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December 22, 2024

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# The Linked Parishes of St. Charles-St. Ann and St. Patrick and St. Brigid



**MONDAY, Dec. 23; MASS AT ST. PATRICK'S**

Reading: *Mal3:1-4,23-24/Lk1:57-66*

SP 8am *Father Michael O'Hara by Tom and Gloria Young*

*Richard John Hayes (brother of Ellie Grooms) by Tom and Eileen Conboy*

**TUESDAY; Dec. 24; CHRISTMAS EVE**

Reading: *Is62:1-5/Acts13:16-17,22-25/Mt1:1-25*

SP 4pm *Kathy Satalin by Ellie and Jim Grooms Eleanor O'Connor by Family*

**SC 5:30pm** *Carolyn Longo by Longo Family Robert Butkowski by Family*

**WED. Dec. 25; MERRY CHRISTMAS!**

Reading: *Is52:7-10/Heb1:1-6/Jn1:1-18*

**SP 9am** *John Bataglia by Family*



SC 10:30am *Deceased members of the Schmidt Family*

**THURSDAY, Dec. 26; MASS AT ST. CHARLES**

Reading: *Acts6:8-10,7:54-59/Mt10:17-22*

**NO MASS, NO OFFICE TODAY**

**SATURDAY, Dec. 28**

Reading: *1Jn1:5-2:2/Mt2:13-18*

SP 4pm *Stephanie Sapka by Family Margaret Seeley by Family*

SC 5:15pm *Bill Upwood/wedding anniv. by Cathy Upwood*

**SUNDAY, December 29;**

Reading: *1Sm1:20-22,24-28/1Jn3:1-2,21-24/Lk2:41-52*

SP 8am *Thomas McCarthy by Family Ann M. Queen by John Queen*

SC 10:30am *Lorenzo DiPaolo by Antoinette Bordonaro*

*Deceased members of Mahany and Hider Family by Gilheney Family*

Donna Adams, Mary Aigeltinger, Sarah Albright, Phil Allen, Teresa Barndollar, Edward Bargelski, Tom Baumann, Ralph Bellinger, Lisa Bengert, Joseph Bertalli, Jane Benson, Msgr. Larry Bordonaro, Briana, Sue Britt, Cristen Brophy, Jennifer C., Deb Carey, Guiseppe C., Sophia Grace Castrilli, Joseph Castrilli, Larry Chalk, Anna Ciccarelli, Christopher Clemons, Denise Corcoran, Mary Courcy, Abby Cronin, John Danaher, Sally Daughton, Jim DiPaola, Maggie (Young) Disque, Shary Dolan, Stephen Dorsey, Michael Dowe, John Drury, George Dubosh, Ken Eckert, Kay Ellis, Sally Ennis, Karl Esmark, Carol Ficarra, John Fleming, Shawn Garland, Gabby, Heather Gallaresi, Anne Gerega, Al Giannino, George Ginnopolus, Michael Goodyear, Carol Grayson, Bill Gunter, Chris H., Doug Hague, Jack Halpin, Dylan Patrick Healy, Jim Henson, David Hill, Timmy Hogan, Terry Hopkins, Kara Horvatch, Mary Hugkins, Jim Hunt, Maureen Cullen Janish, Holli Johnson, Chris Jones, Judy, Connor Karlovitz, Joe Kane, Joan Kearney, Katie Dorothy Kenyon, Christine Kleberg, Ted Kocienski, Kathy Kotz, John Krell, Christine LaPage, Donna Lavonier, Siobhan Leonard, Hal Lockwood, Michael Mahoney, Mary Marcellus, Margaret Marposon, Virginia Martens, Sister Maureen Mastine, Ron Metzger, Antonette Milazzo, Rei Montague, Rosemary Monticello, Beverly Morgan, John Morse, Mark Muir, Mike and Leah Nosowski, Robin P., Michele Dubois Payne, Bob Pray, Edward Purcell, Marcia Rhinehardt, Patsy Rogge, Mary Sharon Rotella, Joan Rouse, Lois Roy, Frank Sacco, Josephine Saccone, David Sauer, Dan Schmidt, Kimberly Schoemann, Roseanne Scrimale, George Sears, Paul W. and Janet Seville, Annette Sitnik, Laurie Smiley, James Spinoso, Jr., Catherine Spinoso, Anna Stefanco, Mark Sunderman, Mary Lynn T., Paul Talbot, Norma Taylor, Brandon Thomas, Mia Thomson, Makenna Grace Turner, Mary Jo Weinheimer, Carmella White, John P. White, Rich Worden, Beverly Young

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord and let perpetual light shine upon them. May their souls and all the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace.



Father Bill Mesner, George Awad, Mary Spelman

## Prayer Requests

*Would you like us to pray for your intentions? Prayer requests can be emailed to Sister Eileen McGrath at [emcgrath128@gmail.com](mailto:emcgrath128@gmail.com). Your requests go directly to the Blessed and Broken Prayer Group who will pray for your intention. All prayer requests are held in confidence and are known only to the prayer intercessors.*

*"Do not worry about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God." Philippians 4:6*



## **Merry Christmas**

As the Star shone so brightly over the Christ Child in the manger that Christmas night thousands of years ago, may that light shine brightly over all our parishioners and friends in our Joint parish community throughout this Christmas season and into the New Year. Many Blessings to all of you.

**Fr. Kevin**

**WEEKEND MINISTRY SCHEDULE**

**St. Patrick and St. Brigid**

**Eucharistic Ministers**

Saturday, Dec. 28      4pm      Michael Goodnough  
Jackie Musto  
Paul Regin

Sunday, Dec. 29      8am      Michael Goodnough  
Chuck Palmiere  
Ann Gallagher

**Lectors**

Saturday, Dec. 28      4pm      Mary Jo Hayes

Sunday, Dec. 29      8am      Jim Kelly

**Altar Servers**

Saturday, Dec. 28      4pm      Molly Ryan  
Declan Ryan  
Ryan Hy

Sunday, Dec. 29      8am      Michael Conover  
Matthew Conover  
Paul Conover

Children’s Christmas Choir rehearsals will be in the choir loft at St. Patrick and St. Brigid’s on

Monday, December 23rd at 7pm  
Tuesday, December 24th– arrive at 3pm



Any questions please call Stephanie DeVito at  
315-420-9323

**St. Patrick and St. Brigid**

Our collection from December 15;      \$

Thank you for your generosity!

*Due to early transmission dates, financials will be in*

*Next week’s bulletin.*

***Hope appeal Update as of December 4, 2024***  
***We collected \$30,100.80 toward our assessed amount of \$35,669.00. We are still short \$5,598.20 of our goal. The Hope appeal bill is due in full by December 31st.***

***If each family gave an annual donation to Hope Appeal of \$70.00 which is roughly \$4.38 per week, we would meet our goal.***

**Christmas Eve**

- We are looking for 5 volunteers to be ushers for Christmas eve 4pm Mass. If you are able to help out please plan to be at church by 3pm to assist in helping families find seating. also please let Paul Regin know you are available at 315-476-8992.



When Elizabeth heard Mary’s greeting, the infant leaped in her womb, and Elizabeth, filled with the Holy Spirit, cried out in a loud voice and said, “Blessed are you among women, and blessed is the fruit of your womb.”  
- Lk 1:41-42



**St. Patrick and St. Brigid Food Pantry** There are paper grocery bags in the vestibule with a grocery list attached of items needed for the Food Pantry. Feel free to take a bag, fill it and either drop it off at the pantry during their open hours or leave it in the vestibule. Thank you !

## St. Charles– St. Ann Food Pantry

Christmas is right around the corner! The way the calendar lands this year, students will be home from school for 2 weeks. This will put an even greater strain on families that struggle day to day.

Most needed items: cookies, cocoa, fruit cups and drink boxes.

Donations for food can be put in an envelope marked ST. CHARLES-ST. ANN FOOD PANTRY and placed in the weekend collection or

MAIL TO Marie Cullen  
404 Parsons Drive  
Syracuse, NY 13219

\*\*PLEASE MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO  
ST. CHARLES-ST. ANN FOOD PANTRY

Thank you!!



## St. Charles-St. Ann

### 2024-2025 FISCAL YEAR COLLECTION REPORT

	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Budget</u>
Collections YTD	158,552.00	166,845.00
December 1	9,111.00	6,290.00
December 8	12,225.00	6,290.00
December 15		6,290.00
December 22		6,290.00
Christmas		
December 29		6,290.00
Online for December	4,420.00	8,275.00
Collections YTD	184,308.00	206,570.00
Bills Paid this week:		
Payroll		4,264.00

Due to early transmission dates, our financials will be in next week's bulletin.

Thank you for your continued support!

## Holiday Mass Schedule

*Both Christmas and New Years are Holy Days of Obligation.*

**Christmas Eve**– St. Patrick and St. Brigid's 4pm. This will also be simulcasted down in Hayden Hall

St. Charles– St. Ann 5:30pm

**Christmas Day**– St. Patrick and St. Brigid's **9am**

St. Charles-St. Ann– 10:30am



**New Years Eve**– We will not have a Vigil Mass

Sacred Heart is at 5pm and Holy Family is at 5:30pm

**New Years Day**– St. Charles-St. Ann's **9am**

## St. Charles-St. Ann Ministry Schedule

### Eucharistic Ministers

Dec. 28 5:15pm Chris Robinson  
Patty Popp

Dec. 29 10:30am Jim Root  
Lorri Caloia

**Bishop Ludden Apts** Jo Schmidt

### Lectors

Dec. 28 5:15pm David Berkery

Dec. 29 10:30am Terri Condon

*St. Charles- St. Ann's parish has been assessed at \$45,895.00 for Hope Appeal. We will be expected as a parish to pay our full assessment. The full amount of our assessment is due by December 31, 2024. That gives us only 1 week. So far we have received donations of \$31,587.00 leaving us with a balance of \$12,308.00. Please consider a gift to the Hope Appeal.*

For the second two weeks of December candles have been lit in loving memory of Joseph and Rosalie Priola by Family



For the month of December candles have been lit In loving memory of Kenneth and Patricia Lake by Family



For the month of December candles have been lit In loving memory of Phil and Ida Corso by Kathy and Denny



Merry Christmas and thank you, servers, for your dedication and faithfulness to the ministry of altar serving. This is a special Christmas gift from Father Kevin and all of us here at St. Charles—St. Ann's. Please see me after Mass to receive your gift.



God's Blessings,  
Deacon Tony

## Thank you!

Each and every Christmas for many, many years, the parishioners of St. Charles—St. Ann have "stepped up" to provide for families in need. At this time of year, the magic of Christmas is more evident than ever.

The challenges many are facing are eased a bit through your support, love and generosity. There is no way to properly convey our appreciation for allowing that to happen.

May the wonder of Christmas be in your hearts and families.

Marie Cullen and the Food Pantry Staff



## Respect Life

Christmas is not about the birth of a child who became a great man. It is about a God who created the human family, and then decided to become a member of that family thereby joining all of us to Himself. He joins to His Divinity all who share human nature the weak and strong, the exaltation of the human person. That's why our "grown up Christmas list can say no more lives torn apart". Christmas lists spring from Christmas hope, and Christmas is all about the victory of life!

**\*\*please note—**

**We will not be gathering for the rosary on Sunday evenings during the month of December.**



## RCIA NEWS

Are you or someone you know or love—thinking about becoming Catholic? Wishing you or they had more information on what that might entail?

Hopefully, it will just be the beginning of a wonderful relationship with God, our faith, and as new "companions on the journey" to our eternal home.

We have begun meeting on Sunday mornings at 8:45am at St. Charles-St. Ann's. Any questions?

Please call Michael or Maureen at

315-475-2185 or 315-468-1803

*Holy Hour of Mercy is the First Thursday of the month.*



*We have resumed our monthly Adoration at St. Charles-St. Ann's the first Thursday of the month at 6:30pm.*

The Our God Reigns Prayer Group meets Tuesdays at St. Charles in the sacristy. 3pm. Please join us!

*The Blessed and Broken prayer group will not meet in person for prayer on Thursday December 26th and Thursday January 2nd. As always, the prayers will continue.*

Please email your prayer requests to Sister Eileen McGrath at [emcgrath128@gmail.com](mailto:emcgrath128@gmail.com) or place them in the prayer box in the front of church.

May you have a blessed and peace filled Christmas Season!

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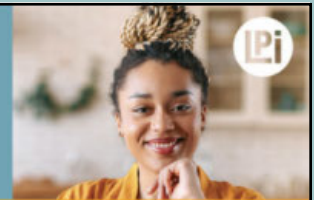
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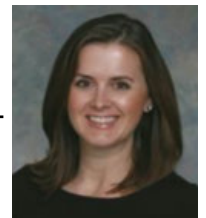
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