

MUSIC SELECTIONS: Oct. 6, 2019  
 ENTRANCE HYMN 529  
 PREPARATION HYMN 453  
 COMMUNION HYMN 499  
 RECESSIONAL HYMN 748S

Psalm 95: 27<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time – Year C



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\*It is the tradition of the church not to exit before the final hymn has been sung.

9:00 AM – Children's Sending: May your holy word take root in them (us). May your holy word bear fruit in them (us). Plant your word within them (us), so that they (we) may grow.

**MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF  
 SEPTEMBER 28<sup>TH</sup> THROUGH OCTOBER 6<sup>TH</sup>, 2019**

If you are having a Mass offered, please contact an usher before Mass and let them know you would like to bring up the gifts.

|       |         |   |
|-------|---------|---|
| 10-5  | 4:00 PM | Sandy Collins – Mary Collins  |
| 10-6  | 9:00 AM | Jim McCullough – The Family<br>Pasquale & Maria Schiavone – The Family<br>Angelo & Antonia Lauria – The Family                                    |
| 10-7  | 9:00 AM | Mass at Immaculate Conception   |
| 10-8  | 9:00 AM | Mass at Immaculate Conception   |
| 10-9  | 7:30 AM | No Mass*  |
| 10-10 | 7:30 AM | No Mass*  |
| 10-11 | 7:30 AM | No Mass*  |
| 10-12 | 4:00 PM | Gerren Faustini – The Zuppa Family<br>Lucy Crane – Larry & Kathy DeMarco  |
| 10-13 | 9:00 AM | Sylvia DeMarco – The Family<br>Helen Swits (12 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary) – Larry & Kathy DeMarco<br>Geraldine Donato & Lewis Donato – The Family |

\*There will be no weekday masses this week. This may change in the future. We will let you know.

| Scripture Readings for the Week |                           |             |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------|-------------|
| Mon. 10/7                       | Jon 1:1-2:2, 11           | Lk 10:25-37 |
| Tues. 10/8                      | Jon 3:1-10                | Lk 10:38-42 |
| Wed. 10/9                       | Jon 4:1-11                | Lk 11:1-4   |
| Thur. 10/10                     | Mal 3:13-20b              | Lk 11:5-13  |
| Fri. 10/11                      | Jl 1:13-15, 2:1-2         | Lk 11:15-26 |
| Sat. 10/12                      | Jl 4:12-21                | Lk 11:27-28 |
| Sun. 10/13                      | 2 Kgs 5:14-17 2 Tm 2:8-13 | Lk 17:11-19 |

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| LITURGICAL MINISTERS – OCT. 12 <sup>TH</sup> AND 13 <sup>TH</sup> , 2019 |             |                |
|--|-------------|----------------|
|  | 4:00 PM     | 9:00 AM        |
| LECTOR   | S. Janack   | J. Raymond     |
| CUP 1  | D. Kruk     | A. Stolle      |
| CUP 2  | S. Ernst    | C. O'Connor    |
| BREAD 1  | Celebrant   | Celebrant      |
| BREAD 2  | C. Gregoire | L. DeSieno     |
| BREAD 3  | J. Masi     | R. Higgins     |
| BREAD 4  | Deacon      | Deacon         |
| CUP 3  | B. Corlew   | S. Casella     |
| CUP 4  | R. Kruk     | T. Cappuccitti |
| SERVER   | R. Higgins  | N. Smith       |
| SERVER   | E. Higgins  | D. Burns       |
| GREETER  | C. Gregoire | P. Johnson     |

| FINANCIAL STATISTICS 9/23-9/29/19 |            |                |             |
|-----------------------------------|------------|----------------|-------------|
| OFFERTORY                         | \$3,249.59 | ENVELOPE USERS | 119         |
| FUEL                              | 10.00      | ATTENDANCE     | 297         |
| DEBT REDUCTION                    | 10.00      |                |             |
| FF/YM FEES                        | 1,200.00   |                |             |
| FUNDRAISING                       | 253.25     |                |             |
| TOTAL INCOME                      | \$4,722.84 | TOTAL EXPENSES | \$5,708.59* |

\*Some larger expenses include: Priest Exp. \$4,198


Next weekend's second collection will be our semi-annual collection for **Fuel**. The cooler weather is around the corner and we will soon be getting the boiler ready for the heating system. At the peak of our heating season last year, our National Grid bill was in excess of \$1,700 for one month. Thank you for your generosity.





**Remember in your prayers** those members of our parish who are sick or suffering in any way, as well as those in hospitals and nursing homes and all of our shut-ins. We also pray for family, friends and those who have died recently. We also pray for men and women in our armed forces who are serving our country.

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**Attn: Eucharistic Ministers and Lectors** – Copies of the fourth quarter schedules are on the table beneath the bulletin board in HFH.


|              | The Week Ahead                  |
|--------------|---------------------------------|
| Sun. 10/6    | Youth Ministry – 6-7:30PM - PC  |
| Tues. 10/8   | Sandwich Making – 11AM - PC     |
| Wed. 10/9    | Choir Rehearsal – 7 PM - C      |
| Thurs. 10/10 | Bereavement Committee– 7 PM - R |


 Please join us after the 9 AM mass for coffee and pastries. Come get to know some of your fellow parishioners.


 Deacon John is in need of volunteers to transport patients to and from the main dining room at Baptist Health Nursing and Rehabilitation Center for the service he provides on Tuesdays, excluding the second Tuesday of the month. This will begin the first Tuesday in November, the 5<sup>th</sup>. Time: 2:00 – 3:00 PM. Please call the office if you can help (518)346-2316.

 Thank you to the team of volunteers from St. Joseph's that helped serve the community evening meal at City Mission on Thursday, September 19. We will be returning to the Mission on Tuesday, October 22. If you can help, please sign up on the City Mission/St. Joseph's portal. <https://citymissionofscheneectady.volunteerhub/lp/Stjoes>. The start time is 5 PM and concludes by 7 PM. Hope to see you there! Questions? Contact Kathy Brooks at 518-280-1478 or email [brookaska@nycap.rr.com](mailto:brookaska@nycap.rr.com).


The Social Concerns Committee is requesting items to be donated to the **Catholic Charities Personal Care Closet** which serves those living with chronic illnesses in our area. The Personal Care Closet provides items that cannot be purchased with food stamps and are not usually available through food pantries. During this month please place the following in the box in Holy Family Hall: **laundry detergent, dish detergent, household cleaning products, and paper towels.**


 We are so grateful to **Fr. Jack Varno** for celebrating mass with us during our transition period ~ please be sure to say "hello" and express your thanks. As Fr. Jack is also covering masses at Our Lady of Grace, he will need to leave after each of our masses to meet his obligation there, so please give him the opportunity to exit the parking lot without too much delay. Thank you!


 When sending mail to anyone at the Parish Office, please be sure to use the **45 MacArthur Drive** address. Anything that is sent to the Second Street address may be delayed in reaching us.


 Our next order for Hannaford gift cards & reloads is scheduled for **Tuesday, Oct. 8<sup>th</sup>**. Please be sure your order is at the Parish Office by **10 am on Monday, Oct. 7<sup>th</sup>**. Order forms are available on the bulletin boards in Holy Family Hall or the back entrance. Congratulations to **Kathy DeMarco** who was our quarterly winner of a bonus \$25 gift card!

**ATTENTION LECTORS** ~ the 2020 Lector Workbooks are now available in the back work sacristy. This workbook provides you with the opportunity to review the readings in advance of the date of your assignment. Please be sure to take advantage of this important resource.

 Passes for the Boscov's **Friends Helping Friends** discount shopping day on **Wednesday, October 16<sup>th</sup>** are still available at the Parish Office. The cost of the pass is \$5 (St. Joseph's receives 100% of the cost of the pass) which enables you to discounts the entire day as well as special drawings for a Boscov's shopping spree.

 **Keys anyone!?! We are trying to come up with a master list of keys for the church. If you were given a key to the church, please call the office (518-346-2316) and let us know your key number (all keys have a number stamped in them). If we cannot account for all the numbers, we will need to have the locks changed and this is a cost we are trying to avoid. Thank you.**

 Will your family need food for Thanksgiving? Sign-ups for the annual Concerned for the Hungry Thanksgiving Food Basket will be held on **October 25<sup>th</sup>, 26<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup>** at St. John the Evangelist School Hall in Schenectady. You must be a resident of Schenectady Co. and sign up on one of those dates in order to receive a basket. Complete details are available on the bulletin board in Holy Family Hall.

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