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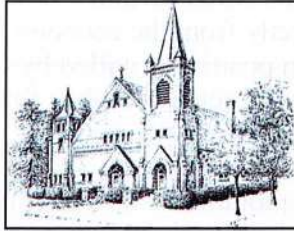
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*For our Live Stream Mass & Father's Homilies,
click on the links on our Parish Website.*

PARISH OFFICE HOURS WEEK OF 1/21

Open in person: Mon - Wed. 9:30 AM—3:30 PM

Closed Thursday & Friday

CONFESSION

Week of 1/21

Sunday, St. Felix: 7:15-7:45 AM

Wednesday, St. Felix: 5:00-6:00 PM

Thursday, St. Francis: 5:00-6:00 PM

Friday, St. Dominic: 11:00-11:45 AM

Saturday, St. Dominic: 3:00-3:45 PM

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Following the Noon Mass

Week of 1/21

Adoration will be held on:

Wednesday, St. Felix, Thursday, St. Francis,

with Benediction at 6:00 PM

Friday, St. Dominic, with Benediction at 5:00 PM

PLEASE SEE INSIDE FOR MASS TIMES

FROM OUR PASTOR, FATHER AMATO

One of my favorite topics to read and think about is the Magisterium of the Church and how it functions. You may have heard this term “Magisterium” before, but may not be clear as to what it means or to whom it refers. If interested in the topic, there is a document from the Congregation for the Doctrine of Faith entitled *Donum Veritatis* (The Gift of Truth), from 1990, that can serve as a brief “crash-course” on the Magisterium and the response we must give to the Church’s teaching. Specifically, this document deals with “The Ecclesial Vocation of the Theologian.” This means that the document aims at reminding theologians of their role as collaborators with the bishops of the Church, in union with the Pope.

The word “Magisterium” simply means: the teaching authority of the Church. “Magister” means “Teacher.” It is made up of the Church’s Pastors, that is, the Bishops of the Church in communion with the Supreme Pontiff, the Successor of St. Peter (the Pope). What is the function of the Magisterium? Why do we need the Church to teach us in such a way? *Donum Veritatis* (§14) tells us: “It arises directly from the economy of the faith itself, inasmuch as the Magisterium is, in its service to the Word of God, an institution positively willed by Christ as a constitutive element of His Church. The service to Christian truth which the Magisterium renders is thus for the benefit of the whole People of God called to enter the liberty of the truth revealed by God in Christ.”

There are several points to expand upon in that quotation. First, having a definitive teaching authority is part of our life of faith, so that we can know with certainty what is, and what is not, divinely revealed by God. Anything that the Church declares to have been revealed by God is part of what we call the “Deposit of Faith.” The Magisterium is not “above” the Deposit of Faith, but it exists to serve that Deposit and to teach it clearly to all people. Such an authority protects us from being carried away by the various ideas that come and go throughout the years (decades and centuries) that may be incompatible with the truth revealed to us by God.

Second, we see that such a Magisterium is positively willed by God and so it is not something that can be set aside as if it is merely a convenient apparatus to have, but not necessary. Because of sin, our intellect is darkened and our will is weakened. We have a difficult time knowing all that is good, and even if we do know it, is sometimes difficult to do it. God knows this about us, of course, and so has given us an easy way to know the Truth that He has revealed, and to know the way we should walk in that Truth.

Finally, the Truth sets us free. While, at times, the truth of this or that teaching, whether a matter of faith or of morals, may be difficult to understand or to follow, it is not difficult *to know*. Our faith in Christ and in His desire to lead us to Himself necessarily extends to faith in His Church, which He has established as His own Body. This Church is not *invisible*, but *visible*. It has a visible head, the Pope, the Bishop of Rome, with the bishops of the world in communion with him. The reality of that *visible Body* is our assurance that Christ is still teaching us and pouring out His grace upon us.

Next week I will get into more specifics about the various ways the Church teaches and the assent we owe to such teachings.

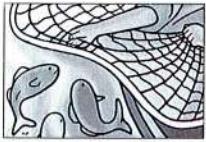
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Fr. Amato will be answering questions live, tomorrow, Monday, Jan. 22nd at 6 PM.

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Mass Intentions

- Saturday, Jan. 20** **Vigil of The Third Sunday in Ordinary Time**
 (Jn 3:1-5,101 Cor 7:29-31/Mk 1:14-20)
 4:00 PM St. Dominic *Debra Vienna*
by Betty & Kathleen Vienna
- Sunday, Jan. 21** **The Third Sunday in Ordinary Time**
 (Jn 3:1-5,101 Cor 7:29-31/Mk 1:14-20)
 *8:00 AM St. Felix *Harry, Ron & Rick Reals by their Family*
 10:00 AM St. Francis *Our Parishioners, Living & Deceased*
 Noon St. Dominic *Jim Baxter by Heather & Children*
- Monday, Jan.22** **Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children**
 (2 Sam 5:1-7,10/Mk 3:22-30)
 Noon St. Dominic *Michael Narendorf*
by Geraldine Narendorf
- Tuesday, Jan. 23** **Weekday** (2 Sm 6:12b-15,17-19/Mk 3:31-35)
 No Mass Today
- Wed., Jan. 24** **St. Francis de Sales, Bishop & Doctor of the Church**
 (2 Sam7:4-17/Mk 4:1-20)
 Noon St. Felix *Joe Crowley by a Friend*
- Thurs., Jan. 25** **The Conversion of St. Paul, Apostle**
 (Acts 22:3-16/Mt 16:15-18)
 Noon St. Francis *Queen of Peace Rosary Group*
by anonymous
- Friday, Jan. 26** **Sts. Timothy & Titus, Bishops** (2 Tm 1:1-8/Mk 4:26-34)
 Noon St. Dominic *All priests of the Diocese of Rochester,*
Lvg. & Dec. by St. Peter's Parish
- Saturday, Jan. 27** **Vigil of The Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time**
 (Dt 18:15-20/1 Cor 7:32-35/Mk 1:21-28)
 4:00 PM St. Dominic *Anne Boardman by her Children,*
Patty, Bill & Tim
- Sunday, Jan. 28** **The Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time**
 (Dt 18:15-20/1 Cor 7:32-35/Mk 1:21-28)
 *8:00 AM St. Felix *Margaret M. "Peggy" Voegtle*
by Eileen & Michael Migliaccio
 10:00 AM St. Francis *Kevin Spears by the Walczak Family*
 Noon St. Dominic *Our Parishioners, Living & Deceased*

* Streamed. See parish website for link.



Lectors for Weekend Masses — January 27 th - January 28 th			
SAT. 4 PM	SUN. 8 AM	SUN. 10 AM	SUN. Noon
Carolyn Gwilt	Jim Cheney	Beth Webster	Rose Moser



**PLEASE REMEMBER
 THE FOLLOWING IN PRAYER
 this week as our
 Sanctuary Lamps burn**

- St. Dominic—for **Preasa Mottelo**
 at the request of *the Family*
- St. Felix—for **Bertha Main**
 at the request of *Doug & Kathy Davis*
- St. Francis—for **Deceased Family Members**
 at the request of *Mary Ellen Darling*

ROSARY MAKING CLASS FOR LENT
Saturday, Feb. 10th from 10:30 AM—Noon
at St. Francis Church
Please RSVP to the Parish office so we have
enough materials for everyone.

ANNUAL CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL

Thank you for your pledges!
 We are very close to our goal.

We've received 161 pledges
 totaling \$53,388.06,
 93.66% of our goal of \$57,000.00

Average gift: \$331.60
 Thank you for giving so generously!



ST. PETER'S PARISH SUPPORT
*A sincere thanks for your
 ongoing support
 our parish and its ministries!*

On-line Sunday Offering (1/8-1/15).....	\$610.00
Mailed-in & Sunday (1/8-1/15).....	\$5,208.00
Total Collected (Year-to-Date).....	\$191,938.91
Total Budgeted (Year-to-Date).....	\$188,500.00
Difference (Year-to-Date).....	\$3,438.91

**THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR YOUR
 GENEROUS SUPPORT!**
Last Weekend's Mass Attendance:

St. Dominic 4:00 PM	95
St. Felix 8:00 AM	66
St. Francis 10:00 AM	81
St. Dominic Noon	<u>86</u>
TOTAL ATTENDANCE:	328

**WE ARE SO VERY BLESSED TO HAVE YOU HERE
 ATTENDING MASS WITH US!**

FAITH FORMATION

Classes this week:

Today, 1/21 from 10:30–11:45 AM
for Catechesis of the Good Shepherd,
Instructional & Confirmation

Tuesday, 1/23 from 3:30–5:00 PM
Catechesis of the Good Shepherd

WE NEED YOU!

Anyone in 4th –12th grade who would like to take part in the Living Stations of the Cross please contact Sarah Herendeen. If we have enough interest, practices will begin in February.

Coming Soon:

First Eucharist & Reconciliation Registration

Prep classes will begin in April. Look for registration forms towards the end of January. Classes will be on Monday evenings at St. Dominic Church. Please contact Sarah Herendeen at sarah.herendeen@dor.org with any questions.

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PICK OF THE WEEK:

Metanoia: A Journey with Christ into Conversion

Metanoia—and believe in the Gospel. In the Gospel of Mark, the first words of Jesus are an invitation to metanoia, to repent, to change, to be converted. This series is beautifully filmed on location in the Holy Land, highlighting sacred places such as the Sea of Galilee, the River Jordan, the desert of Temptations, & many of the holy sites in Jerusalem.

Each of the 10 episodes explores areas of our life where conversion is so often necessary. Metanoia will examine topics such as who is Jesus, what must we do to inherit eternal life, & many other significant matters of faith. With preaching from Fr. Dave as well as personal testimonies from men & women, young & old, religious & lay, their stories will inspire you to seek to encounter Jesus & the new life he is constantly inviting us to.

Metanoia is a production of the Ministry of the Wild Goose & 4PM Media in association with Franciscan University of Steubenville & the Franciscan Friars TOR Province of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus.

ST. PAULY BOX 2023

Thank you to everyone who contributed to our St. Pauly Boxes in 2023! 104,437 pounds of clothing were donated to our boxes which was enough to clothe about 19,238 people all over the world. In total we raised \$4,178 for our Parish. Thank you to all of our volunteers, & to those who donated in support of our clothing shed program!



BLOOD DRIVE IMPACT

Many thanks to all who donated at the Red Cross Blood Drive last week!! Your support is an invaluable resource to patients whose lives depend on it!



HAPPY BIRTHDAY WISHES!

Our parish's best wishes go out to
OUR NONAGENERIANS

Florence Angeline, celebrating her 99th birthday today!

(this is a correction from last week's bulletin)

and Rocco Lapresi who will celebrate his 94th birthday on 1/25

NEXT SUNDAY IS THE 4th SUNDAY OF
THE MONTH. COME TOGETHER TO
PRAY THE ROSARY AFTER MASS
FOR THE PROTECTION OF THE
UNBORN AND THE VULNERABLE
WITH THE RESPECT LIFE!



TO TAKE FATHER A MEAL PLEASE GO TO:

www.TakeThemAMeal.com/SKFC3566

WE NEED A FEW MORE SHOVELERS for our Churches

We are in need of a few more volunteers to shovel the walks & steps at each of our churches January through March. We need to have 8 volunteers for each church, 2 people to cover each week of the month with substitutes to fill in as needed.

Please consider lending a hand to keep our entryways safe during the winter months. A schedule will be sent out once we have enough volunteers.

*There is a sign up sheet at the back of each church,
please include your name & phone number.*

THANK YOU FOR YOUR HELP!



Knights of Columbus Ladies Auxiliary Book Sale coming in February!

at St. Dominic Parish Center
Friday, Feb. 16th from 1-5 PM.

Stations of the Cross and soup supper to follow. Books will be for sale during the soup supper.

And Saturday, Feb. 17th from 10-4 PM.
Please donate books at the Parish Center.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN PRAYER

If you would like to have your loved one remembered on our prayer list (or have a name removed), please call the parish office. Please be sure to have personal permission to add a name to our list.

FOR HEALING

A-D	D-H	H-M	M-Z
Cillian Ahern	Fr. Deasio	Hilde Houck	Fr. Thomas Mull
Donna Allen	Jill DeBrock	Erin Hurley	Gordie Nicholson
Donnie Allen	Marge DeWind	Daniel Incarnato	Dawn Nieskes
Amanda	Karen Ditzell	Markanthony Izzo	Bev O'Brien
Spencer Annabel	Wendy Ester-Presher	David Kathke	Sean Olin
Lorenza Augustine	Diane Faherty	Angie Keating	Piper Paddock
Nancy Beers	Bernadette Fetter-Miller	David Keeler	Mary Ann Perry
Linda Bigl	Steve Finewood	Ken	Corrine Chianfoni Pollot
Anne Black	Susanne Finewood	Jim Klahn	Jill Poremba
Janice Blackman	Coral Fox	Cindy Koch	Don Quigley
Troy Bolan	Rosemary Fry	Nancy Kolb	Anne Riley
Carmela Bonneville	Jean Galutia	LKR	Leo Schmitt
Sue Bowker	Allison Gersbach	Maurita Lind	Laura Carlson Silver
Darrell Brown Jr	George Gloska	Carol Little	Dylan Smith
Dave Bush	Betty Gordner	Maggie Mahoney	Jean Smith
Wandy Bush	Declan Guilliams	Neng Marquez	Terri Stell
Judy Carkner	Richard Guilliams	Stanley Masiak	Pinky Tiebout
Carl A. Carlson	Abby Gwilt	Margaret Masiak	Karis Vaillancourt
Carl E. Carlson	Lucy Gwilt	Ginny Mattice	Marlene RaemenWade
Laurie & Jack Caves	Melanie Haers	Carter McConnon	Donny Waddell
Cheryl Cecere	Diane Harris	Cheryl McConnon	Jerry Wiepert
Christopher	Bruce Haug	Elizabeth Meath	Dawn Zeitler
Bruce & Sharon Croucher	Conner Hicks	Cathy Moore	...and those we hold dear to our hearts
Tricia Csaszar	Jack Hicks	Ginny Morse	
Mary D'Arduini	Jennie Hilderman	Brian & Rose Moser	
Tracy D'Arduini	Mary Hollis		

Our Community Food Cupboards

Caring Hearts Community Food Cupboard

12 Hibbard Ave. Clifton Springs, NY 14432
 Location: Basement of St. Felix Church
 12 Hibbard Ave. Clifton Springs
 Open: Every Thursday 11 AM—1 PM
 Contact: *Laura Janas—315-462-3883*

Phelps Community Food Cupboard

96 Ontario St. Phelps, NY 14532
 Location: Phelps Community Center
 Phelps, (around left corner from PCC office)
 Open: 4th Tuesday 10:30-11:30 AM & 3:30-4:30 PM
 Contact: *Tom Cheney—cheneytom48@gmail.com*

Twin Cities Community Food Cupboard

P.O. Box 183, Manchester, NY 14504
 Location: Bennett Building
 4 Center St., across from Manchester Fire Hall
 Open: 2nd Thursday & Sat., 10 AM-Noon
 and 4th Thursday, 5-7 PM
 Contact: *Bonnie Platt—585-944-8892 or Carol Record—585-734-7440*

We are in need of a few more Adoration guards at St. Felix Church on Wednesdays. Please sign up to come & spend time with our Lord in the Holy Eucharist.



MARIAN DEVOTIONS

Perpetual Novena of the Miraculous Medal on Mondays, 10 minutes before Noon Mass at St. Dominic Church.

Queen of Peace Rosary on Thursdays at 11:30 AM at St. Francis Church

IN ASSISTED CARE

Barb Barton	Joan Bugliosi	Eileen Clements
Lisa Correira	Elaine Eagley	Lynn Elliott
Helen Fletcher	Joan Freeman	Martha Gersbach
Jane Henry	Pat Jerzak	Geraldine Narendorf
Peggy Paytash		

FOR STRENGTH & WELL-BEING

All of our priests, all of our medical professionals & first responders, all of those struggling with depression, addiction & mental health issues, especially during the holiday season.

PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED

*In your charity, please pray for **Jack Hunter** (brother of Bill (Doris) Hunter) and all of our deceased*

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let your perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace.




FUNERAL NOTIFICATION LIST

If you'd like to have your name added to our Funeral Notification list please email Mary at mary.seely@dor.org or Shelby at shelby.galutia@dor.org.

Collection Counters (1/26/2024)

- Bernadette Chrysler, Bernice Goodell, JoAnn Henry
- St. Pauly Building at St. Francis (1/22-1/28)**
- Bob & Ginny Phenes
- Altar Bands for January**
- Paul Bree, Peg DeCoster (St. Francis)
- Helene Goodberlet (St. Dominic)
- Mary Clyde (St. Felix)



In Loving Memory of Bill D'Arduini



In Loving Memory of Walter & JoAnn VanCaesele
By The Family



In Loving Memory of The Lannon & Haskell Families



In Loving Memory of Angela D'Arduini
From the apple of her eye



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In Loving Memory of our Deceased Loved Ones
The Cooke Family




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