyers and judges from throughout the Diocese will join Bishop Edward Scharfenberger on Friday, October 7 for the celebration of the traditional Red Mass, 8:30 am at St. Mary's church in downtown Albany. All are invited.  
The Red Mass originated in France and England in the medieval period and invokes the blessing of the Holy Spirit on those working in the legal system. In the United States the Red Mass is held in early October to mark the opening of the new term of the U.S. Supreme Court. Call 518 271-6061 if you need further information.

**BIRTHRIGHT** of Ballston Spa—  
celebrates Respect Life Sunday with a fundraiser called "Baby Bottle Boomerang" after each mass this weekend (October 1 and 2.) Baby bottle are taken home, filled with coins, cash, or checks and then **returned next week. (October 8-9).** Your gift can be made in honor of a special person, whose name and address you list on the insert in the bottle. Birthright will then mail a beautifully designed card to the person being honored. Birthright offers support and emergency supplies to new mothers and their infants. Your support through this fundraiser is truly appreciated.



**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:** 100% fruit juice, raisins/dried fruit, applesauce (no sugar added), canned fruit, canned tomato products, brown/wild rice, rolled oats/plan pasta, quinoa/whole grains, cereal, cereal bars, canned tuna/chicken/salmon, dried beans, canned beans, nuts and seeds, peanut butter, coffee/tea, vegetable oil, powdered milk—regular/soy/ and almond, fresh meats & fish. **Thank you!!**

