



# Welcome to Holy Cross

A Caring Community - Dewitt, NY

This season of Lent, we prepare our hearts for Jesus' resurrection by embracing the disciplines of prayer, fasting, and service.



Join us as we fast on Ash Wednesday for our one meal  
**THE BREAD AND SOUP DINNER**  
in Yeazel Hall following the 5<sup>PM</sup> mass

## March 2, 2014

### MASS SCHEDULE

**Saturday: Vigil at 4:00pm**

**Sunday: 7:30am, 9:00am, 11:30am**  
(Family Mass -9:00am)

**Daily: Mon. thru Fri. -7:45am**

### PENANCE

**Saturday at 3:15pm**

### OUR MISSION

We are a community of Catholics who draw our strength from the celebration of the Eucharist, so that Christ may live in us and we may express the values He taught by our loving service to family, neighbor and society.

### NEW PARISHIONERS? VISITOR?

Welcome! Please introduce yourself to one of the priests. We invite you to become an active participant of our parish community and welcome you. Please take a census envelope from the racks at each exit or contact the Parish Office for one.



# MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

## Sunday, March 2<sup>nd</sup> - Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 AM Kevin Considine/ Wife Catherine  
 9:00 AM Jean Tirinato/ Charles & Beth Beach  
 11:30 AM Joyce Shambo/ Loretta Nowicki & Betty Marten

## Monday, March 3<sup>rd</sup>

7:45 AM Paulina Villiani/ The Hatem Family  
 8:15 AM - 3:00PM Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

## Tuesday, March 4<sup>th</sup>

7:45 AM Intentions of Lucy McLean/Catherine Considine  
 8:15 AM - 3:00PM Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

## Wednesday, March 5<sup>th</sup> - Ash Wednesday

7:00 - 7:45 AM Distribution of Ashes (only) Religious Ed  
 7:45 AM Intentions of Jeannine Shahin/  
 Morning Rosary Group

10:30 AM School Mass

12:15 PM Distribution of Ashes (only)

5:00 PM People of Holy Cross  
 8:15 AM - 3:00PM Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament  
 7:00 PM Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament - church

## Thursday, March 6<sup>th</sup>

7:45 AM Mae Woods/ Cheri Conley  
 8:15 AM - 3:00PM Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

## Friday, March 7<sup>th</sup>

7:45 AM Mass League Mass  
 8:15 AM - 3:00 PM Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament  
 12:15PM Stations of the Cross

## Saturday, March 8<sup>th</sup>

3:15 - 3:45 PM Penance - Church  
 4:00 PM Thomas Masten/ wife Catherine

## Sunday, March 9<sup>th</sup> - First Sunday of Lent

7:30AM Florence Pestello/ The Wiese Family  
 9:00AM Kevin Kelly/The Chesmark Family (School Mass)

### YOUR CONTINUING SUPPORT

Your goodness is exceptional.

Collection of February 23<sup>rd</sup>: \$21,552.91

Credit card and electronic donations are now possible through the Holy Cross website: [www.hcparish.com](http://www.hcparish.com).

Click on the **DONATE** button located at the bottom of the page, and follow the instructions. **Also, don't forget to use our QR Code with your smartphones!**

### Planned Giving For Our Parish

Please consider our parish through:

- Your Will or Trust
- Retirement Assets
- Life Insurance Policies
- A Life Income Gift which will provide you with payments for life and ultimately will benefit our parish



Next week's extra collections are:  
 Church in Central & Eastern Europe - Ash Wednesday  
 Black and Native Americans - March 9

## 8th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME MUSICAL NOTES

Prelude: **Declare His Glory** -Mosie Lister  
*Pro. Hymn: 539 - O GOD BEYOND ALL PRAISING*  
 THAXTED

Sung Mass Parts:

**Mass of Christ The Savior** -Dan Schutte  
 Nos. 918, 919, 922, 923, 926, 927 (Hymnal)

Liturgy of the Word & Propers: Pg. 76 ff.  
 Responsorial Psalm: Pg. 77 (Rest in God alone, my soul.)  
 Gospel Acclamation: Pg. 77 (The word of God is living...)

*Off. Hymn: 404 - THERE IS A LONGING*

COMMUNION MEDITATION: (all Masses)

**Where'er You Walk** -Georg Friederic Handel

CHOIR ANTHEM: (11:30)

**Praise** -Alec Rowley  
 (Choir with Katie DiMaria & Ryan Boyle - solos)

*Rec. Hymn: 442 - HOW CAN I KEEP FROM SINGING*  
 ENDLESS SONG

Postlude: **The Heavens Declare The Glory Of God**

-Benedetto Marcello

(Andrew Wiley - Instrument Coordinator)

(Andrew Wiley, Kevin Witmer, Josh Nightingale - trumpets)

CHILDREN'S CHOIR MUSIC: (9:00)

**Lord of the Dance** -Shaker Melody

CANTORS: 4:00 - Katie DiMaria

9:00 - CHILDREN'S CHOIR - Roger Schafer

11:30 - ADULT CHOIR - Abby Witmer

The entire congregation sang well last weekend at the 11:30 Mass, when they joined the Adult Choir in the Anthem! It was a thrill to see everyone stand and sing that hymn with the Choir. Thank you who sang for giving the Lord great praise.

Pope John Paul II's encyclical *Redemptoris Missio* was and is the basis for the New Evangelization. Catholics are called to live the Faith by not only their words but also by their actions. Those who have left the Church need both to be called back into the fold of the One True Church which Our Lord Jesus Christ founded. Discipleship means that we become more Christ-like every day. Today's Gospel from Matthew, that we cannot serve two masters is a fitting conclusion to the "Carnival" season. The hymn today are joyful, and the Adult Choir Anthem (11:30) gives a microscopic look at the entire church Year. We sing with great joy and exuberance this weekend while we prepare for the Penitential season to come.

Ernest Camerota

### Lectors and Eucharistic Ministers

We, our ministry, have been asked by the new Faith in Action leader, Beth, to seek volunteers for Saturday, April 12th—from 10AM till Noon to help Sister Rose deliver Easter plants to the local nursing homes in the area. We need around 20-25 volunteers. Please call me ASAP at 446-0343 or email me at jackgarbol@aol.com so that we might get a count. Isn't this a great way to start the Easter Season. Thanks and God bless.

Jack

## FAITH FORMATION

**Kathy Fitzgibbons, DRE**  
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 Coordinator for PreK - 6  
 Kathy@holycrossdewitt.org

**Tammy Gunn**  
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 Coordinator for grades 7-12  
 tammy@holycrossdewitt.org

### Youth Ministry

Eileen Chappell ~ Youth Minister  
[http://www.hcparish.com/youth\\_ministry](http://www.hcparish.com/youth_ministry) fhcleader-  
 ship.wordpress.com Facebook.com/HolyCrossFHC

### Young Adult Ministry

(for anyone in their twenties and thirties)  
 yamatholycrosschurch.wordpress.com ~ taylor@holycrossdewitt.org

### Holy Cross School Bottle Drive - March 8

The 2014 Holy Cross School Bottle Drives are underway. It is easy to contribute, you can either return your bottles & cans to the grocery store, recycle them & bring your receipts to the church or school and deposit the receipts in the white box marked Bottle Drive or bring your bottles and cans to Holy Cross on **Saturday, March 8 from 9am - Noon**. All proceeds benefit the 2014 Holy Cross School Auction!

## HOLY CROSS SCHOOL 2014 DINNER & AUCTION



The Auction Committee is excited to announce Sponsorship and Advertising opportunities for the 17<sup>th</sup> Annual Dinner and Auction being held on **May 10, 2014!** There are many different levels to choose from to accommodate all budgets. This is a chance to not only support our school, but it is also an invaluable marketing opportunity for your business.

Please contact Jen McDowell at 315-420-6830  
 for further information.

### Pray for our parish family ESPECIALLY...



Anna Barnaba, Naz Bernardo, Bruce Blair, Jane Blizzard, Frank Borer, Dan Calkins, Vincent Capogreco, Mary Cavallaro, Ryan Cummings, Ted Delas, Naomi Dempsey, Alyssa Dodge, Patricia Durgin, Bill Fitzpatrick, Stella Frankl, Tresa A. Graziano, Yvonne Grocott Joan Harden, Thomas & Jeannette Heick, William H. Kearney Jr., Jennifer Kelley, Veronica Kelly, Bill Keohane, Joanne Kukla, David Lankes, Kathleen MacLachlan, Joseph Maio, Kelly Martin, Angie Marziale, Mary Maurillo, James McGinnis, Jerime McHerron, Eleanor Moloney, Peter Morkovin, Colleen Murphy, Frank Pallata, Dianna Patrea, Patricia Perry, Kimberly Poe, Fred Josiah Poe, Edward Popcom, Richard Purcell, Mark Queor, Julia Randall, John Reagan, Sandra Riposo, Martha Rossi, Karen Butler Schultz, Barbara Schunck, Rosalie Scipione, Thomas Sillers, Ritamarie Smith, Angline Splaine, John Spurrier, Maureen Tessier, Michael Thornton, Antoinella Valenza, Mary VanAlstyne, Patrick Wiese, Zachary Wiley, Janice Wise, Connie Wolniak, Martha Yunngebauer

## THIS WEEK'S ACTIVITIES

### Sunday, March 2<sup>nd</sup> - Food Donation Weekend

9:00 AM Child Care - room 5  
 9:00 AM Sunday School - rooms, 2,3,4,6  
 10:00 AM First Eucharist Class  
 10:15 AM Falling Upward Adult Study Meeting- room 12  
 10:30 AM Confirmation Prep Class

### Monday, March 3<sup>rd</sup>

3:00 PM Girl Scouts - room 9

### Tuesday, March 4<sup>th</sup>

6:50 AM High School Faith Formation - Yeazel Hall  
 8:30 AM First Tuesday Sandwich Making - Yeazel Hall  
 10:00 AM Mom's Group - room 5  
 10:00 AM Exploring God's Word - room 9

### Wednesday, March 5<sup>th</sup> - Ash Wednesday

7:00 AM Middle School Faith Formation - Yeazel Hall  
 7:00 - 7:45AM Distribution of Ashes  
 9:00 AM Small Christian Community - member's home  
 12:15 PM Distribution of Ashes  
 5:30 PM Bread and Soup Meal - Yeazel Hall

### Thursday, March 6<sup>th</sup>

8:00 AM Elementary School Faith Formation - Yeazel Hall  
 7:00 PM Adult Choir Rehearsal - Choir Room  
 7:00 PM Pope Francis & the Joy of the Gospel - room 12 & 13

### Friday, March 7<sup>th</sup>

8:00 AM Elementary School Faith Formation - Yeazel Hall  
 12:15PM Stations of the Cross

### Saturday, March 8<sup>th</sup>

9:00 - Noon HC School Bottle Drive - Parking Lot  
 3:15 PM Penance - Church

### Sunday, March 9<sup>th</sup>

9:00 AM Child Care - room 5  
 9:00 AM Sunday School - rooms 2,3,4,6  
 10:00 AM First Eucharist Class - Yeazel Hall  
 10:15AM Falling Upward Adult Study - room 12

## In Conversation

Monsignor  
 Robert Yeazel  
 Holy Cross Church



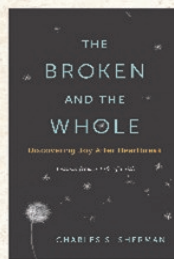
Rabbi  
 Charles Sherman  
 Temple Adath Yeshurun



## The Broken and The Whole

Discovering Joy After Heartbreak  
 Lessons from a Life of Faith

Two faith leaders from our community talk frankly about the big questions in life. Join us for an enlightening, uplifting evening. The evening marks the release of Rabbi Sherman's critically-acclaimed book.



Scribner/Simon and Schuster  
[www.thebrokenandthewhole.com](http://www.thebrokenandthewhole.com)

Tuesday, March 11 at 7:00 pm  
 Holy Cross Church  
 4112 E. Genesee Street, DeWitt

*"This is truly an unforgettable and amazing story — heart wrenching, inspiring, and ultimately reassuring. There's no denying the searing pain of heartbreak, but also no denying the strength of the human spirit to carry on. I can't imagine a person that this wonderful book won't touch. I loved reading every page."*  
 — Wolf Blitzer, CNN Anchor

### Programs for Lent Programs

#### **Evangelizing Power in the Parish**

Friday, April 4 from 9:30-3:30 in Yeazel Hall or  
Sat., April 5 from 9:30 –3:30pm at the Cathedral; Registration \$25 early; \$35 at door, email taylorhorn@gmail.com

#### **“Exploring God’s Word” - Sharing the Light**

“The Bible Timeline” by Jeff Cavins (DVD format- meets weekly on Tuesday @10:00am in rm. 9; all welcome

#### **Faith Formation Programs**

-**Elementary classes** will begin with Large Group & interactive prayer. All students, including Holy Cross School will have the booklet “Lent for Children 2014”.

-**Middle School** - Large Group Prayer Service – Ash Wednesday; Penance Service during Lent.

-**High School** - Large group presentation on Lent. Teens will also participate in parish programs

**Faith in Action at Holy Cross** - see column on pg. 5

**Falling Upward: spirituality for the Second-Half of Life** -Discussion group meets on Sundays @ 10:15 in room 12; contact Deacon Dutter - ddutter@twcny.rr.com

#### **Holy Cross School – Lenten Programs**

-Ash Wednesday School Mass @ 10:30am

-Penance Service for grades 3-6

-Stop, Drop & Pray; & Random Acts of Kindness

#### **Ignite 2014 Men’s Conference**

Saturday, March 29<sup>th</sup>, 8am to 5pm @ SRC Arena. Information at [www.ignitecatholicmen.org](http://www.ignitecatholicmen.org)

#### **Lenten Day of Reflection with Jim Krisher**

Wed., March 26<sup>th</sup> @ 9:30am-Yeazel Hall. \$15 (lunch included). \$15 register at Parish Office.

#### **Living the Eucharist Small Groups**

Starting after Ash Wednesday. If you have not heard from your group leader call Taylor Arras.

#### **Peace and Justice - Bread & Soup Meal**

Ash Wednesday after 5pm Mass in Yeazel Hall

#### **Pope Francis & the Joy of the Gospel**

A closer look at Pope Francis’ encyclical, *Evangelii Gaudium*. Offered in a variety of formats and times. Call the Parish Office to register.

#### **Youth Ministry**

-**The Middle** – Wednesday, March 5<sup>th</sup>, 6-7:30pm in the Youth Room for all 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup> graders

-**FHC** – Every Monday @ 7pm in Youth Room for all in 9<sup>th</sup> -12<sup>th</sup> grade.

-**The Passion of the Christ** movie - Youth Room for 9<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> graders after Holy Thursday Mass.

### Masses and Devotions

**Ash Wednesday Masses:** 7:45am, 10:30am (School Mass) and 5:00pm  
**Ashes only:** 7:00-7:45am (Religious Ed) & 12:15pm



\***LENTEN REGULATIONS** - Ash Wednesday and Good Friday is a day of fast & abstinence. Catholics 14 years of age & older are bound to abstain from meat on the Fridays during lent. Catholics age 18 to 59 are bound to the law of fasting. (“The law of fasting allows only one full meal a day, but does not prohibit taking some food in the morning and evening, observing-as far as quantity & quality are concerned-approved local custom.” Apostolic Constitution Poenitemini, 1966

**Stations of the Cross** During Lent we will have the Stations of the Cross every Friday at 12:15pm. (except Good Friday)

**Daily Mass:** 7:45am

#### **Weekend Masses:**

Saturday—4:00pm

Sunday: 7:30am, 9:00am, 11:30am

#### **Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament:**

Weekdays: 8:15am to 3:00pm (Chapel)

#### **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:**

Wednesdays: 7:00-8:00pm (Church)

#### **Penance Service:**

Monday, April 7<sup>th</sup>-7pm at St. Matthews, E. Syracuse

**Tenebrae Service:** Wednesday, April 16—7:00pm

### Soup & Bread—Ash Wednesday 3/5

Have you thought about how to enter into the Lenten season? On Ash Wednesday we observe fasting & abstain from eating meats. This year the Holy Cross Peace & Justice Committee & Health ministry group will be sponsoring & hosting a simple, lite **soup & bread meal** on **Ash Wednesday** in Yeazel Hall following the 5pm Mass. Please join us for this simple meal of soup & home-made bread, (spaghetti-o’s for the kids!). Then, spend some quiet time reflecting on the Lord at the 7pm Adoration & Benediction... a wonderful way to prepare for Lent with your Holy Cross family. We will ask for a \$5/person donation with proceeds going to help our Food Donation for the poor. Take-out available.

### Trip to St. Marianne Cope Shrine –March 12

Our trip has been scheduled for Wed., March 12th. We will car pool and plan to leave from the Holy Cross parking lot at 12:30pm. Questions call Jo Oliva 446-3328



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### Faith in Action

For more information or to volunteer, contact Beth Schafer: 315-416-4576 or [beth@holycrossdewitt.org](mailto:beth@holycrossdewitt.org)

#### **If you missed the February Peace & Justice meeting:**

Sr. Colette Walter is Household Coordinator for Francis House, a home for terminally ill patients who have no family, or patients for whom spending their last days with family is not an option. Sister shared that the goal of Francis House is to provide a comforting home environment for the dying patients in their care. The sounds and smells of a home are a source of comfort for dying patients. The Sisters of St. Francis provide professional nursing in collaboration with Hospice. Volunteers are necessary to provide ordinary household duties like cooking and cleaning and hospitality for visiting family members. To volunteer, a 5 session training program is provided. It includes information about the how the house is run, communicating with patients, and the stages of dying. A new training session begins Tuesdays in April. Volunteers could be an individual or a couple and are asked to commit to a 4 hour shift twice a month. A current need is for someone to staff the reception desk and answer phone calls. *If you are interested in becoming a part of the ministry of Francis House, please call Rea Carver, Volunteer Coordinator, at (315) 475-5422 or email [rcarver@francishouseny.org](mailto:rcarver@francishouseny.org)*

#### **March focus: Go out & spread the Good News!**

#### **Come & See Visit to the Southside Ministries**

#### **Saturday, March 22nd; 9:30 am to noon.**

Join interested parishioners as we visit locations of the Southside Ministries. Kevin Frank, Director of Brady Faith Center will share his reflections about working on the southwest side of Syracuse. We will stop at some of the buildings where services are located & meet some of the people involved in serving. Catholic Charities' Men's Shelter, Brady Faith Center, St. Lucy's & Jail Ministry are some of the places we will visit. To register for the morning or to learn more call or email Beth (contact info above)

#### **March Parish Day of Service-Operation Northern Comfort~ Sunday, March 23rd; 2-4pm**

Operation Northern Comfort, a local outreach effort that developed from the successful Operation Southern Comfort (rebuilding houses after Hurricane Katrina), is repairing houses damaged by the flooding in Oneida last year. Four houses are under construction under the guidance of John Doughty and Norm Andrzejewski. Bring your tool belt and paint brush to love & serve people nearby whose lives were devastated by flash flooding. Students from nearby colleges donated their spring break to work on the houses, but much more needs to be done. There is an immediate need for a volunteer with plumbing or electrical skills. See updates on [facebook.com/Operation NoCo-Call](https://www.facebook.com/OperationNoCo-Call) Beth (contact info above) for more information or to register for the Sunday activity.

#### **First Tuesday Sandwiches for the Men's Shelter~ March 4th, 8:30 am**

The men's shelter asked us to increase our sandwich donation to 250 sandwiches. Join the sandwich crew in working toward our new goal!

### Interested in Babysitting?

Young Adult Ministry is looking for two people who would like to babysit on Tuesday mornings (March 11th—April 15th) from 9:45am-11:15am so that a group of parents may attend Small Group study. Please contact Taylor Arras at [taylor-horn@gmail.com](mailto:taylor-horn@gmail.com) if you are interested.

### Long Term Care Workshop:

Join us in Yeazel Hall for a Financial Education Workshop sponsored by Choice Point Advisors. The topic for this workshop will be Long Term Care (LTC) Planning. The session will be held on Thursday, **March 6<sup>th</sup> and will begin at 7:00 PM**. The workshop will address questions such as; What is LTC? How does LTC work? How do I protect my assets and income? What are the costs associated with LTC? If you would like answers to these questions and many more, join us for this workshop.

RSVP required, please contact Joanne @ 299-8434 ext 204 or email [Joanne.briedis@LPL.com](mailto:Joanne.briedis@LPL.com). If replying by email, include how many will be attending. Dessert & coffee will be served.

### Life Line Screening

Holy Cross will offer a preventive health event. Life Line Screening, a leading provider of community-based preventive health screenings, will host their affordable, non-invasive and painless health screenings on April 11. Register for a Wellness Package which includes 4 vascular tests & osteoporosis screening from \$149 (\$139 with our member discount). All five screenings take 60-90 minutes to complete. **In order to register for this event and to receive a \$10 discount off any package priced above \$129, please call 1-888-653-6441 or visit [www.lifelinescreening.com/community-partners](http://www.lifelinescreening.com/community-partners).**

### **SAVE THE DATE -**

### **Harp Concert at Holy Cross**

Free Concert - *Traditional Irish Music*  
3PM Sunday, March 23rd



### From Our Neighbors

**Music & Arts Showcase onstage at Bishop Grimes - Friday, March 7, 6-8pm.** Enjoy our dinner-show, visit our art gallery & celebrate the music & art talents of our students from across the Diocese. \$8 tickets at door/ \$7 pre-sale (437-0356)

### Rome, Sicily and More ~ Oct. 20-28, 2014

Visit Rome, the center of the Christian world, Join Pope Francis for the scheduled Angelus in St. Peter's Square. Attend a private Mass for the group in the Grotto of St. Peter's Basilica. View first hand, the diverse religious, political & historical heritage of Sicily. Experience the charm of Sorrento, Pompeii, Montecassino & Naples. For information contact: Fr. Charles Vavonese 470-1491 or [pilgrimage@syrdio.org](mailto:pilgrimage@syrdio.org) or Fr. John Manno 469-7789

**LITURGICAL MINISTRIES SCHEDULE ~ WEEKEND OF March 8<sup>th</sup> & March 9<sup>th</sup>**

<u>MASS</u>	<u>LECTORS</u>	<u>EUCH. MIN.</u>	<u>EUCH. MIN.</u>	<u>ALTAR SERVERS</u>	<u>USHERS –A</u>
Saturday, 4:00 PM	Theresa Skandalis	H1 Rose Tout	CH1	Brelyn Tyler	Ray Blake
		H2 Claudette Tanner	CH2	David Tyler	David Jureller
		H3 JoAnn Wallace	CH3	Kara Wilson	Claude Pilon
		H4 Maureen Vieau	CH4		
		H5 Kay Sgarlata			
Sunday, 7:30 AM	Edw. Michalenki		CH1	Mikey Petrell	Ed Coolican
		H2 Paul Demong	CH2	Jeffery Phan	Tony Ebersole
		H3 Peter Demlein	CH3		Len Hayes
		H4 Ed Flynn	CH4		Charles Stepneski
Sunday, 9:00 AM	School Mass	H1 Brian Cieplicki	CH1	Kate Wilcox	Tom Kenah
		H2 Nancy Thompson	CH2	Anna Kelley	John Kissane
		H3 Rani Ristau	CH3	Matthew Boule	Ed Purcell
		H4 Amelia Geneco	CH4	Rachel Duggan	
		H5 JD Tessier		Aiden Duggan	
Sunday, 11:30AM	Susan Jereb	H1 Emily Hauser	CH1	Ella Ondercin	Donald Brown
		H2 Kelly Martin	CH2	Michael Ondercin	Peter Bergamo
		H3 Ed Judge	CH3		Brad Delavan
		H4 Sue Judge	CH4		David Rapp
		H5 Linda Mulvey			

**SACRAMENTS**

**Baptism** ~ Please call the Parish Office to make arrangements  
Classes required for 1st Baptism

**Marriage** ~ Please make an appointment with a priest at least 6 months prior to wedding

**Penance** ~ Saturday, 3:15PM

†To request either the **Anointing of the Sick** or **Communion to the Sick** please call the Parish Office.†

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Rev. Msgr. J. Robert Yeazel, Pastor, Vicar General, ext. 15  
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Rev. Charles S. Vavonese, In Residence  
Rev. Msgr. George F. Sheehan, In Residence  
Rev. Louis P. Sogliuzzo, SJ, Weekend Homilist  
Deacon Dare Dutter  
Sister Rose Bill, MFIC, Pastoral Associate, ext. 13  
Deacon Jason Hage  
Seminarian Ken Kirkman  
Katharine Fitzgibbons, Director Religious Ed. Pre-K – 6, ext. 12  
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Cathy Young, Coordinator of Maintenance  
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Eileen Chappell, Youth Minister, ext. 20  
Nathan Gunn, Mentor for Scripture/Leadership, ext. 19  
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Beth Schafer, Director of Faith in Action Ministry, ext. 34  
Dan Littlepage, Director of Technology, ext. 36  
Denise Yakawiak, Housekeeper  
Matt Stano, Maintenance

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Joanne Markert - Administrative Assistant, Nina Walters - Nurse  
Kimberly Meeker - Parish Custodian

**PARISH INFORMATION**

■ **Please notify the Parish Office** when a parishioner or family member is confined to home, hospitalized, or entering a nursing home, please be sure to notify our parish office. Hospitals no longer notify us of a patient’s admittance.  
■ Bulletin items need to be in the parish office no later than Monday at 9am for the upcoming weekend. (Thursday if a holiday).  
E-mail preferred; please send to: peg@holycrossdewitt.org  
■ Hearing impaired ear phones are available in the Robing Room in the front lobby.  
■ Recovery ~ Contact Dave.....638-2303  
■ Pregnant and Need Help? Please call Catholic Charities 424-1800