



Palm Sunday



*April 5, 2020
Our Lady Of
Perpetual Help
Church*



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Cincinnati, New York



Administrator: **Rev. Douglas Cunningham**

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OLPH

Marathon

Whitney Point

Weekday Mass:

No Mass Until Announced

(No Mass in Mar.)

Tues: No Mass

Sunday Masses:

12:00PM

10:30AM

8:30AM

Sacrament of Reconciliation: As announced or by appointment

Mission Statement for Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church

"To advance the Kingdom of God by living a Community Life of Love & Worship,
Telling the Good News of Jesus Christ."

OLPH PARISH STAFF: Parish Council President—Linda Crowley, 863-3574 Vice-President-Terri Fedele Secretary-Lisa Holt
Pastoral Care Lay Ministers: Mike Sheridan, 315-653-7271, Linda Crowley, lcrowley@zfastest.net
Secretary-Mary Wied-For bulletin announcements please call 863-4750 or stephenstpat@syrdio.org by Wed



Baptisms – Please call OLPH's Seton Hall or Whitney Point Office.

Weddings – Please call OLPH's Seton Hall or Whitney Point Office at least 6 months in advance.

Sick/Infirm—If you have someone who is sick or in the hospital, please **notify one of our Pastoral Care Lay Ministers**, Linda or Mike, so they can be pastorally attended to.

Hosanna
in the highest!

PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

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MASS SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS

NO MASSES UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE. STAY SAFE.

During this time of isolation - At this time we cannot physically gather together in prayer until a future time, we certainly can keep each other in prayer .If you have the internet you can access Mass on line and you can visit Formed.org for podcasts, videos and books on many topics to continue to pray and learn. You no longer have to enter a parish code, just click on our parish name and you have access to hundreds of things developed for all ages, from preschool through teens and into adulthood.

Catholic Mass airs each week on:

Television Stations

- WSYR - Ch. 9 – Syracuse, Sundays at 6:30 am & 9:30 am
- WKTV - Ch. 2 – Utica, Sundays at 6:00 am
- WBNG - Ch. 12 – Binghamton, Sundays at 6:00 am

Community Access Cable Channels

- Spectrum Cable Ch. 4 [serving Skaneateles and Auburn]– Sundays at 10:30 am
- Spectrum Cable Public Access Channel Syracuse Ch. 98 -Saturdays at 8:30 pm
- Spectrum Cable Binghamton (Vestal) Ch. 1301 - Sundays at 1:00 pm
- Spectrum Cable Rome Ch. 99 - Thursdays at 6:30 pm

Easter broadcast times will be Easter Sunday 6am and 9am.

It also is placed on the Channel 9 website on Saturdays at 4pm.

Daily Televised Mass will be streamed through Syracuse Catholic Television at noon!

The **link** to Daily Mass is: www.youtube.com/syrdio.

Daily Masses - Fr. Joe and Fr. Nate of St. Mary's/St. Anthony's Parish in Cortland will be live-streaming daily Masses at 9AM and Sunday Mass at 10AM on the St. Mary's Facebook page.

Most Holy Rosary in Maine will be live-streaming daily Masses on [mostholynosaryoutubemass](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC...).

The Sacrament of Reconciliation - Fr Joe and Fr Nate will be doing confessions by appointment only. Please call St. Mary's Parish Center at 756-9967 and leave a message. They will return your call to schedule your appointment.

Symbolon The Paschal Mystery

Do we understand what the “Paschal Mystery” means in the greater story of Salvation, from the Passover in Egypt to the Last Supper and Crucifixion of Jesus? You can watch with your free parish subscription by simply selecting our parish’s name during registration at formed.org/signup.

Our Collections - Since we cannot attend Mass physically in our churches, our collections aren't there to still pay expenses. We pray and hope to maintain the upkeep of our parish, along with our parishioners' concerns with their homes, at this trying time. We hope you will celebrate Sunday Mass from your homes by watching it on television.

We ask that if it's in your budget to please continue tithing by mailing your donations to our parish office:
P.O. Box 310, Cincinnatus, NY 13040.

Let's keep each other and others all over our world in prayer as we get through this situation.



STEWARDSHIP REPORT: Week of March 30, 2020:

Other Income: HOPE Appeal Overage: \$75. Rental-\$300. **Bills Paid This Week:** \$0.00

Your continued support to your parish is greatly appreciated!

Annual Pontifical Good Friday Collection -The annual Pontifical Good Friday Collection is mandated by the Holy Father to be taken up in every Catholic parish. The Collection sustains Christianity in the Holy Land. With your support, the Franciscans and others minister in parishes, provide formation and education, build homes and feed the hungry. The sacred shrines in the Holy Land are maintained so pilgrims can walk in the footsteps of Jesus, and in these times of war and instability, we provide humanitarian aid.

Please Pray For Our Following Friends and Family in the Military: *Sgt. Nicholas Stone, Sgt Heather Fox, Major Caleb Miller, PVT2 Averi Hull, SSG Steven Gross, Major Corrine Miller (AirForce), USMC SSgt. Dan Votra, Brett Hayes, Michael Cruz, Lt. Paul McDonald, Kris Carstens, Sgt. Megan Ballard, OS3 Jonathan Schneider, Sgt. Zachary Reardon USMC, LCDR Maria Lescord, A2C Derek Lescord, Captain Chris Gitro, SSgt Michael Hetzler, A1C Brendan Schneider, SSgt. Justin Blaisdell, LC USMC Daniel Morehouse, LCDR Marvin Joel Scott, III, LCpl John Larkin, Jr .USMC, Major John Thomas, Major Joy Thomas PV2 James McGill, & our pastor, Lt. Colonel Douglas Cunningham*



If you have a friend or family member serving our country and would like their name mentioned weekly in our bulletin and to be kept in our prayers, please contact the Parish Office at 692-3911.

Heavenly Humor

The Presbyterian church called a meeting to decide what to do about their squirrel infestation. After much prayer and consideration, they concluded that the squirrels were predestined to be there, and they shouldn't interfere with God's divine will.

At the Baptist church the squirrels had taken an interest in the baptistery. The deacons met and decided to put a water-slide on the baptistery and let the squirrels drown themselves. The squirrels liked the slide and unfortunately, knew instinctively how to swim, so twice as many squirrels showed up the following week.

The Lutheran church decided that they were not in a position to harm any of God's creatures. So, they humanely trapped their squirrels and set them free near the Baptist church. Two weeks later the squirrels were back when the Baptists took down the water-slide.

The Episcopalians tried a much more unique path by setting out pans of whiskey around their church in an effort to kill the squirrels with alcohol poisoning. They sadly learned how much damage a band of drunk squirrels can do.

But the Catholic church came up with a very creative strategy! They baptized all the squirrels and made them members of the church. Now they only see them at Christmas and Easter.

And not much was heard from the Jewish synagogue. They took the first squirrel and circumcised him. They haven't seen a squirrel since.

The Divine Mercy Novena begins on Good Friday, April 10, and concludes Saturday, April 18.

In private revelations to St. Faustina, Jesus asked that the Feast of Divine Mercy be preceded by a novena praying for nine intentions with the Divine Mercy Chaplet. The novena can be accessed online at www.thedivinemercy.org/message/devotions/novena.php.

A Family Perspective - The cruel death of Jesus tells us bad things can and do happen to very good people. It also tells us God is present during the suffering. Bad things happen but God does not abandon us.

GET THE LATEST NEWS: Be sure to visit our parish website regularly: www.ccssp.com and sign up for our FacebookPage: www.facebook.com/ccsssp to get the most up to date information on parish events for The Catholic Community of St. Stephen-St. Patrick and Our Lady of Perpetual Help Churches. Thank you to John Dee for the wonderful work on our Facebook Page.

For God and Country, Pray the Rosary every day. It is as vital today as when Our Lady requested it at Fatima