



Mass Intentions

MASSES FOR THE WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 25<sup>TH</sup>  
AND NEXT SUNDAY, OCTOBER 1<sup>ST</sup>

MONDAY

9:00 AM Margie Coelln – Patricia Seaman  
9:00 AM Dorothy H. Misslinger – Lou & Linda Margitan

TUESDAY

9:00 AM Ellen Bobersky – Dick & Marilyn Waitt  
9:00 AM Mary Elizabeth Giblin – Kelly, Scott, & Connor McGowan

WEDNESDAY

9:00 AM Thomas J. Brady - Family  
9:00 AM Michael Liguori (7<sup>th</sup> Anniversary) – Parents Pat & Lena Liguori

9:00 AM Elizabeth Bendernagel – The Altenburgers

THURSDAY NO LITURGY SCHEDULED

FRIDAY

9:00 AM Dennis Sausville – Elaine Sausville  
9:00 AM Ray Shade – Nancy Shade

SATURDAY

4:30 PM Michele Terranova – His Family  
4:30 PM Kathryn M. & Anthony P. Miller – Kay A. Bargy

SUNDAY

7:45 AM For the People of the Parish  
7:45 AM Helene Barcori – Niles Family  
9:00 AM Pearl L. Hyland – Gail Van Wie  
9:00 AM Anthony Masullo – Kathryn Masullo  
10:30 AM Philip Sweet – Marge & Steve Therrien  
10:30 AM Donna McAvoy – Jeffrey & Cheryl Grizzaffi  
12:00 PM Terri Lynch Cuttita - Family  
12:00 PM Thomas Battaglia – The Nealon Family

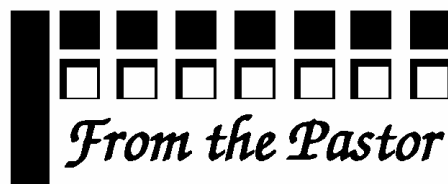
LITURGICAL ASSIGNMENTS

NEXT WEEK – SEPTEMBER 30<sup>TH</sup> & OCTOBER 1<sup>ST</sup>  
(SCHEDULE ALSO AVAILABLE ONLINE)

MASS	LECTOR	ALTAR SERVER
4:30 PM	Bernard Blais Mary Brady	Juliana McDermott Noah Moyer
7:45 AM	Ed Pauling Jim Mahanna	Mac Colvin Michael Hammond
9:00 AM	Tom Christoffel Ed Smith	Christopher Howard Courtney Howard
10:30 AM	Christine Cimino Marc Badalucco	Christopher Flame Thomas Flame
12:00 PM	Bill Karpovich Sue Karpovich	Conor Dalton Eric Burdge

SACRIFICIAL GIVING AND STEWARDSHIP REPORT:

The collection for Sunday, September 17<sup>th</sup> was \$11,739.00. Thank you for your generous support of the parish.



From the Pastor

On June 12, 2006, Bishop Hubbard announced a new two year process on Pastoral Planning entitled, "Called to BE Church". Every parish in the Albany Diocese is participating in this effort. The inaugurating events will be two Parish Town Meetings to be held in every parish of the diocese. **Our first Town Meeting, in St. Edward's Social Hall on October 10, from 7-9PM** will be a discussion focused on the topic of Mission. Our Second Parish Town Meeting, to be held in early November, will be a discussion focused on the topic of Ministry. All are invited to come and participate in these meetings.

On June 12, Bishop Hubbard stated to the leadership of the diocese, "So rather than looking at a Pastoral Planning only through the negative lens of realignments, reconfigurations, closings and consolidations, we must, I believe, view the process as an opportunity: an opportunity for imagining and creating our future. In this regard, our pastoral planning process must be focused not on structure, not on buildings, not in personnel statistics but on mission. **It is the mission which needs to determine our structures and not vice versa...this I believe, requires a serious and thoughtful conversation on our part as leaders...and as a wider diocesan community.**"

The Bishop asked that conversation be held at this time in order to "loosen the soil" in preparation for beginning of the formal planning process in January, 2007. Please come and join in on the conversation.



In Loving Memory

Please remember in your prayers:

**Carolyn Knopka**, wife of **James Knopka**, who died on September 14, 2006.

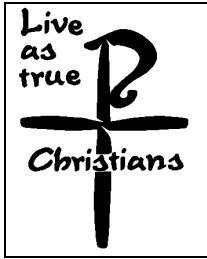
MASS INTENTIONS

The 2007 Daily Mass Record is available in our Parish Office for Mass Intentions. Also, the 2007 Sanctuary Memorial Light Record for the Day Chapel and Church is available. All intentions must be requested in person during Parish Office hours (Mon.-Thu. 9AM-4PM, Fri. 9AM-12noon).



Weddings

Congratulations and best wishes to **Kara Mates** and **Ryan Puckey**, who were married on September 23, 2006.



## ADULT FAITH FORMATION

*"Christ present in Community"*

*Activities and Programs for the Whole Family*

### CALL TO MINISTRY WEEKEND

SEPTEMBER 30<sup>th</sup> AND-OCTOBER 1<sup>ST</sup>  
AFTER ALL MASSES

*PLEASE VISIT OUR MINISTRY DISPLAYS*

*ENJOY HOSPITALITY & REFRESHMENTS*

Listen to God's call for:

Catechists, Eucharistic Ministers, Lectors, Altar Servers, Ushers, Magnificat, Faith Sharing, RCIA, Choirs, Knights of Columbus, Missionary Rosary, Prayer Groups, and others.

#### THANKS FOR A GREAT PARISH PICNIC

To all who attended, all who contributed food, the Knights of Columbus, the Children's Activities Group, and to all of those who donated their time and energy. SEE YOU NEXT YEAR!

#### ST. EDWARD'S NURSERY NEEDS YOU!

Many ADDITIONAL volunteers are needed for our Nursery during Sunday Masses. We are only offering Nursery care at the 9AM Sunday Mass and would like to add care to the 10:30AM Mass again. Adults and teens are welcome. Please call Rick Amico at 371-7372 ext. 19 to volunteer.

#### AIDSWALK 2006

Be a part of AIDSWALK 2006! Catholic Charities is asking parishioners from the Diocese of Albany to join us at AIDSWALK 2006, on Sunday, October 1<sup>st</sup> at 1:00PM in Albany's Washington Park. Walkers of all ages are invited to join in the fun while making a difference in the lives of those who live with this life-threatening disease. The two-mile walk takes you around Washington Park. Proceeds from the walk will benefit HIV/AIDS service agencies, including Catholic Charities AIDS Services and Community Maternity Services. If you are unable to walk but would like to participate, please consider sponsoring a walker or making a donation to the walk. Any support is greatly appreciated. For more information, sponsor sheets, to make a donation, etc., please contact Dan Hill at Catholic Charities AIDS Services at (518) 449-3581.

**ST. EDWARD'S MINISTERS OF PRAYER – PRAYER CHAIN:** For immediate requests for Prayer call Dee 371-7956, Joanne 371-4892, or Esther 371-8806 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.

#### LIFE IN THE SPIRIT SEMINAR

A one day life in the Holy Spirit Seminar will be held at St. Edward's on September 30<sup>th</sup> from 9AM to 3PM. This seminar is designed to help all Catholics deepen their relationship with Jesus Christ and to release the power of the Holy Spirit they received during Baptism and Confirmation, enabling them to experience the fullness of life in Christ. Topics include, God's Love, Salvation, Receiving New Life in Christ, and how to Grow in the Christian Life. Although there is no fee, registration is requested. For more information or to register call Don at 371-6843, Charlie at 371-2899 or Deacon Jerry & Marie at 371-7911.

#### 7<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL CATIEBUG FOR A CURE 5K RUN

The 7th annual Catiebug for a Cure will take place on Sunday, October 1 at Clifton Common. There will also be a Kids' Fun Run at 12pm (3/4 mile), a 2 mile walk at 12:45pm and the sanctioned 5k (separate courses) at 1pm. Registration begins at 10:30am. This is a great family event! Registration forms can be found at Clifton Park Town Hall and online at [www.catiehochfoundation.org](http://www.catiehochfoundation.org). The Catie Hoch Foundation is an all-volunteer organization where every dollar delivers fun for kids and funds for a cure. We help kids take a break from cancer.

#### FALL FESTIVAL

The Little Sisters of the Poor invite you to join them on Friday and Saturday, September 29<sup>th</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup> at their 12<sup>th</sup> Annual Fall Festival to benefit Our Lady of Hope residence in Latham. The Festival will be held at the Residence, One Jeanne Jugan Lane (off Old Loudon Road), Latham, from 10:00AM to 7:30PM each day. There will be many activities and games for children and adults, as well as a bake sale, handcrafted items, Christmas Shop, Thrift Shop, Spaghetti and Meatball dinner and prizes.

#### CAREGIVERS - YOUR HELP IS NEEDED

Just 4 hours a week of your time will assist us in providing care and comfort to the terminally ill at Mary's Haven, a program of Catholic Charities, located in Saratoga Springs. Initial and ongoing training will be provided. Volunteers are the HEART of this program. Please add Mary's Haven to your volunteer schedule! Our next training is Saturday, October 14, 2006. For more information, please contact Anne or Robin at (518) 584-9397.



**BAPTISMAL CLASS** will be held on Saturday, October 7<sup>th</sup> 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.

We welcome into the parish community **Natalie Grace Carvey, Ryan Christopher Gersey, Patrick Michael Pierce, and Julius Jeffrey Reed**, who were baptized on September 17, 2006.



**FAITH FORMATION LATE REGISTRATION IS CLOSED FOR THE 2006-07 YEAR. CLASSES BEGIN THIS WEEK.**

**WE ARE SHORT CATECHISTS IN ALL GRADE LEVELS.**

Please call Rick Amico at 371-7372 ext. 19 to volunteer! **Reminder:** All Catechists need to start with the Basic Certification Level. There are upcoming Basic Certification retreat dates to choose from. Please contact Rick Amico at 371-7372 ext. 19 for more details.

**YOUTH MINISTRY SELLING BOSCOV'S COUPONS**

Youth Ministry is now selling Boscov's coupons in conjunction with "Friends Helping Friends". Coupons are \$5.00 each. They are good for 25% off purchases on OCTOBER 17<sup>th</sup>. Coupons are available in the Faith Formation Office.



**RCIA** If you are not a Catholic but interested in becoming one; Catholic, but not Confirmed; or returning to the Catholic faith, the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults may be for you. Please phone Rich Evans at 371-5884 or Chuck Taylor at 371-7372.



**WE'RE OFF TO BROADWAY AGAIN**

On Saturday, October 28, 2006, we are off to Broadway to see **How the Grinch Stole Christmas**. Tickets are \$74 per person, which includes the show, transportation, nibbles and a GREAT group of people. Please contact Rick Amico at 371-7372 ext. 19 for details.

**ENTERTAINMENT BOOKS**

The 2007 Entertainment Books are IN. They are available for \$30. Please call Rick Amico (371-7372 ext. 19) for more info.



**MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 25<sup>TH</sup>**

**Parish Office Hours:** 9AM – 4PM

**First Week of Faith Formation Classes:** All levels

**TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 26<sup>TH</sup>**

**Parish Office Hours:** 9AM–4PM

**WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 27<sup>TH</sup>**

**Parish Office Hours:** 9AM–4PM

**THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 28<sup>TH</sup>**

**Parish Office Hours:** 9AM-4PM

**Hosanna Prayer Group:** 7:30PM

**Contemporary Ensemble Rehearsal:** 7PM

**Healing Workshop:** 7-9PM, Social Hall

**FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 29<sup>TH</sup>**

**Parish Office Hours:** 9AM-12NOON

**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 30<sup>TH</sup>**

**Life in the Spirit Seminar:** 8AM-3:30PM, Social Hall

**Baptism:** 12 noon

**Wedding:** 2PM

**Sacrament of Reconciliation:** 3:30PM, Chapel

**Call to Ministry Weekend:** after 4:30PM Mass, Social Hall

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 1<sup>ST</sup>**

**Call to Ministry Weekend:** after all Masses, Social Hall

**Contemporary Ensemble:** 9AM Mass

**Children's Liturgy of the Word & Nursery:** 9AM Mass

**Children's Liturgy of the Word:** 10:30AM Mass

**Afterglow of the Eucharist:** after the 12 Noon Mass

**Readings for the Week of September 24, 2006**

Sunday:	Wis 2:12, 17-20/ Jas 3:16—4:3/ Mk 9:30-37
Monday:	Prv 3:27-34/ Lk 8:16-18
Tuesday:	Prv 21:1-6, 10-13/ Lk 8:19-21
Wednesday:	Prv 30:5-9/ Lk 9:1-6
Thursday:	Eccl 1:2-11/ Lk 9:7-9
Friday:	Dn 7:9-10, 13-14 or Rv 12:7-12a/ Jn 1:47-51
Saturday:	Eccl 11:9—12:8/ Lk 9:43b-45
Next Sunday:	Nm 11:25-29/ Jas 5:1-6/ Mk 9:38-43, 45, 47-48



*Taking a child he placed it in their midst, and putting his arms around it he said to them, "Whoever receives one child such as this in my name, receives me; and whoever receives me, receives not me but the one who sent me." - Mk 9:36-37*