



“So I tell you, her many sins have been forgiven because she has shown great love.” - Lk 47a

Are you a new parishioner or visiting for the first time?

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.

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.”*

Connect with us online!

We are excited to say we are active on the following social media sites and have a freshly pressed website and blog. Friend us, like us, follow us, +1 us, and find out what’s happening here at Holy Cross. Visit us at www.holycrossdewitt.org to see more.



Mass Times

- Daily Mass:** 7:45am
- Saturday Mass:** 4:00pm
Penance at 3:15pm
- Sunday Mass:** 7:30am
9:00am
11:30am
Choir sings at 11:30 Mass

Upcoming Events:

- Welcome Weekend:** next weekend after Masses
- Women’s Pot Luck Dinner:** 6/23 - 5:00pm in Yeazel Hall
- Happy at work, Happier at Home:** Thurs., 6/23 - 7pm, see details on how to register on page 4

**Sunday, June 12th - Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time**

7:30 AM The Kelly Family/ Friends
 9:00 AM Linda and Ron Parziale/ Family
 11:30 AM Frank Wagner/ The Bridge Group

Monday, June 13th

7:45 AM People of Holy Cross
 8:15 AM - 3:00 PM Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Tuesday, June 14th

7:45 AM Samera Frank/ The Farr Family
 8:15 AM - 3:00 PM Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Wednesday, June 15th

7:45 AM James P. McDonald/ Dodie & Jack Dee
 8:15 AM - 3:00 PM Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Thursday, June 16th

7:45 AM Irene Lawless/ Marie & Len DeStefano
 8:15 AM - 3:00 PM Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Friday, June 17th

7:45 AM Jennifer Risso/ Maria & Charles Lee
 8:15 AM - 3:00 PM Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Saturday, June 18th

3:15-3:45 PM Penance - Church
 4:00 PM Myron Sydorowich/ Mary Parisi

Sunday, June 19th - Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 AM Antonio & Nicolina Morina/
 Victor & Sarah Villani
 9:00 AM Jeff Baker/ The Boulé Family
 11:30 AM Bryan & Dorothy Poppleton/ Daughter

YOUR CONTINUING SUPPORT

Your goodness is exceptional.

Collection of June 5th: \$21,838.25

Credit card and electronic donations are now possible through the Holy Cross website: www.holycrossdewitt.org/give

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.

Catholic Communication Campaign - This Weekend

This collection communicates the Gospel through Catholic social media activities & enriches our faith through tv, radio, social media, & print media. Please be generous & support this important work! Half of your donation stays in our Diocese & supports the Catholic Sun, Catholic TV & our social media efforts.

**11th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
MUSICAL NOTES**

Prelude: **Tantum Ergo in A-flat** -Anton Bruckner
 Pro. Hymn: **537 - O GOD BEYOND ALL PRAISING**
 THAXTED

Sung Mass Parts: (4:00 & 9:00)

Mass Of The Resurrection -Randall DeBruyn

855, 856, 859, 861, 863, 864 (Hymnal)

Jubilation Mass (11:30) -Michael Chepponis

Liturgy of the Word & Propers: Pg. 181 ff.

Responsorial Psalm: Pg. 182 (Lord, forgive the wrong...)

Gospel Acclamation: Pg. 182 (God loved us and sent...)

OFFERTORY MEDITATION: (11:30)

Bist Du Bei Mir (Draw Near To Me) -J. S. Bach
 (David Griffith - boy soprano & trumpet)

COMMUNION MEDITATION: (11:30)

The Lord Is My Light -Dudley Buck
 (Abby Witmer - soprano; Ryan Boyle - baritone)

CHOIR ANTHEM: (11:30)

Hail, Holy Queen (Gospel Arrangement)

(Choir with Mia Quatrone - vocal solo)

Rec. Hymn: **548 - JOYFUL, JOYFUL, WE**

ADORE THEE

HYMN TO JOY

Postlude: **Bouree (from English Suite No.2)** -J. S. Bach

(Josh Nightingale & Kevin Witmer - trumpets)

(Benjamin Baker - trombone)

CANTORS: 4:00 - Liam FitzPatrick

9:00 - Ryan Boyle

11:30 - CHOIR -Ryan Boyle

Today is the final Mass with the Choir for this year. Their talent and dedication to the Lord, to Holy Cross and to me is humbling and appreciated beyond words. Comments from parishioners alone is a testimony to the solace and joy they provide for our Liturgies. They will return on September 18.

The Offertory Meditation (11:30) is sung by the boy soprano in the Choir, David Griffith. The text is: **"Draw near to me. I will follow where you lead me. Though storms arise Thou art beside me. No darkness can dispel Thy Light. In Thee I dwell, my God and Father."**

The Communion Meditation (11:30) is sung by soloists, Abby Witmer & Ryan Boyle. The text is: **"The Lord is my light and salvation. Whom shall I fear? For in time of trouble He hides me in secret dwellings. He seals His instruction in a dream. I will sing praises to the Lord."**

The Choir Anthem (11:30) is a Gospel version of **"Hail, Holy Queen"**. Try to stay for the Postlude, a joyful wordless choral setting of a Bach keyboard piece! Ernest Camerota

Welcome Father Ken Kirkman - our homilist for this weekend. We are so inspired by your commitment and blessed by your presence.

Week of June 12th

Host, Wine & Sanctuary Light

In Memory of: Pilar Jimenez

Requested by: Charles & Maria Louise Lee

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
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The First Communion photos

are on our web site: www.holycrossdewitt.org. Go to news and media.

Attention Freshman:

Confirmation information meetings will be happening after each Mass this weekend. Parents and students are invited to choose whichever time works best for them. All guidelines and expectations for receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation as well as registration for the sacrament will take place on Saturday, June 11th @ 5pm, Sunday, June 12th @ 8:15am, 10:00am and 12:30pm. Questions contact Tammy Gunn at tammy@holycrossdewitt.org.

Youth Ministry

[instagram.com/holycrossdewitt](https://www.instagram.com/holycrossdewitt)
Brigid Clary, Youth Minister

Sign up for Summer Servants

Registration is NOW open for Summer Servants 2016 ~ a chance to go away on an overnight mission trip ~ right in our own back yard! We will be serving in Syracuse, and meeting the faces of the poor and marginalized, and serving them in amazing ways. All teens who have finished 9th to 12th grade can sign up. July 10-15, only \$275 for the whole week! Forms available on the Youth Table in the gathering area, or email Brigid.

AIM is meeting on Monday nights! Join us at 7pm in the Youth Room. All High School students are Welcome!

Adult Ministry:

There is a group of adults in our parish who get together each **Sunday from 10:15 to 11:15** to share their faith and explore different spiritual themes. The meetings take place in rooms 12 and 13 in Yeazel Hall. Feel free to stop by and see what we will be working on.

Coffee and Conversation



All Men & Women are invited to join us for Coffee and Conversation at **12:00pm** on **Tuesday, June 21st** in Yeazel Hall. Our guest speaker is Dr. Lewis Johnson. His topic will be hypertension and include a question & answer session. Dr. Johnson received his medical degree from SUNY Upstate Medical University and has been in practice for over 20 years. Remember to bring your bagged lunch. We will provide the beverages.

THIS WEEK'S ACTIVITIES

Sunday, June 12th

8:30am Confirmation '17 Information Meetings - Yeazel Hall
10:15 AM Adult Ministry - room 12

Monday, June 13th

7:00 PM AIM - Youth Room
7:00 PM Evening Movie - Yeazel Hall

Tuesday, June 14th

10:30 AM Menorah Park Liturgy - Menorah Park
5:30 PM Following Christ- Yeazel Hall
7:00 PM Recovery - room 9

Wednesday, June 15th

10:30 PM Mom's Group - room 5
5:30 PM Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament - Church
7:00 PM NA & DeWitt Nar-Anon Mtgs.—rms.10,12, & 13

Thursday, June 16th

8:00 AM 6th Grade Breakfast - rms 12 & 13
7:00 PM 6th Grade Graduation - Church

Saturday, June 18th

11:00 AM HC Women's Mass & Luncheon
3:15-3:45 PM Penance - Church

Sunday, June 19th - Welcome Weekend

10:15 AM Adult Ministry - room 12

Women's Mass and Luncheon



Mark our calendar now and plan to attend the Mass and Luncheon for ALL the women of the parish on Saturday, June 18. We will begin with Mass at 11am and then enjoy a delicious lunch with your friends. Come and meet new people & enjoy the company of all! Cost is \$20. Reservations required call Jo at 446-3328 before 6/14.

Women's Pot Luck Supper - June 23—New Date

Mark your calendar for Thursday, June 23 when Holy Cross will have a Pot Luck Supper for the Women of the parish starting at 5:00PM. Just bring a dish to pass and your place setting. Then enjoy all the delicious culinary treats from your friends.

Evening Movie



We will feature the movie "Mother Teresa". This film stars Olivia Hussey who illuminates the life story of Mother Teresa, the selfless missionary who brought hope, love & salvation to the poorest of the poor. Her good works transcend hardships & ultimately earn her international acclaim, including the Nobel Peace Prize. The small miracles & humble triumphs of Mother Teresa will inspire you in this poignant tale of a modern-day saint. **Hope to see you on Monday, June 13th at 7:00pm.**

Moving? If your future plans include a change of address; would you please contact the Parish Office? You may call 446-0473 or email Peg@holycrossdewitt.org with your new address. Thank you!

NEW TIME THIS WEEK ONLY

Eucharistic **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament**
5:30pm in the church.



Please note that we will begin Adoration at 5:30 pm on **Wednesday, June 15th.** Next week we will return to 7pm.

From Our Pastor:

Thank you - sincerest gratitude to all who worked so diligently to make the Ordination weekend of Father Kenneth Kirkman so very memorable.

Your goodness is such an inspiration and a blessing.

Msgr. Yeazel

Next Weekend at All the Masses

Father Ron Mrozinski will be visiting our parish next weekend to speak at all the Masses on behalf of Cross Catholic Outreach which was founded to create a meaningful link between parishes in America and the priests and nuns working in the Church overseas in the Caribbean, Africa, Asia, Central & South America.

Happy at Work, Happier at Home!

Feeling insecure in your current job? Seeking a better relationship with your supervisor or co-workers? Desiring but not experiencing growth in your career or simply not enjoying your work day? Help in addressing these issues and other job related challenges is the aim of this program.



Sign up for the two session program to be conducted here at Holy Cross in Yeazel Hall on June 23 and 24. The sessions will begin at 7:00pm and end by 8:30pm.

Parishioner Phil LeRoux will lead these sessions. Phil has enjoyed a distinguished career in the field of Human Resources. He has been involved in the management and servicing of all levels of people within private sector businesses. His experience involves employee relations, talent development, and the coaching of people in the business environment.

This session is limited to 20 people. Call the parish office to

Moms' Group



We are a group of moms who get together for fellowship and to let our little ones run around together in a nurturing and fun environment. We would love to invite anyone with children to join us in this small, unique group! We meet on Wednesday mornings (usually at 10:30am) in room #5.

"Blessed are the Merciful!" An opportunity to practice the Corporal & Spiritual works of Mercy

One of the corporal works of mercy is to bury the dead. One of the spiritual works of mercy is to pray for the dead. We have a group of gentlemen who serve on the altar at funerals. If any retired person (men or women) of the parish would like to help us in our efforts to provide a comforting and spiritually uplifting liturgy for each parishioner who has died and for their loved ones, please contact Deacon Dare Dutter. He can be reached at 446-0473 or at his email address which is ddutter@twcny.rr.com.



Martha Almanzi, Wendall Bierman, Dr. Ann Bishop, Catherine Bona, Sue Boye, Henry Brault, Mary Cargin, Rosemary Coolican, Helen Eck, Bob Egan, Donna Finch, John Fix, Katie Glisson, Amanda Goodhines, Kathy Goudy, Connie Grasso, Mary Griffin, Richard Griffin, Yvonne Grocott,

Kevin Hanlon, Jody Henson, Monica Hoey, Adam Houck, Vann Johnston, Sr., Wm. Kearney Jr., Henry Keller, Mary Lambert, Mary Mayle, James McGinnis, Jeremy McHerron, Eleanor Moloney, John F. Moltion, Faith Muller, Jody Murphy, Stephan Oliva, Anthony Piriano, Mark Queor, Flora Rockburn, Martha Rossi, Rosalie Scipione, Laura Smith, Rita Smookler, Kate Thomas, John Vensel, Carol Watkins, Beverly Wilbur, Joseph Wilczynski - husband of Carol Dwyer, Renata & Michael Wolszczak, Louise Yarnell

- Please pray for David Derosé and Chisala Ngandwe who are in the military and have been recently deployed.

If you would like us to add someone to this list, please call the office or email Peg@holycrossdewitt.org. We will keep them on for three months unless you notify us otherwise. Thank you

Lighthouse Catholic Ministries Kiosk

Be sure to check it out in the Gathering Area. (Suggested donations for materials are listed on the kiosk).

CD Highlighted: St. Joseph: Patron of the Universal Church by Mark Miravalle. *Dr. Miravalle presents the role of St. Joseph in the Holy Family in a clear, understandable manner. He also gives cogent arguments for why we, as Christians, should honor St. Joseph and pray for his intercession.* ~Patricia - Vista, CA

Prayer Shawl Ministry - Thank You

Thank you to all who donated yarn to the Prayer Shawl Ministry. The people greatly appreciate the shawls. As you know the Prayer Shawl Team who make them pray for the recipient. Because of your goodness and generosity many sick/homebound will be warmer and happier because of the lap robes.



Vocation Crucifix



Each week a different family will take home the crucifix as a reminder to pray for Vocations. See Sister Rose (446-0473) if you are willing to take home the crucifix.

Faith in Action

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

Year of Mercy 2016

Brady Bread Sale this weekend!

Please consider purchasing a loaf or two of homemade raisin bread. Your \$3 donation supports Brady programs Pedals to Possibilities and Jail Ministry.

Refugee Assistance meeting: Mon., June 20th at 7pm.

Please attend this meeting if you would like to help with planning parish efforts to welcome refugee families to our community. Contact beth@holycrossdewitt.org or 416-45 76.

Past refugee assistance involved sorting the Catholic Charities Refugee Resettlement Clothing Closet. During the May & June, volunteers from the committee, led by Meg Aufmuth & Trish Lowney, donated their time & energy to organize the coat closet at Catholic Charities CYO building on North Salina St. Each Thursday afternoon during the past 6 weeks, Meg & Trish guided volunteers to sort piles of clothing into a usable resource for incoming refugee families. Thank you to all who helped with this project!

Dorothy Day Shelter for Women & Children

If you enjoy preparing meals, you are invited to sign up to prepare a hot, nutritious one-dish meal for this homeless shelter for families. A different parish family prepares a meal on the third Saturday of the month. We are seeking volunteers for July 16th and for August 20th. In addition, toiletry bags for shelter families will be prepared in cooperation with Emmaus Ministry at St. James on Monday, June 13th at 1pm. Please call or email Beth if you are would like to help serve the homeless women & children in our midst.

Men's Shelter Breakfast, Sunday July 10th 6:30am

Our July Parish Day of Service is to prepare a hot pancake breakfast at the men's shelter. Ron Rabideau usually flips pancakes while the rest of us pour orange juice & offer a snack bag as the men head out for the day. Volunteers and grocery donations are gratefully accepted. Contact Beth [416-4576/](tel:416-4576)beth@holycrossdewitt.org to sign up, or for more information.

Emmaus Walk/Run Your Faith for the Homeless, Saturday, July 23rd, 8:15am

A new community event, the Run Your Faith 12K walk/2 mile run supports Emmaus Ministry's outreach to the homeless in Syracuse. The walk starts at Columbus Circle and includes the Rescue Mission & the Men's Shelter on South Clinton St. New athletic socks and used running shoe donations will be accepted at the race. Holy Cross Faith in Action will provide support volunteers for this new event. Please contact Beth if you would like to help at a water station or at a collection point.

Faith in Action Continued

A Caring Community: Neighbors Helping Neighbors

Our neighbors group requested help with the retreat house garden, responded to a request for a ride to a Doctor's appointment & fielded another request for help moving a piece of furniture down a flight of stairs. Thank you to the parish helpers who gave willingly of their time and energy for the benefit of our friends and neighbors!

Please fill out the card in your pew to join an email list that seeks to serve members of the community in need of a helping hand. Contact Beth if you would like to request help from this group of caring individuals in our community: 315-416-4576.

HOPE Appeal

I would like to thank all who have participated in this year's appeal.

If you have not joined us for the Hope Appeal....

Please consider being a part of the 2016 Appeal. Our parish goal is \$122,382.

This year I am asking each family to prayerfully consider a gift of \$300 or just 82¢ per day.

Last year we received back 50% of the overage or \$93,305 which we used for Internet Technology, Young Adult Ministry, Evangelization, Youth Ministry, Outreach & other programs of Service.

You are the most generous parish in our Diocese - it is what we do at Holy Cross - as we are a "Caring Community".

Thank you for all that has been and for all that will be as I know you will continue to be most generous.

God bless you all,
Msgr. Yeazel



More Announcements

- **Strawberry Festival** at Transfiguration Church on 6/16 from 4-7pm. All are invited to enjoy strawberry shortcakes or sundaes as well as hamburgers, hotdogs, kielbasa & sausage sandwiches.
- FM-JD Meals Area Meals on Wheels is holding a **Bottle Drive** on 6/18 from 9am-1pm at DeWitt Community Church or Sno-Top in Manlius.
- **"Teal There's a Cure" 5K run/walk** for Ovarian Cancer Awareness & Education will be held on 7/4 at 9am—Marcellus Park in Marcellus. To register go to www.gracesgrden.org.
- **Interested in a new volunteer job.** Dispatchers and drivers are needed for the local FISH program, which drives people in this area to doctors' appointments on Tuesdays & Thursdays. For more info call 463-5158. We look forward to hearing from you.

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES SCHEDULE ~ WEEKEND OF June 18th & 19th

<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	Tony Ortega	H1 Martha O’Leary	CH1 MA Montforte	Meghan Culligan	Ray Blake
		H2 Lola Gualtieri	CH2 Susan Klenk	Grance Culligan	Dennis Jureller
		H3 Betty Galletta	CH3 Luana Impellizzeri		Bill McDevitt
		H4 John Marchant	CH4 John Passonno		Claude Pilon
		H5 Mary Relihan			
Sunday, 7:30 AM	Nancy Greer		CH1 Ed Flynn	Lizzy Smith	Ed Coolican
		H2 Charlene Hughes	CH2 Pat Highducheck		Tony Ebersole
		H3 Cookie Dunham	CH3 Al Highducheck		Len Smith
		H4 Mary Beth Elmer	CH4 Julie Johnson		Charles Stepneski
Sunday, 9:00 AM	Vince Sportelli	H1 Laureen Wilcox	CH1 JD Tessier	Rachel Duggan	Tom Kenah
		H2 Brigid Ristau	CH2 Nancy Thompson	Aiden Duggan	John Kissane
		H3 Mary Lee Muench	CH3 Catherine Muller		Ed Purcell
		H4 Kathy Sportelli	CH4 Sue Boone		Ray Moade
		H5 Corrina Wilcox			
Sunday, 11:30AM	Cora Chirco	H1 Ellyn Lubel	CH1 Linda Mulvey	Kaitlin Houghland	Donald Brown
		H2 Emily Hauser	CH2 Regina Harty	Owen Demetros	Peter Bergamo
		H3 Mary Haley	CH3 Deacon Dutter		David Rapp
		H4 Sue Judge	CH4 Karen Kirkman		
		H5 Ed Judge			

SACRAMENTS

Baptism ~ Please call the Parish Office to make arrangements

Classes required for 1st Baptism

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

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

Penance ~ Saturday, 3:15PM

HOLY CROSS PARISH

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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

HOLY CROSS SCHOOL

4200 E. Genesee St., DeWitt, NY 13214

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Staff ~ Name and Title

Martha O’Leary, School Principal

Joanne Markert - Administrative Assistant, Nina Walters - Nurse

Holy Cross Parish Staff ~ Name, Title and Phone Extension

Rev. Msgr. J. Robert Yeazel, Pastor, ext. 15

Rev. Charles S. Vavonese, In Residence/Parochial Vicar

Rev. Msgr. George F. Sheehan, In Residence

Rev. Louis P. Sogliuzzo, SJ, Weekend Homilist

Rev. Msgr. Richard M. Kopp, Vicar for Priests, Weekend Homilist

Deacon Dare Dutter, ext. 16

Deacon Nathan Gunn, ext. 36

Sister Rose Bill, MFIC, Pastoral Associate, ext. 13

Rev. Ken Kirkman

Seminarian Matt Lyons

Ernest J. Camerota, Director of Music, ext. 38

Brigid Clary, Youth Minister, ext. 20

Kathy Darcy, Housekeeper

Katharine Fitzgibbons, Director Religious Ed. Pre-K – 6, ext. 12

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