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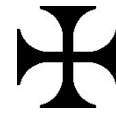
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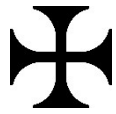
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4536 St. Paul Boulevard Rochester, NY 14617

**MASS TIMES** Sundays 9am-English, 11:15am-Latin

Holy Days as announced in the bulletin.

**CONFESSION** Sundays before & after 11:15am Mass. Two priests hear confession on the first Sunday of each month.

**SACRAMENTS** Marriage Preparation, RCIA, and more are available for community members. Contact Father Bonsignore.

**FAITH FORMATION** PreK through high school 10:05-11:05am Sundays, September through May. No cost for community members.

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## RECESSIONAL HYMN

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1. Come, thou long - ex - pect - ed Je - sus,  
2. Is - rael's strength and con - so - la - tion,  
3. Born thy peo - ple to de - liv - er,  
4. By thine own e - ter - nal Spir - it

Born to set thy peo - ple free; From our fears and  
Hope of all the earth thou art; Dear de - sire of  
Born a child, and yet a king, Born to reign in  
Rule in all our hearts a - lone: By thine all - suf -

sins re - lease us, Let us find our rest in thee.  
ev - ry na - tion, Joy of ev - ry long - ing heart.  
us for ev - er, Now thy gra - cious king - dom bring.  
fi - cient mer - it Raise us to thy glo - rious throne.

# PRAYERS

## SALVE REGINA

HAIL, HOLY, QUEEN, Mother of mercy, our life, our sweetness, and our hope. To thee do we cry, poor banished children of Eve. To thee do we send up our sighs, mourning and weeping in this vale of tears. Turn then, most gracious Advocate, thine eyes of mercy towards us. And after this our exile, show unto us the blessed Fruit of thy womb, JESUS. O clement, O loving, O sweet Virgin Mary.

## PRAYER TO ST JOSEPH by St. Francis de Sales

*(to provide a resolution to the school building dilemma)*

GLORIOUS SAINT JOSEPH, spouse of Mary, grant we beseech thee, thy paternal protection, through the Heart of Jesus Christ. O thou Saint whose infinite power is extended to all our needs, rendering for us possible that which is impossible, look upon the concerns of thy children with thy fatherly countenance. In the troubles and sorrows that afflict us, we have confident recourse to thee. Deign to take under thy loving protection this important and difficult endeavor, the cause of our worries, and dispose its success to the glory of God and to the benefit of His faithful servants. AMEN.

## THE SAINT MICHAEL PRAYER (Pope Leo XIII)

SAINT MICHAEL, THE ARCHANGEL, defend us in battle; be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray; and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly host, by the power of God, thrust down to hell Satan and all the evil spirits who roam through the world seeking the ruin of souls. AMEN.



# HOLY MASS INTENTIONS

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| Today<br>9:00am | The <b>LaChance-Butler Family</b><br>Requested by Jack Butler |
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| Today<br>11:15am | For <b>David O'Brient+</b><br>Requested by the Belokur Family |
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| Next Sunday<br>9:00am | <b>Pro Populo</b> |
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| Next Sunday<br>11:15am | <b>Pro Populo</b> |
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# ATTENDANCE & OFFERINGS

| Attendance   | Nov 20 | Nov 27 | Dec 4 | Dec 11 | Average |
|--------------|--------|--------|-------|--------|---------|
| English Mass | 158    | 128    | 158   | 152    | 149     |
| Latin Mass   | 208    | 197    | 190   | 177    | 193     |

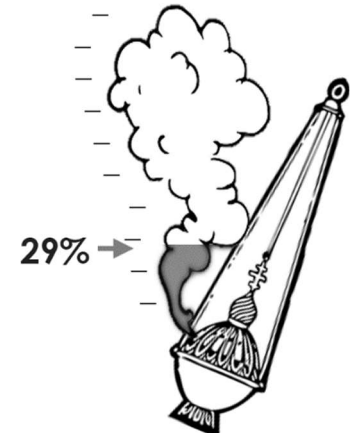
| Cash/Checks   | \$ 3,011 | \$ 4,178 | \$ 3,592 | \$ 5,168 | \$ 3,987 |
|---------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| Online Giving | \$ 752   | \$ 430   | \$ 726   | \$ 389   | \$ 574   |
| TOTALS        | \$ 3,763 | \$ 4,608 | \$ 4,318 | \$ 5,557 | \$ 4,562 |

\* Dec 11 includes donations from Immaculate Conception Masses. 12/7 attendance: 65. 12/8 attendance: 93

Our weekly average target amount is \$5,000. Thank you for your donations in support of our community. They are certainly needed, as is your ongoing generosity and continued prayer. Please make checks payable to St. Kateri Tekakwitha Latin Mass Community or simply SKT-LMC. **Please remember to use the collection boxes on your way up to communion or at any time before or after mass.**

## 2022-2023 CMA PROGRESS:

Our goal this year is \$ 47,000. To date, our community has pledged \$ 13,393 from 38 individual donors.



# COMMUNITY CALENDAR

**TODAY** LESSONS AND CAROLS at 3pm

**SATURDAY, DECEMBER 24** CHRISTMAS VIGIL (CHRISTMAS EVE) MASS at **4pm**  
preceded by choir singing at 3:30pm.

**SUNDAY, DECEMBER 25**

CHRISTMAS MORNING MASS at **9am** "quiet" English Mass without music.  
CHRISTMAS DAY LATIN HIGH MASS at **11:15am**

**SATURDAY, JANUARY 7** FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTIONS 10:30am - 11:30am  
Devotions are held in the Adoration Chapel each first Saturday of the month. We pray the Rosary & Chaplet of the Precious Blood.

## PRAYING FOR THE SICK & INFIRM

**PRAYER LIST** Those who are in special need of intercession by our prayerful Community may have their names listed in our bulletin. We will remember our members, relatives, and friends. To put names on the bulletin list, contact Ryan Zegarelli at 585-305-6394 or rjzegarelli@gmail.com. Names will be published for a few months' time.

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|--------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| Fr. Robert Bradler | Patrick Bleier       | Jeanne Bleier        |
| Bill Schlueter     | Roseanne Maxwell     | Jim & Jackie Ansbury |
| Kathleen Cannan    | Diane Rafferty Leavy | Peggy Butler         |

## GUIDELINES FOR COMMUNION

**CATHOLICS NEED TO REMEMBER** the Church's traditional rules on the reception of Holy Communion. Practicing Catholics who are *spiritually prepared* (i.e. not conscious of mortal sin on their souls) may approach the altar rail to make a *worthy* Communion. If one has been away from Masses of Obligation (due to one's own fault) or if there is another reason for being ill prepared, the Sacrament of Penance (Confession) is necessary *before* the reception of the Most Holy Body and Blood of the Lord. We should always approach this awesome Eucharistic Mystery with souls empty of grave sin and *full* of great love. As in the awesome Incarnational Mystery of the Word-made flesh in the stable of Bethlehem, here holy fear and deep love co-mingle.

**CATHOLIC COUPLES** in cohabitation (living together without the Sacrament of Matrimony) or in irregular marriages (without the blessing of Christ's Sacrament) are advised not to receive Holy Communion. These brothers and sisters of ours are of deep pastoral concern to the Church. Hopefully they will soon take steps to rectify their situation.

**SECRET** Look with favor upon these offerings, O Lord, that they may be an aid to our devotion and to our salvation. Through Jesus Christ.

**COMMUNION** Behold, a virgin shall be with child and bear a son, and shall name him Emmanuel.

**POST COMMUNION** O Lord, may we, who have received your gifts, be brought closer to our salvation by each celebration of this sacred rite. Through Jesus Christ.

**RECESSIONAL HYMN** (Page 11)

## 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 emails and texts 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!

**IN ADDITION** ...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). When it be necessary to conduct children to the bathroom, please do not travel through the church during the CONSECRATION of the Mass. This will involve only a few moments of delay.

## EXTRAORDINARY FORM - LATIN

**INTROIT** Drop down dew, you heavens, from above, and let the clouds rain the Just: let the earth be opened and bud forth a savior. The heavens declare the glory of God, and the firmament proclaims his handiwork. Glory be to the Father. Drop.

**COLLECT** O Lord, stir up your might and come. Aid us with your powerful assistance so that, through your grace and merciful forgiveness, we may attain salvation, which now is hindered by our sins: You who live and reign.

**EPISTLE** Philipp. 4, 4-7

Brethren: This is how men should regard us: as servants of Christ and stewards of the mysteries of God. The first requirement of a steward is that he prove trustworthy. With me it matters very little that you or any "Day of Man" pass judgment on me. I do not even pass judgment on myself. I have nothing on my conscience; but that does not mean that I have been acquitted. It is the Lord who passes judgment on me. Therefore stop making judgments before the time when the Lord comes. He will bring to light what is hidden in darkness and will manifest the intentions of men's hearts. Then everyone will receive his praise from God.

**GRADUAL** The Lord is near to all who call upon him, to all who call upon him in truth. May my mouth speak the praise of the Lord, and may all flesh bless his holy name.

**GOSPEL** John 1, 19-28

In the fifteenth year of the reign of Tiberius Caesar, when Pontius Pilate was governor of Judea, Herod tetrarch of Galilee, Philip, his brother, tetrarch of the land of Iturea and Trachonitis, and Lysanias tetrarch of Abilene, during the high-priesthood of Annas and Caiaphas, the word of God was spoken to John, the son of Zachary, in the desert. And he went into the whole region of the Jordan preaching a baptism of repentance leading to remission of sins; as it is written in the book of the words of Isaia the prophet; "A herald's voice in the desert, 'Make ready the way of the Lord, make his paths straight. Every valley shall be filled and every mountain and hill shall be levelled; The windings shall be made straight And the rough ways smooth, And all mankind shall see the salvation of God.' "

**OFFERTORY** Hail, Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with you, blessed are you among women, and blessed is the fruit of your womb.

## WEEKLY NOTICES

**OUR FESTIVAL OF LESSONS AND CAROLS** is taking place TODAY, December 18, at 3pm. Lessons and Carols is a non-liturgical devotional service of Scripture readings and choral song that dates to the late 19<sup>th</sup> century. This program anticipates Christmas by helping us to contemplate the coming of the Messiah and the birth of Christ.

**SCHOOL BUILDING PROPOSAL** To follow the ongoing conversation on the proposed redevelopment of the former school building, go online to: St. Thomas School, Irondequoit NY. (*Recommended by Fr. Lance Gonyo, Pastor of St. Kateri Tekakwitha Parish*) The developer's Facebook page: 43 North Real Estate has a lot of detailed information.

**THIS CHRISTMAS WE WILL AGAIN BE COLLECTING** gifts for the poor. Wish lists will be at each entrance as well as on the tree in the south vestibule. Unwrapped gifts can be placed in the donation boxes at each entrance through December 18.

**THANK YOU** to the community members who brought Mexican themed dishes to pass for the Juan Diego / Our Lady of Guadalupe coffee hour. Faith Formation students had a blast with the pinatas. Additional thanks to the Young Women's Homeschool Apostolate for making them for us!



# ORDINARY FORM - ENGLISH

**CONFITEOR** I confess to almighty God and to you, my brothers and sisters, that I have greatly sinned in my thoughts and in my words, in what I have done, and in what I have failed to do; through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault; therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin, all the Angels and Saints, and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God.

## KYRIE

### THE FIRST READING Is 7:10-14

The LORD spoke to Ahaz, saying: Ask for a sign from the LORD, your God; let it be deep as the netherworld, or high as the sky! But Ahaz answered, "I will not ask! I will not tempt the LORD!" Then Isaiah said: Listen, O house of David! Is it not enough for you to weary people, must you also weary my God? Therefore the Lord himself will give you this sign: the virgin shall conceive, and bear a son, and shall name him Emmanuel.

### RESPONSORIAL PSALM

R. Let the Lord enter; he is king of glory.

### THE SECOND READING Rom 1:1-7

Paul, a slave of Christ Jesus, called to be an apostle and set apart for the gospel of God, which he promised previously through his prophets in the holy Scriptures, the gospel about his Son, descended from David according to the flesh, but established as Son of God in power according to the Spirit of holiness through resurrection from the dead, Jesus Christ our Lord. Through him we have received the grace of apostleship, to bring about the obedience of faith, for the sake of his name, among all the Gentiles, among whom are you also, who are called to belong to Jesus Christ; to all the beloved of God in Rome, called to be holy. Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

### GOSPEL Mt 1:18-24

This is how the birth of Jesus Christ came about. When his mother Mary was betrothed to Joseph, but before they lived together, she was found with child through the Holy Spirit. Joseph her husband, since he was a righteous man, yet unwilling to expose her to shame, decided to divorce her quietly. Such was his intention when, behold, the angel of the Lord appeared to him in a dream and said, "Joseph, son of David, do not be afraid to take Mary your wife into your home. For it is through the Holy Spirit that this child has been conceived in her. She will bear a son and you are to name him Jesus, because he will save his people from their sins." All this

took place to fulfill what the Lord had said through the prophet: Behold, the virgin shall conceive and bear a son, and they shall name him Emmanuel, which means "God is with us." When Joseph awoke, he did as the angel of the Lord had commanded him and took his wife into his home.

**CREDO** I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, *(here all bow)* AND BY THE HOLY SPIRIT WAS INCARNATE OF THE VIRGIN MARY AND BECAME MAN. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy, catholic, and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins, and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

## SANCTUS

**MYSTERY OF FAITH** Save us, Savior of the world, for by your Cross and Resurrection, You have set us free.

## AGNUS DEI

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