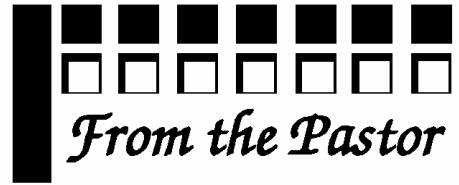




Mass Intentions



From the Pastor

MASSES FOR THE WEEK OF JANUARY 30TH AND NEXT SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 5TH

- MONDAY**
 9:00 AM Peter Amico – Marie Tompkins
 9:00 AM Peter Scheuerman – Marguerite & Don Nolan
- TUESDAY**
 9:00 AM Lino Zambanini – His Family
 9:00 AM Joseph Murphy – Brian & Maureen
- WEDNESDAY**
 9:00 AM Edward Renzi – Nancy Renzi
 9:00 AM James Jennings (5th Anniversary) – Barbara Jennings
- THURSDAY** NO LITURGY SCHEDULED
- FRIDAY**
 9:00 AM Barbara Kelley – George & Barbara Perry
 9:00 AM Nancy Goodheart – Barbara Perry
- SATURDAY**
 4:30 PM Ray Shade – Ed & Eleanore Winke
 4:30 PM Bill McCallum – The Duffy Family
- SUNDAY**
 7:45 AM For the People of the Parish
 7:45 AM Edward Pendergast – Maureen & Jack O’Toole
 9:00 AM Mary Curtis – Floyd & Debbie Duffy & Family
 9:00 AM Joseph Fagan – Rita Aiken
 10:30 AM Leo J. Miron – Richard, Paula & Dickie DeWeese
 10:30 AM Tiffany Suzanne Phillips – Her Family
 12:00 PM Mr. & Mrs. August Van Patten – The Cooper Family
 12:00 PM Peter Amico – Frank, Gail & Noelle Scarantino

LITURGICAL ASSIGNMENTS FEBRUARY 4TH & 5TH

MASS	LECTOR	ALTAR SERVER
4:30 PM	Marie Pastor Mary Brady	Janice Kuglin
7:45 AM	Dick Moran Jim Mahanna	Joseph Capo
9:00 AM	Tom Christoffel Pat Neiswender	John Tyrrell
10:30 AM	Dom Caruso Marc Badalucco	Bill Pomeroy
12:00 PM	Anthony Adonnino Adam D’Alessandro	Dave Selig

SACRIFICIAL GIVING AND STEWARDSHIP REPORT:
 The collection for Sunday, January 22, was \$13,237.05. Thank you for your generous support of the parish.

Blessing of Throats

FEAST OF ST. BLASE

Friday, February 3rd is the Feast of St. Blase. It has been the tradition in the church to bless the throats of the faithful on that day. We will offer this blessing at the 9 AM Mass on Friday. Since the parish offices close on Friday at 12 NOON, this will be the only scheduled service for the blessing of throats.

PARISH COMMUNION BREAKFAST

Our Family Communion Breakfast will be held on Sunday, February 12th at the Edison Club following the 9:00 AM Mass. Tickets are priced at \$11 for adults and \$6 for children under age 12. Children age 3 and under are free. The menu will be a buffet breakfast with scrambled eggs, bacon, sausages, waffles, hash brown potatoes, muffins, bagels, pastry, fruit, juice, tea and coffee. The guest speaker will be Dr. L. Oliver Robinson, Superintendent of Shenendehowa Schools. Following his presentation, Dr. Robinson will answer questions from those present. Tickets for the breakfast will be on sale the weekends of January 29-30 and February 4-5. They may be purchased after Mass in the gathering area or during the week in the parish office. Checks should be made out to St. Edward’s Men’s Club. Reservations close February 8th.

FIRST RECONCILIATION

Children who are preparing to make their First Communion in the spring will be celebrating the Sacrament of Penance on February 4th and 11th. There will be two Penance Services for the children on each date. Times for the Services are 9:30 and 11 AM. Children have been assigned to attend one of the four Penance Services.

COMMUNITY PARISH SURVEY REMINDER

Please support our survey process by completing the survey found in the January 8th church bulletin. Additional surveys are available in the office or online at www.stedwardsny.org, click “faith formation,” then “adult survey.” You can return your surveys in the collection basket, parish office, online, or in the boxes provided at each of the entrances to the church.



BAPTISMAL CLASS will be held on Saturday, February 4th at 10:00 AM. This class is for parents wishing to have their child baptized. Both parents are expected to attend this class. Please call the parish office at 371-7372 to register.

BAPTISMS

We welcome into our parish family **ANTHONY JOHN PARADISE** who was baptized on January 22, 2006.

PRAYER

ST. EDWARD'S MINISTERS OF PRAYER – PRAYER CHAIN: For immediate requests for Prayer call Betsy 371-6494 or Dee 371-7956 to begin the Prayer Chain.

HOSANNA PRAYER GROUP: Join us for charismatic prayer, worship and song every Thursday at 7:30PM in the parish classrooms. For more information call Don at 371-6843. All are welcome.



St. John the Evangelist School, 806 Union St., Schenectady. Open House on Jan. 30th from 9-11AM and from 4-6PM. Offers Nursery – Grade 5. Phone 393-5331.

St. Helen's School, 1801 Union St., Schenectady. Open House on Jan. 31st from 7-8:30PM. Offers Daycare, Nursery – Grade 5. Phone 382-8225.

St. Luke's School, 1252 Albany St., Schenectady. Open House on Feb. 1st from 9AM-1PM and from 4-6PM. Offers Pre K-Grade 5. Phone 377-7330.

St. Ambrose School, Latham. Open House on Feb. 1st from 6:30-8PM. Offers Grades K-8. Phone 785-6453.

St. Mary's School, Ballston Spa. Open House on Jan. 31st from 10AM – 2PM. Phone 885-7300.

BLOOD PRESSURE SCREENING

The parish nurses will be available to take your blood pressure after all the Masses next weekend, February 4 & 5th.

All were amazed and asked one another, "What is this? A new teaching with authority. He commands even the unclean spirits and they obey him." His fame spread everywhere throughout the whole region of Galilee. - Mk 1:27-28



MONDAY, January 30th
Parish Office Hours: 9AM – 4PM

TUESDAY, January 31st
Parish Office Hours: 9AM-4PM

WEDNESDAY, February 1st
Parish Office Hours: 9AM-4PM
Chinese Class: 5:30-6:30PM, Social Hall
St. Edward's Choir Rehearsal: 7 PM in Church

THURSDAY, February 2nd
Parish Office Hours: 9AM-4PM
Hosanna Prayer Group: 7:30PM
Contemporary Ensemble Rehearsal: 7PM

FRIDAY, February 3rd
Parish Office Hours: 9AM-12NOON
Blessing of Throats: 9AM Mass

SATURDAY, February 4th
First Reconciliation: 9:30 & 11AM
Baptism Class: 10AM
Sacrament of Reconciliation: 3:30PM, Chapel
Contemporary Ensemble: 4:30PM Mass
Blood Pressure Screening: after Mass

SUNDAY, February 5th
Children's Liturgy of the Word & Nursery: 9AM Mass
Children's Liturgy of the Word: 10:30AM Mass
Blood Pressure Screenings: after all Masses
Baptisms: 9AM Mass
St. Edward's Choir: 9AM Mass
Afterglow of the Eucharist: after the 12 Noon Mass



Our thanks to Jean Ann Dahl and the students in her confirmation class for cleaning the pews in the church last Saturday with Murphy's Oil Soap. The students undertook it as a service project for the church. We thank them for a job well done.

Readings for the Week of January 29, 2006	
Sunday:	Dt 18:15-20/ 1 Cor 7:32-35/ Mk 1:21-28
Monday:	2 Sm 15:13-14, 30; 16:5-13/ Mk 5:1-20
Tuesday:	2 Sm 18:9-10, 14b, 24-25a, 30—19:3/ Mk 5:21-43
Wednesday:	2 Sm 24:2, 9-17/ Mk 6:1-6
Thursday:	Mal 3:1-4/ Heb 2:14-18/ Lk 2:22-40 or 2:22-32
Friday:	Sir 47:2-11/ Mk 6:14-29
Saturday:	1 Kgs 3:4-13/ Mk 6:30-34
Next Sunday:	Jb 7:1-4, 6-7/ 1 Cor 9:16-19, 22-23/ Mk 1:29-39