

November 25 – 26, 2006 Feast of Christ the King

Our Lady of the Valley * Masses and Intentions

All Week Day Masses are at St. Ann Church

SATURDAY ~ November 25 ~ St. Catherine of Alexandria

8:00am. - St. Ann - *Anniversary* - Monica Sullivan Kuhn by the Kuhn Children

4:30pm. - St. Ann - The Bishop and Wagner Families by the Bishop Family
Jennie Canty by the Family

SUNDAY ~ November 26 ~ Feast of Christ the King

8:30am. - St. Mary - Poor Souls in Purgatory by Parishioners

10:30am. - St. Ann - *Anniversary* - Martin P. Crook by the Family
Parishioners of Our Lady of the Valley Parish by the Pastor

MONDAY ~ November 27

7:00am. - St. Ann - Daniel "Dan" Berry by Jim and Linda Gleason

5:15pm. - St. Ann - *Birthday* - Mary Whitford by Ronald and Suzanne Mauro and Family

TUESDAY ~ November 28

7:00am. - St. Ann - Poor Souls in Purgatory by Parishioners

5:15pm. - St. Ann - Mr. & Mrs. Anthony Pardi and Deceased members of Family by Leo & Joanne Porcaro and Family

WEDNESDAY ~ November 29

7:00am. - St. Ann - *Birthday* - Dominic Nasca by Jim and Jo

5:15pm. - St. Ann - Irene Mott by Jim and Helen Prior

THURSDAY ~ November 30 ~ St. Andrew, Apostle

7:00am. - St. Ann - Evelyn Fenton and James Davis by the Family

5:15pm. - St. Ann - Mary McLaughlin by the Family

FRIDAY ~ December 1 ~ First Friday

7:00am. - St. Ann - Bonnie Ordway Wulforst by Mary Dineen

9:00am. - St. Ann - Domenic Argentieri by Catherine Fitz Gerald

5:15pm. - St. Ann - Stephen Terry by Anna Marie Damrath

SATURDAY ~ December 2 ~ First Saturday

8:00am. - St. Ann - Donald Moretti by Mary Teresa

4:30pm. - St. Ann - Morris Shepard, Jr. by the Family
Parishioners of Our Lady of the Valley Parish by the Pastor

SUNDAY ~ December 3 ~ First Sunday of Advent

8:30am. - St. Mary - Benefactors of Steuben County Rural Ministry by Sister Susan

10:30am. - St. Ann - Larry Gleason by John Whyte
Rosemary and Bill Danaher by Leonard and Kathy Caruso, Jim and Pat Danaher

Altar Server Schedule

St. Mary

Sunday, November 26 - 8:30am. ~ Erika Lewis-Ellison and Ben Soper

Sunday, December 3 - 8:30am. ~ Jacob and Luke Williamson

St. Ann

Monday, November 27 through Friday, December 1 - 7:00am. ~ Audrey Weyand

Monday, November 27 through Friday, December 1 - 5:15pm. ~ Natalie Crosby and Scott Daniels

Saturday, December 2 - 4:30pm. ~ Sarah Cunningham

Sunday, December 3 - 10:30am. ~ Tom and Shawn Walsh

Parish Activities and Coming Events

- Sunday:** “Magnify the Lord” with Fr. Paul Schnacky - 9:15am. and 3:05pm. - on WLEA.
Rosary, Litany and Benediction - at 3:00pm. at St. Ann Church
Benefit Pancake Breakfast - St. Mary, Rexville, on Sunday, Nov. 26th. after the 8:30am. Mass
Religious Education - **NO Classes** on November 26th.
Youth Group - Next Meeting will be the Advent Penance Service on December 17th. at 7:00pm.
- Monday:** **McAuley Manor Mass** - November 27th. at 10:00am.
Confirmation Session #4 - November 27th. at 7:15pm. in St. Ann church
- Wednesday:** **First Reconciliation** - November 29th. at 7:00pm. in St. Ann Church
- Thursday:** **Marian Prayer Hour** - at 1:00pm. in the Fatima Chapel at St. Ann Church
Ad Hoc Committee - November 30th. at 6:30pm. in the Meeting Room
- Friday:** **Hornell Gardens Mass** - December 1st. at 1:00pm.
- Saturday:** **St. Ann School Christmas Bazaar** - December 2nd. - 10:00am. to 3:00pm. in the school
First Reconciliation - December 2nd. at 10:30pm. in St. Ann Church

Our Lady of the Valley

Last Sunday's Collection November 19, 2006

Actual - \$10,256

To balance our budget - \$11,000

YTD Actual - \$197,446

YTD Balanced Budget - \$231,000

Repairs - \$1,029

Last week's actual donation per attendance - \$10.26

Needed per attendance - \$11.00

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”.

Painless Giving...

Here's a “painless” way to increase your giving. Many companies have gift-matching programs where the company will match any contribution that an employee makes to a charitable organization. Our Lady of the Valley has received matching gifts from some companies.

To participate, contact the Human Resource Department where you work. Ask if your company has a gift-matching program. Normally, you tell the company how much you contribute to the parish, they, in turn, match your gift. Everyone wins. The parish gets additional contributions; the company contributes to a worthy cause; you get the satisfaction of bringing more money to the parish without actually taking more from your bank account.

Banns of Marriage

John Cardamone and Diedra Magnifico

Help Wanted Parishioners are needed to participate in Masses! We would like to see volunteers come forward at daily masses and Holy Day Masses when the need arises for readers, altar servers and Eucharistic Ministers and there is a special need for servers for funeral masses.

If you are interested in volunteering to help cover these positions, when needed, please contact the office at 324-5811.

The parish web page is a great resource for information about various parish programs, upcoming events, and parish committee meeting minutes. **Come, visit us at:**

Our Lady of the Valley Parish Web Page
www.ourladycv.org

Free Health Care

Health Ministry of the Southern Tier
To make an appointment, call 607-962-2032.

“Magnify the Lord”

A 15-minute meditation by Fr. Paul Schnacky
Sundays at 9:15am. and 3:05pm. on WLEA

Are you living with abuse?

The Net Program offers help.

Call for information 800-286-3407

Sacramental Preparation

Confirmation Candidates session #4 November 27th.
Confirmation on December 14th. at 7:00pm.

First Reconciliation Rite

Wednesday, November 29th. at 7:00pm.
Saturday, December 2nd. at 10:30am.

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. Preparation is required if you are presenting a child for baptism for the first time.

Our next Baptism Preparation Session will be held on
March 14th. at 7:00pm. in St. Ann School.

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 the office at 324-5811.

Annual St. Ann School Christmas Bazaar Saturday, December 2nd.

10:00am. to 3:00pm. at the school

Events include a Silent Auction, Alumni Pizzelles, "Great Lake Scrip" Gift Cards, Bake Sale, Crafts Table, Large Raffle, Adult and Kid's Chinese auctions, "New to You" Book Sale, a variety of vendor tables, and children's activities. Refreshments will also be sold during the bazaar.

Donations of "gently read" books for all ages will be gladly accepted. Collection boxes are located at the church entrances. Donations of wicker baskets or items to sell at the Craft/"New to You" table gratefully accepted; these may be dropped off at the school **after November 26th.** please. Any vendors interested in setting up a table, please contact Beth Jacobs @324-9123 or the school office at 324-0733 for details.

Also on Saturday, December 2nd.

Chicken and Biscuit Dinner

\$6.50 per order

4:00pm.- 6:00pm....take-out only

Call the school at 324-0733 to place your orders.

Ham Dinner

Wednesday, November 29th.

Ham, Scalloped Potatoes, Bread & Butter,
and Cabbage Salad Dinner

Cost: \$6.50 per dinner.

**Co-sponsored by St. Ann School
and the Hornell Dodgers**

Take-out ONLY * 4:00pm. - 6:00pm.

St. Ann School Cafeteria

Call **324-0733** to place orders.

Abbott Gibbs' new book "**Harvard to Harvard**" will be for sale in the Gift Shop after the weekend masses.

Catholic Charities of Steuben

23 Liberty Street, Bath 776-8085

Catholic Daughters are selling 50/50 tickets for a Christmas Shopping Spree to be drawn of December 1st. You may purchase tickets from any member or call Eileen Hamelin at 324-2768.

Raffle to Benefit Birthright of Hornell

Mr. & Mrs. Santa by *House of Lloyd*

(who are at Santa Land" located at Pro cAir)

Tickets available beginning Nov. 24th.

Donation \$1 per ticket or book of 6 for \$5

Drawing December 20th.

Sponsored by AZB

Most Wanted List

For Birthright of Hornell

- Bottled Water
- Pregnancy calendars
- Pregnancy-childbirth-childcare-breastfeeding books (Updated: 95 or later)
- Walmart gift cards (for office supplies)
- HP inkjet black ink #45
- Postage stamps
- **Brand-New Clothing Only** (tagged/packaged): newborn or size small outfits, onesies, sleepers, hats, socks, bibs, receiving blankets, seasonal outerwear

Above items may be dropped off at the back porch (yellow door) of 341 Canisteo St.

Please, we cannot accept used baby clothing, afghans blankets, baby furniture, car seats, bouncers, etc.

Monetary gifts may be mailed. For all other donation inquiries, call 607-281-1089.

Chapel of Perpetual Adoration

Surely it is God who saves me; I shall trust and have no fear, for the Lord defends and shields me, and His saving help is near. ...Hymn

Substitutes are welcomed. Please call:

Isabel Nobilski 324-1424

Donna Kull 324-2884

Christmas is coming... We have cookbooks available at \$15 each. They can be found at the Reminders Shop, the Parish office and the school. They make wonderful gifts.

Attention: Blood Pressure Clinic

The next Blood Pressure Clinic will be the weekend of December 2nd. & 3rd. after mass.

Advent Giving Tree

The Giving Tree Project continues! Please bring your gifts next week, December 2nd. & 3rd., to the 4:30pm. or the 10:30am. Mass and place it under the **Giving Tree**.

Week #2 is dedicated to the needs of Children and *Teens. Refer to the bulletin insert from last week for gift suggestions. For more information please call Mary Bossard at 295-7583. Thank you.

*There is an extra need for gifts for teen boys.

Pancake Breakfast

St. Mary, Rexville, will sponsor a **Benefit Pancake Breakfast** for Jean Coleman, of Rexville, who is recovering from Gillian Barre syndrome. It will be held on Sunday, November 26th. after the 8:30am. Mass.

Sanctuary Offerings for December

Sanctuary Lights in memory of:

Anna and George Price

by Mary Jane

Altar Breads in memory of:

Cleveland & Petrelli Families

by Walter Cleveland Family

Altar Wine in memory of:

Leo F. and Natalie E. Weyand

by Natalie Ann

Altar Candles in memory of:

Mary Ann, Tom, and Jim Martin

by Helen and Daughters

40 Week Club Weekly Drawing

November 20, 2006 Drawn by: Brianna Jacobs

Week #8

\$10 - Doris Ross

\$15 - Ann Ripple

\$25 - Marilyn Murphy

Congratulations to our Winners!

Hornell Army National Guard 222nd. Military Police Company Family Readiness Group

The Family Readiness Group for **Detachment 1,222nd. MP Unit**, out of Hornell, NY, is asking for help to collect supplies for our area soldiers that have been deployed to IRAQ. We can't thank you enough for supporting your local soldiers and the war on terrorism.

** A box will be provided at the Erie Avenue entrance with a list of items needed. **

The **Reminders Shop** has some glass bricks for sale. They have stained glass crosses painted on them and sell for \$25 and \$30. The church receives \$10 for each one sold. Orders must be taken at least one week ahead. They can also be customized.

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 this week:

Our Sick

Norman Kozlowski, Fred Lehman, JoAnn Ricci, Andrea O'Brien, Tom Berry, Gary Rollins, Logan Ambuski (5 years old), Bob Morgan, Talia Neu, Jean Coleman, Ruth Fitzpatrick, Marge Stephens, and Judy Macri.

Our Young Men & Women in the Military

Jonathan Van Durme * Andrew Lehman ~ Afghanistan
Matt Van Durme

Iraq

Angelo Sciotti * Daniel Puleo (5th. Tour) * Bill Kays
Joshua Woodworth * Graig Boccia * Andrew Caruso
Larry McCormick (5th. tour) * Angelo R. Caruso
Brendan Doran * Michael Ingham * Daniel McAllister
Matthew Randazzo * Lt. Jonathan J. (J.J.) Grillo