

CALENDAR



Sledding headlong into winter

Tyler Rodriguez, 5, and his brother Camacho, 10, of Rochester, sled down the hill at Cobbs Hill Park Dec. 15. (Right) Harry Bryant of Rochester holds his son, Trey, 3, while they sled at Cobbs Hill. Rochester had received 45 inches of snow this winter as of Jan. 1.



David Wallace

Livingston County

Religious Activities

■ **WED, JAN. 10** – Pray the rosary: WDNY radio, 1400AM, Dansville; 6 p.m.; every Wed.

Monroe County

Fundraisers

■ **JAN. 6-7, 13-14** – Book, toy drive: to benefit children at Ronald McDonald House & Rochester General Hospital Pediatric Unit; drop off new items at St. Joseph School Hall, 43 Gebhardt Rd., Penfield; 10 a.m.-4 p.m.; for information call Alan Frederick 716/377-3041.

Meetings

■ **FRI, JAN. 5** – Registration deadline: for Jan. 10 Spirituality of Parenting; Becky & Lonie Orsini, Barbara & Dave Snyder, leaders; SSJ Spirituality Center, 402 Rogers Pky., Rochester; 7:30-9 p.m.; \$12/session, \$50/5 sessions; also Feb. 14, Mar. 14, Apr. 4, May 9; 716/336-4370.

■ **MON, JAN. 8** – Course: Barefoot Basics: Living a Simpler Life; session 1 "Storytelling: Listening to Our Lives"; Mercy Prayer Center, 65 Highland Ave., Rochester; 4 sessions: Jan. 8, Feb. 5, Mar. 12, Apr. 2; 7:30-9 p.m.; \$40/series; 716/473-6893.

■ **MON, JAN. 8** – Registration deadline: for Jan. 15 Couples Connection; session 1 "Be Impeccable with Your

Word"; Mercy Prayer Center, 65 Highland Ave., Rochester; 4 sessions: Jan. 15, Feb. 12, Mar. 19, Apr. 23; 7-9 p.m.; \$20/session/couple; 716/473-6893.

■ **WED, JAN. 10** – Discussion: "Prophetic Lessons – Jeremiah 30-32"; Sr. Patricia Schoelles, Raphael Adler, presenters; Jewish Community Federation, 441 East Ave., Rochester; noon-1 p.m.; 716/461-0490 ext. 235.

Religious Activities

■ **FRI, JAN. 5** – Adoration of Blessed Sacrament: Guardian Angels Church, 2061 E. Henrietta Rd., Henrietta; noon-10 p.m.; every Fri.

■ **SAT, JAN. 6** – Eucharistic Adoration: Our Lady of Victory/St. Joseph Church, 210 Pleasant St., Rochester; 10:30-11:45 a.m.; every Sat.; 716/454-2245.

■ **MON, JAN. 8** – Series: "Themes in 12-Step Spirituality"; Julie LeVeque, SSJ, leader; SSJ Spirituality Center, 402 Rogers Pky., Rochester; 6 sessions: Jan. 8, Feb. 5, Mar. 5, Apr. 2, May 7, June 4; 7:30-9 p.m.; \$65 or \$12/session; 716/336-4370.

■ **MON, JAN. 8** – Registration deadline: for Jan. 12 retreat "A Day Away"; led by SSJ Spirituality Center team; SSJ Spirituality Center, 402 Rogers Pky., Rochester; 9:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m.; free will offering; 716/336-4370.

■ **TUE, JAN. 9** – Registration deadline: for Jan. 16 "A Day To Call Your Own"; Mercy Prayer Center, 65 Highland Ave., Rochester; 9 a.m.-4 p.m.; \$10; light lunch and private room; 716/473-6893.

National Vocations Awareness Week

Women religious, priests and seminarians will be available to speak with anyone interested in their vocations Sunday, Jan. 7, at St. Charles Borromeo Church, 3003 Dewey Ave., Greece. The event will take place at a coffee hour after the 9:30 a.m. Mass, and will kick off National Vocations Awareness Week, Jan. 7-14.

The Sisters of St. Joseph, Sisters of Mercy, Jesuits, School Sisters of Notre Dame and seminarians of the diocese will be represented.

More information is available from the diocesan Vocations Awareness Office, 716/328-3210, ext. 229.

■ **THU, JAN. 11** – Registration deadline: for Jan. 18, 19, 20, 21 retreat: "Experiencing Your Life As a Prayer"; Fr. James Dolan, SJ, leader; based on spirituality of Anthony deMello, SJ; Mercy Prayer Center, 65 Highland Ave., Rochester; 7:30 p.m. Thurs.-noon Sun.; residents \$180 w/meals, commuters \$90 w/lunch; 716/473-6893.

Social Activities

■ **THU, JAN. 11** – Registration deadline: for Jan. 14-15 Junior High Movie Madness Lock-in; Cinemark Tinseltown USA, 2291 Buffalo Rd., Gates; 11 p.m. Jan. 14-7:30 a.m. Jan. 15; \$21/teen, \$10/chaperone; contact your parish youth minister for permission forms.

Talks

■ **THU, JAN. 11** – Scripture study: "Acts of the Apostles"; P. David Finks, PhD, lecturer; St. Christopher's Church, 3350 Union St., North Chili; 7 p.m.; 716/594-1400.

■ **SAT, JAN. 13** – Lecture: "Financial Planning"; Maria Wehrle, leader; Holy Trinity Church, 1460 Ridge Rd.,

Webster; 10 a.m.-noon; \$4; sponsored by Mothers' Assoc. for Devotion, Recreation & Education; 716/787-2264.

Seneca Cayuga

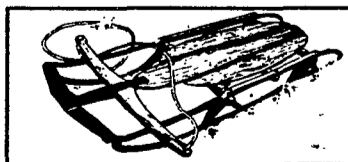
Social Activities

■ **TUE, JAN. 9** – Pasta dinner: St. Mary's Church Hall, 15 Clark St., Auburn; 5-7 p.m.; \$5 adults, \$3 children under 12; takeouts available.

Steuben County

Religious Activities

■ **SUN, JAN. 7** – Televised Mass: cable channel 13, channel 48; 10-11 a.m.; videotaped Sat. 4:30 p.m.; St. Patrick's Church, Corning.



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Religious Activities

■ **SAT, JAN. 6** – Jubilee Holy Hour: Immaculate Conception Church, 113 N. Geneva St., Ithaca; Exposition after 4:30 p.m. Mass; holy hour 7 p.m.; 607/273-6121.

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Meetings

■ **WED, JAN. 10** – Support group: divorced, separated, bereaved; Denny's Restaurant, Rt. 5 & 20, Geneva; 9 a.m.; call Catholic Charities of the Finger Lakes 315/789-2686.

■ **THU, JAN. 11** – Support group: bereavement; Dougherty Hall, St. Mary's Church, corner E. Gibson and Main Sts., Canandaigua; 7-8:30 p.m.; call Marcia 716/394-6836 or Peg 716/394-4136.

■ **FRI, JAN. 12** – Support group: for divorced, separated, widowed men; Blue Ribbon Smokehouse, Rts. 88 & 96, Phelps; 9 a.m.; call Pete 716/374-5982 or Carl 315/539-2284.

Religious Activities

■ **FRI, JAN. 5** – Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament: St. Dominic's Church, 6 Canandaigua St., Shortsville; noon-7 p.m.; every Fri.; 716/289-4164.

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