

## Weekend Mass

### Saturday

3:30 pm - St. Patrick  
 5:55 pm Reconciliation  
     at St. Michael  
 5:30 pm - St. Michael  
Sunday  
 8:30 am - St. Januarius  
 10:30 am - St. Michael

# *Our Lady of the Lakes Catholic Community*

10-24-2021

## Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

*We come together in our common faith as God's Holy People.  
 Strengthened by the Word of God and His sacraments,  
 we go forth in faith to love and serve one another.*

## Weekday Mass

### St. Januarius

Tues/Thurs @8am  
 St. Michael  
 Monday @8am  
 Wednesday - Noon

In today's Gospel, the blind Bartimaeus, called to Jesus for help. If we were blind we probably would go to a medical specialist for a diagnosis and a possible cure. Do we hear the weekly readings and think of them as "ancient history". Do we think they don't apply to us, to the problems that we face each day? There are many circumstances which we find ourselves in and feel there is no real help for us. These situations usually concern our spiritual lives .... and Jesus is the ultimate source of help for these times.

Honestly if we have just committed a sin we first may feel guilt. It may be a problem with drugs, chastity or some other moral situation. Going to a doctor won't help but the Jesus we heard today can be. Throughout His public life He helped many ordinary people just like you and me. He fed thousands with just a few loaves and a few fish. He raised people from the dead, and cured any manner of illnesses.

But, that was 2000 years ago and maybe we aren't sure that those miracles really happened. But we may have a different type of illness, an illness that pertains to our soul and not just to our body. It's true we may never talk about these problems from the ambo but when we hear of how Jesus helped the blind man, maybe we should hear a homily about it.

I don't think anyone would argue that some of our modern day problems can be compared with the problems Jesus solved for those following him. Drugs and alcohol can cause addictions and they can be just as crippling as being blind. The pregnancy rate among unmarried young women is a problem our newspapers report regularly. It not only affects the woman but also her partner. How would Jesus counsel this modern day couple? Would He condemn them and threaten hell and damnation? He didn't do that when he was here. In many situations, He would have maybe said, "OK you made a mistake. You are forgiven. Go and sin no more. He forgave the people but made it clear a sin was committed and it should never happen again. Every time we read the Gospels about His love and forgiveness we think of loving Man-God who knew people will run into problems. But we also recall the burden he removed from the individuals by His forgiveness and love.

I would think there may be some of us here today that are involved in a spiritual problem or face situations in which the pressure on you has made you make some poor decisions. If drugs are available in the crowd you're associated with I'm sure someone has said, "Go on, try it. You'll feel great!" When that happens you're faced with two choices. You could say, "OK, I'll do it." But if you say that, you know in your heart you're making a mistake. If this should happen to you, take courage from what Jesus says today. He said to us that we can't avoid all of the temptations we encounter, just as the blind man couldn't cure himself of his blindness.

When we hear of the miracles that Jesus performed all of us probably say, "Would Jesus really help me if I chose like that." He is saying to us, "Yes, I will help you! If your friends or others are saying to you, 'Everybody's doing it', Jesus says I will help you." It's difficult to be a teenager today. Why do others want you go get involved in drugs, sex, dishonesty or any other behavior that could ruin your life? It's because they didn't have the courage to say "NO" and now they want you to suffer as they are suffering.

Your parents and your family are there, but most of all Jesus is there for you. Bartimaeus couldn't see but he could talk and he asked Jesus to help him. And what did Jesus do? He said, "Go your way .. your faith has healed you."

Jesus is here, today, for every one of us. If you're young or old, He will hear you. But we have to ask ..... we have to have faith in Him. So I would advise anyone here to think of Bartimaeus. If you are having a problem facing a difficult moral situation and you have pressure from others to make the wrong decision, just say, "Jesus will you help me?" Others may say, "Oh He doesn't have time for me!" Well, you have nothing to lose and everything to gain. Just say, "Jesus, would you help me as you helped Bartimeaus?"

*Submitted by Deacon Tim Hebding*

October is domestic violence awareness month. Our local Safe Harbors of the Finger Lakes works tirelessly to help women, children and men who fall victim to this kind of abuse. Very soon they will open a shelter to serve anyone who needs safety and lives in Seneca, Ontario & Yates Counties. Stay up to date on this and more of their efforts by following them on Instagram, YouTube or Facebook.

**OLOL Catholic Daughters are looking** for a Sophomore or Junior girl from St Michael's who is interested in participating in the **Miss Penn Yan** contest in December. We will sponsor you but applications must be submitted by 10/30/2021 to the Yates County Women organization. If interested, please contact Melissa Conrad at the Parish Office 315-536-7459.

**What should our US Immigration Policies be?** During October the film, Oh Mercy (12 minutes), is being offered for a free screening. It follows Sister Norma Pimentel, Director of Catholic Charities of the Rio Grande, as she made trips across the Border to assist those who were stranded during the crisis at Matamoros, Mexico when the "Remain in Mexico" policy was in effect last year. This year Haitian refugees faced a similar problem. Watch the film: <https://bit.ly/3o23pRt> Comments/questions to Sr. Phyllis Tierney at [ptierney@ssjrochester.org](mailto:ptierney@ssjrochester.org)



Have you created your account at Formed yet? (<http://signup.formed.org/>) Enter zip code 14527. Enter your name and email. You are in! Watch episode 5 of "The Search." Contact Patty to be part of the discussion!

### LUNCH & LEO TO RETURN

In pre-pandemic times (remember?) on Tuesdays there was Bible Study & I "slaved" over a hot stove to provide lunch.

With the parish subscription to "FORMED" I would like to do THE SEARCH program with discussion for 7 weeks. Each episode (about 30 minutes) is self-contained so if you miss a week you can easily review it yourself. This program reminds me a lot of Theology 101 at St. Bernard's Seminary: What do you seek; Who are you; Why a God ; What's your story?; Who is Jesus? Am I saved?; Why a Church?

The sessions will be at St. Michael's hall with lunch at noon; program at 12:30 -1:30 PM. Beginning Tuesday Nov. 2th ; continued on Tuesdays Nov 9th ;16<sup>th</sup>; 23<sup>rd</sup>; 30<sup>th</sup>; Dec. 7<sup>th</sup> & 14<sup>th</sup>.

Please email me at [fr.leo.reinhardt@dor.org](mailto:fr.leo.reinhardt@dor.org) or call the parish office by Monday Nov. 1st to let me know you plan on attending so I can cook accordingly.

Fr. Leo

# Diocesan Stewardship Day

**Saturday, November 13, 2021**

9:00 AM to 12:00 PM  
(with optional lunch and workshops)

**CHURCH OF ST. JOHN OF ROCHESTER**  
8 Wickford Way, Fairport, NY 14450



Keynote by  
**Leisa Anslinger**  
Associate Director of Pastoral Life,  
Archdiocese of Cincinnati  
Author of *Grateful Disciples*  
and *30 Days on Stewardship*

### Stewardship is THE Answer:

A Blueprint for Parishes after Covid-19

Stewardship is THE Answer! Parish leaders are asking important questions: How will we bring back those who have been away during the pandemic? What do we do to reignite participation, giving and sharing? Where do we even begin? Explore together the ways stewardship is THE answer to all these questions and return home with practical ideas and renewed appreciation for the stewardship way of life.

**FREE AND OPEN TO ALL**

Register by Clicking Here

### Choose a Workshop!

**Changing Times Call for a Change in How We Communicate**  
By Jim Messa, Cathedral Corporation

*Continual communication is important! Learn about various methods to communicate effectively with your parishioners in a way that resonates with them and keeps them engaged.*

**How Consistent, Intentional Stewardship = Thriving Parishes**

By Tina Sullivan and Sarah Shank, OSV

*This session will discuss how consistent, intentional stewardship is vital to creating and enhancing a vibrant parish community.*

**Why Stewardship?  
It Makes All the Difference**

By Leisa Anslinger

*Knowing WHY we do what we do makes all the difference in how we stay focused, what we do as stewardship leaders, and how we engage our parishioners in embracing stewardship as a way of life. Explore surprising evidence that points to the essential importance knowing our WHY as we plan what we will do and how we will do it.*

Optional Lunch and Bonus Workshops

Pick up a box lunch at 12:00 Noon

All 3 workshops will be offered a second time from 12:30 PM-1:30 PM

## Readings for October 24, 2021 Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

1st Reading: Jeremiah 31:7-9

2nd Reading: Hebrews 5:1-6

Gospel: Mark 10:46-52

*Looking Ahead*

**October 31, 2021**

### Thirty First Sunday in Ordinary Time

1st Reading: Deuteronomy 6:2-6

2nd Reading: Hebrews 7:23-28

Gospel: Mark 12:28b-34

On the [news and events link](#) of our website find links for: [The Family Zone](#); [Salt & Life](#); [Open Wide Our Hearts](#); [Justice, Peace & Life](#); and [Just Us](#).

<https://ourladyofthelakescc.org/bulletins-and-news/>

### The Prayer of the Synod - attributed to St. Isidore of Seville

We stand before You, Holy Spirit,  
as we gather together in your name.

With You alone to guide us,  
make Yourself at home in our heart;

Teach us the way we must go  
and how we are to pursue it.

We are weak and sinful;  
do not let us promote disorder.

Do not let ignorance lead us down the wrong path  
nor partiality influence our actions.

Let us find in You our unity  
so that we may journey together to eternal life

And not stray from the way of truth  
and what is right.

All this we ask of You,  
who are at work in every place and time,  
in the communion of the Father and the Son,  
forever and ever. *Amen.*



### MISSALETTES BECOMING HYMNALS

Beginning November 28<sup>th</sup>, the First Sunday of Advent, all worship sites will be transitioning to a hardbound hymnal that contains the weekend readings for all 3 cycles of the Liturgical Year.

*Cost-wise there is more of an initial expense but after 3 years they will have paid for themselves.* The donation requested is \$20 per hymnal. If interested, please fill out the form below.

*Fr. Leo*

I would like to donate \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
to help cover the purchase of new hymnals.

To dedicate donation for each hymnal please include:  
(please print clearly)

In Honor of/ or In Memory of:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Donated by:

**Return this form to the Parish Center  
or leave in collection box**

## Mass Intentions

Sunday 10/24 thru 10/31/2021

**Sunday 10/24/2021 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

8:30 am (*St J*) for the intentions of Dr. Jonathan Hager & family by David & Melva Brady

10:30 am (*St M*) Fr. Leo Reinhardt by Tyler Newkirk



**Monday 10/25/2021**

8 am (*St. J*) *Communion Service*

8 am (*St M*) † Bob Foster by Carolyn & family

4 pm (*St M*) OLOL Rosary Group in St. M Chapel

**Tuesday 10/26/2021**

8 am (*St. J*) Fr. Leo "Happy Birthday" by Jeanne Schenk

8 am (*St M*) *Communion Service*

**Wednesday 10/27/2021**

8 am (*St. J*) *Communion Service*

Noon (*St M*) † Frances Armstrong Barden by Jim Armstrong



**Thursday 10/28/2021 Saints Simon and Jude, Apostles**

8 am (*St. J*) † Frank Clovis by Karen Schmidtmann

8 am (*St M*) *Communion Service*

11 am (*St M*) *Holy Hour in St. Michael's Chapel*

**Friday 10/29/2021**

8 am (*St M & St. J*) *Communion Service*

**Saturday 10/30/2021**

3:30 pm (*St. P*) † Agnes McConnell by Robert & Jeanne Underhill

5 - 5:25pm (*St. M*) *Reconciliation (no appointment necessary)*

5:30 pm (*St M*) † Paul Birmingham by Sandy Birmingham



**Sunday 10/31/2021 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time**

8:30 am (*St.J*) for all OLOL Parishioners

10:30 am (*St M*) † Sally Bianco by Steve & Mary Lou Anders

### Please pray for:

Ann Quigley, Marc DeMoras, James Armstrong, Marie John McNally, Bob Lootens, Fred Wren, Monte Silliman, Henri DeMoras, David Doran, Maureen Hendrix, Mary Doran, Laura Baum, Linda Potts, Eric Gleason, Louella Marsh, Carl Layton, Baby Claire Elizabeth, Cynthia Thompson

*(Please contact the parish office via phone or email to update/ add/ delete names from the prayer listing.)*



### Requiescat in Pace: Janet Jaquays

Our Lady of the Lakes St. Januarius **Grape Festival Teams** would like to thank everyone who helped to make our sale a **HUGE SUCCESS**. To date, we have deposited **\$12,653.49**. Thank you to everyone who helped in any way! May God Bless us always.



## MASSES OF REMEMBRANCE NOVEMBER 6<sup>TH</sup> & 7<sup>TH</sup>

On the weekend of November 6<sup>th</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup> we will be having our annual Masses of Remembrance at all worship sites. At these Masses we remember all our parishioners who have died during the past year.

This year the Liturgy Committee also invites families to write the name(s) of any member(s) of their family WHO HAVE DIED DURING THE PAST YEAR and who were not member(s) of the parish.

If the funeral service was done in the parish, those names should already be on the list. Please fill out the bottom form & place it in the box marked MASS OF REMEMBRANCE at your worship site.

**SLIPS MUST BE SUBMITTED BY OCTOBER 31<sup>ST</sup>.**

*NO NAMES WILL BE ADDED TO THE LIST AFTER THIS DATE.*

There is also the BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE where parishioners are invited to write the name(s) of anyone whom they would like to be remembered during the month of November.

NAME OF DECEASED:

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**What gifts do you have?** It's generally easier to recognize our physical gifts, but what about our spiritual gifts? Go to this link: <https://oprp.dor.org/spiritual-gifts-assessment/> and take the assessment. Once tabulated, it will show you what gifts you have that can help the parish and community. Fr. Leo would be grateful if you would share your results with us!

Join the Catholic Climate Covenant and the world as we pray over 40 days for the successful launch of the Laudato Si' Action Platform – a seven-year journey.

Want to know more?

Contact Marcus Ebenhoe at [mebenhoe@cfcrochester.org](mailto:mebenhoe@cfcrochester.org)



## STEWARDSHIP Managing God's Gifts To Us

Several years ago the Stewardship Committee was started at Our Lady of the Lakes. I remember the initial meeting where about 16 people were crowded into the dining room at the parish center. I handed out background material in what Stewardship was all about & the group over the following months read the material & developed a plan for the parish.

We divided the year into 3 parts with one aspect of Stewardship being emphasized in each. With Advent being the beginning of the Church's liturgical year, Stewardship of Time was stressed. Parishioners were invited to submit how much time they were willing to give to develop their own spiritual life, i.e. how much time would they give back to God in prayer.

Unfortunately, the committee has lost several members & in order to implement the various aspects of Stewardship in the future, I need your support.

\*Forms for the Stewardship of Time (personnel spiritual commitment) need to be formatted.

\*Coordination with the committees & organizations in the parish are needed for the Stewardship of Talent.

\*Parishioners are needed to obtain & put together the various reports from the committees & organizations for the annual report.

If you can help with any of these 3 areas please let me know via e mail [fr.leo.reinhardt@dor.org](mailto:fr.leo.reinhardt@dor.org) or phone 607-279-3750 or parish office 315- 536-7459.

Thanks for your Stewardship,    *Fr. Leo*

Oklahoman Julius Jones was convicted for murder, a crime he didn't commit. His defense lawyers were inexperienced and unprepared for trial, resulting in Jones receiving the death sentence. That was 20 years ago, when he was just 19. Since then, the actual murderer has confessed. The Pardon and Parole board voted 3-1 to recommend commutation, that is, lowering Julius' sentence to life with the possibility of parole. It is now up to Oklahoma Gov. Stitt to make the decision on whether Julius' is executed or not. Julius is scheduled to be put to death on November 18. During this Respect Life month, please speak out to save Julius' life. You can sign a petition and also email Gov. Stitt through this web site: <https://www.justiceforjuliusjones.com/> Also view the docu-series which explores and exposes flaws in the American justice system through emotional, in-depth examinations of Julius Jones.

# Forward in Faith

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## Got Questions?

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## Registration

## New Parishioner

## Baptism

## RCIA

## Anointing of the Sick

## Marriage

## Holy Orders



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