

OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE NOVEMBER 20, 2022

ST. JOHN'S COFFEE HOUR

This Sunday, November 20th, there will be a coffee hour in Father Willis Hall, following the 11:15 am Mass. **Bakers are needed!** Please join us for a cup of coffee, something to eat and fellowship. All are welcome.

ST. PETER'S COFFEE HOUR

On Sunday, November 27th, St Peter's will host a coffee hour in the rectory/parish center following 9:30 Mass. Please join us!

MARRIAGE MOMENTS by Susan Vogt

During this week of Thanksgiving, take a moment to share with each other one thing that makes you thankful for your beloved and your marriage.

PRAY FOR THE FOLLOWING SOULS ON THE ANNIVERSARY OF THEIR PASSING

- Nov 21 - Charles Schnellback, Alice Lynch, Umberto Antonacci
- Nov 22 - Joseph Caffrey, Ethel Crawford, Joyce Kinch
- Nov 24 - William F. Murphy, Robert Opramolla, Mary Celastanto
- Nov 25 - Thomas O'Neill, Nicholas Monaco, Eleanor Manfrede
- Nov 26 - Elizabeth Rarick, Catherine Finn, Jackie Morris
- Nov 27 - Joseph McHugh, Charyle Mae Ackerley, Margaret Merritt, Joseph Raville, Helen McHugh

Teaching Mass

On January 15th, Camp Breakaway, a ministry of Pyramid Life Center, will host a teaching Mass event at Christ Our Light in Loudonville from 2 - 6 pm. This past summer, campers at Breakaway participated in a Synod session and requested to learn more about the Mass. When young people ask, we listen! Bishop Scharfenberger has agreed to join young people (6-12th grades) for this special day. All youth are invited. The day will include small group sessions explaining each part of the Mass and culminate with Mass celebrated by Bishop Scharfenberger at 5pm.

ADVENT FUNDRAISER

The youth group is selling advent candles and advent wreaths. A package of 4 advent candles is \$10. An 8 inch x 8 inch metal wreath is \$10. All proceeds will go towards the youth group 2023 trip. Candles/Wreaths are available now if you call 607-434-5874, and they will be sold after each Mass the weekend of 11/26-11/27. As always, thank you for your support.

THANKSGIVING DAY MASSES

On Thursday, November 24th, Father Golding will offer Mass at St. Peter's at 8:00 am and at St. John's at 9:30 am. This is an additional opportunity to offer our thanks to the Lord for all His gifts to us.

MONEY MATTERS

The general collections for the November 12 & 13 are: Holy Family Church, \$331.00, St. John the Baptist, \$2,442.00 and St. Peter's Church, \$2,604.00. Thank you.

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK

Agnes, Joan Nerney, Al Furrer, Jerry Hanley, Robert Fasanaro, John Sterchak, Adam Billek, Logan Cazzola, Nancy Greene, Stephen Ball, Ann Foschi, Carl Ionotti, Vernon Wildenstein, Greg Froehlich, Burneda Ford, Doris Peterson, Mary Jane Mehegen, Rik Peterson, Barbara Robinson, Laurie Laing

Advent Offering

The Roman Catholic Diocese of Albany, Office of Lay Ministry & Parish Faith Formation: This is My Body Given for You: An Advent Reflection on the Eucharist... with Rev. Richard Fragomeni, Priest of the Diocese of Albany, Professor of Liturgy & Preaching, Catholic Theological Union, Chicago. When: Wednesday, November 30, 2022, 2:00 - 3:30 PM. Virtual Presentation by Zoom To register-<https://webapps.rcda.org/ParishFaithFormation/>. Please register by November 28th – There is no cost for the event. During Advent we prepare our hearts to celebrate the gift of Emmanuel- God with us. Each time we gather for Eucharist, the only repeatable Sacrament of Initiation, we celebrate the gift of Christ's enduring presence with us in His Body and Blood. Please Join Fr. Fragomeni as he leads us in a reflection that will nourish our Advent waiting and deepen our participation in the Eucharist. If you have any questions, please call us at 518-453-6670

DIOCESAN WOMEN'S RETREAT

Awakening our hearts to share God's love.

When: Saturday, December 10, 2022
Time: Check-in and Continental Breakfast at 8:30 am
Event runs from 9 am to 4 pm
Location: St. Pius X Church, 23 Crumitie Road, Loudonville, NY
Keynote Speakers: Sisters of Life
Retreat includes: Presentations, Reconciliation, Adoration, Rosary, Mass with Bishop Scharfenberger, box lunch, and beverages.
Cost: \$40.00 per person; College age or younger women are FREE.
Register Here: <https://www.rcda.org/UnleashingLove>

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 St. Peter's parish office at 607-746-2503

Congratulations and Welcome to

Sonny Elizabeth Triebe

daughter of

Brittany and Harry Triebe, Jr.

Sonny was baptized
into the faith
of the Roman Catholic Church
on Sunday, November 12, 2022.

FAITH FORMATION

The next Faith Formation event is Mass and a Meal on November 20th. There is no morning class on this date. Instead, faith formation families from all 3 churches gather at St John the Baptist in Walton for Mass and a potluck supper. Please bring a dish to pass and a nonperishable item for the food pantry. Adoration begins at 3:45, followed by Mass at 4:00 pm. 607-746-2503 stpetersdelhiny@gmail.com

DELHI COMMUNITY THANKSGIVING DINNER

What: Community Dinner sponsored by The Delhi Clergy Association
When: November 24th, 12 noon - 3 pm
Where: IN-PERSON at the Delhi Fire Hall
Dinners will also be available for pick-up by reservation. Please reserve your take-out dinner by November 16th by voicemail or email: 607-746-3714 delhialliancechurch@gmail.com

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The Knights have been active politically from an early date. The leadership of the order has been, at times, both liberal and conservative. Martin H. Carmody and Luke E. Hart were both political conservatives, but John J. Phelan was a Democratic politician prior to becoming Supreme Knight. John Swift's "strong support for economic democracy and social-welfare legislation marks him as a fairly representative New Deal anti-communist,"¹ and Francis P. Matthews was a civil rights official and member of Harry Truman's cabinet. Anderson previously served in the Office of Public Liaison under Reagan. The Knights of Columbus is classified by the IRS as a 501(c)(8) fraternal benefit society. Unlike the more common 501(c)(3) nonprofits, 501(c)(8)s are allowed to engage in limited direct political activity without jeopardizing their tax exemptions. However, Anderson has said "One of our most important traditions throughout our 125-year history is that we do not, as an organization, become involved in partisan politics. The Knights of Columbus support political awareness and activity among their membership and local councils. Public policy activity is limited to issue-specific campaigns, typically dealing with Catholic family and sanctity of life issues. 607 267-8336

THIS WEEK'S DAILY SCRIPTURES

Monday: Rev 14:1-3, 4b-5; Lk 21:1-4
Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Tuesday: Rev 14:14-19; Lk 21:5-11
St. Cecilia, Virgin & Martyr
Wednesday Rev 15:1-4; Lk 21:12-19
St. Clement I, Pope & Martyr
Thursday: Rev 18:1-2, 21-23; 19:1-3,9a; Lk 21:20-28
St. Andrew Dung-Lac, Priest & Companions, Martyrs
Friday: Rev 20:1-4, 11-21:2; Lk 21:29-33
St. Catherine of Alexandria, Virgin & Martyr
Saturday: Rev 22:1-7; Lk 21:34-36
Sunday: Is 2:1-5; Rom 13:11-14; Mt 24:37-44
1st Sunday of Advent

GRIEF MINISTRY

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

KNOWING YOUR FAITH

Obeying Parents and Those in Authority - The 4th Commandment of God for Our Good.
"Honor your father and your mother."

How can children sin against their parents and elders? Children can sin against their parents or elders when they a) do not obey them or only poorly, b) are ungrateful, rude, or stubborn toward them and cause sadness to them, c) regard them with contempt, disdain or wish evil to them, d) or do not pray for them and try to help them, or neglect them in time of need. It is to a young person's own benefit to respect parents, teachers, and other elders because God asks this and also because we can only learn from our elders when we have respect for them. Just as children can be a great pride and joy to their parents, they can sometimes be the source of intense grief, sorrow and agony. Also, many a mother or father has been brought to a premature grave by the ingratitude or ill-treatment on the part of some children who will surely regret their mistreatment of their parents when it is too late, just as those who were good to their parents will be glad about it the rest of their lives. Besides parents, we owe respect and love to lawful superiors, namely teachers, parish priests, employers, and to those who have especially helped us. *"Let everyone submit himself to the governing authorities, for all authority derives from God, and whatever authorities exist have been instituted by God."* (Rom 13:1) Knowing Your Faith, All Basic Catholic Beliefs by Rev. Raymond B. Fullam, S.J.

USCCB WORD OF LIFE

"We can't imagine loving a child whom we conceived more than we love Andrew. It is amazing how he fits our personalities so well... Adopting Andrew has made us more aware of God's power and of his love for us. We realize that he always has a perfect plan for our lives." USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities, "An Adoption Love Story"

LECTOR WORKBOOKS

St. Peter's lector workbooks are now available to be picked up in the sacristy.