

# St. Peter's Roman Catholic Parish

#### ST. FRANCIS



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#### ST. FELIX



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#### ST. DOMINIC



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## FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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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 7/14

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

Closed Thursday & Friday

#### CONFESSION

Week of 7/14

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 AM-11:45 AM Saturday, St. Dominic: 3:00-3:45 PM

#### ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Following the Noon Mass

Week of 7/14 Adoration will be held on: Wednesday, St. Felix, Thursday, St. Francis with Benediction at 6:00 PM

PLEASE SEE INSIDE FOR Mass TIMES

#### FROM OUR PASTOR, FATHER AMATO

This week, on July 16, is the feast day of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel. For nearly eight centuries, there have been those devoted to the Blessed Virgin Mary under the title of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel. I am sure you have heard of this title, but perhaps did not know much about devotion or what "Carmel" is.

What is Mt. Carmel? Good question. It is a real place with great historical significance as it is related to us in Scripture. Mt. Carmel is actually a mountain range in northern Israel. The word "Carmel" means "God's vineyard" or "God's garden." That name plays an important role in the spirituality of the Carmelite Order. The soul is the beautiful Garden where one lives with God.

In Scripture, for our purposes here, Mt. Carmel is associated with the prophet Elijah as we see in the First Book of Kings. It was there, as 1 Kings 18 relates, that Elijah had his showdown with the prophets of Baal, and Elijah called upon the Lord to send down fire from heaven to consume the sacrifice on his altar. At the end of that same chapter, the Lord ends the drought and famine by sending rain. Elijah was told that: "There is a cloud as small as a man's hand rising from the sea." Interesting enough, this translation was not what most people are familiar with. In the Latin Vulgate and the Greek Old Testament, this verse could be translated as: "Behold, a cloud as small as [or like] a man's foot, rising from the sea."

Looking back on this event, spiritual writers have seen here a foreshadowing of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Check out, again, the Latin Vulgate Old Testament. After Adam and Eve had sinned, they were cast out of the garden. And God said this in Genesis 3:15: "I will put enmities between thee and the woman, and thy seed and her seed: *she shall crush thy head*, and thou shalt lie in wait for her heel." Our tradition has always seen in this passage from Genesis 3:15 a prophecy of Mary who will come and crush the head of the devil. Some have also seen in 1 Kings 18 a connection between Mary and Mt. Carmel, as the cloud in the shape of a foot rising out of the sea reminds one of Mary crushing the head of Satan.

I will skip a bunch of history here and point out that there were monks on Mt. Carmel since the time of Elijah and the Carmelite Order traces its history back to the great prophet as their spiritual father. The Carmelite Order was founded there in what was known as the Crusader States (in the Holy Land). Some of the monks there moved to England and began their chapter in about 1241-1242. Simon Stock was the prior and in 1251 he was given a vision that would have its effect on Catholic devotion until this day.

On July 16, 1251, Simon Stock was given a vision and Mary appeared to him with the scapular. A scapular is a cloth that goes over the head and hangs down the front and back of the one wearing it. This is a standard part of a religious habit these days. But it was to these monks that Mary first gave this garment, the Brown Scapular, with the promise: "Whosoever dies wearing this scapular shall not suffer eternal fire." Today, the brown scapular can be worn by anyone who wishes to be "enrolled" and have the scapular placed upon you. The scapular is a simple vesture, consisting of two rectangular/square pieces, connected by brown wool strings, so that it hangs over the front and back, usually hidden under clothing. It is a sign of one's devotion to the Blessed Virgin Mary and the promises of her help from Heaven.

Of course, the scapular is not magic, but we are given the help of heaven, and reminded of that help, so that we live a holy life. This is why Mary assigned certain conditions to accepting the scapular:

Wear the Brown Scapular continuously.

Observe chastity according to one's state in life (married/single).

Recite daily the Little Office of the Blessed Virgin *or* Observe the fasts of the Church together with abstaining from meat on Wednesdays and Saturdays *or* With permission of a priest, say five decades of Our Lady's Most Holy Rosary *or* With permission of a priest, substitute some other good work.

There is always more to learn about this devotion and all that Our Lady does for us. Many throughout the centuries have found in this devotion a tangible sign of God's love for us through the Virgin Mary. The scapular is Mary, as our Mother, clothing us, her children. Our Lady of Mt. Carmel, pray for us!



In Christ, Father Amato



## Mass Intentions

Saturday, July 13 Vigil of the Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

(Am 7:12-15/Eph 1:3-14/Mk 6:7-13)

4:00 PM Anne & Francis Boardman St. Dominic

by Their Children, Patty, Bill & Tim

Sunday, July 14 Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

(Am 7:12-15/Eph 1:3-14/Mk 6:7-13)

\*8:00 AM St. Felix Peter & Julia Maslyn & Dec. Fam. Mem.

by the Family

10:00 AM St. Francis Our Parishioners, Living & Deceased Noon

St. Dominic Dec. Mem. of the Stambach Family

by Mary Lawrence

Monday, July 15 St. Bonaventure, Bishop & Doctor of the Church

(Is 1:10-17/Mt 10:34-11:1)

Noon St. Dominic Pauline Angeline by the Family

Tuesday, July 16 Our Lady of Mount Carmel (Is 7:1-9/Mt 11:20-24)

No Mass Today

Wed., July 17 Weekday (Is 10:5-7,13b-16/Mt 11:25-27)

10:30 CSNH All Souls Intention

Noon St. Felix A Special Intention by Kathy Burke

Thurs., July 18 Weekday (ls 26:7-9.12.16-19/Mt 11:28-30)

10:00 AM Vnna Gdns All Souls Intention

Noon St. Francis Linda Wolfanger by Ed & Lisa Blackman

Friday, July 19 Weekday (ls 38:1-6,21-22,7-8/Mt 12:1-8)

Noon St. Dominic Bob Goodell

by Bernice Goodell & Family

Saturday, July 20 Vigil of the Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

(Jer 23:1-6/Eph 2:13-18/Mk 6:30-34)

4:00 PM St. Dominic Susan Vatter

by Dcn. Bob & Cecelia Cyrana

Sunday, July 21 Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

(Jer 23:1-6/Eph 2:13-18/Mk 6:30-34)

\*8:00 AM St. Felix Fr. Edward Dillon

by Mary Ann Gilman & Eileen Crowley

10:00 AM St. Francis Our Parishioners, Living & Deceased Noon St. Dominic Jane Henry

by Michael & Andrea Record & Family

\* Streamed. See parish website for link.



## July is the month of the Precious Blood

Lectors for Weekend Masses — July 20th—21st					
SAT. 4 PM	SUN. 8 AM	SUN. 10 AM	SUN. Noon		
St. Dominic Dave Smith	St. Felix Soberon Family	St. Francis Beth Webster Nita Allen	St. Dominic Brian Moser		



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

St. Dominic-for Dick, Chris & Bill Birch at the request of Dan & Debbie Breese

St. Felix-for Fr. Van Lieshout for the 10th anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood. at the request of St. Peter's Parishioners

St. Francis-In Honor of our Priests and Deacons at the request of the Women of St. Francis



## Summer Coffee Hours are back!

Join us for a coffee hour today, Sunday, July 14, at St. Francis Church following the 10 AM Mass!

Our next coffee hour will be Sunday, July 21 at St. Dominic Church, following the Noon Mass. Hope to see you there!

#### ST. PETER'S PARISH SUPPORT

A sincere thank you for your ongoing support of our parish and its ministries!

On-line Sunday Offering (7/1-7/7)......\$2,030.00 Mailed-in & Sunday (7/1-7/7).....\$6,955.00 Total Collected (Year-to-Date).....\$8,985.00

We are in the process of finalizing our 2024-25 Budget, so we do not have an over/under figure to publish as of yet.

> THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR YOUR **GENEROUS SUPPORT!**

#### Last Week's Mass Attendance

St. Dominic	4:00 PM	75
St. Felix	8:00 AM	89
St. Francis	10:00 AM	84
St. Dominic	Noon	_85
TOTAL ATTEN	333	

## **FAITH FORMATION**

**Vacation Bible School** August 5-9 from 5:30-8:30 PM St. Dominic Parish Center

Please use this online registration link or scan QR code below to register for VBS. https://forms.office.com/r/zQ3BcUTiu3



VBS Registration is open. Please fill out the form online before July 14th. If you'd like to help with VBS, please contact Sarah with how you'd like to help. sarah.herendeen @dor.org

#### ITEMS NEEDED!

We are in need of some items for donations and/or loans for Vacation Bible School. There are flags with different items needed in the vestibule of each church, Please take one & help make the week a success! You can drop off your donated items to the parish center no later than August 1<sup>st</sup>. Thank you for all of your help and support!



### HAPPY BIRTHDAY WISHES!

Our parish's best wishes go out to **OUR NONAGENARIANS** 

Who will be celebrating their birthdays this week!

Geraldine Antheunis, 93 on 7/19 Carl Carlson, 91 on 7/18

Seminarian/Vocations Mass & Picnic 2024 Sunday, August 4th, 2024 at our Noon Mass

Mass Celebrant: Fr. Anthony Amato Homilist: Deacon George Bastedo IV

St. Dominic Church, 97 W Main St., Shortsville

Families are invited to pray with & meet our Diocese of Rochester seminarians & priests! Pulled pork, Scoops Ice Cream truck, & games on the lawn immediately following the Mass. Rain or shine. Please bring a side dish to share.

Kindly RSVP to Deacon Dermot & Janene Loughran at 585.329.1974 or janene loughran@yahoo.com



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The Truth About the Shroud of Turin W/Fr. Robert Spitzer/ The Chris Stefanick Show

The Shroud of Turin is the subject of a lot of rumors, myths, & controversies-maybe you've heard some of them yourself & don't know what to believe. In this episode, Fr. Robert Spitzer offers amazing facts & stories about the Shroud.

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#### ASK A PRIEST LIVE!

Fr. Amato will be answering questions live tomorrow, Monday July 15th at 6:00 PM. Call 1-877-511-5483 or email your questions to priests@thestationofthecross.com.

Please join us for a farewell reception in honor of our organist, **Oliver Lear** 

Sunday, July 21<sup>st</sup> immediately following the 8 AM Mass at St. Felix Church



Thank you cards will be available at each church for you to sign!

TO TAKE FATHER A MEAL PLEASE GO TO: www.TakeThemAMeal.com/SKFC3566 or call Kathy at 585-413-6780

#### ALL ARE WELCOME DAY RETREATS

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> More information can be found at branchescenter.org or call (716) 901-4313.

#### 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 Cillian Ahern Donna Allen Donnie Allen Amanda Spencer Annabel Lorenza Augustine Nancy Beers Linda Bigl Anne Black Janice Blackman Carmela Bonneville Sue Bowker Darrell Brown Jr Dave Bush Wandy Bush Judy Carkner Carl A. Carlson Carl E. Carlson Laurie & Jack Caves Cheryl Cecere Christopher Mary Ann Clark Bruce & Sharon Croucher Tricia Csaszar Mary D'Arduini Fr. Deasio Jill DeBrock

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N-Z Gordie Nicholson Dawn Nieskes Bey O'Brien Sean Olin Piper Paddock Mary Ann Perry Corrine Chianfoni Pollot Don Quigley Ray Anne Riley Leo Schmitt Mary Seely Laura Carlson Silver Dylan Smith Jean Smith Roger Smith Terri Stell Pinky Tiebout Parker V Karis Vaillancourt Marlene RaemenWade Donny Waddell Denise Warren Jerry Wiepert Dawn Zeitler ...and those we hold dear to our hearts

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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)

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Contact: Tom Cheney—cheneytom48@gmail.com

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and 4th Thursday, 5-7 PM

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

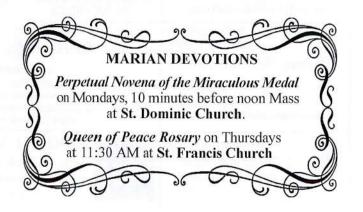
#### PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED

In your charity, please pray for all of our deceased. Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let your perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace.



## **AED (Automated External Defibrillator)**

Anyone interested in another free info session or CPR certification please let the office know.



Collection Counters (7/16)

Lori Beal, Kathy Burke, JoAnn Henry

St. Pauly Building at St. Francis (7/15-7/21)

Paul Bree

Altar Bands for July

Jean Empson, Anna Lightfoote (St. Francis)

Dianne Bray (St. Dominic)

Mary Clyde (St. Felix)



In Loving Memory of Rill D'Arduini



In Loving Memory of Walter & JoAnn **VanCaeseele** By The Family



In Loving Memory of Angela D'Arduini

From the apple of her eye



IN LOVING Memory of-Bob Goodell

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