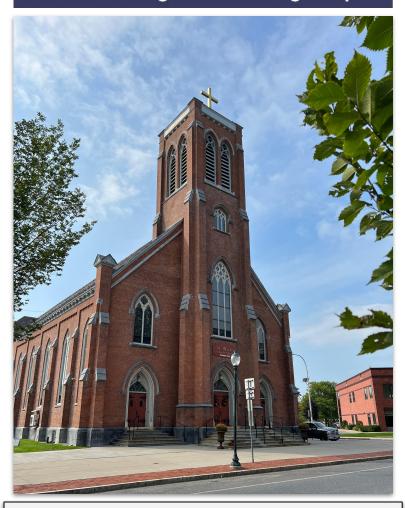


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Weekly Mass Schedule

Saturday: 4:00 p.m.

**Sunday:** 8:30 a.m.

11:15 a.m.

Wednesday: 12:10 p.m.

Thursday: 12:10 p.m.

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# Office Hours: *Monday-Thursday* 9-4

St. Mary's Church is open for daily prayer

**Adoration** Wednesdays 1-6

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Wednesdays after 12:10 Mass or by appointment

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### **Father Scott's Sharing Spot**

#### A Message from Father Scott VanDerveer, Pastor at St. Mary's Church



## Dear Parish Family,

Loss is one of the most disorienting and overwhelming aspects of human life. Each of us have people in our life that we can't bear to live without. And yet, we will at some point be forced to cope with the loss of many of those very people.

All of us pray to live a long life, but the longer our life is, the more people we will lose along the way. It's an excruciating part of this human journey we're on.

This past year many beloved members of our parish community have died, which drains the hearts of those who remain behind, grieving. It's our tradition to gather each November for a special Mass that honors the lives of every member of our parish who has died in the past year and comforts those who love and miss them.

This year, that celebration (which we call our All Souls' Mass) will be on Wednesday at 6 PM. All families of those whose funerals have been celebrated in our parish churches, or elsewhere by our clergy, will be personally invited to join us for that liturgy.

Everyone in the parish and beyond are welcome to come. Even if your loss was not in the past year, there is healing to be found by gathering with others whose hearts have been broken by sorrow.

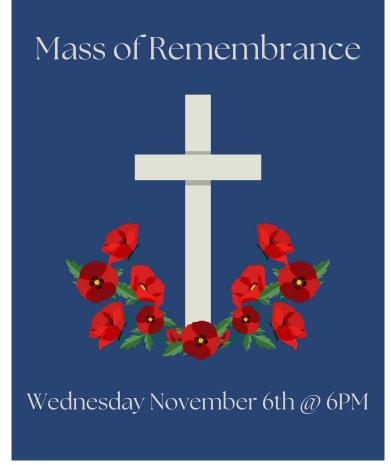
And coming to support families who are surviving a loss is a holy thing to do. Your presence tells them that their grief matters and that you are willing to pray for their healing.

All of us take our turn in the house of mourning and sorrow. That's part of this human journey. Come on Wednesday at 6 PM and allow our sorrow and pain to co-mingle with our solidarity and our faith.

Faithfully,







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# Holiday Market Place &

Friday, Nov. 8th: 3-8 Saturday, Nov. 9th: 9-3

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The Post Office will not forward the envelope packets and they bounce back to the parish with a hefty postage due fee. The envelope company prints the envelopes as soon a the previous batch is mailed which is the reason for the long notice time.

### Other options to consider

- Stop using envelopes and simply write your parish ID number in the memo area of your check (it is the same as the number on your envelopes)
- 2) Switch to e-giving. It is easy and convenient.

Don't forget, you can join us for Mass via our live stream while you are away. Go to the St. Mary's Glens Falls Youtube channel.

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Contact Dan McPhee - Scoutmaster
518-956-0281
danm99.0@gmail.com

Meets Mondays @ 6:30 PM in SMA Cafeteria



Confirmation

November 23 - 10 AM

Thanksgiving

November 27 - 5:15 PM

# Mass Intentions November 2nd - November 10th

### Saturday, November 2nd - 4:00 PM Mass

- Henrietta, Emidio, and Anthony Papa by MaryAnn and Stan Wood
- ❖ John Greenslade by Family
- ❖ Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wade by TJ
- Helen Fountaine by St. Mary's Food Pantry Volunteers

# Sunday, November 3rd - 31st In Ordinary Time: 8:30 am Mass

- Frances Pesez by Louise Sommo
- Harrison Freer by The Cantwell Family
- ❖ Enrico and Rosa Sparagna by Mark and Maria Polidore
- ❖ Michael Sheehan by Maureen and Rob DiDomizio

#### 11:15 am Mass

- Harry G, Jenny V, and Buddy LaPoint by Family
- Perry Lowell (6th Anniversary on Nov 1st) by wife, Joan Lowell
- Geri Dretchen by Paula and Peter Hayes
- ❖ Helen Fontaine by Sisters-In-Art

### Wednesday, November 6th - 12:10 & 6 pm Mass

❖ For All Parishioners

### Thursday, November 7th - 12:10 pm Mass

- Frank B Girard, Sr (Anniversary) by Family
- Noranne Mulcahy by Fay Hooper and Nancy Shortell
- ❖ Michael Earley by Susan, Erik, and Brian
- ❖ Yvonne Colligan By the Agresta Family

### Saturday, November 9th - 4:00 PM Mass

- ❖ Joanne Wielewinski by Stanley Dybas
- ❖ Shane O'Keefe by the Wade Family
- ❖ Helen Fountaine by Anne Sheehan
- Joseph Yankowitz by Food Pantry Volunteers

# Sunday, November 10th - 32nd In Ordinary Time: 8:30 am Mass

- Living and Deceased Members of the O'Brien Family by Family and Friends
- Deceased Members of the Thombs and Miller Families
- William J and Jean W Harris by Family
- D. Jay Morrissey and Anthony Solini by The Morrissey Family

### 11:15 am Mass

- \*Kenny O'Loughlin by Colleen O'Loughlin
- ❖ John and Helen Linehan by John Linehan
- ❖ Joseph J. Bruso by Louise and Family
- Edwin Simmons by Mike Feeder

# Weekly Report October 21 - 27

### **GIVING at ST. MARY'S**

 Cash
 \$3,251.38

 Envelopes
 \$4,662.00

 E-giving
 \$2,696.00

 Total Offertory
 \$10,609.38

Candle - \$193.42

World Mission Sunday - \$637.00

Food Pantry - \$450.00 Evangelist - \$781.00

### MASS ATTENDANCE

 Saturday
 4:00 pm
 260

 Sunday
 8:30 am
 247

 Sunday
 11:15 am
 311

 Total In-person:
 818



FOOD DONATIONS NEEDED THIS WEEK:

Cold Cereal
Salad Dressing
Spaghettio's/ Ravioli
Crackers
Tooth Paste
Spaghetti Sauce

Thank you to our generous parishioners who help us provide nutritious food to our community! In October we helped 599 people in 246 families!



# SMA Spotlight

# Would You Like Your Child to be Baptized?



Last year during Catholic Schools Week, Fr Scott kicked off the week in our usual fashion; with Mass. What made it extraordinary was 16 students got baptized!!!! Students from Pre K to 7th grade!!! Because of the favorable response, we will be offering the sacrament again at the 2025 Catholic Schools Week Mass. If you are interested in your child participating, please contact their homeroom teacher, or Elaine Stocker for more information. God Bless!

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 Students can also receive the sacrament of reconciliation or First Holy Communion. If interested; please talk to your homeroom teacher or Mrs. Stocker











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