

OUR LADY OF LOURDES CATHOLIC CHURCH

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THE FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT, DECEMBER 1, 2024

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SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday Morning Mass at 11:00am

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

Sun., Dec. 1	9:00am (SMC)	Arthur Hatfield by Derek & Jen Hamel
	11:00am (OLL)	Edward "Bud" Dolback by Fran Provoncha
Mon., Dec. 2	9:00am (SMC)	Gloria Peeters by the Peeters Family
Tue., Dec. 3	8:30am (OLL)	Rosary for the people on the Parish Prayer List
	9:00am (OLL)	Dena Stephenson by the Stephenson Family
Wed., Dec. 4	9:00am (OLL)	James Matteotti by Jeanne & Jim Clement
	9:30am (OLL)	Holy Hour with Adoration and Confessions
Thu., Dec. 5		NO SCHEDULED MASS
Fri., Dec. 6	9:00am (SMC)	Rory Gibbs by Les & Lorraine Gould
Sat., Dec. 7	4:30pm (SMC)	Dorothy & Leo Wells and Joyce Mjaatvedt by their Families
Sun., Dec. 8	9:00am (SMC)	Robert Palandrani, Sr. by Michelle & Tom Jebb
	11:00am (OLL)	For the People of the Parish

LAST WEEK'S INCOME

Envelope users	27
Envelopes	\$955.00
Plate	<u>186.00</u>
TOTAL	\$1,141.00

CCHD \$489.00

Sacrament of Reconciliation
Wednesdays @ 8:15am – 8:55am
or by appointment

*Thank you
for your generosity*

****If you choose to donate with Paypal on our website, note that each transaction costs 2.9% of your amount plus \$0.30. Your contribution will reflect the subtraction of this service fee.****

ENVIRONMENTAL STEWARDSHIP

Creation Care Tip: Simple and doable advice from the side of a waste management truck: **REUSE, REDUCE, RECYCLE.** A positive mantra for each day!

PARISH POTLUCK DINNER

Please sign up!!!

Our first Parish Potluck dinner was a success!! We are excited about doing it all again on **Tuesday, December 10th at 5:00PM!!** Please look for the sign-up sheet in the Parish Center. Invite a friend or two, bring a dish to share and we will gather as a family for good food and conversation! See you soon!

RETIREMENT FUND FOR RELIGIOUS

Next **Sunday, December 8th** there will be a second collection for the Retirement Fund for Religious. Our aging religious need your help. More than 25,000 senior sisters, brothers, and religious order priests have dedicated their lives to service – praying, teaching, and caring for those in need – usually, for little to no pay. Today, their religious communities do not have enough retirement savings. Your donation is crucial and can help bridge this gap, providing critical support for their essential care, medicine, and daily needs. Please give back to those who have given a lifetime.

THE HOLY YEAR

PILGRIMAGE TO ROME & ASSISI

Join Father Chris Looby of St. Alexander's in Morrisonville, St. Augustine's in Peru, and St. James in Cadyville for the 2025 Jubilee: The Holy Year Pilgrimage to Rome & Assisi from **October 15 to October 23, 2025.** This 9-day journey includes visits to Rome's sacred sites, a Papal Blessing in Saint Peter's Square, the Basilica of Saint Francis in Assisi, and a tour of the Vatican, including the Sistine Chapel, St. Peter's Basilica, and the Holy Door. Experience the Seven Pilgrim Churches, the Holy Stairs, and daily Mass. Extend your trip with a Venice and St. Anthony of Padua post-tour extension. Enjoy worry-free travel with our cancellation waiver and protection plan. Pricing starts at \$4,199 per person for double occupancy and \$4,799 for single occupancy, with a \$350 per person savings. For more details and to reserve your spot, contact Mary McIntosh at AAA Travel Center at mmcintosh@nyaaa.com or (315) 558-6372. Don't miss this once-in-a-lifetime spiritual journey!

ADVENT PENANCE SERVICES

The first Sunday of Advent marks the beginning of a new Liturgical (church) calendar...a new year. Advent is the four-week period in which we prepare not only our homes but our hearts for the nativity of Jesus Christ at Christmas. What a wonderful time for us to reconcile ourselves with God. Please find below the Advent Penance Services that have been scheduled.

Our Lady of Lourdes

Sunday, December 8 @ 2:00pm

St. Patrick's, Port Henry

Sunday, December 15 @ 2:00pm

St. Mary's, Ticonderoga

Sunday, December 15 @ 4:00pm

Crown Point

Christmas Bazaar

Saturday, Dec. 7th, 9am–2 pm in the Parish Hall

Lunch from 11am-1pm: homemade soup, sandwiches, michigans, chili, etc.

Join Sacred Heart for some holiday fun:
Basket raffle, cookie walk, flea market.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

Please join us as we welcome the **Champlain Valley Chorale** and **Champlain Valley Strings** as they present
"On a December Night".

Friday, Dec. 13th at Our Lady of Lourdes, Schroon Lake
7:30PM

Sunday, December 15th at the First United Methodist Church, Ticonderoga
3:00PM

BIRTHRIGHT OF PLATTSBURGH

We continue our tradition of collecting baby items for **Birthingright of Plattsburgh** during the Advent and Christmas season. Items needed; diapers (all sizes), wipes, diaper rash ointment, towels, toys, bottles, formula, pacifiers, blankets, and clothes.