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Reverend Joseph M. Sorg .............. 1867-1888

Announced Masses of the Week

SATURDAY, June 2:
2:00 pm: Wedding of Anthony Dean and Gianna Conciardo
4:00 pm: **VIGIL FOR THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST**

Living and Deceased of the John Thomas Family, by Marilyn Young

SUNDAY, June 3: **THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST**
9:00 am: Joseph Vasi, by Rosemary Bloch
11:00 am: Josephine Mandolfo, by Michael and Christina Mandolfo

MONDAY, June 4: WEEKDAY
12:05 pm: For the People of Saint Louis Parish

TUESDAY, June 5: **SAINT BONIFACE, BISHOP AND MARTYR**
12:05 pm: Francis Zalewski, by Central Services/Cafeteria Staff

WEDNESDAY, June 6: **SAINT NORBERT, BISHOP**
12:05 pm: Mary and Willard Steimel, by Daughter

THURSDAY, June 7: WEEKDAY
12:05 pm: Ronald A. Czarnota, by Central Services/Cafeteria Staff

FRIDAY, June 8: **THE MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS**
12:05 pm: Repose of the Souls of John J., Joseph and Thaddeus Klosko, by Family

SATURDAY, June 9:
4:00 pm: **VIGIL FOR TENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Schreiber, by Sondra Schreiber

SUNDAY, June 10: **TENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**
9:00 am: Repose of the Souls of Aloisius J. Oczek and Diane Oczek Gentile, by Family
11:00 am: Henry Staszak, by Lori Conti

SCHEDULE OF LECTORS
Weekend of June 9th and June 10th
4:00 pm: Ann Dumansky
9:00 am: Clark Jordan
11:00 am: Christina Mandolfo

SCHEDULE OF SPECIAL MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION
Weekend of June 9th and June 10th
4:00 pm: Debbie Guillow and Ron and Margaret Foegen
9:00 am: John and Nancy Pax, Susan Ministero and Rosemary Bloch
11:00 am: Br. Nick Romeo, Michael Mandolfo and Ryan and Lindsay McGowan

MEMORIAL PRAYER CANDLE
The Sanctuary Light burns this week to the Glory of God and in memory of Mary Guzowski, requested by Dick and Mary Agoston. If you desire to have a Memorial Prayer Candle lit in memory of a loved one or for your intention, please use the envelope available for that purpose.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES NEEDS EXTRA HELP

The Catholic Charities Annual Appeal is continuing. Catholic Charities is in **critical need of your help** to meet its 2018 Appeal goal. With one month remaining, the Appeal is short $1.2 million of its $11 million goal. The Catholic Charities Appeal is at 89% of its goal with $9,781,841.

On June 8th, Catholic Charities—with the support of a generous anonymous donor—will be matching all **new** Appeal gifts, dollar for dollar up to $50,000. This means a $10 contribution to the Appeal becomes $20. A $50 gift becomes $100. Just as Jesus multiplied the loaves and fishes to feed the multitudes, this is your chance to **feed** and **bless** our neighbors in need.

The population of the eight counties of Western New York is just over 1.5 million people. Last year, Catholic Charities of Buffalo served 152,919 people who were suffering and vulnerable. That equates to 1 out of every 10 people. If every household in the parish would give just **$5** each on June 8th, Catholic Charities could achieve their goal and continue the critical work to serve those most at risk throughout the diocese.

**THIS WEEKEND THE SECOND COLLECTION WILL BE FOR CATHOLIC CHARITIES.** All money collected will be counted towards the Day of Giving Match on June 8th. Encourage your friends, family, and colleagues to support the Appeal and double their impact on June 8th. An individual contribution also can be made online June 8th by visiting: www.ccwny.org/donation.

Thank you for your continued support of Catholic Charities. St. Clare, pray for us.

Msgr. Manganello

VOCATION THOUGHT

Jesus has given us His Body to eat and His Blood to drink so as to nourish us on our journey as his disciples. God has called some to share this very gift of himself in a profound way. If God is calling you to a Church vocation, call Father Andrew Lauricella at 847-5535.

In your prayers...
Please pray for all those who are sick, suffering, recovering and hospitalized, especially Sara Ascela, Will Travis, Amy Vilt, Patricia Bortle, Patricia Guerra, Joel Rivera, Theresa Dominski, Norene Wesolek, Paul Setlock, Loretta Rembold, Lynn Goslinski, Carla Latucca, Theresa Dixon, Tracy Abram, Mamie Kate Johnson, Bud Vetter, Deborah Buyers, John Zawistowski, Spencer Daly, Joseph Acquino, Linda Campbell, James Palka, Bernadette R. Crawford, Niziti Ascela, Geraldine Sliwinski, Carlos Calhoun and Margaret Foegen.

Please contact the Parish Office to have a loved one placed on the Prayer List. Names will appear for one month. If their condition continues to warrant our prayers, please call the office and we will gladly include them in one month increments as long as necessary.

We remember all those recently deceased and our deceased parishioners and loved ones.
SPIRITUAL AND FINANCIAL REPORT

We warmly welcome all who come to St. Louis for Mass—tourists, visitors, parishioners and friends. Last weekend 290 people attended Mass at St. Louis Parish. Our regular collection was $3,721.00 and Church in Latin America collection was $661.00.

Your generosity is deeply appreciated. It enables the preservation, ministry and maintenance of our historic church. It assists us in reaching out to the people of our neighborhood.

Thank you for your support.

Please remember St. Louis Parish in your will. A bequest may be worded in this fashion - “I give to St. Louis Roman Catholic Church of Buffalo, NY the sum of __________ to be used for its general purposes.”

THE ANNUAL ALLENTOWN ART FESTIVAL

Next weekend, Saturday, June 9th and Sunday, June 10th is the Allentown Art Festival. This effects several of the streets around St. Louis Church such as Delaware Avenue and Franklin Street. Our parking lot will be reserved for parishioners to attend Mass. You can access the parking lot by way of St. Louis Place from Virginia. Usually, there is a barricade at Virginia and Main Streets. You can go around it to get to St. Louis Place. Depending where the barricades are set for the Festival you may also be able to get to the parking lot by way of Franklin. We try to keep access for Mass by way of Franklin. Good Luck.

GERMAN MASS AT ST. LOUIS

The annual St. Ann’s German Mass will be held at St. Louis Church on Sunday, June 3, 2018 at 12:30 p.m. Rev. Daniel Jamros, S.J. will be the celebrant. The St. Louis Church Choir, directed by Frank Scinta, will be singing. Readings and Homily are in English. Following the Mass, a reception will be hosted by St. Ann’s Community and St. Louis Parish. All are welcome to attend this celebration of our German Catholic Heritage! Ushers and Eucharistic Ministers needed!!

ALLENTOWN ART FESTIVAL

ST. LOUIS OPEN HOUSE

Over the past few years we have opened the church to welcome visitors who are attending the Allentown Art Festival. People from near and far have been awed by the magnificence of St. Louis Church, taken time to pray or light a candle, and enjoyed hearing about our parish and history. Once again, this year, the church will be opened on Saturday, June 9th and Sunday, June 10th.

We are in need of volunteers to welcome visitors during these two days. On Saturday volunteers are needed from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. and from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. and on Sunday from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. and from 3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. Last year many people visited the church and some made donations to the parish. If you are available to help for a period of time on either day, please use the sign-up sheets located at the entrances to the church.

CATHOLIC COMMUNICATION CAMPAIGN

Next week, there will be the Catholic Communication Campaign Collection. This campaign connects people with Christ, here and around the world in developing countries, through the internet, television, radio, and print media. And fifty percent of funds collected remain in our diocese to fund local communications efforts. Your support helps spread the Gospel message! To learn more, visit www.usccb.org/ccc.

“CONCERTS FOR THE SOUL” PRESENTS

“SUMMER CONCERT OF JOY AND INSPIRATION”

Friday, June 8th at 7:30 p.m.
SS. Columba-Bridget Church
75 Hickory Street, Buffalo, NY
Event is by Donation

In this sacred season of Summer, come lay your burdens down and let your heart be nourished. Tenor Vocalist Cory James Gallagher and Writer/Poet Amy Gallagher will guide you on a Musical-Poetic Journey celebrating the many gifts and ordinary miracles that greet us each day. An evening to inspire.