

9 April 2023

**THE RESURRECTION OF OUR LORD, JESUS CHRIST
(Easter Sunday)**

Sunday Mass: Anticipated Sat. 4PM/Sun. 8AM Ancient Rite Latin Mass
Sunday 9:30 AM (Live-streamed) 11 AM
Confessions: Sat. 2:30-3:30 PM & 6:30-7:30 PM
Note: There will be no Confessions this Wed. evening or
next Saturday morning.

THE HOLY SACRIFICE OF THE MASS

There will be no weekday Masses this week until Fri. 14 April.

Fri. 14 April Friday within the Octave of Easter
8 AM For: Dr. Irene Vanderhoof (L.)
Req: Isaac Martin

Sat. 15 April Saturday with the Octave Easter
9 AM Requiem Mass for Richard Tardiff+
4 PM For the Parishioners of OLGCC

Sun. 16 April II Sunday of Easter (Divine Mercy Sunday)
Sunday In the Octave of Easter (Dominica in Albis)

8 AM For: Deceased of the George Dorsey Family
Req: Mr. & Mrs. Martha Glover

9:30 AM For: Rev. Msgr. Eugene Yennock (L.)
Req: The Rosary Society of OLGCC

11 AM For: Sean Roche (L.)
Req: Mr. & Mrs. Richard Wilcox

A BLESSED AND HAPPY EASTER TO ONE AND ALL

We are so grateful to the many people of our parish who do so much to make this Feast of Feasts so glorious:

Our superb Altar Servers, who are such a wonderful honor guard to Our Lord on the altar;

Our Choir and Organist, who practice many hours for many weeks to prepare the sacred music for the Holy Week Liturgies:

Our Rosary Society women who send cards to and visit our homebound parishioners;

Our young ladies of the Sodality who bring their reverent dignity to our processions, and who reach out to the shut-ins and needy of the parish;

To the cooks of the Meal Train: you are so appreciated by those whom you serve with your meals;

To the men of St. Joseph Society, who give virile witness to Christ in our community;

And to all our parishioners, who participate in and support our parish to make it the unique portion of the Church of Christ that it is.

God bless you and keep you, and may His Holy Mother ever protect you!

NO RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASS THIS TUE. EVENING

Confirmation students are notified that the rehearsal for Confirmation will be on **WED. 26 April at 7 PM at St. Peter's Church on James St. in Rome. Your sponsors are asked to be present also, if possible.**

NEWS OF GREAT JOY!

Our annual parish dinner which we have not been able to hold for the last two years due to the shut-down, will be resumed this year on **THU. 8**

JUNE. This year, our dinner will be held at Theodore's in Canastota.

We hope you mark you calendars now for this event. I have asked our Most Rev. Bishop to be our speaker, but unfortunately, he already is committed that evening, so we will have to select someone else.

More details will be forthcoming as the event draws closer.

ROSARY SOCIETY WILL MEET THU. 13 APRIL AT 6:30 PM

AT THE RECTORY. We will have a short program on the Resurrection.

STATEWIDE EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS: 20-22 OCT. 2023

The Bishops of NYS are holding this Congress for the Eucharistic Revival that is now underway in the Church. All the NYS Bishops will be present at the Mass which will be offered at the Shrine of the North American Martyrs in Auriesville, N. Y. We will take a bus from our parish on Saturday, 21 October, the day of the Mass offered by the Bishops. More details will follow, but plan on going with us that day.

He is Risen! He is not here!

The Corpse, alid by the hands of them that loved their Lord, on the slab that lies in that cave, is resen; and, without removing the stone that closed the entrance, has gone forth, quickened with a life that can never die. No man has helped him. No prophet has stood over the dead Body, bidding it return to life. It is Jesus Himself, and by his own power, that has risen. He suffered death, not from necessity, but because he so willed; and again, because he willed, he had delivered himself from its bondage. O Jesus! Thou, that thus mockest death, art the Lord our God! We reverently bend our knee before this empty tomb, which is now for ever sacred, because, for a few hours, it was the place of thy abode. *Behold the place where they laid him!* Behold the winding sheet and bands, which remain to tell the mystery of thy having once been dead! The angel says to women: *Ye seek Jesus of Nazareth, who was crucified!* The recollection makes us weep. Yes, it was but the day before yesterday that this Body was carried hither, mangled, wounded, bleeding. Here, in this cave, from which the angel has now rolled back the stone-in this cave, which his presence fills fills with a more than mid-day brightness-stood the afflicted Mother. It echoed with the sobs of them that were at the burial, John and the disciples, Magdalen and her companions. The sun sank beneath the horizon, and the first day of Jesus' burial began. But the prophet had said, 'In the evening, weeping shall have place, but in the morning gladness'. This glorious, happy morning has come, O this same sepulchre, wiith we followed thee with aching hearts, is now but the trophy of thy victory! Thy precious wounds are healed! It was we that caused them; permit us to kiss them. Thou art now living, more glorious than ever, and immortal. And because we resolved to die to our sins, when thou was dying in order to expiate them, thou willest that we, too, should live eternally with thee; that thy victory over death should be ours; that death should be for us, as it was for thee, a mere passage to immortality, and should one day give back, uninjured and glorified, these bodies which are to be lent for a while to the tomb. Glory, then, and honour and love, be to thee O Jesus! Who didst deign not only to die, but to rise again for us!

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