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March 22, 2020 – 4th Sunday of Lent

## FORTH SUNDAY OF LENT ~ MARCH 22, 2020

### Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK



**Saturday, March 21st**

**5:00PM** St. Vincent's Parishioners

**Sunday, March 22nd**

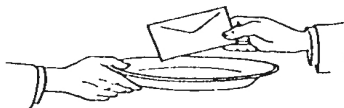
**8:30AM** Lucille Secesta req. by David Murphy  
Catherine Guay req. by the Guay Family  
Joan and Ray Joyce req. by Patty Joyce

**11:00AM** Joan L. Walsh req. by Margaret Ruff

dates  
*to Remember*

**The Parish office will remain open  
All other events are currently on hold.**

*(C) Church, (G) Grotto, (PC) Parish Center,  
(PH) Parish Hall, (L) Lounge, (MTG 1) Meeting Room 1,  
(MTG 2) Meeting Room 2*



*Gifts for God*

### **COLLECTION FOR March 7th -8th, 2020:**

E-giving to be reported in next bulletin

	<u>In Pew:</u>	<u>E-Giving</u>	<u>Total</u>
Regular:	\$2,613.80	\$1,360.00	\$3,973.80
Food Pantry:	\$857.00	\$675.00	\$1,532.00
Rainy Day:	\$470.00	\$207.00	\$677.00
Other:	\$63.00	\$614.00	\$677.00

Would you like to begin receiving offertory envelopes?

Give the Parish Office a call at 518-489-5408 or you  
may also sign up for e-giving on our website at:  
<http://stvincentalbany.org/donate>

### **ALL MASSES IN THE DIOCESE OF ALBANY CANCELED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE,**

Due to growing concerns and medical advice related to the rapid spread of COVID-19 in social settings, Bishop Edward B. Scharfenberger has announced that all regularly scheduled public Masses in the Roman Catholic Diocese of Albany — except weddings and funerals — will be canceled until further notice. Churches will, however, remain open for private prayer, pending further regulations.

**There are many options for viewing local Sunday**

**Mass online Please go to:**

<https://www.rcda.org/livemass> for more  
information.

### **TELEVISION BROADCASTS**

#### **Local Sunday Mass Broadcasts**

- ♦ Mid-Hudson Cable Ch. 901, 9:30 a.m. (St. Patrick's, Ravena)
- ♦ BCN-TV Ch. 17 and 116.2 (TW Cable) and Ch. 29 (FiOS), 1 p.m. Thursday and 9 a.m. following Sun.
- ♦ Schenectady Public Access Ch. 16, Tues. 2 p.m. and following Sun. 2 p.m. (St. Joseph, Schenectady)

#### **Other broadcasts:**

- ♦ Heart of the Nation (Milwaukee Archdiocese)

#### **Broadcast TV**

- ♦ WNYA Ch. 59.1 Sun. 9 a.m.

#### **Cable TV**

- ♦ Spectrum (Time Warner) Ch. 4, Sun. 9 a.m.
- ♦ Verizon FiOS Ch. 4, Sun. 9 a.m.
- ♦ Spectrum (Charter/Time Warner) Ch. 4, Sun. 8 a.m. and Ch. 91, Sun. 8 a.m.
- ♦ Mid-Hudson Cablevision Ch. 20 Sun. 8 a.m.
- ♦ Spectrum (Charter/Time Warner) – Greene Ch. 22, Sun. 8 a.m.

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- ♦ DirecTV Ch. 51 Sun. 9 a.m.
- ♦ Dish Network Ch. 51 9 a.m.
- ♦ DirecTV EST Ch. 379 Sun. 11 a.m.
- ♦ DirecTV Ch. 307 Sun. 6:30 a.m.
- ♦ Dish Network Ch. 239 Sun. 6:30 a.m.
- ♦ Time Warner Cable Ch. 35, Sun. 6:30 a.m. (Passionists of NJ/NYC)
- ♦ EWTN Sun. 8 a.m. (Check local listings or EWTN Channel Finder)
- ♦ WOPG 89.9 FM/1460 AM Daily 8 a.m.
- ♦ WCSS 1490 AM Sunday 8 a.m. (St. Mary's, Amsterdam)



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### **Prayers and Other Assistance for the Zullo Family**

Parishioner, thirteen year old, Gabe Zullo has been diagnosed and is being treated for Stage 4 bone cancer. Gabe frequently serves the 8:30 a.m. Mass. His family has asked for our prayers.

However, we also know that since Peter is self-employed and FMLA support will provide only part of Abbie's income they will need additional assistance as they will be accompanying Gabe for his treatments. A Meal Train to help with dinners is being organized: <https://mealtrain.com/e8y8ly>

If you would like to make a monetary donation in support of the family, You may write a check to the parish with the notation Zullo Family on the memo line. Mail this into the parish office with Att: Zullo Family on the envelope. The parish will collect the donations and send the whole amount to the Zulllos. Donating online is also possible. Please make sure to send an email to Elizabeth or Veronica to notify us of your intention.

### **Pope Francis's prayer to Mary during the Coronavirus pandemic**

O Mary,  
you always shine on our path  
as a sign of salvation and of hope.  
We entrust ourselves to you, Health of the Sick,  
who at the cross took part in Jesus' pain, keeping your  
faith firm.  
You, Salvation of the Roman People,  
know what we need,  
and we are sure you will provide  
so that, as in Cana of Galilee,  
we may return to joy and to feasting  
after this time of trial.  
Help us, Mother of Divine Love,  
to conform to the will of the Father  
and to do as we are told by Jesus,  
who has taken upon himself our sufferings  
and carried our sorrows  
to lead us, through the cross,  
to the joy of the resurrection. Amen.



### **Welcome to All**

(but especially visitors, pilgrims and those seeking a spiritual home)

We hope you will find St. Vincent's hospitable, prayerful and inclusive. Please note and feel welcome to take one of the welcome brochures found in the seats. If you would like to know more about this parish, please check our website:

[www.stvincentalbany.org](http://www.stvincentalbany.org).

If you would like to register or speak with a member of the parish staff please call 518-489-5408

or email: [pld@stvincentalbany.org](mailto:pld@stvincentalbany.org).

We look forward to hearing from you!

### **Support for Prison Ministry**

Our parishioners involved in prison ministry are asking you to write a note of support to an incarcerated brother who will be participating in a retreat soon. If we are having Mass, please stop in the parish hall after Mass the weekend of March 28-29 to write a note to let someone who may never have a visitor know that you will pray for them. Samples will be provided.

### **Caring for Our Common Home**

St. Vincent's Creation Care Team makes available ways for parishioners to implement Pope Francis' encyclical on the environment, On Care for Our Common Home (Laudato Si'). We would like to welcome new members and invite you, both adults and youth, to join our team.

If you love God and God's creation, if you want us and our children and grandchildren to thrive in a healthy environment, and if you want to preserve the beauty of the natural world, please contact Mary Cosgrove at [cosgrovefm@gmail.com](mailto:cosgrovefm@gmail.com) with "St.

### **Becoming a Catholic Christian**

Perhaps you have been sitting in the community, worshipping with us but are not a Catholic and have been wondering how to become one.

Perhaps you have a friend or family member who has expressed an interest in the Catholic Church and you would like to help them have some of their questions answered.

Perhaps you were baptized Roman Catholic but missed receiving the sacraments of Eucharist and / or Confirmation along the way and would like to do so now.

Please contact Elizabeth if you would like to know more.

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## MASS SCHEDULE

**Saturday** 5:00 P.M. Vigil  
**Sunday** 8:30 & 11:00 A.M.  
6:30 P.M. (September-May)

**PARISH CENTER** 984 Madison Avenue  
**FOOD PANTRY** Monday, Wednesday, Thursday  
12:30-2:30 PM ~ (518) 694-3153  
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**OFFICE HOURS** Monday - Friday, 9:00 AM- 3:00 PM  
**EMAIL** [secretary@stvincentalbany.org](mailto:secretary@stvincentalbany.org)  
**FACEBOOK** [www.facebook.com/stvincentalbany](http://www.facebook.com/stvincentalbany)

## PLEASE CALL THE PARISH OFFICE FOR:

- ♦ **Pastoral Care** - Visits to homebound parishioners, hospital patients or nursing home residents.
- ♦ **Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults** - Membership in the Roman Catholic Church.
- ♦ **Infant Baptism** - Celebrated monthly (except during Lent)
- ♦ **Reconciliation** - By appointment or 4:45PM Saturdays
- ♦ **Matrimony** - At least 6 months prior to your hoped for date.
- ♦ **Bereavement Ministry** - is available through the parish office. Please call and ask for Sr. Eleanor Guerin.
- ♦ **Making Funeral Arrangements in Advance** - The death of someone we love is a deeply painful and trying time. Making funeral arrangements when family members live out of town or have conflicting ideas can add further difficulties. St. Vincent's invites you to consider preparing your funeral arrangements in advance. This might mean selecting readings, music and ministers for the liturgy. These choices can always be adjusted, too, if circumstances change.

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## *Readings for the Week of March 22, 2020*

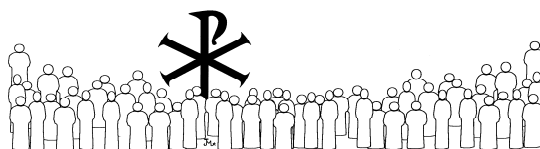
Sunday: 1 Sm 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a; Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5,  
6; Eph 5:8-14; Jn 9:1-41 or Jn 9:1, 6-9, 13-17, 4-38  
Monday: Is 65:17-21; Ps 30:2 and 4, 5-6, 11-12a and 13b; Jn 4:43-54  
Tuesday: Ez 47:1-9, 12; Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9; Jn 5:1-16  
Wed: Is 7:10-14, 8:10; Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 11; Heb 10:4-10; Lk 1:26-38  
Thursday: Ex 32:7-14; Ps 106:19-20, 21-22, 23; Jn 5:31-47  
Friday: Wis 2:1a, 12-22; Ps 34:17-18, 19-20, 21 and 23; Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30  
Saturday: Jer 11:18-20; Ps 7:2-3, 9bc-10, 11-12; Jn 7:40-53  
Next Week: Ez 37:12-14; Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8;  
Rom 8:8-11; Jn 11:1-45 or Jn 11:3-7, 17, 20-27, 33b-45

## PASTORAL TEAM:

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Paul Larrabee  
Katrina Consiglio

## THE COLLEGE OF ST. ROSE:

**Office of Spiritual Life: 454-5250**

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**Director of  
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### **Parish Registration:**

We hope you will find St. Vincent's hospitable, prayerful and inclusive. To register as a St. Vincent's Parishioner please fill out this form and drop it in the collection basket or mail to the church! A member of the parish staff will reach out for more information.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Check One: ☐ New Parishioner  
☐ Change of Address  
☐ Update of information

*Given the divisions in our country that often seem irreconcilable Elizabeth offers this prayer as a way of entrusting our nation and the current election process into God's hands.*

### **Prayer in a Presidential Election Year**

Gracious and loving God,  
you are always faithful  
and mindful of human affairs.  
Into your hands we entrust  
the present and future of our nation.  
May each of its citizens  
exercise their right to vote.  
May elected officials seek  
to initiate and support  
laws and policies that provide  
for the wellbeing of all.  
May divisions be healed  
and truth and justice embraced.  
May we live in collaborative harmony  
with our neighbors.  
May each one of us  
seek to fulfill that good which you desire of us.  
We ask this in the name of Jesus, our brother

### **Parishioner Looking for an Apartment**

Do you or someone you know have a one bedroom apartment available for rent in Albany or the Delmar area? Please contact Molly, 518-866-1195

### **IF MASSES HAVE RESUMED:**

#### **Liturgical Ministers for March 28-29, 2020**

Baker: Maria Harple  
Writer: Richard Shirey  
Writer for April 4: Tim O'Brien

#### **Saturday, 5:00 pm**

Presider/Homilist: Fr. Leo O'Brien  
Acolyte: Mary Morris  
Readers: Marcia Ringelmann,  
Anne Wasielewski  
Eucharistic Ministers: Ruth Smith, Anne Tyrrell  
Mary Brennan, **2 Needed**  
Liturgical Coordinator: Rosemarie Tobin  
Driver for Fr. O'Brien: Ruth Smith

#### **Sunday, 8:30 am**

Presider/Homilist: Fr. Michael Farano  
Acolyte: Lisa Nolan  
Altar Servers: 2 Needed  
Readers: Patty O'toole, Kathy Paulsen  
Eucharistic Ministers: Mark Keegan, Maryanne Tuite,  
Mary Jean Keegan, Kathy Kelly  
Rosa Veltman, **1 Needed**  
Liturgical Coordinator: Mary Oill  
Ministers of Hospitality: Molly Johnson, Jean Monteau  
CLW: John Rizzo  
Coffee Hour: Doon and Corrina Duvall  
Counters: Mary Ricard, John Delehanty

#### **Sunday, 11:00 am**

Presider/Homilist: Fr. Michael Farano  
Acolyte: Jack Consiglio  
Altar Servers: Star Reeder, Harry Reeder  
Readers: Emmett Schweiger,  
Laurie Lombardi  
Eucharistic Ministers: Diane Marcil, Ray Cardona  
Kate Burgess, Richard Medvetz  
Ron Jones, Kayleigh Holligan  
Beth Lacey, Angela Warner,  
Chris Burns  
Liturgical Coordinator: Maryhelen Lounello  
Ministers of Hospitality: Patty Gorman, Ray Pitlyk  
Katherine Bollin  
CLW- School Age: Meg McCarthy  
CLW- Small Children: Katrina Consiglio  
Coffee Hour: Mallory & Cheri Pinkans  
Counters: Phyllis Cardona, Dick Meimeyer  
Veronica Ministry: Terri Bronner

### **Hospital Visitation: March 22, 2022**

SPH - Suspended  
AMCH - Suspended



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