ST. JOSEPH'S PARISH

October 15, 2017
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PSALM 23: 28TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, YEAR A



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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 OCTOBER 14^{TH} THROUGH OCTOBER 22^{ND} , 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.	the gifts.			
10-14	4:00 PM	Clementina & Carmine Mastroianni –		
		The Zuppa Family		
		Peter, Michael, & Frank Qualtieri – Mr.		
		& Mrs. Joseph Colwell		
		Susan Watson – The Family		
10-15	9:00 AM	Sylvia DeMarco – The DeMarco Family		
		Helen Swits (10th Anniversary) - The		
		DeMarco Family		
10-16	9:00 AM	Mass at Immaculate Conception		
10-17	9:00 AM	Mass at Immaculate Conception		
10-18	7:30 AM	Matthew B. Dippo – Aunt Debbie		
10-19	7 :30 AM	Mass		
10-20	7:30 AM	Mass		
10-21	4:00 PM	Mary & Joseph Gatta – The Family		
		Casey Norton – The Family		
		Susan Watson - The Family		
10-22	9:00 AM	Mass		

	Scripture Readings for the Week		
Mon. 10/16	Rom 1:1-7	Lk 11:29-32	
Tues. 10/17	Rom 1:16-25	Lk 11:37-41	
Wed. 10/18	2 Tm 4:10-17b	Lk 10:1-9	
Thur. 10/19	Rom 3:21-30	Lk 11:47-54	
Fri. 10/20	Rom 4:1-8	Lk 12:1-7	
Sat. 10/21	Rom 4:13, 16-18	Lk 12:8-12	
Sun. 10/22	Is 45:1, 4-6 1 Thes 1:1-5b	Mt 22:15-21	

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LITURGICAL MINISTERS – OCTOBER 21^{st} and 22^{ND} , 2017				
	4:00 PM	9:00 AM		
LECTOR	K. DeMarco	E. Yager		
CUP 1	J. Wilson	S. Casella		
CUP 2	S, Ernst	T. Cappuccitti		
BREAD 1	Celebrant	Celebrant		
Bread 2	T. Neals	D. Schoch		
Bread 3	L. Neals	D. Stec		
Bread 4	Deacon	Deacon		
CUP 3	C. Kukan	R. Higgins		
CUP 4	B. Corlew	J. Guzewich		
Server		K. Ostrander		
Server		J. Rudolph		
Greeter	S. Crane	T. Grasso & M. Zuppa		

FINANCIAL STATISTICS 10/2-10/8/17				
OFFERTORY	\$3,483.00	ENVELOPE USERS	128	
ELECTRONIC GIVING	2,290.00	ELECT.USERS	23	
FUEL	1,861.96	ATTENDANCE	435	
DEBT REDUCTION	50.00			
FF/YM FEES	900.00			
BLDG. RENTAL	825.00			
FUNDRAISING	21.80			
TOTAL INCOME	\$9,431.76	TOTAL EXPENSES	\$6,898.29	

Next weekend's second collection is the Diocesan collection for *World Mission Sunday.* Thank you for your generosity.

The Week Ahead		
Thurs. 10/19	Social Concerns – 7PM - R	
Thurs. 10/19	Baptismal Prep – 7PM – C	
	(Pre-registration required)	



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 **Gary**

Turnbull, brother of Linda (Elvio) Carboni. We also pray for men and women in our armed forces who are serving our country.



Deacon Stephen's oldest son, Gabriel, competed in a cross country invitational a week ago with over 170 runners. He came in 1st. **Congratulations!!!**



NCYC Raffle: Help support our young people on their journey to the National Catholic Youth Conference. Each Sunday

we will pull a winner in the raffle. Raffle tickets are **1** for **\$1** or **6** for **\$5**. This week the raffle is for **Longchamp stemmed glasses**. Non-winning tickets will stay in the pool for an opportunity to win next week. The winner of last week's drawing was **Linda Neals**. Make sure to get your tickets in for next week's drawing!

Volunteer Opportunity - City Mission City Mission Evening Meal -Can you join the team that will serve the evening meal at City Mission on Tuesday, October 24? This is a great opportunity to work with fellow parishioners and you will meet some wonderful people that come to the Mission for their evening meal. The start time is 5 PM and concludes at 6:30 PM. Be sure to bring a hat with you and wear sneakers. Please sign up by logging into the City Mission volunteer portal using this link http://stjoes.citymissionofschenectady.volunteerhub. com. Volunteers need to be signed up 5 days prior to the event, so please sign up by October 17th. If you need assistance with sign up, please contact Kathy **Brooks** on 518-280-1478 or by email brookska@nycap.rr.com.

The Social Concerns Committee is collecting items during the month of October for the **Catholic Charities Personal Care Closet.** Catholic Charities provides these items to their clients living with chronic illnesses as food stamps does not pay for these things. Please place the following in the blue collection box in Holy Family Hall: **Soap, Shampoo, Deodorant, Toothpaste, Shaving Items, Bath Tissue, Paper Towels, Facial Tissue.** Thank you.



Last chance for the Boscov's Discount Passes! Passes for the **October 17th** Boscov's discount shopping day are available at the Parish Office through Tuesday. Oct. 17th.

A reminder to all lectors to pick up your copy of the 2018 Lector Workbook in the back work sacristy. This workbook is an important resource for all Lectors to review their readings in advance of the date of their assignment.



Our next order for Hannaford Gift Cards is scheduled for *Tuesday, October* 17th. All orders must be at the Parish Office by *Monday, October* 16th at 10 am.

Order forms may be found on the bulletin board in Holy Family Hall and at the back entrance.



This weekend we will begin the *Children's Liturgy of the Word.* We are fortunate to have 4 teams in place and also to have some of the young adults of our parish assisting with the program. We will still

be actively seeking more individuals to get involved in order to keep this ministry running smoothly. If your child participates in the program, please consider helping in some way. This program is an important first step for children to learn about their faith. Please contact Deb Griffith at the office (518-346-2316) or email <u>dgriffith@albany.twcbc.com</u> for more information.

Day of Reflection for Men & Women "Contemplative Creativity"

Where: The Dominican Retreat & Conference Center When: October 22, 2017 Time: 11AM – 4PM Presenter: Claudia Gregoire, OPA Cost: \$30

Info/reservations call the center at 518-393-4169 Monday through Friday, 8:30 AM to 4:30 PM, email <u>dslcny@nybiz.rr.com</u> or visit <u>www.dslcny.org</u>.

The Schenectady Inner City Ministry (SICM) is holding its annual Harvest for the Pantry dinner as a fundraiser to support Food Pantry operations. This event will be held Sunday, November 5, 2017 from 4PM to 7PM at the First Reformed Church of Scotia. Ticket Price is \$30. Contact Jim Raymond at 518-428-2596 or the SICM Office 518-374-2683 to purchase tickets.



Catholic Charities is holding a second collection in parishes this weekend to benefit a Capital Campaign to help the working poor in the Albany Diocese with affordable housing, emergency

assistance and more. All donations will stay within the Diocese to help the poor and vulnerable close to home. For more information or to make an online donation visit www.ccrcda.org/campaign. Donation envelopes can be found on the table near the entrance to the church from HFH and at the back entrance.