

# ST. JOSEPH'S PARISH

SCOTIA, NEW YORK

MUSIC SELECTIONS: September 10, 2017  
 ENTRANCE HYMN 454  
 PREPARATION HYMN 652  
 COMMUNION HYMN 758S  
 RECESSIONAL 655  
 HYMN\*

## PSALM 95: 23RD 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 SEPTEMBER 9<sup>TH</sup> THROUGH SEPTEMBER 17<sup>TH</sup>, 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.

09-09	4:00 PM	<b>Peter J. Pecci, Jr. – The Family</b> <b>Antonio Lauria (1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary) –</b> Remo & Isabella Schiavone <b>John Layaou – Saturday Mass Ushers</b> <b>Susan Watson – The Family</b>
09-10	9:00 AM	<b>Frank Leffler – The Family</b> <b>Karen DeMarco – The DeMarco Family</b> <b>Salvatore Grasso – Trudi Lynch</b> <b>John Peterson – Toni Walsh</b>
09-11	9:00 AM	<b>Mass at Immaculate Conception</b>
09-12	9:00 AM	<b>Mass at Immaculate Conception</b>
09-13	7:30 AM	<b>Joan Klock – Former Rosarians</b>
09-14	7:30 AM	<b>Mass</b>
09-15	7:30 AM	<b>Mass</b>
09-16	4:00 PM	<b>Joan Semerad – The Family</b> <b>Susan Watson – The Family</b> <b>Anna LaCoppola (25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary) –</b> Granddaughter Aubrie
09-17	9:00 AM	<b>Claudine Lull-Barber (11<sup>th</sup> Anniversary) -</b> Mom and Dad <b>Marian Liroi – The Family</b> <b>John Peterson – The Holub Family</b>

### LITURGICAL MINISTERS – SEPTEMBER 16<sup>TH</sup> AND 17<sup>TH</sup>, 2017

	4:00 PM	9:00 AM
LECTOR	R. Higgins	E. Yager
CUP 1	T. Neals	D. Stec
CUP 2	J. Wilson	S. Casella
BREAD 1	Celebrant	Celebrant
BREAD 2	K. Brooks	T. Cappuccitti
BREAD 3	J. Masi	K. Gillette
BREAD 4	Deacon	Deacon
CUP 3	C. Kukan	A. Schnore
CUP 4	L. Neals	C. O'Connor
SERVER	A. Arocho	K. Ostrander
SERVER	L. Arocho	W. Schnore
GREETER	P. & J. Wilson	T. Grasso & M. Zuppa

### FINANCIAL STATISTICS 8/28-9/3/17

OFFERTORY	\$3,950.85	ENVELOPE USERS	120
ELECTRONIC GIVING	2,290.00	ELECT. USERS	23
CHILDREN'S	1.00	ATTENDANCE	272
DEBT REDUCTION	927.75		
MEMORIALS	285.00		
DONATION	75.00		
YM FEES	300.00		
STOLE FEES	100.00		
BLDG. RENTAL	825.00		
TOTAL INCOME	\$8,754.60	TOTAL EXPENSES	\$5,354.73

Next weekend's second collection will be our monthly **Building Maintenance** collection. Last month's collection amounted to **\$1,652** and **\$605** was used for various repair/maintenance items during the month of August.

### The Week Ahead

Tues. 9/12	Sandwich Making – 11AM - PC
Thurs. 9/14	Bereavement Committee – 7PM - R

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**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. We also pray for men and women in our armed forces who are serving our country.



**FARMER'S MARKET – TODAY!!!!** Please plan on stopping by the tables in Holy Family Hall today after mass and purchasing some fresh produce, herbs and baked goods!



This weekend we are having a second collection for Catholic Charities in order to aid those who have been affected by the recent Hurricane Harvey in the Texas/Louisiana area. Checks may be made payable to St. Joseph's Church with **"Storm Relief"** written on the memo line (we will be forwarding one check to Catholic Charities). Your generosity & prayers are greatly appreciated.

### SICM NEWS

**Empty Bowls Project – When:** Sunday 9/24 1-4 PM. **Where:** Hilton Doubletree Hotel, 100 Nott Terrace, Schenectady. RSVP by 9/20. Event information: [www.sicm.us](http://www.sicm.us) or email [carmengero@gmail.com](mailto:carmengero@gmail.com). You may also call the SICM office at 518-374-2683.

**Knights of Columbus 2017 Charity Golf Classic – When:** Saturday 9/30. **Where:** Edison Club, Rexford, NY. Event information: [www.sicm.us](http://www.sicm.us) or call Michael Kuban (518-720-7959). You may call the SICM office at 518-374-2683.

Can you join the team that will serve the evening meal at City Mission on Tuesday, September 19<sup>th</sup>? 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.citymissionofscheneectady.volunteerhub.com) <http://stjoes.citymissionofscheneectady.volunteerhub.com>. If you don't have computer access, a paper sign up sheet is posted on the bulletin board in Holy Family Hall. Questions? Contact Kathy Brooks on 280-1478 or by email [brookska@nycap.rr.com](mailto:brookska@nycap.rr.com).



Discount Passes (\$5) for the **October 17<sup>th</sup>** Boscov's discount shopping day are still available at the Parish Office. This pass entitles you to an average of 25% off most merchandise (see back of pass for complete details).



Please welcome **Braeden Hirtle**, son of James and Jennifer; and **Alula Peck-Gatta**, daughter of Joseph and Andrea. They will receive the Sacrament of Baptism on September 10<sup>th</sup>.

**Youth Ministry** – Grace Fay is still looking for catechists for the Youth Ministry Program – if you can help, please call Grace at 518-374-3382.

The following **two events** will be held at the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Glenville...

### Christ at the Center

This is an *adult-faith-enrichment evening* to be held on **Monday, September 18**. Join us at **6:30 PM** for light refreshments. At **7:00 PM** Bob Perron will begin his presentation.

### Living as Missionary Disciples

This is an interactive evening for catechists, youth ministers and volunteers working with children and youth in a parish setting. Join us at **6:30 PM** for light refreshments on **Tuesday, September 19**. At **7:00 PM** Bob Perron will begin his presentation.

\*Bob Perron is the Director of Youth and Young Adult Ministry in the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston, WV.

Our **8<sup>th</sup> Annual Ziti Dinner & Silent Auction** is around the corner and is scheduled for **Saturday, October 14<sup>th</sup>**! Sponsors, bakers, servers & auction items are needed ~there is something for everyone to get involved with. A mailing giving all the details (including the "pink" sheet) was sent out this past week to all registered parishioners ~ your response is needed to make this a success. Next weekend we will be set up for the sale of **50/50 tickets** as well as the **gas card raffle**.

**RCIA** will be held again this year with classes beginning soon. Please call the office (518-346-2316), Deacon Stephen Lape (518-429-6190) or Dan Stec (518-399-9649) to register. The RCIA classes are geared towards those who wish to become Roman Catholic or those who are baptized Roman Catholic but have not received the sacraments of Eucharist and/or Confirmation. We ask all parishioners to invite family, friends, co-workers and classmates to join us.

We were hoping to begin **Children's Liturgy of the Word** next weekend, **September 17<sup>th</sup>**, but will be unable to do so. Children's Liturgy of the Word is a short period of time when young children are brought to the back chapel and given the opportunity to learn the Gospel message at their level. We must have at least 4 teams in place to keep the program running (this makes the time commitment once per month for each team). At this time we have 2 teams. If you are a parishioner who enjoys working with young children, please consider assisting us. Please see the informational display & sign-up sheet in Holy Family Hall. If you have any other questions, please contact Deb Griffith at the office (518-346-2316) or email [dgriffith@albany.twcbc.com](mailto:dgriffith@albany.twcbc.com). **We will not start this program until we have 4 teams in place.**