

NOTICES

9/24/17



TODAY'S HOLY MASS INTENTIONS September 24, 2017

9 AM	Thea Mishia +
	req. by Family
11:5 AM	Angelo Pappalardo +
	req. by Vargas Family

NEXT SUNDAY'S HOLY MASS INTENTIONS October 1, 2017

9 AM	Astrid Smallenburg +
	req. by the Wren Family
11:15 AM	Janice LaPietra +
	req. by the Vargas Family

CURRENT NOTICES

FINANCIAL INFORMATION

RECORD OF GIVING

XXIV SUNDAY ORDINARY TIME / XV SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST 9/17/17

9:00 AM	Attendance	168	Offerings	\$1,869.00
11:15 AM	Attendance	128	Offerings	\$1,152.25
	TOTAL	296	TOTAL	\$3,021.25
WEEKLY TARGET AMOUNT				\$4,500.00

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!

QUESTIONS ON ON-LINE GIVING?

Please refer to the "ongoing Notices" section of this bulletin. See the notice "How to Contribute".

FAITH FORMATION

CLASSES TO BEGIN SOON! Our Faith Formation Classes will start up on **Sunday, September 10th**. Our weekly classes take place in the Parish Center from 10:10 to 11:05. We have classes available for kindergarten up through Confirmation. Any student who was in our program last year does NOT need to sign up again. I will assume you are continuing with us unless you notify me otherwise. A couple of notes:

- We are asking that all families that are involved in our Faith Formation to register with the Community.

- First Penance and First Communion preparation take place during the second grade or later.
- Confirmation preparation is a two year course that can begin no earlier than the 8th grade.

So much of the health and vibrancy of our community correlates to our Faith Formation program. Please consider enrolling your children for our weekly courses to supplement the education they receive at home. Email Andy at andrew.follaco@dor.org with your child's name, grade, phone number, and known allergies.

ATTENTION HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS If we have enough interest, I have the materials and the volunteers to create a course to deepen your knowledge of the Faith and adequately prepare you for the challenges of college and beyond.. Please email Andy ASAP.

RESPECT LIFE SUNDAY

Sunday, October 1, is Respect Life Sunday. Join Bishop Matano as he celebrates Mass at 4:30 p.m. at Our Lady of Victory Church.

Following Mass, please join the Women's Care Center just around the corner at the Harro East Ballroom for its annual fundraiser dinner featuring Alveda King, niece of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Tickets can be purchased online at **www.WomensCareROC.org** or by mailing a check to the **Women's Care Center**. For more information, check the website or call 865-0360.

If you would like to purchase an ad in the program booklet or be listed on the donor page, please contact Anne Smith at jsmith30@rochester.rr.com or 703-1285 with artwork or how you would like your name to read.

CONGRATULATIONS

...goes out to **Luke Gabello** upon his admission to CANDIDACY in the Diocesan **Diaconate Program**. "Candidacy" is an official recognition that Luke has been approved as a "candidate" on the way to ordination as a DEACON. We pray for his perseverance because the program involves a great sacrifice of time and study and effort for him and his family (especially his wife).

PARKING POINTERS

Please do *not* park on the lawns on our property. We have plenty of parking spaces available in the lot. Also, when parking in the driveway circle at the St. Paul entrance, please park single file *on the church side only* in order to provide a passageway for emergency vehicles. Thank you for your cooperation.

A MARIAN MOVEMENT OF PRIESTS CENACLE

...takes place **every Monday at 10 AM** in the St. Thomas the Apostle Adoration Chapel. Please consider joining us in this much needed prayer time for priests, an initiative launched on October 13, 1972, by the late Father Stefano Gobbi and two other brother priests. Since then, MMP CENACLES have spread throughout the world. What does the Cenacle consist of? The Rosary and other devotions, various prayers for priests, and readings from the messages which Father Gobbi received from Our Lady as private interior locutions from 1973 through 1993. These messages, especially appropriate for our times, have been studied and lauded by a good number of Catholic bishops around the world.

BLESSING OF DOMESTIC ANIMALS (PETS)

The Feast of St. Francis of Assisi occurs this week on October 4, and so it is a good time for you to have your pets receive a blessing in honor of him who revered all of God's many creatures as a reflection of their Creator's greatness and glory. Bring them **NEXT SUNDAY**, October 1 at **1:30PM** to the outdoor shrine of St. Francis next to the Parish Center. Note the time: **1:30 PM**.

CHESTERTON CONFERENCE

14TH ANNUAL CONFERENCE
ROCHESTER NY CHESTERTON SOCIETY

ON THE SHOULDERS OF GIANTS

DALE AHLQUIST ON
GK CHESTERTON

KEVIN O'BRIEN
AS
CHARLES
DICKENS

JOSEPH PEARCE
ON
WM.
SHAKESPEARE

DANTE ALIGHIERI
DANTE ANDANTE?

BOOK SALE TILL 3 PM
TO BENEFIT:
ST. JOHN BOSCO SCHOOLS
& CHESTERTON ACADEMY

ST. JOHN FISHER COLLEGE
MURPHY HALL

SAT. SEPT. 30, 2017

9 AM TO 3:30 PM

Donation: \$15. Free to students. Lunch available at nominal cost.



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For questions, email rochesterton@hotmail.com

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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**.

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.)

LATE SUMMER REMINDER

Cooler weather is coming our way, but warm days still occur. Cool or warm, please dress *respectfully* and *modestly* when attending Holy Mass, thus showing *respect* for God and neighbor. Short pants or short skirts; tank tops or halter tops; strapless tight-fitting, and revealing outfits are **NOT** appropriate. In a

perfect world, such a reminder would not be necessary. This is not a perfect world. THANK YOU, in advance, for your courtesy and cooperation.

COFFEE HOURS

There will be a coffee hour after both Masses today. Please come and join us!

A big THANK YOU to all those who have been providing coffee hour hospitality for most of the last two years. Some of the helpers have indicated they can no longer assist after the Latin Mass. Volunteers are needed, especially to form a new team covering a particular Sunday of their choice each month. Please let Father Bonsignore know of your interest in serving the hospitality needs of our community.

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 Feller IV	Jim Curran
Cheyenne	Michael Miller
Gene Cherkis	Bill Schlueter
Brenda	Pam Gilfus
Kaitlyn Schulz	Dennis O'Connor
Mary Ann Arendt	

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) 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.

WEBSITE

Please check out our website at 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 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** 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** 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 ***SAINT 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**. 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. 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**.