

# Saint John Vianney Parish

ST. MARY'S CHURCH - ST. GABRIEL'S CHURCH

March 8th, Third Sunday in Lent

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## Mission Statement

*St John Vianney Parish is a welcoming home which embraces all people by sharing God's transforming love. We worship, celebrate the Sacraments, promote spiritual growth and are Christ's hands for those in need.*

## Vision Statement

*Full Churches every weekend with a vibrant, diverse community of parishioners exercising our faith inside and outside the church as living examples of Christ's work.*

## Parish Pastoral Council

Council Co-Chairs: Jack Merriam & Shelly Wood

Vice Chair: John McKinley

Council Members: Al Hanning, Lisa Glovins, Deacon Bob Colomaio, Keith Glovins, Jack Merriam, Steve Cummings, Deacon Thomas Jack, Sheri Neu, Pete Langendorfer

Youth Representative: Ana Truth

Ex Officio: Shelly Wood

## Parish Finance Council

Council Chair: Greg Hintz

Council Members:  
Pam Colomaio,  
Al Hanning,  
Bill MacNamara,  
Mark Alger,  
Richard Yochem,  
John Bell

Ex Officio:  
Shelly Wood

Third Sunday of Lent



St. Mary's Church  
32 East Morris St.  
Bath, NY 14810

**Celebrations of the Lord's Day**  
**Saturday 4:00 pm at St. Mary's Church**  
**Sunday 8:00 am at St. Gabriel's Church**  
**10:00 am at St. Mary's Church**  
**Adoration & Daily Mass Times:**  
**Mon & Thurs 10:30am & 11:30am at St. Mary's**  
**Tues & Fri 10:30am & 11:30am at St. Gabriel's**

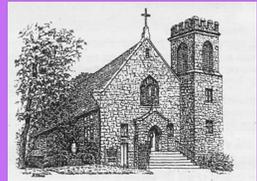
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Mon-Fri

8:00 am—3:00 pm

Email: SJV@dor.org  
or SJV2012@dor.org



St. Gabriel's Church  
78 Shethar St.  
Hammondsport, NY 14840

**The Sacrament of Reconciliation is available: \* Saturday at 3:00pm at St. Mary's Church or \* By appointment by calling the parish office**

**St. John Vianney's Parish Support  
for Feb 28th & 1st**

**Attendance: 165**  
**Weekly Offertory Income: \$ 2,879.00**  
**Secondary Offertory Income Insurance: 582.00**

**Upcoming Second Collections March 15th:  
Faith Formation**

Donations can also be made online under the donate tab on our website: [www.sjvbath.org](http://www.sjvbath.org)

*Sincere thanks for your support of our parish and its ministries!*

**Scripture Readings**

**March 8th Third Sunday of Lent:**

**1st Reading:** Exodus 17:3-7

**2nd Reading:** Romans 5:1-2, 5-8

**Gospel:** John 4:5-42



We welcome little ones in our community to celebrate the Sacrament of Baptism. For Baptism information please **contact** the parish office or see Fr. Hoan.

If you have or know of any upcoming events you would like to see in the bulletin, please contact Nicki Ignatz. They need to be submitted a week or two prior.



**Weddings**



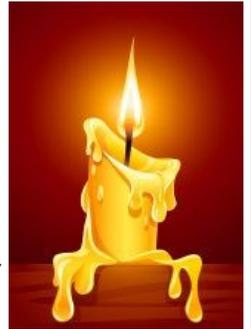
Please contact the Parish office 8 to 12 months in advance.

*Lord, on this Third Sunday of Lent, we turn our hearts to You in prayer. Strengthen us with Your grace, that we may grow in faith and in love. Help us to deepen our relationship with You, through prayer, fasting, and almsgiving. Guide us to walk the path of repentance and renewal, so that we may prepare our hearts to celebrate the joy of Easter. We ask this in the name of Your Son, Jesus Christ. Amen.*



*Please keep all who have recently died, and their families, in your prayers.*

The red Sanctuary Lamp, continuously aglow above or near the tabernacle, indicates the presence of Christ, the Blessed Sacrament. If you wish to have the Sanctuary Lamp lit in memory of a loved one, please contact the parish office. In addition, if you would like to sponsor the Altar Breads, Altar Wine or Altar Candles for a given month in memory of a loved one, please contact the parish office.



**St. John Vianney Parish**

Lana L, Paula Gardner, Dennis Dinehart, Dominic, Jeanne K, Nancy Robinson, Bonnie L, Sally Page, Deb G, Robert A. & Jason Kersch.

**Names stay on the list for 3 weeks. A name may then be renewed by the individual or member of the family if needed.**

**Heavenly Father, heal the sick, comfort the sorrowing, encourage the discouraged and give us strength.**

**DIOCESE OF ROCHESTER PERMANENT DIACONATE:**

The deacon is a man of faith, who is called from the community that already recognizes his dedication to service. He makes a lifetime commitment to serving the People of God by proclaiming the Word, assisting and presiding at liturgies, and ministering in the areas of charity and social justice. A deacon gives witness to his availability to the community by addressing present and emerging needs of the Church. The Diocese is inviting interested men of strong and active faith, who can demonstrate a record of service in the communities in which they live, work and worship, who may wish to explore a possible call to ordained ministry as a permanent deacon, to first speak with their pastor for an initial conversation. They may also contact Deacon Edward Giblin, Director of the Office of the Permanent Diaconate, at [edward.giblin@dor.org](mailto:edward.giblin@dor.org), for additional information. A potential candidate must be at least 35 years of age and no older than 62 years of age at the time of ordination after a five (5) year period of formation. He must be in good health, emotionally mature, have stable relationships and must have the wholehearted support of his wife (if married) and family to enter the phase of inquiry. Because the parish is the primary experience of Church for most inquirers, the parish community is asked as well to invite from among its members men who exhibit strong faith and a spirit of service, and to encourage them to consider a possible vocation to the permanent diaconate. The Diocese anticipates that the next formation class will begin in Fall 2027, with the application process beginning in early 2027.



**“Journey From the Desert to the Garden”**

Our Lenten theme, “**Journey From the Desert to the Garden**”, has begun and Wednesday Lenten services will be held at St. Mary’s O’Malley Hall. The programs are designed to further review and explain the importance of the symbolism and significance of the rituals we celebrate during Holy Week. We would love to be your journey companions this Lent.

**Week 4:**

**NO Wednesday evening prayer service or program**

**Thursday 3/12 6:00pm** Spaghetti Dinner @ St. Mary’s to benefit St. John Vianney’s CMA

**Friday 3/13 7:00pm** Stations of the Cross @ St. Mary’s “Stations of the Cross for Our Time”

**Week 5:**

**Wednesday 3/18 5:30pm** Evening prayer, dinner and program on Scripture readings chosen for the Easter Vigil

**Saturday 3/21 10:00am-12:00pm** “**No Bunny Loves You Like Jesus**”- children’s Lenten activity event. Children and their families are invited to a morning of learning and fun in O’Malley Hall.

**Week 6:**

**Wednesday 3/25 5:30pm** Evening prayer, dinner and program on Easter Vigil Psalms.

**Friday 3/27 7:00pm** Stations of the Cross @ St. Mary’s.

The GriefShare program has started at the Dormann Library on Wednesdays from 12pm-2pm for people dealing with the loss of loved ones. This program is open to people of all faiths.



Contact Kathy Bell for more information (585)766-2800



Thursday, March 12th at 6:00pm in O’Malley Hall at St. Mary’s we will be having our CMA dinner. Cost \$12 Adult, \$6 Children & 4 under free.

Donations prayerfully appreciated.

**Collection for Turning Point Ministry**

**For the month of March is Toilet Paper**

**Please place the donations in the baskets in the back of both churches.**



Unscramble words from today’s Gospel:

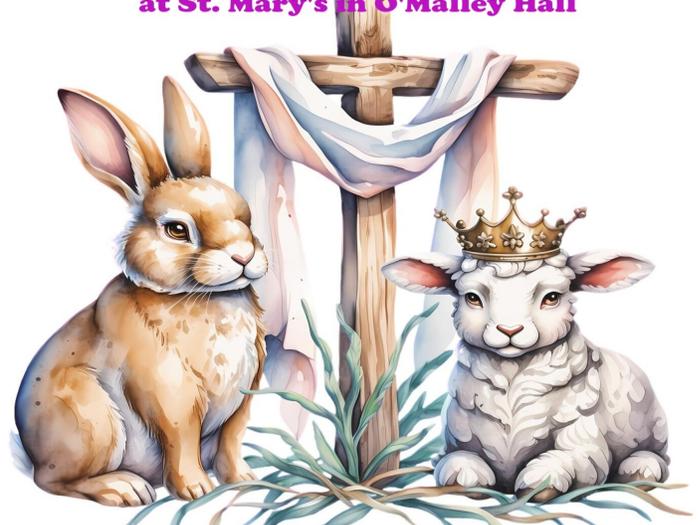
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**“No Bunny Loves You Like Jesus” Children’s Lenten Activity Event at St. Mary’s in O’Malley Hall**



**Saturday, March 21st 10:00am-12:00pm**

**Loaves & Fishes**

Our local food pantry in Hammondspport at St. Gabriel’s Church is in need of Paper Products & Personal Care items

Ex: paper towels, toothpaste, deodorant

## Daily Readings for the week

### Monday March 9th

**2 Kings** 5:1-15ab, **Ps** 42:2, 3; 43:3, 4, **Luke** 4:24-30

### Tuesday March 10th

**Daniel** 3:25, 34-43, **Ps** 25:4-5ab, 6 & 7bc, 8-9, **Matthew** 18:21-35

### Wednesday March 11th

**Deuteronomy** 4:1, 5-9, **Ps** 147:12-13, 15-16, 19-20, **Matthew** 5:17-19

### Thursday March 12th

**Jeremiah** 7:23-28, **Ps** 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9, **Luke** 11:14-23

### Friday March 13th

**Hosea** 14:2-10, **Ps** 81:6c-8a, 8bc-9, 10-11ab, 14 & 17, **Mark** 12:28-34

**CMA: Our Parish goal for 2025/26 is \$28,000**

**Our parish number is 361.** Please write it on your check or envelope and make **checks payable to CMA.**

Please join us in reaching our parish goal.

Have you made your pledge yet?

**We are over halfway to our goal!!**

**We have had 71 donors and are at 64.66% to our parish goal**

**Thank you to our donors who have donated already and for your continued support.**



## St. John Vianney's Mass Intentions

March 7th – March 15th

### Saturday, Mar 7th

**STM 4:00 pm** Linda Argentieri-Rascorar by The Argentieri Family

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### Sunday, Mar 8th

**STG 8:00 am** For The People of the Parish

**STM 10:00 am** Alex Pretti by Jackie Halifax

### Monday, Mar 9th

**STM: 10:30 am Adoration followed by Mass**

**11:30 am** For The People of the Parish

### Tuesday, Mar 10th

**STG: 10:30 am Adoration followed by Mass**

**11:30 am** For The People of the Parish

### Wednesday, Mar 11th

**STM 5:30 pm NO** Evening prayer, dinner & program this week

### Thursday, Mar 12th

**STM 10:30 am Adoration Followed by Mass**

**11:30 am** For The People Parish

### Friday, Mar 13th

**STG 10:30 am Adoration Followed by Mass**

**11:30 am** For The People of the Parish

### Saturday, Mar 14th

**STM 4:00 pm** Dr. Dean DeBroekert by The Argentieri Family

### Sunday, Mar 15th

**STG 8:00 am** In Memory of Stacia Fox by Elaine Fox

**STM 10:00 am** Derek Fisher by Evie & Al Hanning

**The Sacrament of Reconciliation is also available during Adoration times:**

**10:30am-11:30am M & Th @ STM & 10:30 am -11:30 am T & F @ STG**



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Please know you are the only reason we are here.



**Anointing of the Sick/Prayers for Healing**  
**Anointing is this weekend**  
**Sat. March 7th & Sun March 8th**  
**after each Mass.**



**With the addition of the weekday Masses there are more opportunities for Mass intentions.**

**If you'd like to request a Mass Intention, fill out the envelopes that are available in the pews, at the back of both churches or call/stop by the parish office.**

**Adoration and Daily Mass schedule times will be:**

St. Mary's- Mon. & Thurs. Adoration at 10:30 am and Mass following at 11:30 am.

St. Gabriel's- Tues. & Fri. Adoration at 10:30 am and Mass following at 11:30 am.