

# Catholic Neighbors in Faith



## Presentation of the Lord

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**Ss. Peter & Paul**  
508 Cherry St.  
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**St. John**  
282 Newton Ave.  
Jamestown NY 14701

**St. James**  
27 Allen St.  
Jamestown NY 14701

**Our Lady of Victory**  
**Oratory**  
6 Institute St.  
Frewsburg NY 14378

**Sacred Heart**  
380 E. Fairmount Ave.  
Lakewood NY 14750

**Our Lady of the Snows**  
36 E. Main St.  
Panama NY 14767

**St. Patrick**  
189 Main St.  
Randolph NY 14772

**Our Lady of Loreto**  
309 W. Everett St.  
Falconer NY 14733

**Office Hours: Monday - Friday 8:30 AM - 4:30 PM**

February 4, 2024 • The Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

## Happenings within Our Parish Families...

- St. Vincent de Paul meets the 1st & 3rd Mondays of the month at SSPP Church Hall at 3pm.
- This week (Jan. 28) the Linens for St. James will be cared for by *Gerri McDowall*.
- Holy Apostles Handbell Choir practice Tuesdays - Peter & Paul Church at 6:30-7:30pm.
- Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is at St. James chapel every Wednesday from 9am - 7pm.
- Confessions are heard at St. James church, Wednesdays, 6 - 6:30pm followed by Mass at 7pm.
- St. James Music Ministry rehearses on Thursdays in the Church at 6pm.
- Jubilate Singers Valentine Cookie Sale Sunday, Feb. 3rd at St. John 9am Mass & Ss. Peter & Paul 11am Mass.
- Holy Apostles Jubilate Singers practice on Thursdays (Feb. 1, 8, 15, 22 & 29) - St. John Church at 6:15 - 7-30pm.
- Italian Dancer hosts the Carnevale Event on Saturday, Feb. 10 at St. James, 5-8pm in the Hall.
- Our Lady of Loreto Holy Name Society will meet Sunday, February 11, 2024 at 11:00AM at the OLL Church Hall
- St. James Altar & Rosary meets Sunday, Feb. 18 at 9:30am in the Hall.
- Lord Teach Me To Pray meets at St. James on Mondays, Feb. 19 & 26 at 6-7:15pm in the Hall Classroom
- Be A Man Ministry meets at St. James on Tuesdays, Feb. 6, 13, 20 & 27 at 6:30pm in the Hall Classroom.
- Knights of Columbus meets at K of C Hall located at 25 Twenty-first St., Jamestown at 6pm.
- Liturgy of the Hours on Zoom on Fridays, Feb. 3, 10, 17, 24 at 9am. Call the central office at 716.487.0125 for the ID & passcode info.

### **ASH WEDNESDAY MASS TIME CORRECTIONS**

**7am - OLL**

**8am - SHR**

**7pm - JMS**

**8am - JHN**

**12:10 - SSP**

**7pm - PAT**

## Please Pray For . . .

### **Parish Family members who are ill:**

John Adams  
Rose Atkins  
Timothy Bean  
Gayle Boudreau  
James Boudreau  
Darrell Cavness  
Collins Family  
Erica Collins  
Happy Cornwall  
Michelle Cracker  
Marcia de la Cerda  
Grant Damon  
Gail Gillig

Bohdan Kanicki  
Miles Sebastian Laska  
Elizabeth LaMantia  
Burke Lindquist  
Shelly Pacheco-  
Johannessen  
Nancy Johnson  
Sam McMaster  
Nancy Michaels  
Elizabeth Nguyen  
My Nguyen  
James Post  
Louis Rieg  
Marty Sargent  
Andrea Schneider  
Donald Segrue

Dorothy and David Seth  
Robert Sprankle  
Emily Sechriest  
Savannah Steves  
Megan and Sean  
Ellen Tyler  
Therese Whit  
The Unborn.  
People of the Ukraine.  
Those in the military.  
All those touched by  
loneliness or illness.  
Those in purgatory.

And all parishioners in need  
of our prayers.

*Call the parish office if you  
would like to add a name to  
our prayer list.*

**Please Note:** You must  
have the permission of the  
person you want listed  
before we can add them to  
this list.

# Mass Intentions

## Saturday, February 3 - *St. Blaise, St. Ansgar*

- JMS - 4:00PM † **Robert L. Heffern** (*Anniversary*)  
By Daughter, Valerie Scarpino & family  
† **Charles & Louise Palermo** (*Birthday & Anniv.*)  
By Joe & Josie Palermo & Family  
OLS - 4:00PM † **Irene Maurer**  
By Beth & Dennis Green  
PAT - 5:30PM † **Living & Deceased Fathers**  
By Parishioners

## Sunday, February 4 - Fifth Ordinary Sunday

- JMS - 8:00AM † **Amy Paterniti**  
By Bob & Ellen Munella  
JHN - 9:00AM † **Miriam Rodriguez**  
By Steve & Bonnie Maggio  
SHR - 9:00AM † **Genevieve Buckley** (*Birthday*)  
By Daughter, JoAnn Silk & family  
OLL - 10:00AM † **David & Rosa Shenefiel** (*Anniversary*)  
By Randy & Fran Shenefiel  
SPP - 11:00AM † **Nancy Mistretta**  
By Bruce Widen  
PAT - 11:00AM † **Souls of the Faithful Departed**  
By Parishioners

## Monday, February 5

- JMS - 8:00AM **Mass for the Parishioners**  
By the Priest  
SHR - 9:00AM † **Beverly Foote**  
By Sacred Heart Altar & Rosary Society  
SPP - 12:10PM † **Jim & Cynthia Gallagher** (*Wedding Anniv.*)  
By the family

## Tuesday, February 6

- PAT - 8:00 AM † **Walter Andrews** (*Birthday*)  
By the Andrews family  
OLL - 9:00 AM † **Evelyn McDonald**  
By Alexis, Chris & Sharon

## Wednesday, February 7

- JHN - 8:00 AM † **Souls of the Faithful Departed**  
By Parishioners  
JMS - 7:00 PM † **Michael Danielson**  
By the Nutt family

## Thursday, February 8

- OLL - 9:00AM † **Living & Deceased Mothers**  
By Parishioners  
OLV - 5:00 PM † **Susan G. Obenreder**  
By Ted & Susanna Kurtzhals

## Friday, February 9

- JMS - 8:00AM † **Mary Zerbo**  
By Janet Abbate  
SHR - 9:00AM † **Fr. Joseph Dowdell**  
By Estate  
SPP - 12:10PM † **Kathy Hagstrom**  
By Ann Sturm

## Saturday, February 10

- JMS - 4:00PM † **Theodore & Elizabeth Kurtzhals**  
By Ted & Susanna Kurtzhals  
† **Amy Paterniti**  
By John Damond  
OLS - 4:00PM † **Louise McAndrews**  
By the Wescott family  
PAT - 5:30PM † **Rita Sienkiewicz**  
By the Hoffman family

## Sunday, February 11 - Sixth Ordinary Sunday

- JMS - 8:00AM † **L & DMO the Scully & Miller Families**  
By Jim & Mary Lou Scully  
JHN - 9:00AM † **Miriam Rodriguez**  
By Rita Marsh  
SHR - 9:00AM † **L & D Mothers**  
By Parishioners  
OLL - 10:00AM † **Beverly Foote**  
By Samuel Raimondo & Family  
SPP - 11:00AM † **James Buziak**  
By Mother, Sylvia & Robert Burnett  
PAT - 11:00AM † **L & D Mothers**  
By Parishioners

*The Mass book is open for your Mass intentions. Please call the central office at 716.487.0125 to schedule for 2024.*

JMS—St. James  
JHN—St. John

OLL—Our Lady of Loreto  
OLS—Our Lady of the Snows

OLV—Our Lady of Victory  
PAT—St. Patrick

SPP—Ss. Peter & Paul  
SHR—Sacred Heart

# CATHOLIC NEIGHBORS IN FAITH

## Wine, Hosts, Sanctuary Lights and Memorials



### Wine

#### **St. James Church**

**For a Prayer Answered**  
by Mary Paterniti

#### **St. John Church**

**In Memory of Concetta Griffo**  
by Becky McGrath

#### **Our Lady of the Snows**

**In Memory of John Wozowicz**  
by Barbara J. Crowley

### Hosts

#### **St. James Church**

**In Memory of Vincent & Anna Cinglia -**  
(Wedding Anniversary)  
by John & Julie Trussalo

#### **St. John Church**

**In Memory of Josie & Frank Marcello**  
(Wedding Anniversary)  
by Daughter, Joan

#### **Our Lady of Loreto**

**In Memory of Beverly Foote**  
by Samuel Raimondo & family

#### **Our Lady of the Snows**

**In Memory of Blazen, Casper & Stephen Wozowicz**  
by Barbara J. Crowley

### Sanctuary Light

#### **St. James Church**

**In Memory of Gert Melice**  
by Erminia Iuculano & Mr. & Mrs. Carl Gullotti

### *Please Pray for the Repose of the Soul of...*

*Carol Lucas & Beverly Foote*

*Eternal rest grant unto them,  
O Lord, and let perpetual light  
shine upon them.*

*May their soul and the souls  
of all the faithful departed  
through the mercy of God rest in peace. Amen*

### **A Memorial Donation was received by**

#### **Holy Apostles Parish**

**In Memory of Margaret Nicosia**  
by Russell & Robin Bonfiglio

**In Memory of Nancy Mistretta**  
by Michael Wedlock

**In Memory of Dolores Rewers**  
by Beth Hall

**In Memory of Carol Lucas**  
by Beth Hall

**In Memory of Dorothy Ludwiczak**  
by Greg & Diane Kohl

#### **St. James Church**

**In Memory of Anthony Buttafaro**  
By Jeannette & Jean Brigiotta

### **Ash Wednesday**

**The following is the UPDATED Mass schedule  
for Ash Wednesday, February 14, 2024**

|         |                              |
|---------|------------------------------|
| 7am     | Our Lady of Loreto, Falconer |
| 8am     | Sacred Heart, Lakewood       |
| 8am     | St. John, Jamestown          |
| 12:10pm | Ss. Peter & Paul, Jamestown  |
| 7pm     | St. James, Jamestown         |
| 7pm     | St. Patrick, Randolph        |

### **Stations of the Cross Schedule**

St. John - Wednesdays: Feb. 21 - Mar. 27 at 6pm

St. James - Fridays: Feb. 16 - Mar. 22 at 5:15pm

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## **DONATIONS NEEDED...**

Ss. Peter & Paul Church and St. James Church are in need of your help.

The Rosetta Window at the back of the church at Ss. Peter & Paul is in need of major repairs. We are asking for your help in trying to ensure that this beautiful window be restored and made structurally sound again.

St. James Church and Rectory are in need of foundation masonry repairs. Any donations would be tax deductible. If you have any questions or would like more information, don't hesitate to contact the Central Office.

**NIGHT PRAYER** continues each night beginning at 9:00pm. Join the clergy on Facebook at Catholic Neighbors in Faith and pray with them and fellow parishioners. **Night Prayer books can be purchased at the Central Office for just \$10 each.**

## **Important Reminder...**

If you have your offerings automatically sent to the church, please be to update the address they are mailed to. The correct mailing address for them to be sent to is: 27 Allen St. Jamestown NY 14701.

## **Our Stewardship**

*Thank you for your support of our parish ministries*

### **Holy Apostles**

1/21/24 - \$4068.00

### **St. James**

1/21/24 - Reg. & Jan. EFT - \$5834.22  
Parish Improvements - \$310.00

### **Sacred Heart**

1/21/24 - Reg - \$2224.00  
Monthly - \$240.00

### **St. Patrick**

1/21/24 - \$906.00

### **Our Lady of Loreto**

1/21/24 - \$1,206.00

## **Carnevale**

*Celebrate with us before the Lenten Season!*

Join the Italian Dancers on Saturday, February 10th, 2024 for a fun-filled evening 5 to 8pm at the St. James Church Hall on 27 Allen Street.

Enjoy all home-made Italian Food Stations with pizza, pasta, meatballs, chicken cutlets, fruit, veggies, salad and great desserts. Music and dancing too!

The seating is limited to 100, so buy your tickets early!

Tickets are \$20 for adults and \$5 for children under age 12.

Tickets will continue to be sold at St. James Church after each Mass the weekend of February 4th, or may be purchased at the central office at St. James Parish.



## **Valentine Cookie Sale!**



On Sunday, February 4th at the 9:00 & 11:00 Masses at St. John and Ss. Peter & Paul, the Jubilate Singers will be conducting their 12<sup>th</sup> annual Valentine

Cookie sale which benefits Daniela Mae from the Philippines.

Our sponsorship through Unbound, a Laity Catholic Organization, provides Tuition, Uniforms, educational supplies, Medical and Dental services to the families of sponsored students.

The decorative plates of a dozen homemade cookies will be \$8.

## **PASCHAL CANDLE AT ST. JAMES OR ST. JOHN**



If an individual or family would like to sponsor the Paschal Easter Candle at St. James, St. John or Ss. Peter & Paul, please contact the church office at 716.487.0125. The cost is \$400 for a candle and the donation will appear in the bulletin with any associated intention or memorial.

The Paschal candle represents Christ, the Light of the World. During the Easter Vigil, on Holy Saturday, the priest carries the candle during the procession into the dark church. A new fire, symbolizing our eternal life in Christ, is kindled which lights the candle. The Paschal candle is lit throughout the year for all baptisms, weddings and funerals.

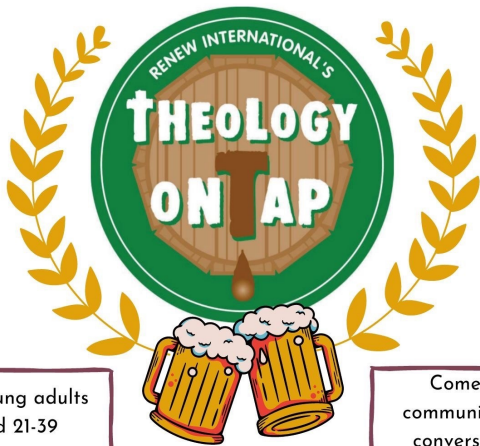
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**FUNERAL ALTAR SERVERS NEEDED** – We are in great need of individuals to assist at funeral masses that may be scheduled any day Monday thru Saturday, generally at 10am at our churches. Anyone interested in becoming a Funeral Altar Server in our family of parishes is asked to contact Doris at the central office at 716.487.0125. Training will be provided.

## **Catholic Charities:**

The importance of stretching a dollar is essential these days – and a charitable donation is no different! That's why Catholic Charities is happy to report that each dollar raised during the annual Appeal leverages an additional \$5 to \$6 of government support and contracts – meaning your gift goes five to six times as far. More funding means more services for those in need, which in turn builds stronger, healthier communities! Make a donation today at [www.cwny.org/donate](http://www.cwny.org/donate) or text HOPE4WNY to 44321.

The Catholic Neighbors in Faith  
Presents



TOPIC OF THE NIGHT: DO CATHOLICS WORSHIP MARY?

**FRIDAY FEBRUARY 9, 2024 - 7:00PM**

**SOUTHERN TIER BREWING CO.**

2072 STONEMAN CIR, LAKEWOOD, NY 14750



## **Our Lady of Loreto**

Each Sunday at 9:30am there will be a Rosary prayer service prior to the 10am Mass at Our Lady of Loreto Church. It is open to anyone who would like to pray the Rosary. All you need is your Rosary.

Dear Friend,

It is time for our next series, and I am excited about the ones I've got planned for February 19 to November 18, it's called, "**My 19<sup>th</sup> Annotation.**"

The Ignatian Adventure: a textbook by Fr. Kevin O'Brien, SJ.

I don't know about you but for the last few weeks, I've been making goals and resolutions, and beginning anew for 2024. Maybe this is something similar to what mode you are in right now—preparing, looking ahead, planning, and refining.

A new year provides us with a fresh start and a chance to reset our thinking about what's to come this year. As we go through this annual process in the new year, are we allowing God to be part of it? *Is there room for God?*

That's what this series is about, taking a look at how we can bring God into all aspects of our lives and not just some of them. It's moving God from being displayed nicely on the shelf and bringing God into the heart of our homes and the center of our lives.

Over the next 33 weeks (2/19/24 to 11/18/24), you will have the opportunity of a lifetime ***to find God in All things*** with in-person classroom study, Zoom Meetings, and Home Study. You will receive an email that will include a prayerful reflection, suggested "Spiritual Exercises, and reflection questions.

**Some of the themes are:**

*Making Room for God*

*Readying the Space for God*

*Decluttering*

*Inviting God into the Heart of Our Homes*

*Living Life with God.*

If you are new to our community, welcome, and please join us for this series! For those of you already part of LTMTTP, you are all set.

I look forward to walking with you friends, new or old, over the next 33 weeks!

Peace, Love, and Joy

God's Son, Jesus

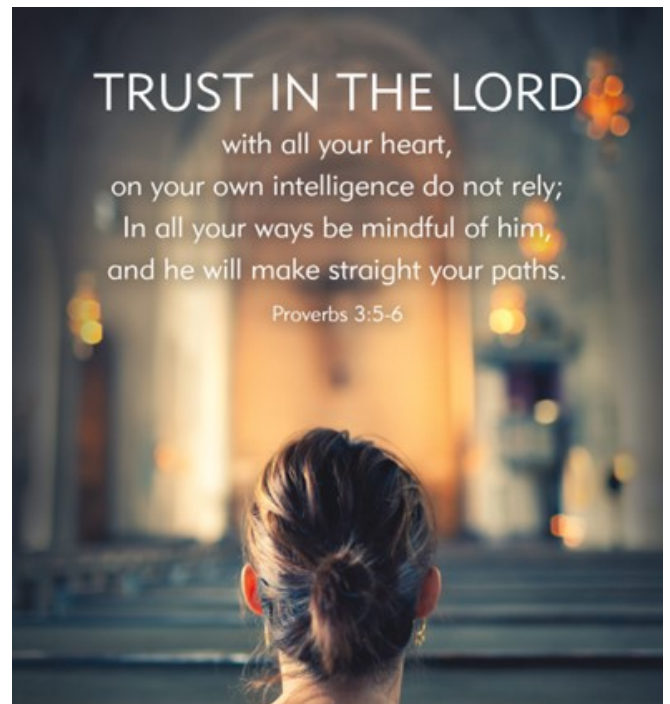
**Jesus**

PS: By the way; your two facilitators are Patty and Tom Franco who have been presenting the "Lord Teach Me To Pray" since 2014. Call the CNF Central at 716-487-0125 or just stop by on Monday, February 19 at 6:00 pm SHARP and give Me one hour of time.

## St. Mary of Lourdes Church

### **Fat Tuesday Card & Board Game Party**

The Lourdes Ladies of St. Mary of Lourdes Church, in Bemus Point NY will host a Fat Tuesday Card and Board Game Party on Tuesday, February 13, 2024. The event will be held in the St. Mary of Lourdes Parish Hall located at 41 Main St. , Bemus Point from noon to 3pm. Kindly bring your own cards and/or board games, whichever you enjoy. Savor an afternoon of socialization and games with friends, neighbors or sweethearts. All women and men are welcome to attend. Your \$8 donation includes a light lunch with dessert, beverage and the chance to win a door prize!



## Reflections

### **Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time What do You Want?**

Jesus was starting to become very popular, at least with the ordinary people. They had seen how he had cured the sick and cast out demons. The gospel has one unusual sentence about those demons: Jesus did not let them speak "because they knew who he was." (Mk 1:34) Apparently, the demons would have identified him as the Son of God. Jesus knew the people would not understand this and try to proclaim him as their king. Jesus had no intention of living as a worldly king, in comfort and riches. In fact, he came to free people from needing wealth and power. Popularity and wealth do not interest St. Paul, either. When he preaches the gospel, the good news of Christ's resurrection (and ours), he needs no other recompense. (1 Cor 9:18) All he wants is to share eternal life. He specifically refuses to be paid for his preaching, to show that he will be rewarded by Christ.

So what do you hope for; what is your goal in life? Do you only feel secure when you have saved enough money and invested it wisely? Do you need other people to make you happy? Or at least a few hundred Facebook friends? Or are you like Job in the first reading: having no hope of escaping a life of drudgery? He eventually found that only by trusting God can anyone be happy, even when things go wrong.

We can follow Paul's example of love for all people no matter who they are. Paul's love was not to make others like him. He genuinely wanted to bring the good news to them: by his love for them, Paul showed that God loves them even more. He knew the gospel requires a change of heart, so his love for others helped them to be more open to change. Let us ask the Lord to fill us with his love, so that we can help each other to hear the good news.

# Saints of the Week



—Peter Scagnelli

## **SAINT AGATHA (died 251)**

**February 5**

“Of noble birth and great beauty,” so the ancient accounts describe Saint Agatha, martyred during an early persecution for refusing a powerful Roman’s offer of marriage, since she had consecrated her virginity to Christ. An early preacher, Saint Methodius, reflects instead on her name, noting that, in Greek, Agatha means “good,” goodness being something we can all strive for, nobly born or common, blessed with beauty—or not! So brutal were the tortures that violated her youthful innocence, Agatha, like Agnes and several other women martyrs, was honored from time immemorial by having her name inscribed in the Roman Canon (Eucharistic Prayer I). Long invoked as protector against earthquakes—Mount Etna erupted as she was being tortured—recent attention has focused on the particularly cruel torture decreed for Agatha, the cutting off of her breasts. This has inspired cancer survivors to promote Saint Agatha as patron and intercessor for women courageously facing breast cancer, for their families and the multitude of supporters who participate in fund-raising marches and races, and, of course, for the dedicated researchers who seek a cure.

## **SAINT JOSEPHINE BAKHITA (c. 1869-1947)**

**February 8**

“Save Darfur!” That cry echoes around the world and in the heart of the Church, where a child of Darfur is one of our newest saints: Josephine (her baptismal name) Bakhita (“Lucky One,” the slave-traders’ nickname). Kidnapped at nine, sold in Sudan’s slave-markets, flogged daily till covered with scars, Bakhita was finally bought by Italians and taken to Italy. There Bakhita discovered a “Master” who had himself been flogged to redeem her from slavery! “I am truly loved,” she thought, “and awaited by this Love.” Baptized, she often kissed the baptismal font, exclaiming, “Here I became a daughter of God!” For fifty years as a Daughter of Charity, Bakhita provided cheerful hospitality to all who knocked at the convent door. In her final illness, she relived slavery’s horror: “Please, loosen these chains,” she begged the nurse. “They are so heavy!” Her last words were: “Our Lady! Our Lady!” John Paul II canonized her in the Jubilee Year 2000, praising God for leading her “from abject slavery to the dignity of being your daughter and the Bride of Christ.”





## Faith Formation

**We are having a Super Bowl Party!!!**

**On February 11th, at St. James Church Hall from 10:00am-11:30am**, this is for the St James and Sacred Heart kids, and their parents. It is a fun time with Catholic learning. The party will be your class, so be sure to come! There will have lots to eat, so come hungry! Hope to see you there.

**MATTHEW** **MARK**

TAX COLLECTOR

John  
Fisherman  
Gospel  
Good News  
New Testament

Matthew  
Tax Collector  
Mark  
Luke  
Doctor

**LUKE** **JOHN**

**SUNDAY KIDZ**

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# In Loving Memory Memorial Page

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

May the prayers of Mary, the Mother of God, who stood by the cross as Her Son was dying, help those who mourn  
for our brothers and sisters and accompany all of us in our time of need. Amen.

Leroy & Ethel Anderson  
Christopher Baczynski  
Fred Baker  
Beaver & Stearns Families  
Cora Bonfiglio  
Charles E. J. Cassidy  
DMO the Crasti & Marino Families  
John & Tillie Cusimano  
DMO the Dominick & O'Hagan Families  
Dr. Anthony Floccare  
DMO the Floccare & DePetro Families  
Stephanie A. Frucella  
Alexander Gil  
Angelo Giuffre & Maria Cali Families  
Glenard A. Grabow  
Dr. Joseph & Concetta Griffo  
Charles "Charlie" Heggarty  
Grunert & Perk Families  
Hacker & Tuzzo Families  
Hedrich & Peterson Families  
Hutchinson & Truax Families  
L & DMO the Irons & Pfurtsheller Families  
For the Soul of Judas Iscariot  
Phyllis Jochenning  
Andrew B. & Eleanor H. Johnson  
Kilburn & Hoffman Family  
Edda Liuzzo  
Giuseppe & Giuseppina Liuzzo  
Joseph X. & Mary R. Lombardo  
Marie F. MacNamara  
Frank & Josephine Marcello

Marchiando & Dominici Families  
Nina Claire Marsh  
Rev. Dennis W. Mende  
Mary Jo Mason Montagna  
Renaldo E. & T. Silvia Muniz  
Janet & Henry Napier  
L & DMO the Pappalardo Family  
Mary Ann Pappalardo  
James Patti  
Robert J. Perron  
Tom Prechtl & Katy Guye  
James R. Rusiniak  
Nicholas & Miriam Rodriguez  
B. Muriel Rose  
Dr. Joseph & Ruth Rube  
L & DMO the Scarpino & Heffern Families  
Nicholas W. Shelley  
Ross & Josephine Spoto  
Swanson & Regan Families  
The Twichell Family  
Paul Tran, Minh Cong, and Anna N. Guyen  
Kim Hong, Teressa Tran, Kim Loan  
Peter Tran and Binh Thanh  
Linda J. Wadsworth  
Richard & Emily Weimer  
Jason M. Williams  
Zahler, Cuffney & Green Families  
Zunner & Gumienik Family

*Application For Catholic Neighbors in Faith Memorial Listing (Please Print Clearly)*

*Please send a check for \$50 made out to your home parish and mail it to 27 Allen St., Jamestown NY 14701.*

Name (s) \_\_\_\_\_

## Your Contact Information

Your Name \_\_\_\_\_ Parish \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Street \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_