

# NOTICES

8/13/17



## TODAY'S HOLY MASS INTENTIONS

August 13, 2017

9 AM

**Lucy Follaco +**

req. by Rachel and John Follaco

11:5 AM

**Michael Andrew Love +**

req. by Sara M. Love

## NEXT SUNDAY'S HOLY MASS INTENTIONS

August 20 , 2017

9 AM

**For the Living and Deceased Members of the Ripton Family**

req. by Stephen and Jennifer Lockemeyer

11:15 AM

**Mary Murphy +**

req. by Thomas and Pat Moffitt

# CURRENT NOTICES

## FINANCIAL INFORMATION

### RECORD OF GIVING

#### THE TRANSFIGURATION OF OUR LORD

8/6/17

9:00 AM	Attendance	148	Offerings	\$1,902.00
11:15 AM	Attendance	124	Offerings	\$1,627.00
	TOTAL	272	TOTAL	\$3,529.00
<b>WEEKLY TARGET AMOUNT</b>				<b>\$4,500.00</b>

THANK YOU for your donations in support of the SKT-LMC. They are certainly needed, as is your ongoing generosity and continued prayer.. God bless you!

## FAITH FORMATION

**TEACHERS NEEDED!** We are looking for one or two more teachers to join our team! Classes take place on Sundays from 10:10-11:05 from September to May. Substitutes are available when necessary. Please contact Andy ASAP via email for more information. Andy's *email address is*: [andrew.follaco@dor.org](mailto:andrew.follaco@dor.org).

**DOWNLOAD BAND** on your smart phone today for the newest announcements, a shared calendar for reminders of activities taking place in the LMC, pictures to be shared in a secure setting, access to discussion boards to share out ideas, and more! Find it, for free, at Google Play or in the App Store.

## COMMUNITY PICNIC

Sunday, August 27, 12:30 p.m.

St. Paul Firemen's Exempts

690 Thomas Avenue

Catered by Sticky Lips BBQ

Please bring a dish to pass.

RSVP at 342-2478 or [contact@skt-lmc.org](mailto:contact@skt-lmc.org)

## COMMUNITY PICNIC SOFTBALL GAME

With the announcement of our Community Picnic occurring on August 27th at the St. Paul Exempts, we have come across an interesting team of blind athletes that formed a softball team that plays all over the region. These folks are amazing. Check out:

<http://www.onenewspage.com/video/20160708/4956698/Rochester-Pioneers-Beep-Baseball.htm>

They happen to practice at the Exempts and are interested in a friendly game...as long as we play blindfolded! Andy Follaco is looking to form a team of 18+ year old men and women interested in playing during the picnic. Please email Andy at [andrew.follaco@dor.org](mailto:andrew.follaco@dor.org) to sign up or to ask any questions.

## SKT-LMC GOLF TOURNAMENT UPDATE

September 17, 12 noon at Durand Eastman

Scramble format

Golf cost includes cart and dinner \$85

Dinner is open to all, cost \$25,

Served at 6:30 p.m. at the Parish Center

Catered by Sticky Lips BBQ

Free soda, beer, and wine will be available

Please make reservations prior to 9/3/2017

Jim O'Leary 467-1982 or [jmolbutte@gmail.com](mailto:jmolbutte@gmail.com)

Fred Curran 544-5513

## WEDDING NEWS

This past week, **Wesley Evans** and **Claire Maurer** received the Holy Sacrament of Matrimony at their August 11 Nuptial Mass. We congratulate Wesley (the son of Kimberly Evans) and Claire (the daughter of John and Mary Jo Maurer) and we ask the Lord to bless them with many graces as they journey together through wedded and family life.

## FATIMA DEVOTIONS TODAY

This afternoon, August 13, the *fourth* in our six-part series of **Fatima Devotions** will take place here at St. Thomas at **4 PM**. The series honors the centenary of Our Lady's apparitions in 1917 and consists of Sermon, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, Recitation of the Rosary, and Benediction. Our Gregorian *Schola* and our Children's Choir will help us meditate more deeply on the mysteries of our salvation as contained in the Rosary devotion. This month our preacher will be **Father Joseph Trovato, CSB**. Future Fatima Devotions will be conducted on September 10 and October 8. The service is just over one hour in length, a small sacrifice to offer when we consider all that needs to be brought to Our Lord and Our Lady in fervent prayer! Please invite your families and friends to pray with us these beautiful devotions and to join us afterwards for light refreshments. This month our social will be sweetened with Italian cookies and ices. Weather-permitting, we'll socialize on the church lawn, so bring your lawn chairs if you wish. See you there!

## HOLYDAY OF OBLIGATION THIS TUESDAY

This year the August 15 Holyday honoring Our Lady's Assumption is **obligatory** for Catholics. Extraordinary Form Latin Mass will be celebrated at **12 NOON**, and Ordinary Form English Mass at **5:30 PM**.

## RCIA (CONVERT CLASS)

If there is anyone interested in pursuing the path to becoming a Catholic, we will organize an RCIA program, no matter how many we have. Do you know anyone even slightly interested? More on this in future bulletin notices, but for now look *around* or (if you are searching for God) look *within*. Call Father Bonsignore at **244-8692**.

## A MUSICAL NOTE

Through the rest of the summer, there will *not* be Choir or High Masses sung. These special Masses will resume in September.

## FACILITIES ACCESS PERSON

Do you need to access the church or parish center for an important reason? Who to call? **Lou Gabello** has agreed to be "the one to call." His contact information will be printed regularly in this bulletin on the **SKT-LMC CONTACTS** page (near the back of bulletin).

## PRAYING FOR THOSE IN THE MILITARY SERVICE....

Chris Martino, Army Special Forces  
Larry Oldenburg, Army, Mosel, Iraq  
Howie Revans. USMC

*May the Lord protect them as they protect us. May they be blessed for the selfless acts they perform for their country and for the world. May Our Blessed Mother watch over them and may their Guardian Angels shield them from all that would harm their souls and bodies. (If you would like to submit names of military personnel to pray for, simply write their names on a slip of paper and place it in the regular collection basket.)*

## WE'VE COME TO THE HOTTEST TIME OF THE YEAR

...when the "temptation" to dress scantily for the sake of comfort becomes stronger. But we *do* know that it *is* possible to dress for Mass *appropriately, comfortably, and modestly* at the same time. No short pants or skirts, please. Shoulders should be covered. No flip flops! We are *not* at a picnic, tennis match, or beach party. Thank you for your willing cooperation. (*Note: We have the luxury of an air-conditioned church!*)

## COFFEE HOURS

Unless plans are changed, there will **not** be coffee hours hosted on Sundays until after Labor Day. There *will*, however, be a social held after the afternoon Fatima Devotions on August 13.

Hospitality Note: The Latin Mass Community is blessed that a number of our members have stepped up to regularly support coffee hour hospitality, helping us get to know each other better, and offering a warm reception to visitors. Here are four things you can do to help out:

1. We still need volunteers to host some coffee hours, either on a regular basis or to give relief to those who do regularly host a coffee hour, especially when they have conflicting obligations on the same week. Is there a week you, your friends or family would like to host your own coffee hour? Or when you can substitute?
2. Can you help out in our regular coffee hours by setting up? serving? dish washing? cleanup?
3. Volunteers are needed to supply food, as we've had some recent shortages. Can you sometimes bring a dish to pass? Please feel invited to do so!
4. Financial support for coffee hours is also needed through donations in the wooden box on the hospitality table so we can buy needed food and supplies.

Thank you for anything and everything you do for the sake of hospitality.

## PRAYING FOR THE SICK AND INFIRM

**Judy Burns** has volunteered to coordinate the SKT-LMC bulletin listing of sick and infirm members, relatives, and friends. The list will be there so that we might *pray* for them. Please note that **NO** health information will be printed in this bulletin. Judy will coordinate the names: long-term? Short-term? When to take off list? *etc.* To put names on the list, contact **Judy Burns** at (cell) **585-738-5156 OR** (e-mail) **burnsie320@yahoo.com**.

### PRAYER LIST

Angela DeLuca and Rocco DeLuca	Peter Calviera
Jim Holden	Florian & Veronica Czerniak
Sharon Mooney	Mary Sanders
Joanna Ilievski	Ardi Wazelle
Anne Marie Hetzer	Molly McBride
Patrick Bleier	Ann and Jim Batz
Rose Marie Veltre	Evelyn Wolter
Jamie Slader	Robert Cascino
Mary Echaniz McMahon	Jonathan Gray
Ann Bennett	Joan Marie Gray
Bernie Verhagen	Peter and Connie Karekos
Helene Stevens	Patrick Grisdale
Cindi Burke	Paul Mishia
Raymond Seller	Jim Curran
Cheyenne	Michael Miller
Gene Cherkis	Bill Schlueter
Brenda	Pam Gilfus
Douglas Conklin	Patricia Sciortino
Dennis O'Connor	

**May the Divine Physician of our souls and bodies help and heal them, through His Divine Mercy.**

# ONGOING NOTICES

## COLLECTION COUNTERS NEEDED

We are still looking for volunteers to count our collections on Sundays after each Mass. We are striving to achieve 2 or 3 teams of three members each to help us comply with Diocese of Rochester policies and procedures. With three teams, your commitment would only be every three weeks. Please note that the DoR policies prohibit related individuals from participating on the same team, however they can be on separate teams. We could use 1-2 members for the English Mass and 4-5 members for the Latin Mass teams. Please contact either Fr. Bonsignore or Ken Roush (727-3430 - [kroush@dor.org](mailto:kroush@dor.org)) if you are over 18 and interested and willing to participate with this activity.

## ENVELOPE MAILINGS FOR REGISTERED MEMBERS

If you have are not registered, please consider officially registering with SKT-LMC. To register with SKT-LMC, simply complete a census form found in the literature racks at all church entrances, and at the Parish Center. The completed forms can be emailed to Eileen Burke or put in the collection basket. If you have any questions regarding registration or envelopes, please contact Eileen Burke at 266-7287 or email to [Eburke@dor.org](mailto:Eburke@dor.org).

## WEBSITE

Please check out our website at [www.skt-lmc.org](http://www.skt-lmc.org) to see this and all previous notices as well as upcoming events.

## HELPING OUR NEIGHBORS IN NEED

Each Sunday throughout the year, SKT-LMC collects donations of non-perishable food items for local food cupboards, for the purpose of alleviating hunger caused by poverty in our area. The need is very real, even though we may not “see” it close-up. Donations may be placed in the green baskets in each of the church vestibules.



## VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

WE ARE ALWAYS IN NEED OF VOLUNTEERS to help maintain our facilities, especially in the area of church and parish center cleaning. We need YOU! Please email [dflanigen@yahoo.com](mailto:dflanigen@yahoo.com) or call 467-8747. Enough volunteers will enable us to have rotating teams.

## VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

Need a volunteer for one to two hours (at most) per month to clean the glass doors at all four entrances when necessary. You can come and go on your own schedule. Just contact **Lou or Marcy Gabello** at **585-756-6375** or **585-739-3832** for access. Thank you for helping our church shine.

## RELIGIOUS PAMPHLETS AND BOOKLETS

Each entrance-way to the church now has a number of religious pamphlets and booklets in the book racks. These items are being supplied, thanks to a generous donation by one of our members. Please feel free to take any material that is of interest. *Please note that nothing should be placed on the book racks or on the bulletin boards without first obtaining permission from Father Bonsignore.*

## HOW TO CONTRIBUTE

Checks should be made payable to “*St. Kateri Tekakwitha-Latin Mass Community*” **OR** for short, “*SKT-LMC*”. **If you receive your envelopes by mail, please use them.** If not, contributions can be placed in the blue envelopes **OR** loose in the collection baskets. You also have the option of **ONLINE GIVING**. Access to On-Line giving is available through our website [www.skt-lmc.org](http://www.skt-lmc.org) or through a smartphone or tablet app. Instructions for giving are located on our website or in pamphlets available at all church entrances. You may also sign up for automatic withdrawals with or without covering the small fee for transaction processing.

## REQUEST AND SCHEDULE MASS INTENTIONS

To request and schedule intentions for both of our Masses, contact Lou and Marcy at [lgmail@rochester.rr.com](mailto:lgmail@rochester.rr.com) or 585-756-6375 or 585-739-3832-cell, to reserve a date **before paying for a Mass**. The stipend check *must be made out in the exact amount* of \$10 per Mass and made payable to ***SAINTE KATERI Parish (not SKT-LMC)***. Please use the Mass Intention envelopes located in the *literature racks* at all entrances to the Church. Drop your envelope in the collection basket **or** mail it our Parish Center address. (not to St. Kateri Parish) at SKT-LMC @St. Thomas the Apostle Church, 4536 St. Paul Blvd. Rochester, NY 14617

## VOTIVE SANCTUARY CANDLES

**SANCTUARY CANDLES** burn in the Lady Chapel (in the Church), and the Adoration Chapel (in the Parish Center). Would you like to have a dedicated candle burn in memory of a loved one **OR** for a special intention? To schedule a dedicated candle intention call [\(585\) 388-7734](tel:5853887734). Donations for 7 day Church Tabernacle and Adoration Chapel lamps are \$10.00 each. Donations for the 3 day hanging lamps in the Lady Chapel are \$5.00 each. Envelopes for candle donations are available at all church entrances in the literature racks. Checks should be made payable to SKT-LMC. Place envelopes in the collection basket.

## IF YOU HAVE FOUND A SPIRITUAL HOME...

...in our Latin Mass Community here at St. Thomas', please consider registering with us. Use the census forms found in brown envelopes on the literature racks in the church vestibules. Place completed forms in the collection basket. **Welcome!**

## BEQUESTS

TO REMEMBER THE SKT-LMC IN YOUR WILL, the following phraseology should be used to direct a monetary bequest (2 options):

- 1) *I give and bequest the sum of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to St. Kateri Tekakwitha -Latin Mass Community for its general purposes (or for a specific named program \_\_\_\_\_). **OR***
- 2) *I give and bequest \_\_\_% of the remainder of my estate after all debts, taxes, expenses and family bequests have been paid, to St. Kateri Tekakwitha-Latin Mass Community for its general purposes (or for a specific named program \_\_\_\_\_).*

## ADORATION CHAPEL

*Perpetual Adoration extends its influence far beyond the individual adorers, touching their homes and families and reaching out to the parish community and beyond. - - - Pope Paul VI*

The Adoration Chapel is open Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 10 p.m. Spending time with Jesus in Eucharistic Adoration yields countless benefits. Consider making a visit. There are some openings in the schedule, especially 3-4 p.m. Monday through Friday and 5-6 p.m. Monday, Wednesday, and Friday. If you are able to fill one of these hours either on a regular basis or as a sub, please contact **Marie O'Leary at 467-1982 or [jmol@rochester.rr.com](mailto:jmol@rochester.rr.com)**.

## CHURCH ETIQUETTE

**WHEN YOU COME TO CHURCH**, please turn OFF all cell phones, hand-held electronic devices, pagers, watch alarms, etc., and anything else that can disrupt our sacred time with God. It *is* possible for messaging and texting to *wait* until later!

**DRESS CODE:** Please remember to dress appropriately for divine worship: *neatly* and *modestly*. Holy Mass is not an occasion when we "dress down" or appear "super-casual"! REVERENCE for God and RESPECT for neighbor should determine what we wear. Think about it. Thank you for your cooperation.

**THERE ARE (AT LEAST) THREE REASONS** to maintain a prayerful, quiet atmosphere in the church proper before and after services: (1) RESPECT for the House of God, (2) REVERENCE for the Blessed Sacrament, and (3) REGARD for those who want to pray in peace. The guiding principle should be DEVOTION **NOT** COMMOTION. Please carry on your friendly conversations in the church vestibules (with inside doors closed), outside, or at the coffee hours. Reverence and friendliness can and should co-exist—in their proper settings!!

## SPEAKING OF CHURCH ETIQUETTE...

... We should make a determined effort to be *on time* for Mass, and we should make the little sacrifice to stay until Mass is over (that is, when the priest-celebrant leaves the sanctuary).

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