

St. John Vianney Parish

# 24<sup>th</sup> Sunday IN ORDINARY TIME



Peter approached Jesus and asked him, "Lord, if my brother sins against me, how often must I forgive? As many as seven times?" Jesus answered, "I say to you, not seven times but seventy-seven times." - Mt 18:21-22

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September 13th, 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  
Aug 29th & Aug 30th**

**Attendance:** 278

**Weekly Offertory Income:** \$4,663.00

**No Secondary Offertory Income:**

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!

**\*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,  
Cathy Bohlen, Mark E, Mike C, Margaret  
W. & 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 Teresa Bauer who has recently died, and her family 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 13th, 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time:**

**1st Reading:** Sirach 27:30-28:7

**2nd Reading:** Romans 14:7-9

**Gospel:** Matthew 18:21-35



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 September we will be saying the Rosary at St. Mary's at 12:00 pm.

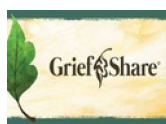


Loaves & Fishes

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

**Weddings**

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



Griefshare starts this coming Wednesday, August 26th at the Dormann Library from 12:00pm -2:00pm.

Please contact Kathy Bell at (607) 776-7102 for more information.

## DAILY READINGS FOR THE WEEK

### Monday, September 14<sup>th</sup>:

Numbers 21:4b- 9, Ps 78:1bc-2, 34-38,  
2<sup>nd</sup> Reading Philipians 2:6-1, John 3:13-17

### Tuesday, September 15<sup>th</sup>:

1 Corinthians 12:12-14, 27-31a, Ps 100:1b-5,  
John 19:25-27

### Wednesday, September 16<sup>th</sup>:

1 Corinthians 12:31-13:13, Ps 33:2-5 12 & 22,  
Luke 7:31-35

### Thursday, September 17<sup>th</sup>:

1 Corinthians 15:1-11, Ps 118:1b-2, 16ab-17, 28,  
Luke 7:36-50

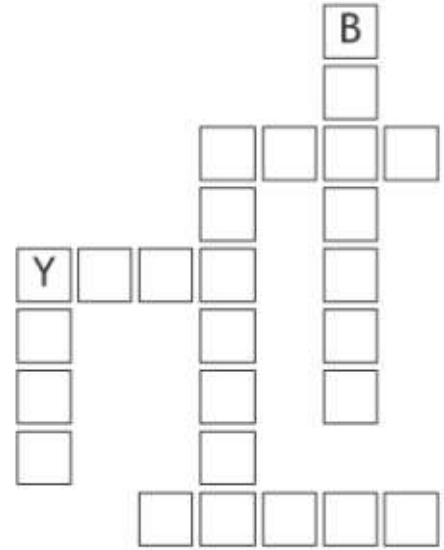
### Friday, September 18<sup>th</sup>:

1 Corinthians 15:12-20, Ps 17:1bcd, 6-7, 8b, 15,  
Luke 8:1-3



Fit this Gospel message into the empty squares:  
Forgive your brother from your heart.

CHILDREN'S  
CORNER



When we recognize that someone may be contemplating ideas of self-harm or suicide, we often worry that “saying the wrong thing” will make matters worse. So instead, we say nothing.

If you sense a friend is struggling, trust your gut! You don't need the perfect words – just be yourself and be present to listen. Starting a conversation about self-harm and suicide can be uncomfortable but it is also the best way to prevent it.

You could begin by talking about a struggle that you are having and thus give your friend a segway to open up as well. Other conversation starters could be –

- \* “Hey, we haven’t talked in a while. How are you?”
- \* “I’ve noticed that you haven’t seemed like yourself lately.”
- \* “I know that you are going through some stuff right now. I just want you know that I am here if you feel like talking.”
- \* Or asking directly, “Are you thinking about suicide?”

Follow up your conversation with a message, a call, a text, or a visit to see how they are doing. Ask if there is anything that you can do to support them. Increasing someone's connectedness to others has been shown to be a protective factor against suicide. Even a simple form of reaching out can reduce the risk. Suicide is preventable and mental illnesses are treatable.



If you no longer have your home phone please call the parish office with your updated number.  
Thank you from your SJV Staff



On Sunday August 30th, the St. Mary's Sunday Supper team was privileged to serve 27 guests at the Centenary United Methodist Church. Our menu consisted of Broccoli, Rice, Cheese, and Chicken Casserole; Cucumber Salad; rolls and butter; root beer and orange floats; and brownies. We were blessed to spend the afternoon serving others in our community.

We wish to thank Jackie Hallifax's grandnieces, who decorated placemats with colorful drawings and words of encouragement and her grandnephew who helped to transport the food from St. Mary's kitchen to CUMC and set up the tables and chairs. Two Elders from the LDS church helped with serving and clean-up. It is truly a group effort.

This is not a huge time commitment and if you're new to volunteering, we'd love to have you join our team. Please contact Donna Gerych, Deb Griffin, or Jackie Hallifax with any questions you may have or to make a monetary donation to offset the cost of the meals. Our next rotation is on October 25th. Thank you for your prayerful consideration.

“If you can't feed a hundred people, then just feed one.”  
Mother Teresa



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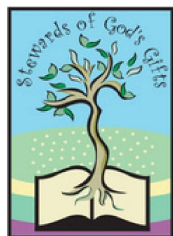
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## St. John Vianney's Mass Intentions September 12th - September 20th

**Saturday, September 12th**  
**STM 4:00 pm** † John Walsh & Family by Suzanne Walsh

**Sunday, September 13th**  
**STG 8:30 am** † John Holmes by Scott & Susanna Ovenshire  
**STM 10:30 am** Braelyn Blencowe by Connie O'Hare

**Monday, September 14th**  
**STM:10:00 am Adoration followed by Mass**  
**11:00 am** For the People of the Parish

**Tuesday, September 15th**  
**STG:10:00 am** Adoration followed by Mass  
**11:00 am** † Florence "Lori" Ross by Scott & Susanna Ovenshire

**Thursday, September 17th**  
**STM:10:00 am Adoration followed by Mass**  
**11:00 am** For the People of the Parish

**Friday, September 18th**  
**STG:10:00 am Adoration followed by Mass**  
**11:00 am** For the People of the Parish

**Saturday, September 19th**  
**STM:4:00 pm** † Maggie Pepin by Tammy, Jim & Brandon

**Sunday, September 20th**  
**STG:8:30 am** For the People of the Parish  
**STM:10:30 am** † Bob Abby by Scott & Janeen Lyle

The Sacrament of Reconciliation is also  
 available during Holy Hours:  
 10:00am - 11:00am M & Th @STM  
 & 10:00am- 11:00am @ STG

Anointing of the  
 Sick/Prayers for Healing

Our next Anointing will be this  
 weekend Sat. Sept 5th & Sun Sep 6th  
 after each Mass.



We are looking for volunteers to help  
 be a sacristan Saturdays for the afternoon  
 Mass & Sunday mornings as well.  
 Please call the parish office to sign up.

If you are considering becoming  
 a volunteer for lecturing, usher, greeter,  
 or at our parish events, please contact  
 the parish office or Nicki Ignatz for more  
 information.



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.

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.

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