

MUSIC SELECTIONS JANUARY 29, 2017

- ENTRANCE HYMN: **539**
 PREPARATION HYMN: **602**
 COMMUNION HYMN: **763S**
 RECESSIONAL HYMN*: **715**

PSALM 146: FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, YEAR A



R. Blessed are the poor in spir-it; the king-dom of heav-en is theirs!

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***It is the tradition of the church not to exit before the final hymn has been sung.**

9:00 AM – Children’s Sending: May your holy word take root in them (us). May your holy word bear fruit in them (us). Plant your word within them (us), so that they (we) may grow.

**MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF
 JANUARY 28, 2017 TO FEBRUARY 5, 2017**

If you are having a Mass offered, please contact an usher before Mass and let them know you would like to bring up the gifts.

01-28	4:00 PM	Donald Rogers – Joe & Sue Masi Sandra Janack Chase – The Janack Family Dot Woodworth – John & Shirl Crane
01-29	9:00 AM	John Barberis (6th Anniversary) – The Family Joseph & Mary Gatta – The Family Jean Stuart – Karen Schultheis
01-30	9:00 AM	Mass at Immaculate Conception
01-31	9:00 AM	Mass at Immaculate Conception
02-01	7:30 AM	Jean Stuart – Reggie Pelletier
02-02	7:30 AM	John Ezzo – Fr. Peter Russo and the Parishioners of St. Joseph’s
02-03	7:30 AM	Mass
02-04	4:00 PM	Marilyn Riggi – Lorraine Shiely & Daughters The Intentions of the Catechists & Youth Ministers – Grace & Pat
02-05	9:00AM	Rocco Patafio – The Zuppa Family Antonio Lauria – Nuria Wheeler Donald Rogers – The Sunday Morning Ushers Nellie Duncan – Trudi Lynch & Family

LITURGICAL MINISTERS – FEBRUARY 4TH AND 5TH, 2017

	4:00 PM	9:00 AM
LECTOR	K. DeMarco	R. Higgins
CUP 1	C. Gregoire	J. Guzewich
CUP 2	T. Neals	K. Gillette
BREAD 1	Celebrant	Celebrant
BREAD 2	K. Brooks	A. Seaver
BREAD 3	Deacon	Deacon
BREAD 4	J. Wilson	A. Stolle
CUP 3	L. Neals	C. O’Connor
CUP 4	C. Kukan	H. Burke
SERVER	J. Janack	E. Higgins
SERVER		W. Schnore
GREETER	P. & J. Wilson	T. & M. Windish

FINANCIAL STATISTICS 1/16-1/22/17

OFFERTORY	\$3,959.05	ENVELOPE USERS	147
CHILDREN’S	.75	ATTENDANCE	322
FUEL	65.00		
DEBT REDUCTION	82.00		
INITIAL	34.00		
YM FEES	105.00		
MEMORIALS	125.00		
DONATIONS	200.00		
MASS STIPENDS	<u>320.00</u>		
TOTAL INCOME	\$4,890.80	TOTAL EXPENSES	\$6,667.16

Next weekend's second collection will be our monthly **Debt Reduction** collection. Thank you for your generosity.



Remember in your prayers those members of our parish who are sick or suffering in any way, as well as those in hospitals and nursing homes and all of our shut-ins. We also pray for family, friends and those who have died recently, especially, **John Ezzo**, brother of Linda (Richard) Jones. We also pray for men and women in our armed forces who are serving our country.

Scripture Readings for the Week		
Mon. 01/30	Heb 11:32-40	Mk 5:1-20
Tues. 01/31	Heb 12:1-4	Mk 5:21-43
Wed. 02/01	Heb 12:4-7, 11-15	Mk 6:1-6
Thur. 02/02	Mal 3:1-4/Heb 2:14-18	Lk 2:22-40 or 2:22-32
Fri. 02/03	Heb 13:1-8	Mk 6:14-29
Sat. 02/04	Heb 13:15-17, 20-21	Mk 6:30-34
Sun. 02/05	Is 58:7-10	1 Cor 2:1-5
		Mt 5:13-16

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I will be stepping down from coordinating "Mary's Way of the Cross" and looking for someone to take over. This is presented at the church usually around the 4th or 5th Friday of Lent. All resources will be left at the Parish Office, and I will be happy to answer any questions. Thank you ~~ Claudia Gregoire (gardenlady@nycap.rr.com)

Christ Child Baby Collection - we will be collecting



baby items from January 22nd until February 26th. This will mark the 25th Anniversary of St. Joseph's participation in this wonderful program. The following new items are needed: receiving blankets, afghans/quilts, disposable diapers, booties, socks, undershirts, nightgowns, stretch suits, sweater/hat sets, crib sheets, bibs, baby lotion, baby wipes and outfits for a boy or girl. There is a crib set up in Holy Family Hall to accept your donations.



Join us to assemble the **Valentine Sweet Baskets** on **Sunday, February 12th** beginning at **12 noon** at the Parish Center. Anyone wishing to help is welcome to come! Boxes for donations are available in Holy Family Hall & the back entrance. Donations of mini baked goods & cookies may be dropped off at church the weekend of **Feb. 11th/12th** or brought directly to the Parish Center on **Feb. 9th or 12th**. We are also in need of people to deliver during the week of Feb. 12th. Please contact the office (346-2316) and leave your contact information if you are able to deliver a basket or two (this is a great activity for families!)

Why Register in the Church

Many people attend Mass here at our church, but are not registered parishioners. It is important to be registered and use your offertory envelopes so that if you need to request a letter, (whether it is for being a godparent, sponsor, marriage, tax statement or any other purpose), we can check our records and see that you attend Mass here.

If you are not registered in the church and would like to register, there are registration forms in Holy Family Hall, or you can call the parish office and we will mail you one.

	The Week Ahead
Thurs. 2/2	Pastoral Council - 7PM - C



The date has been set for our annual **Tag & Treasure Sale!** Mark your calendars **NOW** for **Friday & Saturday, May 19th & 20th** and begin setting aside items for our sale. Beginning this week, we will accept **books & jewelry** (these items only, please!) at the Parish Center during regular office hours. Please remember jewelry includes anything costume, vintage, broken, silver, gold, etc. More details (and the famous pink sheet!) will be coming at a later date.

St. Joseph's will be hosting a **Virtus Training** session on **Thursday, February 9th** from **9-11 am** at the Parish Center. This training is a Diocesan requirement for anyone who works or volunteers with the youth of our Parish and provides participants with information regarding signs & prevention of child abuse. This is a great opportunity for those who are considering to volunteer in any ministries of the Parish (you do not need to be currently involved with a ministry in order to attend). This session is for adults (age 18 & older) and no late arrivals, please. Anyone wishing to attend must register, in advance, at: www.virtusonline.org.



Her Potential is our Passion! Learn more about the Academy of the Holy Names at their Middle School Open House, Wednesday, February 8th at 6:30 PM. Register online at ahns.org or contact Ann Rento arento@ahns.org, 438-7895 x202. 1075 New Scotland Road, Albany.



Caution ~ Watch Your Step! Although we do our best to keep the parking lot and walkways clear of ice & snow, please use caution when walking around your car and entering/exiting church (sometimes conditions may change quickly during mass). The floors inside also become slippery from what is tracked in on shoes & boots.