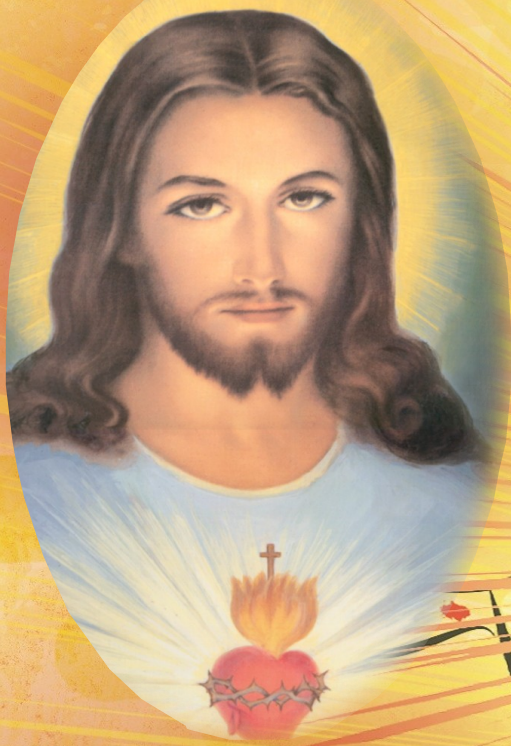


Sacred Heart

Roman Catholic Community



MISSION STATEMENT

As a parish and as members of God's family, we endeavor:
To be inclusive, caring and a loving Eucharistic community
To strive to bring forth the unique gifts of women and men, of children and youth, in service and outreach to the many needs of our community
To welcome the visitor and traveler to the Adirondack area and to our faith community
To evangelize and bring the gospel message to serve one another in the example of Jesus Christ.

Eucharistic Liturgy Schedule

Sacred Heart Church – Lake George, NY
Saturday Vigil: 5:30 PM | Sunday: 10:00 AM
Daily Mass: Monday and Wednesday 8:30 AM
Rosary: Monday and Wednesday 8:00 AM
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
Every Wednesday 8:30 AM – 9:00 PM

Baptism is celebrated one weekend a month. A Baptism preparation session is required for parents.

Faith Formation religious education is part of a "Whole Parish Catechesis" program for Faith Formation. It includes Parents and children/youth. It meets monthly in conjunction with Sunday Mass. Families must register in parish. All adults are also welcome to attend the parent/adult session.

Marriage Couples need to make an appointment with the priest or deacon at least eight months prior to the requested date. Do not make reception arrangement until a date has been confirmed by the pastor.

Anointing the Sacrament of the Sick is administrated as needed to those who are seriously ill. Please contact the parish office.

Reconciliation Communal services scheduled throughout the year or by appointment.

Stewardship All parishioners are encouraged to consider the support of the parish as part of a Stewardship and Sacrificial approach to contributing regularly of time, talent and treasure as a thanksgiving to God.

Pastoral Staff

Very Rev. Joseph G. Busch

Pastor

Rev. Nellis Tremblay

Retired

Frank Herlihy

Deacon

Ryan McNulty

Deacon

Kathy Dorman

Secretary

Rosalie Folino

Secretary

Regina Newell

Music Director

Torie Wattendorf

Irene O'Connor Filippelli

Faith Formation

OTHER LOCATIONS:

St. Cecilia's Church – Warrensburg, NY
Saturday Vigil: 4:30 PM | Sunday: 10:00 AM
Blessed Sacrament Church – Bolton Landing, NY
Sunday: 11:00 AM

Our Lady of the Annunciation Church – Queensbury, NY
Saturday Vigil: 4:00 PM | Sunday: 8:00 AM & 11:30 AM
Holy Mother & Child Church – Corinth, NY
Saturday Vigil: 4:00 PM | Sunday: 9:00 AM

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April 8, 2018

Mass Schedule at Sacred Heart Church

Mass Intentions This Weekend

Saturday 5:30pm Donald Matoon req: Family
Rosalie Grana req: Family
Robert Newell req: Terri Case

Sunday 10:00am Charles Sandora (birthday remembrance)
req: Family
Joseph Beneszewski
req: Bill & Carol Beneszewski
George Greene req: Burns family

Mass Intentions week of April 9

Monday 8:30am Michael Ermiger
req: Ken Ermiger

Wednesday Eileen McTague req: Steve & Karen Maxim
Barbara & Ralph Bailey 65th anniversary
req: wife, Barbara
Larry Fehsal (1st anniversary) req: wife, Marie

Saturday 5:30pm Carol Clemente Phair req: Edwards family
John Ross req: Janine Kandora
Patrick Bambrick req: mother

Sunday 10:00am Robert Newell req: Jim & JoAnn Grey
Carol Clemente Phair req: Edwards family
Robert Monkoski req: Robert & Loretta LeBar
Jerome Foglietta, Jr. (1st anniversary)
req: dad, Jerome Foglietta Sr.

Liturgical Ministers – April 14 & 15

Saturday: 5:30pm

Lector: G. & J. Ermiger **Servers:** R. Oravsky, B. Ercig
EM: R. & J. Folino, J. Herzog, M. LaFountain, S. Rucker

Sunday: 10:00am

Lector: J. Collins/J. Fowler **Servers:** M. Coccozza, E. Galkiewicz
EM: J. & K. McDonnell, P. Meader, F. Sause, D. Sause,
M. Sandora, C. Scrivo

Adoration of the Blessed

Sacrament... Every Wednesday, 9am – 9pm.

Please join us for an hour of quiet time with the Lord. God will not be outdone in generosity. Do you have the time to make the commitment of one hour each Wednesday in quiet prayer for all that God has given to us. Sign Up Sheets are available in the Chapel on Wednesday. Call Frank Sause at 518-668-2292

A warm and beautiful Easter welcome to all who worship in our Sacred Heart Catholic Church! May the Word of God bring you peace and joy. **If you are visiting, please consider us your parish away from home.** We welcome all visitors coming to Lake George in joining us for Eucharist during your stay. May you have an enjoyable visit.

Scripture Readings

Readings for the Week of April 8:

Sunday: Acts 4: 32-35	Jn 20: 19-31
Monday: Is 7: 10-14	Lk 1: 26-38
Tuesday: Acts 4: 32-37	Jn 3: 7b-15
Wednesday: Acts 15: 17-26	Jn 3: 16-21
Thursday: Acts 5: 27-33	Jn 3: 31-36
Friday: Acts 5: 34-42	Jn 6: 1-15
Saturday: Vigil: Acts 6: 1-7	Jn 6: 16-21
Next Sunday: Acts 6: 1-7	John 6: 16-21

Please pray for the sick and homebound as well as the men and women in service. Pray for all priests and seminarians of our Albany diocese. Please check our online prayer list for the sick of our parish at: www.sacredheartlg.org

Your Stewardship of Treasure:

Easter Offertory Collection

Last Week: \$4,140 Last Year: \$3,714

Mailed in: \$291

Reduction of Debt Collection

Last Week: \$ 1,130



Easter Flower Offering...

Victor Grant, Violet & William Grant,
Dorothy Gettinger, Quandt family

“Mass Has Ended”...

We also call Mass “The Lord’s Supper” or “The Eucharistic,” or “the Holy Mysteries,” or the “Sacrifice of the Mass.” While all these names illuminate the different aspects of our worship, “The Mass is ended; go in peace” offers a deep meaning once we consider the fullness of the phrase.

The dismissal, which is said by the deacon or priest (the Roman Missal gives several options), is a summary of the entire act of worship and provides a proper reminder of our priorities and tasks as faithful Catholics.

Fr. Dwight Longenecker

Divine Mercy Sunday

Many thanks to everyone who made our Lenten and Easter Season such a beautiful blessing.

Our leaders of the weekly Stations of the Cross, and the Good Friday Walking Stations, our Music Ministry who filled our church with their wonderful sound, our ministers, ushers, lectors, altar servers who took such good care of the masses each week, to our volunteers who decorated and prepared our churches for Lent and Easter, to Deacon's Frank and Ryan for all of their assistance and a special thank you and Blessing to Fr. Busch and Fr. Tremblay for their gifts to our parish...



Knights of Columbus Corner....

Bulletin Sponsors of the Week....Tell them you saw their ad in our weekly bulletin!

Hughes Insurance Agency, Inc.

Auto Home Business Life

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328 Bay Road, Queensbury, NY

518-793-3131

WHY DO WE DO THAT? -

CATHOLIC LIFE EXPLAINED

Question: What is the story behind Divine Mercy Sunday?

Answer: In Poland during the early 1930s, Jesus appeared to a religious sister, St. Maria Faustina Kowalska. These private revelations had one key theme: the love and mercy of God. The relevance of this message was evident then and would continue to resound in importance throughout the social and political upheaval of the 20th century.

One of Jesus' requests was the institution of a feast of God's mercy. St. Faustina records in her diary, "I desire that the Feast of mercy be a refuge and shelter for souls? let no soul fear to draw near to me? It is my desire that it be solemnly celebrated on the first Sunday after Easter" (Diary, no. 699). After St. Faustina's canonization in 2000, the Vatican declared that the Second Sunday of Easter would be known as Divine Mercy Sunday.

On Sunday, April 22nd the Columbiettes will be hosting a Scholarship Breakfast at the Adirondack Pancake House. (right at the bottom of the hill!) Serving pancakes, sausage, juice and coffee from 8:30am—11:30am. Yes, you can still attend 10am Mass AND make it to the bottom of the hill by 11:30 for a delicious pancake breakfast! **Tickets are \$7 each and can be purchased after Mass today or in the parish center or just show up on Sunday, April 22nd for breakfast!** All proceeds to benefit the Columbiettes Scholarship Awards at Lake George High School.



Live the Liturgy—Inspiration for the week...

What does it take to believe that something is real? We live in an age of computer technology complete with things like Photoshop and other programs that can enhance photographs, create realistic images, and mimic artistic renderings. When looking at a picture of something, we find ourselves wondering if what we are seeing is real or just the result of technological creativity. Early believers came to believe because of what they witnessed in these new communities of faith. They saw people authentically living out Jesus' command to love and to show mercy. What do people witness when they see us in action?



Blessed Virgin Mary—First Saturdays

Sacred Heart will have a devotion to our Blessed Virgin Mary on the First Five Saturdays of each month April through August.

April 7th will start our devotion:

4:30 – 5:30 Confession (in the Main Church)

4:30 – 5:30 with the presentation of –

“The Our Lady of Fatima official “Pilgrim Statue” (the image that travels around the world) (In the Chapel)

4:30 – 5:30 Meditation with Mary on the Rosary Mysteries (15 min) (in the Chapel)

5:00 Rosary (in the Chapel)

5:30 Mass (in the Main Church)

Spring is here... time to get in summer shape...

Don't forget, every Monday, Wednesday & Friday, at 9:30am in the Parish Center, a free Walk Aerobic Exercise session. Following the Leslie Sansone DVD series. For young and old. NOT professionally led or directed. **It's free... it's easy... it's fun!**

Did you know... that the 2nd Sunday of each month at the Lake George American Legion—Rt. 9 They serve breakfast from 8:30am—11:30am. OPEN to EVERYONE! Please, lets support our local Legion.

Sacred Heart Catholic Community

Family Faith Formation...the next Session is today, Sunday, April 8 at 8:45 in the Parish Center...



Hoffman's Car Wash Tickets...

Tickets for sale in the Parish Center... \$9 each.
(after the winter we are having, doesn't your car need a little TLC?)

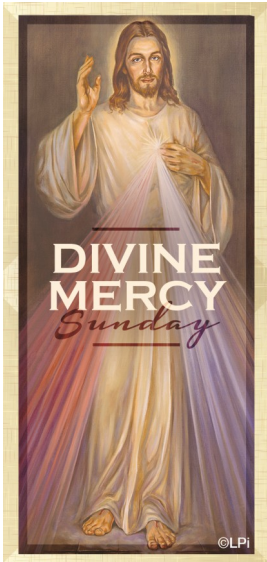
An Evening of Prayer and Sharing...

EVERY Monday Night

at St. Michaels Church, So. Glens Falls.

A Joyful Gathering - 6pm Monday Nights. You are invited to join fellow area parishioners on Monday nights at Saint Michaels for prayer, Word sharing and laughter. Come when you can, for just a few minutes or stay for it all. Come and go as your schedule allows. Come and be supported.

PRAYING THE DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET



Begin with the Our Father, Hail Mary, and the Apostles Creed. Using regular rosary beads, work your way around the five decades with the prayers below.

On the standalone beads, pray: "Eternal Father, I offer you the body, blood, soul, and divinity of your dearly beloved Son, our Lord Jesus Christ, in atonement for our sins and those of the whole world." On the decade beads, pray: "For the sake of his sorrowful Passion, have mercy on us and on the whole world."

At the end, pray the following three times: "Holy God, Holy Mighty One, Holy Immortal One, have mercy on us and on the whole world."

It is typical to conclude the Divine Mercy Chaplet with the words: "Jesus, I trust in you."

GOSPEL MEDITATION

April 8th 2nd Sunday of Easter, Divine Mercy Sunday
Should we be a little easier on Thomas? The last few days have been a whirlwind. On Thursday, a Passover celebration went horribly awry as Jesus was betrayed and taken into custody for unstated crimes. Less than 24 hours later, the simple arrest has turned into a death sentence to be carried out that very afternoon. Most of the disciples fled, including Thomas. He would have heard of the events of Good Friday secondhand, in shock over the death of his Lord and Master. Then Sunday morning arrives with joy from a few disciples-Jesus is risen! But there is no persistent sight of him, only Mary Magdalene's quick moment in the garden and an empty tomb. Another day passes. The Apostles are gathered that Monday night, but Thomas is absent. He returns to a jubilant report of the risen Lord. Again, Thomas has seen nothing.

The experience must have been surreal. Did Jesus really appear raised from the dead? Did he really suffer and die? Has all of this been some strange hoax? Desperate for an answer, Thomas insists, "Unless I see the mark of the nails in his hands and put my finger into the nail marks and put my hand into his side, I will not believe."

After his resurrection, Jesus' body-mangled and bloody from the crucifixion-is restored. Did it need the scars? A perfected body would have taught us one lesson: everything is renewed as it once was, the past erased. Jesus chooses another lesson, however. He retains his scars that we might know him. In the whirlwind of our lives, we make our own mistakes, our own betrayals and compromises. In the resurrected Jesus, we see a God who does not forget his own sorrow. We are invited to meet him-wound for wound-and place our hand on his own nail-scarred palm, the eternal sign of his everlasting mercy.

FREE Community Dinner Program

On Wednesday, April 18, John Carr and the staff from the Adirondack Pub & Brewery will be cooking dinner.

Please join us for our free Community Dinner...and bring a friend... 5-6pm. Last dinner will be on Tuesday, May 2nd for our annual Big BBQ...



You need moments of silence to hear what God is saying to you...

...Fr. Roland Guilmain