



Chemung/Schuyler

RELIGIOUS ACTIVITIES

■ **WED, MAR. 3** — Adult faith formation: "Change: It's Nothing New"; Fr. Walter Wainwright; St. Mary Our Mother Church, 816 W. Broad St., Horseheads; 7-8:30 p.m.; also Mar. 10, 24, 31; 607/739-3817.

Monroe County

FUNDRAISERS

■ **SUN, FEB. 29** — Spaghetti dinner: soccer benefit; Our Lady of Mercy High School, 1437 Blossom Rd., Rochester; 4-7 p.m.; \$6, under 5 free; 585/385-5631.

MEETINGS

■ **FRI, FEB. 27** — Registration deadline: Mar. 1 "Where Is the Catholic Church in America Going?"; Deacon Tom Driscoll; Borromeo Prayer Center, 3011 Dewey Ave., Rochester; soup supper 6 p.m., presentation 7:15 p.m., prayer 8:30 p.m.; \$7; 585/663-5856.

■ **MON, MAR. 1** — Nomination deadline: to diocesan Women's Commission; three-year term; people 18 & over can nominate themselves or others; nomination forms at www.dor.org/psm/womenscommiss.htm; Joan Workmaster 585/328-3228.

■ **WED, MAR. 3** — Information: kindergarten & preschool; St. John the Evangelist School, 2376 Ridge Rd. W., Rochester; 6:30 p.m.; babysitting provided; tours 9 a.m.-1 p.m.; 585/225-3450.

■ **WED, MAR. 3** — Support group: "Parents Again"; Catholic Family Center, sponsor; Greece Baptist Church, 1230 Long Pond Rd., Greece; 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m.; brown bag lunch; 585/262-7048.

RELIGIOUS ACTIVITIES

■ **FEB. 28-MAR. 3** — Lenten retreat: "Count Your Blessings!"; Kathleen Ches-to; Sat. & Sun. homilist: Feb. 28, St. James Church, 109 Brockley Rd., Rochester; 4:30 p.m.; Feb. 29, St. Ambrose Church, 25 Empire Blvd., Rochester; 9 a.m.; St. John the Evangelist Church,



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Getting it right

Richard D'Amato, a seventh-grader at McQuaid Jesuit Middle School (left) congratulates Christian Lambert, a seventh-grader at Elmira's Holy Family Junior High School, as Lambert correctly spells "accomplice" to win the 21st Annual Rochester Area Catholic Middle Schools Spelling Bee, held at McQuaid Jesuit High School Feb. 4.

549 Humboldt St., Rochester; 11:15 a.m.; Mon.-Wed.: prayer, presentation, party; 11 a.m. & 7:15 p.m.; Mar. 1, St. Ambrose; Mar. 2, St. John the Evangelist; Mar. 3, St. James; 585/288-5000.

■ **FEB. 29-MAR. 2** — Lenten mission: "Intimacy with Christ"; John Polce; Feb. 29: St. John of Rochester Church, 8 Wickford Way, Fairport; Mar. 1: Church of the Assumption, 20 East Ave., Fairport; Mar. 2: Church of the Resurrection, 63 Mason Rd., Fairport; 7-8:30 p.m.; 585/388-0040.

■ **MON, MAR. 1** — Presentation: "A Giant with Feet of Clay"; John Horvat; St. Michael the Archangel Chapter, Call to Holiness, sponsor; St. Jude the Apostle Church, 4100 Lyell Rd., Rochester; 7:30 p.m.; refreshments; Vivian 585/387-9662, Margaret 585/352-5403.

■ **MON, MAR. 1** — Registration deadline: Mar. 8 Lenten Mass, soup supper; Mercy Prayer Center, 65 Highland Ave., Rochester; 5:30 p.m.; free-will offering; 585/473-6893.

■ **MAR. 1 & 2** — Mission: "Lighten Up" with Doug

Brummel; St. John the Evangelist Church, 2370 W. Ridge Rd., Rochester; 7-9 p.m.; Jan Borromeo 585/227-0279.

■ **TUE, MAR. 2** — Prayer for Our Times: for peace; Sisters of St. Joseph Motherhouse, 150 French Rd., Rochester; 7-8 p.m.; 585/641-8100.

■ **FRI, MAR. 5** — Lenten Scripture study: "God Calls Us to Salvation: The Pascal Lamb"; Fr. Joseph Brennan; Christ the King Church, 445 Kings Hwy. S., Irondequoit; 3:30-4:45 p.m.; free lecture; 585/697-6322; followed by fish dinner hosted by Boy Scout Troop 233; 5-7 p.m.; \$6.50 adults, \$6 seniors, \$5.75 under 10; take-outs available; 585/266-0620.

■ **FRI, MAR. 5** — World Day of Prayer: "In Faith, Women Shape the Future"; Holy Trinity Church, 1460 Ridge Rd., Webster; noon; prayer service, lunch follows; bring nonperishable food item for food cupboard; 585/265-1616.

SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

■ **SUN, FEB. 29** — Concert: "An Afternoon of Musical Fantasy"; Rita George

Simmons, flute & Alisa Curlee, piano; St. Andrew's Church, 923 Portland Ave., Rochester; 3 p.m.; free; 585/266-7030.

■ **MON, MAR. 1** — Registration deadline: Apr. 24 Children's Choir Festival; Ron Fabry, conductor; St. John of Rochester, 8 Wickford Way, Fairport; 8:30 a.m.-4 p.m.; \$6/student; Anne Virgil 585/442-5086.

■ **MON, MAR. 1** — Reservation deadline: Mar. 6 pasta dinner; Holy Family Church 140th anniversary; auditorium, Holy Family School, 899 Jay St., Rochester; 5-7 p.m.; \$6.50 large portion, \$5.50 regular portion, \$3.50 under 12, under 4 free; 50/50 raffle, door prizes; pay at door; RSVP 585/328-3110.

Seneca/Cayuga

MEETINGS

■ **TUE, MAR. 2** — Information: about St. Mary School, 35 Center St., Waterloo; for families in Lyons, Clyde, Phelps, Seneca Falls, Ovid, Romulus, Waterloo; home of Ed and Laurel Callahan, 14 E. Wright Ave., Wa-

terloo; 7 p.m.; St. Mary School 315/539-3772, Callahan's 315/539-2487.

■ **TUE, MAR. 2** — Support group: bereavement; Wounded Healers', 17 Clymer St., Auburn; 7:30-9 p.m.; Jeanette or Chris 315/252-5166.

RELIGIOUS ACTIVITIES

■ **SAT, FEB. 28** — Retreat: "Call to Holiness, Living the Paschal Mystery"; Sr. Mary Louise Heffernan, SSJ; parish center, St. Hyacinth Church, 59 Pulaski St., Auburn; 11:30 a.m.-4 p.m.; Maryann 315/252-6240, Theresa 315/253-9452.

■ **FRI, MAR. 5** — First Friday: Divine Mercy Devotion & Exposition of Blessed Sacrament; St. Hyacinth Church, 63 Pulaski St., Auburn; 3 p.m.; Theresa 315/253-9452.

Steuben County

RELIGIOUS ACTIVITIES

■ **SUN, FEB. 29** — Televised Mass: cable channel 13, channel 48; 10-11 a.m.; videotaped Sat. 4:30 p.m.; weekly; St. Vincent de Paul Church, Corning.

Tompkins/Tioga

SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

■ **FRI, FEB. 27** — Fish dinner: St. Margaret Mary Church, 1110 Pennsylvania Ave., Apalachin; 4:30-6:30 p.m.; \$7 adults, \$4 ages 7-12, under 7 free; take-out only; 607/687-1068.

Yates/Ontario/Wayne

EDUCATION

■ **WED, MAR. 3** — Registration deadline: Mar. 10 Catechist Formation; "Morality: Living Well — the Moral Life"; Nancy DeRycke; St. Patrick's Church, 115 Maple Ave., Victor; registration 6:30 p.m., session 7-9 p.m.; \$7.50; send check payable to Diocese of Rochester to Sylvania Mancuso, Pastoral Center, 1150 Buffalo Rd., Rochester; 585/328-3228.

FUNDRAISERS

■ **SAT, FEB. 28** — Bottle & can drive: Saints Club benefit; High St. entrance, DeSales High School, 90 Pulateny St., Geneva; 9 a.m.-noon; for pickup: Lisa 315/789-5111.