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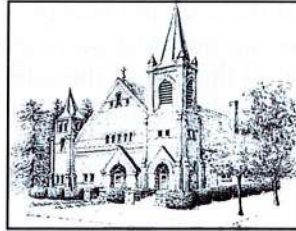
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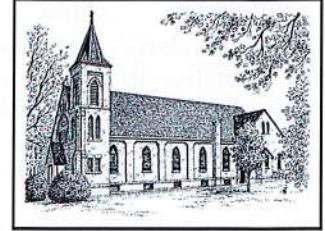
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ST. FELIX



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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 11/26

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

Closed Thursday & Friday

CONFESSION

Week of 11/26

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 11/26

Adoration will be held on:

Wednesday at St. Felix, Thursday at St. Francis

with Benediction at 6:00 PM

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

PLEASE SEE INSIDE FOR MASS TIMES

FROM OUR PASTOR, FATHER AMATO

As we prepare for Advent, I wanted to give you the Christmas Mass schedule and explain about the Mass obligations, as this year can be a bit confusing since the Fourth Sunday of Advent is also Christmas Eve.

First, I can say a maximum of three Masses on any Holy Day of Obligation (Sunday, for example), and even that should only be done in cases of a real need. Second, a "day" is defined as spanning from midnight to midnight. The actual liturgical celebration – in this case, the 4th Sunday of Advent or Christmas – does not determine whether the precept to attend Mass has been fulfilled.

What this means is that we have the usual Sunday Obligation which can be fulfilled anytime from midnight to midnight on Sunday, and it can also be fulfilled starting at 4:00pm the evening before, at the anticipated Mass of Sunday. This is the usual arrangement which we have all known for some time now. Christmas imposes on us another obligation which can be fulfilled under the same conditions. And so, you see there is an overlap between the end of Sunday and the beginning of Christmas. As stated above, it is the *day on which we attend Mass that determines the fulfillment of the obligation*, and not the liturgical celebration itself (this will become clear at the end of the article). This year, we have two obligations to fulfill (Fourth Sunday of Advent and Christmas) in a relatively short amount of time.

With that, here is the schedule for the entire weekend of December 23-25:

Saturday, December 23 (Anticipated Mass of Fourth Sunday of Advent):

St. Dominic, 4:00pm

Sunday, December 24 (Fourth Sunday of Advent):

St. Felix, 8:00am

St. Francis, 10:00am

Sunday, December 24 (Vigil Mass of Christmas):

St. Dominic, 4:00pm

Monday, December 25 (Christmas):

St. Francis, 12:00am (midnight), Traditional Latin Mass (High Mass)

St. Felix, 10:00am



*** Please note that the *usual 12:00pm Sunday Mass at St. Dominic is cancelled* for that weekend, given the number of Masses that I will be saying for the 4th Sunday of Advent and for Christmas. Please plan accordingly. ***

This schedule allows for the least amount of change to the usual weekend schedule, and it allows for each church to have two Masses from Saturday through Monday. Of course, these Mass times will be posted soon, so that everyone has ample notice and time to plan their gatherings and dinners around the Mass times.

Given that there are two obligations to fulfill, here are all the ways that you can fulfill *both obligations* throughout the weekend:

Saturday evening (4:00pm) and Sunday evening (4:00pm)

Saturday evening (4:00pm) and Monday morning (12:00am, 10:00am)

Sunday morning (8:00am, 10:00am) and Sunday evening (4:00pm)

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I will remind everyone of these five options when we get closer to Christmas, but it is not too early to start planning how we will worship our Lord at this most beautiful and important time of year. May Christ, our Eternal King and Lord, reign in this world and in our hearts forever!

In Christ,

Father Amato



Mass Intentions

Saturday, Nov. 25	Vigil of the Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe (Ez 34:11-12,15-17/1 Cor 15:20-26,28/Mt 25:31-46) 4:00 PM St. Dominic <i>Rose Tills by the Cooke Family</i>
Sunday, Nov. 26	The Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe (Ez 34:11-12,15-17/1 Cor 15:20-26,28/Mt 25:31-46) *8:00 AM St. Felix <i>Deputy Tom Guard by Midlakes Elementary Faculty & Staff</i> 10:00 AM St. Francis <i>Lvg. & Dec. Members of the Day, Reid & Baker Families by Tom & Rosemary Baker</i> Noon St. Dominic <i>Our Parishioners, Living & Deceased</i>
Monday, Nov. 27	Weekday (Dn 1:1-6,8-20/Lk 21:1-4) Noon St. Dominic <i>Lvg. & Dec. Members of the Anthony & Catherine Garofolo Family by the Family</i>
Tuesday, Nov. 28	Weekday (Dn 2:31-45/Lk 21:5-11) No Mass
Wed., Nov. 29	Weekday (Dn 5:1-6,13-14,16-17,23-28/Lk 21:12-19) Noon St. Felix <i>Intentions of Fr. Jeff Chichester by a Friend</i>
Thurs., Nov. 30	St. Andrew, Apostle (Rom 10:9-18/Mt 4:18-22) Noon St. Francis <i>Intentions of Andrew Baker by your Family</i>
Friday, Dec. 1	Weekday (Dn 7:2-14/Lk 21:29-33) Noon St. Dominic <i>Melissa Virag by the Poteet Family</i>
Saturday, Dec. 2	Vigil of the First Sunday of Advent (Is 63:16b-17,19b;64:2-7/1 Cor 1:3-9/Mk 13:33-37) 4:00 PM St. Dominic <i>Bob Goodell by Bernice Goodell & Family</i>
Sunday, Dec. 3	First Sunday of Advent (Is 63:16b-17,19b;64:2-7/1 Cor 1:3-9/Mk 13:33-37) *8:00 AM St. Felix <i>Marilyn Mills Kise by Dcn. Bob & Cecelia Cyrana</i> 10:00 AM St. Francis <i>Ken, Stephen & Peggy Carroll by Muriel Carroll</i> Noon St. Dominic <i>Our Parishioners, Living & Deceased</i>

* Mass is Live Streamed. See parish website for link.



Christmas Flower Envelopes are in the back of each church. Sanctuary Lamp Envelopes for 2024 will be out soon!

Lectors for Weekend Masses—December 2 nd - December 3 rd			
SAT. 4 PM	SUN. 8 AM	SUN. 10 AM	SUN. NOON
Soberon Family	Bruce Croucher	Rosemary Baker	Franco Walls



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

St. Dominic—for **Bill & Lois Lankford** at the request of *Lori, John & Murray*

St. Felix—for **Steve Seely** at the request of *Mary Seely & Family*

St. Francis—in **Memory of all the Wonderful Thanksgiving Days** at the request of *Sharon & Clarence Curley*

The Women of St. Francis Christmas Angel Tree

Fill out a form (found at the back of each church) to remember a loved one.

ANNUAL CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL

Please keep your pledges coming. We need your help to reach our goal *by the end of 2023!*

So far, 123 pledges totaling \$37,995.00 at 66.66% of our goal of \$57,000.00



Average gift: \$308.90
Thank you!



ST. PETER'S PARISH SUPPORT

A sincere thanks for your ongoing support our parish and its ministries!

On-line Sunday Offering 11/13-11/19).....\$560.00
Mailed-in & Sunday (11/13-11/19).....\$5,896.05
Total Collected (Year-to-Date).....\$135,414.54
Total Budgeted (Year-to-Date).....\$136,500.00
Difference (Year-to-Date).....(\$1,085.46)

THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR YOUR GENEROUS SUPPORT!

Last Weekend's Mass Attendance:

St. Dominic 4:00 PM	95
St. Felix 8:00 AM	100
St. Francis 10:00 AM	82
St. Dominic 12:00 Noon	<u>80</u>
TOTAL ATTENDANCE:	357

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

FAITH FORMATION

Classes this week :

No classes on Sunday, 11/26 for anyone

Class on Tuesday 11/28 from 3:30-5:00 PM
Catechesis of the Good Shepherd

Please contact Sarah Herendeen at sarah.herendeen@dor.org with any questions.

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PICK OF THE WEEK:

Who is Jesus?/ The Search Episode 5

The most beautiful part of this story is this: we can know God's love, personally. This is the person of Jesus. But how did this seemingly insignificant carpenter born into poverty in a dusty corner of the Roman Empire become the most pivotal figure in all of history?

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3. Enter your name and email address
4. Check that email account for a link to begin using FORMED.



ADVENT WREATH MAKING TODAY!

November 26th, 4-6 PM
in the Parish Center
Materials will be provided.

If you have a frame from past year's wreaths, bring it to reuse!

SAVE THE DATE!

Christmas Pageant & Christmas Caroling

Saturday, December 16, 2023
at 5:30 PM

Come enjoy a Christmas Pageant put on by our children. Afterwards, enjoy some Christmas Caroling & refreshments at the Parish Center.



BREAKFAST WITH SANTA !

Saturday, Dec. 9th, 8:00-10:30 AM
Parish Center at St. Dominic's
97 W. Main St., Shortsville, NY

Admission is FREE to everyone 12 & younger
\$5 per person over 12

Enjoy a delicious breakfast of pancakes, sausage, orange juice, milk & coffee. Greet Santa & Mrs. Claus when they arrive at 9 AM via fire truck.

Decorate your own Christmas cookies in Mrs. Claus' Cookie Corner. Receive a special treat from Santa!

Sponsored by the Bishop Joseph Hogan Knights of Columbus

Christmas Card Outreach



Please join us at the **Parish Office** this Tuesday, Nov. 28th at 1 PM if you would like to participate in a new parish outreach program.

We will be sending out Christmas cards to individuals who are in Assisted Care & those who have the bulletin mailed to them.

Hope you are able to join us!



FESTIVAL OF LIGHTS!

This Friday December 1st
Downtown Clifton Springs
St. Peter's Parish will be there!
Come join the fun from 5 to 8 PM



ANGEL TREES

Angel Trees are set up at St. Felix & St. Dominic Churches.

If you can help brighten the holidays for a child within our community, simply choose a tag or two from the trees.



St. Felix: Please leave your *unwrapped* gift with the tag attached under the tree at the back of the church before Sunday, Dec. 10th. Please call Doris Hunter at 315-462-3894 with any questions.

St. Dominic: Please leave your *wrapped* gift with the tag attached in the Parish Center storage room, 1st door on left, by Wednesday, Dec. 13th. Please call the parish office with any questions.

CHRISTMAS BASKET FOOD TAGS

There are some new food tags out at St. Dominic church to help fill the Christmas baskets.

Please email Andrea at andrea_record@me.com if you have any questions.

SNOW SHOVELERS NEEDED!

We are in need of volunteers to shovel the walkways and steps at each of our churches during the winter months. It would be good to have 8 volunteers for each church, 2 people to cover each week of the month and substitutes to fill in as needed.

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.



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

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

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Joan Freeman	Martha Gersbach	Jim Heffron
Jane Henry	Pat Jerzak	Geraldine Narendorf
Peggy Paytash	Rose Petrone	

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 Joe Crowley and all of our deceased.

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



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

TODAY 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 RESPECT LIFE!



Collection Counters (11/28)

Susanne Finewood, Helene Goodberlet,

Dorothy Ann Liberati

St. Pauly Building at St. Francis (11/27-12/3)

Bob & Ginny Phenes


Altar Bands for December

Paul Bree, Peg DeCoster (St. Francis)


TBD (St. Dominic)

Patty Howard (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




IN LOVING Memory of Bob Goodell
By the **GODELL FAMILY**



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In Loving Memory of our Deceased Loved Ones
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