

ST. MARY'S PARISH
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September 27 2026



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St. Mary's Church Hours:

Wed. & Fri.	10:30am - 1:30pm
Thurs.	10:30am - 5:30pm

St. Mary's Rectory Office hours :
M, T, W, Th, 9a - 2:30p



Eucharistic Liturgies

Weekend Mass

Saturday Vigil 5:30pm Sunday 9 :00am

Sacrament of Reconciliation **

Thursday 4:30pm –5:30pm

Sacrament of Baptism

We joyfully welcome all into our Church Family through this sacrament. Parents are asked to call Victoria@ 315-527-7247 to make arrangements to attend preparation meetings.

Sacrament of Marriage

Couples planning to be married are asked to schedule an appointment with the Parish Priest at least 6 months before the desired date. One of the parties being married and/or their parents must be registered members of St. Mary's

New Parishioners

We welcome new Parishioners! Please contact us @ 315-853-2935 so we can share all we have to offer.

Sunshine

For a card of get well, support or cheer, call Peggy Jury @ 315-922-7007

Prayer Line...If you or any of your loved ones are in need of prayer, Please call:
Margaret* 315-853-5280, or
Karen * 315-853-6355

Bulletin Deadlines will be Friday by 12noon please. What would you like to see? Please call the rectory with your suggestions. 315- 853-2935

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Classes Begin Sunday October 11th



*Classes will meet at St John's Church in New Hartford
66 Oxford Rd , Sundays at 12:30 PM-1:30PM*



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READY TO TAKE THE NEXT STEP?
Please Contact the Parish Office
or scan the QR Code to Register.

Come and See

John 1:1



FAITH FORMATION INFORMATION

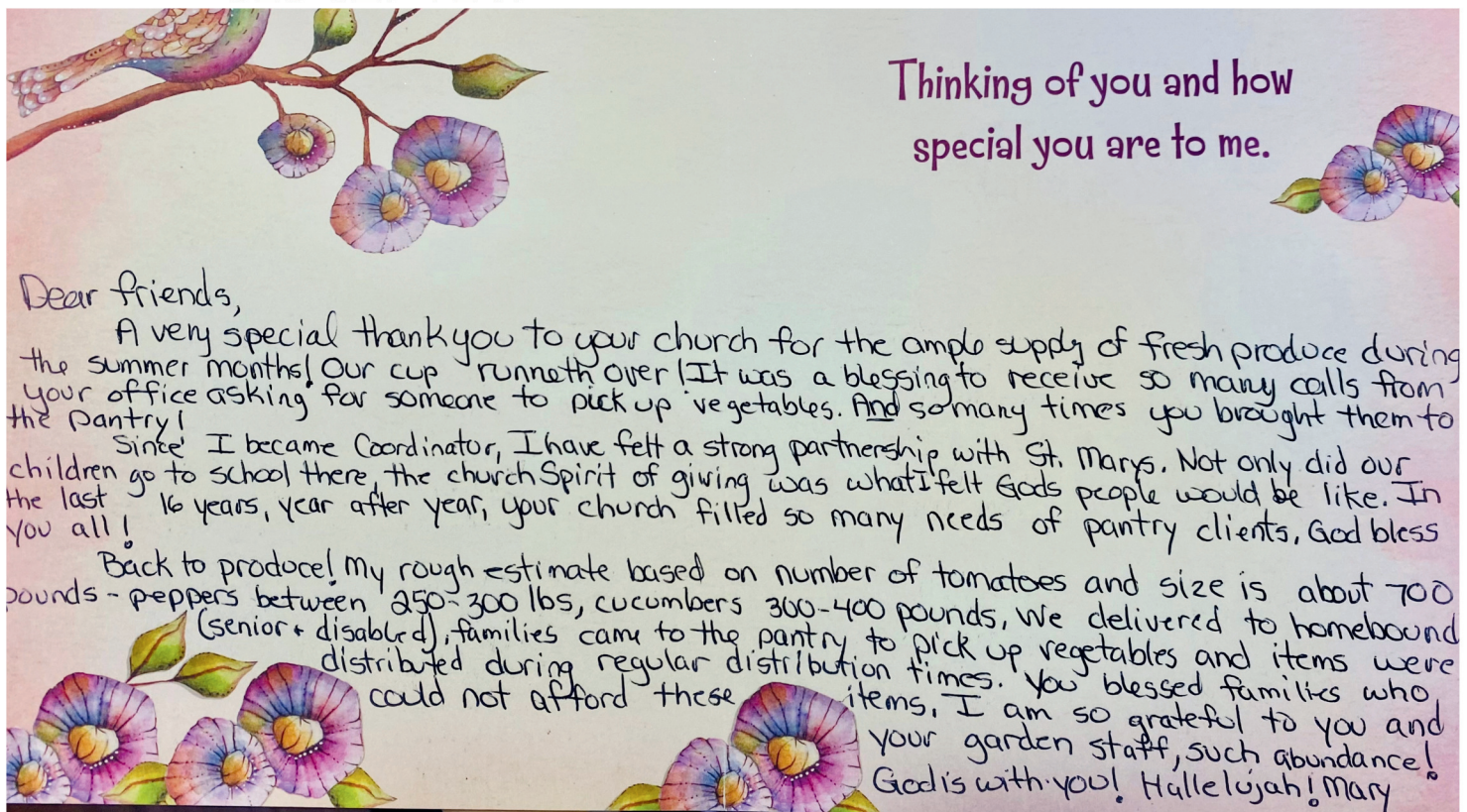
Faith Formation Registration is
Open and classes Start
Nov 1st

Any further questions
please contact: Victoria Cesarini
Faith Formation Director
315-527-7247

Sacrificial Giving 9/20/26

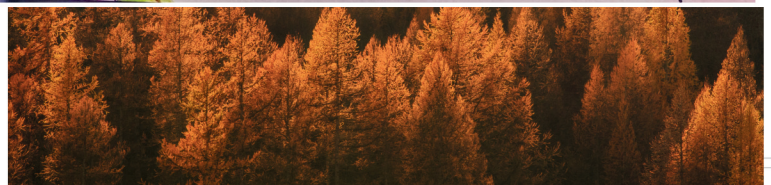
Ordinary Collection	\$3,502		
Online Giving	\$1,428		
	Actual		Budget
	\$63,283		\$80,112

It's an honor to share this note with our Parish
from Mary Zimble - Country Pantry



We Are the
BODY of
Christ

"...to equip the saints for
works of ministry,
for building up the
body of Christ" (Eph 4:12)



Prayer for Autumn —

Dear God, As the weather changes, the birds migrate, and autumn's flowers, colors, and clouds make their entrance, we thank You for the gift of this beautiful season! Help us use this season to draw closer to each other and to You.
Amen.

2026-2027 PARENT MEETING DATES

Every teen, and at least one parent, **MUST** attend **ONE** of the meetings below to learn about what this year's Faith Formation program will look like. Please bring your calendars because you will be creating your unique schedule for the year at that meeting. It must be done at the meeting. This is a great opportunity to set up your schedule to fit your families' commitments. **YOU MUST ATTEND ONE OF THEM!!**

Only 3 Left

5. **Sunday, Sept 27th** at St. Patrick/St. Anthony's Church in Chadwicks in the church basement at 12:15pm for 10th grade and 1:15pm for 9th grade
6. **Monday, Sept. 28nd** at St. Mary of Mt. Carmel/Blessed Sacrament in the school building at 6pm for 10th grade and 7pm for 9th grade
7. **Tuesday, Sept 29th** at St Mary's Clinton in the school gym at 6pm for 10th grade and 7pm for 9th grade

EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP - RECOGNIZE GOD IN YOUR ORDINARY MOMENTS

Is It the Thought That Counts?

I can remember times when I received a gift that I would not have chosen for myself. At those times I certainly thought to myself that "it was the thought that counts." I was happy that the gift-giver thought of me at all. Then there have been times when my children have not given me a gift and then chose to tell me all about what they were going to give me. They would then follow it up by saying, "it was the thought that really counts." Really!! I don't think so. I could think of sending my wife on a cruise, but that is not in any way the same as going on the cruise. I think there are times when all of us think we are more generous than we are, simply because we were thinking about being generous.

This way of thinking can be dangerous. Jesus teaches us to say what we mean and mean what we say. The intentionality of our actions is important, but intentionality without action is meaningless. How we act and what we give serves as evidence of our intentions and indicates where our heart truly lies. If we fool ourselves into thinking we are someone we are not, it can become difficult to see the truth. We need to look for the fruit in our lives. We need to make sure our desires and thoughts are moving us to act. You know that other saying about intentions, don't you? Don't pave the road to a place no one wants to end up with your intentions. Instead, let your intentions and actions lead others to another place where Jesus can be found.

– Tracy Earl Welliver



This weekend, we celebrate **Respect Life Sunday**, a time to recognize and uphold the God-given dignity of every human life, from conception to natural death.

Join the conversation! Finish this sentence.....

"Life is sacred because..."

COUNTRY PANTY

St. Mary's received a very special Thank You from Mary Zimbler who coordinates all the activities of the Country Pantry. She is grateful for the supply that we have provided these summer months with our **First Parish Garden**. Mary enjoys the strong partnership with St. Mary's and the church spirit of giving that has filled the needs of so many pantry clients. God Bless! About the Produce! Her rough estimate based on the number of tomatoes and size is about **700 pounds**, peppers between **250-300lbs**, cucumbers **300-400** pounds. Our produce went to homebound (seniors & disabled,) families came to pick up and items were distributed as well. Mary is grateful to all the garden staff and the parish for such abundance! She sends her many Blessings and couldn't be more grateful. **It was a pleasure working with her and Sally Glouse as well!** More to come! We are not done yet!

Mass Intentions

Sat Sep 26th	5:30pm	Kathleen & John Wilkinson By: Ann Wilkinson
Sun Sep 27th	9:00am	Robert, Joan and Anne Johnson Hutchison By: Loving Family
Wed Sep 30th	12:10pm	Jim & Esther Burns By: Family
Fri Oct 1st	12:10pm	Rev. Canon John Mikalajunas By: Barbara & Dr. Rafe Mickler
Sat Oct 2nd	5:30pm	Those buried in the Parish Cemetery Bonnie Yando Burns By: Cindy & Rick Burns
Sun Oct 3rd	9:00am	Lawrence Droz By: Loving Family

Choir News

St. Mary's Choir is set to resume singing Sunday, October 4th and we'd love to start the season with some new choir members. We meet Sunday morning @ 8:15am to rehearse for 9am mass, with some additional rehearsals before holidays and special occasions. Please stop up to choir loft or call Valerie @ 315-292-0368 for more information. Looking forward to welcoming you into St. Mary's Choir. Valerie

Garden Update

Small load picked 9/16/26
Country Pantry received on same day
tomatoes getting slim pickings
still more peppers, beans, eggplant and we shall see!!
Thanks to all our Garden Family!!



Prepare for Next Sunday

Agood prayer practice to get into, is to reflect on Scripture readings for the upcoming Weekend!

First Reading:	Is 5:1-7
Psalm	Ps 80:9, 12, 13-16,
Second Reading:	Phil 4:6-9
Holy Gospel:	Mt 21:33-43

Liturgical Ministers

Oct 3

5:30 pm
H Barb Blatz
H Ann Wilkinson
L Jim Winkler
C Rick Pascucci

Oct 4

9:00 am
Melinda Leising
Amy Bashant
Duffy Burdick
Karen Brewer

Altar Servers

Tristan Broadbent	Charlie Kell
Declan Broadbent	Sam Bono
Savannah Broadbent	



CARING FOR THOSE WHO CARE FOR GOD'S PEOPLE

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 10, 2026
9AM-3PM
ST. ELIZABETH ANN SETON

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Jesus understood the need for rest and renewal in carrying out his mission. Those who care for others can easily pour themselves out without taking time to be renewed.

Through Catholic teaching, practical insights, and meaningful reflection, this workshop will help participants recognize burnout, respond to stress, establish healthy boundaries, and rediscover joy and purpose in their vocation.

Whether you serve others in the Church, workplace, home, or community, come be renewed and equipped to continue your mission with greater joy and balance.

Speakers:

Msgr. Neal Quartier, PhD Rector, Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, Syracuse
Rev. Zachary Miller Pastor, Christ the King & Pope John XXIII, Liverpool
Debra Douthett, MA, LMFT

Questions? Contact Dr. Jeff Dixe at jdixe@syrdio.org



Looking for people to learn to how to make the **ROSARY** for the **Shoppers Stroll**.
November 27th. Please call 315-853-2935 so we can set up a class with our expert Michele Torchia.

BAKE SALE THIS WEEKEND!!!
AFTER 5:30pm & 9:00am masses
We'll announce where we will be!!
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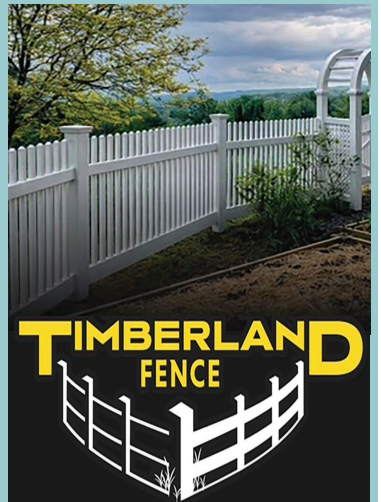
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