

SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

March 13, 2022

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Mary Hunter.

FAMILY FAITH FORMATION

The next Family Faith Formation class will be held on April 3 in the Church; 8:30 am at St. Peter's and 10:00 am at St. John's. The topic will be Holy Week and Easter. Any questions, contact Katherine at stpetersdelhiny@gmail.com.

ST. JOHN'S COFFEE HOUR

St John's coffee hour is **March 13th** after Mass in Father Willis hall. **Bakers needed.** Please drop off baked goods in the hall the day of coffee hour.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Caitlin Stowe, Barbara Geywits, Dorothy Perz, John Froehlich, Agnes, Karen Uzzi, John Nichols, John Meinke, Jeff Fritz, Rosemarie Falco, Catherine Reynolds, Bob Lang, Joe Augustine, Joe Harrison, Ann Foschi, E.G.

MARRIAGE MOMENTS by Susan Vogt

Society and churches run on both money and volunteers. Generosity is a virtue but it's possible to become a "good cause widow(er)." Are you spending enough, or too much time, volunteering? Your answer will come from the mouth of your beloved. Consider joint volunteer projects.

2021 TAX REPORTS

Parishioners of St. John's, Holy Family, and St. Peter's: If you would like a statement, for tax purposes, of your 2021 financial contributions to the church, please contact Katherine: 607-746-2503 stpetersdelhiny@gmail.com and let her know whether you'd like to receive it by mail or email.

GRIEF MINISTRY

Mission Statement: To provide a listening ear, compassion, and possible recommendations/direction for a positive life journey moving forward with the help of our Faith!
For more information contact Kathy Scribani at 607-376-1633.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Join us in praying the Stations of the Cross **Each Friday** during Lent at **6 pm** led by Deacon Freeman at **Saint John the Baptist** and by Father Golding at **Saint Peter's**.

RECONCILIATION

In addition to hearing Confessions on the first Saturday of the month, Father will also offer the following opportunities:

March 28th Communal Penance Service at St John's at 7 pm

March 29th Individual Reconciliation at St John's at 7 pm

April 4th Communal Penance Service at St Peter's at 7 pm

April 5th Individual Reconciliation at St Peter's at St Peter's at 7 pm

April 7th Communal Penance Service at St. Paul's in Hancock at 7 pm

THIS WEEK'S DAILY SCRIPTURES

Monday: Dn 9:4b-10; Lk 6:36-38

Tuesday: Is 1:10, 16-20; Mt 23:1-12

Wednesday: Jer 18:18-20; Mt 20:17-28

Thursday: Jer 7:5-10; Lk 16:19-31

Saint Patrick, Bishop

Friday: Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a; Mt 21:33-43, 45-46 *Saint Cyril of Jerusalem, Bishop & Doctor of the Church*

Saturday: 2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16; Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22; Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24a or Lk 2:41-51a

SAINT JOSEPH, SPOUSE OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

Sunday: Ex 3:1-8a, 13-15; 1 Cor 10:1-6, 10-12; Lk 13:1-9 *Third Sunday of Lent*

ST JOHN'S OFFICE CLOSED

The parish office at St. John the Baptist is temporarily closed. For all bulletin announcements, to schedule a Mass, for prayer chain requests, and any other questions or services kindly contact Katherine Gielskie, Administrative Assistant at St. Peter's: 607-746-2503 stpetersdelhiny@gmail.com.

Saint Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary and Terror of Demons, pray for us!



SYMBOLISM

The group is called the "Knights" because they identify with the medieval knightly system of chivalry with its religious, moral, and social code, especially that of courage, honor, courtesy, and a readiness to help the weak.

As a symbol that alliance to their country did not conflict with alliance to the Catholic faith, the members took Christopher Columbus as their patron, who was celebrated as the discoverer of America and is recognized as Catholic.

Next meeting: March 14 6 PM at Saint Peter's
Contact Pete Bracci for more info: braccipj@hotmail.com

ADOPTION NOVENA MARCH 10-18

St. Joseph Adoption Novena: Praying for all who travel upon the path of Adoption

March 10 - 18

respectlife.org/adoption-novena

A PLACE AT THE TABLE

This is the last week for Catholic Charities of Delaware, Otsego, and Schoharie Counties fundraiser for LOCAL emergency programs (no federal or state funding). Please consider a gift to help your neighbors. To make a donation, you can use the envelopes in the vestibule of the church or visit <https://app.mobilecause.com/vf/CaringDOS/ArdenKeller>

MONEY MATTERS

The collection amounts for March 5th and 6th were: Holy Family Church, \$458.00, St. John the Baptist Church, \$3,532.00 and St. Peter's Church, \$3,192.00. Thank you for your generosity.

COMMUNION TO THE SICK

Communion to the Sick - Hospital and Shut-In Visits: If you have a family member who needs Communion taken to them, please call the St. Peter's parish office.

GAME NIGHT - TEENS & YOUNG ADULTS

March 19th from 5:00 - 7:00 p.m. we are having a game night at **St Peter's Rectory, 8 Franklin St, Delhi** (next door to the church). It's a fun and casual evening of games and food. If you have any questions contact Susan Gielskie (845) 332-7440

LECTIO DIVINA at SAINT JOHN'S

Join us on Thursdays at 7 pm in Fr. Willis Hall for Lectio Divina - a beautiful way of praying with scripture. No prep required. We will be reading the Old Testament, Epistle, and Gospel reading for the following Sunday, and talking about what stands out to us about each. Bibles and light refreshments will be provided. All are welcome!

PRAY FOR THE FOLLOWING SOULS ON THE ANNIVERSARY OF THEIR PASSING

3/14 Donald Barriger, Kathryn Bogush, Jeanette Hoos, Colton Slone

3/15 Erwin Charpentier, Della Keery

3/16 Peter Eskow

3/17 DeAnna Evans

3/18 Katerina Kuppens, Roman Lisiesky, Mary Siebert, James Tweedie

3/19 Kazimiera Dulski, Arthur J. Havens, Geraldine Mangan, Chris Williamson

3/20 Albert Charpentier, Michael Ducey, Winiford Meagley, Mary Ann Sommer, Catherine Ward, Walter Woefel

WORD OF LIFE

"We are facing an enormous and dramatic clash between good and evil, death and life, the 'culture of death' and the 'culture of life'. We find ourselves not only 'faced with' but necessarily 'in the midst of' this conflict: we are all involved and we all share in it, with the inescapable responsibility of choosing to be unconditionally pro-life" (The Gospel of Life 28)

Join the Pro-Life Prayer Group This Lent!

Join the Central New York Coalition for Life in praying for an end to abortion this Lent (March 2 - April 10). Groups will be meeting weekly outside Family Planning in Oneonta in prayerful witness. You can pray out on the sidewalk, from your car, at church, or at home. Your prayers will be heard from wherever you are! To get involved, contact us at contact@cnylifecoalition.com. To learn more about the coalition visit cnylifecoalition.com