

ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME June 16, 2024

ST. PETER'S COFFEE HOUR

St. Peter's will host a coffee hour on Sunday, July 7th after the 9:30 am Mass. Please join us!

PRAY FOR THE FOLLOWING SOULS ON THE ANNIVERSARY OF THEIR PASSING

June 17 – Mildred Peletz

June 18 - Thomas Latronica, Margaret O'Neill

June 19 - Iutca Dalma Orha-Matray, Dorothy Baldi,
John Wall, George Dolezel, Tammy Lynn
Mullineaux

June 20 – Alice Fraser

June 21 - Joan Marangi

June 22 - Robert Vasisko, William Dillon, Henry
Hoffman, Cecilia Anne Day, Stanislaw
Kilanowski

June 23 - Nancy Rusk Clark, Louis Pratti

ST. JOHN'S LECTORS, SACRISTANS, EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

The St. John's new ministry schedule will run from August, 2024 through January 2025. Please call Doreen at 607-865-6724, with any scheduling conflicts by June 30th. Thank you for your continued gift of time and talent!

THE ROSARY CORNER

The word Rosary means Crown of Roses. Our Lady revealed to several people that each time we say a Hail Mary, we give her a beautiful rose and that each complete Rosary makes for her a crown of roses. "Never will anyone who says his rosary every day be led astray." St Louis De Montfort

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK

Agnes, Mary Jane Mehegen, Dale Hart, Linda Barr, Mike, Teri Macchio, Barbara Cocks, Rick Kean, Maurine Frich, Abby Richardson, Dan Haley, Roberta Lacey, Millie Cohen, Will, John Meinke, Kevin Collins, Al Furrer, Alyson Bruse, Ed Snow, Mia Morris

MARCH FOR LIFE NEW YORK

June 24, 2024, 12:00 noon, at the NYS Capitol Building, Albany NY. Self transportation
Register for the March at MarchForLifeNY.org

THIS WEEK'S DAILY SCRIPTURES

Monday: 1 Kgs 21:1-16; Mt 5:38-42

Tuesday: 1 Kgs 21:17-29; Mt 5:43-48

Wednesday: 2 Kgs 2:1, 6-14; Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

St. Romuald, Abbot

Thursday: Sir 48:1-14; Mt 6:7-15

Friday: 2 Kgs 11:1-4, 9-18, 20; Mt 6:19-23

St. Aloysius Gonzaga, Religious

Saturday: 2 Chr 24:17-25; Mt 6:24-34

*Sts. John Fisher, Bishop, and Thomas More,
Martyrs*

Sunday: Job 38:1, 8-11; 2 Cor 5:14-17; Mk 4:35-41

ST. THOMAS MORE

1478-1535 Lord Chancellor of England, he was executed for refusing to accept King Henry VIII's supremacy over the Church in England. More studied law at Oxford and was a close friend of Erasmus. He refused to sign an oath that declared Henry's marriage to Catherine of Aragon invalid and that repudiated the pope. He resigned as chancellor in 1532 and was imprisoned in 1534. Though he remained silent regarding the Act of Supremacy, he was convicted on perjured evidence and beheaded on July 6, 1535. More was a humanist who argued for moral and social reform through education and sacred literature. His most famous works include *Utopia*, a social satire written in 1516, and his letters from the Tower of London, which reveal a deep devotion to the suffering Christ. More maintained an affection for Henry VIII to the end and hoped that his death would somehow serve the King. His feast is June 22.

USCCB WORD OF LIFE

"Through our prayers and through the intercession of St. Joseph, patron of fathers, may fathers come to know the irreplaceable role they hold in the lives of their children, and the responsibility they share in welcoming God's gift of new life!" *Most Reverend Shelton J. Fabre, Bishop of Houma-Thibodaux*
"Fathers' Irreplaceable Role in Welcoming Life"

MARRIAGE MOMENTS by Susan Vogt

Do you sometimes feel like a hamster racing around a wheel? Are you very busy but never caught up? STOP for one minute. Be silent. Turn off the TV, radio, computer, etc., and turn toward your spouse. Silently thank God for your life companion.

A FATHER'S DAY BLESSING

Blessed is the Father

Who lets the Lord

be his guiding hand,

Whose faith

brings his

family courage,

Whose wisdom

comes from God

and whose children

still stand

and honor him.

MONEY MATTERS

The general collection amounts June 8th & 9th are: Holy Family \$208.00, St. John's \$1,599.00, St. Peter's \$1,529.00. The totals of the diocesan collections are: Holy Family \$85.00, St. John's \$469.00, St. Peter's \$441.00., Thank you for your continued support.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Every Thursday, from 6:00am until 6:00pm, Our Lord is exposed for Adoration in the Eucharistic Chapel at St. John's in Walton. All parishes are welcome to come adore during any of these hours, alongside our regularly scheduled adorers. O Come let us adore Him!

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

DIOCESAN APPEAL UPDATE

St. Peter's 2023-2024 Diocesan Appeal Assessment is \$22,784. So far, we have raised \$8,424. St. John's Assessment is \$21,737., to date \$9,254. has been raised. If you have not already joined your fellow parishioners in giving to the Diocesan Appeal, there are three ways to make your gift:

- Reply to the Appeal mailing you received at home;

- Make your gift online at

www.thediocesanappeal.org {write in 'comments' if you want to direct to an area(s) of focus};

- Or mail a check payable to "Diocesan Appeal" to 40 N. Main Avenue, Albany, NY 12203.

Thank you to everyone who has donated. The current appeal ends June 30, 2024.

YEAR LONG BIBLE READING JOURNEY

When: next meeting is **Tuesday June 18th**

We will meet every other Tuesday, 6:00 – 7:30 pm

Where: Father Willis Hall, St. John the Baptist, Walton

Presented and Facilitated by Deacon Mike Freeman

No cost, but feel free to bring refreshments!

For more information, see the gold colored flyer on the bulletin board in the vestibule. For more info call/text Deacon Freeman at 607-353-0095.

Bible Journey Readings can be found on the parish website.

KNOWING YOUR FAITH MATRIMONY

*What happens to the marrying couple in the
Sacrament of Matrimony?*

In the Sacrament of Matrimony

- Christ joins a loving man and woman in a holy and indissoluble union,**
- He enables them to signify and to share in the mystery of that great unity and fruitful love which exists between Christ and His Church,**
- And He gives them both all of the graces needed to fulfill their tasks both a husband and wife together and as parents raising their children as good Catholics.**

"Jesus replied, 'Have you not read that from the beginning the Creator "made them male and female" and said: "That is why a man leaves his father and mother and is joined to his wife, and the two become one flesh"?' And so they are no longer two but one flesh" (Mt 19:4-6).

"God created man in love to share His divine life. We see His high destiny in the love of husband and wife, which bears the imprint of God's own divine love. Love is man's origin, love is his calling, love is his fulfillment in heaven. His love of man and woman is made holy in the sacrament of Matrimony, and it becomes the mirror of God's everlasting love" (From the Preface to the Nuptial Mass). Knowing Your Faith, Rev. Raymond B. Fullam, S.J.