

Divine Mercy Parish

The Mission of Saint Bernadette



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The 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

JANUARY 15TH & 16TH

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Office Hours

Monday—Thursday, 9:00 AM—3:00 PM

Chapel at DM

Open 24 hours every day for prayer.

Any temporary changes to mass times or hours will be posted within the bulletin.



2ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

600

There was a wedding at Cana in Galilee, and the mother of Jesus was there. Jesus and his disciples were also invited to the wedding. When the wine ran short, the mother of Jesus said to him, "They have no wine." - Jn 2:1-3

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Weekend Mass times		Weekday Mass at DM		Confession at DM		Sacraments
Saturday at DM	4:00 PM	Monday	5:00 PM	Wednesday	6:30-7:15 PM	Baptism
Saturday at SB	6:00 PM	Tuesday	8:00 AM	Saturday	3:00-3:45 PM	Matrimony
Sunday at DM	8:30 AM	Wednesday	6:00 PM	Adoration at DM		Anointing of the Sick
Sunday at DM	10:30 AM	Thursday	8:00 AM	Wednesday	6:30-7:15 PM	Contact the parish office for
		Friday	8:00 AM	Benediction	7:15 PM	more information.







FROM FATHER SEIBT

Greetings in the Lord!

During the month of January, we focus our attention on **respect life**, particularly on praying for an end to abortion. January 22nd is the anniversary of Roe v. Wade, the Supreme Court

Decision that legalized abortion in the United States. No matter what decisions we make or what situations we find ourselves in, it is never permissible to take the life of another human being.

Recognizing the challenges that people face today with unexpected or unwanted pregnancies, we as a Church are always reaching out: providing other options (e.g., adoption), accompanying (e.g., Joseph's House for pregnant mothers), and healing (e.g., project Rachael for women who are in need of healing after having had an abortion).

During the month of January, we also commemorate the remarkable work of **Dr. Martin Luther King Jr**. that advanced the cause of equal dignity and civil rights. At the same time, we continue to pray and work for an end to racism in our country. We are all created in the image and likeness of God. May our thoughts, words, and actions always uphold and maintain the sanctity and dignity of all human life from conception through natural death.

Continued prayers for your health, safety, and well-being!

STEWARDSHIP

Divine Mercy Parish

January 8-9th \$6937.03 *Online Giving* January 8-9th \$1,570.00

Saint Bernadette

January 8-9th \$870.00

Online Giving
January 8-9th \$5.00



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are available, please sign up
to receive yours at the
welcome center or by
contacting the parish office.

Jim Fitzgerald



Matthew Ahlstrand Beverly O'Connell Kristy Ashley Mike McElwain Arnold Berube Donna Mula Diana Blount Ronald Graves TJ Parks, Jr. **Iames Brooks** Laurel Haller Denise Phelps Nicholas Callahan Richard Hart Veronica Proulx Luella Castonguay Phyllis Henry Donna Proulx Dianne Cone Paul Himpler Dorey Roland-Savio Willima Consilvio Rebecca Hogle Cindy Rosa Bernadette Costello John Schwiensburg Shirley Hopper

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Nancy DeGilormo Maureen & Gerry Lowe Jeffrey Slater
Andrew Doolittle Johnny Mason Joseph & Brittany Snyder

Matt Ecker Mary Mathews Rick Warner
Shannon Enders Shannon McMullen Gerald Wood
Julie Farrell Cindy McPherson Pat Yerton

John Mearon

January

16th

10:30 AM Grow Family Catechesis 9:15-10:15 AM Confirmation Class

17th

Office Closed in observance of Martin Luther King Jr. Day 6:30-8:00 PM H.E.A.R.T. Women's Group

18th

6-8:00 PM R.C.I.A.

Part 2 of 2, The Mass
NO Adult Choir Practice
7-8:30 Edge

Youth Ministry

20th

1-3:00 PM Prayer Shawl 7-8:30 PM Lifeteen Youth Ministry

21st

The March for Life in Washington D.C.
Please pray for all who attend
8:30 AM Jesus Mary & "Joe"
Scripture Study

 22^{nd}

Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children 1:00 PM Baptism Prep Class

23rd

10:30 AM GROW Family Catechesis

WORLD MARRIAGE DAY Mass & Reception

Couples celebrating 25, 50 or 50+ years of marriage, please contact the parish office to receive a special invitation to celebrate World Marriage Day with Bishop Lucia at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception.
Sunday Februrary 13th, 2:00 PM



Join Christians in praying for an end to abortion and for an outcome in favor of Dobbs v. Jackson Women's Health Organization.

Pray with us for an end to abortion. January 22, 2022

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Prayer for an End to Racism

Mary, friend and mother to all, through your Son, God has found a way to unite himself to every human being, called to be one people, sisters and brothers to each other. We ask for your help in calling on your Son, seeking forgiveness for the times when we have failed to love and respect one another.

We ask for your help in obtaining from your Son the grace we need to overcome the evil of racism and to build a just society. We ask for your help in following your Son, so that prejudice and animosity will no longer infect our minds or hearts but will be replaced with a love that respects the dignity of each person. Mother of the Church, the Spirit of your Son Jesus warms our hearts: pray for us. Amen.



project rachel

peace starts here

Are you experiencing guilt, sadness, or shame following an abortion experience?

The Diocese of Syracuse is proud to offer Project Rachel, a post abortion-healing ministry which recognizes that unresolved issues following abortions are both spiritual and psychological/emotional. To comprehensively and professionally address these needs, Project Rachel provides an integrated approach to healing, involving priests and licensed mental health professionals. Project Rachel Ministry in the Syracuse Diocese serves Onondaga, Oneida, Oswego, Cortland, Broome and Chenango counties. For more information, call Project Rachel (315)424-3737 at email hopeandhealing@syrdio.org.



9 Days for Life

Thursday, January 21st - Friday, January 29th

Pray one Our Father, 3 Hail Marys, and one Glory Be each day with the daily intentions listed below. The full novena, including daily reflections and suggested actions as well as additional information can be found at www.9daysforlife.com.

Day One: May the tragic practice of abortion end.

Day Two: May all unborn children be protected in law and welcomed in love.

Day Three: May every expectant mother receive compassionate care and support as she nurtures the life in her womb.

Day Four: May expectant fathers lovingly support the mothers of their children in welcoming new life.

Day Five: May each person suffering from the loss of a child through abortion find hope and healing in Christ.

If you or someone you know is suffering after abortion, confidential, compassionate help is available. Visit hopeafterabortion.org.

Day Six: May expectant mothers choosing adoption receive grace and support in embracing this loving option.

Day Seven: May all who support or participate in abortion experience a conversion of heart to seek and receive the Lord's boundless mercy.

Day Eight: May civic leaders work for the protection of all human life, in every stage and circumstance.

Day Nine: May all who defend life find strength and renewal in the Holy Spirit.

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Pray to PROTECT HUMAN LIFE





Mass Intentions for January

Saturday, January 15th

4:00 PM—Adrianne O'Shea by Bill O'Shea 6:00 PM— Special Intention by a Parishioner

Sunday, January 16th

8:30 AM—The People of Divine Mercy Parish and the Mission of Saint Bernadette 10:30 AM—John Regan by Mary Denely

Monday, January 17th

5:00 PM—Connie Armstrong by the Diocesan Committee For the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults

Tuesday, January 18th

8:00 AM—Giuseppe Maggi by Michael Maggi & Family

Wednesday January 19th

6:00 PM—Bud O'Brien by Mary Denely

Thursday, January 20th

8:00 AM—Jennie Seibt by Joe and Mary Ellen Geglia

Friday, January 21st

8:00 AM—Jennie Seibt by Mary Denely

Saturday, January 22nd

4:00 PM—Maurice O'Brien by Shirley Marraccini 6:00 PM—Justin Reed by Divine Mercy Parish & the Mission of Saint Bernadette

Sunday, January 23rd

8:30 AM—Marianne Wood by Barb & Dick Murphy 10:30 AM—The People of Divine Mercy Parish and the Mission of Saint Bernadette

January Memorial Candles

Divine Mercy

Father Christopher Seibt by parishioners

John Paul II Chapel

Deceased members of the Flynn Family By Bill & Kathy Yahner

The Mission of Saint Bernadette

David Bertrand by Anonymous