APRIL 28, 2019 SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER

<u>READINGS</u>: Acts 5.12-16 **Psalm** 118 Revelation 1.9-11a, 12-13, 17-19 John 20, 19-31

SATURDAY APRIL 27, 2019 4:00 PM CONFIRMATION

<u>Offered for:</u> Esther Jock, Memorial Mass, from the Funeral Collection <u>Altar Servers</u>: Megan, Phillip and Morgan <u>Lectors:</u> Confirmation Candidates

SUNDAY APRIL 28, 2019 10:00 AM

<u>Offered for</u>: Peter Sunday, Memorial Mass, from the Funeral Collection <u>Altar Servers</u>: Kenia, Analeyna and Rylee <u>Lectors:</u> Erin Cole and Phil Tarbell

TUESDAY APRIL 30, 2019 7:00 PM

<u>Offered for</u>: Phyllis Terrance, Memorial Mass, from the Funeral Collection

WEDNESDAY MAY 1 , 2018 12:10 PM

<u>Offered for</u>: Nelson Sawatis, Memorial Mass, from the Funeral Collection

THURSDAY MAY 2, 2019 NO MASS - FATHER JEROME ON RETREAT

FRIDAY MAY 3, 2019 NO MASS - FATHER JEROME ON RETREAT

SATURDAY MAY 4, 2019 4:00 PM FATHER ANDREW AMYOT

<u>Offered for:</u> Hubert Rourke, Birthday Anniversary Memorial Mass, Requested by the Rourke family

<u>Altar Servers</u>: Megan, Phillip and Morgan <u>Lectors:</u> Caroline Peters and Elizabeth Sunday

SUNDAY MAY 5, 2019 10:00 AM FATHER ANDREW AMYOT

<u>Offered for</u>: William H. Bero Memorial Mass, Requested by Toni and Vernie Herne <u>Altar Servers</u>: Kenia, Analeyna and Rylee <u>Lectors:</u> Children's Mass

2019 COLLECTIONS REPORT

April 18-19CDN \$ 188.70US \$ 117.02April 19-20CDN \$ 716.05US \$ 616.56

THURSDAY MAY 2ND: RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

6:00 – 7:00 PM at St. Kateri Tekakwitha Center. Classes for all children who are preparing for First Holy Communion **MAY 19, 2019**.

REMINDER: FRIDAY MAY 3, 2091 TRAINING FOR EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS SESSION 3 at

the St. Kateri Tekakwitha Center 5:00 – 7:00 PM with Sister Mary Christine Taylor.

SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER APRIL 28, 2018

"Peace be with you! Put your finger here and see My hands. Reach out your hand and put it into my side. Do not doubt, but believe."

Be a witness to the Divinity of Jesus Christ! Thus did the ancient Church speak to the newly baptized on this Sunday. Since their Baptism on Holy Saturday these converts wore white robes. Now in their everyday dress they must go out as witnesses that "Christ is the Truth" God the "Father "bore witness" to this at Christ's Baptism by "water," God the "Word" became our "Blood" witness on the Cross; God the "Spirit" gave witness when, by Him Jesus was conceived in the womb of Mary. Yes, this is the triple "testimony of God" which we, too, must witness unto others — that "Jesus is God".

To the "doubting Thomases" of all future ages, Jesus gave a new proof of His Divinity in today's Gospel, "written that you may believe. . .and that believing you may live life. "Confirmation perfects baptismal grace; it is the sacrament which gives the Holy Spirit in order to root us more deeply in the divine filiation, incorporate us more firmly into Christ, strengthen our bond with the Church, associate us more closely with her mission and help us bear witness to the Christian faith in words accompanied by deeds."

APRIL 27, 2019

This Saturday, Bishop Terry R. LaValley, Bishop of Ogdensburg, will confer the Sacrament of Confirmation on eight of our parishioners. One of the seven sacraments of the Catholic Church, like Baptism and Holy Orders, a person who receives Confirmation receives , in addition to grace, a sacramental character or "seal" by which the person receives a sacramental configuration to Christ and His Church, brought about by the Spirit. It remains forever as a positive disposition for grace, a promise and guarantee of divine protection. These three sacraments can never be repeated. The following prayer is offered by the Bishop, as he extends his hands over the confirmands:

All powerful God, Father of Our Lord Jesus Christ, by water and the Holy Spirit, You freed Your sons and daughters from sin and gave them new life. Send Your Holy Spirit upon them to be their helper and guide. Give them the spirit of wisdom and understanding, the spirit of right judgment and courage, the spirit of knowledge and reverence. Fill them with the spirit of wonder and awe in your presence. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

GRATITUDE

Gratitude unlocks the fullness of life. It turns what we have into enough, and more. It turns denial into acceptance, chaos to clarity. It can turn a meal into a feast, a house into a home, a stranger into a friend. Gratitude makes sense of our past, brings peace for today, and creates a vision for tomorrow.

APRIL 29, 2018 FEAST OF ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA

Every day You give us this food, the Eucharist, showing us yourself in the sacrament of the altar,,, And what has done this? Your mercy! (St. Catherine of Siena)

MAY 1, 2018 FEAST OF ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER St. Joseph faithfully practiced the carpenter's trade. He is the shining example for all workers. (Canticle Antiphon for today.)

THE LORD'S PRAYER (in Mohawk)

Ta kwa ien ha, ne, ka ron hia ke, te si te ron, a ie sa sen na ien, a ie sa wen ni ios ta ke, a ie sa wen na ra kwa ke, non wen tsia ke, tsi ni iot, ne, ka ron hia ke, kie sa wen na rak wa. Ta kwa nont, ne, ken wen te, ia kion he kon, nia te wen ni se ra ke, sa sa ni konr hen, ne ion kwa ri wa ne ren, tsi ni iot, ni, i, tsi on kwa ni konr hens. O the non, ion ki ni konh rak sa ton, non kwe; to sa, a ion kwa sen ni, ne ka ri wa ne ren, ak we kon, e ren, sa wit, nio tak sens. NE NE KA NA KE RAH TSHE RA, NE NE KA SATS TENH SE RA, KA IA TA NE HRA KWAH TSHE RA, SA WEN'K NON:WA NOK TSI NEN:WE – E THO E THO NA IA WEN.

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY, APRIL 28, 2010

The first Sunday after Easter is DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY. As we contemplate Jesus in the photo behind our main altar, remember His unfailing mercy and forgiveness for all our sins. **Pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet**. Five decades as follows. **On the Our Father Beads**: Eternal Father, we offer You the Body and Blood, Soul and Divinity, of Your Divine Son Our Lord Jesus Christ in atonement for our sins and those of the whole world. **On the 10 Hail Mary beads**: For the sake of His sorrowful Passion, have mercy on us and on the whole world. **Last Mystery:** Holy God. Holy Mighty One. Holy Immortal One. Have mercy on us and on the whole world.

WOMEN'S RETREAT at Norfolk : May 4, 2019

Ms. Edwina Gateley will give a retreat for women at the Father Amyot Parish Center in Norfolk on May 4th, beginning at 9 AM. he theme will be: *Soul Sisters: Women Called To Connect, Bond, And Heal In A Broken World*. Pre-registration is required by April 24, 2019. Cost: \$20, includes lunch. Contact Person: Cathy Russell - crussell@rcdony.org or call 315-393-2920 ext. 1450.

PRO-LIFE MARCH IN OTTAWA - THURSDAY, MAY 9, 2019

Every year Pro-Life sponsors a March to Parliament for the purpose of demonstrating displeasure with the Canadian laws concerning the Unborn. The announcement concerning buses for this event is pending. For those who cannot make the march, the Knights of Columbus Council 11531 of Cornwall will have an Hour of Prayer to support the efforts of the marchers and to pray for the Unborn and their mothers. Choosing life over death is a community event and needs the support of the community in words, actions, and deeds. The hour of prayer will take place at St. Francis de Sales Church, Second Street in Cornwall, on Monday, May 6, 2019 at 7:00 PM. Please plan to attend.

NIAWEN:KOWA FOR ALL WHO HELPED DURING HOLY

WEEK especially our faithful Altar Servers: Megan, Phillip and Morgan, Kenia and Analeyna, Mia and Caroline; Robert and Lisa Roundpoint for assisting with the blessing of the fire on Holy Saturday; the Liturgical Ministry readers and lectors; the Altar Rosary Society for the Easter flowers (arranging/purchasing); the Mohawk choir and to Minerva White for her many years of service as our Music Ministry Chair on her last day as Church Organist April 28th; Cole Philips for music and singing the Exultet during Easter Vigil; and to Dolly for hospitality and for the Easter Eggs. There were many others who volunteered in many ways to make our Easter Celebration a huge success which also include the sacristans, greeters, church cleaners, ushers, counters, pastoral care visitors and many others. **GOD BLESS!**

LIFT UP IN PRAYER ALL WHO ARE ALONE, SUFFERING, AND IN NEED

Lord, we place in your tender care those suffering pain. loneliness, despair in prisons, detention homes, rehabilitation centers, hospitals, and nursing homes. Heal and console our parishioners who are ill, especially, Ruby Nowak, Richard Phillips, Jimmy Cook, Barney Rourke, Louise Jacobs, Darlene Sunday, Loran Lazore, Marjorie Lazore, Philip Francis, Beverly Thompson, Hattie Jackson Lazore, Beatrice Cole, Danielle Cole, Cindy Cole, Michael Herne, Eleanor Thompson, Alexina Auger, Marilyn Tarbell, Maggie Terrance, Joyce Kelso, Marcia Barnes, Deon Mitchell, Raymond Sunday, Hubert and Felicia Jock, Marie Casey, Leonard and Isabel Garrow, Louis Garrow. and all families now mourning the loss of loved ones. Eternal rest grant unto David Francis and Ruby Nowak, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. AMEN.

TEEN LIFE DAY: Featuring Students for Life – May 18 All middle, high school, and college students are invited to St. Bernard's Church, Saranac Lake on Saturday, May 18,

from 9 AM to 4 PM for the "Teen Life Day.". Kate Maloney, Students for Life Northeast Regional Coordinator, along with guest speakers: Kathy Gallagher (NYS Catholic Conference), Dr. Jan Patterson (Gianna Center) and Nancy Belzile (Silent No More & 40 Days for Life) will present an educational day including games and prizes! Learn how to defend your prolife views, how birth control works, how to make NY an abortion-free state, how to start a prolife club in your parish and about public witness with 40 Day for Life and Silent No More. Eucharistic Adoration available all day. \$10 fee includes lunch. Register at <u>www.rcdony.org/prolife</u> Call or text The Respect Life Office 518-524-0774 or Youth Ministry 315-393-2920 Ext. 1415 #prolifegeneration

Rachel's Vineyard: After-Abortion Healing Retreat

The Spring Rachel's Vineyard after-abortion healing retreat will be held Friday, May 31-Sunday, June 2, 2019 at the Guggenheim Lodge in Saranac Lake. If you or someone you know is hurting after an abortion, consider attending this weekend retreat. Confidential registration is available at the Respect Life webpage <u>rcdony.org/prolife</u>. For more information call or text Colleen Miner 518-524-0774 or email <u>cminer@rcdony.org</u>. You're not alone. Help is available.

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR 2019 CONFIRMATION CANDIDATES

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NIAWEN:KOWA to all the parents, guardians, grandparents, Godparents, sponsors, family, friends and volunteers for your support in strengthening our Catholic faith to our confirmands.