

Saint Cecilia



CHURCH

CONNECTION

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Week of June 13, 2010

Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Celebration of the Eucharist

Weekend Masses

- Saturday evening at 4:30 p.m.
- Sunday at 8:30 and 11:00 a.m.

Weekday Masses

- Monday - Friday at 9 a.m.
- Saturday morning at 9:30 a.m.

Holy Days

- Check *The Connection*
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CHRIST LIVES IN US

As you know, Bishop Clark has accepted the Irondequoit Pastoral Planning Group's (IPPG) proposal for our parishes and has issued a decree establishing a new parish (as yet unnamed) by merging the five existing parishes in northern Irondequoit into a new community of the faithful. As of July 1 we will be one new parish.

All of us will experience significant change and loss, but the communities now worshipping at St. Salome and St. Thomas, in particular will be facing the loss of the churches in which they have gathered for generations to celebrate the joys and sorrows of their lives. All of us, however, no matter what parish we are now in, will be confronted with the mystery of death and rising that is central to the Christian faith. Therefore, what St. Paul tells us in our second reading today (Galatians 2: 16, 19-21) has a special meaning, "*I have been crucified with Christ; yet I live, no longer I, but Christ lives in me; insofar as I now live in the flesh, I live by faith in the Son of God who has loved me and given himself up for me.*"

We, the three priests who have been asked by the Bishop to serve as a transitional leadership team, Fr. Norm Tanck, CSB, Fr. Bill Leone and Fr. Tim Horan, have already begun to look at what needs to be put in place as we move forward together in Christ. Among the immediate things that need to be done is for us to establish a new Pastoral Council and Finance Committee for the parish. An interim group consisting of equal representation from the existing parishes will be meeting as soon as possible to begin this process. We also need to set forth a process for recommending names to the Bishop for our new parish. We do not name the parish ourselves but the Bishop has asked to give him some suggestions. You can expect to hear soon of proposed changes in our staffing, ministries, programs and Mass times.

A group of parishioners from St. Thomas the Apostle has sent a formal letter to the Bishop asking him to reconsider his acceptance of the IPPG plan. June 14th is the last day for such appeals to be submitted. We encourage all of the faithful to continue to pray that God's will be done. Please, if you have any questions call one of the priests on the pastoral transition team.

While we grieve and mourn for our losses we also look forward in hope. There are many opportunities and possibilities opening up for us. In future messages to you we hope to speak of a vision and mission for the new parish and the excitement that can come from working together for the sake of the Kingdom of God. Until then we commend to your prayers the Catholic community in Irondequoit, its pastoral and lay leadership and all the faithful. May we, like St. Paul, find our justification and peace in Jesus Christ.

Your brothers in Christ,

Fr. Norm Tanck, CSB, Fr. Bill Leone, Fr. Tim Horan

Mass Intentions

Monday, June 14
9:00 Clete Streb
 Family

Tuesday, June 15
9:00 Anna & Patsy Mamo
& Helen Cunningham
 Joe & Sheila Mamo

Wednesday, June 16
9:00 Annette DiCesare
 Sister, Angela

Thursday, June 17
9:00 Vince Urban
 Jean & Family

Friday, June 18
9:00 Antonietta Panzica
 Maria Palermo & Family

Saturday, June 19
8:30 Marjorie Reed
 John Reed

9:30 Marcella Taillie
 Family

4:30 John Chiavetta
 Wife

Sunday, June 20
8:30 For the living and deceased
11:00 Fathers of St. Cecilia's



**God's Housekeepers
 June 14 # 3**

*M. Piazza, M. Lambert,
 T. Lioy, J. Lioy,
 C. DiNieri, J. Stiegler, J. Costa,*

Substitutes:

M. Mastrosimone G. Tellex



**B I N G O
 Every Friday Night**

Doors open 5:00 PM
 Games begin 7:30 PM
 Handicap Accessible

Future Fund

We are grateful for donations received in memory of
Terry Adams from
*Irondequoit Volunteer
 Ambulance Service,
 Evelyn DePeters,
 Mary Kay Riedman,
 Kathleen & Charles Kamas,
 & Vi Miller & Mary Frances
 Westfall*
 and for **Mary Zumchak** from
*William & Mary Montana and
 Marie Hoh*

Memorial Fund

We are grateful for donations received in memory of
Mary Jane Berry from
Kathleen Freitas and for
Anthony D'Angelantonio
 from the
Anthony D'Angelantonio Family
 and for **Rose Mulley** from
Toni Vandenberg



Sunday Offering

Envelope User..... \$ 6,408.50
 Non-Envelope Users..... \$ 528.65
 Children's..... \$ 8.11
Total..... \$ 6,945.26

Attendance Last Week – 700
Thank you for Your Generous Support!

On Monday, June 21st the Mass book will be open to schedule masses for the Month of August only. You may stop by or call the parish office if you would like to schedule a mass for the month of August. The office hours are Monday through Thursday from 9:00am till 4:00pm.

Parish Council Members

Members are asked to pick up their folders after Mass in the Sacristy for their meeting on Tuesday, June 15 at 7 p.m. in Newcomb Friendship Center.

DATE	LOCATION	ACTIVITY
Sun., 6/13	12:00 noon Newcomb Center	Father Cushing's Celebration
Mon., 6/14	8:30 am MCR	Collection Counting Team B M. Ferreri
Tues., 6/15	7:00 pm Newcomb Center 7:00 pm Church 7:00 pm Room 109 7:00 pm Basement Hall	Parish Council Meeting Devotions to Mary & Benediction Alanon Meeting AA Meeting
Wed., 6/16	9:30 am Room 109	Bible Study Group
Thur., 6/17	1:00 pm Newcomb Center 7:00 pm Room 109	Alzheimer's Support Group The August Group
Fri., 6/18	7:00 pm Newcomb Center 7:00 pm Youth Center	BINGO Youth Group
Sat., 6/19	9:00 am Room 109	Social Justice Meeting
Sun., 6/20		FATHERS DAY



Challenge your mind and explore the heart of your faith. This fall, join St. Bernard's School of Theology and Ministry and explore your faith through knowledge. Flexible class schedules, competitive financial aid packages, and Spirit-filled classrooms help you explore your faith through the pursuit of knowledge. Call Laura Smith, Director of Admissions and Financial Aid for more information at 585-271-3657 x289 or email Admissions@stbernards.edu.

New Parishioners—Welcome to St. Cecilia's! Please stop in at the Parish office to introduce yourself and register. We look forward to meeting you and your family.

Celebration of Baptism—The Sacrament of Baptism is celebrated on pre-arranged Sundays. Parents are required to have an interview with the Faith Formation Coordinator, Ann Kubiak at 467-4286 ext.105.

Celebration of Penance/Reconciliation Saturdays at **3:30 p.m.** and at other times by appointment by calling the Parish Office.

Celebration of Matrimony—Couples planning to marry should contact the priest at the Parish office six months prior to their wedding date. Pre-Cana is required.

Ministry to the Sick—The Sacraments are available to those in need. Please call Mary Ann Noto.

R.C.I.A.—Interested in becoming a Catholic? Please contact Ann Kubiak at 467-4286 ext. 105.

Pastoral or Liturgical Volunteer Opportunities—Call Mary Ann Noto at 467-4286 ext. 106. **Bequests**—In making out your will, kindly remember your Church. Our legal title is St. Cecilia's Church of Rochester, NY.

Irondequoit Senior Ministries:
697-6322

Good Samaritan Transportation:
336-1777



PLEASE NOTE: All articles for the Connection need to be submitted to the Parish Office by the end of business on Monday's in order to appear in the following week's *Connection*.

MINISTRY & GREETER SCHEDULE: June 19 & June 20

	4:30 p.m.	8:30 a.m.	11:00 a.m.
Lector	C. DiNieri	R. Morse	C. O'Kane
Commentator	E. Petronio	C. Milligan	D. Thomas
Eucharistic	C. Warren, D. Warren	G. Gaston, L. Gaston	B. Pellegrino
Ministers	C. DiNieri, R. Talarico J. Panzarella	I. Shevlin, S. Morse A. DellaFave	T. Altieri, A. Colangelo D. Thomas, E. Allocco
Altar Servers	Nicole Kalpin Nicholas Santiago	Brandon Mackey Dillon Mackey	Taylor Michels Jessica Michels
Greeters	Mary Anne Adams Betty O'Rourke - Cathy Connaughton Marlene Lylak	Evelyn DePeters Ellie Marzano Ann Zemel Dorothy Vinci Yolanda Ingrassia	Lee Garcia Bill Gambacurta Pat Gambacurta Joan Staffieri Edith Byrnes

PRO LIFE

On December 2, 2009, the Obama Administration approved the first use of human embryonic stem cells for experiments by federally funded researchers, using our tax dollars for an unethical destruction of human life at its early stage. Richard Doerflinger of the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops told the *New York Times*, (12/3/09) that, "the tragedy of this is multiplied by the fact that no one can think what the problem is that can only be solved by these cells, in light of the amazing progress that has been made with adult stem cell research."

Catholic Communication Campaign

Help Us Connect the World with God's Word! Today we will hold the Collection for the Catholic Communication Campaign. This Collection funds media projects that spread the Good News through the Internet, radio, TV and print media. These projects evangelize, nourish the faithful, foster community and grant easy, direct access to thousands of Catholic resources. Help connect the world with God's Word! Support the Catholic Communication Campaign in today's Collection.

CELEBRATING FR. MICHAEL CONBOY:

You're invited to stop by the Pastoral Center, 1150 Buffalo Road, Gates (Bishop Hickey Conference Center) on Thursday, June 24, 2010, from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. to wish Father Michael Conboy well, share a story or two and enjoy refreshments. Father Mike is retiring after 48 years of ministry in our diocese. His assignments through the years include secretary to Bishop Joseph Hogan, director of Priest Personnel and Becket Hall for Bishop Matthew Clark, pro-synodal judge, diocesan consulter, and pastor of St. Patrick, Seneca Falls; St. Margaret Mary, Rochester; St. Joseph, Penfield; Corning-Painted Post Roman Catholic Community; and St. Jerome, East Rochester.



Furniture Ministry

Do you have furniture (beds, dressers, tables/chairs, sofas, recliners, etc.) that you no longer need, that is still in good shape and would like to donate to a good cause?

The Sister Dismas Furniture Ministry is a ministry of Our Lady of the Americas Parish. It provides household items to inner city Rochester families that are in need of these items.

If you have some item to donate, please call Elizabeth Johnston at 287-5161 and leave your name and phone number. Someone will call to arrange pick up from your home and delivery to a needy family.

Thank you!



Youth News

Next Friday the regular scheduled Youth Night will be Boys Only!!!! To honor Fathers Day "a little bit early" dads and sons are invited to come and shoot pool, play cards, and enjoy some pizza. The activities start @ 7 and go through 9. Any questions, call Sara @ 467 4286X104

A special thanks to all the youth and parents who stopped by to help garden on May 30th. The front and side gardens look marvelous.. Your time and help are a wonderful asset to our faith community. Sara

St. Cecilia's 40 Year Class Re-union

Vivian Villareale is the chair person for the 40 year Class Re-union from St. Cecilia's. If anyone has information on the following classmates, please contact Vivian at 314-1856. She has tried unsuccessfully to locate them.

- Debbie Bonafede Sanchez*
- Jeanine D'Amanda Gilmartin*
- Timothy Donovan*
- Ann Dowling*
- Ernest Hanna*
- Maria Krokys*
- Brian Murphy*
- Sharon Neitz Bennett*
- Mary Anne Nowak*
- Robert Patterson*
- Holly Sayegh*
- Donna Spindler Meyers*
- Anne Ziegler*



1st Annual - 5 Irondequoit Parish "Faith Night"

Ticket Sales: The 1st Annual - 5 Irondequoit Parish "Faith Night" at the Red Wings Baseball game is scheduled for Friday July 16th, 6:05 pm. Tickets are \$6.50 each and includes the game, RPO concert and fireworks all in one night. Payment required at sign-up. Tickets go on Sale after Mass in each parish June 19th, 20th and June 26th, 27th. Tickets can be picked up after Masses week-end of July 10th and 11th. For more information contact June Bounds 734-2759.

PARISHIONERS:

Request for help. A family in our community (backyard) is without furniture of any kind. A young mother with three young children are sleeping on the floor sharing one blanket. If you can help in anyway, please contact Sharon Osipovitch-Flynn at 727-0477

St. Andrew's Area Food Cupboard

To our friends at St. Cecilia Church,

Thank you for your collections of foods that you brought to St. Andrews area Food Cupboard. We have been blessed with great friends who help us serve so many. We are grateful that you keep us in your thoughts and prayers.

With love,
Margaret

Holy Land Pilgrimage

Join Deacon Dick and Rose Marie Lombard for the spiritual journey of a lifetime to the Holy Land. Departs Rochester February 6, 2011 for 10 days. Visit the places that Jesus walked including Bethlehem, Nazareth, Sea of Galilee and more. Celebrate Mass every day. First class accommodations. Information meetings at Holy Name of Jesus Parish Center, Wed. June 16, at 7 PM; Holy Apostles Urban Center, 8 Austin St., Thurs. June 17, at 7 PM; Our Lady of Mercy Church Parish Center, Sat. June 19, at 2 PM. Questions ?, call Deacon Dick at 259-3846 or rlombard2@rochester.rr.com.



Gardners Wanted

If you have any spare time throughout the summer and would like to help out gardening on the grounds of St. Cecilia, please contact the Parish Office at 467-4286 ext. 100. Mike Dengler can direct you to an area that needs some tender loving care. **Thanks in advance!**



**Join Fr. Leone
on a fall trip to**

**The
STS COSMAS & DAMIAN
CELEBRATION**

Utica, NY

September 26, 2010

\$48.00 per person

Includes transportation and breakfast

Featuring

Masses in English and Italian,

Procession, Music and

a variety of food.

Call Marlene for more information or
to make a reservation
585-342-3928



**Irondequoit Visitation Ministry
(IVM)**

Two thousand years ago the angel Gabriel told Mary, she and her aged relative, Elizabeth, would bear sons. Mary immediately embarked on a journey to visit and comfort Elizabeth. Today Irondequoit is embarking on our own Visitation Ministry (IVM – An ISM Ministry). Do you know of anyone within the 5 Irondequoit Parishes unable to leave their home and attend church on a regular basis? You could be that person's angel Gabriel. Call the IVM office to schedule a home visit by a trained visitation minister (336-1726).

Updating Parish Records

Please notify the Parish Office if you have a change of address, telephone number, or any other information related to your current records n file @ 467-4286 ext.100.



Join us for a great day at
Seneca Niagara Casino
June 29, 2010 9:45am-6:30 pm
\$26.00 pp
You will receive \$20.00 coin bonus
And \$5.00 food credit

Please call Marlene
585-342-3928

**A Catholic Vacation Bible
School – "Baobab Blast"**

Come to God's great summer get-together during our "**Baobab Blast**" themed Vacation Bible School (VBS) (**August 2 – 6**) as our children celebrate sharing the Good News of God's love through games, songs, stories, activities, and more in an exciting African environment.

As the sun rises and sets on the African savannah, so too will faith and relationships grow as children and adults alike explore connections with God, family, friends and our whole community. Get ready to experience Kalahari crafts, Grassland games, Madagascar music, Savannah storytelling and Serengeti science projects, all ending on the final day (Friday, August 6) with a musical performance and family picnic.

This is a VBS you don't want to miss. Students are ages 4 through grade 5. Adult teachers are needed (their children pay no fee). Teen helpers are most welcome. Leaders for crafts, sports and snack-time are being sought. And ... anyone who would like to contribute juice and snacks for the mid-morning break would be greatly appreciated.

Sign up today. Registration forms are in the entrances of the church, in the parish office, or you can call Ann Kubiak at 467-4286 x 105. See you this August on our trip through Africa!