



# Our Lady of the Valley Parish

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## Purgatory and Hell

From the Catechism of the Catholic Church, Simplified

### Those Purified (1030-1032)

Those who die in God's grace but are not yet perfectly purified are guaranteed eternal salvation. They undergo purification after death to gain the holiness needed to enter heaven.

This "Purgatory" (Councils of Florence and Trent) is totally different from the punishment of the damned. It is a cleansing fire. "The person will be saved, but only through fire" (1 Cor 3:15). "As for certain lesser faults, there is a purifying fire" (Pope St. Gregory the Great).

The Church has always prayed for the dead and offered Mass for them. Judas Maccabees "made atonement for the dead that they might be freed from their sins" (1 Macc 12:46). "Let us not hesitate to help those who have died and to offer our prayers for them" (St. John Chrysostom).

### Hell - Final Separation from God (1033)

We are united to God only if we freely choose to love him. We cannot love God if we sin gravely against him, our neighbor or ourselves. "He who does not love, remains in death" (1 Jn 3:14). Jesus warns us that we could be separated from him if we fail to help the poor in their serious needs (Mt 25:31-46). To die in unrepented mortal sin separates us from God forever by our own free choice. This self-exclusion from God's presence is called "hell."

### Jesus' Teaching (1034)

Jesus spoke of hell. "It is better to lose one of your members than to have your whole body thrown into Gehenna" (Mt 5:29). "Be afraid of the one who can destroy both body and soul in Gehenna" (Mt 10:28). Jesus will send his angels who "will gather all evil doers and throw them into the furnace of fire" (Mt 13:41-42). Jesus will say to some, "Depart from me, you cursed, into the eternal fire" (Mt 25:41).

### The Church Teaching (1035-1036)

The Church teaches that hell exists and that those who die in mortal sin will suffer "eternal fire." This means a definitive separation from God (who alone is man's happiness).

These teachings on hell call man to use his freedom in view of his eternity. "Enter by the narrow gate; for the gate is wide

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### REGULAR MASS SCHEDULE

Mon. - Fri.	7:00 am, 12:10 pm & 5:15 pm	St. Ann
Saturday	8:00 am & 4:30 pm	St. Ann
Sunday	8:30 am	St. Mary
Sunday	10:30 am	St. Ann

### TELEVISED MASS FOR SHUT-INS

Sunday 1:00 pm (channel 6 - Hornell)  
Sponsored by Bishop & Johnson Funeral Home  
and Peish TV

### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

• By Appointment • St. Ann's Church  
Saturday, 3:30 - 4:15 pm

### BAPTISM

Contact Parish Office

### WEDDINGS

Contact Parish Office 6 months in advance

**April 24-25, 2010 Fourth Sunday of Easter**

***Our Lady of the Valley Masses and Intentions***  
*All Week Day Masses are at St. Ann Church*

**SATURDAY ~ April 24**

**8:00am. - St. Ann** - Zachary Smith by Sandra Bishop

**4:30pm. - St. Ann** - John and Gail Cianciosi by the Family  
Jim Clark by Friends from the Senior Center and Meals on Wheels Drivers

**SUNDAY ~ April 25 ~ Fourth Sunday of Easter**

**8:30am. - St. Mary** - Barbara McCann by Mr. and Mrs. James McGee  
Clayton Todtenhagen by St. Mary Altar and Rosary Society

**10:30am. - St. Ann** - Parishioners of Our Lady of the Valley Parish by the Pastor  
Zachary Smith by the Blades Family

**MONDAY ~ April 26**

**7:00am. - St. Ann** - Roland and Rose Spagni by Mark Shaffer  
George Bojka by John and Mary Theresa

**5:15pm. - St. Ann** - Elsie Andolina by Mario and Dona Argentieri

**TUESDAY ~ April 27**

**7:00am. - St. Ann** - Brigett Smith by a Friend

**5:15pm. - St. Ann** - Anthony "Butch" Ermy by Dorothy

**WEDNESDAY ~ April 28 ~ St. Peter Chanel, St. Louis Mary de Montfort**

**7:00am. - St. Ann** - James Clark by Bill and Barbara Bishop

**5:15pm. - St. Ann** - Louis Rizzuto by Leo and Joanne Porcaro

**THURSDAY ~ April 29 ~ St. Catherine of Siena**

**7:00am. - St. Ann** - Stan Ambuski by David and Mary

**5:15pm. - St. Ann** - Kevin and Morgan Fee by Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cleveland

**FRIDAY ~ April 30 ~ St. Pius V**

**7:00am. - St. Ann - Anniversary** - Richard Head by John and Dolores D'Apice

**5:15pm. - St. Ann** - James Fahl by Wife and Family  
*Anniversary* - Doris Kelleher by the Family

**SATURDAY ~ May 1 ~ St. Joseph the Worker**

**8:00am. - St. Ann - Month's Mind** - Mary Rose Cilano by the Family

**4:30pm. - St. Ann** - Parishioners of Our Lady of the Valley Parish by the Pastor  
Tina Marie Losecco by Mary Losecco

**SUNDAY ~ May 2 ~ Fifth Sunday of Easter**

**8:30am. - St. Mary** - Christine Donlon by Joe and Sharyl Buckpitt

**10:30am. - St. Ann** - Mary Nancy McNelis by Joe, Kathy, Spencer, and Elliott Flint

and the way is easy, that leads to destruction." This call is urgent because "those who find it are few" (Mt 7:13-14). "Since we do not know the day nor the hour we should watch constantly" (Second Vatican Council).

### **No One Predestined to Hell (1037)**

God predestines no one to hell (Council of Trent). Damnation comes about only by a persistence in mortal sin until death. God wants "all to come to repentance" (2 Pet 3:9). The Church prays "save us from final damnation and count us among those you have chosen" (Roman Canon).

## **Final Judgment**

### **For All (1038-1040)**

The Last Judgment is "the hour when all who are in the tombs will hear the Son of Man's voice and come forth, those who have done good, to the resurrection of life, and those who have done evil, to the resurrection of judgment" (Jn 5:28-29). Matthew's Gospel speaks of angels gathering all the nations, with those on Christ's right (the sheep) going into eternal life, and those on Christ's left (the goats) going into eternal punishment (25:31, 32, 46).

In the presence of Christ (Truth himself), the person's relationship to God will be laid bare. Everything will be revealed, the good that the person has done or has failed to do. Augustine portrays Jesus saying to the wicked, "You have placed nothing in the hands of the poor; therefore you have found nothing in my presence."

The Father will determine the time when Christ returns in glory. Through Jesus, the Father will then pronounce the final word of history, revealing the whole purpose of creation. Then we will see that his justice has triumphed over man's injustices.

### **A Help to Conversion (1041)**

The Last Judgment calls us to conversion. Each day is "an acceptable time of salvation" (2 Cor 6:2). This truth inspires a holy fear, a commitment to justice, and also a hope, because the Lord will "be glorified in his saints" (2 Thess 1:10).

### **The Renewal of All Creation (1042-1044)**

After the Final Judgment, the righteous will reign with Christ and the universe will be renewed. "The universe itself, so closely related to man, will be perfectly reestablished in Christ" (Second Vatican Council).

Scripture calls this mysterious renewal "new heavens and a new earth" (2 Pet 3:13), a summing up of

"all things in Christ" (Eph 1:10). There will be no more death nor crying in pain, for the "former things have passed away" (Rev 21:4).

### **The Unity of the Human Race (1045)**

There will be the final and complete unity of the human race. Those united with Christ will be his community, "the Bride, the wife of the lamb" (Rev 21:29). Sins will be no more. All will enjoy the beatific vision, by which God opens himself to the elect as man's everlasting happiness.

### **Unity with Creation (1046)**

Man and material creation have a common destiny. "Creation itself will be set free from its bondage to decay. Not only creation, but we ourselves... groan inwardly as we wait for adoption as sons" (Rom 8:19-23). The visible universe will be transformed, "restored to its original state, and sharing in man's glorification in the risen Jesus Christ" (St. Irenaeus).

### **How or When? (1047-1050)**

We know neither the time nor the way of this transformation. We do know that the form of this world is passing away and that God is preparing a new earth. Although earthly progress is certainly distinct from the increase of Christ's kingdom, this progress is vital to the kingdom by contributing to the ordering of human society (Second Vatican Council).

All the fruits of our earthly enterprise will be cleansed and transfigured when Christ presents an eternal kingdom to his Father. "Thanks to his mercy, we too, men that we are, have received the inalienable promise of eternal life" (St. Cyril of Jerusalem).

### **The Meaning of "Amen" (1061-1062)**

The Creed, the Bible, New Testament prayers, and Church petitions end with the Hebrew word "Amen." "Amen" and "believe" both mean trustworthiness and faithfulness. "Amen" expresses God's faithfulness to us and our trust in him.

### **"Amen" and "I Believe" (1063-1065)**

Jesus frequently said "Amen, amen," emphasizing the trustworthiness of his words. The Creed's final "amen" repeats its opening words "I believe." "May your Creed be as your mirror. See if you believe everything you say you believe" (St. Augustine).

Jesus Christ is the definitive "Amen." "All the promises of God find their Yes in him" (2 Cor 1:20).

*Rev. Peter Arnold Anglaere  
Pastor*

**In Christ we Conquer**

## Parish Activities and Coming Events

- Sunday:**      **Rosary and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament** - 3:00pm. at St. Ann Church  
**Youth Group** - 1st. & 3rd. Sundays, 7:00pm. in the church  
**First Communion** - May 9th. 8:30am. Mass at St. Mary and 10:30am. Mass at St. Ann
- Monday:**      **Little Apostles Of Divine Mercy** - after school in the school  
**Rosary and Miraculous Medal Novena** - 7:00pm. in McAuley Manor Chapel  
**McAuley Manor Mass** - April 26th., 10:00am.
- Wednesday:**      **Parish Council Meeting** - April 28th., 7:00pm. in the meeting room
- Friday:**      **Hornell Gardens Mass** - April 30th., 1:00pm.
- Saturday:**      **First Communion Mini Retreat** - May 1st. , 9:00am. - 11:00am. in the Pine Room  
**First Communion Rehearsal** - May 8th., 9:00-11:00am. at St. Ann Church and 1:30pm. at St. Mary Church

### Our Lady of the Valley

#### Last Sunday's Collection

**April 18, 2010**

Actual - \$7,114

YTD Actual - \$334,477

YTD Balanced Budget - \$343,760

*May God reward you for your generosity*

It is important that all checks written out to the parish be made out to "**Our Lady of the Valley**".

**Our Lady of the Valley Parish Web Page**  
[www.ourladycv.org](http://www.ourladycv.org)

#### "Magnify the Lord"

Fifteen minute meditation each Sunday Morning

by **Fr. Paul Schnacky**

**8:30am. WCKR 92.1 FM \* 9:15am. WLEA 1480**

#### Please Note:

Bulletin articles are to be at our Parish Offices, 27 Erie Ave., Hornell by **deadline, Monday, at noon.**

#### **Gift Cards**

Gift Cards are available in the SAS office. Stop in or call 324-0733, during school hours.

#### **Attention: Blood Pressure Clinic**

The next Blood Pressure Clinic will be the weekend of April 24th. & 25th., after the masses at St. Ann Church.

#### **Free Health Care Health Ministry of the Southern Tier**

To make an appointment, call 607-962-2032

#### **Printer Cartridges/Cell Phone Recycling**

Instead of throwing your cartridges out, please save them and put them in the boxes at the church entrances.

### *Altar Server Schedule*

#### *St. Mary*

**Sunday, April 25 - 8:30am.** ~ Erika and Falyn Lewis-Ellison

**Sunday, May 2 - 8:30am.** ~ Ethan and Jacob Williamson

#### *St. Ann*

**Monday, April 26 through Wednesday, April 28 - 7:00am.** ~ Colin McDaniels

**Monday, April 26 through Wednesday, April 28 - 5:15pm.** ~ Thomas Clark

**Thursday, April 29 & Friday, April 30 - 7:00am. & Saturday, May 1 - 8:00am.** ~ Mary Frances Deebes

**Thursday, April 29 & Friday, April 30 - 5:15pm.** ~ Patrick Deebes

**Saturday, May 1 - 4:30pm.** ~ Rebecca and Christopher Walsh

**Sunday, May 2 - 10:30am.** ~ Hannah and Mike Mikolajczyk

## Sacramental Preparation

### **Baptism**

Are you expecting a baby? Don't wait until that hectic time **after** you have your baby, plan to attend before your delivery date. **Preparation is required** if you are presenting a child for baptism for the **first time**. **Our next Baptism Preparation Session will be held on June 30th.** at 7:00pm. in the school. To register call Marianne Logan at 324-7121.

If you have any questions regarding the sacraments of Baptism, Eucharist, Reconciliation, Confirmation or Marriage or to register for any of the above sacraments call Marianne Logan at 324-7121 or call the office at 324-5811.

### **First Communion Gifts**

Gifts for First Communion are available at the Aquinas Gift Shop at St. James Mercy Hospital. Profits from the gift shop go directly toward supporting the St. James Mercy Hospital Foundation. Any questions call 324-8749.

### **Lost and Found**

The lost and found box is on the table outside the handicapped restroom at the Elm Street entrance.

Items found are held in this box for several weeks, then given to the Salvation Army.

### **Welcome**

We welcome into our Parish Community the following people who were brought into full communion with the church at the Easter Vigil Mass on Holy Saturday:

**Catechumen:** Laurie Smith

**Candidates:** Joseph Klees      Stephanie Smith  
Morgan Allison      Pat Libordi

**Did You Know...**that you can ask to have your child blessed by a Eucharistic Minister as well as a priest during Communion?

If the child is old enough to walk, please have them come forward with their arms crossed over their chests. This is a signal that they wish to be blessed. Otherwise, just ask that your child be blessed when you approach a priest or Eucharistic minister.

### **St. Ann School Alumni 40 Week Club**

**April 19th. - Week #25**

**Drawn by:** Mande Kellogg

**\$10** - Gretchen Baia

**\$15** - Joe Aini

**\$25** - Amy Mikolajczyk

*Congratulations to All !*

**Parish Prayer Corner** As a parish we have been asked to pray for people who are sick, facing surgery, etc. We thank God for His healing goodness and **ask that you let us know when someone can be removed from the prayer list.** Call the parish office at 324-5811.

### *Prayer Corner*

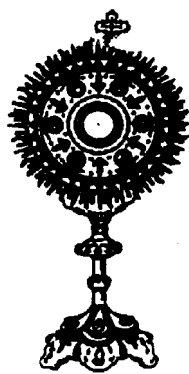
If you have a loved one or friend, of any faith, for whom you would like the prayer support of the community call the office at 324-5811. We ask that you please keep the following parishioners and friends in your thoughts and prayers throughout your week.

### *Our Sick*

Fred Lehman, Bob Morgan, Talia Neu, Cheyanna Nickel, Reilly Tierney, Louise Everly Kelleher, Debbie Clair, Ann Marie Shaw, Katherine Solo, Anthony Mannino, Heidi Jamison, Kathy Mullen, Jenna Gerhart, Caleb Woodworth, Matthew Lancaster, Marion Elling, Philip Lauria, Terri Sills, Michael Marmat, Helen Erskine, Mark Andrew Zdanowski, Becky Shafer, Samuel McKee, Anne Mignone, Tara Little, Isaac Mielke, Alan Cocchetto, Amanda Diage, Frank Schreiber, Teresa Amidon, Susan Kadue, Erin Frewin, Stacey Pullen, Jack Cregan, Martha Glynn Samiec, Daltin Ames, Brenda Tenney, John Orzechowski, Henry Wolfe, Bence (Banjo) Maristela, Diana Sermonis, Mary Wallace, Ethan Bibb, Marge Stephens, Kendyl Dykeman, Vicki Hallett, MaryAnn LaShure, Alexis, Betsy, Agnes Norton, Mary Jo Palmeter, Krystal and Baby Grace Potter, Donna Roosa, Zaida Welch, Thomas Scaglione, Pauline Wilcox, Cheryl Mastin, Ray Testani, Maria Dunn, Michael Dininney, Mary Ann Daniels Albright, Ronald Minute, Kate, Sandy Bush, Michelle Coates, Geraldine Shultz, Tommy Harrison, Bob Greenfield, Tony Changose, Kris VanScoter, Kathleen Beckerman, Christina Fontanez, Caleigh Whiteman, Ashley Zahradnik, Maureen Cooney, Harold Grave, Lucy Leasure, Melody LaChiusa, Dolores Andrus, Angela Smith, Jim Moore, Eric Pelletier.

### *Our Young Men & Women Serving in the Military*

David Hunt \* Megan Swift \* Tim Didas \* James Garafolo  
Graig Boccia \* Bill Kays \* TJ Murray \* John Baker  
Michael Caruso \* Daniel McAllister \* Pete Lehman  
Scott Smilinich \* Jessica Fahl \* Steve Merring  
Jeramiah Wilder \* Elliott Butler \* Donald VanWinkle  
Jonathon Van Durme \* Joshua Steinhilber \* Ann Flansburg  
Matthew Randazzo \* Timothy Brownell \* Kirk McManus  
Stephen Galatio \* Gregory Argentieri \* Ryan O'Rourke  
Chuck Coleman \* Michael Ingham \* Joe Testani  
Rachel Mullen \* Seth Baker \* Angela Neu \* Cory Rahr  
Fr. Patrick Van Durme \* Michael Roberts \* Patrick Duffy  
Brandon Smith (Avoca) \* Sopol Domm \* John Washington  
Joe Hornbeck \* Terry Leonard \* Robert Murray Joseph  
Murray \* Kyle Stewart \* Stephen Lapek \* John Parks  
Adam Prouty \* Carrie Prouty \* Brandon Kimball  
Amanda Prouty \* Patrick Kelly



## Chapel of Perpetual Adoration

*“Jesus Christ wishes to be your friend and it is in the Holy Eucharist that He offers you this precious gift of His friendship.”*

*...Venerable D'Alzon*

### Open Hours

Monday at 7:00am.

Substitutes are welcomed. Please call:

Isabel Nobilski 324-1424

Donna Kull 324-2884

A meeting of the **Beato Angelo Society** will be held on Tuesday, April 27th. at 7:00pm. in the OLV meeting room. Plans regarding September dinner celebration will be discussed. Attendance is encouraged for all members.

**First Eucharist** will be celebrated on May 9th. at the regular Sunday morning liturgies at both St. Mary and St. Ann churches.

**Join SAS Facebook Group** St. Ann School invites you to join our Facebook Group! Check us out, we're "Friends and Alumni of St. Ann School Hornell NY".

## Catholic Ministries Appeal

**Our Parish Goal:** \$46,788

**Pledged:** \$33,079 - 70.7%

**Giving Units Goal:** 1450

**Donors (Giving Units):** 325

**Participation Rate:** 22.41%

*Thank you for your generosity!*



## The Acts of the Apostles

### *The Mission of Paul to the Ends of the Earth*

Am I the kind of disciple who can stand up to peer pressure? How can I do that in a way that can be heard by others? Learn about the pressures of the early community and how the disciples responded by using the Get into the Acts reflections. This week read Acts of the Apostles 19:23-20:38 and ask yourself: How do my reflections on this reading affect how I will live as a disciple?

## Catholic Men's Forum

Catholic Men's Forum next presentation: "Purgatory: Fact or Fiction ?" Father Frank Lane, retired priest and conference speaker from the Diocese of Columbus, Ohio, will present this overlooked and sometimes ignored doctrine of the Catholic Church on Tuesday, May 4th., at St. Ann Church at 7:00pm. Father Lane has appeared on EWTN and is currently serving as an adjunct professor at St. Bonaventure University. Men and women of all faiths are invited to attend.

## Marian Tour

Five Day Pilgrimage to the Great Shrines in Canada during the Feast of the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Immaculate Heart of Mary, June 11th. through June 15th.

For more information or reservations call: Norb and Marlene Figurski, 1-800-752-8856 or 1-814-455-7163.

The **Dona R. Argentieri Scholarship Fund** is making money available to new students wishing to enroll at St. Ann School in Hornell. If you are interested in a faith and value based education with academic excellence for your PreK-6th. grade child, please call St. Ann School at 607-324-0733 for more information.

## Register Now for St. Ann School 2010-2011

St. Ann School will be OPEN for the 2010-2011 School Year! We are currently accepting registration for our Pre-K programs and grades K-6th.

We invite you to visit the school and meet the faculty. For registration information or to make an appointment, please call Lisa Dirlam at (607) 324-0733, or visit our website at [www.stannahornell.org](http://www.stannahornell.org).

## Children's Summer Program

June 28th. - August 27th.

8am. - 5:30pm.

Ages 3 to 6 and Ages 7 to 12

**Inquire Now! Openings Filling Fast!**

(607) 324-0733

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