



<i>Mass</i>	<i>Intention</i>	<i>Requested by</i>
5:00 p.m., Saturday, October 15	James Reynolds Richard Nowakowski	Rose Mary and Sean O'Connor Rose Marie Zacek
7:30 a.m., Sunday, October 16	Mary Ellen Delvecchio Edwin White	Italian American Auxiliary Post 35 Wife, Jackie
9:00 a.m. Sunday, October 16	Edna Clement Beverly and Dale McKim	Fr, Thomas Chevalier Kathy Gorman
11:00 a.m., Sunday, October 16	Timothy Tellstone Daniel O'Donnell Eugene Landry	Family Family Candyce Robenstein
8:00 a.m., Monday, October 17	Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion	
8:00 a.m., Tuesday, October 18	Susan Ingmire	Michael and Gail Veitch
8:00 a.m., Wednesday, October 19	Tom Waldron Lynn M.	Lew and Linda Benton
8:00 a.m., Thursday, October 20	Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion	
8:00 a.m., Friday, October 21	The deceased of the Church of Saint Peter	This community of Faith.
5:00 p.m., Saturday, October 22	Ralph Lewis Dave Kinder Jeffrey Cross Edward Swasey	Cynthia and James Hubbert Helen Atwell Marybeth Boehm Kathy Lewis and Shelley Florence
7:30 a.m., Sunday, October 23	Frank and Betty Bishop Joe Matrazzo Lorraine Martin	Elizabeth Bishop, daughter Carol Leone Mary O'Donnell
9:00 a.m. Sunday, October 23	Florence DeGregorio Fay Neet	Theresa Arpei and Family Joseph Lupul, brother
11:00 a.m., Sunday, October 23	Eugene Landry Lori Herman	Charles and Kathleen Greiner Larry and Miriam Ostwald

Readings for Sunday, October 23, Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time: Sir 35:12-14,16-18; 2 Tm 4:6-8,16-18; Lk18:9-14

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**.

10/15-16

Ministers of Communion

Readers

Server

5:00 pm Saturday	Ed Dannehy, Barbara Dannehy, Judith Pierson, Nancy McDonald, Michael Murray, Kelly Waechter, Deacon Brian Levine	Deborah Mahoney Timothy Sinnot	Emma Spaeth
7:30 am Sunday	Jackie White, Martha Pristupa, Stan Drosky, Sharon Drosky, Deacon Brian Levine, 2 unfilled	Marlene Betta Michael Postlethwait	
9:00 am Sunday	Anne Marthy-Noonan, Kathy Nygard, Mary Tokos, Anne Wagner, Linda Bubniak, Maria Forbes, Linda Bubniak, Maria Forbes, Deacon Brian Levine	Maria Forbes John Wagner	Frankie Anzaroot
11:00 am Sunday	Candyce Robenstein, Barbara Haner, Edward Hines, Carol Hines, Emilia Pacifico, Nancy Brockley, Deacon Brian Levine	Chris Rocco Joseph Rocco	Caroline Crouth

Attendance	Weekly Collection	Collection Average to Date
10/09/16 854 10/11/15 763	10/09/16 collection: \$8,559.00 (includes Electronic Giving: \$610.50) 10/11/15 collection: \$7,229.50	2016 average to date \$10,299.17 2015 average to date \$ 9,391.15
SPNA (Blue envelopes):		
	October 2016 \$1,842.00 October 2015 \$1,706.00	

The Evangelist

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Family Perspectives

By Bud Ozar

The widow in today's gospel is praised for her PERSEVERENCE. In our homes perseverance is a critical ingredient to resolving differences and teaching lessons and skills to children. Perseverance is always an act of faith in the goodness of the other person.

Marriage Moments

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It's easy to say "Pray always" (Luke 18:1) but is it really practical? If we broaden our concept of prayer it is. Service to the family can be a form of prayer. Think of doing dishes, fixing stuff around the house, taking care of sometimes crabby kids, providing an income for necessities...Bring prayerful mindfulness to one such act today.

Parenting Pointers


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Try this at bedtime ritual: What did I do well today? What can I do better tomorrow? (adapted from Family Memory Calendar, Diocese of Altoona-Johnstown)

The Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

In Our Parish 

All Masses 10/15-16	Ongoing collection: nonperishable food items	All Masses	Vestibule of Church
10/16	RCIA	10:00 am	Rectory: Dining Room
	Rel Ed/YM	10:10 am-11:20a	Parish Center
	Confirm Candidates/Sponsor Mtg	10:00-11:30 am	Parish Center/Hall
	SCCS: Music/Drama	1:00-7:00 pm	Parish Center/Hall & Stage
10/17 M	Outreach Office	9:00a-12:00p	Rectory
	SCCS: Music/Drama	2:30-8:00pm	Parish Center/Hall & Stage
	Pastoral Council	7:00 pm	Parish Ctr: Meeting Room
	AA	7:00-9:30 pm	Parish Ctr: Room 206
10/18 T	Staff Meeting	1:00 pm	Rectory
	Piano Lessons	2:30-6:00 pm	Church
	Lectio Divina	6:00 pm	Parish Ctr: Meeting Room
	YM GR 10	6:30-8:30 pm	Parish Ctr/Room 204
	Ushers and Greeters Training	7:00 pm	Church
10/19 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	3:00-8:00pm	Parish Ctr: Hall Stage
10/20 T	Rosary	8:30-8:45 am	Church
	S and F Janitorial	2:30-3:30p	Church/Parish Center/Rectory
	Piano Lessons	2:30-6:30 pm	Church
	SCCS: Music/Drama	3:00-9:00pm	Parish Ctr: Hall and Stage
	Choir	7:30 pm	Church
10/21 F	Outreach Office	9:00a-12:00p	Rectory
	Wedding Rehearsal	6:00 pm	Church
10/22 .S	YM GR 9	1:00-4:45 pm	Parish Center
	Wedding	2:30 pm	Church
10/23 S	RCIA	10:00a-1:00p	Rectory: Dining Room
	Rel Ed/YM	10:10-11:20a	Parish Center
	SCCS: Music/Drama	1:00-7:00pm	Parish Center
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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!

Jubilee Year of Mercy—Pilgrimage to Holy Door

Jackie White has extended an invitation to join her on her pilgrimage to the Holy Door at the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Glenville, Monday, **October 24**. There will be a short prayer service that day.

Contact Jackie White at (518) 429-322 or ewhite17@nycap.rr.com by Monday, October 17, if you would like to join her. Transportation will be arranged after the deadline date.



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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.albany.me.org



All invitation to a Women's Breakfast by the Albany, NY Chapter of Magnificat (Ministry to Catholic Women) Saturday, November 12

Join them from 9am-12:00pm at the Visa Restaurant at Van Patten Golf Club, 924 Main Street, Clifton Park. Tickets are \$20.00; Clergy and Religious-Free. Guest speaker is Patty Gutch. Register by November 7. Please send \$20.00 check payable to Albany, NY Chapter of Magnificat, PO Box 340, Clifton Park, NY 12065. Please include your name, address, telephone number and email address. All women are invited!

If you have questions, please call Heather @ 877-8358.

Open House

Christian Brothers Academy, 12 Airline Drive, Albany, NY 12205
Thursday, October 27, 2016 6:00-8:00 pm

Open House Events: Meet and Greet with current parents, alumni and faculty; Tours of Campus; Student Performances: Marching Band, Drill Team and Color Guard; Clubs and Activities

If you cannot attend, schedule a visit as a "Brother For A Day"

SCHOLARSHIP EXAM

Grades 6-8, Christian Brothers Academy, 12 Airline Drive, Albany, NY 12205
Saturday, November, 5, 2016, 8:00 a.m.

Her Potential is our Passion!

Learn more about Academy of the Holy Names at our High School Open House, Wednesday, November 9 at 6:30 pm and Middle School, Wednesday, November 16 at 6:30 p.m. Register online at ahns.org or contact Ann Rento arento@ahns.org, 438-7895 x202.

Academy of Holy Names, 1075 New Scotland Road, Albany.

Christmas Shoebox Gifts and Food for Haitian Orphans

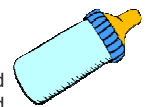
Gift-filled boxes will be collected at St. Mary's Church garage, on Thompson Street, Ballston Spa, after all Saturday and Sunday masses, October 1-16. Leave boxes at St. Mary's School during the week. Money and checks to purchase Rice and beans and for cost of shipping to Haiti are needed also. Proceeds go to Fr. Giordano Belanich, Director of Croation Relief Services in NJ to ship boxes to Cardinal Stepinac Children's Center in Haiti in time for Christmas. Strong, clean containers may be filled with small toys, school supplies, games, coloring books, shirts, sock, underwear, non-perishable foods, rosaries, holy cards, personal notes and family photos. NO war games, guns, rice, beans, soaps or used items. Wrap in holiday paper, tape label with gender and age of the child. A \$5.00 donation would help with shipping. Make checks payable to St. Mary's Church. Donations may be sent to Josie Uhlinger, 7 East Grove Street, Ballston Spa, 12020. (885-9620) There are still children living in poverty and starvation from the 2010 earthquake that devastated their country. Thank you. God bless you all. Merry Christmas!

PLEASE NOTE: This invitation to participate in the Christmas Shoebox Gifts for children of Haiti, was sent to us before the devastation caused by Hurricane Matthew. Your support is even more critical.

BIRTHRIGHT of Ballston Spa—

Baby bottles were handed to each family, October 3-4, and asked to be taken home, filled with coins, cash, or checks and then **returned last week**. Please return the bottles as soon as possible if you have not yet done so.

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, powered milk—regular/soy/ and almond, fresh meats & fish. **Thank you!!**

