



St. Stephen's Parish

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February 25, 2024 Second Sunday of Lent

Life in God changes us. We, as Christians, approach our relationships and the world differently. When God calls us, Abraham's words "Here I am" become our words. We are imperfect though, and so we come before God this day reflecting on those areas in our own lives, in our community, and in our world still in need of God's transfiguring Grace. Like Peter, James, and John we must be changed, come down from the mountain and bring the Good News to the people in our lives.



Saturday, February 24 (5:00 pm)

Doug & Ronnie Robbins by Family

Sunday, February 25 (8:30 am)

People of the Parish

Monday, February 26 (No Mass)

Tuesday, February 27 (12 Noon)

Scripture/Communion Service

Wednesday, February 28 (6:00 pm)

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Thursday, February 29 (12 Noon)

Scripture/Communion Service

Friday, March 1 (8:15 am)

Scripture/Communion Service

Saturday, March 2 (5:00 pm)

Jeannette Murphy by Liz Turk

Sunday, March 3 (8:30 am)

Rose Burnside and Rose Peters by Bruce & Dorrie
Boliver and Family



Pray for the Sick

Tina Lavery, Ginny Wardell, Gene Lyndaker, Terence Fitzgerald, Marjory and Roy Schindler, Bonnie Lehman, Wilfred "Stump" Proulx, Millie Monnat, Evelyn Yousey, Mason Queary, Shayleigh Proulx, Linda Bush, John Lashbrooks, and all ill at home, in the hospital, or nursing homes.

Your Support for The Parish

Adult Envelopes:	\$3,069.00
Plate:	\$ 954.00
Eastern & Central Europe	\$ 1,321.00
(Ash Wednesday)	

Sanctuary Candle



*The Sanctuary Candle is lit in memory of
Joe Merry by Penny & Jeff Merry, Jeanne
Merry*

Welcome

We welcome Monsignor Robert Aucoin this weekend while Father Don is away.

Stations of the Cross/Eucharistic Adoration

There will be Stations of the Cross and Eucharistic Adoration on March 1 at 6 pm.

St. Stephen's Lenten Mission



We are excited to be hosting a Parish Mission this year on March 10th, 11th, and 12th at 6:30 pm each evening. Sr. Anna Rose and Sr. Sara Rose TOR will lead the mission: Walking to Calvary: A Eucharistic Journey. Prior to the mission, the parish family and children will have the opportunity to meet and spend time with the sisters.

Saturday, March 9th: The sisters will be introduced at Mass. Everyone is invited to meet the sisters after the 5 pm Mass at a covered dish dinner. Please bring a friend, a covered dish, and join us!

Sunday, March 10th: The sisters will speak with the students after the 8:30 Mass during religious education time. Everyone is welcome to attend.

More information will be posted next week. We look forward to everyone joining us in this mission.

Benefit: Mason Queary

Mason is the 10-year-old grandson of Don and Belva Queary. He is being treated for a Germ Cell Cancerous Brain Tumor in Albany. There will be a dinner with three choices on Friday, March 15th beginning at 4:30 pm at the Croghan American Legion. Meals are \$12. On Saturday, March 16th at 1:00 there will be a live auction, lottery board raffle and bake sale. Food will also be available. Auction items and baked goods appreciated. Please contact: Rosalie Ritz: 315-486-3752, Janine Mattimore: 315-804-4705 or Darlene Schneider: 315-489-2660.

Rosary Society World Day of Prayer

World Day of Prayer will be held on March 1st at the Methodist Church in Beaver Falls.

Coffee Hour

The next coffee hour will be on Sunday, March 3rd after the 8:30 am Mass. The Pastoral and Finance Councils are hosting. Everyone is invited to attend.

Who Do You Listen To?

Tired of starting your day with "the news"? Start it with the "Good News"!! Read Scripture!! Start getting the daily readings in your email-box every day! Go to the United States Conference of Catholic Bishop's website and subscribe today! Begin your day with the Daily Good News and a beautiful video reflection to go with it. Make it part of your Lenten devotions - a habit you can continue year-round! Go to: usccb.org/daily-bible-reading.

Bowling and Game Day

23 students participated in our bowling and game day on Monday, February 19th. Thanks to Traci Boliver, Michele Nikitich, Bobbi Sue Murphy, and Michelle Pominville for chaperoning. Thank you to Frank Murphy for opening the bowling alley. Lastly, thanks to our cooks: Gil Monnat and Tom Kalamas.

Penance Services

February 25 at 2 pm St. Peter's Church in Lowville
March 19th at 7 pm St. James Church in Carthage

Father Wiley's New Address

Rev. Leo Wiley
St. Joseph's House
950 Linden Street
Ogdensburg, NY 13669

"Biblical Walk-Through Christ's Passion"

Session #2 "Are You the Christ?" Feb. 28th @ 6:45 PM right after Mass in the Church Hall.

Rosary Society Meeting

The next meeting is on March 4th at 6:30 pm.