OUR LADY OF GRACE PARISH

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EASTER SUNDAY

April 20, 2025

Sat	April 19	8:00 pm M	Easter Vigil, Rev. Father Leo Wiley by Deacon Pat & Sandy Lyons
			Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord
Sun	April 20	8:00 am R	Phyllis Gardner by Nicholas and Jenifer Gardner
		9:30 am H	For the People of the Parish
		11:00 am M	For Deceased Members of Carrara and Procida Families
Mon	April 21		NO MASS
Tues	April 22	5:30 pm M	Robert Seymour (5:10 Rosary)
Wed	April 23	5:30 pm M	Rosemary & Mary Toussaint, Mary Chatelain by S.P.F. (5:10 Rosary)
Thurs	April 24	8:00 am M	For an Increase in Priestly Vocations
Friday	April 25	8:00 am M	Msgr. David Stinebrickner by the Parish
Sat	April 26	5:30 pm M	Robert Seymour by a Parishioner
Sun	April 27	8:00 am R	In Memory of our Parents by the Emrich Family
	_	9:30 am H	For Health of Philip & Linda LaDue by Gene & Mary Kleinhans
		11:00 am M	For the People of the Parish

The Saturday 5:30pm Mass in Morristown is livestreamed on YouTube - Search "Our Lady of Grace, Morristown, N.Y".

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE: Saturday – 4:45 pm to 5:15 pm at Morristown and

1/2 hour before Sunday Masses at Rossie and Hammond & upon request

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM: Please contact our Parish Priest

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY: Please contact our Parish Priest at least 6 months prior to wedding date.

PARISH FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP

Envelopes- \$2875.00 Plate-\$448.00 Fuel \$220.00 Maintenance \$50.00 Easter Flowers \$55.00 Holy Father Overseas Relief \$20.00 Total- \$ 3668.00

Counting for April 27 Team 4



Gospel Reflection: The tomb was empty. In the early morning darkness of that first Easter, there was only confusion for Mary Magdalene and the other disciples. But as daylight spread, they saw the dawning of a new creation. What did they believe? That God had done what Jesus said He would do—raised Him up on the third day. What they saw and believed they bore witness to, as today's First Reading tells us. We are children of the apostles, born into the new world of their witness. Our lives are now "hidden with Christ in God," as today's Epistle says. Like them, we gather in the morning on the first day of the week —to celebrate the Eucharist, the feast of the empty tomb. We rejoice that the stones have been rolled away from our tombs,

too. Each of us can shout, as we do in today's Psalm: "I shall not die, but live." They saw and believed. And we await the day they promised would come—when we, too, "will appear with Him in glory."

UPCOMING EVENTS

April 26 (the Saturday of Easter Week) – "Highway to Heaven" A Year of Hope Event at St. Agnes Church and School in Lake Placid. This interactive event for families is in honor of Carlo Acutis, soon to be canonized teen of Italy.

LECTIO DIVINA

We meet at the Parish Center classroom A, 500 Morris Street, Morristown on Thursdays from 9:30 to 10:30 am. To discuss the weekly Gospel readings in the context of our lives. Please join us!

NYS CATHOLIC ACTION NETWORK

As we work to build a just and compassionate world, we support the work of the Bishops and Clergy to engage and advocate for Catholic values in legislation and public life. Please consider signing up to ensure the Catholic voice remains a strong presence in government. www.nyscatholic.org/action-center.

RACHAEL'S VINEYARD RETREAT

After abortion healing retreat May 23-25 at Guggenheim Lodge, Saranac Lake, NY. Don't suffer alone. Join a confidential weekend retreat offering a safe place to share & heal. Contact Colleen at 518-524-0774 or register on-line at www.rcdony.org/pro-life/rv-retreat.

MATER DEI FOUNDATION-SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITY: Attention High School Seniors

The Mater Dei College Foundation is pleased to offer a scholarship opportunity to actively participating Catholics who are currently in their senior year of high school and who currently reside in the Diocese of Ogdensburg and are planning to attend a degree granting college or university in the fall. To request an application form, please email Valerie Mathews, Mater Dei Foundation Scholarship Chair at vmathews@rcdony.org. Application deadline is June 1, 2025.

EASTER FLOWERS MEMORIAL 2025

Amo Family Darlene Amyot Alex & Agnes Amyot Mary & Joseph Battaglia **Bishop Family** Charles Bishop Patricia Ceresoli John & Rose Ceresoli Tom & Betty Chapman Joseph Connor, Arthur Connor **Robert Cummings** Stuart & Eleanor Demick Joseph & Louise DeCondo Anne, Pia Perry & Gene DeCondo Leona Decoteau, Peter Decoteau The Dunn Family Mr. & Mrs. Michael Durki Emrich & Turner Deceased Family Betty & Lawrence Emrich Edward & Catherine Frances Emrich Mary Furgison Marie & Lou Fleming George & Marie Gracey Doug Gracey, Lawrence Gracey Cathy Grant Green Family

Charles Hierholzer Ed & Laurie Hutton Marguerite & Oliver Johnson Terry Johnson Ray Kondrat Dave Lawrence La Gray Family Eleanor LeGray Janet Kiggins Alice Kring, Lawrence Kring Mr. & Mrs. Edson Martin Marguerite Maloney McGuire Family Doug & Marg Murray Murray Family Ken and Greg Moller Dee & Gordon Norman **Powers Family** The Phalen Family Avis & Bernard Ragan Amos Reil, Ken Reil, Olive Reil John & Irene Sherman Susan Soto Don O. Thompson Jim, Lyle, Jamie Woodcock