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MASS TIMES: SATURDAY 4PM, SUNDAY 9AM & 11AM, MONDAY-THURSDAY 12:10PM

On October 5, 1996, I was ordained a permanent deacon by Bishop Hubbard at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception in Albany, NY, and shortly thereafter I was assigned to my home parish of St. Ambrose Church. Fr. Francis DuBois and the community welcomed me with open arms from my first day, and since then I've made 24 years of memories that I now hold deep in my heart. The personal relationships my wife Vicky and I have developed with so many of you over these years are something I will always look back upon with heartfelt gratitude. I am in awe of the way each of you has adopted us into your families and homes. Each baptism, wedding, and funeral service I've been blessed to celebrate are memories I will forever hold in my heart. Because of this community, I give thanks to God each day for calling me to the ministry of the diaconate. I never imagined how blessed I personally would be by this humble service to the Lord through



each of you. Your words of encouragement, prayers and continuous presence in my life are beyond anything I could ever simply say "thank you" for. St. Ambrose Church, that is each of you that I've encountered along this ministerial journey, will always be with me no matter where I am. May God bless you every day for the blessing you have been to me! Always in my thoughts, heart, and prayers.

- Deacon Helmut

16TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

JULY 18, 2021

Please consider donating
an item from our



**St. Ambrose School
WISH LIST**

Visit stambroselatham.com
and click on the AMAZON button to
start shopping now!

**If you have any questions,
contact Kelly in the school
office: 518-785-6453.**

16TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

**St. Ambrose
Bible Study**

**Thursdays @ 7pm
via ZOOM**

We cover all parts of the Bible in
an approachable way even for first
time attendees. E-mail your
contact information to
thomas.acemoglu@rcda.org
to join!



Do you want to be a part of our Youth
Ministry team? Contact Adam Krywinski
at adam.krywinski@rcda.org or
518-669-5125.

**St. Ambrose Faith Formation is back,
in-person, this fall for children from
Pre-K to Grade 5!**



We offer in-class instruction
Register now at
stambroselatham.com/ff.

See you and your child on
Sunday, September 19th!
(9:50am - 10:50am)



**Feeding
the
5000.**

**Session 2 of 3 in our
Summer Family Bible Camp**

**Sunday, July 25th
after the 9am Mass.**

SIGN UP NOW!



Eucharistic Adoration

**Wednesdays
11:00 AM to 6:00 PM
in Church**

IF YOU ARE VACCINATED, YOU NO LONGER NEED TO
WEAR A MASK. IF YOU ARE UNVACCINATED, WE ASK
THAT YOU PLEASE CONTINUE TO WEAR A MASK.
THANK YOU AND GOD BLESS!

SCHOOL UPDATE

Summer Reflections

Now is the time to scrub desks, pack up the books, and make out new supply lists. Summer is also a time to reflect and rejuvenate ourselves for the new year.

As I reflect on this past year, I think of the amazing job the teachers did in their classrooms with all the protocols. Quickly learning to teach a combination of remote and in person and the ability to also keep a social relationship with the students as well.

Now, I begin to reflect and pray for our new year 2021-2022, I am looking forward to keeping a relationship with my students through prayer and religious instruction. It was amazing to see these young students so excited to talk about our faith. We will continue learning about the Sacraments, The Ten Commandments, The Beatitudes, Mary our Mother and Intercessor, Jesus and His amazing Love. We will prepare our Second Graders for their First Penance and reconciliation and First Holy Communion. Some parents are looking to have their child Baptized, as well. How exciting!

I want to leave you with this final thought: The Feast of our Lady of Mount Carmel just passed, so as you read this, keep in mind all that Mary went through with her Son's sacrifice. Her amazing love for God and saying yes! Our teachers said "yes" when asked to give more this past year during the COVID 19 pandemic. Please remember all teachers as they enjoy the summer break and come back in September ready to say "yes" again for the children in their care.

Cathy Viola



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Lily Spera, Principal

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MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, July 17th — 4pm

Sylvester Speciale
Joan M. Burke
Mary & Frank Micklas
John Sage
Jean Gradoni

Sunday, July 18th — 9am

William J. Magee
Michael D. Grady
Stephen D. Thompson
Connie Alston
Servillano Quiachon

Sunday, July 18th — 11am

Murielle Rayball

Monday, July 19th — 12:10pm

Intentions of Joan M. Jones
Phyllis Hahn
Robert Rainville

Tuesday, July 20th — 12:10pm

Sister Teresa Walsh C.S.J.

Wednesday, July 21st — 12:10pm

Paula Stopera

Thursday, July 22nd — 12:10pm

Intentions of Thanksgiving to the Blessed Virgin

St Ambrose, pray for us.

HAILEY'S CORNER



I know Jesus turned water into wine. I've been trying to perform a similar miracle myself: Turn WHINE into treats!

FR. BRIAN KELLY, PASTOR

OFFERTORY

Current Year

Previous Year

7/4/2021:

7/6/2020:

\$16,610.50

\$18,766.54



ONLINE GIVING

Always forgetting your envelopes?
Switch to online giving:
stambroselatham.com/egiving

Calling all Altar Servers!

Father Kelly will be hosting training sessions for any child interested in becoming an altar server. If your child is already trained and would like to begin serving again, please let us know! Reach out to Robyn at Robyn.spateholts@rcda.org for more details. Child must have received their First Communion.



ANointing OF THE SICK

Did you know that you can request the Sacrament of the Sick for any illness?

It's a Sacrament for anyone who is in danger due to serious illness, mental or physical.

If you're suffering due to an illness, reach out to us at the parish office. We can set up a time for you to be anointed. If you are here in person, Father would be happy to anoint you after any of the masses.

Furthermore, if you have reason to believe that a loved one is approaching death, do not wait! It is their right, and our privilege to administer this Sacrament.