

Southeast Rochester Catholic Community



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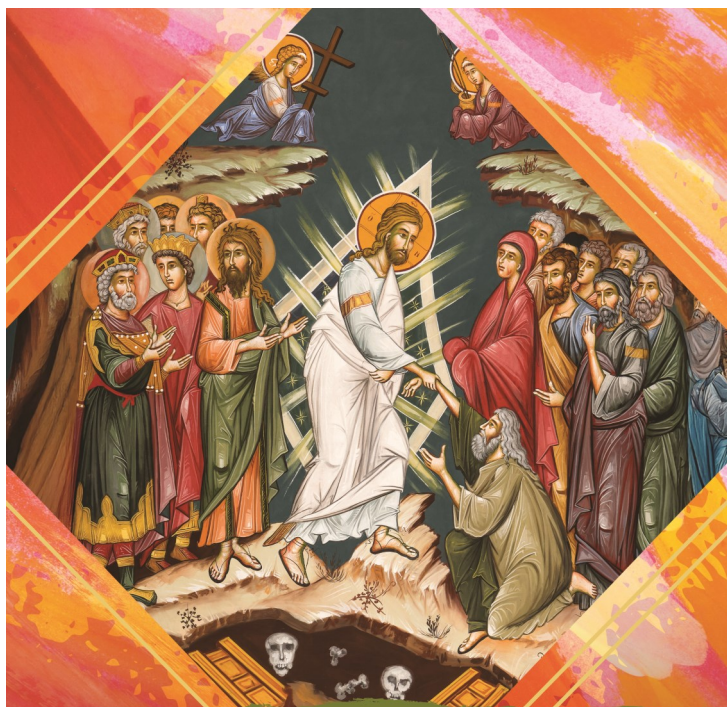
Blessed Sacrament

Saint Boniface

Saint Mary's

November 2, 2025

WELCOME EVERYONE! No matter who you are, no matter where you've been, no matter what you've done, you are invited, accepted and most welcome in our parish communities. We hope Christ will bring fullness into your life, and that we can provide you with the spiritual support and information you need.



THE COMMEMORATION OF ALL THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

"For this is the will of my Father, that everyone who sees the Son and believes in him may have eternal life, and I shall raise him up on the last day." - Jn 6:40

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*Readings for November 9th
Feast of the Dedication of the
Lateran Basilica
Ezekiel 47:1-2, 8-9, 12
1 Corinthians 3:9c-11, 16-17
John 2:13-22*

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

MONDAY:

8:00am at Blessed Sacrament Church

12:10pm at St. Mary's Church

TUESDAY:

8:00am at St. Boniface Church

WEDNESDAY:

8:00am at Blessed Sacrament Church

THURSDAY:

8:00am at St. Boniface Church

FRIDAY:

12:10pm at St. Mary's Church

*Rosary & Communion
at St. Mary's 12:10pm
Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday*

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

SATURDAY VIGIL MASS:

4:30pm at St. Mary's Church

SUNDAY MASSES:

8:00am at St. Boniface Church

9:30am at Blessed Sacrament Church

11:15am at St. Mary's Church

Confessions:

*Saturdays 3:30-4:15pm at St. Mary's
or by appointment with one of our priests.*

The Mailing Address for all three churches is:

259 Rutgers Street, Rochester, NY 14607
(585) 271-7240 (585) 442-7517 fax

The Physical Addresses of our three churches are:

Blessed Sacrament, 534 Oxford St.,
Rochester, NY 14607

Saint Boniface, 330 Gregory St., Rochester, NY 14620

Saint Mary's, 15 St. Mary's Place, Rochester, NY 14607

Weekly Calendar/Parish Events

Saturday, November 1

12:15-1:30 p.m. Many Faces of Mary Program (SM- Dugan Ctr.)
2:30-3:45 p.m. Many Faces of Mary Program (SM-Dugan Ctr.)
7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. Young Adult "Triduum of the Dead: Day 2!" (Saint Kateri Parish, Irondequoit)

Sunday, November 2

9:00 a.m. Coffee Hour (SB)
10:40 a.m.-11:55 a.m. Faith Formation (BS School)
10:45 a.m.-12:00 p.m. Confirmation Preparation Early Session (BS Parish Office)
12:30 p.m.-1:45 p.m. Confirmation Preparation Late Session (BS Parish Office)
7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. Young Adult "Triduum of the Dead: Day 3!" Souls & Snacks (St. Joseph's Church, Penfield)

Monday, November 3

5:30 p.m. Book Discussion (Zoom)
[https://us06web.zoom.us/j/87094874406?](https://us06web.zoom.us/j/87094874406?pwd=RoXJax4zn9j8c6zaIuBC9Bof8xWJP.1#success)
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Meeting ID: 870 9487 4406 Passcode: 6awgP9

Tuesday, November 4

7:00 p.m. Holy Hour (SB)

Wednesday, November 5

10:00 a.m. Scripture Sharing (Zoom)
[https://us06web.zoom.us/j/83056264840?](https://us06web.zoom.us/j/83056264840?pwd=qXjwslmsGAKI3XqmwdbbMbAxxjgJFa.1)
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Thursday, November 6

3:00 p.m. Parishioner Led Weekly Rosary (Zoom)
[https://us06web.zoom.us/j/88367489666?](https://us06web.zoom.us/j/88367489666?pwd=LmtVVDzMy6IvVwIdvV4XfbFsZ37zOIj.1)
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Meeting ID: 883 6748 9666 Passcode: 6V3KzU

Saturday, November 8

5:30 p.m. Coffee Hour (SM)

Sunday, November 9

10:30 a.m. Coffee Hour (BS)
10:40 a.m.-11:55 a.m. Faith Formation (BS School)
10:45 a.m.-12:00 p.m. Confirmation Preparation Early Session (BS Parish Office)
12:15 p.m. Coffee Hour (SM)
12:30 p.m.-1:45 p.m. Confirmation Preparation Late Session (BS Parish Office)
2:00 p.m. YA "Foundations of Faith: Small Group Study!" (Church of the Assumption, 20 East Ave., Fairport)

Devotions, Liturgies and Mass Intentions

Saturday, November 1, Solemnity of All Saints

4:30 p.m. (SM) For All the Faithful Departed

Sunday, November 2, The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed

8:00 a.m. (SB) For All the Faithful Departed

9:30 a.m. (BS) For All the Faithful Departed

11:15 a.m. (SM) For All the Faithful Departed

Monday, November 3, Thirty-first Week in Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. (BS) Helen Gorges by John & Judy Lynd

12:10 p.m. (SM) For the People of Ukraine by Al Smith

Tuesday, November 4, Memorial of Saint Charles Borromeo

8:00 a.m. (SB) For the intentions of Marlene Martin by Mary Alyce Streb

12:10 p.m. (SM) Rosary & Communion

Wednesday, November 5, Thirty-first Week in Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. (BS) Dorothy Loncle by John & Judy Lynd

12:10 p.m. (SM) Rosary & Communion

Thursday, November 6, Thirty-first Week in Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. (SB) For the People of the Southeast Rochester Catholic Community

12:10 p.m. (SM) Rosary & Communion

Friday, November 7, Thirty-first Week in Ordinary Time

12:10 p.m. (SM) Katharine Fallon Smith by Al Smith

Saturday, November 8

4:30 p.m. (SM) John Lentriccia by Tom Tosti

Sunday, November 9, Feast of the Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

8:00 a.m. (SB) For the People of the Southeast Rochester Catholic Community

9:30 a.m. (BS) A. Louise Lynd by John & Judy Lynd
Joanne Caprarelli by Sally & Andrew

11:15 a.m. (SM) Lilia Langford by Sandra CoShuMing

Together We Bring Hope
...and Hope does not disappoint



2025/2026 Catholic Ministries Appeal



Catholic Ministries Appeal 2025-2026	Blessed Sacrament	St. Boniface	St. Mary's
Goal	\$65,000	\$26,000	\$48,000
Pledged	\$15,821	\$6,421	\$12,370
Amount Remaining	\$49,179	\$19,579	\$35,630
% of Goal	24%	25%	26%
# / % of Households Participating	42/5%	18/5%	27/4%

BLESSED SACRAMENT SUPPER PROGRAM NEEDS YOUR HELP!

The Supper Program serves a traditional Thanksgiving feast for over 120 guests on Tuesday evening of Thanksgiving week. Please help by providing a 14-16 lbs. frozen or fresh turkey. Donations can be dropped off at the parish office. Please contact Anne Bowes at anne.bowes@dor.org or at 585-271-7240 for more information.



ONE CHURCH - ONE FAMILY

CATHOLIC PUBLIC WITNESS FOR IMMIGRANTS

Join the Southeast Catholic Community, and others across the country, for an evening of prayer and candlelit procession for immigrants in our community and in the country.

NOVEMBER 13, 2025 AT 6:30 P.M.

Blessed Sacrament Parish
534 Oxford St. Rochester, NY

Questions, contact Grace Adams at adamsgaceb@gmail.com



Holy Beginnings Outreach

Cordially invites you to join us in prayer and conversation, for monthly gatherings of our LGBTQ+ community (family, friends and allies welcome as well).

First Thursdays Every Month

Thursday November 6th

**Mass at 6pm (adoration at 5:30pm)
Gathering 6:45-7:45 pm**

St. Rita Catholic Parish 1008 Maple Drive, Webster 14580

Holy Beginnings is a collaboration of Catholic faith communities fostering inclusion and dialogue to those on the margins of the church and society, allowing us, as children of God, to live our call authentically.

Learn more: holybeginnings.org

Contact: Deacon Duncan Harris dharris@dor.org

The Southeast Rochester Catholic Community Supports Rochester Hope!

Rochester Hope is a not-for-profit organization serving the needs of City of Rochester families and refugees. Their mission is to bring services and caring hearts and hands to our city and help those who are most in need. Every Saturday, Rochester Hope provides a Food Pantry and other services.

The Southeast Rochester Catholic Community is partnering with Rochester Hope to support their mission of reaching out, living the Gospel, and serving those in the core of our city who are most in need. A SRCC team of volunteers gathers and helps out every 3rd Saturday of the month from 8:45AM to Noon at the St. Michael's Church complex.

Our next service date is Saturday, November 15th

Can you help?? Our volunteers will assist guests walking through the Food Pantry and making their selections. Please contact Mary Coughtry by email (coughtrym@gmail.com) or phone (507-6219) to sign up, learn more, or have your questions answered. Requirements: The physical stamina to be on your feet for three hours and the ability to carry a bag of groceries, and share a smile!



Young Adult

*Friends
giving*

NOVEMBER 15 | 7 PM

43 Gebhardt Rd., Penfield, NY 14526

Please RSVP at 585-502-8812 or roc.converge@dor.org
& consider bringing a dish to pass

A Word from Fr. John...



On All Souls' Day, we commemorate all those who have gone before us in death, whether they are in heaven or not (yet), by offering prayers on their behalf. These prayers we offer for our dead loved ones can help their souls to be purified more quickly, lessening their experience of purgatory and hastening their entrance into heaven. As such, these prayers express hope that God will free those who have died from any burden of sin and prepare a place for them in heaven. We base that hope on the word of God proclaimed in today's readings, which invite us to trust in the mercy of God and in God's desire to care for each of us for all eternity.

Yet, the loss of a loved one can leave us feeling empty and in pain. We are forced to face the harsh reality of the permanence of death. Nothing can reverse that loss. When we suffer from such profound grief, it is difficult to hold on to hope. Moreover, how can we summon the faith that undergirds our hope, when in our grief, we lack any sense of God's love and presence?

The question on the bookmark for this week, "How does accompanying others in good times and bad, affect my sense of hope?" points us to the important role of accompaniment. We need to walk with others in their grief. As much as the pain and sorrow of grief may lead us to retreat and isolate, we can't go it alone. We need others to accompany us through our grief.

If we are called upon or find ourselves accompanying those who are grieving, we need to resist the temptation to find a fix. Instead, it's best to offer not mere sympathy but true empathy, allowing us to identify with or vicariously experience the emotions, thoughts, or attitudes of those who are grieving. This requires active listening, wherein we listen with the intent to understand the other person fully, what they are thinking and how they are feeling. Our comments and questions seek comprehension and clarification. Our goal is to help the other person feel respected, supported, and truly heard. This helps to promote healing and opens us up to a renewal of our faith. This is particularly the case when we accompany one another as people of shared faith.

Through that shared faith, those whose faith is active can spark the faith in others whose experiences have called that faith into question. That has less to do with proselytizing and more to do with living out the faith in their daily lives. This can be particularly powerful when those who are grieving gather with others to offer praise and worship to the Lord. The inspiration of the Holy Spirit at work in those gathered to pray can spark the spirit and reawaken the faith among those who are grieving. In turn, that faith spurs hope in God's saving power and desire to gather all God's children into heavenly bliss. We cannot overlook or discount the importance of these collective expressions of faith in bolstering the faith and hope of those who are grieving. Thus, when our own faith is undermined by grief, the faith of those who are close to us and accompany us, along with the faith of those who gather with us to pray, especially at Mass, restore in us hope in the Resurrection, which is the ultimate consolation in the face of death.

May God inspire and empower us in our efforts to bolster the faith and hope of those who are grieving.

Yours,

Fr. John

PS - Thanks to all who had a hand in making our Oktoberfest celebration an enjoyable evening of food, fellowship, and fun. I am especially grateful to the Parish Life Committee and the Men's Club for the leadership and assistance they provided. I also thank the Krazy Firemen for their music and entertainment and Wilshire Catering for their fine food.

I also am grateful to all those who participated in our In-Pew Solicitation for the CMA. We collected a sizeable number of envelopes, which we passed onto the diocese for processing. It may be a week or so before we see those results reflected in the progress reports. Combined with all those who have contributed in other ways, we continue to make progress toward reaching our goals in each of our three parish churches. If you have not yet had a chance, please prayerfully consider donating today. Various methods are available, including visiting the diocesan website (dor.org/cma), using the QR codes on the back of the pews, or using one of the CMA envelopes available in church. Thank you for your support.

Lastly, next weekend, we celebrate the Dedication of the Lateran Basilica, which is the cathedral church of the Pope as the Bishop of Rome and inscribed as the "mother and head of all the churches of Rome and the world." As a deacon in seminary, I preached on this feast and on the feast of the Chair of St. Peter (February 22). I guess that made me the house specialist on feasts of inanimate objects.

PARISH COLLECTION INFORMATION

<u>October 26, 2025</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Variance</u>
Blessed Sacrament	\$ 4,883	\$ 7,100	\$ (2,217)
St. Boniface	\$ 1,746	\$ 3,250	\$ (1,504)
St. Mary's	\$ 3,769	\$ 5,200	\$ (1,431)
<u>Year-to-Date</u>			
Blessed Sacrament	\$103,822	\$120,700	\$ (16,878)
St. Boniface	\$ 44,856	\$ 55,250	\$ (10,394)
St. Mary's	\$ 81,322	\$ 88,400	\$ (7,078)

ATTENDANCE FOR LAST WEEK

Blessed Sacrament Seating Capacity - 800

9:30 a.m. Mass Attendance - 193

St. Boniface Seating Capacity - 550

8:00 a.m. Mass Attendance - 98

St. Mary's Seating Capacity - 550

4:30 p.m. Mass Attendance - 75

11:15 a.m. Mass Attendance - 158

Blessed Sacrament Supper Program is Thankful For You!

As Thanksgiving approaches and we give thanks for all of our blessings, the Blessed Sacrament Supper Program wishes to thank all of you for your generous and unwavering support of our program. From your generous donations to your volunteer efforts, we would like to express our sincere gratitude for all you do to help us make a difference for those less fortunate.

If it wasn't for you, our program would not exist! We feel extremely blessed and grateful to all of you our parish family!

Sincerely,

Anne Bowes

Director of the Blessed Sacrament Supper Program



Next-to-New Sale Needs Help Sorting

Through your generosity, the school gym balcony is stuffed and stacked with donations for the sale. But we need to create more space. We'll be hosting "sorting work sessions" to open boxes, sort donations, and pack like items. We'll be focused on everything except furniture, clothing and books.

Please consider joining us:

- ✦ Saturday, Nov. 15 – 9AM to Noon
- ✦ Sunday, Nov. 16 – 9AM to Noon

If you can help, email Next2NewSale@gmail.com or just stop by.

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Please Pray for those in need of Healing:

Layla Tremble, Carla Logan, David Ballerstein, Marilyn Dietz, Barbara Fransen, Brian Dzuba, Carol Childs, Carm Donovan, Carla Spooner, Kathy Haight, Diane Kannel, Gwen Walsh, Pat Nicolosi, Ruth Smith, Sam Lanzafame, Kitty Jensen, Lucy Coonan, Matthew Grasta, Louise Adler, Paul Rice, Ann Maloney, Denise Alexander, Rose Koonmen, Loretta Rose Doyle, Ann Marie Arnold, Fred Williams, Gerry Yawman, Mark Schork, Tracey Schatz, Joseph Guinessly, Ella Dyson, Bertha Ortiz, Mary Beth Ferguson, Rob Armor, Barbara Murphy, Maureen Williams, James Boothby, Becka Crof, Kristina Parker, Stephanie Ortiz, Secret Ortiz, Robert Brownyard, Liz Clarke, Maya Reagan, Nia Hrynio, Karen Agnello, Brian Lynd, Margaret Rutledge, Amanda Milne, Keri McBurney, Evy Pugh, Andrea Moracco, Greg Stark, Joe Centanni, George Bauman, Kate Byrnes, Thomas Kelly, MaryEllen Melder, Bill Long, Henry Albertelli, Bruce Gorman, Vera Horak, John Osterhout, Sharon Herring, Veronica Horn, Jean Clinton, Dawn Zinn, Mary Pflieger, Rachel Mary Cox, Jack Bowes, John Wesley, Bill Speechley, Charles Ronder, Steve Hahn, Suzie Ricci, Paula Frumusa, Michael Iannehone, Clifford Cayer, Mike Sperino, Jim Hardy, Ron Cottorone, Mark Garlock.