

TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

**"AS I HAVE DONE FOR YOU,
SO YOU SHOULD ALSO DO FOR OTHERS."**

The Scripture readings this weekend draw us into the biblical images of faithful love between spouses and the care we must extend to children. As we listen to these readings, let us be especially mindful of those who struggle with marital fidelity, as well as families in which children do not receive the care and respect they deserve. May we be open to the power of God's living word to transform us all into faithful witnesses to the marvels God has worked through our human relationships.

Please Pray For All Our Sick

Pearl Sullivan, Joseph Puente, Nancy Lalone, Marie Badger, Burt Lawrence, George Skomsky, and Tim Kirkey.

MASS OF ANOINTING OF THE SICK...

**LAUREL TERRACE...TUESDAY, OCTOBER 6TH, 2 PM.
ALL RESIDENTS OF LAUREL AND GRASSMERE,
FAMILY MEMBERS, FRIENDS AND PARISHIONERS
ARE INVITED TO ATTEND THIS ANNUAL
MASS OF HEALING AND ANOINTING.**

**PASTORAL PARISH COUNCIL MEETING
FOR COUNCILS OF ST. LAWRENCE AND SACRED
HEART WILL BE THIS THURSDAY, OCTOBER 8TH
AT 7 PM AT ST. LAWRENCE PARISH CENTER...
ALL MEMBERS OF BOTH COUNCILS ARE ASKED
TO ATTEND TO CONTINUE DISCUSSION
ON FUTURE PLANING AND PROPOSED MERGER.**

**STATUE OF THE SACRED HEART DONATED BY
MONSIGNOR ROBERT J. MCCARTHY HAS BEEN
PLACED IN FRONT OF THE CHURCH...**

Don Gillette will complete stone work on the base of the statue next year. A ceremony of dedication will be held at that time. We are most grateful to Msgr. McCarthy for this donation to Sacred Heart Church. As noted previously this statue is carved from Italian marble purchased by Msgr. McCarthy directly from Italy several years ago and was located at Mater Dei College for many years. What a beautiful addition it makes for our parish church.

**CONGRATULATIONS
TO SISTER EDWARD MARIE
AND SISTER CHRISTINE
AS THEY CELEBRATE THEIR JUBILEES
OF SERVICE IN THE CHURCH.**

BAPTISMAL PREPARATION CLASS

Our next Baptismal Preparation Class will be held on Monday, October 5th at 7:00 pm in the rectory. Please call the rectory at 769-2469 to make an appointment with one of the priests for a home visit.

Mass Intentions For The Week**Monday, October 5 - Weekday**

12:05 Ronald LaShomb by M/M Clark LaShomb & Family

Tuesday, October 6 - Weekday

12:05 Gladys Silver (ANN) by The ReQua Family

2:00 LT - Pauline Hamelin by LT Friends & Neighbors

Wednesday, October 7 - Our Lady of the Rosary

12:05 Lenney Family by Bill & Mary Manfred

Thursday, October 8 - Weekday

12:05 For the Intentions of Elsie Scruggs by

Leo & Betty Beaudet

1:30 TCS - Lori Hotte by Tom & Melissa Szarka

Friday, October 9 - Weekday

12:05 M/M Anthony Smith by Herman & Family

Saturday, October 10 - Weekday

4:30 For the Deceased Members of the Massena

Knights of Columbus 1141

Sunday, October 11 - Twenty-eighth Sunday

in Ordinary Time

8:00 Gerald O'Brien by Ken & Sue Bellor

and Marilyn Louey (ANN) by The Family

9:30 Jane Collins (ANN) by Nieces & Nephews

and John T. Hartigan (ANN) by Mother & Family

6:00 Radio Broadcast of 9:30 A.M. Mass

Courtesy of WMSA

**Effective October 1st
5:15 Mass at St. Joseph's
on Sunday afternoon will be discontinued!!**

WEEKLY ACTIVITIES**Sunday**

9:30 Children's Liturgy of the Word

Monday

6:00 First Penance parent/student meeting - Trinity Cafeteria

7:00 Baptismal Preparation Class in Rectory

Tuesday

7:00 Separated & Divorced Group meets at St. Mary's

7:30 K of C 1141 meets at K of C Hall

Wednesday

6:00 Children's RCIC meets in the Rectory

Thursday

3:30 Traditional Choir Rehearsal in Church

7:00 K of C Auxiliary meets at K of C Hall

7:00 Pastoral Councils meet at St. Lawrence Parish Center

**SCHEDULE OF MASSES
FOR SACRED HEART CHURCH
AND ST. LAWRENCE CHURCH**

Sacred Heart Church

4:30 pm (Sat. Anticipated)

8:00 am and 9:30 am

St. Lawrence Church

11:00 am

FAITH FORMATION NEWS

Sunday, October 4th

10:30 am Sunday Faith Formation Classes for Grades 1-6

Monday, October 5th

6:00 pm Gr. 2 Parent/Student meeting at Trinity Cafeteria

NEWS FROM TRINITY CATHOLIC

LITTLE THINGS MEAN A LOT!

Simply clip the coupon logo "Box Top" off food products or remove Campbell Soup Labels. Drop in our Trinity Treasure Box located in the back of Church. Thank you for your support!

TRINITY BOOK FAIR

Trinity Catholic will be holding its Book Fair October 5-October 8 in the school Library. The Book Fair will be open from 8 a.m.-4 p.m. Monday through Thursday. On Wednesday, October 7, the Book Fair will be open from 8 a.m.-8 p.m.

"SHARE THE WISDOM" DAY

We at Trinity Catholic celebrate what we call "Share the Wisdom" Day. Students invite a grandparent, an aunt, uncle, neighbor, or family friend. "Share the Wisdom Day" will be Thursday, October 8, 11:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m. Our guests will have the opportunity to visit students' classrooms, have a delicious lunch in our cafeteria, and then join us for Mass. Mass will be at 1:30 at Sacred Heart Church.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA) AND INQUIRY ABOUT THE CATHOLIC FAITH

The Inquiry Process for anyone interested in becoming Catholic or desiring to complete their Sacraments are now in progress every Sunday at 10:30 in the Rectory. If you or someone you know is interested, please call the Rectory at 769-2469.

SACRED HEART CHURCH CHRISTMAS CARDS

Samples of the Christmas card designed by Stubbs Printing are located near the doors of the church with order forms. These samples and forms will be available until Oct. 18th. Cards will be ordered according to the number requested. Cost will be approximately .75 each.

Attention Snowbirds!!

If you are planning on leaving the North Country for the Winter months, please notify the rectory at 769-2469, so your envelopes can be stopped until you return in the Spring. (This information helps to defray extra postage due when your envelopes are returned us.) The date when you are leaving and when you will return will be greatly appreciated. Thank you!!

GOD'S PLAN — Sacrificial Giving

Sunday, September 27, 2009.....\$9,032.77
Last year, September 28, 2008.....\$8,689.72

COMPLETION OF EXTERIOR WORK ON SACRED HEART CHURCH FOR THIS YEAR!!

Don and Craig Gillette have finished work for this year. Exterior repairs to the church included pointing several areas on the church tower, repairing/replacing stones on two chimneys, fixing slate on tower roof areas, installing step flashing near buttresses on the tower, pointing area on the west gable and peaks of tower, repairing areas of the statue coves and installing metal plates to prevent the pigeons from roosting in windows, coves, etc. The repairs total \$23,900 (rental of the boom lift was \$12,700 of this cost).

CELEBRATE CHRIST 2009

Plan on attending Celebrate Christ 2009 at Trinity Catholic in Massena on October 17th. Bishop Peter Libasci keynote presentation *The Three R's of Catholic Identity* and seminars by Lee Nagel and Nancy Bird will be great opportunities for spiritual nourishment and professional development. More information is available at the rectory or on online at www.dioogdensburg.org. Registration for the event is required.

WHY CATHOLIC?

Mondays at the Convent has **rescheduled** to **Wednesdays** - Same time, place. Welcome newcomers!!

THE BISHOP'S FUND

Please respond as generously as possible to the request from Father LaValley, Diocesan Administrator.

Please place your donation in the collection basket and we will forward it to the Bishop's Fund Office. Online giving is also available at www.dioogdensburg.org/development — click on the "Donate Now" tab (found in the left hand margin of the website). Thank you, once again, for your generosity.

Diocesan Vocation Office Serra Club's Fall Pilgrimage

You are invited to participate in a pilgrimage trip to St. Joseph's Oratory, Montreal, Canada, on Wednesday, October 21st. Buses will depart from selected sites early Wednesday morning and arrive at St. Joseph's Oratory around noon. You must bring your own lunch. Father Terry LaValley will celebrate Mass at three o'clock at the Oratory. After Mass we will depart for St. Joseph's Church, West Chazy, for a buffet dinner. Registration forms are at the doors of the church. Once registration is complete, you will be mailed an itinerary.

NOTE: ALL REGISTRANTS MUST HAVE AN ENHANCED DRIVER'S LICENSE OR A PASSPORT TO PARTICIPATE IN THIS PILGRIMAGE.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS #1141

53 E Orvis St, Massena Sunday Brunch
1st Sunday of Every Month (9 am to 12 pm)
Open to the Public.