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September 26, 2021 The Twenty-Sixth Sunday In Ordinary Time

From Fr. Miller:

Fall is a time for homecoming: outdoor autumn air, good food/drink, and lively conversation. Maybe you already feel St. John's is home. Maybe you're new and it could be your home. Maybe it felt like a home and then something happened, perhaps COVID or the busy-ness of life pulled you away. **No matter who you are, St. John's can be your home!** This weekend is our parish **Homecoming Weekend** celebration. If you have been away from Mass for a long time, we welcome you. Jesus is in our midst! The peace you are seeking is here! And the greatest peace comes when we receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation before receiving Holy Communion if it has been a while or you are conscious of having committed a grave sin. I'll explain more about that at Mass.

After Mass, join us for free fall foods and refreshment. There's also a chance to meet some of the people involved in our parish ministries, events, and activities. As I said last week, you CAN stop by to chat, eat, and drink, and don't have to sign up for a ministry/activity. But if you get involved, great!

Today is known as Priesthood Sunday. Without priests, who are ordained through the Sacrament of Holy Orders, we would have no Holy Eucharist, no Sacrament of Reconciliation, and no Sacrament of Anointing. Deacons — visibly present this weekend by the return of Dcn. Craig — can assist through the sacraments of Baptism, Marriage, and also lead a funeral. Pray for us priests! We are under attack from the devil, who wants us to leave the priesthood, fall into grave sin, or become lazy. And my personal experience is that the day-to-day administrative duties and burdens can easily suffocate the faith. I'm grateful for the witness of many good priests and the prayers of many good people, including you, who can assist me in my call to be a holy priest. Could your son or your grandson be the priest our church needs? Could you be the priest our church needs? If your gut says, "no," be honest - are you saying no to God? Why? More info www.RocPriest.org

COVID safety: We want everyone to feel safe and sanitary, without becoming the mask-police. The easiest step to provide a helpful option is to remind that the old reservation chapel is 50 feet from any other parishioner, and 25 feet from me, who is facing the opposite direction. Seats all face the altar now. If you're in there and someone else enters to join you, have a friendly negotiation if you both feel comfortable sitting there, or not. *That area is first-come, first-reserved.* Let's see how this goes before blocking off other sections of the church as socially-distanced areas, which would be far less distanced than the reservation chapel. We will aim to keep the lights on brighter during Mass to make this a more welcoming space. A reminder the diocese allows Holy Communion on the tongue and no longer requires individual sanitization of hands after one distributes Holy Communion on the tongue.

Online Giving Made Easy! Make a secure, easy one-time or recurring gift to St. John's by scanning the QR Code pictured or go to our parish website www.stjohnschurchspencerport.org and click ***"Online Giving"*** These tax-deductible gifts appear on your annual giving statement.

Feast of St. Francis is 10/4...

Pet Blessing
Sunday 10/3
2:00 pm
St. John's Parking Lot
(nearest church side entrance)
All pets welcome, regardless of the faith of the owner

Weekend Mass Schedule:

Saturday 5:00 pm, Sunday 7:45, 9:30 & 11:15 am

Weekday Masses & Holy Day Masses: See Page 2

Confession: Sat. 3:45 to 4:30, Mon. & Wed. 5:30-6:00pm or by appointment.

Baptisms: We look forward to the Baptism of your child! Please call the Parish office to make arrangements.

Sacrament of Marriage: Couples are to meet at least six months in advance with the parish priest or deacon. Pre-Cana attendance is required. Please call the parish office to make arrangements.

Hospital Visits: At Strong/RGH, please state you are a parishioner from St. John's Spencerport during your intake if you want to be visited or call the parish office. At Unity, be sure to call us and ask for a visit; they will not alert us you are there.

Prayer Chain Call 352-5481, **ext.213**, and leave a message.

Food Cupboard: (585) 397-0290

Divine Mercy Religious Shop: Temporarily closed due to Covid

Parish Cemetery: General Information: 585-352-5481

Mass Schedule - The Week of September 27, 2021

MONDAY — **St. Vincent de Paul**
8:00am Intentions of Bert Maggio-Evelyn Caro
5:30-6:00pm Confession
6:00pm Wedding Rehearsal-Bosnar & Barton

TUESDAY — ***St. Lorenzo Ruiz and Companions***
8:00am Intentions of Bruce Kolb-Evelyn Caro
4:00pm Wedding-Ivan Bosnar & Chelsea Barton

WEDNESDAY — **St. Michael, Gabriel & Raphael**
5:30-6:00pm Confession
6:30pm Don & James Magin-Eileen Magin

THURSDAY — **St. Jerome**
8:00am Theresa Neidert-Joe & Laura Foley
1:00-6:00pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
Benediction Begins at 5:45pm

FRIDAY — **St. Therese - *1962 Roman Missal (Latin Mass)**
8:00am Special Intention
5:30pm Wedding Rehearsal-Monahan & Barnard

SATURDAY — **The Holy Guardian Angels (First Saturday)**
9:00am For All Police Officers & Their Families
2:00pm Wedding-Keith Monahan & Cori Barnard
3:45-4:30pm Confession
5:00pm Lilly Roman-Plummer Family

SUNDAY — **Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time**
Readings: Gn 2:18-24, Heb 2:9-11, Mk 10:2-16
7:45am Bannon Eimiller-Mike & Anne Marie Clayton
9:30am People of St. John's
11:15am Intentions of the Saladyga Family-Marcia Meyer
1:30pm-4:00pm **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament**
Sung Vespers (Evening Prayer) begins at 4:00pm

Prayers for the soul of Theresa Blodgett & Wallace Clement Sr.
Our prayers and sympathy to Mary Eichas Gavigan & George, Art, Jude, Bob & Chuck Eichas on the death of their sister, to Joseph Clement on the death of his son, to Janet Fogarty on the death of her father and to Amanda Fogarty on the death of grandfather.

Wedding Banns
Please pray for the following couple on their upcoming celebration of the Sacrament of Holy Matrimony.
III Keith Monahan & Cori Barnard

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Thank you for your many recent donations!
If God should so inspire you, keep them coming!

October 2/3 Ministry Schedule			
5:00 p.m.	**7:45 a.m.**	**9:30 a.m.**	**11:15 a.m.**
Sacristans			
B. Kolb	P. Weitz	S. Edwards	Frasca's
Lectors			
M. Mazza	H. Frank	B. McKee	B. Daniels
Ordinary Minister of Holy Communion			
B. Kolb	L. Flanagan	K. Bjornholm	F. Morganti

St. John's Parish Calendar

Monday		
Tuesday		
Wednesday		
8:00am-5:00pm	Grace Collaborative	School
9:30am	Quilters	PC Dining Rm
6:30pm	Rebuilding Program	PC Library
Thursday		
8:00am-5:00pm	Grace Collaborative	School
1:00-6:00pm	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament Benediction Begins at 5:45pm	Church
6:30pm	Cub Scouts	School/Rm A
7:15pm	St. Joseph Small Group	PC Basement
Friday		
10:00am	Cursillo Women	PC Dining Rm
Sunday		
12:30pm	GIFT	School
2:00pm	St. Francis Pet Blessing	Parking Lot
1:30-4:00pm	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament Sung Vespers (evening prayer) begin at 4:00pm	Church

Save the Date

Sat., October 16, 2021 at 12pm
Public Square Rosary Rally
Outside at St. John's,
Marian shrine.

Men's Club - Tuesday, October 5, 2021

Dinner at 6:00pm - School Conf. Room A.

We're having pizza - Enjoy a spiritual talk!

Divine Mercy Religious Shop Reopening!
New limited hours will begin **Friday, October 1st.**

- **Tuesdays & Fridays 11:00am -7:00pm**
- **Saturdays 10:00am - 5:00pm**

The Religious Shop plans to offer more expanded hours this December, COVID-permitting.

Thanks for your support and we look forward to serving the parish once again!

Dress a Girl Around the World

Dress a Girl Project at St. John's has 8 dedicated sewers who have managed since January 2021 to complete 989 dresses, 66 dolls and 84 small purses for girls in need in over 80 different countries. In addition they have completed 183 tote bags and 14 walker bags and numerous masks for the Angels of Mercy community services.
Donations of material or JoAnn Fabric gift cards are always greatly appreciated!

There are dress kits available at Martha House with all the materials needed to make a simple dress at home and return to Martha House for delivery. If you would like more information check Dress a Girl around the world website or contact Marcy at menmail@rochester.rr.com. We would love to introduce you to this very worthy cause.

CYO Basketball Program 2021-22

Registration is now open and **NEW** this year we have Online Registration! Go to our website **StJohnsChurchSpencerport.Org** and under *Parish Life* click on CYO. You may also register with hard copy forms as in the past and those are available to download from the web or stop by the office and pick one up!

Practices will begin as soon as possible. Games will start early December through mid-February.
Parent involvement is critical for the success of the program.
All parents will be required to volunteer or help in some way.
Please be generous with your time.

Family Contact Information Update: You probably don't still have a land line. Yet, you probably still have that land line as your number in our records. If your email changed or you never gave us your email, it doesn't help us stay in contact. If you want to receive infrequent and only urgent updates, fill out the below form *even if you think we already have your updated information.* Note your desired frequency of contact.
These forms can be returned via the collection tubes or dropped off at the office.

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Main Phone #_____ Is this a cell?_____

Main E-Mail_____

Additional Family Members may be listed if desired.

Name_____

Phone #_____ Is this a cell? _____

E-Mail_____

Check if you are OK if we contact you:

Only in an emergency (i.e. Mass cancelled): __email __text

More frequently, even weekly about events: __email __text

Social Ministry News

Whatever you did for the least of my brothers, you did for Me.

Poor Box Collections for Sept. will be donated to Homesteads for Hope. Their mission is to develop sustainable lifestyles, futures, and environments by creating an inclusive community serving all without distinction. Memberships are now being offered with garden plots to grow your own food. Call 352-HOPE for more information.

Ecumenical Food Shelf needs canned pasta, stuffing, muffin mix, crackers, and boxed potatoes. Need food assistance, call 397-0290

We Hold These Truths to Be Self-Evident-
We believe that universal understandings of freedom and truth are "written on the human heart." America's founders also believed this to be true. In 1776 John Dickinson, one of the framers of our Constitution, affirmed: "Our liberties do not come from charters; for these are only the declaration of pre-existing rights. They do not depend on parchments or seals but come from the king of kings and the Lord of all the earth." The words of the Declaration of Independence speak of the "Laws of Nature and of Nature's God," and proceed to make the historic assertion: "We hold these truths to be self-evident, that all men are created equal, that they are endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable Rights, that among these are Life, Liberty and the pursuit of Happiness ..." Today, more than two centuries of the American experiment have passed. We tend to take these words for granted. But for the founders, writing on the brink of armed revolution, these phrases were invested not just with their philosophy but with their lives. This is why they closed with a "firm reliance on the protection of divine Providence." The words of the Declaration of Independence illuminate the founding principles of the American Republic, principles explicitly grounded in unchanging truths about the human person. From *Living the Gospel of Life*, a statement by the Catholic Bishops of the United States

Helping Hands Ministry

Helping Hands Ministry is an outreach ministry to help those in need of minor home repairs. Call Ralph Parmalee at 295-3081 for information.

You are cordially invited to join the...Respect Life Mass

Sunday, October 3, 2021 at 11:15am
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