

Saint John Vianney Parish

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



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Office Hours: Mon ♦ Wed 9:00 am—12:30 pm



Celebrations of the Lord's Day

Saturday St. Mary's Church

3:15 pm Sacrament of Reconciliation

4:00 pm Mass

Sunday 9:30 am Mass

St. Gabriel's Church

Sunday 8:00 am Mass

Weekend November 7th & 8th, 2020



Let my prayer come into your presence.
Incline your ear to my cry for help, O Lord.

	Mass Intentions
Saturday	
4:00 pm	Rebecca Striano DiTomasso by Michael Sestak Mark Fiordo by Frieda Fiordo
Sunday	
8:00 am	For the Parishioners of St. John Vianney
9:30 am	Rebecca Striano DiTomasso by Rose Ormsby

If you'd like to request a Mass Intention fill out the envelopes that are available in the tray in the offertory box in the back of both churches

Penitential Act: I confess to almighty God and to you, my brothers and sisters, that I have greatly sinned, in my thoughts and in my words, in what I have done and what I failed to do, through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault; therefore I ask the blessed Mary ever-Virgin, all the Angels and Saints, and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God. May almighty God have mercy on us, forgive us our sins, and bring us to everlasting life. **Amen**

GLORIA: Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory. Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father. Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen

FIRST READING

Wisdom 6:12-16

Resplendent and unfading is wisdom, and she is readily perceived by those who love her, and found by those who seek her. She hastens to make herself known in anticipation of their desire; whoever watches for her at dawn shall not be disappointed, for he shall find her sitting by his gate. For taking thought of his wisdom is the perfection of prudence, and whoever for her sake keeps vigil shall quickly be free from care; because she makes her own rounds, seeking those worthy of her, and graciously appears to them in the ways, and meets them with all solicitude.

The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God**

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 63:2,3-4,5-6,7-8

R. My soul is thirsting for you, O Lord my God.

O God, you are my God whom I seek; for you my flesh pines and my soul thirsts like the earth, parched, lifeless and without water.

R. My soul is thirsting for you, O Lord my God.

Thus have I gazed toward you in the sanctuary to see your power and your glory, for your kindness is a greater good than life; my lips shall glorify you.

R. My soul is thirsting for you, O Lord my God.

Thus will I bless you while I live; lifting up my hands, I will call upon your name. As with the riches of a banquet shall my soul be satisfied, and with exultant lips my mouth shall praise you.

R. My soul is thirsting for you, O Lord my God.

I will remember you upon my couch, and through the night-watches I will meditate on you: you are my help, and in the shadow of your wings I shout for joy.

R. My soul is thirsting for you, O Lord my God.



SECOND READING

1 Thessalonians 4:13-18

We do not want you to be unaware, brothers and sisters, about those who have fallen asleep, so that you may not grieve like the rest, who have no hope. For if we believe that Jesus died and rose, so too will God, through Jesus, bring with him those who have fallen asleep. Indeed we tell you this, on the word of the Lord, that we who are alive, who are left until the coming of the Lord, will surely not precede those who have fallen asleep. For the Lord himself, with a word of command, with the voice of an archangel and with the trumpet of God, will come down from heaven, and the dead in Christ will rise first. Then we who are alive, who are left, will be caught up together with them in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air. Thus we shall always be with the Lord. Therefore, console one another with these words.



The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God**

GOSPEL

Matthew 25:1-13

The Lord be with you. **And with your spirit.**

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Matthew

R. Glory to you, O Lord.

Jesus told his disciples this parable: "The kingdom of heaven will be like ten virgins who took their lamps and went out to meet the bridegroom. Five of them were foolish and five of them were wise. The foolish ones, when taking their lamps, brought no oil with them, but the wise brought flasks of oil with their lamps. Since the bridegroom was long delayed, they all became drowsy and fell asleep. At midnight, there was a cry, 'Behold, the bridegroom! Come out to meet him!' Then all those virgins got up and trimmed their lamps. The foolish ones said to the wise, 'Give us some of your oil, for our lamps are going out.' But the wise ones replied, 'No, for there may not be enough for us and you. Go instead to the merchants and buy some for yourselves.' While they went off to buy it, the bridegroom came and those who were ready went into the wedding feast with him. Then the door was locked. Afterwards the other virgins came and said, 'Lord, Lord, open the door for us!' But he said in reply, 'Amen, I say to you, I do not know you.' Therefore, stay awake, for you know neither the day nor the hour."

The Gospel of the Lord. **R. Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ**



Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried; he descended into hell; on the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty; from there he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. **Amen**

Communion Antiphon

The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want. Fresh and green are the pastures where he gives me repose, near restful waters he leads me.

Prayer to St. Michael



Saint Michael, the Archangel, defend us in battle, be our protection against the wickedness and the snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray; and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly host, by the power of God, thrust into Hell Satan and the other evil spirits who prowl about the world seeking for the ruin of souls. Amen.

Church News

Poinsettia Sale

Our sale is now finished. Thank to all who participated and supported our parish. Stay tuned and watch bulletins for details on their delivery date.



Last call to pick up Operation Christmas Child boxes. They need to be returned to the parish office no later than, Saturday, November, 14th.



Volunteers needed for the month of December....

USHERS: the Ushers are the people who open up church, greet you at church, hand out bulletins, invite you at Communion when to leave your pew and step out into the aisle, then the same at end of Mass. They also help oversee putting your money into the collection basket and getting it into the tamper proof bag.



SANITIZERS: stay after Mass to wipe down the pews with spray and any other areas used. It takes about twenty minutes, depending on how many people attend mass.

Please call the parish office if you want to volunteer to help before or after Mass.

Religious Education

If you were unable to attend last Sunday's kickoff for religious education, there is still time to register your children and pick up a book. Please contact Gerrie Sheehan at the parish office or by email at gerrie.sheehan@dor.org.



We are looking for new members for Youth Ministry. If you are **interested in joining SJV's youth ministry and are in grades 7-12**, please contact Nicki Ignatz, our Youth Minister, at (607) 776-3327 or nicole.ignatz@dor.org. Our first youth meeting will be via Zoom November 15th. Please check emails for details.

Confirmation classes will begin today Sunday, November 8th. Zoom information will be sent out next week. Please check emails for details. If you are in 8th grade and ready to start Confirmation classes please contact the parish office (607) 776-3327 for more information.



Have you heard God calling YOU lately?

If you are interested in becoming catholic we offer RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) sessions. These sessions are for adults of all ages. Possible candidates for the RCIA process include: never been baptized and finding yourself attracted to the Catholic faith; non-Catholics who are considering the Catholic faith; Catholics wanting to complete their full initiation into the faith by celebrating the sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist; Catholics who would like to sponsor a candidate in their own inquiry into the faith.

If you feel this invitation may be intended for you, if you or someone you know might be interested in the RCIA, or if you would like more information about the RCIA process, please contact our parish office (776-3327).

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Loaves and Fishes food pantry at
St. Gabriel's is collecting boxed
stuffing for the months of
October & November



The Greater Bath Area Thanksgiving Project

Due to Covid-19 restrictions Turning Point ministries is not collecting food items this year for their annual Thanksgiving project. Instead they are asking for gift card donations to Save- A- Lot or for contributions. The gift cards can be in the amounts of \$18 for small families, \$24 for medium families and \$26 for large families. Please make



your check payable to "CUMC" with "Thanksgiving Project" written on the memo line. Please write "Thanksgiving Project" on the envelope so there will be no confusion how you want the money spent. Contributions can be dropped in the offertory box in the back of both churches or mailed to Centenary United Methodist Church, 3 West Washington St, Bath, NY 14810.



St. John Vianney's Parish Support for Oct 31st & Nov. 1st

Attendance 105
Weekly Offertory Income \$4,376.00

Weekly Secondary Income \$407.00

Year to Date

Offertory Income \$ 65,266.00

Secondary Income \$ 5,744.00

\$ 71,010.00

Sincere thanks for your support of the parish and its ministries!

ELECTRONIC GIVING PROGRAM

St. John Vianney's is pleased to offer this safe and convenient option for you to make your offering to the Church automatically through your checking or savings account. Please contact the business office at 607-776-3327.

Online weekly donations can be made at our website www.sjvath.org

Catholic Ministries Appeal

Our goal to meet this year is \$26,952. We will be keeping track of the contributions made to the CMA. Please check here bi-weekly for updates. We thank those who have given generously and ask all who have not yet given to prayerfully consider doing so. The CMA helps our Church and our parish in so many ways. Please consider all the ways that God has blessed you and your family and think how the Church has brought goodness into your lives. Join our appeal and give back what you can so that we remain strong and able to do God's great work.

A Prayer for Veterans

Proud of our nation,
they answered her call -
Defending the freedom
and safety of all.
On land or on sea,
or in jets high above,
They went out of duty
and honor and love.
But however they served, Lord,
wherever they went,
Please bless them
and help them
to know what it meant!
And help us to thank them
on Veterans Day -
For we owe them far more
than we ever could say.