

St. John Vianney Parish

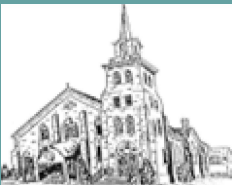
26th Sunday IN ORDINARY TIME



"When John came to you in the way of righteousness, you did not believe him; but tax collectors and prostitutes did. Yet even when you saw that, you did not later change your minds and believe him."

- Mt 21:32

September 27th, 2026



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 8:30 am at St. Gabriel's Church
10:30 am at St. Mary's Church

Adoration & Daily Mass Times:
Mon & Thurs 10:00am & 11:00am at St. Mary's
Tues & Fri 10:00am & 11:00am at St. Gabriel's

Phone 607-776-3327
Office Hours: Mon-Fri
8:00 am - 3:00pm
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
Sept 12th & Sept 13th**

Attendance: 332

Weekly Offertory Income: \$3,863.00

No Secondary Offertory Income

Donations can also be made online under the donate tab on our website: www.sjvbath.org

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

***NOTE* If writing a check for donations to the church please make checks payable to St. John Vianney Parish**

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.

Thank you for attending Mass with us today.
If you were blessed by it please consider making a donation. Scan the QR code below:



Please know you are the only reason we are here.



St. John Vianney Parish
Lana L, Paula Gardner, Dennis Dinehart,
Dominic, Jeff U., John Cummings,
Mark E, Alene G., & Gene S.

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.



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, sponsor the Altar Breads, Altar Wine or Altar Candles for a given month in memory of a loved one, please contact the parish office.



Scripture Readings

September 27th, 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time:

1st Reading: Ezekiel 18:25-28

2nd Reading: Philippians 2:1-11

Gospel: Matthew 21:28-32



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

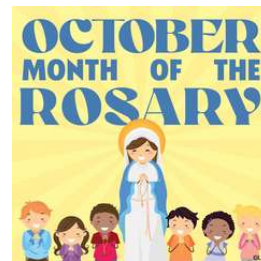
Wednesdays throughout the month of October we will be saying the Rosary at St. Mary's at 12:00 pm.



Weddings

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

During the month of October we will be praying the rosary together a half hour before each Mass.



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. Thank you.

DAILY READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday, September 28th:

Job 1:6-22, **Ps** 17:1bcd, 2-3, 6-7, **Luke** 9:46-50

Tuesday, September 29th:

Daniel 7:9-10, 13-14, **Ps** 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 4-5,
John 1:47-51

Wednesday, September 30th:

Job 9:1-12, 14-16, **Ps** 88:10bc-11, 12-15,
Luke 9:57-62

Thursday, October 1st:

Job 19:21-27, **Ps** 27:7-8a, 8b-9abc, 13-14,
Luke 10:1-12

Friday, October 2nd:

Job 38:1,12-21; 40:3-5, **Ps** 139:1-3, 7-10,13-14ab,
Matthew 18:1-5, 10



It is imperative to find help that is right for you, when your mental health feels "off". Healing can be found in many places to get the help you need.

Your community is a great first resource. Talk to your family, friends, primary care doctor, spiritual advisor, someone you trust, or attend a support group. It's important for you to know that you are not alone in this struggle.

If you are unsure about what to do, and want to talk to someone, try calling a phone line to get assistance.

* Call or text 988

* Chat at 988lifeline.org

* Text "Home" to 741741

* the Trevor Project for LGBTQ+ youth
text "Start" to 678-678 or call 1-866-488-7386

* Call the number on the back of your insurance card. They can identify what providers are part of your plan.

The **"Walk a Mile in My Shoes"**, suicide awareness and prevention walk, held on the first Saturday in May each year at Eldridge Park in Elmira, is a hope filled event, an opportunity to connect with area agencies, and a time to acknowledge that you are not alone in your mental health journey. Information about the 2027 event will be in next April's bulletin.

The American Foundation for Suicide Prevention, dedicated to saving lives and bringing hope to all those affected by suicide, holds **"Out of Darkness"** walks throughout the year in many locations to offer hope and healing.

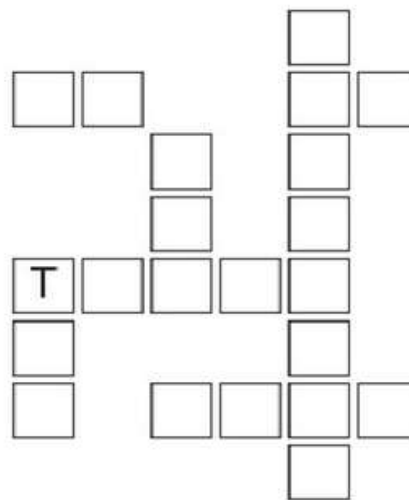
Suicide is preventable. Mental illness is treatable.



PUZZLE

Fit this Gospel message into the empty squares:
Go and work today in the vineyard.

CHILDREN'S
CORNER



Please Note

Starting next weekend
October 3rd & 4th our
Sunday Mass
schedule will be changing
at St. Mary's to 9:00 am
and
St. Gabriel's to 11:00 am
Saturday's Mass will
continue to be at 4:00 pm
**Please call the office
with any questions.**



BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS

In celebration of the Feast Day of St. Francis of Assisi, which is October 4th, St John Vianney will host a blessing of the animals on **Saturday, October 3, 2026 10:00 AM**

This event will be held at St. Mary's under the shade tree in the front yard of the school or in the pavilion in case of inclement weather. You may bring a lawn chair if you wish. Pets must be on a leash or in a carrier. If the pet is not able to travel, you may wish to bring its photo. You are also invited to bring a photo or memento of an animal companion that is no longer with you physically.

Pets will be blessed and presented with a medal.

A certificate to celebrate this event will be available also.

Shelter animals may be the animals most in need of a blessing. With that in mind, items for the Finger Lakes SPCA may be donated at this event. Copies of their Wish List can be found at the back of both churches.

When you receive the love of a pet, then you begin to experience unconditional love. A pet blessing acknowledges our awareness that our love for our pets, can teach us about God's love for us.

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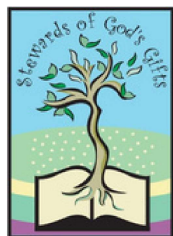
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Sick/Prayers for HealingOur next Anointing will be next
weekend Sat Oct 3rd & Sun Oct 4th
after each Mass.**For the month of October: Turning Point Ministry**

The Greater Bath Area Thanksgiving Project, in conjunction with Centenary

United Methodist Church, is asking important members of the Bath community to donate what they are able, to purchase Save-A-Lot gift cards for families who will register with Catholic Charities' Turning Point food pantry. The gift card amounts will vary, based on the size of the family. This marks the 43rd year of the Thanksgiving Project, which was most recently organized by Bob and Mary Dunham. It is a testament to the Bath community's care and concern for their own.

Here is how you can help:

Please forward your donation to:**James and Holly Gleason****8539 State Route 54****Hammondsport NY 14840**with your **check made payable to 'Bath Thanksgiving Project',**
before November 1st.Thank you, in advance, for your generosity as we
help those in need in our community.**St. John Vianney's Mass Intentions****September 26th - October 4th****Saturday, September 26th****STM 4:00 pm** † Kathy Mukherjee by Al & Evie Hanning**Sunday, September 27th****STG 8:30 am** † Richard Holmes by Susanna & Scott Ovenshire**STM 10:30 am** † Bob abby by Scott & Janeen Lyle

† Kathleen McCunnigle-Mukherjee by Judith Kenney

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available during Holy Hours:**10:00am - 11:00am M & Th @STM****& 10:00am- 11:00am @ STG**

Adoration and Daily Mass schedule times will be:

St. Mary's- Mon. & Thurs. Adoration at 10:00 am and
Mass following at 11:00 am.St. Gabriel's- Tues. & Fri. Adoration at 10:00 am and
Mass following at 11:00 am.***Adoration and Mass Times are on these days
listed above unless otherwise noted***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.St. John Vianney Parish of Steuben-
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