

Our Lady of the Lakes

Catholic Community

November 26, 2017



Weekend Mass Schedule

St. Michael's
Liberty St., Penn Yan
Confession 4-4:30pm Sat.
5:00pm Saturday
7:00am Sunday
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

“The Mass is not a show: it is to go to meet the passion and resurrection of the Lord. The Lord is here with us, present. Many times we go there, we look at things and chat among ourselves while the priest celebrates the Eucharist... But it is the Lord!” the Pope said Nov. 8. 2017

It's a good idea to take a few minutes before Mass to realize what you are going to do during Holy Mass. Take advantage of this simple prayer.

O Jesus, here I am approaching your altar with an open heart, wanting to meet you, and please let me experience all the graces that you have prepared for me in this Mass of Sacrifice.

Here I am preparing to meet you, who have offered me to you in Golgotha, and now you repeat the same sacrifice to give all the people incomprehensible graces. Here you come to us in this Sacred Time



of Your Eucharistic Sacrifice so that you can do what is invisible to the eyes, but indeed to the Present. I thank you, Jesus Christ, for being born on the altar to come to My Heart.

This is your life, made at every Mass, the sacrifice of your life is made, how great is that which is incomprehensible to my mind, but I believe that you, Lord Jesus, will soon come to me to feed my flesh and give you the fullness of Your graces.

My beloved Savior, hear my call and make my heart continually fill with the graces you wish to give at every Mass so that I may experience Your great Love as well as all that is Your great gift to transform me into Himself on Eternal Life. Amen.

Laudetur Jesus Christus ! *Fr. Felician*

Mass Schedule

Sun., Nov. 26

7am St. Michael's
8am St. Patrick's
9:30am St. Mike's
10am St. Januarius
11am St. Theresa's

Our Lord Jesus Christ the King

Helen & Bob Sullivan by Family
Jose Molina by Lucia Barahona
Chuck Smith by Family
Alban Liepert by Family
Deceased Parishioners of St. Theresa's

Mon., Nov. 27

8am St. Januarius

8am St. Michael's

Weekday

Celebration of Gary & Jeanne Schenk
Wedding Anniversary
Claudia & Patrick Sullivan by Family

Tues., Nov. 28

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

Weekday

Theophila Storc by Rosemary Luzum
Thelma Falvey by Family

Wed., Nov. 29

8am St. Januarius
Noon St. Michael's

Weekday

Tommy Bow by Connie Bow
Susan Decker by Betsy

Thurs., Nov. 30

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

St. Andrew, Apostle

For the OLOL Priests & Deacons
Chuck Smith by the Rosary Group

Fri., Dec. 1

8am St. Januarius
Noon St. Michael's

Weekday

Communion Service
Polly Sheridan Hyland by Family

Sat., Dec. 2

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

Weekday

Sue Cook by Estate
Clare Ring by Suzanne & Patrick Falvey



Sun., Dec. 3

7am St. Michael's
8am St. Patrick's
9:30am St. Mike's

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

First Sunday of Advent

Bob & Mike Legault by Douglas Wager
Carol Tunney by Family
Joe Calabucci "1st Anniversary"
by Mary & Family
Margaret Fleischman by Gerald Schimer
Deceased Parishioners of St. Theresa's

Event Schedule

Sunday, November 26, 2017

Monday, November 27, 2017

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

Tuesday, November 28, 2017

1-3pm SMS Gym Class—St. Michael's Church Hall
6:30pm OLOL Choir Practice—St. Michael's Church
8-9pm AA Meeting—St. Mike's Parish Ctr.

Wednesday, November 29, 2017

8:30am Prayer Shawl Ministry—St. Januarius
12-1pm AA Mtg.—St. Mike's Parish Ctr.
5:30pm Weight Watcher's Meeting—St. Januarius
7-8:30pm Hispanic Faith Sharing Group—St. Mike's Parish Ctr

Thursday, November 30, 2017

8:30-12pm Adoration—St. Michael's Chapel
1-3pm SMS Gym Class—St. Michael's Church Hall

Friday, December 1, 2017 ~ STARSHINE

8:30-12pm Adoration—St. Januarius
11am-1:30pm Pancake Breakfast—St. Michael's Church Hall
4:30-7pm Pancake Breakfast—St. Michael's Church Hall
6-7pm AA Meeting—St. Michael's Parish Ctr.

Saturday, December 2, 2017 ~ Catholic University

7am OLOL Men's Club—St. Januarius
9am Naples Running Group—St. Januarius
10am OLOL Liturgy Meeting—St. Michael's Church Hall

Sunday, December 3, 2017 ~ Catholic University

1-3pm Reconciliation Mtg.—St. Michael's Parish Center

OLOL Weekly Collections:

November 11 & 12~ Attend. 662 ~ Reg.: \$6,133.50
The WeShare online tot.: 11/6—11/12~ \$540.00

No matter how you give, your gifts are always appreciated! Online giving offers our parish a stable, sustainable future. You can give online by going to the WeShare website <https://ourladyofthelakescc.weshareonline.org> or by clicking on the DONATE button on the OLOL Website www.ourladyofthelakescc.org

Please Pray for: *Jim Snyder, Evie Worth, Marcia Rogoff, Eliza Batton, Mary Sierotowicz, Walt Zerrahn, Yvonne Eie, Connie Reagan, Ely Shriver, Bonnie Clawson, Steve Eberly, Doris Fitzpatrick, Jan Berna, Robert Osborn, Grace Sinnebox, Marian Strickland, Cecelia Wolff, Larry DeVos, Bev Reese, Jennie Petrizzi, Daria Malanga, Betty Rogers, Mary Feeney, Walter Mc Cullough, Jerry Golden, Mary Cook, Irene Soper, Judi Kramer, Jill Petrovich, Lee Carnan, Beverly Hall, Jim Urbanik, Phyllis Loucks, Kathy Shanks, Francis Feeley, James Cramer, Leonard Stachowiak, Laura Baum, Pauline Stachowiak, Steven Richardson, Erica Harp, Bill Thomas II, Scott Thomas, John Houston, Sal Pernicano, Roger Miller, John Giordano, Michael Burke, 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.



Reading I: Ezekiel 34: 11-12, 15-17

The sheep and the Shepherd are held accountable to judgment by God.

Reading II: 1 Corinthians 15: 20-26, 28

So that God may be all in all.

Gospel: Matthew 25: 31-46

Those who reach out to the vulnerable will be led into the kingdom of heaven.



In today's Gospel, Saint Matthew offers a compelling vision of the end time, when the people of all the nations are brought before the Lord to give an account of their lives and actions. Interestingly, the sheep, the righteous ones, are rewarded for having acted with love and compassion without having recognized the face of Christ in others. Good stewards recognize those in need of their care as gifts from God. They know that they are the instruments of Christ's active, loving presence in the world. How will we treat others this week: our family members, neighbors, customers, and strangers? What accounting will we make to the Lord for their care?

Adults: How are you caring for the most vulnerable in your community?

Children: What blessings has God given you?

Looking Ahead

Reading I: Isaiah 63: 16b-17, 64: 2-7

Awareness, Hope & Forgiveness

Reading II: 1 Corinthians 1: 3-9

Our faithful God calls us to fellowship.

Gospel: Mark 13: 33-37

Be watchful! Be alert!



At Home with the Word 2018

What is special about this Sunday's Gospel? How do I study & pray scripture? What about putting it into practice? At Home with the Word provides not only this, but also the text to each Sunday's readings, so you can look them over before coming to Mass, or refer back to them during the week. There is a supply in each of the OLOL churches. A \$5 contribution, if you can afford it, will be welcome.

Lector Workbooks

Lector workbooks for the coming year are now available. Pick one up, and you will be all set to begin Advent.

December & January Bulletin Deadlines....

- ◆ Dec. 3rd Bulletin Copy due 10am, Monday, Nov. 27th
- ◆ Dec. 10th Bulletin Copy due 10am, Monday, Dec. 4th
- ◆ Dec. 17th Bulletin Copy due 10am, Wed., Dec. 6th
- ◆ Dec. 24th Bulletin Copy due 10am, Wed., Dec. 13th
- ◆ Dec. 31st Bulletin Copy due 10am, Tues. Dec. 19th

Advent

Next Sunday the First Sunday of Advent begins the season of Advent. Through it, we prepare ourselves to await the coming of God, in the person of Jesus Christ, who became a human being to bring humanity back into communion with the Triune God.

Second Collection Next Weekend

The Catholic University of America is unique among universities in the United States – even among Catholic universities. Established by Pope Leo XIII and the U.S. Bishops in 1887, it is the national university of the Catholic Church. In addition to alumni from this diocese, Catholic University claims 1/3 of the U.S. bishops, 12,000 priests and religious as alumni. In Washington, D.C., the University provides an education based in the Catholic intellectual tradition to almost 7,000 students through its 12 schools.

Blue Books

Next Sunday Advent begins. Praying more regularly is a great way to prepare for Christmas. The Little Blue Books are great prayer starters. Get one! Don't let Advent slip away! They are in the back of all the OLOL worship sites.

Feast of the Immaculate Conception

"The most Blessed Virgin Mary was, from the first moment of her conception, by a singular grace and privilege of almighty God and by virtue of the merits of Jesus Christ, Savior of the human race, preserved immune from all stain of original sin." (Pius IX, *Ineffabilis Deus*, 1854) In 1854, Pope Pius IX's solemn declaration, "Ineffabilis Deus," clarified with finality the long-held belief of the Church that Mary was conceived free from original sin. Mary was granted this extraordinary privilege because of Her unique role in history as the Mother of God. That is, She received the gift of salvation in Christ from the very moment of her conception. The Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception is a time to celebrate the great joy of God's gift to humanity in Mary, and to recognize with greater clarity, the truth that each and every human being has been created by God to fulfill a particular mission that he and only he can fulfill. Please join us for the Vigil Mass on **Thursday, December 7th at 7pm at St. Michael's and on the Feast Day, Friday, December 8th at 8am, St. Michael's and St. Januarius, 10am at St. Michael's and 7pm at St. Januarius.**

Come Pray With Mary

Celebrating the 29th Year of gathering together for the Rosary at St. Michael's Chapel. Twenty nine years of faithful prayer devoted to Our Blessed Mother's intercession on our behalf. The Rosary Group meets each Monday from 4-5pm. We offer prayers for peace, for our priests, an end to abortion, and our own special intentions. As we progress into the Advent season, consider making this a weekly ritual as we prepare for the birth of Jesus.



OLOL Christmas Giving Trees

The Social Ministry Committee have set up the Christmas Giving Trees around Our Lady of the Lakes, to benefit the 'shut-ins' and needy families in our communities. Please take a tag from one of the trees, purchase the item noted on the tag, and wrap the gift placing the tag back on the gift. Leave your gift under the tree through **Sunday December 10th. Please return no later than December 10th** so they can be distributed.

Who are the Poor?

The poor are our neighbors. There are almost as many poor children living in suburbs as there are in urban areas and the numbers are increasing daily. The most persistent and prevalent poverty in our country is found in remote rural areas. Almost ½ of all Americans will experience poverty for a year or more at some point in their lives by the time they reach 60.

What Do We Do?

Which ever church you worship at around Our Lady of the Lakes, bringing in food on Sunday can be part of your offering, part of your way of sharing God's blessings with the hungry. The vision we work under is this: while different Christian churches may have some theological and practical disagreements about how to follow Christ, we all agree that sharing our gifts and feeding the hungry is essential to being a Christian and living our faith. So we work together. Both in Naples and Penn Yan there are very active Council of Churches, and St. Januarius and St. Michael's are anchor churches in those efforts. We contribute a significant share to their respective budgets. St. Theresa's has just started collecting food and clothing for The Friendship House in their community. In fact, parishioners all around OLOL play key roles in their local food cupboards, clothing distributions, Christmas for the Needy, hospices, back pack programs, Habitat for Humanity, Meals on Wheels and much more! We can do so much when we work together.

Pancake Day at St. Michael's

On December 1st Yates County Habitat for Humanity will once again host Pancake Day as part of the Star Shine celebrations. The all-you-can-eat meal will be held in St Michael's Church Hall from 11am – 1:30pm and 4:30 – 7pm. This year's Pancake Day will be dedicated in memory of Michael Linehan, Yates County Chamber of Commerce President/CEO, who passed away in February. Proceeds from this event will be used to build affordable housing for people in Yates County.

OLOL Bulletins:

***St. Januarius -Parish House**

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

Stewardship of Giving

Sharing our blessings with others is an essential part of being a Christian. God gives us all that brings meaning to our lives – intellect, family, friends, faith. God loves us and gives us the first and best. Should our response be anything less? Once we experience God's overwhelming love, we are able to express our sense of being loved by returning a portion of God's gifts to be placed at the service of people. When enough people are moved to return to God a truly grateful share of the blessings they receive, the Church's present needs are met with a surplus. Far more important than meeting church needs is the spiritual blessing for those who accept stewardship as a way of life. Giving out of gratitude means returning to God the first portion of the fruits we are entrusted. Deciding to do so is a faith decision. We are trusting that what is left over for us after we give to God will be enough. By using this approach to our stewardship of giving, we can present this aspect of our faith in terms of Good News about Christian giving. We can show people that becoming good stewards –

- ♦ Transforms money from a source of worry to a cause for joy (“Happiness lies more in giving than in receiving.” Acts 20:35);
- ♦ Makes use of the sacramental principle: using something material (our offering of time, talent and treasure) as a vehicle of the spiritual (gratitude to God for the blessings we receive); and –
- ♦ Deepens our faith (as we experience how God's generosity always exceeds our own).

Singing Christmas Eve at St. Michael's

Join the choir on Christmas Eve at St. Michael's. Rehearsals are on Tuesdays, 6:30-8pm, until December 19th in St. Michael's Church. The choir sings Christmas Carols & Anthems prior to Mass, and leads singing during the Liturgy.

SCHOOL HAPPENING?



St. Michael's Next School Mass

All of Our Lady of the Lakes is invited to attend the next St. Michael's School Mass on the Feast Day of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Thursday, December 8th at 10am. Come and celebrate the Eucharist with the students, principal, teachers, and staff.

Autumn Dinner Circle

This is a season long fundraiser held on any date during autumn (or anytime throughout the year). Plan a special dinner at your home and ask for a donation of \$50 per person. Support the wonderful traditions at St. Michael School. Family, friends and great conversation as you gather for a delicious warm meal. Contact Carrie Tette at carrietette@yahoo.com or call (315) 531-9212 to participate.

Our Lady of the Lakes

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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

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