



The Parish of **MARY** MOTHER OF **MERCY**



St. Francis Solanus
3660 Orchard St.
Interlaken, NY

Weekend Mass:
Saturday, 4:00 p.m.

Weekday Liturgies:
Tuesday-Friday, 8:30 a.m.
(*Recitation of the
Rosary at 8:00 a.m.*)



St. James the Apostle
17 Whig St.
Trumansburg, NY

Weekend Mass:
Sunday, 9:00 a.m.

Communion Service:
Monday, 9:00 a.m.



Holy Cross
7231 Main St.
Ovid, NY

Weekend Mass:
Sunday, 10:30 a.m.

To join the parish or to celebrate the sacraments of baptism, confirmation, anointing of the sick, or marriage, please phone the Parish Center.

Note: Weekday liturgies may be cancelled due to funerals or bad weather.



Parish Center :
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Pastor: Rev. Bernard M. Maloney, OFM Cap.

Sacrament of Reconciliation and/or personal dialogue:
Fridays, 6:30-7:30 p.m., St. Francis Solanus, with Father Bernard

In residence at St. Fidelis Friary:
Rev. Brendan Buckley, OFM Cap.
Rev. Regis Armstrong, OFM Cap.

May 19, 2024 Pentecost Sunday

*National Eucharistic Revival
June 19, 2022–Pentecost 2025
Parish Eucharistic Revival
June 2023 – June 2024*

First Reading:

And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in different tongues, as the Spirit enabled them to proclaim. (Acts 2:4)

Psalm:

Lord, send out your Spirit, and renew the face of the earth. (Ps. 104)

Second Reading:

In contrast, the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, generosity, faithfulness, gentleness, self-control. (Gal. 5:22-23)

Gospel:

“But when he comes, the Spirit of truth, he will guide you to all truth.” (Jn. 16:13)

Catholic Quotes—Words to Inspire the Faithful:

“Those whose hearts are pure are temples of the Holy Spirit.” --St. Lucy

Mass Intentions

May 18–26, 2024

Saturday, May 18

4:00 p.m., St. Francis Solanus
Joyce Kitcho
from Scott and Robin Hamula

Sunday, May 19

9:00 a.m., St. James the Apostle
Intentions of Maria Vargas
from Carol Ann Kuklo

Saturday, May 25

4:00 p.m., St. Francis Solanus
Parishioners and benefactors

Sunday, May 26

9:00 a.m., St. James the Apostle
Rogelio Vargas
from Carol Ann Kuklo

Pentecost Sunday:

This Sunday is Pentecost Sunday. It is the fiftieth day after Easter and marks the end of the Easter Season. This feast day celebrates the historical event of the descent of God, the Holy Spirit, upon the apostles. It changed the apostles. They became fearless proclaimers of Jesus the Christ and of the Kingdom of Heaven on earth. This event has been referred to as the “birthday of the Church.”

Funeral:

Rita King died on January 6, 2024 at the age of 102. To allow for family members to gather from across the country, her funeral Mass was celebrated on May 11, 2024 at St. James the Apostle Church, Trumansburg.

2023-2024 Catholic Ministries Appeal (CMA):

This year’s Appeal ends on May 31st. We lack \$1,273 to reach our given goal of \$31,000. If you have not made a pledge, please do it without delay. Every parish household’s participation is primary, what is pledged is secondary.

Parish Council New Membership:

Today, after the 10:30 a.m. Mass, the names of nominees will be drawn to be members of the Parish Council. Four nominees will be members and an additional three will be selected as alternates. We thank all who were nominated, those able and unable to accept, who considered this parish ministry.

Diocesan Missions Sunday—This weekend:

This weekend is Diocesan Missions Sunday, a day to honor the missionary efforts of the Sisters of St. Joseph and the Sisters of Mercy working and serving the needs of our brothers and sisters in Brazil and Chile. We are called to take part in the missionary work of the church. We may not all have to move to another town or city to do so, but impelled by the Holy Spirit, each one of us is to move beyond our daily concerns, important as they are, to help others live in the faith that sustains us. May we share the gift of faith today by helping our missionary friends with our prayers and a generous gift.

Corpus Christi Procession and Dish to Pass Supper:

June 2nd is the feast day of The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi). Our parish is having a Corpus Christi procession in keeping with the Church’s sacred tradition throughout the world.

The procession will take place Saturday, June 1, following the 4:00 p.m. Mass at St. Francis Solanus Church, Interlaken. Weather permitting, the procession will go outside. The procession will include three benedictions of the Blessed Sacrament with the singing of Eucharistic hymns and teachings of Jesus read from the Gospels. A dish to pass social will follow in the St. Francis Solanus Annex. Please make this event your weekend Mass attendance.

Monthly Cemetery Collection:

Please note that the monetary donation to the cemetery can be specified either for St. James the Apostle or the Holy Cross cemetery. When the monetary donation is not specified, the donations are divided between the two cemeteries. Thank you for your help.

Faith Understood:

Sunday, June 9th at Holy Cross Church at 12 Noon, come and hear Paul Zucarelli, a national Catholic speaker and author. Paul Zucarelli had nine cardiac arrests and was dead for two hours. Through intercessory prayer, Paul survived with no brain damage, and now lives to testify his witness about heaven and Christ's deep love for us. Paul and his wife, Beth, reside in Phoenix, AZ. They are both former Buffalonians. Paul graduated from Canisius College and Beth from Sacred Heart Academy. Learn more about Paul and Beth at Faithunderstood.org.

Jesus and the Eucharist Study:

Each study session presents a video that is rich in content and explores a different topic relating to Jesus and the Eucharist. There are few sessions remaining. Do plan to attend one or all the remaining sessions. You do not need to attend every session. The complete schedule is available at marymotherofmercy.com.

There is no class at St. Francis on Saturday May 25, or at St. James on Sunday, May 26 due to Memorial day weekend.

Jesus and the Eucharist Study:

Sundays:

- 1:00 p.m. | St. James
- 2:00 p.m. | Zoom

Wednesdays:

- 10:00 a.m. | Holy Cross Rectory

Thursdays:

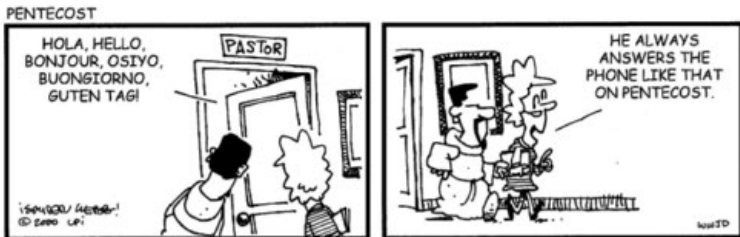
- 9:15 a.m. | St. Francis
- 1:00 p.m. | St. James

Saturdays:

- 9:00 a.m. | St. Francis

Prayer of St. Gertrude:


Eternal Father, I offer Thee the Most Precious Blood of Thy Divine Son, Jesus, in union with the Masses said throughout the world today, for all the Holy Souls in Purgatory, for sinners everywhere, for sinners in the universal church, those in my own home and within my family. Amen.



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1. Visit the parish website's giving page: marymotherofmercy.com/giving
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3. Set up your donation or payment.

If you experience any problems, please email Eileen at eileen.heptig@dor.org



Parish Schedule Week of May 19, 2024

- Sunday, May 19:**
Diocesan Missions Second Collection
 Mass: 9:00 a.m., St. James the Apostle
 Mass: 10:30 a.m., Holy Cross
- Monday, May 20:**
 Communion Service: 9:00 a.m., St. James the Apostle
- Tuesday, May 21:**
 Rosary: 8:00 a.m., St. Francis
 Mass: 8:30 a.m., St. Francis
- Wednesday, May 22:**
 Rosary: 8:00 a.m., St. Francis
 Mass: 8:30 a.m., St. Francis
 Prayer for Healing and Harmony: 2:00 p.m., St. James
 Book Study: 3:15 p.m., St. James the Apostle
- Thursday, May 23:**
 Rosary: 8:00 a.m., St. Francis
 Mass: 8:30 a.m., St. Francis
 Prayer for Healing and Harmony: 7:00 p.m., St. James
- Friday, May 24:**
 Rosary: 8:00 a.m., St. Francis
 Mass: 8:30 a.m., St. Francis
 Father Bernard is available, no appointment is necessary: 6:30-7:30 p.m., St. Francis Solanus
- Saturday, May 25:**
 Mass: 4:00 p.m., St. Francis Solanus
- Sunday, May 26:**
 Mass: 9:00 a.m., St. James the Apostle
 Mass: 10:30 a.m., Holy Cross

Community Outreach:

- Food Pantries:**
- Ovid Federated Church: Mondays, 10:00 a.m.
 - Food Truck: June 4, 4:00-6:00 p.m., South Seneca High School
 - Interlaken Reformed Church: Fridays, 3:00-6:00 p.m.
 - Trumansburg Food Pantry: June 3, 3:30-6:00 p.m., Methodist Church
 - Lodi's Community Pantry: Saturdays, 12:30-2:00 p.m., Lodi Rod & Gun Club
- Family Hope Center:** Tuesdays and Thursdays, 10:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m., Holy Cross



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