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## MUSINGS

*By Father Lee Chase*

### Deacon Bill Rabjohn

It is my joy to announce to all of you that St. Lawrence Church welcomes Deacon Bill Rabjohn! Bishop Matano has appointed Deacon Bill to serve us. He comes with great experience and I encourage you to read his own introduction below. You will have the chance to get to know him over the next few months. I am grateful for his willingness to serve here, and I know you will be most gracious in your welcome. Here is his introduction to you:

As early as I can remember, my aspiration is to know God. I was born into a Protestant family and prayerfully studied the Bible. This was the path given to me by my parents. The Holy Scriptures are the teachings, the understanding, and the content of knowing God, and yet they often are simply “a finger pointing to the Way”. In my late twenties, a budding awareness of the Real Presence of God in the Eucharist led me to become Catholic. The Sacraments offer a tangible experience of the intangible Mystery we call God out of which there was a prompt to become aware of the Real Presence of Christ in each moment, interaction, and service in life or in a formal term, Mysticism. My prayer life moved from “arrows shot into heaven”, to the Psalms of joy and sorrow of life, to silence of contemplative prayer, to practicing prayer in each moment. In the silence, the “still small voice” – the wisdom from the heart – arises and there begins an awakening that there is only Christ. Everything else that defines “me” separate from Christ is an illusion – a suffering falsehood. So, I continue on the path to know God. As St. John the Baptist said, “He must become greater; I must become less.” (John 3:30). “Becoming less” is the practice of simplicity, which is counterintuitively very joyous and practical as we rest in God.

Along this path I’ve had the opportunity to play many different roles in life: A husband for thirty-nine years. A father of two adult children. A brother to two siblings. A farm laborer in childhood, a son of a gunsmithing business owner, a mechanical engineer, a project manager, a director of operations for a manufacturing company, a business consultant, a co-founder of a community church, a parish business manager, a fulltime pastoral associate, a pastoral administrator, a facilities manager, a part-time chaplain at a nursing home. A story teller, cook, dishwasher, toilet bowl cleaner, laundry folder, gardener, diaper changer, and a permanent deacon.

# *THIS WEEK'S PRAYER*



*This week, we light the  
Sanctuary Lamp in Memory of  
**Neil Moore**  
From: Wife & Family*

## **Monday, June 16**

*Weekday*

8:30a.m. Mass for Dominic Cuiule by Family

## **Tuesday, June 17**

*Weekday*

8:30 a.m. Mass for Richard Falbo by Mary Ann Greco & family

## **Wednesday, June 18**

*Weekday*

8:30 a.m. Mass for James O'Connell by John O'Connell

## **Thursday, June 19**

*Weekday*

**No Mass & No Communion Service**

## **Friday, June 20**

*Weekday*

8:30 a.m. Mass for Frank DelVecchio by Susan & Gerard Leva

## **Saturday, June 21**

*Saint Aloysius Gonzaga, Religious*

4:00 p.m. Mass for Ann Irene Ridge by The Rombaut Family

## **Sunday, June 22**

### ***The Most Holy Body And Blood Of Christ***

8:00 a.m. Mass for St. Lawrence Parishioners by Father Chase

10:00 a.m. Mass for Deceased Members of the Foggetti Family by  
Jeanne Swan & Sister

## **Readings for the week of June 16, 2025**

Monday, June 16:	2 Cor 6:1-10/Mt 5:38-42
Tuesday, June 17:	2 Cor 8:1-9/Mt 5:43-48
Wednesday, June 18:	2 Cor 9:6-11/Mt 6:1-6, 16-18
Thursday, June 19:	2 Cor 11:1-11/Mt 6:7-15
Friday, June 20:	2 Cor 11:18, 21-30/Mt 6:19-23
Saturday, June 21:	2 Cor 12:1-10/Mt 6:24-34
Sunday, June 22:	Gn 14:18-20/1 Cor 11:23-26/Lk 9:11b-17

Attendance June 7 & 8, 2025  
Total-973

## June 7 & 8, 2025 Collection

	Amount Received	Weekly Budget	Surplus (Shortfall)
Sunday Collection	\$16,662.98	\$14,423.00	\$2,239.98
General Maintenance	\$573.00	\$865.00	\$(292.00)
School Support	\$593.00	\$442.00	\$151.00

## Mass Schedule

Saturday 4:00 pm  
Sunday 8:00 am  
10:00 am

Mon - Wed, Fri 8:30 am  
Thu Communion Service 8:30 am.

Holy Days of Obligation  
Please see bulletin.

## Confessions

Saturday 3:00 pm

## Anointing of the Sick

Please call us if you or a family member wish to be anointed.

## Baptism

Parents should contact the Parish Office at the rectory as soon as they know they are expecting.

## Marriage

Engaged couples should contact us at least **one year** in advance of their desired date.

## Office Hours

Monday - Friday  
9 a.m. - Noon, 1 pm - 4 pm  
Phone: 723-1350 fax: 723-1361

## St. Lawrence School

585-225-3870

## Internet and Social Media

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Volunteers needed to count money once a month on Monday from 9-11am. Please contact the rectory office for more information. If you are interested please call (585) 723-1350. Thank you.

## Parish Staff

### Rectory Office 723-1350

The Very Rev. Lee P. Chase, V.F., S.T.L.  
Dean, Monroe West Deanery for the  
Diocese of Rochester, Pastor, x 207

### St. Lawrence School

Crystal Criticos - School Principal,  
225-3870

### Finance Administration

Marisa Stieve  
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Dawn Nudo  
Regional Finance Manager, x 205  
You can email them both @  
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### Pastoral Ministry

Deacon David Squilla  
Pastoral Associate, x. 212  
Deacon Manny Asis  
Senior Deacon, x. 201

### Administrative Staff

Wendy Speciale  
Business Manager, x. 201  
Jim Grotke  
Maintenance, x. 201

### Faith Formation Ministry

Amanuel Malik  
Regional Faith Formation Director  
(585) 663-2244, x106  
Maura Spencer  
Faith Formation Administrator,  
(585) 225-7320  
Donna Gray  
Regional Youth Ministry/CYO,  
(585) 225-1485

### Music Ministry

M. Virginia Pierce  
Music Director, 227-7236  
Susan Judkins  
Song Prayers, 797-3719  
Steve Amico  
Faithful Voices, 225-7338

# WHAT'S NOW

## This Week At St. Lawrence Church

### Monday, June 16

Pre-K Practice - Deacon Hall	8:00a.m.
Human Develop. Mtg. - Deacon Hall	6:15p.m.

### Tuesday, June 17

Per-K Practice - Deacon Hall	8:00a.m.
Faithful Voices - Church	7:00p.m.

### Wednesday, June 18

Pre-K Practice - Deacon Hall	8:00a.m.
Song Prayers - Church	7:15p.m.

### Thursday, June 19 Juneteenth Campus Closed

### Friday, June 20

Pre-K Practice - Deacon Hall	8:00a.m.
School Ice Cream Party - Deacon Hall	12:30p.m.

### Saturday, June 21

### Sunday, June 22

5th Grade Graduation - Church	10:00a.m.
5th Grade Reception - Deacon Hall	11:00a.m.



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*Night*

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5 PM - MASS  
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**JUNE 21/22 2025**

June Share Sunday will benefit St. Joseph's House of Hospitality. It is a Rochester Catholic Worker Community Facility that provides food, clothing and spiritually-centered care for its guests. Some live in their own homes, some live on the street, some have a room, a bed or a cot of their own. St. Joseph's aim is to practice the Works of Mercy with whatever resources they have to give. They rely on donations to continue their work. Bag lunches are distributed every week day, hot meals on Friday and Sunday, grocery bags with food 1 time a week. They also provide hot showers and laundry facilities for their clients. As usual, the Human Development Committee of St. Lawrence thank you for your generosity as we share a little of what we have. Please have your donations at church by Sunday, June 22nd at 11:00 AM.

### **CURRENT NEEDS:**

**Men's Deodorant, Bar Soap, Shampoo, Body Lotion**

**Razors, Shaving Cream (travel size)**

**Coffee, Powdered Creamer, Sugar**

**Dish Washing Detergent, Laundry Detergent, Bleach**

**Paper Towel, Toilet Paper, 33 Gallon Trash bags**

**Boxer Briefs and T Shirts (sizes Medium to 3x) Men's Sneakers**

**Pasta and Sauce**

**Snack Size Chips, Granola Bars, Individual Sized Fruit or Pudding Cups**

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Ryan **Joseph** Cesario

Michael **Michael** Clookey

Dominick **Anthony** D'Arpino

Mark **Theodore** Gardone

Clara **Rose** Fili

Clara **Teresa** Green

Joshua **Joseph** Hix

Olivia **Bernadette** Holliday

Logan **Hubert** Hondorf

James **Sebastian** Kirkey

Adriana **Valentine** Lagares

Tanya **Anne** LaRocca

Guglielmo **Joseph** LaRocca

Joanna **Patricia** Michels

Jaden **Veronica** Ostrander

Tiernan **Francis** Pettit

Emma **Valentine** Reidy

Thomas **Ignatius** Sansone

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Raymond **Sebastian** Schaller

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Rylynn **Philomena** Schrader

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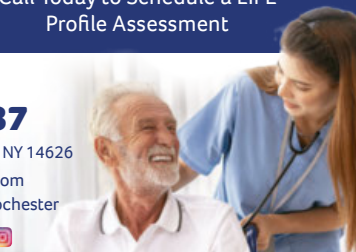
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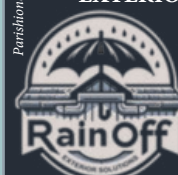
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