WE BELIEVE. WE BELONG. WE REJOICE IN GOD’S MERCY.

June 5, 2016

THIS WEEKEND:
HIP Habitat House Construction Volunteer
Sign-up in Narthex

Sunday: 11:00 am Bereavement Mass,
Reception Following Mass in PMH

THIS WEEK AT ST. LOUIS-Daily Mass Schedule p.2
MONDAY - JUNE 6
6:30 am - Men’s Spirituality Group - Manse
3:30 pm - Children’s Choir Practice, Church &
Parish Meeting Hall
6:30 pm - St. Louis School Performing Arts Concert,
Reddington Hall GYM
7:00 pm - Parish Council, PMH

TUESDAY - JUNE 7
7:30 am - Understanding Sunday’s Scriptures,
Manse
1:15 pm - Untold Blessing, PMH
7:00 pm - St. Louis School Board, Ministry Center

WEDNESDAY - JUNE 8
7:00 pm - Stewardship Council, Ministry Center
7:30 pm - Bible Basics, Rectory
7:30 pm - Regional Charismatic Prayer Group, PMH

THURSDAY - JUNE 9
7:00 pm - Holy Hour, Church

SATURDAY - JUNE 11
9:45 am - Bereavement Group, Reddington Hall
Lower Level Learning Center
3:30 pm - Confessions
4:30 pm - Mass (Sign Language Interpreted)
6:00 pm - Ultreya (Pot Luck Dinner 5:45pm), PMH

SUNDAY - JUNE 12
7:30 am - Mass
9:00 am - Mass/Children’s Choir
11:00 am - Mass/Children’s Liturgy of the Word
12:15 pm - St. Louis Knights of Columbus Officers
Installation after 11:00 am Mass,
Reception Follows in PMH
5:00 pm - Mass

Ministry Center Summer Hours are:
Monday - Thursday, 8:30 am - 4:30 pm
Friday, 8:30 am - 12:30 pm

He said, “Young man, I tell you, arise!” The dead man sat up
and began to speak, and Jesus gave him
to his mother. - Lk 7:14c-15


A Great Prophet has Arisen!
**Mass Intentions for This Week**

**MONDAY - JUNE 6**
1 Kgs 17:1-6/Mt 5:1-12
11:00 am Funeral Mass for Mary Jean Heberger
5:15 pm Frances Hester - Carole MacMonagle

**TUESDAY - JUNE 7**
1 Kgs 17:7-16/Mt 5:13-16
6:45 am For those Preparing for Marriage
11:00 am Andy Dolan - Family
5:15 pm Kevin Berry - Smerbeck Family

**WEDNESDAY - JUNE 8**
1 Kgs 18:2-9/ Mt 5:17-19
11:00 am Julia Seifert - David Vitale & Pittsford School Friends
5:15 pm Kevin Berry - Smerbeck Family

**THURSDAY - JUNE 9**
1 Kgs 18:41-46/Mt 5:20-26
6:45 am For those Coming into the Church
11:00 am Marge Schmidt - Jerry Schmidt

**FRIDAY - JUNE 10**
1 Kgs 19:9a, 11-16/Mt 5:27-32
11:00 am Teresa Carl - Doris Wilmot
5:15 pm Janice Kelly Maxwell - Family

**SATURDAY - JUNE 11**
9:00 am John J. Riccardo - Kathryn McAlarney
4:30 pm Patrick & Nellie O’Connor - The Kepes Family

**SUNDAY - JUNE 12**
11th Sunday in Ordinary Time
2 Sm 12:7-10, 13/Gal 2:16, 19-21/
Lk 7:36-8:3 or 7:36-50
9:00 am Josephine Marino - Family
11:00 am Karoly Merenyi - Mersich Family
5:00 pm Joseph & Grace Hickey - Alexander Family

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**SPECIAL INTENTIONS**

We invite you to have a Sanctuary Lamp lit at the Blessed Sacrament to have your very special intentions remembered for a week.

To arrange this, please call or visit the Ministry Center. The Thursday Holy Hour Ministry will offer special prayers for your intention.

One lamp will burn
In Memory of Walter Kennedy
by Irene Erwin.

One Lamp will burn for
Larry Stid
by Family.

**Requiem Aeternam**

Mary Jean Heberger

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**Saturday & Sunday, June 11 & 12**

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Sunday Communion Service - June 12
The Highlands - Jim Haefner  Heather Heights - Pete and Gerry Shea
**God’s Holy Word**

**Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

1st Reading: 1 Kings 17:17-24  
*Let the life breath return!*

2nd Reading: Galatians 1:11-19  
*St. Paul’s conversion*

Gospel: Luke 7:11-17  
*A great prophet has arisen*

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**Elijah in Zarephath**

Within, through, beyond the details of our first reading, the key theological point occurs in the last 2 sentences. The woman recognizes Elijah as a man of God. She also recognizes that he speaks the word of the Lord, and that the word of the Lord is effective: what God says happens. Similar conclusions are drawn by the people in today’s Gospel.

But why would the woman ask “Have you come to me to call attention to my guilt, and kill my son?” After all, this is the same woman who was about, with her son, to starve to death just before Elijah arrived. Thanks to Elijah visiting and staying with them, the oil and the flour didn’t run out; they had enough to eat during a prolonged famine. Her questions flow from this way of thinking.

She was afraid that in the presence of a man of God, her sins could no longer be hidden. They would be open to Elijah and to God. Second step in her thinking: the false but common assumption, in the face of tragedy (her son’s death), it must be punishment from God. Once Elijah restores her son to life, it becomes quite clear, God doesn’t operate that way! Through Elijah, God visited her, not with disaster, but with nourishment in famine, with the breath of life when her son died. God visiting his people: that’s what happens when there is a prophet around.

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**From Zarephath to Nain**

Each Gospel writer has certain themes, certain ways of seeing the life and ministry of Jesus. St. Luke sees, in Jesus, God visiting his people, as God did through the prophets. Consequently, the Elijah cycle from Kings significantly influences Luke’s Gospel, as you can see today. But in the case of Jesus, we see the ultimate visitation. Elijah has to pray and perform a prophetic act to bring the widow’s son to life, restoring the life breath in our first reading. Jesus restores life to the son of the widow from Nain simply by speaking the Word: “Young man, I tell you, arise!” What might this story mean for us? The son Jesus resuscitated in the Gospel was restored to life in this world, but the day would come when he would die again. When we die, Jesus will speak the word to us, but we will rise, not to more of the same, but to eternal life, headed to the beatific vision.

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**Looking Forward to:**

**Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time**

1st Reading: 2 Samuel 12:7-10, 13  
*David’s day of reckoning*

2nd Reading: Galatians 2:16, 19-21  
*Living in Christ*

Gospel: Luke 7:36-8:3  
*Love and forgiveness: hand in hand*

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**Congratulations to the New Members of St. Louis Council Knights of Columbus!**

- Theodore Bianculli
- Frank Citro
- William Conklin
- David DeCocq
- Stephen DeMeo
- Rajiv Dewan
- Michael Kocik
- Jerome May
- Raymond Mosher
- Anthony Nicoletti
- Gary Palmer

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**St. Louis Church, Pittsford, NY**  
**June 5, 2016**
**Supporting Our Parish**

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On-line Collection

Month-to-Date: $70,378.25

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**BECOME A MEMBER**

**ALL ARE WELCOME HERE**

Table fellowship was a huge part of Jesus’s life and ministry. His message: God calls all to the kingdom. We have but to accept the invitation and respond. In that spirit, we welcome all at St. Louis Church. We encourage all people to experience the Lord through our church and to become active members. Are you interested in becoming a parish member? Please visit stlouischurch.org/become-member and fill out our online registration or contact Shannon Toot at 586-5675 to learn how to become a member.

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**So That’s Where It Came From!**

Ever wonder when the idea of tithing began? The author of Genesis places it very early on – in the days of Abraham. Just check out the 1st reading this Sunday. By God’s grace our parish is able to tithe each week to a variety of ministries, because so many among us either tithe or contribute regularly as generously as they can.

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**Next Week’s Tithing Will Support**

**St. Michael’s Woodshop**

Founded in 1990, the Women’s Care Center, located at 3252 Lake Avenue in Rochester, is an independent, Catholic organization dedicated to Blessed Mother Teresa of Calcutta. They are the largest provider of material aid (formula, diapers, layettes, etc.) to new mothers in Monroe County. They serve the poorest of the poor.

All major social service agencies refer clients to them. All services are confidential and free of charge, including self-administered pregnancy tests and ultrasounds. Over 1200 families are served per year on average. They receive no local, state or federal funding. They are an example of the consistent life ethic in action. They help young women decide to have their babies, and continue to help them once they are mothers.

To help preserve the lives of unborn babies, please pray for all who serve and are served by this Center. To learn more, please visit http://rochesterwomenscare.com.

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**Untold Blessing**

Three Paths to Holiness

Explore the three paths to holiness with Bishop Robert Barron: finding the center, knowing you are a sinner, and recognizing that your life is not about you.

Learn more about this journey by participating in Bishop Barron’s study program, Untold Blessing: Three Paths to Holiness.

www.WordOnFire.org  • UntoldBlessing.com

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**Untold Blessing**

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**Next week’s second collection supports the Catholic Communication Campaign (CCC).** Our church can communicate the Gospel through Catholic social media, enriching our faith through Internet, TV, radio, and print, thanks to this collection. Half of your donation stays in our diocese to support communication needs here. Thank you in advance for your generosity!
Save the dates……
current K thru 5th graders
for Summer Faith & Fun Days!

**Pets Unleashed**
July 26\(^{th}\) & 27\(^{th}\)

**Barnyard Roundup**
August 9\(^{th}\) & 10\(^{th}\)

Each day: 9-11:30am

Sign up began June 1\(^{st}\)!
Pick up forms in the
Narthex, Ministry Center,
or download @
[www.stlouischurch.org](http://www.stlouischurch.org)
Deadline on June 15th
Here we go!! St. Louis, together with our coalition member churches, begins construction of our 2016 Habitat House (320 Orange Street) on June 20. Our projected construction start depends on when the foundation excavation will be completed. In the coming weeks, we will be signing-up volunteers interested in providing “hands-on” help building our house.

St. Louis “Volunteer Coordinators” will be available in the Narthex following the Masses on the weekends of May 21/22 and June 4/5 to answer questions and sign-up interested volunteers, and hand out “On-line Registration & Scheduling Instructions” and the “Parental Permission Form and Agreement - Construction Volunteering.” Construction volunteers may be as young as 16, but those under 18 must have a parent’s or guardian’s consent. Filling out the “Construction Volunteer Sign-Up Form” (below) in advance and handing it in on one of these cited weekends will help us speed up volunteer signs-ups. Prior construction experience “IS NOT” required, since construction site training and oversight is provided by a professional construction supervisor. The construction work schedule will be Tuesdays (11:45 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.), and Wednesday through Saturday (8:45 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.). Additional construction information including attire and amenities on site will be provided to volunteers upon registration and scheduling work. Questions can be directed to Bob Scholl (585-472-5067) and Rick Cusker (585-321-3673).

If you can afford the time, this is a wonderful and rewarding opportunity to work alongside a family in need together with individuals from our parish and other faith groups, as part of an interfaith initiative to improve our center city.

### HABITAT INTERFAITH PARTNERSHIP

#### ST. LOUIS CHURCH

**CONSTRUCTION VOLUNTEER SIGN-UP**

[Data required for FCHH registration is in **bold** letters]

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Do you want to register & schedule your work day on-line by yourself or with the assistance of a St. Louis Scheduler? (circle one) By yourself / With assistance

If “With Assistance” then provide the following required registration information:

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St. Louis Church, Pittsford, NY

June 5, 2016
St. Louis Council Meeting

On Sunday, June 12, after the 11:00 am Mass, the Officers of the St. Louis Council will be installed by State Program Director Michael Flanagan.

Our Council Chaplain Bob Ring will bless our officers.

Following these services, there will be a light brunch in the Parish Meeting Hall.

All Officers, Members and Families are invited.

Join Us, and the Lord

You have heard of Eucharistic Adoration, but aren’t quite sure what it means? To adore means to love, cherish, venerate. In Eucharistic Adoration, one spends time in a spirit of prayerful presence before the Blessed Sacrament, in devotion to and worship of Jesus Christ. It is hard to find better words than those of Pope Paul VI:

“Therefore, the devotion prompting the faithful to visit the blessed sacrament draws them into an ever deeper share in the paschal mystery and leads them to respond gratefully to the gift of him who through his humanity constantly pours divine life into the members of his Body. Abiding with Christ the Lord, they enjoy his intimate friendship and pour out their hearts before him for themselves and for those dear to them and they pray for the peace and salvation of the world. Offering their entire lives with Christ to the Father in the Holy Spirit, they derive from this sublime colloquy an increase of faith, hope, and charity. Thus they foster those right dispositions that enable them with due devotion to celebrate the memorial of the Lord and receive frequently the bread given us by the Father.”

~ Eucharisticum Mysterium

We partner with St. John of Rochester in Perpetual Adoration. Want to know more? Ask Deacon Dave!
LEARNING, TEACHING, HONORING

Performing Arts Concert

Band • Orchestra • Marimba • Glee

Monday, June 6th 6:30 pm
St. Louis School Gym

(School performance for SLS students at 1:30 pm)

St. Louis School • 585.586.5200 • slspittsford.org

SAVE THE DATE
FOR FRUIT OF THE VINE

The evenings begin at 7:00pm with a wine and cheese reception. Our speaker begins at 7:30pm.

Everyone is welcome. Join us in the Parish Meeting Hall for an evening of friends, fellowship and an enlightening speaker and discussion.

Tuesday, June 14
Noëlle Hiester: “Severe Mercy”

If you would like to remember your loved ones with the celebration of the Eucharist, stop by the Ministry Center and schedule a Mass time that is convenient for you. You may wish to have a Mass offered on the anniversary of death, a person’s birthday or a significant date in the person's and your life. You can also arrange this by calling Birdie at 586-5675.

Ever want to read Dante’s Divine Comedy?

During this Year of Mercy (December 8, 2015-November 20, 2016) Pope Francis has asked us to use Dante’s Divine Comedy as a “spiritual guide.” Knowing how intimidating this project sounds, the Department of Evangelization and Catechesis of the Diocese of Rochester has put together a reading plan along with a group of theologians, literary scholars, and other lovers of Dante’s work to help us all mine the riches from one whom Pope Benedict XV called “the most eloquent singer of the Christian idea.”

Information on the home page at http://dante.ec.dor.org explains the concept (100 cantos in the Divine Comedy, 33 for each book [Inferno, Purgatorio, Paradiso] with an introductory canto in Inferno), 2 entries posted weekly. Also cited are several translations of the Divine Comedy, some available for free, even a free audio version of Henry Wadsworth Longfellow’s translation! Each entry posted since December 8, 2015 has been archived and is easily available. Great reading for summer!

This Sunday, June 5 at the 11 AM Mass

Father Bob will celebrate a special bereavement liturgy remembering those parishioners whose funeral services were held at St. Louis during the past 6 months. The names of the deceased will be read at Mass. A reception chaired by Marge Mancine and Mary Stid will be held in the Parish Meeting Hall following the Mass. All are welcome to attend.

On Sunday, June 19, Father’s Day, at the 9 AM Mass

Father Bob, assisted by Elizabeth Ministry members will recognize the babies who were baptized at St. Louis over the last year. Parents will receive a special blessing and a cross for their infant. There will be a reception for all in the Parish Meeting Hall following the Mass. All are welcome.
Thank You for Your Continued Support!

Saint's Place Annual Super Sale

Our Count down has begun!

PREVIEW NIGHT
Tuesday, July 12
5:00 – 8 PM
$25 donation (payable at the door)

Mark your calendars – Sale dates:
Wednesday, July 13 – Saturday, July 15

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED
call Michele at 385-6860 to sign up, or
e-mail: michele@saintsplace.org

How Can I Help?

The Annual Super Sale is our largest fund raiser. The success of our sale guarantees that refugees who come to Rochester seeking freedom and a safe home, will have their long-held dreams become a reality. With the money earned, Saint’s Place purchases new beds (bed frames, mattresses, pillows, and bedding) for the refugees.

There are many ways you can help. And we do need your help and support.

- Volunteer, starting Tuesday, July 5th at 9AM.
- Donate quality items we can sell at the sale.
- Like to bake or cook? Drop something off during the week before the sale, when all the volunteers are working countless hours to prepare for opening day: cookies, a platter of sandwiches, chips, cold drinks, any snack!
- Make a financial donation to show your support.
- Come and shop and encourage your friends and neighbors to do the same.
- Call 385-6860 for more information and to sign up to help.

JOB POSTING FOR PART-TIME POSITION AT SAINT’S PLACE

We are presently searching for a part-time Manager/Administrator to report directly to the Executive Director. Office experience at a managerial level is required. The candidate must have computer skills including: Excel, Desk Top Publishing, Outlook, Microsoft Word, etc. A great deal of correspondence is initiated by this person as well as maintaining the relationship with Catholic Family Center and other agencies and civic organizations who volunteer at Saint’s Place. Attention to detail is key because this person must schedule refugee visits to the Clothing Closet, pick-ups of all furniture donations, and co-ordinate schedules for the caseworkers at Catholic Family Center, our volunteers, and our drivers. This candidate must have “poise under fire” and be very, very flexible. Change is the operative word at Saint’s Place. The best benefit is knowing that every day you are making a significant change in the lives of our refugees.

Thank you, Isabel Miller, Executive Director of Saint’s Place.

Kindly send resumes to: saintlady@saintsplace.org
**Parish Staff Directory**

**Parish Offices - Ministry Center**  
64 S. Main Street, 14534  
(585) 586-5675; Fax 387-9888  
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Friday, 8:30 AM - 12:30 PM

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