

# THE PARISHES OF EASTERN WAYNE COUNTY

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**Sunday Masses: 8:15 am & 10:30 am**

**Daily Masses: Monday 10:00 am Local Nursing Homes**

**Tuesday & Thursday 8: am Wednesday 6:00 pm**

**Confessions: Sunday 9:45 –10:15 am Wednesday 6:45-7:15 pm**  
 (or by appointment) **Holy Hour: Wednesday 6:30-7:30pm**



**St. Joseph the Worker Parish**  
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**Office Hours: Monday-Thursday 8:00 am to 12:00 pm**

**St. John the Evangelist**

114 Sodus St., Clyde, NY

Sunday Mass: 10:30 a.m

Tues. & Thurs. 8:30 am

Wed. 6:00 pm

Confession: Wed. 5:20 - 5:50 pm

**St. Michael**

Corner Phelps & Holly Sts.

Lyons, NY

Saturday Mass: 4:00 pm

Mass: Fri. 8:30 am

Confessions: Sat. 3:15 –3:45 pm

**St. Patrick**

Grand Ave.

Savannah, NY

Sunday Mass: 12:30 pm

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**Catholic Community of the**  
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**43 W. DeZeng St. Clyde, NY 14433**  
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**St. Mary Magdalene**

15 Northup Ave.

Wolcott, NY

Saturday Mass: 4:30 pm

Mon. & Fr. Mass: 8:30 am

Confessions: Sat. 3:30 - 4:15 pm

**St. Thomas**

6927 Main St.

Red Creek, NY

Sunday Mass: 8 am

(Winter)

Confessions: Sun. 7:20 - 7:50 am

**St. Jude**

580 Main St.

Fair Haven, NY

Sunday Mass: 8 am

(Summer)

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## DECEMBER 10, 2023 SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

The word “Advent” in English comes from the Latin word *adventus*, which means “coming.” It’s called this because during Advent we, as one body, are called to await expectantly for the coming of Christ in subtle ways.

The first is the coming of the Christ-child at Christmas when we participate in, acknowledge, and celebrate the birth of Jesus in our time. On Christmas we celebrate the specific time when the Savior of the world was born in a humble manger. During Advent we prepare for this.

The second is the expectation that we have of Our Lord’s second-coming. During Advent we have the opportunity to remember that our Lord has promised to return. We have the chance to remind ourselves to be joyfully vigilant as we await His second coming.

The third is the coming of Christ’s birth in our hearts. In Advent we have the occasion to recall that Christ lives in the heart of every child of God; to trust the words of St. Paul when he assured us that Jesus will make his home in our hearts if we trust in Him (Ephesians 3:17).

In the Gospel today we hear John the Baptist urge his listeners to “prepare the way of the Lord.” So now, as we begin this second week in Advent, let us recognize the chance that we have to ask ourselves how well we are preparing for the coming of Christ. How well am I preparing for the Christ-child’s arrival on Christmas? How well am I preparing myself for his return? And how well am I preparing for him to be born in my heart?


A blessed Advent  
to you all,

~Fr. Jeff



## MASSES, INTENTIONS AND EVENTS



<b>Sunday, December 10</b> Second Sunday of Advent	8:15 am ~ Theresa & her Dad , Frank by Rose Muoio 10:30 am ~ Frank Mels by Carmella	8:15 am ~ RCIA
<b>Monday, December 11</b> Advent Weekday	<b>10:00 am ~ Newark Manor</b> The People of the Parish	
<b>Tuesday, December 12</b> Our Lady of Guadalupe	8:00 am ~ Anthony, Rachel & Salvatore Vito by Carolyn Mowry	
<b>Wednesday, December 13</b> St. Lucy	6:00 pm ~ Richard L. Palazzoli by wife, Mary <i>Holy Hour</i>	
<b>Thursday, December 14</b> St. John of the Cross	8:00 am ~ Julia Lentz by David Lentz	
<b>Sunday, December 17</b> Third Sunday of Advent	8:15 am ~ Wally Straight by Family 10:30 am ~ Alex Kehoe by Family	8:15 am ~ RCIA <i>Giving Tree</i> <i>Gifts returned</i>

MASS	Altar Server	Lector	Commentator	Extraordinary Minister	Greeter
Dec. 17 8:15 AM	J. Umadhay	S. O'Toole	L. Lauster	J. Sherman	B. Hegeman L. Poesz
Dec. 17 10:30 am	B. Sherman	J. Sherman	K. Vitaro	K. Butterfield	C. Owen I. Humphrey

**Children's Liturgy 10:30**  
*No CLOW*
**Money Counter:**  
**Team 3**
**Nancy Murphy**  
**Coffee Hour**  
**Hasseler &**  
**Doyle**  
**Families**
**Faith Formation** *Sue Joslyn, Coordinator*
**Class Schedule**
*Sunday, December 17*
*Sunday, January 7 & 21 2024*
**Classes are 9:00 - 10:15 am in the church hall.**

Please pray for the repose of the souls of:  
**Mary Jane Healy**

**Memorial Candle and Flowers**  
**for the week of 12/10/23**
**Candle:** *Bob Snyder*
**Flowers:** *Richard L. Palazzio by wife, Mary*
**ST. MICHAEL'S WEEKLY COLLECTION**  
**November 26 \$5441.00**

Attendance	8:15 am	10:30 am
Nov. 26	130	131


**ADVENT PENANCE SERVICE SATUR-**  
**DAY, DECEMBER 16<sup>th</sup>**
**10:00 AM**
*First Penance*  
*being celebrated*

**CHRISTMAS ALTAR FLOWERS**

Envelopes and forms are due back to the  
parish center **TODAY, December 10th,**
**Advent Giving Tree**

Please return all gifts with the  
**white tag attached showing the**  
**child's name. Gifts must be**  
**returned to the church SUNDAY,**  
**DECEMBER 17th.** Any questions  
please call the parish center, 315-  
331-6753 or Nona, 315-398-8364.

Last day to purchase your **Memorial Christmas Candles**  
Candles are \$5 each

**Remember to Support Our Advertisers**
**Market Alternatives, Larry M. DePauw**

Thank you for sponsoring an ad in our bulletin.


**"Don't Spend Christmas Alone"**
**Together in Christ** invites everyone to the  
**Annual Community Shared Christmas**  
**Dinner** that is held on Christmas Day  
starting at 1 pm at the  
Newark First United Methodist Church,  
301 S. Main St., Newark.

Anyone wishing to help prepare the meal or help with cleanup, please  
contact Lorraine Stephens, 315-331-0581. Volunteers can meet at the  
church, Saturday, Dec. 23, 9 am to 12 pm, Sunday, Dec. 24, 12 pm to 4  
pm or Monday, Dec. 25 12 pm to 3 pm. The menu will include turkey,  
dressing, mashed potatoes, veggies, rolls, pies and cookies. Take outs  
will be available. Those needing transportation in Newark & Arcadia  
only please call John Murphy, 315-331-3255 by December 23rd. For  
delivery in Newark & Arcadia contact Lorraine Stephens, 315-331-0581.

**AND...**
**Donations for 20lb Frozen Turkeys and**  
**pies are needed.**
**Turkeys** need to be dropped off by  
**December 19th**
**Pies & Gifts (\$10 value)** need to be dropped off  
by the **December 21st**

A donation by check can be directed to  
**TIC Community Dinner**

c/o **Monika Brunner, 414 W. Miller St. Newark**
**Dios Nos Ofrece Su Amor y Nosotros Ex-**  
**tendemos Ese Amor a los Demás**

¿Puedes identificar a algunas personas en la comunidad o entre  
tus familiares o amigos que agradecerían recibir ayuda en esta  
temporada, ya sea emocional o práctica? Intenta averiguar que  
es lo que más necesitan y dedícale a ofrecérselo durante esta  
temporada.





## MASSES and INTENTIONS



<b>Saturday, December 9</b> Vigil Second Sunday of Advent	<b>4:00 pm St. Michael</b> Angie Cinelli by Patty Youngman
<b>Sunday, December 10</b> Second Sunday of Advent	<b>10:30 am St. John</b> Betty & LeRoy DiSanto by Paul & Sharon Ferndino <b>12:30 pm St. Patrick</b> For the People of the Parish
<b>Monday, December 11</b> Advent Weekday	<b>8:00 am St. Michael, Lyons</b> Frank Proseus by Bob & Sue Proseus
<b>Tuesday, December 12</b> Our Lady of Guasalupe	<b>8:30 am St. John</b> Jesse Alexander by Bill & Nancy Alexander
<b>Wednesday December 13</b> St. Lucy	<b>6:00 pm St. John</b> In Honor of all Parish Priests & Seminarians by Paul & Chris Lauster
<b>Thursday, December 14</b> St. John of the Cross	<b>8:30 am St. John</b> Betty & Leroy DiSanto by Paul & Sharon Ferindino
<b>Saturday, December 16</b> Vigil Third Sunday of Advent	<b>4:00 pm St. Michael</b> The Magill Family by Katie & Eileen
<b>Sunday, December 17</b> Third Sunday of Advent	<b>10:30 am St. John</b> Deceased members of the DeJohn & Carpino Families by Rosemarie DeJohn <b>12:30 pm St. Patrick</b> Yolanda & Harry Lambert by William Lambert



Please pray for the repose of the soul of:



### Memorial Candle and Flowers for the week of 12/10/23

**St. John Candle:** *Phyllis & Steven Riviello*  
by Jim & Diane Darnell

**St. Michael, Lyons Candle:** Angie Cinelli  
by Patty Youngman

### ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER PARISH WEEKLY COLLECTION November 26 \$3774.00 Catholic University \$350.00

Attendance	St. John	St. Patrick	St. Michael
Nov. 19	131	32	88



Please pray for all of our sisters and brothers who are ill, at home or in the hospital, especially those listed in our book of intentions. **St. Joseph the Worker Parish Prayer Lines** Parishioners attending St. John or St. Patrick churches who want prayers said by the members of the parish's prayer chain, please call Marianne Weaver, 315-923-7153. St. Michael parishioners please call, Judy Tuck, 315-946-4011.

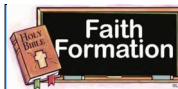


The Family of Joe Bellizzi would like to thank everyone who sent cards and brought food for our family. We especially would like to thank the Martha Ministry for the wonderful luncheon. We sincerely appreciate your generosity.

## St. Joseph the Worker Parish

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## NEWS & NOTES....



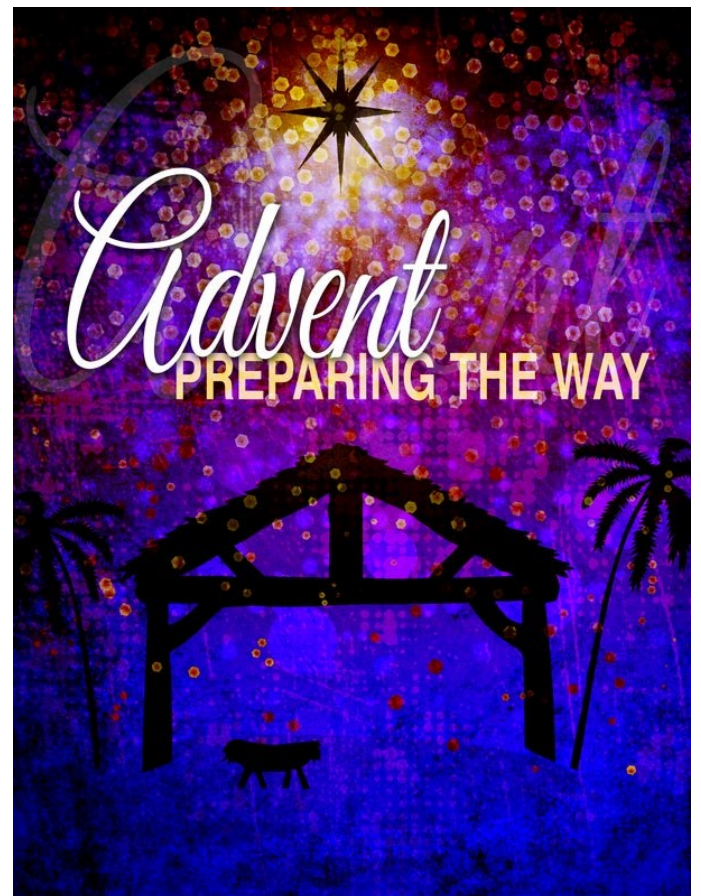
Faith Formation classes will be held at  
**9:15 a.m. on Sunday,**  
**December 17th, January 21st,**  
**February 4th & 25th, March 11th & 25th,**  
**April 14th & 28th and May 19th.**

For more information contact Debbie Liseno 315-651-2733.

Any children ages 8 and up who would like to sing at the St. Johns Christmas Eve Family Mass at 4:00pm, Can attend a practice on Monday, December 18th at 6:00pm. The children will be singing the opening hymn "Silent Night" and afterwards will return to the pews to sit with their families. Please contact the Parish Office if you would like to participate.



"Santa's Sleigh" will be collecting money and Toy Donations for families in need. Please place your toys in a box located in the front foyer of church by December 9th. Money donations can be sent with checks made out to the Lyons Inter Church Council with a memo Santa's sleigh and sent to: Patsy Hewes, 7 Foster St. Lyons, NY 14489. Volunteers are needed the week of December 11th at 10am at the Grace Mission Hall to organize toys and gifts. Distribution will be Saturday, December 16th from 9-11 am. Thanks to everyone for your anticipated participation and may you all have a Blessed Holiday Season. Merry Christmas and Happy New Year 2024!



# DECEMBER

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## MASSES and INTENTIONS



Saturday, December 9 Vigil Second Sunday of Advent	4:30 pm St. Mary Magdalene Jean Mrzywka by Terry VanFleet
Sunday, December 10 Second Sunday of Advent	8:00 am St. Thomas Zinnia Skinner by Gerry & Luba LaForge
Monday, December 11 Advent Weekday	8:30 am St. Mary Magdalene Rich Bielemeier by Eileen Bielemeier
Friday, December 15 Advent Weekday	8:30 am St. Mary Magdalene Protection for the Church by Gerry & Luba LaForge
Saturday, December 16 Vigil Third Sunday of Advent	4:30 pm St. Mary Magdalene Joseph Weber by Terry & David VanFleet
Sunday, December 17 Third Sunday of Advent	8:00 am St. Thomas Mary & Dave Jenkins by Tom & Linda Jenkins

Holy Hour is Tuesday evenings at 7:00 pm  
at St. Mary Magdalene.

This Tuesday's topic is:  
For our government and its leaders.



### The Catholic Community of the Blessed Trinity Men's Group is back in session!

The Men's Group will be meeting at St. Thomas at 7 pm on the last Monday of the month from now until June. While the study of St. Paul will be the main focus, discussion is rarely limited strictly to study. Open conversations are encouraged and the environment is non judgmental. Food is served with pizza typically a centerpiece, but often complemented with various treats brought by fellow members. Men of all ages are encouraged to attend.



Please pray for the repose of the soul of:



**Memorial Candle for the week of 12/10/23**  
**St. Mary Magdalene Candle:**

**BLESSED TRINITY WEEKLY COLLECTION**  
**November 26 \$1344.00**

Attendance	St. Mary Magdalene	St. Thomas	St. Jude
Nov. 26	49	41	N/A

### Non-Perishable Food Campaign

Social Ministry is sponsoring a Non-Perishable Food Campaign to benefit the food cupboards in Red Creek and Wolcott. The campaign will run through mid-December. Our local food pantries are always grateful for our donations. Suggested needs are as follows: Bisquick (or other baking mixes that can be used to make pancakes, waffles, muffins and biscuits), peanut butter, jam, jelly, canned goods (soups, vegetables, fruit, meats, fish, beans, baked beans, stews), pasta (canned or dry) and pasta sauces. Any donations will be greatly appreciated. **Please be sure to check the expiration date on any food donated.** Thank you for helping to feed the hungry in our community. Please direct any questions to Marie Smith (315-591-1051) or Pam AuClair (315-529-2742).



### Bonnie Castle Farm Bed & Breakfast

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### The Return of Coffee Hour/Dinners

Everyone is invited to come downstairs for our potluck dinners at SMM following the 4:30 p.m. Saturday Mass. Dinners will be held on the first Saturday of each month. Please join us for fellowship, a little music, and food. If you choose to bring a dish to share, it's always greatly appreciated!



Pregnant and parenting moms are in need in our parishes and neighborhoods. As Pope Francis reminds us, our parishes need to be "islands of mercy in the midst of the sea of indifference. Everyone in our parish community should know where to refer a pregnant woman in need. Our parish is joining a nationwide effort entitled "Walking with Moms in Need", ([www.walkingwithmoms.com](http://www.walkingwithmoms.com).) As part of this initiative, our parish will undertake a yearlong process to assess, expand and better communicate resources to pregnant and parenting moms in our local community. We invite all parishioners to join us as we begin this journey together. For more information, please contact Eileen Bielemeier, 315-594-2385 or [bielemeier@gmail.com](mailto:bielemeier@gmail.com).

SECOND SUNDAY  
OF ADVENT

God is  
making  
a way



DECEMBER





Corey Ginett  
Confirmation Coordinator

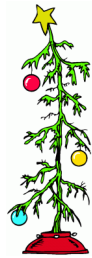
Classes are the first Saturday of the month.  
Classes start at 9 am and end about 11 am and are held at  
St. John's in Clyde. For more information,  
Please contact Corey by text at 585-451-3902

Debbie Liseno Faith Formation Coordinator  
315-651-2733 liseno.debbie@gmail.com



"I am the bread of life." John 6:51

On Sundays and Solemnities the homily is followed by the Creed (Profession of Faith), which is ordinarily the ancient Nicene Creed of A.D. 325. **The Apostles Creed, an ancient symbol of Baptism, may be used during Lent and Easter time and occasionally at Masses for children.** The entire congregation stands to recite or sometime sing the Creed. At the words, "by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man" all make a profound bow to show reverence for the Incarnation, from the Latin word "caro" for flesh. The Incarnation refers to Jesus' taking on human flesh - being conceived in the womb of the Blessed Virgin Mary. On Solemnities of the Annunciation (March 25) and Christmas (December 25), all kneel instead of just bowing. The Creed concisely sums up all that the Magisterium (the teaching authority of the Church) has taught for the past 2,000 years. Fr. Felician



**Christmas Spirit Fundraiser**  
**St. Francis -St. Stephen School**  
What Class will win the Best Christmas Spirit  
Each classroom from St. Francis-St. Stephen designed & decorated a Christmas tree that is on display at **Lynch's Furniture, 485 Exchange St., Geneva, NY.**

Vote for your favorite Christmas Tree using your spare change. Come view the Trees in the windows, stop in the store to cast your vote in one of the marked jars. The Tree with the most monetary value wins.  
**Cast your vote by December 22nd.**

National Eucharistic Revival website  
[eucharisticrevival.org](http://eucharisticrevival.org)  
Diocese of Rochester website  
[eucharisticrevival.dor.org](http://eucharisticrevival.dor.org)



**Rochester Theater Organ Society Presents**

**Tim Schramm**

**Jingle All the Way**

**December 10, 2023 2 pm**

**West Herr Auditorium Theatre**

**885 E. Main St., Rochester, NY**

**Featuring...**  
**"Achorning to Us" Barbershop Quartet**  
**Mark Daniels—Tenor**  
**Bob Humphrey -**  
**Percussions & Rhythms**  
**Sam Wersinger—Tenor**

Non-Members: \$15  
Children 12 & under w/  
Adult & Students w/  
School ID: FREE  
No Advance Ticket Sales  
Doors open 1:15 pm  
Info Line: 585-234-2295



**Breakfast with Santa**

**Saturday December 16<sup>th</sup>, 8-11 am**

**Hydrant Hose Co. No.1**

**79 Geneva Street, Geneva**

Tickets are \$10 and may be purchased by calling SFSS  
at 315-789-1828 or at the door

All proceeds benefit St. Francis-St. Stephen School



*Parishes of Eastern Wayne County*

*Christmas Schedule*

**DECEMBER 23 & 24, 4th SUNDAY OF ADVENT**  
**REGULAR MASS SCHEDULE**

Sunday, December 24, Christmas Eve

4:00 pm ~ St. Michael, Newark

4:00 pm ~ St. John, Clyde

4:30 PM ~ St. Mary Magdalene, Wolcott

6:00 pm ~ St. Michael, Lyons

10:00 pm ~ St. Michael, Newark

10:00 pm ~ St. John, Clyde

Monday, December 25, Christmas Day

8:00 am ~ St. Thomas, Red Creek

8:30 am ~ St. Michael, Newark

10:30 am ~ St. John, Clyde

12:30 pm ~ St. Patrick, Savannah



**2023/2024**  
**CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL**

*Go Forth*  
*With Christ*



CHURCH 12/4/2023	GOAL	DONORS	PAID
St. Michael	\$42,000.00 51.10%	125	\$21,460.00
St. Joseph the Worker	\$33,000.00 42.12%	83	\$13,900.00
Blessed Trinity	\$15,000.00 59.70%	41	\$8955.00

*Thankful*  
*for you*

**Thank you for your  
support to the CMA.**