

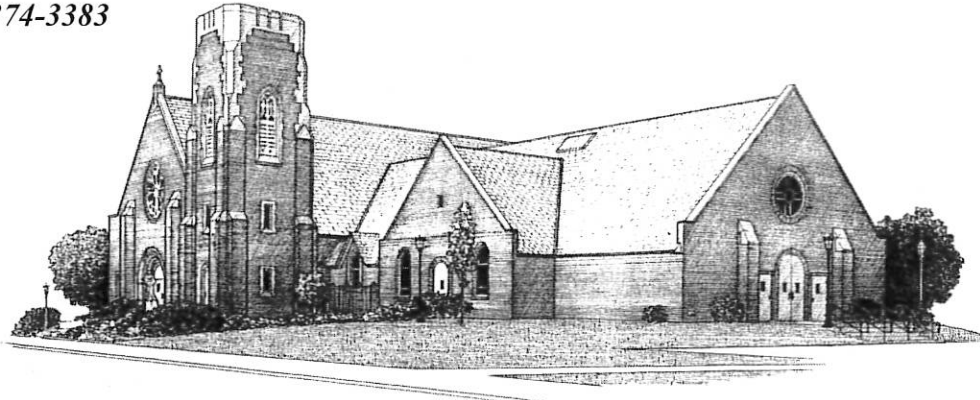
SAINT JOSEPH'S CHURCH

The Catholic Community of Scotia, N.Y.

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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 RECONCILIATION

The Sacrament of Reconciliation

is available prior to any

Saturday evening liturgy.

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 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
MAY 22ND, 2021 THROUGH MAY 30TH, 2021**

05-22	4:00 PM	The Parishioners of St. Joseph's
05-23	9:00 AM	Roberta Miller - The Family Betty & Datus Roberge - The Family
05-24	9:00 AM	Mass at Immaculate Conception
05-25	9:00 AM	Mass at Immaculate Conception
05-26	9:00 AM	Mass at Immaculate Conception
05-27		No Mass
05-28		No Mass
05-29	4:00 PM	Claudine Lull-Barber - Mom & Dad
05-30	9:00 AM	Reggie Barnes - The Family Helen Drzewicki - Cathy & Jerry Irene Civitello - Joe & Sue Masi

LITURGICAL MINISTERS - MAY 29 TH /30 TH		
	4:00 PM	9:00 AM
LECTOR	M.A. Arcesi	K. DeMarco
BREAD 1	Celebrant	Celebrant
BREAD 4	TBD	A. Seaver
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USHER	TBD	A. Mitchell
GREETER	M. Schwartz	P. Johnson
GREETER	A. Schwartz	TBD
CLEANER	TBD	T. Caldwell
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Sign-up sheets are available in Holy Family Hall for each week. 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.

Scripture Readings for the Week		
Mon. 05/24	Gn 3:9-15	Jn 19:25-34
Tues. 05/25	Sir 35:1-12	Mk 10:28-31
Wed. 05/26	Sir 36:1, 4-5a, 10-17	Mk 10:32-45
Thurs. 05/27	Sir 42:15-25	Mk 10:46-52
Fri. 05/28	Sir 44:1, 9-13	Mk 11:11-26
Sat. 05/29	Sir 51:12cd-20	Mk 11:27-33
Sun. 05/30	Dt 4:32-34, 39-40	Rom 8:14-17 Mt 28:16-20



Financial News: Parish Income (all sources) for the period **May 10th - 16th** amounted to **\$5,979.46**. If attending mass in person, please drop your donation 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, contributions may be mailed or dropped off at our Parish Office at 45 MacArthur Drive, Scotia or you may also consider an **autopay** option with your banking institution to continue your support of St. Joseph's.

Please Note: When attending mass at another parish, please be sure your envelope is clearly marked for "St. Joseph's, Scotia". In doing so, your donation will come back and support your parish. This is very important in these times of attending other masses due to limited mass attendance and time change. Your support of St. Joseph's is greatly appreciated & needed at this time.



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 **Irene Civitello**, sister of Maggie Brazell, Donna (Bob) Lull and Barbara (Rick) Devine. We pray for men and women in our armed forces who are serving our country.

**Sanctuary Candle Lit in Honor of Bryce
Requested by Cecilia Dillman**



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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



Evening of Exploration of the Blessed Mother: Please join Patty and Grace at a virtual meeting on **Tuesday, May 25th at 7pm** in this exploration of the Blessed Mother through different mysteries of the rosary, breaking them open to discuss

what they mean to us today, and how knowing how Mary lived her life on earth can be an inspiration to us today as she continually points us to her Son. This is a completely different retreat than was offered last year on the Blessed Mother. All are welcome to join us. Email Grace if you are interested in joining, olgsjym@gmail.com

Albany NY Chapter of Magnificat (a Ministry to Catholic Women) is hosting a Women's **Visitation** (a virtual event) on **Saturday, June 5** from 10:00 AM – 11:00 AM on Zoom. Join us in prayer, praise and worship, a meditation by F. Michael Flannery and a witness talk. Our Witness Speaker is **Sally Gilpin**. Sally is a cradle Catholic. God has been faithful throughout many life challenges and multiple losses. She became involved in the Charismatic Renewal in 1979 and began the journey of a deeper relationship with God and a lifetime of being healed and praying for others. She is currently on the advisory board for the Catholic Charismatic Renewal of Schools of Healing Prayer. Sally worked as a psychiatric social work practitioner and was the administrator of a mental health clinic. Most recently, she was clinical supervisor for hospice social workers in Albany County. She now lives near her daughter and granddaughter and attends St. Edward the Confessor Catholic Church in Clifton Park. This a Free Event – register online at: www.magnificat-ministry.org/ny-albany; or www.facebook.com/albanymagnificat; or email us at albanymagnificat@gmail.com and you will be sent the Zoom link. Questions, call Diane Bigos @ 518-810-1310.



The **Parish Office** will be **closed May 31st** in honor of Memorial Day.



If you run into **Fr. Jerry** today, wish him a happy birthday!



The **Diocesan Appeal** (formerly The Bishop's Appeal), had a late kickoff last year in July 2020 due to the pandemic. The Appeal has also moved permanently to a full 12-month funding cycle of July to June which means the **2020-21 Appeal will be closing on June 30, 2021!** God calls us **ALL** to philanthropy to the Church through weekly support of our parish offertory & annual support of the Diocesan Appeal – you may not be aware of all the ways a strong Diocese impacts us at the parish level, but it does! We all benefit. Be part of it and please don't just leave it for someone else to do. If you were a recent donor between 2017 and 2019, you should have received multiple mailings asking for support - **please make your gift using your mailed materials to expedite processing today!** If you have not received a mailing and want to join in support, make a gift online at donate.thediocesanappeal.org or contact the Parish Office for an envelope. As of May 14th, we have been credited with **133 gifts/pledges** totaling **\$40,814.60** toward our assessment goal of **\$60,910**. Thank you to all who have given to this important Appeal.



Please be aware that until New York State and the Roman Catholic Diocese of Albany update inside mask regulations, we will continue to follow the protocols we currently have in place. Thank you for your patience & understanding.



On **Pentecost**, we celebrate the birthday of the Church, that glorious moment the Holy Spirit “appeared to them tongues as of fire, which parted and came to rest on each one of them.” In the Holy Spirit, God dwells not just among us but within us.

Catholic Singles and Friends Weekend, June 18-20. The weekend takes place at Pyramid Life Center, a beautiful camp and lodge run by the Diocese of Albany in Paradox, NY. This is an all-inclusive social weekend in a beautiful setting at a great price. Register directly at www.pyramidlife.org or, for more info, email your inquiry to cathsing@yahoo.com.

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