

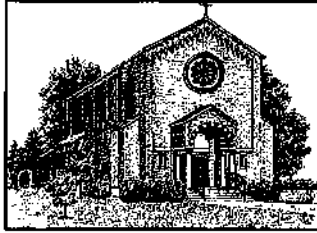
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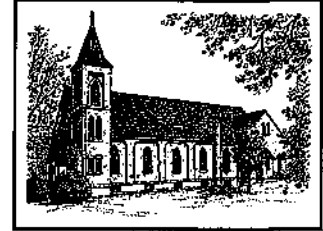
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## ST. FELIX



Located at: 12 Hibbard Avenue  
Clifton Springs, NY 14432

## ST. DOMINIC



Located at: 97 West Main Street  
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## SEVENTEENTH 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 7/28

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

Closed Thursday & Friday

### CONFESSION

Week of 7/28

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 7/28

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

I often like to draw things back to the liturgy, to the Mass in particular, because this is the primary means by which we are formed as a community of believers. Whatever we do throughout the week, whatever further engagement we may or may not have outside of the Sunday Mass, we come back together to pray, to sing, to listen to God's Word, and offer the Sacrifice of the Mass in union with the priest.

Often, we can be so used to the rites that we can just "go through the motions" and then Mass is over, and we go home. But one of my favorite "commands" during the Mass is after I have prepared the altar, and I turn to you (the people) and say:

*Pray, brethren, that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God, the almighty Father.*

And you reply:

*May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands for the praise and glory of his name, for our good and the good of all his holy Church.*

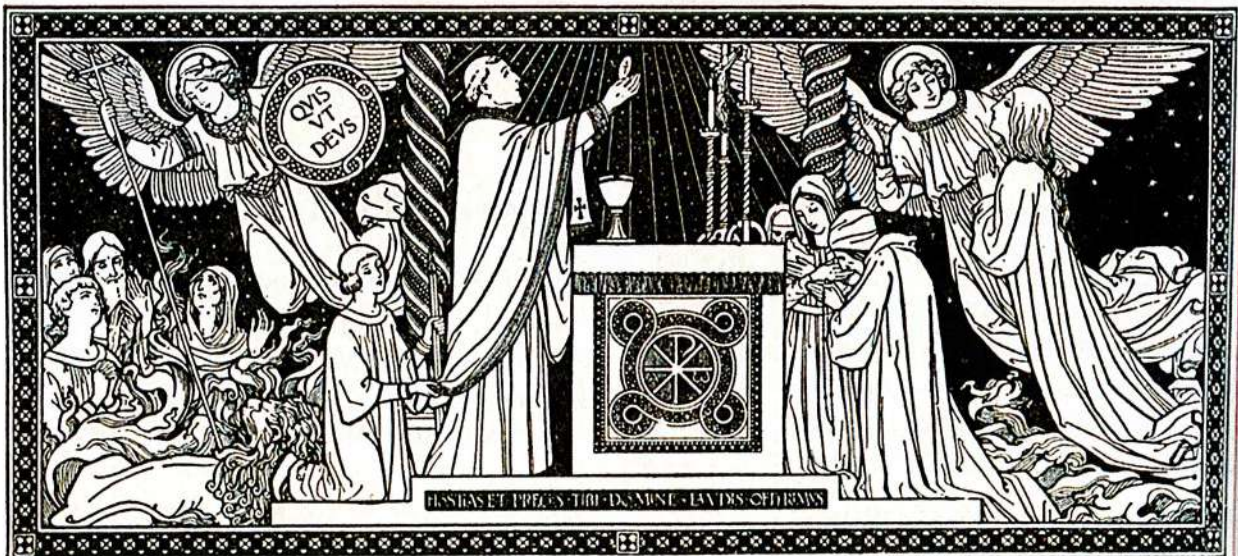
The command to pray that our sacrifice is acceptable to the Father is given its response in the voice of the people who here identify *why* we offer this sacrifice. This brief prayer shows us the corporate nature of our worship. Every Mass, no matter how many people are present, is an instantiation of the Living Body of Christ spread throughout the world. Each gathering of this Body has a head – the priest – who stands in Christ's place to offer the very same Sacrifice He offered to the Father. We as a body offer this Sacrifice – the people united to the priest – as we offer ourselves to God as well.

We all know it is very difficult to pay attention for an hour straight, without any lapses in concentration. That may be nearly impossible. Of course, I have to attempt to do that at each Mass, which is partly why it is so exhausting. However, even though the Mass is said in English, and most of the priest's prayers are said audibly (and with amplification), we can still lose focus and simply drift through the Mass at times. This is why ringing the bells at the various parts of the Mass is so important. When you hear the bells, you know something important is about to happen, so we have to re-focus at that part. All of our senses are engaged.

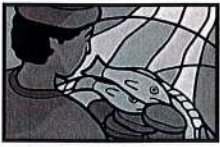
Further, we learn better when more of our senses are engaged at once. This is why I try so often to encourage people to use the missal/hymnal in the pews not just for the hymns and readings, but for the different parts of the Mass, most especially the Eucharistic Prayer (Roman Canon). In the missal, simply open to Page 1 and follow along. If you want to start following at the Liturgy of the Eucharist, you can start at Page 11, which finishes on Page 16. It is especially important to read the Eucharistic Prayer silently along with me, because the words are going to be learned more easily than simply hearing them. There are also good publications you can purchase, such as the St. Joseph Sunday Missal, which contain all the readings and Mass parts in one book as well.

Following in this way also encourages us to stay focused and it may minimize distractions. And, yes, it can be tiring, but it is rather minimal given the privilege that God has bestowed on us to worship Him in Spirit and in Truth.

In Christ, *Father Amato*







# Mass Intentions

<b>Saturday, July 27</b>	<b>Vigil of the Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> (2 Kgs 4:42-44/Eph 4:1-6/Jn 6:1-15) St. Dominic <i>A Special Intention by Jean &amp; Dave Smith</i>
4:00 PM	
<b>Sunday, July 28</b>	<b>Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> (2 Kgs 4:42-44/Eph 4:1-6/Jn 6:1-15)
*8:00 AM	St. Felix <i>Bob, Jim &amp; Fred DiSanto</i> <i>by George &amp; Dolores Attenboro</i>
10:00 AM	St. Francis <i>Janie Bree by the Women of St. Francis</i>
Noon	St. Dominic <i>Our Parishioners, Living &amp; Deceased</i>
<b>Monday, July 29</b>	<b>Sts. Mary, Martha &amp; Lazarus</b> (Jer 13:1-11/Jn 11:19-27)
Noon	St. Dominic <i>Robert Salvato by the Salvato Family</i>
<b>Tuesday, July 30</b>	<b>Weekday</b> (Jer 14:17-22/Mt 13:36-43) No Mass Today
<b>Wed., July 31</b>	<b>St. Ignatius of Loyola, Priest</b> (Jer 15:10,16-21/Mt 13:44-46)
Noon	St. Felix <i>Amy Quigley by Sully &amp; JoAnn Feligno</i>
<b>Thurs., Aug. 1</b>	<b>St. Alphonsus Liguori, Bishop &amp; Doctor of the Church</b> (Jer 18:1-6/Mt 13:47-53)
Noon	St. Francis <i>Janie Bree by Paul Bree</i>
<b>Friday, Aug. 2</b>	<b>Weekday</b> (Jer 26:1-9/Mt 13:54-58)
Noon	St. Dominic <i>Margaret DeFlyer</i> <i>by Dan &amp; Teri Gersbach</i>
<b>Saturday, Aug. 3</b>	<b>Vigil of the Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> (Ex 16:2-4,12-15/Eph 4:17,20-24/Jn 6:24-35)
4:00 PM	St. Dominic <i>Jane Henry &amp; Chad Pinkard</i> <i>by Bill, JoAnn &amp; Family</i>
<b>Sunday, Aug. 4</b>	<b>Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> (Ex 16:2-4,12-15/Eph 4:17,20-24/Jn 6:24-35)
*8:00 AM	St. Felix <i>Nancy Reals by Lynne Colacino</i>
10:00 AM	St. Francis <i>Our Parishioners, Living &amp; Deceased</i>
Noon	St. Dominic <i>Cindy Coffey by Dick Coffey &amp; Family</i>

\* Streamed. See parish website for link.



*August is the month of the Immaculate Heart of Mary*

Lectors for Weekend Masses — August 3 <sup>rd</sup> - 4 <sup>th</sup>			
SAT. 4 PM	SUN. 8 AM	SUN. 10 AM	SUN. Noon
St. Dominic Dave Smith	St. Felix Soberon Family	St. Francis Rosemary Baker	St. Dominic Susanne Finewood



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

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

St. Felix—for **Walter & Madlyn Maslyn**  
at the request of **Doris & Bill Hunter**

St. Francis—**In Memory of Dec. Parishioners**  
at the request of the **Women of St. Francis**



### Summer Coffee Hours

Please join us **next Sunday, Aug. 4**, for a coffee hour at **St. Felix Church** right after the 8 AM Mass!

### AED Info Session

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

### ST. PETER'S PARISH SUPPORT



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

On-line Sunday Offering (7/15 – 7/21)...	\$1,010.00
Mailed-in & Sunday (7/15-7/21).....	\$3,828.00
Total Collected (Year-to-Date).....	\$21,189.00

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	90
St. Felix	8:00 AM	85
St. Francis	10:00 AM	91
St. Dominic	Noon	<u>93</u>
<b>TOTAL ATTENDANCE:</b>		<b>359</b>



# FAITH FORMATION

**Vacation Bible School**  
*August 5-9 from 5:30-7:30 PM*  
**St. Dominic Parish Center**

**Vacation Bible School starts next Monday!!**  
The deadline to register has passed but you can still bring your children for the week.  
Late registrations may not receive a t-shirt.

**If you took a donation flag, please make sure to have the items at the parish center by August 1<sup>st</sup>.**

*Faith Formation Registration is coming soon.  
Be on the lookout for more information!*

## BOTTLE RETURN

Support our Faith Formation and Youth program by bringing your cans and bottles to:

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2733 NY-96, Clifton Springs, NY 14432  
(Next to Dollar General)

*Just tell them you are donating to St. Peter's Parish Youth Group, they will do the rest!*



## Seminarian/Vocations Mass & Picnic 2024

Next Sunday, August 4<sup>th</sup>, 2024 at our Noon Mass

*Mass Celebrant: Fr. Anthony Amato*

*Homilist: Deacon George Bastedo IV*

**St. Dominic Church, 97 W Main St., Shortsville 14548**

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*

## ALL ARE WELCOME DAY RETREATS

*Branches Christian Rest and Renewal Centers, Inc.*

All are welcome to join us for a Day Retreat of Rest, Prayer, & Friendship at our beautiful Seneca Lake property.

**Sat. August 3, The Eucharist, Is It Really Him?**

**Thu. August 22, Heart to Heart with God**

**Sat. September 28, I Came to Cast Fire Upon the Earth**

*Fr. Amato will be hearing confessions & celebrating the Mass at the Sept. 28 retreat.*

More information can be found at [branchescenter.org](http://branchescenter.org) or call (716) 901-4313.

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## PICK OF THE WEEK:

*The Word Conference/Episode 1*

*Going Deeper: How to Get More Out of the Gospels*

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## TO TAKE FATHER A MEAL PLEASE GO TO:

[www.TakeThemAMeal.com/SKFC3566](http://www.TakeThemAMeal.com/SKFC3566)

or call Kathy at 585-413-6780



*Many thanks to everyone who helped to make Oliver's last Sunday with us so special!*



**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 Cszasz  
Mary D'Arduini  
Fr. Deasio  
Jill DeBrock

**D-H**

Marge DeWind  
Diane Faherty  
Mary Ann Faucher  
Bernadette Fetter-Miller  
Steve Finewood  
Susanne Finewood  
Margaret Fisher  
Coral Fox  
Rosemary Fry  
Jean Galutia  
Allison Gersbach  
George Gloska  
Betty Gordner  
Declan Guilliams  
Richard Guilliams  
Abby Gwilt  
Lucy Gwilt  
Melanie Haers  
Diane Harris  
Bruce Haug  
Liz Hezel  
Conner Hicks  
Jack Hicks  
Jennie Hilderman  
Mary Hollis  
Hilde Houck  
Erin Hurley

**H-M**

Eileen Hyland  
Daniel Incarnato  
Markanthony Izzo  
Angie Keating  
David Keeler  
Jim Klahn  
Cindy Koch  
Nancy Kolb  
LKR  
Steven Lind  
Carol Little  
Gay Long  
Maggie Mahoney  
Neng Marquez  
Stanley Masiak  
Margaret Masiak  
Ginny Mattice  
Carter McConnon  
Cheryl McConnon  
Elizabeth Meath  
Midge & Steve  
Cathy Moore  
Stevie Morganti  
Ginny Morse  
Fr. Thomas Mull  
Margaret Murphy

**N-Z**

Gordie Nicholson  
Dawn Nieskes  
Bev 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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Location: Basement of St. Felix Church

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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: 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday 10:30-11:30 AM & 3:30-4:30 PMContact: *Tom Cheney—cheneytom48@gmail.com***Twin Cities Community Food Cupboard**

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**PRO LIFE ROSARY**TODAY IS THE 4<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY

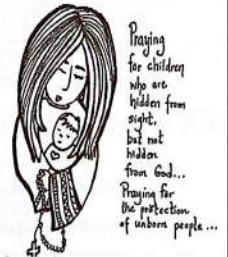
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Joan Freeman  
Geraldine Narendorf

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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.*

**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

**Collection Counters (7/30)**

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**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 her eye



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

**In Loving Memory of The Bree and Raes Families**



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