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MASSES:

Saturday: 4:30 p.m. • **Sunday:** 9:00 and 11:00 a.m.

(Note: Consult inside pages for announcements of change in schedule.)

Weekday and Holy Day Masses: See inside bulletin.

CONFESSIONS:

Saturday: 3:00-4:00 p.m.

The Sacrament of Reconciliation is celebrated in room to right of Altar.

BAPTISM:

The Sacrament of Baptism will be celebrated after consultation with parents. Parents should notify the Parish Office at least a month before the date of Baptism. A Pre-Baptismal instruction is held for the parents.

MARRIAGE:

The prospective bride and groom must have made arrangements for their wedding at least eight months before the wedding date. No weddings may be scheduled at or near, the times set for parish liturgies (confession, Saturday afternoon Mass, etc.).

NEW PARISHIONERS:

Welcome to active participation in our parish life. New families and individuals should register with us at our Parish Office.

MOVING AWAY:

Please notify our office. Our parish will miss you! Please call us at 884-0053 to give us your new address.

SHUT-INS AND HOSPITALIZED:

Please notify the Parish Office if you know someone who is in a hospital, nursing home facility, or house bound and in need of visitation.

Pastor

Rev Paul R Bossi

Pastor Emeritus

Rev. Msgr. Paul R. Juenker, P.A.

Priest who helps at Liturgies

Rev. Robert Stolinski

Parish Secretary

Betty Hemingway

Parish Accountant

Robert Weishaupl

Catholic Academy of West Buffalo

Sister Gail Glenn, S.S.J., Principal

Religious Education Program

Maureen A. Myers, Director

Music Ministry

Tony Domzal, Organist, Music Director

Sacristan

Josephine Di Liberti

Trustees

Mr. Paul F. Jones

Mary C. McCracken

Parish Council Acting President

Kathleen McCarthy

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Parish Office

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884-0053 • Fax: 884-2279

E-mail: bettyh@blsacbflo.org

Hours:

Weekdays: 9:00 a.m.–2:00 p.m.

Saturdays: 9:00 a.m.-12:00 noon

Parish Website

www.blessedsacramentbuffalo.org (NEW) www.facebook.com/blessedsacramentbuffalo



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"farewell discourse" at the Last Supper in John's Gospel. Today Jesus reassures Thomas, Philip, and us who don't understand where Jesus is going, much less how to follow him there. All we have to do is focus on knowing and believing in him, and we will find the way. It will not be easy to do, but that is why we have our community with us., to help us. See how the early church community sorted out a big issue in today's reading? We can can do the same. Let us listen and learn how.

Acts 6:1-7 They chose Stephen.

1 Peter 2:4-9 "The stone that the builders rejected has become the cornerstone."

John 14:1-12 "I am the way and the truth and the life."

Announced Masses

Sunday, May 14, 2017 Fifth Sunday of Easter

9:00 a.m. For the People

11:00 a.m. For the People

Morning Prayer is at 7:45 a.m. from Monday to Saturday

Monday, May 15, 2017 St. Isidore

8:00 a.m. Lucille and Salvatore Tripi, Tripi and Sandino Families req. by Estate

Tuesday, May 16, 2017 Easter Weekday

8:00 a.m. All Souls Intention

Wednesday, May 17, 2017 Easter Weekday

8:00 a.m. Frank McDonald req. by Estate

Thursday, May 18, 2017 St. John I, Pope

8:00 a.m. Eleanor Kovac reg. by Kathryn Var Konda

Friday, May 19, 2017 Easter Weekday

8:00 a.m. Joseph Terranova req. by Connie LaPenna

Saturday, May 20, 2017 St. Bernardine of Siena

8:00 a.m. Claire and George O'Neill req. by Estate

Sunday Vigil

4:30 p.m. John D. DiPasquale req. by Friends Betty, Sandy, Barb and Judith

Sunday, May 21, 2017 Sixth Sunday of Easter

9:00 a.m. Marie Bavisotto req. by Margo Hudson

11:00 a.m. For the People

CARING FOR CREATION

We are still displaying artwork by the children of our parish celebrating earth day and our **Care for Creation.** Everyone is invited to view the artwork

SUMMARY OF COLLECTION for May 6/7, 2017

Total collection for above weekend and the previous week of electronic donations come to \$4,779.00

Total number of envelopes used and payments from on -line and direct payments for the above week are: 78

Please consider making your contributions to the parish through a direct withdrawal program, or the option of charging your contribution to a credit card. Go to our website or call the rectory office.

Electronic giving this week totaled \$1,795.00

MINISTRY SCHEDULE SATURDAY & SUNDAY May 20/21, 2017

Altar Servers: 4:30 p.m. Volunteer, 9:00 a. m. M. and G.

Downing, 11:00 a.m. L. and J. Griffin

Greeters: 4:30 p.m. Volunteer 9:00 a.m. M. Sulkowski,

11:00 a.m. A. Downing

Lectors

4:30 p.m. C. Poje

9:00 a. m. M. Pitek

11:00 a.m. T. Sheedy

Minister of Communion

4:30 p.m. T. and J. Knab, R. Hemingway

9:00 a.m. C. Pitek, A. Downing, M. Hudson

11:00 a.m. M.J. Carroll, F. Ferguson, F. Conti

COLLECTION FOR THE CHURCH IN LATIN AMERICA

We will take up a collection supporting the Church in Latin America. For people living in these regions, barriers to practicing the faith include lack of resources, shortages of pastoral agents, and poor infrastructures that make relatively simple things like participating in weekly Mass difficult. Your support of the collection helps to share the faith with those who long to experience God's mercy within strong faith communities.

CHICKEN BBQ AND PULLED PORK DINNERS

Chicken BBQ and Pulled Pork dinners will be served on June 11th from 3:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. Tickets are now on sale: Adult tickets are \$12, children (under 12) are \$6. Dinners also include coleslaw, roll, beverage and dessert. Tell your friends. Call 884-0053. Get your tickets early.



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Ryan, Grace Santiago.

Next Family Mass will be on Sunday, June 18th which is the Feast of the Body and Blood of the Lord. **Any questions contact** Maureen Myers at moey17@aol.com or cell 716-512-8176.

CATHOLIC ACADEMY CORNER

Registration for families interested in enrolling children for September 2017 continues. Call the office and come visit our school. You will have the opportunity to meet our principal and faculty. Office personnel are always available to discuss tuition, tuition assistance and review the registration process. Call 885-6111 for information.

FOOD FOR ALL

The collection will be the weekend of June 10th and 11th. Please place your donation provided in the church. Please, no expired or perishable food, nor used nor opened food boxes.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES

There is an Immigration and Refugee Assistance Program. Call 842-0270 to donate and learn how you can help with their needs. Find us at ccwny.org.

2017 Catholic Charities Appeal continues. Now is the perfect time to help multiply God's goodness and make a donation. Every day Catholic Charities is helping those who most in need. The goodness we give to one another can be multiplied and spread to many. Visit www.ccwnt.org/donation and contribute to the 2017 Appeal.

VOCATIONS

Faithful discipleship of Christ has tremendous rewards both in life and in eternal life. How is Christ calling you to inspire discipleship among His children? If God is calling you to a Church vocation, call Fr. Andrew Lauricella at 847-5535. You can also Check out "Priest of the Month" stories www.buffalovocations.org!

Happy Mothers' Day

We ask God's blessings on all our mothers, grandmothers, stepmothers, foster mothers and all women who nurture our lives, and community.

AREA ACTIVITIES

who The West Side Ponytail Softball League and Boys Baseball Arent,
League are getting ready for the summer. Girls:8-10, 11-13 and
High School 14-18 years of age; and boys:8-10, 11-12, 13-15
years old. T-Ball for boys and girls from 6-7 years old.
Registration daily. No experience necessary. All games are played at LaSalle Park. Call 885-7692 or visit Royal Printing,
351 Grant St., or e-mail RoyalPrintingCo@aol.com

Annual Wine and Cocktail Party Benefiting St. Luke's Mission of Mercy will be held Thursday, June 1, 2017 at Salvatore's Italian Gardens Restaurant Grande Bellamore Room. Tickets are \$50.00 and event offers complimentary wine tasting stations, delicious appetizers and desserts by Panera Breads. Cash Bar is available. Seating is limited, call Vi at 874-2363.

Novena to the Holy Spirit will be given at St. Michael's Church, 651 Washington St. by the Jesuit Fathers. It will be form May 26 to June 3 at the 12:00 noon Mass.

Blessed Trinity Church, 317 Leroy Ave. will have a concert to on Friday, June 9th to celebrate its feast day on that following Sunday. Organist William Maddox will perform. Saturday, June 10th there will be guided tours of the church from 2-4 p.m.

Pilgrimage to St. Anne DeBeaupre Shrine, in Quebec, Canada, led by Fr. Daniel Young will be form August 20-25. Five night stay at the Basilica Inn across from the shrine. Call 716-625-8594.

DID YOU KNOW...

We have not been able to find any agency in WNY that recycles Styrofoam or polystyrene containers. It's not cost effective—you use more energy that you can save. But, it's just awful for the environment in pretty much every way. So consider the alternatives: Don's use it!. Use a mug or other forms of packaging. Avoid vendors such as restaurants or vendors that use it—or ask them to consider recyclable packaging. It's out there—see Wegman's containers—they're a #5—recyclable!

CAMARATA DI SAN ANTONIO CONCERT

On Wednesday, May 17th, 2017, the Camarata di Sant'Antonio Chamber Orchestra will present a concert HERE at Blessed Sacrament at 7:00 p.m. The strings of the Camerata have been delighting audiences for over fourteen years. The concert includes an encore performance of Lekeu's gorgeous Adagio Pour Quatuor d'Orchestra. Mozart's Sinfonia in B flat K.137 and Bela Bartok's Romanian Folk Dances. Music director is Christopher Weber. Tickets are \$18.