

Church of Our Lady of Lourdes

2222 Genesee Street, Utica, NY 13502

September 16 & 17, 2017



24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

The Mission of Our Lady of Lourdes Roman Catholic Parish
is to *Reveal the Compassionate Face of God.*

Eucharistic Celebrations
Saturday Vigil Mass: 4:00 pm
Sunday Masses: 7:30 am, 9:00 am, 11:15 am & 5:00 pm
Daily Mass - Monday thru Friday: 8:00 am
Reconciliation: following the Saturday Vigil Mass

Parish Office & Rectory: (315) 724-3155 Fax: (315) 732-3770
Intercessory Prayer Ministry: (315) 724-3155 ask for Sr. Lois
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Facebook: [@ourladyoflourdesutica](https://www.facebook.com/ourladyoflourdesutica)
Faith Formation Contact
Grades 1-5 Holly 725-4618 or hhgros@gmail.com
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Kim 404-2495 or kim327@roadrunner.com

***Prayer Remembrances for the week of
September 16th through September 22nd***

*We pray for all members of the parish living and
deceased, but especially*



Living:

Laurie Hotaling
Ann Robarge ~B'day
Jewell Smith
Jonathan Field

Requested by:

Family
Mary Alice Hebert
Mark & Linda Toukatly
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Deceased:

Anthony DiMambro

Albert Schram
Alexander & Fannie Deschano
Camille Caulkins

James Venezio
Bob Schachel
Marion Caulkins
Louis Narbone
Marie Alberico Cichello
John & Congetta Maggiolino
Ruth M. Sears ~25th Ann.

Sharon Siemers
Sheila Beaton
Teresa McGuire
Ann DiFabio
Joseph A. Greco, Sr. ~20th. Ann
Stewart Henderson
Nancy Snyder ~60th Wed. Ann.
Bud Wells
Marion Daniels

Dick Pexton
Elaine Marie Scholl
Dominick Ricci
Richard C. Zinger ~12th Ann.

Marie Didio ~7th Ann.
Paul Blando ~8th Ann.
Mary Walsh ~B'day
Pat Dietsche ~Ann.
John (Jack) Humphrey
Benedict "Ben" Poccia

Vielgo & Bisquera Family
Rosemary Kauth ~B'day

Nancy Salerno ~B'day
OLOL Eucharistic Adorers
Vinny Ranieri

Requested by:

Wife, Children
& Grandchildren
Barbara Ladock
Family
Gary, Jessica & Amanda
Amy Hotaling & Family
Angela & Robert Navarro
Barbara Mazloom
Gary, Amanda & Jessica
OLOL Parish
Rocco & Jane Femia
Family
Rosemary Sears
& Boyle Families
Dee Mitzler
Amy Hotaling & Family
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Amy Hotaling & Family
Beverly
Mark & Linda Toukatly
Phil & Family
Ed & Kathy Gunn
David & JoAnne
Abraham
Kavin & Ann Kearney
Husband, Don
Michele & Anthony Ricci
MaryAnn Zinger
& Family
Anita & Gordon Didio
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Niece Maureen Spatuzzi
Niece Maureen Spatuzzi
Wife & Daughter
Angela Salerno Pardi
Bob & Debbie Jackson
Resty Guerrero
Godchild, Roseann
Starsiak
Peter & Barbara Falzarine
Connie Mulvihill
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Readings for Sunday September 17th

24th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sirach 27:30-28:7

Psalms 103: 1-2,3-4, 9-10, 11-12
Romans 14:7-9
Matthew 18:21-35

*He pardons all your inequities,
heals all your ills.*

*He redeems your life from destruction,
crowns you with kindness and compassion*

Readings for Sunday September 24th

25th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Isaiah 55:6-9

Psalms 145:2-3, 8-9, 17-18
Philippians 1:20c-24, 27a
Matthew 20:1-16a

"God's
forgiveness
is stronger than
any sin."
Pope Francis



**The Sanctuary Lamp for the week of
September 16th burns in memory of**

Paul E. Fenton

by The Fenton Family

Monthly Memorials for September

The gift of bread has been given in memory of
Tom Forsythe by OLOL Parish

The gift of wine has been given in memory of
Jim Quinn By Quinn Family

The gift of candles has been given in memory of
Grace Huther by OLOL Parish

The gift of missals has been given in memory of
Mary Cicon by OLOL Parish

We commend to God those who have
recently passed on to their eternal reward.

Kyle M. Daily

Jacqueline M. Turpin

Rose M. Mozzetti

Richard R. Pexton

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord.



FAITH FORMATION

NEWS Faith Formation classes start today.

LETTER FROM BISHOP CUNNINGHAM

Inserted in this week's bulletin is a letter from the Most Rev. Robert J. Cunningham concerning priest positions and assignments to parishes. Our local Pastoral Care Area (PCA) would like all parishioners to be aware of his message as it may well effect future Mass schedules in our Parish.

BASKETS FOR RAFFLE NEEDED

The Pumpkin Carve Committee is looking for donations of gift baskets to raffle off. If you can donate a basket, please call Ed Gunn at 315-749-5122.



PLEASE HELP US TO KEEP OUR RECORDS CURRENT

By using the form below we can compare it to the census card filled out and also be certain that you are a registered parishioner. Sometimes people attend a Church for years and just assume they are registered. When children become adults or marry they should register under their own. Thank you for helping us keep our records up to date.

Parishioner Registration and Update

(Please place in collection or bring to parish office)

Name: _____
 Spouse: _____
 Address: _____
 City and Zip Code _____
 Telephone: _____
 Email: _____

Please check the following:

I'm new to the parish and wish to register

I(wish) (do not wish) to receive offertory Envelopes.

I'm registered and now request offertory Envelopes.

I'm registered; please update address/phone/Email as shown.

Please be sure to introduce yourself to Father after Mass.

Thank you & Welcome!



BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS

Sunday October 1st at 10:30 am in the Notre Dame Elementary School parking lot.

Humans welcome when accompanied by an animal.

Please clean up after your pets.

LOCAL PRIEST INCARCERATED AGAIN, NEEDS HELP TO POST BAIL.

Our very own Fr. Joe is in the clink but for a cause (that's what they all say). He will be arrested in October in order to raise money for Muscular Dystrophy Association. If you would like to help bail out the Padre you can place an envelope in the collection basket marked "Bail Money."



SAVE THE DATES

4th GREAT UTICA PUMPKIN CARVE

Opening night is Thursday October 5th 5:00-9:00pm
 Friday, October 6th, 5:00-10:00 pm with wine and beer tasting from 7:00 to 10:00 pm
 & Saturday October 7th Noon to 7:00 pm, with food, a bounce house, hayrides, the Zoomobile & a Chicken BBQ from 3:00-7:00pm.



*Feast of Sts. Cosmas & Damian
 2017 Program*

September 22nd - 24th 2017

*St. Anthony & St Agnes Church
 1500 Block of St. Anthony Street,
 Utica, NY
 (315) 732-1177*

Friday, September 22nd

A Healing Mass at 6:30 PM & Fellowship in the Pavilion

Saturday, September 23rd

*Masses will be celebrated at 4:00 PM & 7:00 PM
 A Candlelight Procession will follow the 7:00 PM Mass
 A Band Concert at 8:45 PM by The Red Band of Utica*

Sunday, September 24th.

*Masses in Church at 7:30, 9:00, 10:00, & 11:15 AM
 Masses at the Outdoor Shrine at 9:00, 10:00, & 11:15 AM
 Grand Procession through the Streets with the Statues of
 Sts. Cosmas & Damian, St. Pio, and our Blessed Mother at
 12:15 PM. Blessing of the Sick at 2:00 PM at the Outdoor Shrine.*

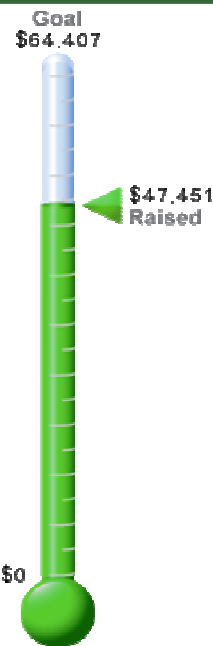


**FOOD, ITALIAN NOVELTIES, & RELIGIOUS ARTICLES AVAILABLE
 SATURDAY 4:00 - 10:00 PM & SUNDAY 8:00 AM - 4:00 PM**

*May All of your prayers be answered through
 the intercession of Sts Cosmas & Damian*

WEEKLY COLLECTION

The collection for the week of September 9 & 10
 301 Envelopes.. \$ 8,403.00
 Plate..... \$ 1,502.91
 44 Electronic Giving..... \$ 1,747.00
 Total..... \$ 11,652.91
Thank you for your continued support and generosity.



We currently have \$47,451.25 in pledges or 74% of our goal. We still need \$16,937.82 to reach the \$64,407.09. Thank you to the 318 families that have donated so far. Please make your pledge as soon as possible if you have not already done so. Envelopes are available in the pews.

LOURDES CALENDAR

All events will take place in the DePaul Room unless otherwise noted.

- Monday September 18th**
 6:30 pm ACOA ~ Lawler Hall
 7:30 pm A.A. ~ Lawler Hall
 5:00 pm Faith Formation Training
- Tuesday, September 19th**
 6:30 pm Finance Committee Meeting
- Wednesday, September 20th**
 12:00 noon Mohawk Valley Breastfeeding Café ~ Lawler Hall
 12:00 noon Catholic Woman's Club Card Party
 6:00 pm Eternal Father Rosary ~ Seton Chapel
 6:30 pm Pumpkin Carve Meeting
- Thursday, September 21st**
 7:00 pm Adult Choir ~ Church
- Friday, September 22nd**
 7:00 pm Comholtas
- Saturday, September 23rd**
 11:00 am A.A.

HURRICANE RELIEF

Thanks to all who contributed to the Hurricane Harvey Disaster Relief Campaign. We have raised \$6,814.94 so far. You can still contribute by placing an envelope in the collection basket marked Hurricane Harvey.

Liturgical Assignments for September 23 & 24

	Altar	Chalice Eucharistic	Bread	Lectors	Greeters
4:00 pm	See Sacristan for Schedule	Mary Alice Hebert Mariann Minson	Mary Ann LaPorte Ann Meyer Rob Munson Carol Polito Jackie Santoro	Tom Coyne Carol English Available	
7:30 am		Nancy Kneller Carol Parker	Resty Guerrero Susan Liker Tom Luker	Dick Parker Paul Lazzaro	
9:00 am		Brendan Phillips Brian Thomas	Austin Eddy Christine Eddy Carmen Hagan Larry Hagan Stewart Phillips	Marlene Angelini Melinda Thomas Shelly Withers	
11:15 am		Shannon Aquaviva Kathy Quigley David Scharf Ray Toukatly	Betsey Fortino Donna Kistler Christine Lawrence Jim Noyes Joseph Quinn	Bernard Hyman Brice Kistler Charles Brown	Maria Burynski Ray Burynski Cheryl Green James Green Anne Gates Joy Ann Miller
5:00 pm		Colleen Miccoli Edward Rooney	Karen Amarosa Concetta Carcone Available	Anne Popeo Sandra Rooney	

BAPTISMS: We joyfully welcome all into our Church family through this sacrament. For couples expecting a child, we encourage preparation to begin during pregnancy. Please contact parish offices to make arrangements as soon as possible.

MARRIAGES: Couples seeking to be joined in the Sacrament of matrimony are asked to make arrangements with our Pastor at least six months in advance of the celebration.

R.C.I.A.: Our church welcomes new members through a process called the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults and Children. If you or someone you know is interested in becoming a Catholic or completing their entrance into our church through Confirmation or Holy Eucharist, please call the parish office.

NEW PARISHIONERS: A thousand welcomes! We are happy that you are joining our faith community! Please enroll at parish office.

HOSPITAL VISITS: When entering a hospital or nursing home, please inform its staff that you are a parishioner of Our Lady of Lourdes Church so that we may be properly notified.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION:
Chapel located in Seton Center.
Every Monday thru Thursday ~ 9:00 am - 3:00 pm
Friday ~ 9:00 am - noon (closed on holidays)

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Mass is a time of prayer and reflection. Out of respect to our clergy & parishioners, please turn your cell phones off during Mass. If it is necessary to leave your phone on due to your profession or a family emergency, please switch your phone to the 'vibrate' mode.

PASTORAL STAFF

Pastor: Rev. Joseph A. Salerno
Parochial Vicar: Rev. Thomas Servatius
Parish Minister: Dcn. John Kopec
Parish Minister: Sr. Lois Mary Paciello
Outreach Ministries: Larry Hagan
Music Director: Randy Davis
Sunday Evening Liturgical Coordinator: Rusty Ritzel
Sunday Evening Music: Irena Lingley
Faith Formation Elementary School: Holly Gros
Faith Formation Jr. & Sr. High School: Will & Kim Smith
RCIA: Michele & Anthony Ricci

ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF

Parish Trustees: Richard Parker
Karen Stanislaus
Business Administrator: Marie Morosco
Administrative Assistant: Jim Powers
Summer Fun Program Director: Janis Farley

FACILITIES & MAINTENANCE STAFF

Facilities Manager: Joe Poupart
Maintenance Assistant: A. J. Bates
Housekeeper: Laurie Pensero

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We are equipped with a hearing assistance system. Please go to the sacristy before Mass. Father will assist you.

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Child Church is available for your convenience behind the Sacristy. A restroom and baby changing table are available in the room.

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