#### Pentecost & Most Holy Trinity May 19 & May 26, 2024



#### **Summer Mass Schedule**

Beginning Next Saturday, May 25, 2024

4:00 pm, Saturdays, St. James 5:30 pm, Saturdays, St. Isaac Jogues 9:00 am, Sundays, St. Isaac Jogues 10:30 am, Sundays, Blessed Sacrament ADDITIONAL MASS, JULY 7, 2024, ONLY 7:30 am, Blessed Sacrament

**Please leave message:** Messages left on the machine are seen via email even if we are not in the office!

## Offertory

Weekend	Bl. Sac.	St. Isaac	St. James
May 12	TBA	\$3,177	\$306



#### **Blessed Sacrament**

**Intentions:** Please call Rita Whitney at 518-338-6858.

5/19 Rose, Dawn, Jay Sr. & Jr., & Bobby Horn Req. Dawn Faller

5/19 Mary Ellen Valenty

Req. Anne Marie & Ray Bell 5/19 Jasper Zarcone Req. Pat & Dan Loyas 5/26 Anna Schwerman & Rosemarie O'Connor Req. Debbie Sands

5/26 Joyce Senese *Req. Dawn Faller*5/26 Harold McCabe *Req. Catherine McCabe*5/26 Joseph Funaro *Req. Ginette & David Maslanka*5/26 John Michaels *Req. The Michaels Family* 

## St. Isaac Jogues

Prayer Intentions: Please call Pat Nugent 518-668-2765
Intentions & Mass Cards: Please call Kathy
DeBartolo at 518-494-7873
5/18 4 pm Frank DeBartolo Req. Kathy DeBartolo
5/25 4 pm Caruso & Dougan Families
Req. Camille Dougan
5/25 George Boursaw Req. Regina Chabarek
Those on our Easter Flower List



**1<sup>st</sup> Communion** is this Sunday, May 19<sup>th</sup> at the 9 am Mass. Let us lift up Vaughn Swartz, Joey Raymond, Adrian Garcia, Scarlette Smith in prayer as they receive their 1<sup>st</sup> Communion.

Fall Frolic Raffle: Tickets will go on sale
Memorial Day weekend. Baskets for the raffle need
to be in with their itemized sheet by Sunday, August
18<sup>th</sup>. Fall Frolic will be on Sunday September 8,
2024, at the Conservation Club on Knapp Hill.
Cinco de Mayo next year will be on May 3, 2025.
We are very excited to be planning this as an annual
event. There will be authentic food & music,
dancing, raffles, adult and children's piñatas. For
the adult pinata we will ask for donations of gift
cards like for Stewarts, Starbucks, or scratch off
cards. More to come!

### St. James

#### **Intentions & Mass Cards:**

Please call Kathy DeBartolo at 518-494-7873 5/19 & 5/26 Those on our Easter Flower Intentions **Last Town Wide Meeting:** After having had several meetings with Fr. Joseph Busch, Episcopal Vicar and Tom Cronin, Director of Evangelization & Strategic Planning for the Diocese, the community of St. James realizes there is a possibility their church may close. The next Town Wide Meeting will be scheduled when there is something new to report.

#### Diocesan Assessment Appeal

This year's theme for the Diocesan Appeal is "Restore to me the joy of your Salvation and uphold me with a willing spirit". *Psalm 51:14*. Blessed Sacrament has collected \$17,768 with 50 gifts, which is 58% of our Appeal. We need \$13,675 to reach our goal.

St. James has collected \$2,963 with 12 gifts, which is 60% of our Appeal. We need \$2,037 to reach our goal.

We are stewards of the Roman Catholic faith, working together to serve our Master up here in God's Country, the beautiful Adirondacks. We look for 100% participation not equal sacrifice.

The amount not collected will be taken out of our operating funds, putting a strain on our budget.

You can mail a check payable to the Diocesan Appeal, 40 N. Main Avenue, Albany, NY 12203 or go online at <a href="https://www.thediocesasappeal.org">www.thediocesasappeal.org</a>

St. James' Assessment is \$5,000

St. Isaac Jogues' Assessment is \$18,357 Bl. Sacrament's Assessment is \$31,043

# Invitation to Pray

#### Pro Life Decision on Chemical Abortion

We are asked to pray from now through the end of June, when the Supreme Court will make a decision.

### St. Cecilia, Warrensburg 150<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Connected to the Past Building for the Future

This summer, St. Cecilia, Warrensburg, will be celebrating its 150<sup>th</sup> Anniversary. To kick off the Anniversary, a Golf Tournament will take place, Sunday, August 4<sup>th</sup>, starting at 11 am. Lunch and dinner will be served.

The following weekend, August 11<sup>th,</sup> there will be a luncheon after their 10 am Mass at the Fish Hatchery in Warrensburg.

Please support our neighbors on this momentous milestone in their history. A signup sheet will be available as we get closer to the events.



#### MEMORIAL DAY

"No one has greater love than this, to lay down one's life for one's friends." Christians are no strangers to sacrifice. Jesus lays down his life for our redemption, martyrs remain faithful to the end, and every believer faces "deaths" in the spiritual life when love requires a re-ordering of preference and priority.

On Memorial Day, we honor those who laid down their lives for their nation and for the values we espouse - freedom, justice, and a better world for our children. In a day that often fills with barbeques and boat launches, remember to take some time in prayer! Intercede for those who have died and for the loved ones they left behind and pray for peace on earth.

#### **Prayer for the Fallen**

God our creator and sustainer, today our country brings to our memory those who have defended this nation in times of trouble.

They have sacrificed their lives to protect our shores from those who would limit our freedoms or enslave us to ways that are against your will, bring all those who have died in service to our country into your heavenly presence.

We humbly call down your blessing on those still serving; grant your heavenly protection to these men and women, and open your Sacred Heart to give them peace and comfort.

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.