Saint Lawrence Church

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MUSINGS

By Father Lee Chase

It was so good to see parishioners in the pews last weekend. How we missed all of you! If you are reading this and didn't realize that we are back to public Masses, please consider coming back! Of course, if you are still concerned about contracting the virus, if you are in a vulnerable demographic group, if you are preparing for surgery, know that the Sunday Mass Obligation is still suspended by Bishop Matano. Please see page 5 of this bulletin for more details.

I do ask that when you are at Church to 1. Please use the hand sanitizer provided at the entrances in the automatic dispensers if you do not have your own. 2. Please wear your facemasks during the entire time you are in Church. 3. Please, do not remove the ropes which close off some of the pews. 4. Please consider assisting us with the cleaning of the Church after Mass. We have all of the supplies, including disposable gloves, for your convenience.

Bishop Matano, in following the guidelines set forth by the Center for Disease Control and other medical professionals, has determined that the parishes are to follow these guidelines for the common good and care of our sisters and brothers. And so we do this not just for own health but for the health and safety of those around us.

Happy Father's Day to you all! My own father died 37 years ago. He served our country in the Armed Forces during World War 2. He was wounded by the Nazis in Germany as he joined our country in fighting the fascist Third Reich. I think of how he carried that Nazi shrapnel in his leg all his life, making him limp. He never complained nor sought any sympathy or glory. He said it was a small sacrifice to make for the good of others. So many of his generation made those small sacrifices and so many made the ultimate sacrifice. May we remember all of our fathers, both living and deceased, and give thanks for the life and example they give us.

Lastly, we have come to the end of our school year. This Wednesday evening, we will have a very brief and simple ceremony honoring our fifth graders from St. Lawrence School who will move up to Grade 6 at other schools next year. We wish them well and success for the future. They go with our and God's blessings. Please know that we are accepting registrations for next year. If you are considering a Catholic education for your children or you know of a family who is, please recommend St. Lawrence School to them. Our principal, Frank Arvizzigno, is happy to talk to any potential family who would like to know more. Please call him at 585-225-3870.

This Week's Prayer

This week, we light the

Sanctuary Lamp in Memory of

Kimberly Kim

By Shtoyko family

Monday, June 22
Weekday
8:30 a.m. Mass For those affected with COVID-19

Tuesday, June 23
Weekday
8:30 a.m. Mass Harold, Loretta, Richard & Larilyn Bauer by Bauer family

Wednesday, June 24
The Nativity of Saint John the Baptist
8:30 a.m. Mass For those living with cancer

Thursday, June 25
Weekday
8:30 a.m. Mass Howard & Julia Turpyn by Scott & Nancy Stephany

Friday, June 26
Weekday
8:30 a.m. Mass For all teachers

Saturday, June 27
Weekday
4p.m. Mass John Olivieri by family

Sunday, June 28
Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:00a.m. Mass Divasto & Purificato families by family
9:30a.m. Mass Ross, Ricitelli, Keenahan & Ward families by Ted & Jennie Ross
11:00a.m. Mass St. Lawrence Parishioners by Father Chase

Readings for the week of June 22, 2020

Monday, June 22:	2Kgs 17:5-8, 13-15a, 18/Mt 7:1-5
Tuesday, June 23:	2Kgs 19:9b-11, 14-21,31-35a, 36/Mt 7:6,12-14
Wednesday, June 24:	Is 49:1-6/Acts 13:22-26/Lk1:57-66,80
Thursday, June 25:	2Kgs 24:8-17/Mt 7:21-29
Friday, June 26:	2Kgs 25:1-12/Mt 8:1-4
Saturday, June 27:	Lam2:2, 10-14, 18-19/Mt 8:5-17
Sunday, June 28:	2Kgs 4:8-11, 14-16a/ Rom 6:3-4, 8-11/Mt 10:37-42

STEWARDSHIP

We are a Stewardship Parish committed to giving our time, talent , and resources for others!

Mass Schedule

Saturday	4:00 pm
Sunday	8:00 am
	9:30 am
	11:00 am
Monday - Friday	8:30 am

Holy Days of Obligation
As scheduled, 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 us 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 - Thursday
9 a.m. - Noon, 1 pm - 4 pm
Fridays 9 a.m. - Noon
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St. Lawrence School

585-225-3870

Internet Connections

Email - rstlawre@dor.org
website - stlawrencegreeceny.org
Facebook - www.fb.me/STLGreece
Twitter - @STLGreece

Virtual Collection Basket!

Did you know you can
support the Church, School, and CMA online?
Go to our website :
www.stlawrencegreeceny.org

June 13-14 2020 Collection

	Amount Received	Weekly Budget	Surplus (Shortfall)
Sunday Collection	$16,376.45	$16,200.00	$176.45
General Maintenance	$383.00	$1,040.00	$(657.00)
School Support	$383.00	$360.00	$23.00

Attendance for June 13-14 2020

4:00 p. m. - 45 8:00 a. m. -55
9:30 a. m. - 60 11:00 a. m. –60

Total Attendance – 220

CRS Rice Bowl – Lent 2020

Catholic Relief Services is counting on our Rice Bowl alms to help brothers and sisters in-need around the world, especially in these challenging times. Please consider mailing your CRS Rice Bowl alms to the parish office. Please convert the coins from your box into a check payable to the parish and note on the check, *CRS Rice Bowl*. Thank you for your many sacrifices during Lent. Through these alms given to Catholic Relief Services, we *become a blessing for others*. What we gave up for Lent will change lives!

On line and televised liturgies from our Diocese:

(Weekly) Mass Schedule on TV:

WHEC.Com -streaming mass

Channel 10-5:30am

ME TV 10.2 / Cable Channel 1245- 8:00am

You may also go to www.dor.org for a link to the livestreamed Masses of Bishop Matano.

What to do and expect when coming to Mass!

1. **We are limited to 25% or about 200 people per Mass.**
2. **All must wear face masks while in Church and during the Mass.**
3. **Please use the hand sanitizer when entering the Church, and then move directly to your pew.**
4. **We will only use every other pew.**
5. **Households may sit together.**
6. **Maintain Social Distance from the next household.**
7. **Please place your offering in the baskets at the doors. Ushers will not come around for the collection.**
8. **We will have a limited number of bulletins—if you can access the bulletin online (website, Facebook page, Twitter) please do so.**
9. **The Children's Cry Room is closed.**
10. **Deacon Hall is closed.**
11. **Please follow the priest's/ deacon's instruction regarding the receiving of Holy Communion.**
12. **The priest/deacon will begin Mass by entering from the sacristy. Bells will be rung to indicate that Mass has begun.**
13. **The priest and deacon will read all the readings.**
14. **There will be no altar servers, no readers, no Eucharistic Ministers unless requested.**
15. **For the summer, there will be no music at any Mass.**
16. **There will be no offertory procession nor Rite of Peace.**
17. **There will be no common cup.**
18. **We encourage all to receive communion in the hand.**

The Sunday Mass Obligation is suspended by Bishop Matano for all the faithful in the Diocese of Rochester until further notice. Even when we reopen for public Masses, if you are sick or if you are concerned about contracting illness from coming to Mass, you are asked to stay home.

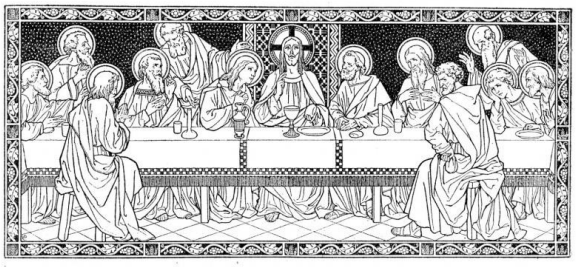
SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

It has long been a Catholic understanding that when circumstances prevent one from receiving Holy Communion, it is possible to make an *Act of Spiritual Communion*, which is a source of grace.

Spiritual Communion is "an ardent desire to receive Jesus in the Most Holy Sacrament and lovingly embrace Him" at a time or in circumstances when one cannot receive Him in sacramental Communion.

(Saint Thomas Aquinas).

The most common reason for making an Act of Spiritual Communion is when a person cannot attend Mass. Acts of Spiritual Communion increase our desire to receive sacramental Communion and help us avoid the sins that would make us unable to receive Holy Communion worthily.



Prayer for Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things and I desire to receive You in my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if you were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated

Parish Staff

Rectory Office 723-1350

Rev. Lee P. Chase, S.T.L.
Pastor, x 207
Frank Arvizzigno
School Principal, 225-3870
Marisa Stieve
Finance Director, x.206

Pastoral Ministry
Deacon David Squilla
Pastoral Associate, x. 212
Rev. Scott Caton, Ph.D.
Assisting Priest, x. 201
Deacon Manny Asis
Parish Deacon, x. 201

Administrative Staff
Wendy Speciale
Office Manager, x. 201
Kerry Nolan
Office Assistant, x. 205
Bob Gray, Jim Grotke
Maintenance , x. 201

Faith Development Ministry
Jamie O'Mara
Faith Formation , 225-7320
Donna Gray
Youth Ministry/CYO, 225-1485
Debbie Cichelli
Office Manager, 225-7320

Music Ministry
M. Virginia Pierce
Music Director
4 p.m. Mass Choir, 227-7236
Susan Judkins
9:30 a.m. Mass Choir
Young People's Choir, 797-3719
Mary Kay Huber
Young People's Choir, 957-8947
Steve Amico
11:00 a. m. Mass Choir, 225-7338