

# Parish Notes



## Genesee Valley

### School board schedules meeting to discuss enrollment, financing

**St. Ambrose, Rochester** — The school board recently formed a planning committee to examine various issues that could affect school programs, enrollment, facilities and financing. Parishioners interested in serving on the committee should contact Pete Chesterton at (716)482-1955 for information.

The Adult Faith Enrichment series entitled "The Healing Sacrament: Penance and Reconciliation," will continue Thursday evenings, November 6 through November 20, in the St. Ambrose Church rectory basement.

The series, which is being sponsored by the diocesan Office of Religious Education, is being presented by Father Kevin P. Murphy,

### Pre-Cana session slated for couples in Wayland

**St. Joseph, Wayland** — The next pre-Cana session at the church is Sunday, November 2, from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Call the rectory at (716)728-2228.

The next meeting for separated, divorced and single Catholics will be on Monday, November 3, at 7 p.m. in the rectory, 206 Fremont St., Wayland.

The Penny Social is only five weeks away. New and handcrafted articles are needed — especially Christmas items. Please leave any items to be donated at the rectory any weekday from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

### Covenant Players to perform at St. Salome's in Rochester

**St. Salome, Rochester** — The Covenant Players, a self-supporting non-endowed touring group, will be performing at St. Salome's School, 4280 Culver Road, Rochester on November 7 at 7:30 p.m.

The cost for the group's performance will be handled by a free-will offering for the players during the presentation.

The group's theme is family communication and all families are welcome to come and participate. Call (716)544-3853 or 671-3196 for information.

### Rosary Society to host Mass in honor of deceased members

**Holy Family, Rochester** — The Rosary Society of the parish will meet in the Celebration Room on Wednesday, November 12, at 7:30 p.m. for a memorial Mass to honor deceased members of the society.

Following the Mass, members will go to the Pine Room for a business meeting and a bazaar.

Anyone who has items that they would like to donate may bring them the night of the meeting. Homemade items would be especially appreciated.

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co-pastor of St. John the Evangelist on Humboldt Street.

The series will be offered from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. Call Mary Ellen Fitzgibbons at (716)328-3210 or Deacon Steve Carroll at 288-1620. The fee for the series is \$10.

### Guild sponsors art, craft sale at Holy Rosary in Rochester

**Holy Rosary, Rochester** — The Holy Rosary Guild is sponsoring an arts and craft sale and show on November 8, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. in the Holy Rosary school hall, 420 Lexington Ave., Rochester. The sale will feature many items to choose from as well as a baked food sale. Admission is free.

Call (716)254-7443 or 254-8180 for information.

### Memorial Mass scheduled for late Rosary Society members

**St. Andrew, Rochester** — A memorial Mass for the deceased members of the St. Andrew's Rosary Society will be celebrated on November 2 at 8 a.m. Relatives of the deceased will participate in the candle-lighting remembrance.

A family and membership reunion breakfast in the school cafeteria will follow the Mass.

For reservations, call (716)467-3634 or 467-7407.

### Healing Mass set for Dansville

**St. Mary, Dansville** — A healing Mass is scheduled at the church, 40 Elizabeth St., Dansville for Tuesday, Nov. 4, at 7:30 p.m.

Father Frances Marino will be the celebrant. Call (716)335-5637 for information.

## Finger Lakes

### RCIA program beginning to form at Finger Lakes cluster parish

**Catholic Communities of St. Gregory/St. Anne** — The parish is looking for caring people to form a core to develop a Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults program, the process of bringing adults interested in becoming Catholic into full membership in the Church. The group will be formulating the RCIA process to begin next September.

Those interested in volunteering or who would like to know more about the process are asked to contact Father Dave Bonin or Sister Mary Marvin, RSM. The first meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, November 11, at St. Gregory's Church, beginning at 7:30 p.m.

Families having members serving in any branch of the military are asked to call the rectory at (315)597-4571 with the name and address of their service man or woman. The parish would like to be able to include these members serving in the armed forces in their prayers.

The rummage sale at St. Anne's has been scheduled for November 7 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., and November 8 from 9 a.m. to noon. Coordinators especially need children's

clothing — infant through high school. Call (315)597-9357 for information.

The Daughter's of St. Anne's would like to see more women attend its next meeting on November 10. The group met October 13 to discuss upcoming events, plan for the future and socialize.

### Mass for deceased members of team ministry in Cayuga

**Cayuga Team Ministry** — The joint worship committee is planning to remember the deceased members of parish families during November. Each family is asked to make lists of deceased relatives and friends, enclose the lists in envelopes and place the envelope in the basket provided in the back of each church.

This weekend, these envelopes will be carried to the altar where they will remain during November. Deceased relatives and friends will be remembered at each Mass celebrated throughout November, the month the Church traditionally sets aside to remember the dead.

The Ladies Division of the Cayuga Fire Department will sponsor a bake sale at the fire station on Saturday, November 1. Baked goods, donuts and donations are welcome. The sale begins at 10 a.m.

### Annual Christmas bazaar at mission church in Port Byron

**St. John Church, Port Byron** — The annual Christmas bazaar at the mission church is scheduled for Saturday, November 8, from 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. The bazaar will feature handmade articles, Christmas ornaments, aprons, baked goods and novelties.

Food on hand will consist of homemade soups, pies and sandwiches. Lunch will be served from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.

All are welcome.

### Active priest in healing ministry at St. John the Evangelist, Clyde

**St. John the Evangelist, Clyde** — Father Matthew Swizdor, a nationally known Franciscan priest active in healing ministry, will begin a week-long spiritual renewal at the church, 114 Sodus St., Clyde. Father Swizdor will preach at all weekend Masses on November 8 and 9, as an introduction to the week of healing services.

Each evening from November 10 through November 14, he will preach and celebrate the Eucharist, beginning at 7:30 p.m.

The author of two successful books, "God in Me" and "Lay Hands on the Sick," Father Swizdor is engaged full-time in healing ministry.

The entire week is open to people of all faiths.

## Southern Tier

### Bible group schedules sessions on scripture at Elmira church

**Our Lady of Lourdes, Elmira** — Bible study groups are being formed at Our Lady of Lourdes parish. Father Paul McCabe will be presenting the first three sessions on "How to Read Scripture" on November 4, "How to Listen to Scripture" on November 18, and "How to Pray with Scripture" on November 25.

The lectures will take place in the parish meeting room at 10:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Those wishing to attend the sessions should call (607)732-6261 to register for morning or evening sessions.

The parish will kick off its adult education

### Parish to host holiday bazaar for Newark Valley parishioners

**St. John, Newark Valley** — The parish will host its holiday bazaar on Friday, November 7, from 4:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m., and Saturday, November 8, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Friday's schedule features a spaghetti supper, which will cost \$3.50 for adults, \$2

series in November. On the weekend of November 8 and 9, Father Joseph Hart, professor of theology at St. Bernard's Institute, will preach at all weekend Masses as well as at 10:30 a.m. on Sunday morning. Father Hart will speak on "American Bishops' Statements as a Guide for Conscience."

The following weekend, Father John Firpo, diocesan director of Social Ministry, will preach the weekend Masses, and will also speak on "The American Bishops' Pastoral on Economics" at 10:30 a.m.

Father Brian Frawley, pastor at the Augustian parish in the Bronx, and Sister

Jean Marie Kears, superior of the Rochester Sisters of Mercy, will be among the speakers on later dates.

On the weekend of November 1 and 2, the parish will sponsor a Christmas sale in the church hall after all the Masses. Proceeds will go toward kitchen equipment for the new parish center.

Religious goods from Conklin and Rorick as well as medals, pamphlets and books will be featured.

The sale will take place in the hall on Saturday, November 1, after the Masses at 9:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m. and 5:30 p.m., and following the 8 a.m., 9:30 a.m. and 11:30 a.m. Masses on Sunday.

### Annual turkey show set to feature lots of fun, food

**St. Cecilia, Elmira** — The parish will host its annual turkey show on November 20 from 7 p.m. to 10 p.m. in the church hall, 950 Lake St., Elmira. The gala will feature free food, popcorn and pop.

All are welcome to join in the fun.

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