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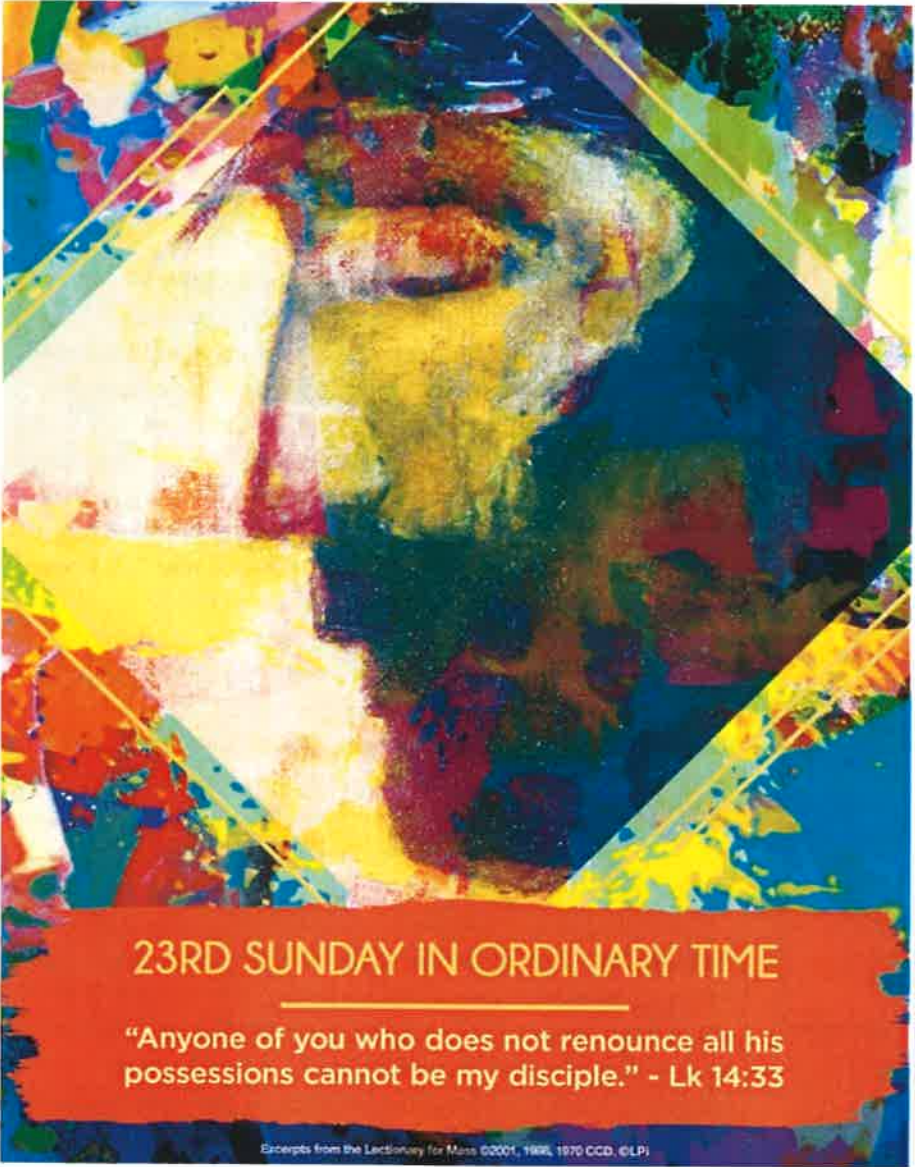
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Christ Our Hope Parish

St. Joseph Church, Boonville
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St. Mary of the Snows, Otter

The Catholic Community of Northern Oneida County



23RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"Anyone of you who does not renounce all his possessions cannot be my disciple." - Lk 14:33

Today's Readings begin on pg. 996 Year C

Wisdom 9:13-18b
Who can conceive what the Lord intends?
Psalm 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14 & 17
In every age, O Lord, you have been our refuge.
Philemon 9-10, 12-17
Receive him no longer as a slave but as a beloved brother.
Luke 14:25-33
Anyone of you who does not renounce all possessions cannot be my disciple.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, September 6th
8:30AM (St.J)
-Healing Mass
4:00 PM— (St. J)
-For Jean Wagner by Mark & Celia Domser

Sunday, September 7th
8:00AM—(St. P)
-For Raymond Alm by wife Virginia.
-For David Palazzoli by Rosemary Fitts.
9:30AM—(St. J)
-For John Sugar by Jane & Family.
11:15AM—(St. M)
-For Our Parishioners & Their Intentions.

Monday, September 8th
7:30AM — (St. J)
-For Eugene Demo by Tyler & Megan Bourgeois.

Tuesday, September 9th
7:30AM—(St. J)
-For Carol Kelly by the Podkowka Family.

Wednesday, September 10th
7:30AM—(St. J)
-For Matthew F. & Grace Sullivan Conway by Margaret Pfendler & Family.
8:30AM — (St. P)
-For Carol McCarthy by the McCarthy Family.

Thursday, September 11th
7:30AM—(St. J)
-For Our Parishioners & Their Intentions.

Friday, September 12th
7:30AM—(St. J)
-For Emma May Lyon (birthday) by Family & Friends.

Saturday, September 13th
8:30AM (St.J)
-For Deceased Members of the Arthur & Julia Serth Family by MaryLou & John Serth.
-For (Living) Andrew, Thomas & John Knapp by the Thomas Knapp Family.
4:00 PM— (St. J)
-For Charles W. Montroy by Nina Montroy.

Sunday, September 14th
8:00AM—(St. P)
-For Bill & Ruth Strassberger by Bill & Dee Strassberger.
-For Living & Deceased Members of the Gates Family by Tim & Sherri Stephenson.
9:30AM—(St. J)
-For Emma May Lyon by Family & Friends
11:15AM—(St. M)
-For Our Parishioners & Their Intentions.

OFFICE HOURS

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MASS TIMES

Daily Mass

Monday through Friday
7:30AM (SJ) Boonville; Saturday 8:30AM (SJ)
Wednesday 8:30AM (SP) Forestport
Praying of the Rosary after all weekday masses.

Holy Hours

Tuesday 8AM-9AM (SJ)
Monday—Friday 6PM-7PM (SJ)
Exposition @6PM, Adoration 6PM-7PM
Evening Prayer and Benediction @ 6:45PM
Sacrament of Reconciliation 6:15PM-6:45PM

Sunday Mass

Vigil Saturday 4:00PM (SJ) Boonville
Sunday 8AM (SP) Forestport
(confessions from 7:15AM-7:45AM (SP))
9:30AM (SJ) Boonville

St Mary of the Snows 11:15AM (SM) Otter Lake
(Memorial Day through Columbus day)

Baptism

Please call the office to make arrangements.

Marriage

Please make an appointment with the priest at least 6 Months prior to wedding date.

Reconciliation

3:00-3:45PM Saturdays at St Joseph's, Boonville
and 7:15-7:45AM Sunday at St Patrick's, Forestport
† To request either the Anointing of the Sick or
Communion to the Sick please call the Parish Office. †

JUBILEE Year of Hope

Father in heaven, may the faith you have given us in your son, Jesus Christ, our brother, and the flame of charity enkindled in our hearts by the Holy Spirit, reawaken in us the blessed hope for the coming of your Kingdom. May your grace transform us into tireless cultivators of the seeds of the Gospel. May those seeds transform from within both humanity and the whole cosmos in the sure expectation of a new heaven and a new earth, when, with the powers of Evil vanquished, your glory will shine eternally. May the grace of the Jubilee reawaken in us, Pilgrims of Hope, a yearning for the treasures of heaven. May that same grace spread the joy and peace of our Redeemer throughout the earth. To you our God, eternally blessed, be glory and praise for ever. Amen

Dear Friends in Christ,

In The Gospel this weekend, we may well be shocked by the words spoken by our beloved Saviour:

"If anyone comes to me without hating his father and mother, wife and children, brothers and sisters, and even his own life, he cannot be my disciple. ... anyone of you who does not renounce all his possessions cannot be my disciple."

We can begin to understand these teachings when we are mindful of the commandment of love proclaimed by the Lord. After being asked "Teacher, which commandment in the law is the greatest?" (Matthew 22:36) Jesus Responds by saying " This is the greatest and the first commandment. The second is like it: You shall love your neighbor as yourself. I The whole law and the prophets depend on these two commandments." (Matthew 22:37-38)

Love for the Lord must be our first love. Pope St. John Paul II, reflecting on this passage teaches: The basis of this requirement to love God totally is the love that God himself has for man. He waits for a true response of love from the people he loves with the fondest love.

He goes on to explain the nature of this love: [There are] ...two essential characteristics of this love. The first is that man would never be capable of it, if God did not give [us the] strength to love the Lord.... The other is that this love, far from being reduced to sentiment, is concretely expressed ... by keeping his commandments... Charity is the essence of the new "commandment" that Jesus taughtindeed [it] becomes a clear proof of one's love for God: "For this is the love of God, that we keep his commandments" (1 Jn 5: 3). "He who has my commandments and keeps them, he it is who loves me; and he who loves me will be loved by my Father, and I will love him and manifest myself to him" (Jn 14: 21).

Love of God and neighbor is not determined by our feelings. St. Paul made this clear when he defined the true nature of authentic love: Love is patient, love is kind. It is not jealous, love is not pompous, it is not inflated, it is not rude, it does not seek its own interests, it is not quick-tempered, it does not brood over injury, it does not rejoice over wrongdoing but rejoices with the truth. It bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things. (1 Corinthians 13:4-7)

When we contemplate the passion of our Lord, we can realize that Jesus loved the Father in just the way He commands us to love God. Let us keep ...our eyes fixed on Jesus, the leader and perfecter of faith. For the sake of the joy that lay before him he endured the cross, despising its shame... (Hebrews 12:1-2) We are mindful again of the words spoken by Fr. John Harden, "Love wants to suffer!" Grace be with you,
Rev. Thomas I. Ward



PRAYER REQUESTS

We remember in our prayers

Charles Mooney, Frances Miller,
Jamie Uhl-Goosman, Jeffrey Batt, Lorraine King,
Walt Belewich, Sr., Jim White,
John Bailey, Cretia Carpenter, Candace Schaffer,
David Hoffman, Michael Stinebrickner,
Ron Cuccaro, Michelle Durney Croniser,
Alan Ripp, Wayne Millnitz, Rick Dano,
Matthew King,, Tim Thayer, Eric Wayne Brown,
Everett Otto Stoots, and Jeremy VanValkenburg

FAITH FORMATION 2025/2026 REGISTRATION

Classes will begin September 21st! (Circle of Care optional class is Sept. 14th.) Registration forms have been mailed out. They will also be available at the church entrances. Registration forms are due by August 29th.

Any questions, please call
(315) 942-4618 or(315)-777-2658

SAVE THE DATE: OCTOBER 5, 2025

Christ Our Hope Parish Fall Festival
At Stysh's Brown Barn from 1-4 PM

We will be having a 50/50 raffle and basket raffles.
More details to follow!



Save the Date!
Mother of Divine Hope
October 25, 2025
Oncenter, Syracuse NY



Christ Our Hope

Last Week's Collection

Regular: \$4,516.00
Unity Acres: \$2,186.00

September Second Collections

9/7—Repairs & Improvements
9/14 —Catholic University of America
9/28—Fuel & Heat

We are one: Please make your donation out to **Christ Our Hope Parish**
TO MAKE YOUR WEEKLY DONATION ONLINE VISIT
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Food Pantry Corner

The food pantry distributed 1635 meals for the month of August to 28 families throughout our communities. We are grateful for your donations of snacks and drinks throughout the summer to assist our families with children. A special thank you for the generous donations of school supplies. Your support is greatly appreciated. Thank you
.Please share our number 315-507-0547 with neighbors that need food assistance.

Join the Diocesan Jubilee Pilgrimage to the Shrine of Divine Mercy

Experience a day of prayer, beauty, and spiritual renewal at the National Shrine of Divine Mercy in Stockbridge, Massachusetts—nestled in the serene Berkshire Hills on the sacred grounds of Eden Hill. This one-day Pilgrimage offers a powerful opportunity to encounter God's mercy alongside fellow pilgrims from across the Diocese.

Date: Saturday, September 27, 2025

Cost: \$75 per person

Departure: Holy Cross Church, DeWitt
(Check-in begins at 7:30 AM)

Visit syracusediocese.org/jubilee-2025 to register.

Mission of Love for the Lonely at Sunset Nursing Home every Saturday morning from 10-11 AM. On Fridays, from 6-7PM we will be making arts & crafts for the nursing home, plus babysitting while parents attend Adoration. Please join us!

KIDS CORNER

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