









On Sunday, July 26, 2014, Ken Kirkman committed himself to continuing in his training to be a priest in the Admission to Candidacy rite during Mass at St. Thomas Aquinas Church in Binghamton, NY where he had just finished serving his pastoral year. Ken is from our parish here at Holy Cross Church in Dewitt, and Msgr. J. Robert Yeazel, our pastor, was present to con-celebrate the Mass and share in the day. We are thrilled for Ken and wish him great joy as he continues on his journey!

# 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, Aug 3<sup>rd</sup>—Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time 7:30 AM The Boytasovich Family/ Theresa Kelly 9:00 AM Victor Gaeds-Peter Badera/

Peter & Antoinette Badera

11:30 AM Ronald Cole/Fran Traver & Emilie Mortas

Monday, August 4th

7:45 AM Kristin Blake/ Patty & Tom Quartier

8:15 AM - 3:00PM Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Tuesday, August 5th

7:45 AM People of Holy Cross

8:15 AM - 3:00PM Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Wednesday, August 6<sup>th</sup>

7:45 AM Jame Collins/ James & Diane McKenna

8:15 AM - 3:00PM Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

7:00 PM Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament - church

Thursday, August 7th

7:45 AM Gerad (Jerry) Hartley/ Sue & Jan Farr

8:15 AM - 3:00PM Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Friday, August 8th

7:45 AM Joe Fazzone/ Sessa Family

8:15 AM - 3:00PM Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Saturday, August 9th

3:15—3:45 PM Penance - Church

4:00 PM Albert Hattala/ wife Mary

Sun., Aug. 10<sup>th</sup>-Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 AM Emilie Brown Gallagher/ Her Father

9:00 AM Thomas Gaeds/ Peter & Antoinette Badera

11:30 AM Harry Sharak/ Marge Lewish

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# **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

FOOD DONATION WEEKEND IS THIS WEEKEND Thank you for your generous support to help those who come to the Food Pantry.

# 18th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME MUSICAL NOTES

Prelude: Allegro (Symphony No. 6) -Ludwig van Beethoven **Pro. Hymn: 343** - **I AM THE BREAD OF LIFE**Sung Mass Parts:

Nos. 859, 860, (Mass of the Resurrection) 880, 881, 882, 883 (Mass of Creation) (Hymnal)

Liturgy of the Word & Propers: Pg. 194ff.

Responsorial Psalm: Pg. 194 (The hand of the Lord...)
Gospel Acclamation: Pg. 195 (One does not live on bread...)

Off. Hymn: 611 - I HAVE LOVED YOU
Com. Hymn: 612 - COME TO THE WATER
COMMUNION MEDITATION:

**Because He Lives** 

-Austin Lovelace

(Ryan Boyle - baritone solo)

**Rec. Hymn:** 379 - CITY OF GOD
Postlude: **Hymntune** ABBOT'S LEIGH

-Cyril Vincent Taylor

4:00 - Ryan Boyle

9:00 - Ryan Boyle

11:30 - Ryan Boyle

Two contrasting meals frame today's Gospel. The first is a backdrop and the second is the focal point. Behind the story of John the Baptist's death is a decadent banquet for the rich where Salome requests the head of John as a gift from Herod. In today's Gospel Jesus, though grief-stricken over the news of John's death, reaches out to feed 5000 poor people at the edge of the sea. The text of today's Communion Hymn, "Come To The Water", is based is based on the first Reading from Isaiah. It fits well with the setting of Jesus feeding the 5000.

The Communion Meditation, sung by our bass/baritone soloist, Ryan Boyle, gives us the confidence that Jesus can still heal and feed us throughout our lives because He Is Risen and *Because He Lives!* 

On this summer weekend we hear three more of Jesus' Parables and we sing hymns which underlines our love for the laws of the Lord. So, please don't sit there and be unwilling to sing. Go ahead, jump into the pool, **PICK UP THAT HYMNAL AND GIVE IT YOUR BEST SHOT! PLEASE!** If you love to sing, please consider joining the Adult Choir or one of the other Choirs. Stop by the Choir Room or the Choir Loft anytime or call 315-446-0473 x38 and leave a message.

Ernest Camerota



**Summer Giving** This summer, if you can't make it to Holy Cross due to travel or other commitments, we encourage you to automate your regular donations. HOLY CROSS CHURCH relies on the consistent

financial support of the congregation and electronic giving offers an easy way to give on a recurring basis. Simply visit <a href="www.hcparish.com">www.hcparish.com</a> & locate the donation link at the top of the page. Or, if you prefer, pick up an authorization form in the office. We thank you for your continued support!

# FAITH FORMATION

Kathy Fitzgibbons, DRE 446-0473 x 12 Coordinator for PreK - 6 Kathy@holycrossdewitt.org

**Tammy Gunn**446-0473 x 19
Coordinator for grades 7-12
tammy@holycrossdewitt.org

# VBS at Holy Cross is a "Can't-Miss"



If you are 4 years old through entering 4th grade this Fall, you are eligible to attend and have fun while learning all about God's Love.

Between baseball games, lacrosse, ballet practice, swimming and other commitments, **come to Son Treasure Island Aug. 11— 14th.** Yes, there is a treasure each day.

VBS isn't just for kids. We need volunteers of all ages. The spirit of volunteerism is a wonderful example for young children and the spiritual growth teens and adults of all ages experience at VBS won't be forgotten.

For questions contact Emilie at emilieamartin@gmail.com. To register go to heparish.com and print the form. Also, see the display in our Gathering Area.

# We have the date for Confirmation

Mark your calendar for **Sunday, October 19<sup>th</sup> at 2:00PM**. We are excited that Bishop Cunningham will bestow the sacrament to our confirmation candidates!

# Youth Ministry

Eileen Chappell ~ Youth Minister fhcleadership.wordpress.com, Facebook.com/HolyCrossFHC

**Breakaway-August 6<sup>th</sup>** from 6 pm to 7:30 pm for all 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> graders here at Holy Cross. Check out flyer in the gathering area for dates and more details. Pizza, Friends & Fun.

# "Exploring God's Word" - Summer Session

You are invited to come at 10am on Tuesday, August 9 in room 9, for our final week of our Summer Session. Bring a friend. For more information call 446-0694—Joan.

#### **New Evangelization Opportunity**

We are excited to be offering a new evangelization opportunity/ ministry here at Holy Cross from Lighthouse Catholic Media on the weekend of **August 9th and 10th**. Lighthouse offers a practical and effective program to help Catholics know, live and share their faith. Now, you can learn more about your faith through a wonderful learning tool - a Lighthouse CD. Whether in the car or at home, people can deepen their understanding of the Catholic faith when they listen to inspiring talks given by some of the best Catholic speakers in the world. Join us that weekend to learn more!

Life's challenges are God's way of teaching us to trust Him.

# Week of August 3<sup>rd</sup>



Host and Wine and Sanctuary Lamp Stephen Oliva Sr.

Requested by: Wife Josephine



Kathy Antonini, Jean Bailey, Anna Barnaba, Mary Begnoche, Jane Blizzard, James Boland, Marianne Boland, Frank Borer, Ellen

Broadway, Matthew Bush, Dan Calkins, Mary Cargin, Mary Centore, Phyllis Crumb, Ryan Cummings, Jeanne Dangle, Jim Darin, Anthony DeAngelis, Kathleen Delavan, Alyssa Dodge, Jo Anne Dooher, Bill Fitzpatrick, Tresa A. Graziano, Yvonne Grocott, Tim Haley, Cecile Ianno, William H. Kearney Jr., Paul R. Kolodziejczyk, David Lankes, Kathleen MacLachlan, Kelly Martin, Angie Marziale, Mary Mastroianni, Jerime McHerron, Eleanor Moloney, Frank Ortega, Meg Paige, Al Paparo, Sr., Dianna Patrea, Mark Queor, Fred Josiah Pie, Kimberly Poe, Angelo Ranieri, Margo Theis Raven, Martha Rossi, Rosalie Scipione, Gregg Salamone, Karen Butler Schultz, Leonard Silvestri, John Spurrier, Martha Terranova, Marisa Vacco, Diane Wilbert



Every Wednesday the parish community will have *Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament* available in the main church from 7:00pm to 8:00pm. You are invited to stop in during this hour for as long or as little as you like. This will be a great opportunity during the week to spend some quiet time with the Lord. The hour will

conclude with **Evening Prayer** from the Divine Office at 7:45pm followed by Solemn Benediction at 8:00pm. Please bring your family and friends. If you have any questions, please contact the parish office.

### **Coming Up This Fall**

# **Welcoming Committee**

Holy Cross will be working to start a Welcoming Committee to help welcome new parishioners to our parish. We'd love to have you join us! There are a variety of ways to help. Please contact Taylor if you'd like more information on helping our joining - taylohorn@gmail.com or 446-0473.

#### Fall program at Holy Cross

What do Saints Louis de Montfort, Maxmillian Kolbe, John Paul II and Blessed Mother Teresa all have in common? A great love for the Blessed Mother. You can learn all about her this fall when Holy Cross presents a program based on Father Michael Gaitley's book, 33 Days to Morning Glory. The Blessed Mother is the focus of a 6 week program that leads us to Consecration to Jesus through His Mother. A great evangelization retreat, the program focuses on Father Gaitley's teaching and small group sharing sessions. Watch for details and registration as the summer ends.

# **VIRTUS Training**

Anyone who works with children or youth under the age of 18 yrs. must complete a 3 hour VIRTUS training class. If you are on staff at Holy Cross or volunteer in our School or Faith Formation programs as a Catechist, Room Parent, Lunch Parent, teacher assistant, COACH, etc. YOU MUST BE VIRTUS CER-TIFIED. New volunteers register for the first course, "Protecting God's Children". Mark your calendar! We will offer this course at Holy Cross on Thursday, September 11th at 9:00 AM. Go to syracusediocese.org – Child and Youth Protection and register online.

You must be recertified every 5 years. Keep checking the bulletin for "Entrusted to Protect, Dedicated to Restore", Adult Awareness Recertification, date will be published soon.







# Enroll now for: PreK (Full Day / Half Day) & K-6

For more information please call the school office at 446-4890.

Open Enrollment is going on now in our very own....

# Holy Cross School

We offer:

- State of the art technology
- **Academic Excellence**
- Catholic Faith Integrated into All Subject Areas
- **Foreign Language Instruction**
- **After School Care**
- Safe & Secure Environment
- **Tuition Assistance**
- **Resource & Academic Intervention**
- Journalism, Finance, Basketball, Volleyball & Track

# **EDUCATE -A - KID**

Ally (GMAC)

Aetna

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Ernst & Young

Holy Cross parish has a glorious history of never turning a parish student away who seeks a Catholic Education.

Some of our parents cannot afford the tuition in whole or part. If you are able to help Educate-A-Kid, please help us provide a Catholic Education for a boy or girl. Tuition is \$4,740.00.

We have a Holy Cross School Incorporation that also allows matching funds from many companies. It is "Friends of Holy Cross School, Inc." – Federal Tax ID is 26-3789417.

Please complete this form if you can help.

God bless you and I know He will for bringing a child closer ~ Msgr. Yeazel

I	wish	to	help	a	family	afford	a	Catholic education.

Name Address Full Scholarship

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Some companies that match contributions. If your employer is not listed here please ask them if they contribute to this program.

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AXA	HSBC
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Cisco	Lincoln Financial
Citgo	Merck
Citigroup	Merrill Lynch
CNA Insurance	Modern Woman
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# Faith in Action

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

# First Tuesday Sandwiches: August 5, 8:30 am

Join us downstairs in Yeazel Hall this Tuesday! An enthusiastic group of sandwich makers will prepare over 300 sandwiches for Catholic Charities Men's Shelter. Call Beth, or sign up on Tuesday, to deliver the sandwiches later that day or to serve them at the shelter that evening.

# Retreat for Adults at Brady Faith Center: August 25-27, 9am to 4pm

Brady Faith Center strives to serve as an 'Oasis for Peace, Hope, and Justice' in the south side of Syracuse. Over the years, the programs of the Brady Center evolved to greater serve and support the needs of the surrounding community. Last Tuesday's speaker, Keith Cieplicki, is Director of Jail Ministry: one of the 18 ministries under the Brady Faith umbrella. To learn more, check out the Brady Faith web site: http:// bradyfaithcenter.org/

You are invited to be part of a unique new opportunity: a 3-day retreat that offers a reflective, transformative experience.

Call or email Beth to register today!

# <u>Life Line Screening - August 22<sup>nd</sup></u>

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.

# Movie - "Heaven is for Real"

Monday, August 4th at 7:00 pm & on Tuesday, August 5th at 1:00pm we will be having showing the movie "Heaven is for Real". Movie is free and in Yeazel Hall. When four-year-old Colton Burpo made it through an emergency appendectomy his family was overjoyed at his miraculous survival. What they weren't expecting, though, was the story that emerged in the following months—a story as beautiful as it was extraordinary, detailing their little boy's trip to heaven and back.

# **Knitting Group**

Knitting Group will meet Thursday, August 7<sup>th</sup> – 1PM downstairs in room 12 & 13. All are welcome to join us!



#### Wanted:

St. Anthony's in Syracuse is looking for a cantor to volunteer for the 4:00 Mass on Saturday.

THIS WEEK'S ACTIVITIES
Sunday, August 3<sup>th</sup> -Food Donation Weekend

Monday, August 4th

7:00 PM Evening Movie - Yeazel Hall

Tuesday, August 5<sup>th</sup>

8:30 AM First Tuesday Sandwiches - Yeazel Hall

10:00 AM Exploring God's Word - room 12

1:00 PM Afternoon Movie - Yeazel Hall

Wednesday, August 6<sup>th</sup>

9:00 AM Small Group - Member's Home

6:00 PM Breakaway

7:00 PM Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament - church

Thursday, August 7th

1:00 PM Knitting Group—Yeazel Hall

Saturday, August 9<sup>nd</sup>

3:15-3:45 PM Penance -church

Sunday, August 10th

6:00 PM VBS Volunteer Meeting - Youth Room

# **More Happenings:**

- Joseph House Benefit Sat., 8/16 at St. Margaret's in Mattydale. Family friendly event features something for everyone. http://josephshouse for women.org/
- **Safe Harbor**, a support group for separated & divorced adults meets every other Thurs.(8/7 & 8/21), 7pm at IC. Call Patty 761-9504 for information
- Car H. Roesch Archives Museum, located at 420 Mongomery St. is open the 2nd Wed. of every month, 9:30 -11:30AM or by appointment. Call Mickey Bruce 470-1493.
- **Tuesdays with Jesus** 8/5 at 9am at Christ the King (446-2680), you are on your own to enjoy the Retreat House includes lunch, Mass at 2pm (\$12)
- 60th Anniversary of Stella Maris, 8/24 at 2pm Mass with Bishop Cunningham & refreshments. RSVP 685-6836
- St. Marianne Way Street Festival—Utica on 10/10—Mass at 10:30am, food, fun, free admission, all are welcome. Call Ellen 735-4429 x 5.

#### St. Bernard's School of Theology

We are now offering graduate courses in the Diocese of Syracuse including Moral & Social Teachings, a video course conferenced to LeMoyne starting 9/2 at 6pm. Call 585-271-3657 x 289 or go to www.stbernards.edu or for more information about this and other courses being offered.

### "Men in Black" Softball Game

The priests & seminarians of the Diocese are challenging the youth of Immaculate Conception Parish to s softball game to be held on Sunday, Aug. 10 at 5pm at IC.Admission is free! There will be concessions available as well as a great games & prizes! Come join us as we encourage vocation & have a blast doing it!

# Bishop's Vocation Picnic - August 6 - 5-7pm

Bishop Cunningham invites high school & college age young adults to a picnic to explore the possibility of religious vocations. Held at Church of the Nativity at St. Joseph's in Lafayette. RSVP by 7/31 to Fr. Joe O'Connor 470-1468.

MASS	<u>LECTORS</u>	EUCH. MIN.	EUCH. MIN.	ALTAR SERVERS	<u>USHERS –A</u>
Saturday, 4:00 PM	Joan Laura		CH1 Terry Dooher	Annie Kilmartin	Ray Blake
		H2 Mary Dougherty	CH2 M.B. Domachowske	Nora Kilmartin	David Jureller
		H3 Brenna Brown	CH3 Ashley Resetarits	Noah Mandelis	Claude Pilon
		H4 Carla DiBiase	CH4 Betty Galletta		Bill McDevitt
Sunday, 7:30 AM	Michael Read		CH1 Peter Demlein	Garrett Morgan	Ed Coolican
		H2 Kathy Bullion	CH2 Marie DeStefano	Lizzy Smith	Tony Ebersole
		H3 Karl Schindler	CH3 Dare Dutter		Len Smith
		H4 Len DeStefano	CH4 Charlene Hughes		Charles Stepneski
Sunday, 9:00 AM	Vince Sportelli		CH1 Brigid Ristau	Adriana DiFlorio	Tom Kenah
		H2 Kathy Sportelli	CH2 Brian Cieplicki	Francesca DiFlorio	John Kissane
		H3 J.D. Tessier	CH3 John Passonno		Ed Purcell
		H4 Corrina Wilcox	CH4 Sue Boone		
Sunday, 11:30AM	Theresa Fuller		CH1 Anthony Schiano	Logan Demetros	Donald Brown
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		H3 Nancy Tourville	CH3 Karen Kirkman		David Rapp
		H4 Maureen Wagner	CH4 Courtney Vaughan		John Randall
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### **SACRAMENTS**

<u>Baptism</u> ~ Please call the Parish Office to make arrangements

Marriage ~ Please make an appointment with a priest at least 6 months

Penance ~ Saturday, 3:15PM

Classes required for 1st Baptism

prior to wedding

lasses required for 1st Baptism

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

# HOLY CROSS PARISH INFO

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#### **Staff ~ Name, Title and Phone Extension**

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

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Dan Littlepage, Director of Technology, ext. 36

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Denise Yakawiak, Housekeeper

Matt Stano, Maintenance

#### HOLY CROSS SCHOOL INFO

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#### **Staff** ~ Name and Title

Martha O'Leary, School Principal

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.
- ■Pregnant and Need Help? Please call Catholic Charities 424-1800