



TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

October 3, 2021

Monday, October 4

No Scheduled Mass

Tuesday, October 5

8:30am (SE) - Prosper Barber by Faithful Parishioners

Followed by Eucharistic Holy Hour

Wednesday, October 6

No Scheduled Mass

Thursday, October 7

5:15pm (SPJ) - Communion Service

Followed by Recitation of the Rosary

Friday, October 8

8:30am (SPN) - Damian Kennedy

by Michael & Genevieve Griffin

Followed by Eucharistic Holy Hour

Saturday, October 9

4:30pm (SE) - Msgr. Peter Riani

by George & Laurie Pulsifer

Sunday, October 10

8:30am (SPN) - Madeline Huchro

by Bruce & Nona Hoskins

10:30am (SPJ) - Pro Populo

(SE) = St. Elizabeth, Elizabethtown
(SPJ) = St. Philip of Jesus, Willsboro
(SJ) = St. Joseph, Essex
(SPN) = St. Philip Neri, Westport

Readings for the Week of October 4

Monday: Jon 1:1—2:2, 11/Jon 2:3-5, 8/Lk 10:25-37
Tuesday: Jon 3:1-10/Ps 130:1-4, 7-8/Lk 10:38-42
Wednesday: Jon 4:1-11/Ps 86:3-6, 9-10/Lk 11:1-4
Thursday: Mal 3:13-20b/Ps 1:1-4, 6/Lk 11:5-13
Friday: Jl 1:13-15; 2:1-2/Ps 9:2-3, 6, 16, 8-9/Lk 11:15-26
Saturday: Jl 4:12-21/Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 11-12/Lk 11:27-28
Next Sunday: Wis 7:7-11/Ps 90:12-17/Heb 4:12-13/Mk 10:17-30

SANCTUARY CANDLES for Week of October 3—October 9

St Philip of Jesus – Intentions of the parishioners

St Elizabeth's – For Persecuted Christians

by Harold Dean & Dorothy McDevitt

St Philip Neri—Intentions of the parishioners

To reserve the candle, please submit

- 1) the memorial/honor names,
- 2) donor name, if desired, &
- 3) church name, with \$10 contribution to our parish office at Willsboro.

Last Weekend's Collection

Saint Elizabeth

Envelopes: \$700.00; Plate: \$10.00

Total: \$710.00

Saint Philip Neri

Envelopes: \$571.00; Plate: \$93.00

Total: \$664.00

St Philip of Jesus/St Joseph

Envelopes: \$855.00; Plate: \$91.00

Fuel: \$10.00; Donation: \$25.00

Total: \$981.00

All Souls Day Collection: \$10.00

REMINDERS:

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2. Music Concert hosted by MJM7 Catholic Family Band will be at St. Elizabeth's Parish Hall in Elizabethtown this Sunday October 3rd at 7 pm. Even though this event is free, Donations are accepted for their continuous ministry. **Please wear your masks for your safety and others. Thank you**

3. **LECTORS:** I really appreciate your kind service in helping with Holy Eucharist. In any case, if you are not able to be present on any Weekend, please let me or deacon know beforehand and that way we could arrange someone. Schedules for E-Town and Westport are at the back of the Church for next three months.

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FROM THE PASTOR'S JOURNAL...

“No way...” was the first response of my mother when I told her my intention to join this Missionary Society of Latin Rite, especially also when she noted that I might have to go far away to Indian States and abroad for my priestly ministry. Certainly, one could understand the sentiments and worries of a mother when it comes to her children going so far away despite their age. Sincerely... she never meant to hurt my feelings when she said “No”, but I knew it was just her overprotectiveness, love and of course a bit concerned about my safety and other reasons only she might know. They are all just natural and on the other side, I believe she might have wanted me to be a Syro-Malabar Rite priest. I say this because “Tradition” matters a lot for my parents’ generation especially when it comes to our faith, having such a root in Syro-Malabar rite tradition which is tracing all the way back to St. Thomas... who brought Christianity to our State. The faith is strong especially with the older generation back in my state but, I am a bit concerned over the young generation of our times as they tend to overlook the importance of faith in their lives. But we trust in God’s ways and set an example for them to return to faith. Now, as for me it was just all about convincing my mother that my decision was ok, which was not so easy...

With Love and Prayers, ✨ **Fr. J.T.**

A word of “**WELCOME**” to Fr. Flynn as he is covering this weekend for me. **Thank you.**

PASTORAL COUNCIL MEMBERS 2021

Elizabethtown: Mike Doyle, Dan Alexander/Gayle Alexander, Jim Dawson; **Westport:** Bill Kelly, Marianne Dubay, Elissa Duso **Willsboro:** Susan Carver, Larry Trzaskos, Mary Ellen Wukovits
Thank you to all the members for considering to be part of the pastoral council. Appreciate it very much and if any of you have any concerns or questions, please feel free to reach out to me or Deacon.
Trustees remain the same for each parish.

MINISTRIES SUPPORTED BY GIFTS TO THE BISHOP'S FUND APPEAL

Bishop's Good Samaritan Fund

Through your generosity, the Good Samaritan Fund enables Bishop LaValley to provide Christian charity, an ongoing good work of the Church, to people in the North Country who are experiencing particular financial difficulty.

Tuition Assistance Program

Financially supports parents in their efforts to provide their children with a quality Catholic school education.

Campus Ministry Program

Supports Campus Ministries at the nine colleges located throughout our Diocese.

Matching Gifts to Catholic Schools

Dispenses the matching grants to Catholic Schools.

Office of the New Evangelization

The Diocesan Office of the New Evangelization exists to assist parishes, groups and individuals to become aware of the need for evangelization and to empower every baptized Catholic to become a disciple who shares the faith with others. Following the document of the US Bishops *Go and Make Disciples*, a National Plan and Strategy for Catholic Evangelization in the United States, the Office of the New Evangelization has three goals:

1. To bring about in all Catholics such an enthusiasm for their faith that, in living their faith in Jesus, they freely share it with others;
2. To invite all people in the United States, whatever their social or cultural background, to hear the message of salvation in Jesus Christ so they may come to join us in the fullness of the Catholic faith;
3. To foster gospel values in our society, promoting the dignity of the human person, the importance of the family, and the common good of our society, so that our nation may continue to be transformed by the saving power of Jesus Christ.

HOLY HOUR WITH SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

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God Bless you all.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

ANIMA CHRISTI

Soul of Christ, sanctify us.

Body of Christ, save us.

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Water from the side of Christ, wash us.

Passion of Christ, strengthen us.

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And bid us come to you,

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Forever and ever. Amen.



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Stand up for LIFE at this year's LIFECHAIN SUNDAY, OCTOBER 3

Join in the 34th annual peaceful, prayerful, public, pro-life witness to the sanctity of life. Rain or shine. All faiths welcome.


LOCATIONS

Plattsburgh - Smithfield Blvd at Route 3
2:30 p.m. to 3:30

Potsdam - Market Street at Main Street
2:30 p.m. to 3:30

Saranac Lake - Bandshell Park at River St.
2:30 p.m. to 3:30

For information about the LIFECHAIN in your area:
www.lifechain.org





**TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME**

October 10, 2021

Monday, October 11

8:30am (SPJ) - Joe Barnaby by Jeanne Bechard

Tuesday, October 12

8:30am (SE) - Special Intentions for the Living & Deceased Members of the Barber Family by Faithful Parishioners

Followed by Eucharistic Holy Hour

Wednesday, October 13

No Scheduled Mass

Thursday, October 14

5:15pm (SPJ) - Joe Kister by Nancy Kister

Confessions Follow Mass until 6:30pm

Friday, October 15

St. Teresa of Jesus, Virgin and Doctor of the Church

8:30am (SPN) - Bob Carroll

by Michael & Genevieve Griffin

Followed by Eucharistic Holy Hour

Saturday, October 16

4:30pm (SE) - Pro Populo

Sunday, October 17

8:30am (SPN) - Florence McClure by Christine Carpenter

10:30am (SPJ) - Marilyn Lloyd by Peg Sheehan

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Readings for the Week of October 11

Monday: Rom 1:1-7/Ps 98:1-4/Lk 11:29-32

Tuesday: Rom 1:16-25/Ps 19:2-5/Lk 11:37-41

Wednesday: Rom 2:1-11/Ps 62:2-3, 6-7, 9/Lk 11:42-46

Thursday: Rom 3:21-30/Ps 130:1-6/Lk 11:47-54

Friday: Rom 4:1-8/Ps 32:1-2, 5, 11/Lk 12:1-7

Saturday: Rom 4:13, 16-18/Ps 105:6-9, 42-43/Lk 12:8-12

Next Sunday: Is 53:10-11/Ps 33:4-5, 18-20, 22/Heb 4:14-16
Mk 10:35-45

SANCTUARY CANDLES

for Week of October 10 – October 16

St Philip of Jesus – Intentions of the parishioners

St Elizabeth's – Special Intentions for the Living & Deceased Members of the Hutchins Family by Cheryl Hutchins

St Philip Neri – Intentions of the parishioners

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Last Weekend's Collection

Saint Elizabeth

Envelopes: \$665.00; Plate: \$85.00

Total: \$750.00

Saint Philip Neri

Envelopes: \$1,110.00; Plate: \$195.00

Total: \$1,305.00

St Philip of Jesus/St Joseph

Envelopes: \$1,565.00; Plate: \$60.00

Fuel: \$454.00

Total: \$2,079.00

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ENVIRONMENTAL STEWARDSHIP



Falling Leaves

Care of Creation
rcdony.org/aboutdiocese/laudato-s.html

What about all those leaves? Consider purchasing paper bags instead of plastic for leaf collection, or collect the leaves and compost for fertilizer for next year. ...a small gift of thanks to the earth that will reduce pollution and the use of fossil fuel used to produce those plastic bags.



From September 22 to October 31, (7am- 7pm) you're invited to join other Christians for 40 Days for Life – 40 days of prayer and fasting for an end to abortion. You're also invited to stand and peacefully pray during a 40-day vigil in the public right-of-way outside Planned Parenthood of the North Country, 66 Brinkerhoff Street, Plattsburgh, NY and also to help spread the word about this important community outreach. If you'd like more information – and especially if you'd like to volunteer to help, please contact: **Nancy Belzile, 518-593-6024, nancys_56@hotmail.com or www.40daysforlife.com/Plattsburgh**

FROM THE PASTOR'S JOURNAL...

Honestly, I am not so sure how I convinced my mother about my wish to join this Society, though my father left it for me to choose. I must have made some statements like look at St. Thomas, he had to leave his country to come to our place and I'm sure that his parents must have had lots of worries for him as he took a great voyage through the sea. Though it's a great argument and makes a point, this is not exactly what I said at that time but in any case, she had to agree with me, and it took a lot of faith from her side to consent to my desire. So, we went together one day to this retreat house belonging to this society at that time which was like 30 miles from home to enroll my name. One of their priests interviewed me and finally he asked if they were to take me, there were two choices of Minor Seminaries where I will be starting my priestly formation. One was in my neighboring State (a day of travel by bus or train) and another was two days by train in a farther State. Naturally, most tend to remain close to their home State, but I guess I was a bit more adventurous then and hence I chose the second option. I can only imagine the look my mother gave me when I expressed my choice. It was like she was asking herself "What's wrong with my 14-year-old boy?" God only knew.

With Love and Prayers,  **Fr. J.T.**

Things to Ponder....

**Good words are worth much...
...and cost little!**

MINISTRIES SUPPORTED BY GIFTS TO THE BISHOP'S FUND APPEAL

Department of Worship

Offers assistance in areas of worship, of church art and architecture, and of music and liturgy. Its primary purpose is to help parishes implement the liturgical norms of the Roman Catholic Church, as well as, to be available as a resource for liturgical celebrations and formation throughout the Diocese.

Education of Seminarians

Enables our seminarians to pursue God's call to the priesthood by assisting with tuition, room and board and medical insurance.

Continuing Education and Formation of Priests

Conducts programs and conferences that support the on-going formation and education of the priests for the Diocese.

Priests' Graduate Studies

Provides graduate studies for priests in sacramental theology, Scripture, moral theology, Canon Law, and counseling, among other areas of concentration where the Bishop would see a need.

Vocation Office

In keeping with the diocesan priority of creating a culture of vocation, the vocations office assists parishes in their vocation ministry, promotes the universal vocation to holiness and mission and fosters and promotes Church vocations to the ministerial priesthood and to the consecrated life in the Diocese of Ogdensburg.

Permanent Deacons

Facilitates assignments and retreats, and organizes ministerial activities and continuing education opportunities.

Deacon Formation

Provides the spiritual, pastoral, personal and academic formation of candidates who are discerning a vocation to the permanent diaconate.

Formation for Ministry Program

Provides academic, pastoral and spiritual formation for sponsored persons called to ministry in their local parishes or in a recognized pastoral ministry within the Diocese of Ogdensburg.



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Will continue the list in ensuing bulletins....



**TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME**

October 17, 2021

Monday, October 18 – St. Luke, Evangelist

8:30am (SPJ) - Joe Barnaby by Jeanne Bechard

Tuesday, October 19

St John de Brebeuf & St Isaac Jogues

Priests, and Companions, Martyrs

8:30am (SE) - Special Intentions for All Those Facing Addictions by Faithful Parishioners

Followed by Eucharistic Holy Hour

Wednesday, October 20

No Scheduled Mass

Thursday, October 21

5:15pm (SPJ) - John & Elizabeth Maloney

by Pat & Peggy Maloney

Confessions Follow Mass until 6:30pm

Friday, October 22

8:30am (SPN) - Sherryl Seeley

by Michael & Genevieve Griffin

Followed by Eucharistic Holy Hour

Saturday, October 23

4:30pm (SE) - Msgr. Francis White

by George & Laurie Pulsifer

Sunday, October 24

8:30am (SPN) - Florence McClure by Christine Carpenter

10:30am (SPJ) - Pro Populo

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Readings for the Week of October 18

Monday: 2 Tim 4:10-17b/Ps 145:10-13, 17-18/Lk 10:1-9

Tuesday: Rom 5:12, 15b, 17-19, 20b-21/Ps 40:7-10, 17/Lk 12:35-38

Wednesday: Rom 6:12-18/Ps 124:1-8/Lk 12:39-48

Thursday: Rom 6:19-23/Ps 1:1-4, 6/Lk 12:49-53

Friday: Rom 7:18-25a/Ps 119:66, 68, 76-77, 93-94/Lk 12:54-59

Saturday: Rom 8:1-11/Ps 24:1-6/Lk 13:1-9

Next Sunday: Jer 31:7-9/Ps 126:1-6/Heb 5:1-6/Mk 10:46-52

SANCTUARY CANDLES

for Week of October 17 – October 23

St Philip of Jesus – Special Intentions for Gordon &

Eunice LeClair in Honor of their

59th Anniversary by Sara Spring

St Elizabeth’s – For the Protection and in Memory of the Unborn by Harold Dean & Dorothy McDevitt

St Philip Neri–Intentions of the parishioners

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Envelopes: \$726.00; Plate: \$75.00

Total: \$802.00

Saint Philip Neri

Envelopes: \$1,325.00; Plate: \$73.00

Total: \$1,398.00

St Philip of Jesus/St Joseph

Envelopes: \$724.00; Plate: \$126.00

Fuel: \$125.00

Total: \$975.00

**“WE CANNOT BUT SPEAK
ABOUT WHAT WE HAVE
SEEN AND HEARD”**

[ACTS 4:20]

2021

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

SECOND COLLECTION NEXT WEEKEND

NEXT WEEKEND we will celebrate World Mission Sunday. Pope Francis invites the entire Church to support mission dioceses in Africa, Asia, the Pacific Islands, and parts of Latin America and Europe, where priests, religious and lay leaders serve the world’s most vulnerable communities. Please keep the Pope’s missions in your prayers and be generous in next week’s collection for the Society for the Propagation of the Faith.



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2. **SANCTUARY CANDLES & FLOWERS:** Apart from the sanctuary candles that are lit for your intentions each week, you are more than welcome to offer flowers for the weekend Mass at each church in honor of your loved ones as well. You could bring the flowers yourself to the church and place them before the altar or you could contact the office with your donation and we will fulfill that for you. The occasion could be anything that really matters in your life like in honor of someone who passed away, your birthday (family members or friends) or your anniversaries etc. If you wish we could have your name published in the bulletin.

3. **SACRED SILENCE:** I certainly understand and love the aspect of socializing with others especially when we are seeing someone after a week in the Church. But I really appreciate if this could be done outside the Church and respect the others who are praying in the Church before Mass by maintaining a sacred silence.

4. **BISHOPS FUND UPDATE:** St. Elizabeth’s have reached **75%** of its goal, St. Philip Neri, Westport **95%**, and St. Philip of Jesus, Willsboro **45%**. Thank you.

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FROM THE PASTOR’S JOURNAL...

“**Waiting**” for someone, something or for a reply to an important mail, email or even a text message can be so hard for most of us especially when we live in an instant world where we want everything instantly. I can only imagine the anxiety of a student who waits for the exam results or a patient waiting for his or her test (lab) results from the hospital. Lists go on and you could add on to it. It was not so different in my case as I was waiting to hear a reply from the interview I had with the priest. You know the feeling of “what if” and I guess that’s where our faith is tested, where we have to try hard to place our complete trust in God and his plan for us. The Scripture states “For I know well the plans I have in mind for you—plans for your welfare and not for woe, so as to give you a future of hope” (Jer 29:11). Patience is the mother of all virtues and its bitter, but its fruit is sweet. Patience is not just about waiting, but the ability to keep good attitude while waiting. The longer we wait for something, the more we appreciate it when we get it, because anything worth having always is worth the wait. After about two weeks, I received the call affirming that I could join the society. The Lord is always kind and merciful.

With Love and Prayers, ✨ **Fr. J.T.**

Things to Ponder....

Look for opportunities to show praise...

...and appreciation!

From Bishop Terry R. LaValley...

Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ,

World Mission Sunday – the annual, worldwide Eucharistic celebration for the Missions of the Church – will be on **October 24** this year. This important day in the life of the Church Universal fortifies our understanding of our shared call to mission, bestowed upon us at Baptism.

Pope Francis’ message for World Mission Sunday reflects on the theme: “**We cannot but speak about what we have seen and heard**” (Acts 4:20). The Holy Father shares his zeal, reminding us that, “as Christians, we cannot keep the Lord to ourselves,” as we “recall with gratitude all those men and women who by their testimony of life help us to renew our baptismal commitment to be generous and joyful apostles of the Gospel.” He invites us to speak of our faith!

World Mission Sunday provides us with that very opportunity. We can speak about our faith and respond to our missionary call – *through prayer, participation in the Eucharist, and giving generously* to the collection for the **Society for the Propagation of the Faith**. Your gifts support and sustain priests, religious and lay pastoral leaders in more than 1,100 mission dioceses in Asia, Africa, the Pacific Islands, and parts of Latin America and Europe as they proclaim the Gospel, build the Church, serve the poor – and speak of our shared faith in all corners of the world.

“The global pandemic has brought to the fore and amplified the pain, the solitude, the poverty, and the injustices experienced by so many people,” reminds Pope Francis. This year, as the world recovers from the loss and the challenges that resulted, let us respond with generous hearts.

Thank you for helping us to reach out in solidarity and support for the Mission Church, and the work and witness of missionaries.

In this spirit, I offer my personal gratitude for your kind missionary heart, reaching out in love throughout Mission Month and beyond.



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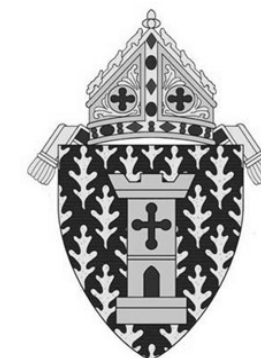
That with your saints we may praise you

Forever and ever. Amen.

Faithfully yours in Christ,

Most Reverend Terry R. LaValley

Bishop of Ogdensburg





**THIRTIETH SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME**
October 24, 2021

Monday, October 25

8:30am (SPJ) - John A Wukovits Jr.
by Maryellen Wukovits

Tuesday, October 26

8:30am (SE) - All Souls in Purgatory
by Faithful Parishioners

Followed by Eucharistic Holy Hour

Wednesday, October 27

No Scheduled Mass

Thursday, October 28-Saints Simon & Jude, Apostles

5:15pm (SPJ) - Roger Belzile by Nancy Belzile
Confessions Follow Mass until 6:30pm

Friday, October 29

8:30am (SPN) - Shirley Shamel
by Michael & Genevieve Griffin

Followed by Eucharistic Holy Hour

Saturday, October 30

4:30pm (SE) - Pro Populo

Sunday, October 31

8:30am (SPN) - Brian Mousseau by Christine Carpenter
10:30am (SPJ) - Deceased Members of the Carver Family
by Sue & John Carver

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Readings for the Week of October 25

Monday: Rom 8:12-17/Ps 68:2, 4, 6-7, 20-21/Lk 13:10-17
Tuesday: Rom 8:18-25/Ps 126:1-6/Lk 13:18-21
Wednesday: Rom 8:26-30/Ps 13:4-6/Lk 13:22-30
Thursday: Eph 2:19-22/Ps 19:2-5/Lk 6:12-16
Friday: Rom 9:1-5/Ps 147:12-15, 19-20/Lk 14:1-6
Saturday: Rom 11:1-2a, 11-12, 25-29/Ps 94:12-15, 17-18
Lk 14:1, 7-11
Next Sunday: Dt 6:2-6/Ps 18:2-4, 47, 51/Heb 7:23-28/Mk 12:28b-34

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Envelopes: \$692.00; Plate: \$75.00
Total: \$767.00

World Mission Sunday-Propagation of the Faith: \$50.00

Saint Philip Neri

Envelopes: \$1,639.00; Plate: \$100.00
Total: \$1,739.00

St Philip of Jesus/St Joseph

Envelopes: \$695.00; Plate: \$72.00
Donation for Flowers: \$100.00
Total: \$867.00



TODAY IS WORLD MISSION SUNDAY. We celebrate this day by remembering our baptismal call – to bring the Gospel to all! The collection today for the Society for the Propagation of the Faith supports the work and witness

of the Mission Church, as it provides for priests, religious and lay leaders who offer the Lord's mercy and concrete help to the most vulnerable communities in the Pope's missions. Thank you for your generosity.

REMINDERS:

SANCTUARY CANDLES & FLOWERS: Apart from the sanctuary candles that are lit for your intentions each week, you are more than welcome to offer flowers for the weekend Masses at every church in honor of your loved ones as well. You could bring the flowers yourself to the church and place them before the altar or you could contact the office with your donation and we will fulfill that for you. The occasion could be anything that really matters in your life like in honor of someone who passed away, your Birthday (family members or friends) or your anniversaries etc. If you wish we could have your name published in the Bulletin as well.

VOTIVE CANDLES: Why do we burn? The burning flame of a votive candle is a visible way to express our desire to remain present to the Lord in prayer. A lit votive candle visually recalls that "flame of faith" in a person's heart, and thus is appropriate to represent the individual's heartfelt intentions. The symbolism reminds us that our prayer is before God, allowing our souls to be filled with His light, and letting that light continue to burn in our souls even though we may physically be performing other activities. Please make use of the votive candle stand in every parish for your intentions and others and your small donations help us to refill them. Thank you



Closing ceremony for the Plattsburgh Fall Campaign will be Wednesday, October 27 at 10am, 66 Brinkerhoff Street. All are invited.

FROM THE PASTOR'S JOURNAL...

"Excitement..." is definitely a nice feeling on good moral grounds. Every one of us gets excited for many reasons as it varies from person to person. The foundation of every excitement could be the joy that comes from within. For instance like, a Couple getting excited for their wedding day, for their first newborn baby, Students getting excited for their good exam results, Excitement that comes from surprised visits of the children and family members after a long time, Excitement of a seminarian or a deacon on their Ordination Day etc. Just think about how your life went through all those phases. Not the least, how about when I say getting excited to go to Church on every Sunday or weekend to witness our faith and to receive all the blessings we need to grow in Holiness (if not please try your best). All in all, we like to have a life full of excitements even though that's far from reality. But knowing that God is with us on every step of our way is really comforting. In any case years ago, my excitement had no boundaries when I got the confirmation to join the Society and of course looking forward to my first long train trip (two days) to the seminary in another far away state. I think that also initiated my passion to travel around to see things, cultures, life-style, making new relationships with people you never imagined and certainly to admire the beauty of God's creation.

With Love and Prayers, ✨ Fr. J.T.

Things to Ponder.....

It is never foolish to forgive!

MINISTRIES SUPPORTED BY GIFTS TO THE BISHOP'S FUND APPEAL...final episode!

Department of Faith Formation

Through its central office in Ogdensburg and the regional offices in Watertown and Ogdensburg, it assists parishes in establishing and maintaining religious education and formation programs for children and adults. For those who wish to become religious educators the Department provides the catechetical leader/catechist formation program with the end result being a certified catechetical leader/catechist qualified to work in catechetical formation and education in parishes.

Diocesan Center of Youth Ministry

Dedicated to be the traveling companion of our young people on the road of life and it is incumbent upon us as a Church community to nurture, guide, and support these young disciples. The Office of Youth Ministry is committed to providing the parishes of the Diocese with the support and resources needed to build and sustain youth-centered, parish-based youth ministry programs. The Office of Youth Ministry operates Camp Guggenheim, the Youth Rally, Diocesan Youth Council, Leadership Weekend, and several annual regional retreats.

Young Adult Ministry

Assists and encourages young adults in their 20s and 30s to deepen their relationship with God through Jesus Christ, to the Church & her mission and to form a peer community to further support and nurture their faith. Young Adult ministry is all about connecting and building relationships: with Jesus, with the Church and with each other. To this end the Office of Young Adult ministry facilitates the creation of Regional Young Adult Groups and a Young Adult Core team to create opportunities for prayer, fellowship, events, service projects, retreats and providing resources for and by Young Adults.

Guggenheim Center

A summer retreat and camp for children, young adults and adults, which provides an opportunity for all ages to enjoy one another within a faith-based environment in the beautiful Adirondacks. Modern facilities, newly renovated kitchen and dormitory all facing on a beautiful, clear mountain lake.

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**THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME
October 31, 2021**

Monday, November 1 – All Saints Day

8:30am (SPJ) - Cheryl Ann McGlinchy
by Peter McGlinchy

Tuesday, November 2 – All Souls Day

8:30am (SE) - Special Intention for all Priests, Living &
Deceased by Faithful Parishioners

Followed by Eucharistic Holy Hour

Wednesday, November 3

No Scheduled Mass

Thursday, November 4 – St Charles Borromeo, Bishop

5:15pm (SPJ) - Marilyn Lloyd by the Allards

Confessions Follow Mass until 6:30pm

Friday, November 5 – First Friday

8:30am (SPN) - Tom Shevlin

by Michael & Genevieve Griffin

Followed by Eucharistic Holy Hour

Saturday, November 6

4:30pm (SE) - Pro Populo

Sunday, November 7

8:30am (SPN) - David Hoskins

by Bruce & Nona Hoskins

10:30am (SPJ) - Deceased Members of the Sayward

Family by Carolyn, Jane & Nick

(SE) = St. Elizabeth, Elizabethtown
(SPJ) = St. Philip of Jesus, Willsboro
(SJ) = St. Joseph, Essex
(SPN) = St. Philip Neri, Westport

Readings for the Week of November 1

Monday: Rv 7:2-4, 9-14/Ps 24:1-6/1 Jn 3:1-3/Mt 5:1-12a
Tuesday: Wis 3:1-9/Ps 23:1-6/Rom 5:5-11 or 6:3-9/Jn 6:37-40
Wednesday: Rom 13:8-10/Ps 112:1-2, 4-5, 9/Lk 14:25-33
Thursday: Rom 14:7-12/Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14/Lk 15:1-10
Friday: Rom 15:14-21/Ps 98:1-4/Lk 16:1-8
Saturday: Rom 16:3-9, 16, 22-27/Ps 145:2-5, 10-11/Lk 16:9-15
Next Sunday: 1 Kgs 17:10-16/Ps 146:7-10/Heb 9:24-28
Mk 12:38-44

SANCTUARY CANDLES

for Week of October 31 – November 6

St Philip of Jesus – In memory Roger Belzile
by Nancy Belzile

St Elizabeth's – Intentions of the parishioners

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To reserve the candle, please submit

- 1) the memorial/honor names,
- 2) donor name, if desired, &
- 3) church name, with \$10 contribution
to our parish office at Willsboro.



Don't forget to patronize and thank our advertisers!

Last Weekend's Collection

Saint Elizabeth

Envelopes: \$420.00; Plate: \$426.00
Total: \$846.00

World Mission Sunday-Propagation of the Faith: \$164.00

Saint Philip Neri

Envelopes: \$1,118.00; Plate: \$88.00
Total: \$1,206.00

World Mission Sunday-Propagation of the Faith: \$333.00

St Philip of Jesus/St Joseph

Envelopes: \$1,090.00; Plate: \$154.00
Total: \$1,244.00

World Mission Sunday-Propagation of the Faith: \$230.00

SECOND COLLECTION NEXT SUNDAY

The monthly fuel collection will take place next Sunday...temperatures are dropping. Thank you in advance for your anticipated generosity.



WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

THANK YOU for your generous response to the collection for the Society for the Propagation of the Faith last weekend on World Mission Sunday. Our parishes raised \$727.00. You may stay connected

year-round to the Pope's missions, continuing the commitment of World Mission Sunday, by visiting MISSIO.org.

ENVIRONMENTAL STEWARDSHIP

Creation Care Tips

Why do Catholics need to care about the coming COP26, the U.N. climate change summit beginning October 31? "From a Catholic point of view, I think if we care about God's Earth, if we care about creation, if we care about the poor, if we care about our children, and if we care about the unborn children of today, we need to be engaged with this," said Lorna Gold, board chair of the Laudato Si' Movement, who has attended previous climate summits. "We need to pray about it. We need to raise our voices about it," she said, "and we need to become informed, and we need to also change our individual and community behavior."

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

JESUS PRESENT AND HOW TO SHARE IT

A Continuation of The Mystery of the Holy Eucharist
Brought to you by The Department of Faith Formation
Eastern Region

Presenter: Sister Jackie Sellappan, SCC
Where: Newman Center, Plattsburgh

When: Saturday, November 6 from 9:30am - noon
A simple lunch will be provided.

Cost to attend is \$10. Pay either via PayPal or bill parish upon registration at www.rcdony.org/liturgyword

Things to Ponder....

**The great challenge of life...
...is to determine what's important!**

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK...

All Saints Day (November 1st) is a solemnity on which we celebrate all the saints, known and unknown. While most saints have a particular feast day on the Catholic calendar, not all of those feast days are observed. And saints who have not been canonized — those who are in Heaven, but whose sainthood is known only to God — have no particular feast day. In a special way, All Saints Day is their feast. The current date of November 1st was instituted by Pope Gregory III (731-741), when he consecrated a chapel to all the martyrs in Saint Peter's Basilica in Rome. Gregory ordered his priests to celebrate the Feast of All Saints annually. This celebration was originally confined to Rome, but Pope Gregory IV (827-844) extended the feast to the entire Church and ordered it to be celebrated on November 1st. **All Souls Day (November 2nd)** is the day we commemorate all the souls who passed from this world marked with the sign of faith. We do also remember and pray for the souls in purgatory who are being cleansed of their venial sins and the temporal punishments for the mortal sins that they had confessed and being made pure before entering into the presence of God in Heaven. Let the feast of All Saints inspire our call to witness our faith courageously and may the feast of All Souls strengthen our Hope in Eternal life and do all we can to attain that reward.

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BISHOPS FUND APPEAL UPDATE

PARISH	SO FAR
Elizabethtown	95% of its goal
Westport	95% of its goal
Willsboro & Essex	73% of its goal

On behalf of Bishop, Thanks to everyone who have contributed to the Bishop's fund so far despite the challenges and the support you render to your own parish family. If anyone has not had an opportunity or wish to contribute, feel free to use the envelopes placed at the entry ways of the Church. You could drop it in our regular weekend collection or could directly mail it to the diocese as well. Thanks.



SUNDAY—NOVEMBER 14TH

We are planning at social gathering following the 10:30am Mass at St. Philip of Jesus Church in celebration of Fr. Justin's birthday—November 15th. All parishioners of Fr. JT's 3 parish communities are invited to join in this special occasion. Light refreshments will be available along with "Birthday Cake". **Please contact Susan Fahey if you can provide a dish: Ph 518-963-4480, cell 518-837-2023 or email sjf94@yahoo.com.**

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THE PIVOTAL PLAYERS: online presentation

Msgr. Aucoin will lead an online presentation entitled *The Pivotal Players*. This Program is a multi-part series that illumines a handful of saints, artists, mystics, and scholars who not only shaped the life of the Church but changed the course of western civilization. These pivotal players are great persons who have clearly understood Jesus' message and have found their own way to make that message come alive. These are the players who will be studied: Saints Augustine, Benedict, Francis Assisi, Thomas Aquinas, Catherine of Siena, Ignatius Loyola, John Henry Newman, plus Bartolomé de las Casas, G.K. Chesterton, Fulton J. Sheen, and Flannery O'Connor. Registration is required so in order to get the code to join online via Zoom. Register at mwcatholics.org/pivotal.

Sessions are Mondays at 6:30 pm - First Session is November 1

Sessions last about one hour online. Each session stands on its own, so you can attend as many sessions as you wish.