



St. Ann's

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Our Lady of Hope

Roman Catholic Church

9 Wheeler Avenue Whitehall, NY 12887 Parish Phone: 518-499-1656

Chapel of the Assumption

Mission Chapel of Our Lady of Hope 2026 Lands End Road Huletts Landing, NY 12841





The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass

Saturday: 4:00 pm Our Lady of Hope

6:00 pm *Chapel of the Assumption

(*summer schedule)

Sunday: 8:30 am St. Ann's

10:30 am Our Lady of Hope

12:30 pm St. Mary's

Weekdays: 9:00 am O.L. of Hope (Thurs. & Fri.)

Eucharistic Adoration

St. Mary's: Wed. 8-9am, & Sun. 11:15am-12:15pm

OLH: Mon. 9am-Tue. 9pm, Wed. 8am-9pm, Thu.

Devotions: The Holy Rosary or Divine Mercy

6:00 pm St. Ann's (*Tuesday*) 9:00 am St. Mary's (*Wednesday*)

Parish Staff

St. Ann's:

Gina Neron, Secretary & Bookkeeper

Office: 1-518-639-5218; Email: StAnnFortAnn@gmail.com

Hours: Wed. 3:00-5:00pm

Debbie Morris, Faith Formation Coordinator

Karen Moulder, Organist/Cantor

St. Mary's:

Laurie Morehouse, Secretary

Office: 1-518-642-1262; Email: stmarys.granville@rcda.org

Hours: Mon.- Wed. 9:00am-Noon

Gina Neron, Bookkeeper

Robin Anderson, Faith Formation Coordinator

Karen Moulder, Organist/Cantor; Joe Grottoli, Cantor

Our Lady of Hope:

Emily Skovira, Secretary

Office: 1-518-499-1656; Email: OLHWhite@rcda.org

Office Hours: 9:45am-2:00 pm (closed Wed.)

Gina Neron, Bookkeeper

Kenneth Blanchard, Church Custodian

Parish Trustees:

George Olsen and Walt Anderson, St. Mary's

Daniel Dorsey and Marie Fehsal, St. Ann's

Nancy Gordon, O.L. of Hope

Confession

Chaplet, 30 minutes before all Masses.

7am-Fri. 6pm; and before Masses.

St. Ann's: Tues. 5-6pm, & Wed. 10am-1pm

Tues: 5:00-5:45 pm, 6:30-7:00 pm (St. Ann's)

Wed.: 8:00-8:30 am (St. Mary's)

Thurs: 8:00-8:30 am (Our Lady of Hope)

Fri.: 8:00-8:30 am, 5:00-5:45 pm (Our Lady of Hope)

Sat.: 3:00~3:30 pm (Our Lady of Hope)

Sun: 7:45-8:15 am (St. Ann's), & after Mass at St. Ann's &

St. Mary's

Additional Sacramental Celebrations

Baptism: Please call the parish office.

Matrimony: Please call the parish office to speak with Father at least six months prior to the proposed date.

Anointing of the Sick: Please see Father after Mass or call the office if you are expecting to undergo surgery, or are ill or know of someone who is

Holy Orders & Consecrated Life: Please call the parish office.

SCOTT HAHN REFLECTS ON THE THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Today's Liturgy gives us a lesson in ancient Israelite geography and history.

Isaiah's prophecy in today's First Reading is quoted by Matthew in today's Gospel. Both intend to recall the apparent fall of the everlasting kingdom promised to David (see 2 Samuel 7:12-13; Psalm 89; Psalm 132:11-12).

Eight centuries before Christ, that part of the kingdom where the tribes of Zebulun and Naphtali lived was attacked by the Assyrians and the tribes were hauled off into captivity (see 2 Kings 15:29; 1 Chronicles 5:26).

It marked the beginning of the kingdom's end. It finally crumbled in the sixth century B.C., when Jerusalem was seized by Babylon and the remaining tribes were driven into exile (see 2 Kings 24:14).

Isaiah prophesied that Zebulun and Naphtali, the lands first to be degraded, would be the first to see the light of God's salvation. Jesus today fulfills that prophecy - announcing the restoration of David's kingdom at precisely the spot where the kingdom began to fall.

His gospel of the Kingdom includes not only the twelve tribes of Israel but all the nations - symbolized by the "Galilee of the Nations." Calling His first disciples, two fishermen on the Sea of Galilee, He appoints them to be "fishers of men" - gathering people from the ends of the earth.

They are to preach the gospel, Paul says in today's Epistle, to unite all peoples in the same mind and in the same purpose - in a worldwide kingdom of God.

By their preaching, Isaiah's promise has been delivered. A world in darkness has seen the light. The yoke of slavery and sin, borne by humanity since time began, has been smashed.

And we are able now, as we sing in today's Psalm, to dwell in the house of the Lord, to worship Him in the land of the living.

-A service of the St. Paul Center for Biblical Theology (www.SalvationHistory.com)

Mass Intentions

WELCOME TO ALL NEW PARISHIONERS & VISITORS!

We wish you every blessing in the Lord! Visit our website at: www.olhstann.org

Sat 1/21, 4:00 pm	OLH	Jean Barber (d) by The Adoration Committee For the Intentions of Bob Gorman by his family
Sun 1/22, 8:30 am	St. Ann's	Jason Broadway (d)
Sun 1/22, 10:30 am	OLH	Marie Crosier Wilbur (d) by Fran & Marie Kathy Ingalls (d) by Annette Parrott
Sun 1/22, 12:30 pm	St. Mary's	People of our Parishes
Tue 1/24, 6:00 pm	St. Ann's	For an end to abortion and the culture of death
Wed 1/25, 9:00 am	St. Mary's	Matthew Rollwagon, Sr. (d) by Karen Rollwagon Stephen & Helen Gavlik (d) by John & Joan Post
Thu 1/26, 9:00 am	OLH	Mrs. Dorothy Hart (d) (16th Ann.) by Dottie Hart
Fri 1/27, 9:00 am	OLH	For the Intentions of Andre LaBier by his mother
Sat 1/28, 4:00 pm	OLH	Jean Barber (d) by Carol Rocque & family For the Living & Deceased Members of the Knights of Columbus & their families by the K of C
Sun 1/29, 8:30 am	St. Ann's	People of our Parishes
Sun 1/29, 10:30 am	OLH	Paul Boule (d) by The WHS Class of 1965 For the Living & Deceased Members of the O'Brien Family & their Friends
Sun 1/29, 12:30 pm	St. Mary's	John & Victoria Stokowski (d) by the family Cosimo Grottoli (d) by Joseph Grottoli

Sacrificial Giving

JANUARY 15, 2023

Sunday Collection- \$699 Fuel- \$560 Solemnity of Mary- \$20

Thank you for your sacrificial donations!

LECTOR SCHEDULE

1/22 - Victoria Palmer 1/29 - Walt Anderson 2/5 - George Olsen 2/12- Peter Beyer

HOMEBOUND VISITS

To arrange for a visit please call John Post at 1-518-642-2717.

PRAYER LIST

Richard Allard, Penny Bailey, Karen Powhida Booker, The Brooks Family, Christine Brooks, Helen Caivana, Daniel Campbell, Camille Cavagnaro, Judy Daigle, Rita Devine, Mary Ellen Favro, Pat Fennell, Sherri Humphries, Alyssa Kelsey, Dr. Michael Lynch, Helen Macura, Jennifer Cruz-Marulanda, Larry McCullen, Karen Moulder, William Swindell, Miette Trevino, Simone Trevino, Mary Tutino, Marilyn Shea,

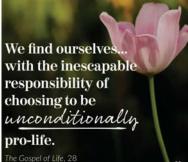
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For more information please contact: Robin at Mary's Haven (518) 584-9397.





WELCOME

Welcome We would like to welcome everyone to St. Ann's, St. Mary's, & Our Lady of Hope. To those of you who are joining us after an absence

or for the first time, we are truly glad to see you. We hope that you will consider being a permanent part of our parish family. We hope you enjoy your visit and look forward to seeing you again. From all of us, **WELCOME HOME!**

GOSPEL READING FOR JANUARY 29, 2023 FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

(Matthew 5:1-12a)

When Jesus saw the crowds, he went up the mountain, and after he had sat down, his disciples came to him.

He began to teach them, saying:

"Blessed are the poor in spirit,

for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

Blessed are they who mourn,

for they will be comforted.

Blessed are the meek,

for they will inherit the land.

Blessed are they who hunger and thirst for righteousness,

for they will be satisfied.

Blessed are the merciful.

for they will be shown mercy.

Blessed are the clean of heart,

for they will see God.

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Blessed are the peacemakers,

for they will be called children of God.

Blessed are they who are persecuted for the sake of righteousness,

for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

Blessed are you when they insult you and persecute you and utter every kind of evil against you falsely because of me. Rejoice and be glad,

for your reward will be great in heaven."

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WEEKLY SCRIPTURE PASSAGE

He has sent deliverance to his people; he has ratified his covenant forever; holy and awesome is his name. (Psalm 111:9)

THANK YOU, LAURIE MOREHOUSE!

Thank you for your hard work and dedication! Thank you to Laurie Morehouse for 2 1/2 years of service and all of her wonderful labors and efforts at St. Mary's Church. As Laurie has decided to take a step

back from the secretarial position at St. Mary's, please welcome Emily Skovira as our new parish secretary. Emily will be in the office on Wednesdays from 9 a.m to 5 p.m., starting Wednesday, February 2nd.



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Sacrificial Giving

JANUARY 15, 2023 REGULAR COLLECTION

Our Lady of Hope: \$1,339.00 Our Lady of Hope (online): \$673.00 St. Ann's: \$860.00 St. Ann's (online): \$248.00

OTHER ITEMS St. Ann's Jan. 8, 2023 Collections

St. Ann's (regular collection): \$832.56 St. Ann's (online): \$248.00 St. Ann's (monthly collection): \$612.00 St. Ann's (online): \$20.00

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Online Giving: Visit olhstann.org and select Online Giving; or to visit the Online Giving website directly go to:

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UPCOMING SPECIAL COLLECTION



This Weekend: Jan. 21 & 22
The Evangelist

PRAYER LIST

Cathy Aiken, James Aubin, Frank Bak, John Barber, Donna Bartholomew, David Battease, Alexandra Bisol, Shirley Blankschen-DeStafeno, Karen Powhida Booker, Lorraine Brooks, Rita Clark Burroughs, Carol Ciejko, Tammy (Golden) Delancey, Alfred & Betty DeLuca, Doris Donaldson, Helen Donaldson, Tim Donaldson, Frank "Busty" Fiorino, Joan Fiorino, Eva Garcia, Don & Nicole Heckelman, Phillip Hubbell, Gay Jarvis, Katie Jarvis, Kevin Jarvis, Amelia Jarvis, Antoinette Kelly, Kathy Kissko, Andre LaBier, Joan LaCroix, Azélie Lechner, Bennett Lechner, Andrew Lechner, Cami Levine, Bev McKee, Bruce McLean, Sharon Mickel, Ed Mruczek, Justine Mruczek, Ryan Mruczek, Kay Paige, James J. Parrott, Patricia Plantar, Marion Rayno, Ada Rubino, Barbara Safford, Stephanie Safford, Katana Sanchez, Mark Shovah, Mary Simonson, Jack & Mary Ann St. Clair, James St. Clair, Nancy Thomas, Sita Torres, William Waldin, Julie Wanko, John Ward, John Yetto, & David.

PARKING ONLY

HANDICAP PARKING ONLY SPOT

A friendly reminder that the handicap parking spot, just a few feet south, of St. Ann's Church's main entrance is for *handicap parking only*. Please reserve this spot for those who truly need it.

MOM's (Mother of Mercy) Kitchen



MOM's Kitchen serves dinner every **Wednesday from 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.** at **Our Lady of Hope Parish Hall.**

Feeding the Hungry....in Body & Soul

Adorers needed at Our Lady of Hope:

We have the following <u>DAYTIME</u> openings:

Mondays 1 to 2 p.m., Wednesdays

Noon to 1 p.m., Thursdays 11 a.m. to Noon, 2 to 3 p.m. (for only the 2nd & 4th Thursday of each month) & 5 to 6 p.m., & Fridays 5 to 6 p.m.

For more information contact: Nancy Gordon at 499-2620 or AdoreHisMercy@gmail.com

ADORERS NEEDED AT ST. ANN'S:

Wednesdays 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Commit to every week, once a month, or as a substitute. Please call St. Ann's office to sign up.

RESTRICTED DONATIONS

REMINDER— If you make a donation towards a specific project at one of our parishes, please include a small note **explicitly stating what it is for** (e.g. capitol improvement projects, roof, ramp-St. Ann's, for the poor, MOM's Kitchen); or for another special purpose please list, and your signature. Please do not put for Father's choice or wherever is most needed. For your convenience, we also have available in the parish offices, little "Donation Restriction" notes that can be filled out (see example below). We will keep these records on file. Thank you in advance for your understanding.

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My donation of \$, made to Our Lady of Hope Church in Whitehall, NY on/, should be used solely for the following purpose:
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(Signature)

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OLH MEMORIAL FUND

The following donations were made this week to the OLH Memorial Fund:

For: **Alice Cadarette**; by: Court McLoghlin #596 Catholic Daughters of the Americas

For: Rick Bruce; by: Bonnie McGinnis & Family For: Jean Barber; by: Bonnie McGinnis & Family For: Clara Lipka; by: Bonnie McGinnis & Family For: Neil Speer; by: Bonnie McGinnis & Family For: Francis Affinito; by: Bonnie McGinnis & Family For: Colin Thompson; by: Bonnie McGinnis & Family For: Shirley Dayton; by: Bonnie McGinnis & Family For: Marita DeGraff; by: Bonnie McGinnis & Family

Memorial donations are given in memory of loved ones who have died to keep them in our prayers and to help the needs of our church. Every First Friday morning Mass is offered for them.

All Parishes Bulletin Board



INFORMATIONAL MEETING ON PILGRIMAGE TO MEDJUGORJE

There will be an informational meeting on **Tues.**, February 7 at 7 p.m., at St. Ann's parish *hall*, on the upcoming pilgrimage to Medjugorje. Please call Our Lady of Hope parish office

at 518-499-1656 if you plan on attending this meeting. If you are interested, but are unable to attend in person, you can also join the meeting via Zoom by going to: https://zoom.us/j/6768679955?

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PILGRIMAGE TO MEDJUGORJE MAY 1-10, 2023

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Spiritual Director: Fr. Zachariah Chichester

Group Leader: Janet Astileanu

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COLLECTION OF OLD PALMS

Ash Wednesday will be here in a little over a month. Again, this year we will be collecting old palms that Deacon Bob will burn to make our ashes for Ash Wednesday. There are boxes in the vestibules at St.

Ann's, St. Mary's, and Our Lady of Hope marked for this purpose. Please drop your palms off by Sunday, Feb. 19th.

DAY OF PRAYER FOR THE LEGAL PROTECTION OF UNBORN CHILDREN

JANUARY 22, 2023



"A great prayer for life is urgently needed, a prayer which will rise up throughout the world. Through special initiatives and in daily prayer, may an impassioned plea rise to God, the Creator and lover of life, from every Christian community, from every

group and association, from every family and from the heart of every believer." -Pope Saint John Paul II



CATECHISM CORNER

Ways of Coming to Know God

The human person: With his openness to truth and beauty, his sense of moral goodness, his freedom and the voice of his con-

science, with his longings for the infinite and for happiness, man questions himself about God's existence. In all this he discerns signs of his spiritual soul. The soul, the "seed of eternity we bear in ourselves, irreducible to the merely material," can have its origin only in God.

The world, and man, attest that they contain within themselves neither their first principle nor their final end, but rather that they participate in Being itself, which alone is without origin or end. Thus, in different ways, man can come to know that there exists a reality of which is the first cause and final end of all things, a reality "that everyone calls 'God.'" (CCC, 33 &34)

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CATHOLIC EVENTS IN THE DIOCESE



Please check the diocesan events calendar regularly for Catholic events you may enjoy: **rcda.org/news-events/** events



Begin to break open God's Word in your home by dedicating some family time each week for a brief reading of a Scripture passage, perhaps the Sunday Gospel. Given the hectic and stressed pace of life and our typically overworked schedules, making family time for the Bible reminds us of the need to put God - rst. Gathering around the table of God's Word enriches and strengthens the experience of family as a "domestic Church."

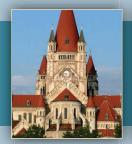
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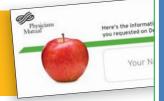
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