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St. Stephen the King Church

140 Niagara Street
Oswego, NY 13126
Office: 315-343-0350
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Rectory Office Hours:

9:00am - 3:00pm daily

Mass Schedule:

Sunday 9:00am *Coffee Hour following.*
Daily: Tuesday 7:00am Wednesday 7:00am



St. Joseph's Church

240 West First Street
Oswego, NY 13126
Office: 315-343-2160
Center: 315-342-3967

Rectory Office Hours:

9:00am - 3:00pm daily

Mass Schedule:

Confession Saturday 4:00pm
Saturday 5:00pm
Sunday 11:00am

Daily: Monday 12:10pm Friday 12:10pm

August 20, 2017

Deacon Nick Alvaro, Administrator

20th Sunday in Ordinary Time

ST. STEPHEN'S PARISH

Dziękuję! Thank You! Dziękuję!

We would like to extend a very special "Thank You" to all our dedicated volunteers who shared their time, energy and service for the festival! Thank you to all our chairpersons and those who chaired a committee or booth. An extra special "thank you" to Therese Stevens-Chawgo for leading us! It was another great Parish Festival.

Your gift of self added to the success of our Parish Festival, a day that was blessed in many wonderful ways. Be assured of our deepest gratitude to each and every one of you.

Deacon Nick and the Parish Festival Committee



Faith Formation 2017-18

Open Enrollment

Register today!

Registration packets for Faith Formation will be mailed out soon. In-person registration will be the weekends of September 9/10 and September 16/17 after all weekend Masses, or please call Pat Barnett in the Faith Formation Office at 315-342-3967.

The first day of classes will be Sunday and Monday, September 24 and 25.

Steubenville Sundaes

Steubenville comes to Oswego!



On August 22, we will climb the mountain of the Lord and gather for praise and worship, music and adoration, and ice cream from Gannons! We will be led in prayer by Deacon Nick and joined by music minister Jeremy Bobak from Divine Mercy parish in Central Square. All ages are welcome to join us as we gather at the foot of the cross!



When: Tuesday, August 22
7:00pm-9:00pm
Where: St. Joseph's Church
240 West First Street
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315-343-2160

Here we are with 3,000 of our closest friends!

Fun, Faith and New Friends

What do you get when you combine four bus loads of kids, a boat, a laser gun and a rosary? An awesome middle school trip! Thunderous roar from Niagara Falls as we cruised by on the Maid of the Mist; prayer, confession opportunity, and Mass at Our Lady of Fatima Shrine; tons of pizza and Lasertron to end our day. Plan on going next year!



Many thanks to Rick Cummings, our Youth Minister, and Dawn Thompson from Our Lady of the Rosary in Hannibal, for all their efforts in making this trip possible.



Memorials at St. Joseph's Church

Sanctuary Light

Constance J. Bond from Mary Genova and Family

Remember in Prayer

We pray for loved ones who are ill: Tim Baker, Mary Barina, Jean Marie Battista, Anthony Bogawitch, Patricia Brancato, Mary Ann Buske, Cynthia & Louis Castaldo, Bertha Czerow, Pauline Farrell, Joseph Gigliotti, Marvin & Vivian Golding, Colin Harrington, Helen Hofer, Mary Kon, Wayne Lechase, Sue LePine, Frances Lysak, Patrick Mangano, Santa Miller, Mary Modie, Helen Nentarz, Mary Popielarz, William Relyea, Gloria Reynolds, Joel Rivera, Mary Schrader, Alice Siembor, Bruce Whitney and those who are homebound or currently in nursing homes and hospitals. **If you'd like to have a name added to the prayer list, please call one of the rectory offices.**



Website



Please share your talents! We are in need of someone to administer our website for both parishes. Our bulletin publisher, John Patrick Publishing, offers training to anyone who is interested.

The training takes about an hour and is all done remotely. Please contact St. Joseph's rectory office, 315-343-2160, if you're interested in helping out. Thanks!

2017 Syracuse Catholic Women's Conference In Search of a Servant's Heart

When: October 28
Where: Oncenter Convention Center in Syracuse
Cost: Early Bird \$55 until August 31
 \$65 September 1—October 26
 \$70 at the door
Register on line: <http://www.syracusecatholicwomen.org>
Deacon Nick will pay half for anyone attending the conference for the first time!!

Contributions—August 12/13

	<u>St. Joseph's</u>	<u>St. Stephen's</u>
Envelopes	\$2,629.00	\$1,375.00
Loose	\$ 467.00	\$ 70.00
Electronic	\$ 225.00	\$ —
Total	\$3,321.00	\$1,445.00

Calendar of Events

Mon	Aug 21	6:30pm	Liturgy Committee SJO Rectory Office
Tue	Aug 22	All Day	Staff Retreat @ Christ the King Retreat House
Tue	Aug 22	7:00pm	Praise and Worship SJO
Wed	Aug 23	11:00am	Bible Study Class SJO Parish Center
Thu	Aug 24	11:00am	Rosary Prayer Group SJO
Fri	Aug 25	7:00pm	Bingo SJO Downstairs

St. Joseph's and St. Stephen's rectory offices will be closed on Tuesday, August 22, for a staff retreat. You are welcome to call and leave a message at either office and someone will return your call on Wednesday. We apologize for any inconvenience.

Chicken Barbeque and Pulled Pork Dinner
 St. Peter's Church
 83 East Albany Street, Oswego
 Sunday, August 20; 11:00am—sold out
 Dine in or take out
 Bake Sale and Lotto Board!

Our Family Prayer

Our newly formed Liturgy Committee, in an effort to pray together for our families and as a family, has suggested we pray "Our Family Prayer" at the end of each weekend Mass. The prayer can be found on the inside back cover of your Breaking Bread hymnal.

Liturgical Ministers Schedule—August 26/27

<u>Commentator</u>		<u>Lector</u>
5:00pm	J. Lyons	M. Shanley
9:00am		G. Baer
11:00am	D. D. Murray	J. Hibbert

Extraordinary Ministers

5:00pm	T. McManus, R. Parker
9:00am	M. McCarthy, J. Osetek
11:00am	E. Zumwalt, B. Zumwalt
<u>Altar Servers</u>	
5:00pm	E. Furlong, L. Galvin
9:00am	F. LeBlanc, A. Shaver, M. Shaver
11:00am	K. Hibbert-Nelson, D. Pearson
<u>Ushers</u>	
9:00am	C. Hook, K. Hook

Staff

Administrator	Dc. Nick Alvaro	nalvaro@syrdio.org
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Retired	Fr. Richard Morissette	In residence
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Maintenance	(Rick) Jones and Peter Geary	
Sacristans SJO	Eric Zumwalt & Fred Byrne	
Sacristan SSK	Keith Hook	

Fisherman's Club

Fisherman's Club meetings for the 2017-2018 academic year have been announced. All meetings will take place at Panasci Chapel on LeMoyne's campus. This ministry is for men between the ages of 18 and 25 who are discerning a vocation to the priesthood. The 2017-2018 dates are as follows: September 25, October 23, November 20, January 29, February 26, and April 23. There will also be the annual special gathering with seminarians and discerners the evening of the Chrism Mass on March 27. Please keep these dates in mind as you think of personally inviting young men from your parish who are discerning. You can also keep up with our ministry on Facebook.



Readings for the Week of August 20

Sunday: Is 56:1, 6-7; Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8; Rom 11:13-15, 29-32; Mt 15:21-28

Monday: Jgs 2:11-19; Ps 106:34-37, 39-40, 43ab, 44; Mt 19:16-22

Tuesday: Jgs 6:11-24a; Ps 85:9, 11-14; Mt 19:23-30

Wednesday: Jgs 9:6-15; Ps 21:2-7; Mt 20:1-16

Thursday: Rv 21:9b-14; Ps 145:10-13, 17-18; Jn 1:45-51

Friday: Ru 1:1, 3-6, 14b-16, 22; Ps 146:5-10; Mt 22:34-40

Saturday: Ru 2:1-3, 8-11; 4:13-17; Ps 128:1b-5; Mt 23:1-12

Sunday: Is 22:19-23; Ps 138:1-3, 6, 8; Rom 11:33-36; Mt 16:13-20

Mass Schedule

III. Remember to Keep Holy the Lord's Day



Saturday, August 19

5:00pm **SJO** Dick Cummings by Francis and Irene Krul

Sunday, August 20

9:00am **SSK** Ellie Cali (Birthday) by Michael Cali and Family

11:00am **SJO** Kevin J. Kehoe (Birthday) by His Family

Monday, August 21

12:10pm **SJO** Parishioners of St. Joseph's and St. Stephen's

Tuesday, August 22

7:00am **SSK** Christian Wyatt Hannig by the Friends Of Bill W.

Wednesday, August 23

7:00am **SSK** Mary E. Gosek by John & Donna Calverase

Thursday, August 24

NO MASS

Friday, August 25

12:10pm **SJO** Frank Mazzoli by Ann and David Burns

Saturday, August 26

5:00pm **SJO** Patricia Mazzoli by St. Joseph's Golden Age

Sunday, August 27

9:00am **SSK** Mary A. Gosek by Veronica Shaver and children, Daniel, Sarah and Jonathan

11:00am **SJO** Alma Castaldo by Paul and Adeline Castaldo



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