

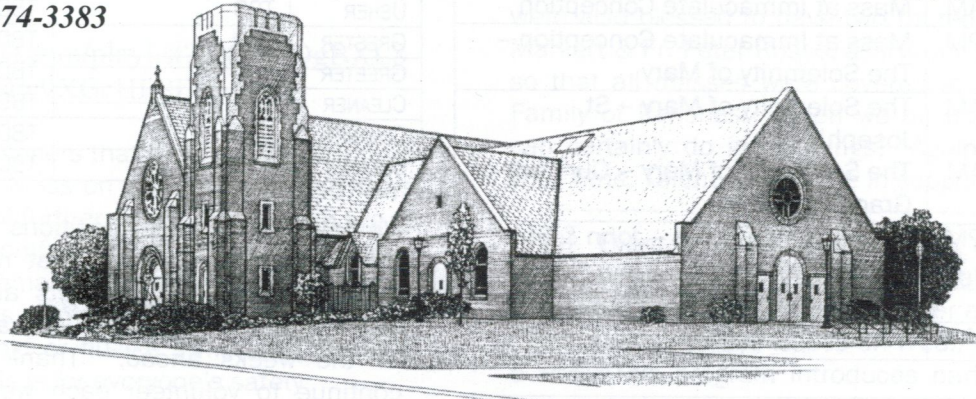
# **SAINT JOSEPH'S CHURCH**

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## **PASTORAL STAFF**

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*Debra Griffith, Pastoral Associate for Finance*

*Scott Sutherland, Pastoral Associate for Property Management*

*Trustee: Carol Reynolds*

*Office Hours: Monday-Thursday, 9:00 AM — 3:00 PM (Closed on Friday)*

### **HOLY EUCHARIST**

*Saturday Evening — 4:00 PM*

*Sunday Morning — 9:00 AM*

*Holy Days: as scheduled*

### **SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE**

*A registered parishioner who wishes to celebrate his or her marriage at St. Joseph's is asked to contact the Parish Office at least six months prior to the anticipated date (and before any other arrangements are made) in order to begin sacramental preparation.*

### **SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM**

*For registered members of the parish, baptism may be arranged during a weekend liturgy. Parents should contact the office to attend class in preparation for the sacrament of Baptism.*

### **SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION**

*The Sacrament of Reconciliation is available prior to any Saturday evening liturgy.*

### **SACRAMENT OF THE SICK**

*If you or someone in your family is going to the hospital for surgery, please request the Sacrament of Anointing by calling the Parish Office. Due to federal regulations, the parish is unable to access inpatient information from hospitals and nursing homes without your consent.*

### **NEW PARISHIONERS**

*Catholics moving into the area are invited to register in the parish by calling the parish office.*

**MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF  
JANUARY 9<sup>TH</sup>, 2021 THROUGH JANUARY 17<sup>TH</sup>, 2020**

01-09	4:00 PM	Maryann & Diamond Romano - Son
01-10	9:00 AM	Clara Coppola (2 <sup>nd</sup> Anniversary) - The Family Viola DeMarco - The Family Harman Swits (17 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary) - The Family Tony Lauria - Remo & Isabella Schiavone
01-11	9:00 AM	Mass at Immaculate Conception
01-12	9:00 AM	Mass at Immaculate Conception
01-13	9:00 AM	Mass at Immaculate Conception
01-14		No Mass
01-15		No Mass
01-16	4:00 PM	Phillip DeMaria - Daughter
01-17	9:00 AM	For all Parishioners

<b>LITURGICAL MINISTERS – JAN. 16/17, 2021</b>		
	4:00 PM	9:00 AM
LECTOR	D. Mayer	TBD
BREAD 1	Celebrant	Celebrant
BREAD 4	C. Kukan	A. Seaver
USHER	P. Shave	A. Mitchell
USHER	TBD	R. Schiavone
USHER	TBD	C. Reynolds
USHER	TBD	D. Stec
GREETER	M. Schwartz	T. Caldwell
GREETER	A. Swartz	TBD
CLEANER	M. Militano	T. Caldwell
CLEANER	TBD	S. Caldwell
CLEANER	TBD	TBD

We have **12 volunteer positions** (including lector and one Eucharistic minister) that need to be filled for each mass. Sign-up sheets are available in Holy Family Hall for each week. We have many empty slots for the weeks ahead. Thank you to those who continue to volunteer each week so that we may remain open ~ we could not continue to hold mass without you.

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**Parish Stewardship:** Our income for the period **Dec. 28, 2020-Jan. 3, 2021** amounted to **\$6,158.50** and expenses for the same period were **\$11,225.60**.

If attending mass in person, please drop your donations in the donation box on the way into mass. Any donation for a special Second Collection must be in a **separate envelope**, clearly marked for the designated collection. If you are unable to attend in person, but wish to continue support of your parish, contributions may be mailed or dropped off at our Parish Office at 45 MacArthur Drive, Scotia. It is also possible to set up direct payments through your banking institution. God bless you for your continued support & generosity.

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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, especially **Devin Lewis**, grandson of Barbara Lewis, **Roger Cottrell**, father of Christine (Mark) Tommasone, and **Leslie A. Pritchard**, sister of John Adair Altemus.. We also pray for men and women in our armed forces who are serving our country.



<b>Scripture Readings for the Week</b>	
Mon. 01/11	Heb 1:1-6 Mk 1:14-20
Tues. 01/12	Heb 2:5-12 Mk 1:21-28
Wed. 01/13	Heb 2:14-18 Mk 1:29-39
Thurs. 01/14	Heb 3:7-14 Mk 1:40-45
Fri. 01/15	Heb 4:1-5, 11 Mk 2:1-12
Sat. 01/16	Heb 4:12-16 Mk 2:13-17
Sun. 01/17	1 Sm 3:3b-10,19 1 Cor 6:13c-15a,17-20 Jn 1:35-42

**Sanctuary Candle**  
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	<b>The Week Ahead</b>
Tues. 1/12	<b>Sandwich Making – 9:00 AM - PC</b>



We currently live stream our **9 am mass** on Sunday mornings. The link to connect with our live stream is:

[https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLDgBXL8RT\\_55biUcsAofgB4w9XGcHR8DA](https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLDgBXL8RT_55biUcsAofgB4w9XGcHR8DA)

We remind all parishioners that the dispensation from obligation to attend Mass on Sundays and Holy Days **remains in force** until further notice. Those who are at risk or do not feel comfortable attending at this time, are encouraged to remain at home and participate via our live stream mass on YouTube. Please, if you are experiencing **ANY** cold or flu-like symptoms, **DO NOT COME TO MASS**. This is for everyone’s safety.



Our next order for Hannaford gift cards & reloads is scheduled for **Tuesday, January 12<sup>th</sup>**. Please contact Deb Griffith (518-810-8911)

by **Monday, January 11<sup>th</sup>** to have your gift card reloaded or to purchase a card. Thank you to all who support this ongoing fundraiser!



As our Christmas season comes to a close, we will be dismantling our sanctuary decorations after the 9:00 am mass **this weekend** (Jan. 10<sup>th</sup>). Anyone wishing to help, please stay or come after mass. Many hands make light work!

**Youth Ministry**

Reminders! Check the schedule for when your session meets. Remember that online and in-person sessions are not necessarily determined by parish. If you have questions, contact Grace Faye.

All retreats are currently postponed due to the virus. They will be rescheduled as virtual retreats.

Confirmation Candidates – please check in with your mentor this week. Also, please check the schedule for our next large group gathering.



It is that time of year again when we begin to gather supplies for our **“Valentine Sweet Baskets”**. This year will be more of a challenge due COVID, but if there ever has been a year that we need to reach out, this is the one!

We will need to limit the type of donations we are able to put into our boxes. **We will not be able to accept any homemade baked goods.** We will still accept donations of stickers, wrapped candy, cup-a-soup packets, individually wrapped tea bags, small bottles of hand lotions (travel-size), chapstick, purse-pack Kleenex & activity books. Individually wrapped **small** packages of cookies, crackers, pudding or jello cups & fruit cups would also be acceptable. There will be a box in Holy Family Hall for your donations or you may bring any donations to the Parish Office as well. We also need cards to put in the boxes. This is a great activity for the children of our parish to get involved in (when signing, please use first name only). If you know of someone who is homebound or has had a hardship in the last year that you think could use a cheerful winter surprise, please contact Debbie at the Parish Office by **Feb. 7<sup>th</sup>**. As we are aware of the extraordinary year that we have gone through, we will do our best to reach out to as many people as we possibly can.

***Crafting and Cooking with the Saints***

Are you looking for an easy, fun and interactive way to grow in Faith and connect in Community! This new series may be just what you are looking for! Once per month, join us Online via Facebook Live on the Immaculate Conception Facebook Page to participate in a guided tutorial, with an interesting Saint connection each month. We will alternate between a craft project and a cooking tutorial at 7PM on the last Thursday of the Month! These experiences are best suited for adults.

Anyone can join us, but to receive the craft kit or ingredient list to make at home while you watch you will need to sign up in advance. You can sign up using the form on Immaculate Conception’s website [www.icglenville.com](http://www.icglenville.com), by emailing [youthministry@icglenville.com](mailto:youthministry@icglenville.com) or calling 518-399-9203.

**January 28, 2021-DIY Wall Hanging inspiring by St. Thomas Aquinas quote** – Tutorial led by Maria Yorkshire. **Please sign up by January 24 to be sure you can pick up your craft kit in time.**

Save the Dates – 2/25-Cooking Tutorial, 3/25-Craft 4/29-Cooking tutorial

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