

Church of St. Pius X

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September 6, 2009

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SUNDAY - THE LORD'S DAY

VIGIL: SATURDAY 5:00 PM

SUNDAY: 8:00 AM, 10:00 AM, 12:00 NOON

WEEKDAY MASSES

MONDAY - FRIDAY: 6:30 AM & 9:00 AM

TUESDAY EVENING: 7:00 PM

SATURDAY: 9:00 AM

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Parents must be active, registered members of St. Pius X parish. Arrange preparation for baptism by calling the Parish Office for an appointment.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Either the bride or the groom must be a registered, active parishioner of St. Pius X parish. Please make an appointment with one of the priests at least six months before the desired date.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 4:15 - 4:45 PM

Seasonal Communal Celebrations

By appointment anytime

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK

Upon request and communally twice a year. Please notify the parish office if anyone in your family is hospitalized, homebound or in a nursing home.

SACRAMENT OF HOLY ORDERS

For men interested in priesthood, please call 518-312-9397 or visit www.albanyvocations.org

CATHOLIC BURIAL

For Catholic Burial Information contact the Diocesan Cemetery Office at 463-0134

TWENTY THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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“BE OPENED”

The miracle that Jesus performs in today’s Gospel is intimately linked with the proclamation of the first reading from Isaiah. The prophetic signs of God’s coming to save the people include the rejoicing of all of nature: its dry places become gardens and its deserts pools of water. Those who are deaf will hear and the mute will sing God’s praises. For Isaiah these are messianic signs, signs that God has come among us.

Jesus heals the deaf man and enables him to hear and speak. This is not just an individual healing, but a prophetic sign that God has come to save us. The Hebrew version of Jesus’ name is *Yeshua*, “God saves.” He comes not only to heal physical ailments, but to open the ears of those who cannot or will not hear the saving word of God. He comes to open our eyes to the saving action of God and to open our lips to proclaim praise.

“HERE IS YOUR GOD”

Nature itself will proclaim the saving power of God, and the poor are the first to hear and rejoice in God’s saving work. Those who are powerless against nature, disease, tyranny, and injustice are the ones who most welcome Jesus’ ministry. “Did not God choose those who are poor in the world to be rich in faith and heirs of the kingdom?” (James 2:5).

Fear can move us to seek power and to oppress others. The first step in overcoming our fear is to recognize our weakness and our poverty before God. Instead of embracing power and oppression, we can welcome the saving work of God in our lives and in our world. Our ears will hear the good news of the gospel of peace, and our tongues will proclaim the saving power of God. In our weakness is God’s strength.

We hear the phrase Ordinary Time each week at Mass, but what does it mean?

ORDINARY TIME

Ordinary Time, the longest season of the church year, fills the weeks “which do not celebrate a specific aspect of the mystery of Christ.” It’s the no-particular-reason season. The Christmas cycle honors the birth of Christ. The Easter cycle rejoices in the resurrection. Ordinary Time is devoted to the mystery of Christ in all its aspects.

The number of the weeks of Ordinary Time replaces the old counting of weeks “after Epiphany” and “after Pentecost.” The old calendar suggested that Pentecost ran for six months. The new calendar gives Pentecost a day. Then we return to Ordinary Time.

At first glance the principles of Ordinary Time seem basic enough. Start counting the weeks after the Christmas season. Break for Lent and Easter. Resume after Pentecost and keep counting till Advent. Basically, that’s how it works. But we have a few quirks.

For example, there is no “First Sunday in Ordinary Time”; however, there is a first week. Usually the Christmas season ends on a Sunday with the Baptism of the Lord. The lectionary also calls it the First Sunday in Ordinary Time, but it is part of the Christmas season. (Some years the baptism falls on a Monday, but that’s another story.) Ordinary Time gets underway on a weekday. When the next Sunday rolls around we start week two.

On the Tuesday before Ash Wednesday, we see the last of Ordinary Time until after Pentecost. Even then, it emerges only on weekdays. Trinity Sunday always follows Pentecost Sunday, and the solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of the Lord comes the next Sunday in the United States. (In countries where this solemnity is a holy day, it falls on a Thursday.) So when the numbered Sundays in Ordinary Time return in summer, we start out a little higher than where we left off.

Sometimes we skip one or two entire weeks of Ordinary Time during the Easter break. We want to close the Sundays of the year with Christ the King, one week before Advent. Christ the King always falls on the 34th Sunday in Ordinary Time. So, we determine the week number after Pentecost not based on where we left off before Lent but counting backwards from Christ the King. One or two weeks may disappear, but Ordinary Time still serves the complete mystery of Christ.

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A Call to Communal Prayer

In order to respond more consistently with compassion and prayer beyond our Sunday commitment, the names of those who are seriously ill are printed below.



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| Richard Shade | Stephen Mink |
| Ann Boyle | Richard Malinowski |
| Paul Sullivan | Abey Varghese |
| Rose Laiacona | Joseph Schmidt |
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| Gertrude Abele | John Agrusti |
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| Kym Hynes | Nathan Natale |
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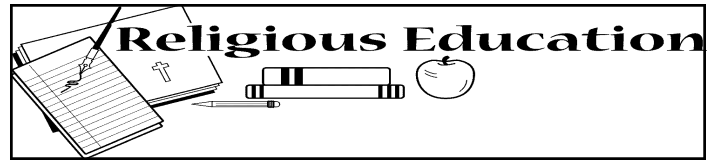
Coordinator: Brian Evers

Phone: 462-1336

E-Mail: spxyouth@hotmail.com

Year I Open House: will be held on Monday, September 21st at 6:30 pm in the parish center. All schedules, service opportunities and other information will be distributed. A parent should come with the candidate.

Year II Open House: will be held on Wednesday, September 23rd at 6:30pm in the Parish Center. Schedules, service opportunities and important Confirmation information will be distributed. A parent should come with candidate.



Sunday School: Opening Day for the Sunday School Program for Grades K-8 will be held on Sunday, September 20 from 9:00 until 9:50 am in St. Pius X School. Class lists will be posted at all entrances to the school so that parents will know which room their child(ren) are in. Religion books and calendars for the 2009-2010 school year will be handed out on the first day of class.

Parents: Please make sure that you have registered your child (ren) for the 2009-2010 Sunday School year so that they can be placed in their grade level and be assigned to a classroom. Registration Forms can be picked up in the Parish Office (circular driveway) or in the Gathering Area of the church on the table by the wooden bench. Thank You.

New to the Parish: If you are new to our Parish and are interested in the St. Pius X Sunday School Program, please call Judy Ranalli at 465-8068 for registration information. Our program is for children in grades K-8. Classes are held on Sunday mornings from 9:00 until 9:50 am starting on September 20.

Sunday School Teacher's Meeting: Our First Meeting for our returning Teachers, Aides, and our new Teachers and Aides will be held on **Tuesday-Sept. 15 at 7:00 pm** in the **School Library**. You can enter the school by using the front doors by the flagpole. Thank you for your sincere dedication and hard work!

Teachers Needed for Sunday School:

Parents and Parishioners: As we begin the month of September, please take this time to think about becoming a teacher in our Sunday School Program. For the Fall of 2009, we are in **need of a volunteer teacher** in our 8th grade. We supply easy to follow teaching manuals. Please call Judy Ranalli/Ann Smith at 465-8068 if you have an interest in joining our Sunday morning teaching staff. Thank you so much!

A special "Thank You" to the following new volunteer Teachers: Jim Burns-8th, Mary Ann Larkin-5th, and Dan Smith-8th.

PARISH CONVENING Saturday, November 7, 2009:

SAVE THE DATE. Please plan to join Bishop Hubbard for the annual Parish Convening - a day of renewal and nourishment for **all** who minister in the parish: lectors, Communion ministers, RCIA teams, ministers to the elderly and sick, catechists, youth ministers, music ministers, outreach ministers, Catholic school teachers and staff, pastoral council members, pastors, associate pastors, parish life directors, deacons, leaders and coordinators of ministries, and more! **Highlights of the day will include:** a joyful gathering celebration, inspiring keynote by Father Gerald Fagin, SJ from Loyola University, New Orleans -"**Ministering with the Heart of Christ,**" workshops and exhibits.

MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER WEEKEND

Love is in the Air. Capture the beauty of the fall season and *fall* in love again with your spouse on a Marriage Encounter Weekend. The next weekends are September 18-20 in Utica and November 6-8 in Latham. Call Ed & Rhonda Staats at 518-279-3243 or email MEabany@juno.com

PASTORAL CARE NEWS

“Thus says the Lord: ‘Say to those whose hearts are frightened: Be strong, fear not! Here is your God, he comes with vindication, with divine recompense he comes to save you.’”

+ The prophet Isaiah, in today’s first reading, speaks of God’s promised salvation and a glimpse of His kingdom to come. Each day the Lord reveals His presence to us, fulfills His promises, and gives us a glimpse of His kingdom. *How open are you to His plan and His presence?*

St. James’ letter urges his **“brothers and sisters”**, his faith community, to recognize that kingdom living shows no distinction between children of God. All are special in God’s eyes and within Christian communities this must be very apparent. *Does status make a difference in how you treat others? Are you friendly and caring to all?*

In Mark’s gospel, Jesus reaches out to a nearby Gentile community and heals a deaf man. All gathered are amazed, and excitedly they spread the news. Filled with joy, they just can’t keep the secret as Jesus requested! *Are you amazed by the daily miracles Jesus spreads like a banquet before you? What keeps you from sharing your joy?*

**Enjoy the Compassionate Presence of the Lord today.
Celebrate His Unconditional Love
By sharing His Joy with someone new.**

Good News: Thank you to the parishioner who donated to the Pastoral Care Office the DVD of “The Song of Bernadette”. You have blessed us all. You are free to borrow the movie by calling the Pastoral Care Office at 462-1336.

MINISTERS OF PRAYER: In **SEPTEMBER** please pray **THAT THE WORD OF GOD MAY BE BETTER KNOWN, WELCOMED AND LIVED AS A SOURCE OF FREEDOM AND JOY. (General Papal Intention)**

“Until you are convinced that prayer is the best use of your time, you will not find time for PRAYER.”

Fr. Hilary Ottensmeyer, OSM

Become a Minister of Prayer!

Our Women’s Scripture Study/Faith Sharing Group will begin again on Wednesday September 16th, 2009. If you are interested in joining us on Wednesdays from 10 to 11:30 AM this coming fall, please call the Pastoral Care Office at 462-1336. The first three weeks will be on Eucharist and we include portions of Fr. Robert Barron’s recent DVD. The themes will be “Eucharist: Sacred Meal, Sacrifice, and Real Presence”. To prepare for our September 16th meeting, read the following scriptures to focus on Sacred Meal: Gen: 1:1-2:25; Isaiah 2: 1-5; Luke 2:1-14; and Mt: 9: 9-13.

NEEDED: Visitors to parishioners residing in area nursing homes. Please call the Pastoral Care Office at 462-1336 if you would like to volunteer.

At the Dominican Retreat & Conference Center:

“A 12 Step D.I.V.A. (Divinely Inspired Victorious Alcoholics) Evening for Women in Recovery” with Diane Cameron will be held Thursday September 17th, 2009 from 7 to 8:30 PM. Cost: \$15.

“And Know That I Am With You Always...”, A Weekend Retreat for Women with Sr. Carolyn Krebs, OP will be held Friday September 18 to Sunday September 20th, 2009. Cost: \$185 (Seniors \$170).

“Monthly Dream Group” with Sr. Carol Davis OP will be held Monday September 21, 2009 from 7:00 to 9:00 PM. Cost: \$25. For more information and to register call 393-4169.

UNDERSTANDING GRIEF AND LOSS, our Eight-Week Educational Bereavement Support Group will begin this Tuesday September 8, 2009 at 10:15 AM at Our Lady of Assumption Parish, Latham. The weekly theme is *“Looking at My Loss...”* For more information call Jeanne Pitkin at 462-1336.

An Evening of Prayer for the Widowed:

On Friday September 18, 2009 you are invited to Evening Prayer at 7:00 PM in the chapel. (You may wish to arrive at 6:45 PM or earlier for Eucharistic Adoration.) Following Evening Prayer, St. Pius X’s Bereavement Committee will formally begin the Evening of Prayer and Reflection for Widows and Widowers. The evening will conclude with a time for refreshments and fellowship. Family and friends are welcome. They need not be members of St. Pius X Parish. If you need more information please call Jeanne Pitkin at 462-1336.

Are you a Pastoral Care Minister or considering volunteering as a visitor to the homebound, sick, elderly or hospitalized? Join us on October 7th, 2009 from 6:30 to 8:00 PM at St. Ambrose Parish Center for **THE SPIRITUALITY OF PASTORAL CARE: Unpacking the Gifts With Sr. Kitty Hanley, CSJ.** All are invited to this free Catholic Colonie Cluster Presentation. Please help enhance our Pastoral Care Ministry at St. Pius X by attending. For more info: Call Jeanne Pitkin at 462-1336.

When was the last time you introduced yourself to someone new? Often when someone moves to a new town or new parish they feel lonely or isolated. They are ready to meet new friends. Make it easier – introduce yourself to someone new at liturgy. It will make your day... and theirs.

We Need Your Help: If you are hospitalized or have a family member or friend who is or will be hospitalized, please inform the Pastoral Care Office at 462-1336. For the past several months St. Peter’s Hospital is having difficulties with a new computer system and our information is either incomplete or inaccurate. Your help to determine who is hospitalized at area hospitals will greatly improve our outreach to the sick in our parish. Thank you!

A Mother-Daughter Workshop (Ages 9–13) to enhance communication and learn about and discuss the physical and emotional changes of puberty will be held **Thursday September 17th, 2009 from 6 to 8 PM at St. Peter’s Hospital.** For info and to register call 525-1388.



Eucharistic Adoration

Lord, you are just, and the judgments you make are right. Show mercy when you judge me, your servant.

Psalm 118

Come join us for **Eucharistic Adoration** every **Friday** after the 9:00 a.m. mass up through closing prayer at 7:00 p.m. All our

welcome. For more information about how to become a weekly or substitute adorer, contact Peter Ranalli at 482 - 9087 or Margaret Purcell at 453 - 9302.

St. Bernard's School of Theology and Ministry – 20th Annual Convocation on Wednesday, Sept. 9, 7:30pm at St. Vincent DePaul Church, 900 Madison Ave. Keynote Speaker: Rev. Anthony Chiamonte. Topic: **“Choose Life, Every Day”**, as we continue to serve God and God’s people. For more info. call 453-6760 or stbernards@rcda.org. Lecture is free and open to the public. Join us as we celebrate twenty years!



DIOCESAN MARRIAGE JUBILEE:

The 37TH Annual Marriage Jubilee Celebration sponsored by the Office of Evangelization, Catechesis and Family Life will be held **October 18th at 1:00 p.m. at St. Clare’s Church**, Central Avenue, Colonie New York. Couples celebrating their **25th, 40th 50th** or other special wedding anniversaries are invited to attend this celebration. Bishop Hubbard will celebrate the Liturgy at 1:00 PM and greet couples and their guests at a reception in the Parish Center immediately following. Please register at the parish office.

**Thomas Merton in the Mountains:
13th Annual Silent Retreat:
"Our real journey in life is interior":**

These are the words of Thomas Merton. Join us, September 11 – 13th as the wisdom of Thomas Merton again becomes our "Adirondack guide" to the heights and depths of silence and solitude amidst the awesome beauty of the wilderness. Walt Chura directs the thirteenth annual silent retreat on the spirituality of Thomas Merton. Co-sponsored by the International Thomas Merton Society and the Thomas Merton Society of the Capital Region.

PYRAMID LIFE CENTER
Paradox, NY (518) 585-7545
E-mail: monicapl@aol.com

Virtus Training Schedule

All employees of the Diocese and all volunteers who have contact with children must attend the program as a condition of employment or service.

The following Virtus presentations have been scheduled for the coming months. More sites will be added to the list in the near future. Please check with the Diocesan website periodically for an updated schedule. New Feature: Pre-registration for Virtus @ www.virtusonline.org

- Sept. 15, 2009 Pastoral Center, Albany 1:00 pm
- Sept. 15, 2009 St. Madeline Sophie 6:30 pm
- Sept. 16, 2009 St. Anthony's, Schenectady 7:00 pm
- Sept. 22, 2009 St. Pius X, Loudonville 7:00 pm
- Sept. 28, 2009 St. Thomas, Delmar 6:30 pm
- Sept. 29, 2009 Christ the King, Albany 6:00 pm
- Oct. 13, 2009 Pastoral Center, Albany 1:00 pm
- Oct. 27, 2009 St. Pius X, Loudonville 7:00 pm
- Nov. 10, 2009 Pastoral Center, Albany 1:00 pm
- Dec. 08, 2009 Pastoral Center, Albany 1:00 pm

Spiritual Practices for Healing and Wholeness - This ten-week course offered at Maria College includes a myriad of prayer, meditation, creative ritual, expressive art, journaling, tai chi, dream work and practices conducive to stress reduction. Course begins October 7 from 5:30-8:00pm and will be taught by spiritual director and author Jean Roche, R.S.M. For more information, call Sr. Jean at 438-3111, ext. 233.

Mark Your Calendar!

St. Pius X Girl Scout Troop 1639 is sponsoring a Blood Drive on Saturday, October 3 from 9-1 in the Parish Center. Call Diane Lazorischak (869-4454) to schedule your appointment today! Just one hour of your time can save up to three lives!





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Healing Mass

The monthly DSC Healing Mass will be held on Wednesday, Sept. 9 at 7:30 PM, St. Ambrose Church, Latham. Fr. Ronald Matulewicz is the celebrant. Prayer and praise begins at 7 PM and healing prayer to follow the liturgy.

A Family Perspective by Bud Ozar: Labor Day is a good time to examine our work life. Is your work, career and projects so consuming that you are “deaf” to those around you? Jesus says to you today: BE OPENED and hear the sounds of your family.

Rite of Christian Initiation (R.C.I.A.)

The new RCIA Process will begin meeting starting September 13th 2009. We will meet every Sunday following the 10AM Liturgy in Conference Room A from 11:15 until 12:45. In the beginning we will spend a few weeks inquiring about the Catholic Religion, our beliefs, and how our Faith guides us. We then will move on to discussing Scripture, Faith, and how we come to know God in our life.

Anyone who is interested in becoming a Catholic or who has been Baptized but never received the Sacraments of Eucharist and Confirmation are invited to join the RCIA Process. You may register by calling Maureen F Kelly 458-7048. I look forward to hearing from you.

FORMATION FOR MINISTRY 2009-11

Will begin this fall at the Church of St. Edward, Clifton Park. The Formation for Ministry program is a 2-year program that provides a solid, foundational introduction to theology, Scripture and ministry skills. Through prayer, study, and community formation, participants are called to grow into being more confident and effective ministers for their parish communities. Please contact Carole at 453-6670 or fmp.director@rcda.org for more information.

Register now for the Fall Semester at **Carondelet Music Center** which begins on September 14, 2009. Sponsored by the Sisters of St. Joseph, the Center, celebrating 18 years, provides music instruction for private lessons and group classes including piano, guitar, voice, woodwinds, brass, strings and percussion. Specializing in early childhood music and movement, Carondelet Music Center (ranked in the top 5% of all Kindermusik programs) offers Kindermusik classes for the following levels: *Village (Birth-18 months)*, *Our Time (18 months- 3)*, *Imagine That! (3-5 years)*, and *Young Child (5-7 years)*. All lessons and classes are held at St. Joseph’s Provincial House in Latham. Registration deadline is Monday Sept. 1st. For more information call Sister Patricia St. John, Executive Director at 783-3608.



Everyone Welcome

Parish Picnic

Please Save the Date for the Parish Picnic on October 4. Would you like to become involved in planning the parish picnic? We will have a brief meeting on Wednesday, September 2 at 7:00 p.m. in Meeting Room B. If you would like more information on the picnic or the meeting, please e-mail Sue Krosky at suzanne12211@yahoo.com or call 783-6755. This is a great opportunity to meet new friends and renew old acquaintances. This is also the same day as the Ministry Fair.

ATHLETIC DEPARTMENT NEWS



SOCCKER REGISTRATION
FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 2009
6:30 PM IN THE PARISH GYM

This program is for boys and girls from grades two through eight. You must be a registered St. Pius X parishioner or registered in St. Pius X School to participate. There are two different levels:
 Junior Level - Second through Fourth grades
 Intermediate Level - Fifth through Eight grades

For those who register on the 11th they will receive their team assignments on Sunday, September 13th. We encourage everyone to register on Friday, September 11th to ensure their child’s spot on a team. Late registration may result in your child missing the first practice or first game. **THERE ARE NO TRYOUTS – ALL WHO REGISTER ON THE FRIDAY (9/11/09) WILL BE PLACED ON A TEAM.**

On Sunday, September 13th, the upper grades (5th through 8th) will report to the gym at 1:30 PM and practice until 2:30 PM. The lower grades (2nd through 4th) will report to the gym at 2:30 PM and practice until 3:30 PM. This is an intramural program with all games played at St. Pius on Saturday mornings and one Sunday afternoon game.

SPECIAL NOTE: Only parents need to attend this registration. The registration fee is \$10.00 (payable in cash or a check made out to ST. PIUS X) which includes a team shirt.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: We are always in need of adult volunteers as coaches, assistant coaches and concession workers. Please help us to help your child and call the **Parish Athletic Director, Lou Klender at 782-0989 or the Soccer Program Director, Jim McCabe at 869-5368.**

(Please be advised all volunteers **MUST** have Virtus Training before they can begin to volunteer. Please consult the bulletin for more information regarding this training.

CONFIRMATION CANDIATES (Boys and Girls in 9th & 10 grades): Referee’s are needed to referee the games. This is a good way to earn community service hours. Please call Lou Klender at 782-0989 or Jim McCabe at 869-5368.

KINDERGARTEN and FIRST GRADE PROGRAM: Our kindergarten and first grade instructional program will begin on **Saturday, September 19th** at 10 AM. This group does not have to pre-register, just show up on the **19th** and report to Jean Buff. This program will run on every Saturday from 10 AM to 11 AM until mid-October.

NAVIGATING SENIOR CARE OPTIONS

Caregivers’ Resource Fair

Are you an overwhelmed caregiver?
 Options exist: Come and learn about them!

Thursday, September 17, 2009
 4:30 p.m.—7:00 p.m.

Location: Avila Retirement Community
 100 White Pine Drive, Albany, NY
 RSVP to Susan Fitzpatrick at 640-2106

Mass Intentions for the week



SEPTEMBER 7- SEPTEMBER 13

Mon	6:30	No Early Mass
	9:00	Eugene Bronson req. Terry & Peter Mason & Family James Hart req. Mr. & Ms. Paul Gordon Eugene O'Brien req. Bob & Nancy Benjamin
Tues	6:30	Homebound Parishioners
	9:00	Carol Smith req. Jeanne Cote Kevin Clemente req. Jeanne Cote Jeanne O'Donnell req. Her Family
	7:00	Stacia Bucci req. Carole & Jack Egan Carol Lombardo Smith req. John & Rosanne Amedio Mary Morrison req.
Wed	6:30	Dominick Scaringe req. His Nephews Veronica Sweeney req. The Nicolla Family James W. Whalen req. Patrick & Janet Fitzgerald
	9:00	Kay Hunter req. The St. Pius X Bible Study Group Timothy Tracy req. Colleen Asbury Elaine Doherty req. Her Children & Grandchildren
Thur	6:30	William & Mary Ryan req. Their Family James & Lyda Minahan req. Their Family
	9:00	Kevin Clemente req. Mario & Annie Catalano Thomas Ford req. The Seleman Family Veronica Sweeney req. Patrick & Janet Fitzgerald
Fri	6:30	Anne McCoy req. Dottie & Ted Wolfstich Marian Quackenbush req. Dottie & Ted Wolfstich Regina Zanelotti req. Dottie & Ted Wolfstich
	9:00	Irma Schmidt req. Joe Schmidt Louis Svetlik req. Joe Schmidt Dorothy Stothard req. Joe Schmidt
Sat	9:00	Charles Rown req. His Family Lucille Gordon req. Her Daughter Rose Sommo req. Joyce Potenza
	5:00	Vigil
Sun		8:00 am; 10:00 am; 12:00 Noon

Eucharistic Ministers & Greeters - Team 2

SERVERS FOR September 12/13

5:00 PM	
8:00 AM	Servers will need to call Brian Evers
10:00AM	for this weekend's schedule
12:00PM	

**READINGS FOR SEPTEMBER 13, 2009
TWENTY FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

First Reading: Isaiah 50:5-9
Psalm: Psalm 116
Second Reading: James 2:14-18
Gospel: Mark 8:27-35

WEEKLY PARISH CALENDAR

DAY	DATE	EVENT	TIME	PLACE
SUN	9/6	Sunday Eucharist	8, 10,12	Church
MON	9/7	School and Parish Offices Closed		
TUE	9/8	AA Meeting Mass and Marian Devotions Ice Cream Social - New Students	5:30 pm 7:00 pm 6:30 pm	Church Chapel School
WED	9/9	Finance Committee Meeting School Board Meeting	5:30 pm 7:00 pm	Conf B Conf B
THU	9/10	AA Meeting School Opens Boy Scout Meeting	7:00 pm 7:00 pm	Conf B P. Hall
FRI	9/11	Renew Eucharistic Adoration Soccer Registration	7:00 am 9:30 am 6:30 pm	Conf A Chapel Gym
SAT	9/12	Vigil	5:00 pm	Church

Music for Weekend of September 5/6

Gathering: 220- The King of Glory
Preparation: 307- There is a Balm in Gilead
Communion: 345- You Are Mine
Recessional: 203- Glory and Praise to Our God

Beginning this Tuesday, Sept. 8th we will resume our Tuesday evening Mass with Marian Devotions.

**ALBANY DIOCESE YOUTH RALLY and
STEVE ANGRISANO CONCERT -
Saturday, September 26 - Saratoga**

Steve Angrisano is a popular Christian singer who is always a big hit at NCYC and he is coming to the Capital District this September! The diocese is sponsoring a Youth Rally in the afternoon and the concert will be in the evening. Look for more details in upcoming bulletins.

Reminder

The School and Parish Offices will be closed on Monday, September 7th in observance of Labor Day. Please enjoy the final days of summer. We will reopen on Tuesday, September 8th.

