

## February 4 - 5, 2006 Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

### Our Lady of the Valley \* Masses and Intentions

*All Week Day Masses are at St. Ann Church*

#### **SATURDAY ~ February 4 ~ First Saturday**

**8:00am.** - St. Ann - John Pesch by Chauncey and Joan Watches

**4:30pm.** - St. Ann - Hilton Ingham (*Birthday*) and Dennis Doud by Alice and Tina

*Anniversary* - Robert Parada by Fay

#### **SUNDAY ~ February 5 ~ Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**8:30am.** - St. Mary - Parishioners of Our Lady of the Valley Parish by the Pastor  
Anna Johnson by Catherine Rockett

**10:30am.** - St. Ann - *Anniversary* - William Kelleher by Wife and Children

#### **MONDAY ~ February 6 ~ St. Paul Miki and Companions**

**7:00am.** - St. Ann - Josephine Schieder by Angeline Mardo

**5:15pm.** - St. Ann - Deceased members of the Beato Angelo Society by the Beato Angelo Society

#### **TUESDAY ~ February 7**

**7:00am.** - St. Ann - Linda Anne Ashabraner by a Friend

**5:15pm.** - St. Ann - Providence Sidoti by Ann, John and George Trentanelli

#### **WEDNESDAY ~ February 8 ~ St. Jerome Emiliani, St. Josephine Bakhita**

**7:00am.** - St. Ann - Charles Leith by Beth Turner and Family

**5:15pm.** - St. Ann - *Anniversary* - Mickey Smith by Bill Smith  
Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Sciotti by the Family

#### **THURSDAY ~ February 9**

**7:00am.** - St. Ann - Mary Wheeler by Ray and Betty Rahmlow, Mary Egger

**5:15pm.** - St. Ann - Joseph Haley by Joan and Chauncey Watches & Amy

#### **FRIDAY ~ February 10 ~ St. Scholastica**

**7:00am.** - St. Ann - James McDonough by David and Nancy Watt

**5:15pm.** - St. Ann - Thomas Gibbs by the Family

#### **SATURDAY ~ February 11 ~ Our Lady of Lourdes**

**8:00am.** - St. Ann - Kay Christiano by Mary and Joe Aini

**4:30pm.** - St. Ann - Richard Caruso by Susan and Ted Egger  
*Anniversary* - Larry Gleason by the Family

#### **SUNDAY ~ February 12 ~ Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**8:30am.** - St. Mary - Geraldine Harkenrider by Mr. and Mrs. Paul Crosby

**10:30am.** - St. Ann - William Binney by the Family  
Parishioners of Our Lady of the Valley Parish by the Pastor

### Altar Server Schedule

#### St. Mary

Sunday, February 5th. - 8:30am. ~ Paul Harkenrider and Leann Green

Sunday, February 12th. - 8:30am. ~ Ariana Peisher and Dylan Lewis-Ellison

#### St. Ann

Monday, February 6th. through Friday, February 10th. - 7:00am. ~ David Capone and Jackie Clark

Monday, February 6th. through Friday, February 10th. - 5:15pm. ~ Natalie Crosby and Alicia Rokenbrod

Saturday, February 11th. - 4:30pm. ~ Cody McCormick and Peter Hornbeck

Sunday, February 12th. - 10:30am. ~ Abigail McAneney and Kevin Diehl



## Parish Activities and Coming Events

- **Religious Education** - Classes on Sundays at 9:15am. to 10:15am. at St. Ann
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- **“Magnify the Lord” with Fr. Paul Schnacky** - Sundays, 9:15am. and 3:05pm. - on WLEA
- **Rosary, Litany and Benediction** - Sundays at 3:00pm. at St. Ann Church
- **Exodus Youth Group** - meets the 1st. & 3rd. Sundays of the month at 7:00pm. at St. Ann Church
- **Children of Mary Rosary Group** - 3rd. Sunday of the month, Noon - 2:00pm., Perpetual Adoration Chapel
- **McAuley Manor Mass** - Monday, February 13th. at 10:00am.
- **Social Ministry Committee** - First Tuesday of the month at 7:00pm. in Loyola Hall
- **St. Ann School Registration** - Tuesday, February 7th. at 6:30pm. - 8:00pm. in the School Meeting Room
- **Marian Prayer Hour** - Thursdays at 1:00pm. in the Fatima Chapel at St. Ann Church
- **Thursday Evening Study Group** - Thursday, 7:00pm., St. Ann Rectory
- **Hornell Gardens Mass** - Friday, February 10th. at 1:00pm.
- **St. Ann Reminders Shop** - Open after Mass, Saturday evening & Sunday morning
- **1st. Eucharist Parents Meeting** - Sunday, March 5th. at 1:30pm. in School Assembly Hall

## Our Lady of the Valley

### Last Sunday's Collection

**January 29, 2006**

Actual - \$8,003

Budget - \$10,000

YTD Actual - \$263,411

YTD Budget - \$310,000

Last week's actual donation per attendance - \$8.00

Needed per attendance - \$10.00

*May God reward you for your generosity*

## Here's an idea...

Give to the Sunday Collection through an automatic payment from your checking or savings account. You decide the amount and how often you want to give.

- One less thing to remember each week
- Saves the time and expense of writing a check
- Very easy to set up - call the Parish at 324-5811
- It's also easy to change or end by calling the Parish
- More convenient and safer than carrying cash
- Helps you plan your giving
- Produces a record to use for income tax purposes

## Free Health Care

Health Ministry of the Southern Tier

To make an appointment, call 607-962-2032.

## *Prayers for the Sick*

We ask that you please keep the following parishioners and friends in your thoughts and prayers throughout this week:

**Jack Howe, Norman Kozlowski, Fred Lehman, JoAnn Ricci, Andrea O'Brien, Tom Berry, and Rita McCaig.**

If you have a loved one or friend who needs the prayer support of the community call the office at 324-5811.

## Parish Committee Meeting Minutes

In an effort to share information, we are working to make the **meeting minutes**, of the various committees of Our Lady of the Valley Parish, available on line. There is limited space at this time so minutes will have to be rotated during the month.

Go to: [www.catholiccourier.com/oly](http://www.catholiccourier.com/oly)

## “Magnify the Lord”

A 15-minute meditation by Fr. Paul Schnacky

Sundays at 9:15am. and 3:05pm. on WLEA

**Greeting Card** - If you know someone who could benefit from prayerful and cheerful thoughts, call 324-2884.

*Are you living with abuse?*

**The Net Program offers help.**

Call for information 800-286-3407

**Catholic Charities of Steuben**

23 Liberty Street, Bath 776-8085

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**40 Week Club Winners**  
**Winners drawn by Justin Wachter**

**January 30th.**

**\$10** - Francis Amidon

**\$15** - Rose Bartlett

**\$25** - Marilyn Murphy

*Congratulations to all !*

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The **Italian-American Women's Club's** next meeting will be held on February 6th. There will be a "silent auction". **Please bring unwrapped gifts.**

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**This weekend is "Souper Bowl Sunday"**

Members of Our Lady of the Valley Youth Group will be collecting donations for Sister Jude Social Ministry.

**Thank you for your generosity.**

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**St. Ann School Registration**

Registration for the 2006 - 2007 school year, for grades PK4 through 8th., will be on Tuesday, February 7th., 6:30pm. to 8:00pm. in the school Meeting Room.

If you are a new family registering, call ahead for registration forms (324-0733).

The PK4 program is a full day educational program.

**Please note:** For single parents or families with both parents working, the cost of Pre-School and Kindergarten tuition can be claimed as a Child Care Deduction on your income tax report. This is because New York State does not mandate these classes.

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**Catholic Daughters** - Dish to pass dinner on February 14th. and recognition of the Education Contest winners, 6:00pm. at the K of C.

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**Please Pray for our Young Men & Women  
in the Military in the Middle East**

Joshua Dailey \* Jonathan Van Durme \* Matt Van Durme  
Matt Zapata ~ Qatar \* Darla Roote (mother) ~ Kuwait  
Don Van Winkle ~ Qatar

**Iraq**

Destiny Deterville (daughter) \* Bill Kays \* Graig Boccia  
Jason Piatt \* Angelo Sciotti \* Kiersten Ordway  
Joshua Woodworth \* Gerald Mulhollen, Jr. (2nd. Tour)  
Larry McCormick (5th tour)

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**Please note:** There is a "crying room" available to all parents who bring their small children to Mass at St. Ann Church. If your little one needs room to move around or is fussy and crying, please avail yourself of the "crying room". This room is to the left of the altar, in the reconciliation room. There is a large window in this room so parents can see the mass and there is a speaker so you can hear the prayers of the priest and the people.

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**First Eucharist Preparation**

Any child, seven years of age or older is to be afforded the opportunity for preparation for the Sacrament of Holy Communion.

There will be a meeting for **PARENTS ONLY, Sunday, March 5th.**, at 1:30pm. in the Assembly Hall of St. Ann School.

If you would like to present your child for this sacrament please make this meeting a priority.

**The Enrollment Mass will be March 12, 2006.**

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**Stewardship**

Like St. Paul, in the second reading, the good steward can say, "I do all that I do for the sake of the Gospel in the hope of having a share in its blessing".

*...Stewardship by the Book*, by Sharon Hueckel

All people on earth lead similar lives. Like Job, it is only human for us to feel the weight and drudgery of daily life. Through Christ, however, we, his disciples see ourselves as stewards of all that God has given us and see God's blessings in our lives, along with hope of life eternal. We can shake off all the negative feelings and emotions when we are overcome by daily human life because we know who it is that we are working with; and His purpose is for our good, not to harm us, all the days of our life. Pray for those who do not know God or Christ or the hope and promise we live in when you are tempted to be brought down by the frustrations of daily human life. Feel the joy and peace that you are meant to have as a steward of God's gifts.

**Stewardship Mission Statement**

It is the Mission of the Stewardship Committee to encourage and assist all Parishioners to find the joy of giving and multiply their talents, to benefit fully of the covenant promises of peace and joy beyond all understanding and to see the abundance of the Lord in the land of the living.

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## *Chapel of Perpetual Adoration*

*"The time you spend with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament will help bring about an everlasting peace on earth."*

*...Mother Teresa of Calcutta*

**Open Hours:** Sunday at 12:00am. (4 months)  
Monday at 1:00am.  
Saturday at 2:00am.

**Substitutes are needed...please call:**

Isabel Nobilski 324-1424  
Donna Kull 324-2884

**Our Lady of the Valley Men's Retreat** at Notre Dame Retreat House. February 24-26, 2006. For more information call Tony Galeazzo at 698-4395

### *Sanctuary Offerings for February*

#### *Altar Breads*

Sherry, Edward II, Opal & Murray O'Brien

#### *Sanctuary Lights in School Chapel*

William Kelleher by Children

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

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

The next Blood Pressure Clinic will be the weekend of February 11th. and 12th., after the Masses, in the Library of St. Ann Church. We will also have **Health Care Proxy** forms available.

### **Blood Drive Schedule**

**Thursday, Feb. 23rd. \* 1:00pm. - 7:00pm.**  
Hornell K of C ~ (Open to Public)

**Monday, Mar. 27th. \* 1:00pm. - 7:00pm.**  
Canisteo American Legion ~ (Open to Public)

### **St. Ann School 8th. Grade**

Is Collecting Empty Pop Bottles and Cans

**Drop off any time at school or call**

**324-0733 for a pick-up**

Proceeds for Class Trip to Boston

**Please Note:** All bulletin announcements are to be dropped off at our Parish Offices, 343 Canisteo St., Hornell. **Deadline is Monday, at noon.**

**Diocesan Retreat for youth**, grades 9-12, with Father Pat.

February 10th.-12th. at Camp Stella Maris. For more information contact Mrs. Mik. 324-9443

The **Ladies of Columbus Business Meeting** will be held Tuesday, February 7th. at 7:00pm. at the K of C.

The **February Social Committee** will also meet at this time in the back bar to plan for the February Social.

### **Knights of Columbus**

#### **1st. and 2nd. Degree Honors**

On January 11th. Fr. James Early Council #243 of the Knights of Columbus held a First and Second Degree Exemplification. The following is a list of those who received the honors of the two degrees:

Fr. Patrick Van Durme \* 1st. and 2nd. Degree

Bill Piatt \* 1st. and 2nd. Degree

Adam Willsey \* 1st. and 2nd. Degree

Nate McMinded \* 1st. and 2nd. Degree

Tony Marino \* 1st. and 2nd. Degree

Earl Voss \* 2nd. Degree

Visiting from Ithaca Council #277:

Aaron Dush \* 2nd. Degree

Anyone who is interested in becoming a member should contact the club for a membership application. We will be holding another 1st. and 2nd. Degree Exemplification in March.

### **Baptism Preparation**

Are you expecting a baby? Don't wait until that hectic time **after** you have your baby, plan to attend before your delivery date.

Our next Baptism Preparation Session will be held on **March 15th.** at 7:30pm. in St. Ann School.

**To register call 382-1484.**