

Our Lady of the Lakes

Catholic Community

January 22, 2017



Weekend Mass Schedule

St. Michael's

Liberty St., Penn Yan

Confession 4-4:30pm Sat.
5:00pm Saturday
9:30am Sunday

St. Theresa's

Route 245, Stanley

Confession 10:30am Sun.
11:00am Sunday

St. Januarius

Route 21, Naples

Confession 4-4:30pm Sat.
5:00pm Saturday
10:00am Sunday

St. Patrick's,

N. Main St. Prattsburgh

Confession 7:30am Sun.
8:00am Sunday

As Matthew tells it, Jesus preached the same message as John the Baptist: “**REPENT**, for the kingdom of heaven is at hand!” That one phrase could sum up the entire Gospel message.

“**REPENT!**” The Greek word *metanoia* implies a total turn-around: *meta* means beyond or after and *noeo* refers to perception or understanding or even the mind itself. In the world of psychology the term *metanoia* suggests a falling apart and reconstitution of the personality. Pope John Paul II explained that *metanoia* implies a Gospel-based revision of a person’s underlying motivations, and therefore a thorough **CHANGE IN ATTITUDE AND ACTION** (*Ecclesia in America* #26). This is something far deeper than sorrow for sin and a firm purpose of amendment. In fact, the emotion it implies would be more like **EXCITEMENT**, even **PASSION**. *Metanoia* will be associated with fervor that may or may not include asceticism but necessarily involves an intensity and depth that can be nurtured over the long haul.

Such a change of heart and mind does not spring from an intellectual insight or a dogmatic assertion. As Matthew points out with his stories, **METANOIA HAPPENS AS THE RESULT OF AN ENCOUNTER WITH JESUS AND THE MESSAGE HE EMBODIED**: “The kingdom of heaven is at hand!” That phrase was **THE CORE OF JESUS’ LIVING** and eventually the accusation that led to his execution.

Matthew’s decision to refer to the kingdom “of heaven” rather than “of God,” it indicates that “kingdom” does not refer to a spatial reality. Rather than speaking of kingdom as a noun, we come closer to its meaning when we think of it as a verb form translatable as “**THE REIGNING OF HEAVEN,**” or the “reigning of God.” That speaks of **A QUALITY OF RELATIONSHIPS** rather than geography.

Jesus preached that the reigning of heaven was germinating in the midst of the people. Pope Francis explains that “Jesus lived in full harmony with creation, and others were amazed” (“*Laudato Si*’, on Care for Our Common Home” #98). Jesus’ preaching, born out in his works of healing, was as immensely attractive to some as it was threatening to others.

It is only that attraction that can explain the response of the fishermen. Jesus awakened something in them, something that caused *metanoia*, something that led them to say, “**THERE’S NOTHING ELSE THAT MAKES SENSE ANY LONGER IF THIS IS TRUE.**” **SO THEY FOLLOWED HIM.**

A book that the Stewardship & Evangelization Committees have been encouraging parishioners to read (& copies are available) is “Forming Intentional Disciples: The Path to Knowing & Following Jesus” by Sherry A. Weddell. Its principle point is Jesus is calling us to follow Him & are we willing to “**DROP OUR NETS**” to truly commit myself to deepening my relationship with the Lord. If you are interested in reading this book please give me a call. *Fr. Leo*

Mass Schedule

Sun., Jan. 22

8am St. Patrick's
9:30am St. Michael's
10am St. Januarius

11am St. Theresa's

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Anne Badger by the Tyo Family
Mary Tyrrell "Anniversary" by Family
Deceased Members of the Cook & Galvin Families
Deceased Members of St. Theresa's

Mon., Jan. 23

8am St. Januarius
8am St. Michael's

St. Vincent, Deacon & Martyr

For all Who Worship at St. Januarius
For the Healing of Mary Beth Lavallee by Henri DeMoras

Tues., Jan. 24

8am St. Januarius
8am St. Michael's

St. Francis of de Sales, Bishop

For the OLOL Priests
Lillian Owen by Leo DelRossa

Wed., Jan. 25

8am St. Januarius
Noon St. Michael's

The Conversion of St. Paul

For the Children at St. John's Small Home
Peg Flynn by the Rosary Group

Thurs., Jan. 26

8am St. Januarius
8am St. Michael's

Sts. Timothy & Titus, Bishops

For the OLOL Worship Communities
For Divine Assistance for Robert Kraus by Henri DeMoras

Fri., Jan. 27

8am St. Januarius
Noon St. Michael's

Weekday

For the Adoration of the Holy Eucharist
Florence Durkee "Birthday" by Family

Sat., Jan. 28

5pm St. Januarius
5pm St. Michael's

St. Agnes, Virgin & Martyr

Fr. George Wiant
Catherine Healy by Marge Brinn

Sun., Jan. 29

8am St. Patrick's
9:30am St. Michael's

10am St. Januarius
11am St. Theresa's

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Deceased Members of St. Patrick's
Joan Swarthout Robinson by Washburn, Barkley & Bush Families
Deceased Members of St. Januarius
Deceased Members of St. Theresa's

Event Schedule

Sunday, January 22, 2017 ~ Cemetery Collection

9am SPC Family Faith—St. Patrick's
2pm 1st Eucharist Parents Mtg.—St. Michael's Parish Center
5:30pm OLOL Confirmation Class ~ St. Michael's Parish Center

Monday January 23, 2017

10AM January 29, 2017 Bulletin Copy Due

10am Our Brother's Keeper Quilt Grp.—St. Michael's Hall
4pm Come Pray with Mary—St. Michael's Chapel

Tuesday, January 24, 2017

8-9pm AA Meeting—St. Mike's Church Parish Ctr.

Wednesday, January 25, 2017

8:30am Prayer Shawl Ministry—St. Januarius
10:30am-3pm SMS Gym Class—St. Michael's Church Hall
12-1pm AA Mtg.—St. Mike's Parish Ctr.
5:30pm Weight Watcher's Meeting—St. Jan's
7-8:30pm Hispanic Faith Sharing Group— St. Mike's Parish Ctr.

Thursday, January 26, 2017

8:30-12pm Adoration—St. Michael's Chapel
10:30am-3pm SMS Gym Class—St. Michael's Church Hall

Friday, January 27, 2017

8:30-12pm Adoration—St. Januarius
10:30am-3pm SMS Gym Class—St. Michael's Church Hall
6-7pm AA Meeting —St. Michael's Parish Ctr.

Saturday, January 28, 2017

9am Naples Running Group —St. Januarius

Sunday, January 29, 2017



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Jan. 6 & Jan. 7 ~ Attend: 639 ~ Reg: \$6,460.00
The WeShare online total: 1/2—1/8/17 was \$765.00
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ATTENTION!!
January 22, 2017 -April 9, 2017
there will be only a **9:30am Mass at ST. MICHAEL'S on Sunday.**
5PM Mass will continue on Saturday.

Please Pray for: Doris Fitzpatrick, Jan Berna, Robert Osborn, Grace Sinsebox, Skip & Margaret Lewis, Marian Strickland, Michael, Cecelia Wolff, Daniel & Alberta Henries, Larry DeVos, Bev Reese, Jennie Petriuzzi, Daria Malanga, Betty Rogers, Mary Feeney, Walter McCullough, Natalie Tette, Jerry Golden, James Monroe, Mary Cook, Irene Soper, Judi Kramer, Jill Petrovich, Lee Carnan, Beverly Hall, Jim Urbanik, Phyllis Loucks, Kathy Shanks, Francis Feeley, Stephanie Amelio, Tim Dee, James Cramer, Leonard Stachowiak, Laura Baum, Pauline Stachowiak, Steven Richardson, Mickie Christiansen, Erica Harp, Bill Thomas II, Scott Thomas, John Houston, Nancy & Sal Periniano, Beth McMinn, Roger Miller, John Giordano, Dorothy Lisi, Michael Burke, Bob Sullivan, Anne Gascoigne, Kerry Welker, Joe Monago, Pam Morris, Tom Taylor, Blake Gauss, Ray West, Bob Wallace, Sally Shiffer, Jane Hibbard, C. J. Miller and Dorothy Barry.

Our Lady of the Lakes Mission Statement

With Mary as our model, Our Lady of the Lakes Catholic Community seeks to be a welcoming parish. Recognizing that we are made up of diverse rural communities, we strive to live as members of the one Body of Christ, ministering to each other, and working together to nurture our God given talents in order to reach out to others in a caring and compassionate manner that witnesses to our fervent love for God.

Word of Life

Reading I: Isaiah 8:23-9:3

The people who walked in darkness have seen a great light.

Reading II: Corinthians 1: 10-13,17

Let there be no factions among you.

Gospel: Matthew 4: 12-23

Come with me.

Because a majority of Matthew's audience seems to have been Jewish Christians, the passage from Isaiah is used in today's Gospel to explain the fact that Jesus' ministry began in Galilee, not Jerusalem. The substance of Jesus' preaching is summarized, "Repent, for the Kingdom of heaven is at hand." Jesus' preaching calls for a radical change, the old way of living must be abandoned and a new way embraced.

Adult question: How does Jesus call you to assist in his ministry: the building up of the Reign of God? How do you know what God wants from you in this regard?

Children: How do you hear Jesus calling you to do what he wants you to do?

Looking Ahead

Reading I: Zephaniah 2: 3; 3: 12-13

God will be faithful even when his people are not.

Reading II: 1 Corinthians 1: 26-31

For you see your calling.

Gospel: Matthew 5: 1-12a

We have already been blessed.

In the First Reading, Zephaniah announces that the humble of the earth will find shelter on the Day of the Lord. The prophet Zephaniah preached at a time of great turmoil. This reading asserts that the humble and lowly are the hope for the future.

Practice of Hope

The Beatitudes describe the life of Christ, Do they describe your life? This week, reflect on the Beatitudes of Jesus. Consider how these actions are signs of hope in the world and how you might follow them more closely. You might also learn more about the work of the Campaign for Human Development, an agency of the United States Catholic Bishops. Through a variety of specific service projects and advocacy work that aims to break the cycle of poverty in this country, the Campaign brings hope to the poor and powerless, Visit the Web site, www.usccb.org/cchd, or call them at 202-541-3000 and learn especially how the agency raises awareness and commitment among young Catholics. Could the work this agency inspire the youth of your parish? Watch for the annual collection the third Sunday in September 2017.



We each have been given abilities unique to us by Jesus Christ. Use those gifts to help others by joining a ministry. Be an active part of Our Lady of the Lakes Catholic Community.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

As we approach February we will continue to offer the opportunity to adore the Blessed Sacrament every Thursday from 8:30am-noon at St. Michael's in Penn Yan and Fridays at St. Jan's in Naples. Spend a half hour with Jesus.

Norton Chapel in February

Students at Keuka College are still on the mid winter break, but will be returning on the first weekend in February for orientation. The first Mass for 2017 at Norton Chapel, Keuka College will be February 12th at 7pm. All are welcome! It gives you another option now that there is only one Mass at 9:30am on Sundays at St. Michael's.

Novena for Life

A period of prayer and action from 1/21-29 to support the gift of every person's life. Download or sign up to receive the novena any of four ways: free mobile app, text message, email, or social media by going to www.9daysforlife.com.

We Need Your Help!

We need your help! As of January 17th, we have raised 41,495 towards our goal of \$55,836. We sincerely thank everyone who has contributed. We have reached 74% of our goal and are short \$14,341. We were approximately at the same point last year at this time and made our goal. Can we still meet our goal? Absolutely but we need your help. We realize that not everyone can contribute this year. Maybe you have lost your job, retired, or making a smaller wage. If you haven't given we simply ask that you pray about it and contribute according to your means. Whether you contribute a little or a lot, every little bit helps.

A quote from Pope Francis:

"The Gospel is the word of life: it does not oppress people, but on the contrary, frees those who are enslaved by the many evil spirits of this world: the spirit of vanity, attachment to money, pride, sensuality; the Gospel changes hearts, changes lives, transforms the inclination to evil into good resolutions. The Gospel is capable of changing people. Therefore, it is the duty of Christians to spread this redeeming power everywhere, becoming missionaries and heralds of the Word of God. The new doctrine that Jesus taught with authority is that which the Church brings to the world, along with the effective signs of His presence: authoritative teaching and the liberating action of the Son of God become the words of salvation and the gestures of love of the missionary Church."

Optimism is the faith that leads to achievement. Nothing can be done without hope and confidence. *Helen Keller*

Peace & Justice

March for Life 2017 DOR to DC

Buses are leaving from around the Diocese to the March for Life in DC. Join 1000's marching for a day when every human life will be valued and protected. Buses leave Thursday night, January 26 and return Friday night, January 27. Mass with Bishop Matano at 10am, Basilica of the Immaculate Conception. March with Bishop Matano and others from the DOR. Make your bus reservations today. Contact: chemungvalley4life@gmail.com; 607-857-8479

Prevent Suicide, Don't Assist Suicide

Nothing in proposed New York legislation to legalize assisted suicide requires that patients be counseled or screened for clinical depression before they are handed a lethal prescription. Yet mental health professionals know that a large number of suicides could be prevented with the right therapeutic intervention. NY State recognizes suicide as a critical public health concern, & works to prevent it. Government should not reverse course now and send the message that some suicides are acceptable. Check out www.dor.org, click on Public Policy for more info. Sign a letter or petition to your legislators opposing assisted suicide on Public Policy Weekend February 4-5.

Project Rachel

Project Rachel is the Catholic Church's diocesan-based ministry to those suffering in the aftermath of abortion. The nationwide ministry helps mothers, fathers, family members and friends who seek compassionate, non-judgmental help. You can contact Project Rachel by calling 888-9-Rachel (888-972-2435), or go to hopeafterabortion.org, or through email at return2peace@rachelroc.org. Maybe you feel called to serve in this ministry of love and mercy. Please use the above contact information to find out how you can help.

Feeding the hungry

An undertaking by the Penn Yan Council of Churches. Can you help us? Grandma's Kitchen is in action feeding high school kids at PYA. OLOL St. Michael's times are Feb 2, March 2 & March 16. Could you make a crockpot of chili, mac and cheese or donate some homemade cookies. Social Ministry can provide ingredients if you wish. A member of the committee can pick up your crockpot or pan and return it to you after the students have enjoyed it. We also need folks to serve up food from 2:15-3pm at PYA. Come enjoy feeding a 150-200 kids. For many kids this is their evening meal! Interested call Anne 315-536-2691.

Sorting through the Wardrobe?

Did you get new clothes for Christmas? Need to make room? The *Once Again Shop* in Penn Yan, the *Open Closet* in Naples and the *St. Pauly Collection Box* at St. Theresa's all welcome clothing donations. The St. Pauly Box also welcomes clean shoes, sneakers, belts, purses, linen, blankets and drapes to distribute these to people in the U.S. and developing countries.



Be prayerful – view the entire day as an opportunity to be in the presence of God.

OLOL Social Ministry

Thank you for your stewardship of time helping us get folks to church in Penn Yan area during the month of January. Our volunteers that made it possible were: Darwin, Paul, Leah, Christa, George, Keith, Bob, Fred, and Jeff.

Planning for Your Legacy

A free seminar to help you make informed choices: Pre-planning with your parish; Wills & Estate Planning; Health Care Proxies; The power of attorney and other legal documents; Legacy gifts that make an impact. Attend at one of the following dates/ locations: **March 13, 2017 ~ 7-8:30pm.**: Our Lady of Peace Parish Center; 130 Exchange St.; Geneva, NY. **April 24, 2017 ~ 7-8:30pm.** St. Mary's of the Lake Parish Center; 905 N. Decatur St.; Watkins Glen, NY. Please RSVP with the number of people attending to stewardship@dor.org or by calling 585-328-3228, ext. 1298. Sponsored by the Roman Catholic Diocese of Rochester

Camp Stella Maris

"Join us for Camp Stella Maris' 4th Annual Casino Night! Event will be held Saturday, March 25th from 6pm-10pm at Midvale Country Club. There will be great food, prizes and games and we hope that you will be able to join us. To learn more, or to register please contact samantha@campstellamaris.org or visit campstellamaris.org."

Saint Michael School



St. Michael's School will celebrate National Catholic Schools Week from January 29 through February 4 this year. The theme is "Catholic Schools: Communities of Faith, Knowledge and Service." Through Catholic education, our children benefit from the religious guidance, prayer, and the support the OLOL parishes provide to build a strong faith-based community. By focusing on faith, knowledge, and service, the children at St. Michael School's learn the importance of family, community, and serving others.

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*St. Jan's -Parish House *St. Mike's -Chapel Entrance
& Parish Ctr. *St. Patrick's -Rear Door
*St. Theresa's -Side Rectory Entrance

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REGISTRATION

New parishioners should register at the parish office or call for a registration form at 315-536-7459.

BAPTISM

Please call 315-536-7459 to enroll in the required Baptismal Program at least 2-3 months in advance.

MARRIAGE

Please contact the parish office to begin formal marriage preparation, at least a year in advance of your proposed wedding date.

HOLY ORDERS

Please contact one of our priests to discuss how God may be calling you to ordained ministry.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Please contact the parish office, one of our priests, or let us know before Mass that you wish to receive the sacrament of the sick.

PRAYER LINE

315-536-7459

If you want to be on the prayer line, you or a family member with your permission must make the request. In accordance with NYS Hippa Laws.

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