



**28th Sunday in
Ordinary Time
October 12, 2025**

MASS SONGS AND READINGS

- *Processional-Gather the People #460
- *Readings-#936 28th Sunday Ordinary Time Cycle C
- *Offertory-We Walk By Faith #594
- *Communion-O Sacrament Most Holy #499
- *Recessional-Let There Be Peace On Earth #672

Mass Intentions

****Sunday, October 12th-- 4:30p.m.**

~Mary Kay Rabe by Angela Jones

~Catherine Houmes by Angela Jones

~Melvin Marcotte by Raymond & LaRae

~Leland & Anita Lambert by Corky & Paula Miller

~Becky Hewkin by Angela Jones

~Jerry LaFond by Marsha Willey

****Sunday, October 19th-- 4:30p.m.**

~Gloria Boone by the Morris Family

~Melvin Marcotte by Debbie Caise

& Buddy Caise Family

****Sunday, October 26th-- 4:30p.m.**

~Alma Orellana by Angela Jones

~Eric Pellegrini by Paula Vering

PARISH FINANCIAL REPORT

Weekly Parish Need for Operation: \$1,443.00

Sunday Offering for October 5th: -\$710.00

Online Giving: -\$150.00

Deficit for the week: -(\$583.00)

Restoration: \$60 from collection & \$50 in memory of Betty Lambert

~Sunday Offertory Budget Amount for Fiscal Year July 1, 2025-June 30, 2026 is \$75,000.

~Sunday Offertory Actual Money Donated as of October 5th- **\$20,239.79.**

Annual Appeal—Goal is \$8,300 and we currently have \$3,856 pledged.

CO-MINISTERS FOR:

Sunday, Oct. 19th @ 4:30p.m.

READER: Ryan

E.M.: Angela & Chris B

Ushers: Joe & Pat

Servers: Colbi

Counters: Diane & Nancy



Altar of Remembrance

St. Mary's will be creating an Altar of Remembrance again this year in memory of family and friends who have died.

Please bring framed 4x6 or 5x7 pictures to place on the altar during the month of October through November 1, All Souls Day. These pictures will be available for return/pick-up in November.

Please write names of your departed loved ones in the Book of Remembrance.

Please Pray For:

Intentions: Leon Lambert, Crystal Rabe, Stan Molter, Wade Miller, Special Intentions, Gloria Grant, Al Hubert, Jan McVey, Jewel Legan, Willy VanWassenhove, Beverly Maurer, Shirley Guttman, John Bumbul, Angie Clement, Nicholas, Sharon Hess, Kathy Wagner, Cindy Jamnik, Jerry Shortsleeve, Ray Arseneau, Janet Lambert, Elaine Arseneau, Judy Laurent, Sylvia Eddy

Our Departed:

Our Service Men & Women:

*Staff SGT Colby Arseneau, Army Reserves, Grandson of Jerry & Joyce Arseneau;

*Lance Corporal Joshua Herb, U.S. Marine Corps, Step-Grandson of Jerry & Joyce Arseneau;

*Maj. Todd Fatka, USAR, son of Angela Jones

***Please notify the Office at 815-644-6664 if a loved one is admitted to the hospital or would like to be on the prayer list or to have someone taken off the list if they are well.**



St. Mary's News



Preparing for Next Sunday's Gospel

29th Sunday Ordinary Time "C"

Luke 18:1-8

"Pray always"

Am I persistent in prayer?

What do I pray for? What should I pray for?

Would Jesus find faith in me and in my lifestyle today?

Prayer: Lord Jesus, you seem to be commanding me to be annoying in my prayer life. Help me to truly understand what you are trying to teach me and to be persistent in prayer. Let my prayer life reflect St. Faustina's

Preparing for Next Sunday's Petitions

~That the Church of God may remain faithful to what she has learned and believed since her youth

~That all who call on Christ in their need may be graced with perseverance in prayer

~That all judges may be inspired by the Holy Spirit to act with integrity and to decide with justice

~That all who suffer from the ravages of war may be soothed with the balm of peace

~That all who teach the Sacred Sciences may proclaim the truth of the Gospel whether convenient or inconvenient

~That the persistent prayers of our parishioners may be answered speedily

~That those who have lived lives of faith in this world may know the fullness of God's love in the next world

Let Us Pray to the Lord

LET'S GET TOGETHER....

We will be continuing our review of the sacraments and that evening we will be looking at the Sacrament of Reconciliation aka Confession, Penance. Even if you can't commit to every gathering, come when you can to enjoy a rousing conversation and to learn together. If you have questions, contact Sister Linda at 815-931-1425 or lhatton@sscm-usa.org.

ALSO....

The Beaverville Book Club is a group of readers from various parishes who meet every other Wednesday night via Zoom. We are just finishing with our latest book (COME FORTH by Fr. James Martin, SJ), so this would be a great time to join us. We usually just read one chapter for each session, so the prep time is minimal but the discussion and community experience are very rich. So, If you are interested in joining us, contact Sr. Linda at 815-931-1425 or lhatton@sscm-usa.org.



AREA EVENTS

Annual Halloween Carnival

Our Carnival is on Saturday, October 25
from 5-8pm.

The committee is looking for donations to help purchase food to serve and prizes. They are also looking for wrapped/bagged cookies for the cookie walk. They need help running games, serving food, & setting up the haunted house. If you can help out in any way, please call Carol Lareau at 815-922-8178.



We will have our haunted house, hayride, games, & food.

Costumes are welcomed.

Cost: Donations Accepted & Appreciated

The Martinton Food Pantry sent a thank you for a \$60 cash donation that was given on behalf of our church. They are always so appreciative of our donations.

Martinton Community Food Pantry

The food pantry serves all of Iroquois County. They are in need of our help. **Please continue to bring in food donations.** They are also looking for monetary donations, volunteers to help unload the trucks, and working on distribution days. If you are able to help, please call Connie Stirling at 815-867-6480.

New Hours: Tuesday 9-11a.m., No PM hours

Items Needed at the Pantry:

Canned Fruit
Pasta
Pasta Sauce

Flavored Rice
Paper Towels
Scalloped Potatoes