

SEPTEMBER 8, 2024



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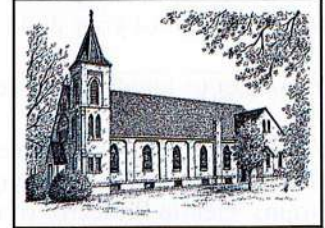
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*For our Live Stream Mass & Father's Homilies,
click on the links on our Parish Website.*

PARISH OFFICE HOURS WEEK OF 9/8

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

Closed Thursday & Friday

PLEASE NOTE: NO NOON MASS ON MONDAY THIS WEEK

CONFESSION TIMES

Week of 9/8

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 9/8

Adoration will be held on:

Wednesday, St. Felix, Thursday, St. Francis

with Benediction at 6:00 PM

P L E A S E S E E I N S I D E F O R M A S S T I M E S

FROM OUR PASTOR, FATHER AMATO

I want to continue last week's discussion on the **Angelic Warfare Confraternity**. Again, we will be hosting the Enrollment ceremony on **Saturday, September 28, following the 4:00pm Mass, at St. Dominic.**

Last week I gave the backstory to the confraternity, and so this week I want to tell you what is involved if you were to be enrolled. The ceremony of enrollment itself is rather short, consisting of an instruction by me, and various prayers and promises those enrolled are to make. For example, we pray:

Priest: Following the example of St. Thomas, let us humbly pray to Christ for the grace of purity.

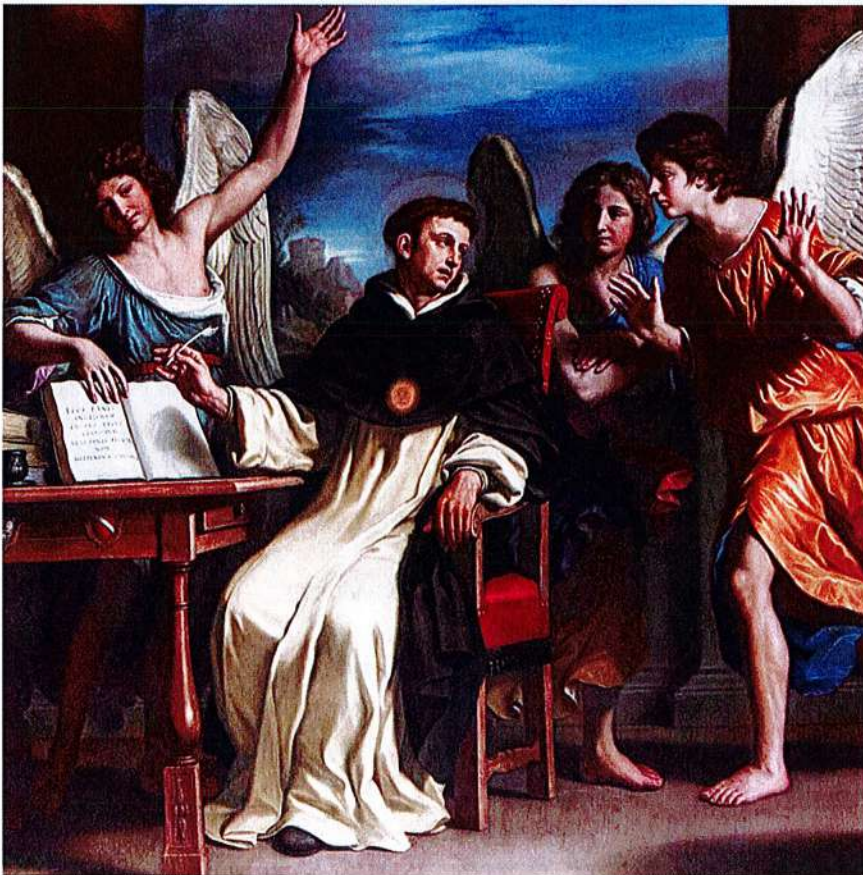
All: Dear Jesus, I know that every perfect gift and especially that of chastity depends on the power of your Providence. Without you, a mere creature can do nothing. Therefore, I beg you to defend by your grace the chastity and purity of my body and soul. And if I have ever imagined or sensed anything that can stain my chastity and purity, blot it out, supreme Lord of my powers, that I may advance with a pure heart in your love and service, offering myself on the most pure altar of your divinity, all the days of my life. Amen.

Priest: Let us together invoke the intercession of St. Thomas.

All: Chosen lily of innocence, pure St. Thomas, who kept chaste the robe of baptism, and became an angel in the flesh after being girded by two angels, I implore you to commend me to Jesus, the Spotless Lamb, and to Mary, Queen of Virgins. Gentle Protector of my purity, ask them that I who wear the holy sign of your victory over the flesh may also share your purity and that after imitating you on earth, I may at last come to be crowned with you among the angels. Amen.

And then a priest blesses the cord that those enrolled can wear under their clothes in imitation of St. Thomas Aquinas. There is also a medal of St. Thomas Aquinas that is blessed. Those enrolled in the confraternity can wear either the cord or the medal, or both, as much as they possibly can, including when sleeping and bathing. If at any time the cord/medal needs to come off, it should be put back on as soon as possible. From what I am reading, experience shows that this has tremendous benefits.

Yet, simply wearing a medal around our neck or wearing the cord is not magic. We will not automatically be free from temptations. We will always need a good practice of prayer, and this spiritual bond of a confraternity helps us on this path towards growing in chastity and maintaining purity.



There are also prescribed prayers that all members of the Confraternity pray each day. These prayers include **15 Hail Mary's for chastity for themselves and all members of the Confraternity.** You can also dedicate 15 Hail Mary's when you pray your Rosary "for the Confraternity." In addition to those Hail Mary's, all members pray those two prayers for purity, given above, each day.

Finally, as an encouragement to the faithful to join this Confraternity, the Church gives a plenary indulgence to those enrolled, under the usual conditions, and renewing their intention to live according to the practices and statutes of the confraternity, on the following days: day of enrollment; Christmas, Easter, St. Thomas (January 28), the Annunciation (March 25), the Assumption of the B.V.M. (August 15), and All Saints Day (November 1).

Those helping me organize this enrollment ceremony, will provide the medals and cords for all who wish to be enrolled.

In Christ, *Father Amato*



Mass Intentions


Saturday, Sept. 7	Vigil of the Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time (Is 35: 4-7a/Jas 2:1-5/Mk7:31-37)
4:00 PM	St. Dominic <i>Nelson Vienna</i> by David, Betty & Kathleen Vienna
Sunday, Sept. 8	Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time (Is 35: 4-7a/Jas 2:1-5/Mk7:31-37)
*8:00 AM	St. Felix <i>Les Lind</i> by JoAnn & Sully Feligno
10:00 AM	St. Francis <i>Our Parishioners, Living & Deceased</i>
Noon	St. Dominic <i>John "Jack" Keating</i> by Mary Margaret Kesel
Monday, Sept. 9	St. Peter Claver, Priest (1 Cor 5:1-8/Lk 6:6-11) No Mass Today
Tuesday, Sept. 10	Weekday (1 Cor 6:1-11/Lk 6:12-19) No Mass Today
Wed., Sept. 11	Weekday (1 Cor 7:25-31/Lk 6:20-26)
Noon	St. Felix <i>Kirsten Hilderman & Janet Senkiw</i> by Family
Thurs., Sept. 12	Weekday (1 Cor 8:1b-7,11-13/Lk 6:27-38)
Noon	St. Francis <i>Intentions of Jeremy & Rose Tullo</i> by Jessica Snell
Friday, Sept. 13	St. John Chrysostom, Bishop & Doctor of the Church (1 Cor 9:16-19,22b-27/Lk 6:39-42)
Noon	St. Dominic <i>Thomas J. Henry & Michael N. Henry</i> by Betty & Tom Henry & Mary Ellen Harrison
Saturday, Sept. 14	Vigil of the Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Is 50:5-9a/Jas 2:14-18/Mk 8:27-35)
4:00 PM	St. Dominic <i>Stuart Gwilt</i> by His Children
Sunday, Sept. 15	Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Is 50:5-9a/Jas 2:14-18/Mk 8:27-35)
*8:00 AM	St. Felix <i>Rita Rush</i> by Allen Family
10:00 AM	St. Francis <i>Our Parishioners, Living & Deceased</i>
Noon	St. Dominic <i>Lvg. & Dec. Members of the John Rovinsky Family</i> by Friends

* Streamed. See parish website for link.



Eucharistic Adoration

Sign up to come & spend time with our Lord in the Holy Eucharist after the Noon Mass on Wednesday at St. Felix & Thursday at St. Francis.





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

- St. Dominic—for **John & Alice Boardman & Family**
at the request of Alice, Terry & Tammy
- St. Felix—for **Robert Fuest**
at the request of Mary Ann Gilman
- St. Francis—for **Margaret Fling**
at the request of Her Children



Coffee Hour

Join us for a coffee hour today at **St. Francis Church** following the 10 AM Mass.

There will be a light luncheon served next Sunday at St. Dominic Church right after the Noon Mass.



ST. PETER'S PARISH SUPPORT

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

On-line Sunday Offering (8/26-9/1).....	\$1,785.00
Mailed-in & Sunday (8/26-9/1).....	\$6,178.00
Total Collected (Year-to-Date).....	\$60,576.96

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	89
St. Felix	8:00 AM	83
St. Francis	10:00 AM	102
St. Dominic	Noon	<u>118</u>
TOTAL ATTENDANCE:		392

WE ARE SO VERY BLESSED TO HAVE YOU HERE ATTENDING MASS WITH US!

Lectors for Weekend Masses — Sept. 14 th - Sept. 15 th			
SAT. 4 PM	SUN. 8 AM	SUN. 10 AM	SUN. Noon
St. Dominic Mark Cazer	St. Felix Jim Cheney	St. Francis Laurie Caves	St. Dominic Sue Finewood

FAITH FORMATION

REGISTER TODAY!

Time is running out to register for Faith Formation, CGS & Confirmation Classes!

Deadline for registration is Sunday, Sept. 15, 2024.

Go to our website at <https://www.stpeterparish.us>,
and click on the Faith Formation tab
or go directly to <https://forms.gle/u1j77FCpTNfn4qvC8>



Box of Joy is coming soon! Be on the lookout for more information! We missed it last year so we've upped our goal for this year to compensate. Let's see how close we can come! Start thinking of how you will fill your boxes!

BOTTLE RETURN

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

Can and Bottle Redemption

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!*



THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
WILL MEET THIS WEDNESDAY,
SEPTEMBER 11 AT 7:00 PM

THE LADIES AUXILIARY WILL
MEET THIS THURSDAY, SEPT. 12 AT 7:00 PM

Meeting
will be
held at
the Parish
Center

Leaving, (but I'll still be here)

As most of you may know I am leaving the position of Business Manager after two plus wonderful years serving in St. Peter's Parish. Thanks for all the support I have received from all of you! I will still be active as a parishioner and volunteer, so you won't miss me too much!

Please give Cameron Hyzy, our new Business Manager, a warm welcome! He will be sharing his time with two other parishes we are connected with through Dan Hofford, our Finance Director. Sarah Herendeen is taking over the Cemetery Coordinator portion.

I appreciate you keeping me in your prayers! You are all in mine. And join me in wishing Our Blessed Mother, Mary, a Very Happy Birthday today!!

Mary

ST. PETER'S ANNUAL USED CLOTHING SALE

Please save your gently used clothing for our annual sale, which will take place on **October 3-5**. We accept clothing, shoes, belts, jewelry, purses & linens. *No toys or household items please!* Drop offs begin now. Parish Center, east side storage room, first door on the left.



St. Dominic's Social Hour

Please join us for a very special **Social Hour** on Sunday, **Sept. 15th**, following the Noon Mass. We will be serving a light lunch of pizza, tossed salad, cheesecake & make-your-own-sundaes in the **Parish Center**.



*This event is sponsored free of charge by the Knights of Columbus Ladies Auxiliary.
Hope you can join us!*

(Donations will be gratefully accepted!)

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ASK A PRIEST LIVE!

Fr. Amato will be answering questions live tomorrow, Sept. 9th at 6:00 PM.

Call 1-877-511-5483 or email your questions to priests@thestationofthecross.com.

ST. FELIX & ST. DOMINIC ALTAR BAND GROUPS NEED MEMBERS!!

We are responsible for light dusting & cleaning in the church, usually 2 months of the year. You can work with a friend, family members or spend your cleaning time alone with Our Lord. Please call the office if you would like more information about this ministry.

ALL ARE WELCOME DAY RETREATS

Branches Christian Rest and Renewal Centers, Inc.

"I Came to Cast Fire Upon the Earth"

This Day Retreat will be led by Rocco Fortunato with Confessions & Mass celebrated by Rev. Anthony Amato on Saturday, Sept. 28th

This will be an INTENSE retreat that will reflect the URGENCY of growing in holiness as an antidote to the current crises in the Church & the world. *Branches is a Roman Catholic Retreat Center on the shores of beautiful Seneca Lake, NY.* All who love Christ are welcome.

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	D-H	H-N	O-Z
Cillian Ahern	Marge DeWind	Erin Hurley	Bev O'Brien
Donna Allen	Diane Faherty	Eileen Hyland	Sean Olin
Donnie Allen	Mary Ann Faucher	Daniel Incarnato	Lindsay Osborne
Amanda	Bernadette Fetter-Miller	Markanthony Izzo	Piper Paddock
Spencer Annabel	Steve Finewood	Angie Keating	Mary Ann Perry
Lorenza Augustine	Susanne Finewood	David Keeler	Corrine Chianfoni Pollot
Nancy Beers	Margaret Fisher	Jim Klahn	Don Quigley
Linda Bigl	Coral Fox	Cindy Koch	Ray
Anne Black	Janet Fox	Nancy Kolb	William Reader
Janice Blackman	Rosemary Fry	LKR	Anne Riley
Kieth Blaker	Jean Galutia	Steven Lind	Leo Schmitt
Carmela Bonneville	Allison Gersbach	Carol Little	Mary Seely
Sue Bowker	George Gloska	Gay Long	Laura Carlson Silver
Darrell Brown Jr	Betty Gordner	Maggie Mahoney	Jean Smith
Dave Bush	Declan Guilliams	Neng Marquez	Roger Smith
Wandy Bush	Richard Guilliams	Stanley Masiak	Thomas Stage
Judy Carkner	Abby Guilt	Margaret Masiak	Terri Stell
Carl A. Carlson	Lucy Gwilt	Ginny Mattice	Pinky Tiebout
Carl E. Carlson	Melanie Haers	Carter McConnon	Kat Tierney
Laurie & Jack Caves	Christopher Hansen	Cheryl McConnon	Parker V
Cheryl Cecere	Diane Harris	Midge & Steve	Karis Vaillancourt
Christopher	Bruce Haug	Debbie Misik	Marlene RaemenWade
Mary Ann Clark	Liz Hezel	Stevie Morganti	Donny Waddell
Bruce & Sharon Croucher	Conner Hicks	Ginny Morse	Denise Warren
Tricia Csaszar	Jack Hicks	Fr.Thomas Mull	Jerry Wjepert
Mary D'Arduini	Jennie Hilderman	Margaret Murphy	Dawn Zeitler
Fr. Deasio	Mary Hollis		
Jill DeBrock	Hilde Houck		

Our Community Food Cupboards

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)
 Open: 4th Tuesday 10:30-11:30 AM & 3:30-4:30 PM
 Contact: *Tom Cheney—cheneytom48@gmail.com*

Twin Cities Community Food Cupboard

P.O. Box 183, Manchester, NY 14504
 Location: Bennett Building
 4 Center St., (across from Manchester Fire Hall)
 Open: 2nd Thursday & Sat., 10 AM-Noon
 and 4th Thursday, 5-7 PM
 Contact: *Bonnie Platt—585-944-8892 or Carol Record—585-734-7440*



HAPPY BIRTHDAY WISHES!

Our parish's best wishes go out to
OUR NONAGENERIAN

Angie Keating who will celebrate
 her 95th birthday today, 9/8!

TAKE FATHER A MEAL

Many thanks to all who have brought meals for Father Amato! There are open slots on the current schedule so please consider signing up to bring a meal at: www.TakeThemAMeal.com/SKFC3566 or call *Kathy Uebelacker at 585-413-6780* to schedule a day to bring a meal.

IN ASSISTED CARE

Barb Barton	Joan Bugliosi	Eileen Clements
Lisa Correira	Lynn Elliott	Joan Freeman
Martha Gersbach	Pat Jerzak	Geraldine Narendorf
Peggy Paytash	Rose Pettrone	

FOR STRENGTH & WELL-BEING

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 Catherine Moore and 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 (9/10)

Terry Bennett, Bernie Commisso, Doug Davis
St. Pauly Building at St. Francis (9/9—9/15)
 McConnon Family
Altar Bands for September
Carol Guilliams (St. Francis)
Sue Vienna & Alice Vienna (St. Dominic)
Mary Clyde (St. Felix)



In Loving Memory of Bill D'Arduini



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



In Loving Memory of our Deceased Loved Ones
The Cooke Family



Pope Francis, we pray for you!

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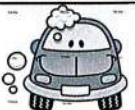
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