

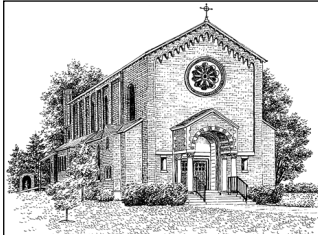
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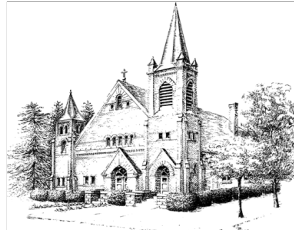
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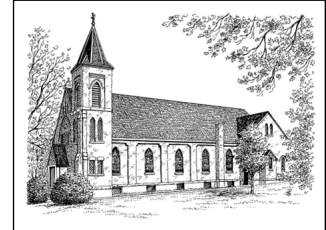
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Phelps, NY 14532

ST. FELIX



Located at: 12 Hibbard Avenue
Clifton Springs, NY 14432

ST. DOMINIC



Located at: 97 West Main Street
Shortsville, NY 14548

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For our Live Stream Mass & Father's Homilies,

Click the links on our Parish Website.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS WEEK OF 9/27

Open: Mon. - Wed. - 9:30 am - 3:30 pm

Closed Thurs. & Fri.

CONFESSION TIMES

Week of 9/27

Sunday, St. Felix: 7:15-7:45 am
Wednesday, St. Felix: 5:00- 6:00 pm
Thursday, St. Francis: 5:00-6:00 pm
Friday, St. Dominic: 11:00-11:45 am
Saturday, St. Dominic: 3:00-3:45 pm

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Following the Noon Mass

Week of 9/27

Wednesday, St. Felix, Benediction at 6:00 pm
Thursday, St. Francis, Benediction at 6:00 pm

P L E A S E S E E I N S I D E F O R M A S S T I M E S

FROM OUR PASTOR, FATHER AMATO

On September 29, we celebrate the Feast of Sts. Michael, Gabriel and Raphael. It is an important reminder of the identity and role of the angels in our lives. Formerly, September 29 was just the day commemorating St. Michael, while the other archangels each had their own day on the calendar. St. Michael was given a particular importance because of his role as protector of the Church and “prince of the heavenly host,” and whose name literally means, “Who is like unto God?”

We are familiar with the St. Michael prayer that we pray after each Mass, asking for the intercession of St. Michael, for his protection upon our church, our parish, and our lives. The prayer that we are familiar with comes from Pope Leo XIII, after a supposed vision he had in the late 1880s. The details of the story are not entirely clear, but an account published in 1891 tells us:

“A rather peculiar circumstance induced Pope Leo XIII to compose this powerful prayer. After celebrating Mass one day he was in conference with the Cardinals. Suddenly he sank to the floor. Several doctors were summoned at once but found no pulse—the very life seemed to have ebbed away from the fragile and aging body. Suddenly he recovered and said: ‘What a horrible vision I have been shown!’ He saw the ages to come, the seductive powers and ravings of the devils against the Church in every land. But St. Michael appeared in the moment of greatest distress and cast Satan and his cohorts back into the abyss of hell. Such was the occasion that caused Pope Leo XIII to prescribe this prayer for the universal Church.”

It was then that the St. Michael prayers were included in a set of prayers called “Prayers after Low Mass.” This lasted from 1886 until about 1965, as the reforms of the Mass began throughout the world. It was Pope St. John Paul II who reintroduced the idea of praying the St. Michael Prayer, and so many places will pray it right after Mass.

There are several passages in Scripture that make explicit reference to St. Michael. Most come from Daniel and from Revelation. Here is one from St. Jude: “Yet the archangel Michael, when he argued with the devil in a dispute over the body of Moses, did not venture to pronounce a reviling judgment upon him but said, ‘May the Lord rebuke you!’” (Jude 1:9). At the great battle in heaven, we read this from the Book of Revelation: “Then war broke out in heaven; Michael and his angels battled against the dragon. The dragon and its angels fought back, but they did not prevail and there was no longer any place for them in heaven” (Revelation 12:7-8).

One writer, Mike Aquilina, shows how the ancient rabbis attributed to St. Michael his personal protection and guidance over the people of Israel: “...ancient rabbis also taught that St. Michael taught Adam farming and blacksmithing after he was cast from the Garden of Eden, and later taught Cain farming as well. The rabbis identified many other Old Testament reports of angels as St. Michael: they thought that he saved Lot from Sodom, prevented Abraham from sacrificing Isaac, and wrestled with Jacob before blessing him. They also thought that St. Michael was the fire igniting Moses’ burning bush and the pillars of fire and cloud leading the Israelites out of Egypt.” (<https://catholicvote.org/catholic-apologist-why-st-michael-is-so-important-to-catholics/>)

Another archangel celebrated today is St. Gabriel who announced the greatest news the world has ever heard, that God would become man in the womb of Mary to save us from our sins (Luke 1:26-38). He gave us the “angelic salutation” that should also be forever on our lips: “Hail, Mary, full of grace!” His name literally means, “God is my strength.”

Finally, we celebrate St. Raphael, whose name means “God has healed.” We see him identified in Scripture in the Book of Tobit. If you have not read the entire Book of Tobit, please do. It is relatively short, and very beautiful. St. Raphael identifies himself there by saying: “I am Raphael, one of the seven angels who stand and serve before the Glory of the Lord” (Tobit 12:15). That reference to the seven angels is shown to us again in Revelation 8:2.

As usual, there is always so much more to say about these great archangels, and all our heavenly helpers, but this is enough for now. Hopefully, our devotion to our holy angels, our awareness of their help in our lives, and their assistance at the liturgy, will continue to grow.

In Christ, *Father Amato*





Mass Intentions

Sat., Sept. 26

4:00 pm

Sun., Sept. 27

*8:00 am

9:30 am

11:30 am

Mon., Sept. 28

Noon

Tues., Sept. 29

Wed., Sept. 30

Noon

Thurs., Oct. 1

Noon

Fri., Oct. 2

Noon

Sat., Oct. 3

4:00 pm

Sun., Sept. 4

*8:00 am

9:30 am

11:30 am

Anticipated Mass,

Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

(Ez 18:25-28/Ph 2:1-11/Mt 21:28-32)

St. Dominic **Fr. Ted Crosby** by Jim & Linda Bolan

Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

(Ez 18:25-28/Ph 2:1-11/Mt 21:28-32)

St. Felix **Our Parishioners, Living & Deceased**

St. Francis **John P. Clary**

by Dcn. Bob & Cecelia Cyrana

St. Dominic **Noelle Gurewitch** by Family

Weekday (Job 1:6-22/Lk 9:46-50)

St. Dominic **Marie Salvato** by the Poteets

Sts. Michael, Gabriel & Raphael, Archangels

(Dan 7:9-10,13-14/Jn 1:47-51)

No Mass today

St. Jerome, Priest & Doctor of the Church

(Job 9:1-12,14-16/Lk 9:57-62)

St. Felix **Nancy, Harry, Ron & Rick Reals**

by Lori & Rob Reals

St. Therese of the Child Jesus, Virgin & Doctor of the Church

(Job 19:21-27/Lk 10:1-12)

St. Francis **Priests of the Diocese of Rochester**

by Anonymous

The Holy Guardian Angels (Job 38:1,12-21;40:3-5/Mt 18:1-5,10)

St. Dominic **Intentions of Jason & Katie Bentley**

by Family

Anticipated Mass,

Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

(Is 5:1-7/Ph 4:6-9/Mt 21:33-43)

St. Dominic **Fran McNally & Margaret Ryan**

by Bill, Joann & John Henry

Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

(Is 5:1-7/Ph 4:6-9/Mt 21:33-43)

St. Felix **Christine Budinock** by Lori & Rob Reals

St. Francis **Our Parishioners, Living & Deceased**

St. Dominic **Harold Fletcher** by Bruce & Sherry Brown

***Live Streamed Mass**



**PLEASE REMEMBER
THE FOLLOWING IN PRAYER
this week as our
Sanctuary Lamps burn**

St. Dominic—for Ted, Lori & Scott

at the request of **Alice DeMay**

St. Felix—for Pat Davies & Larry Sanford

at the request of **Barb & Jim Sanford**

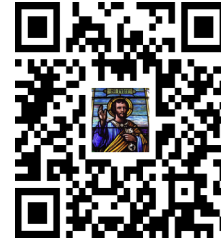
St. Francis—for Eleanor Crough

at the request of **Carole & Bob Jensen**

WELCOME TO ST. PETER'S PARISH!

We're so happy you came to worship with us!
Please consider supporting our parish by simply
scanning the QR code below or by going to
<https://www.stpeterparish.us/giving>.

Thank you and God bless!



**Come & spend time with
Our Lord in Eucharistic Adoration**



Following the noon Mass

Wednesday at St. Felix
Benediction at 6:00 PM

Thursday at St. Francis,
Benediction at 6:00 PM

**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament at
St. Dominic will resume in the fall.**

St. Peters - AS OF June 30th, 2026

Regular Collections	Actual	Budget	Variance
1st Quarter	\$115,699	\$98,226	\$17,473
2nd Quarter	\$117,244	\$105,438	\$11,806
3rd Quarter	\$113,759	\$98,451	\$15,308
April	\$35,426	\$41,190	(\$5,764)
May	\$24,295	\$30,688	(\$6,393)
June	\$48,723	\$34,124	\$14,599
Year to Date	\$455,146	\$408,117	\$47,029

Last Weekend's Mass Attendance

St. Dominic	4:00 pm	95
St. Felix	8:00 am	79
St. Francis	9:30 am	75
St. Dominic	11:30 am	139

TOTAL ATTENDANCE 388

**WE ARE SO BLESSED TO HAVE YOU HERE
ATTENDING MASS WITH US!**

PLEASE REMEMBER IN PRAYER

If you would like to have your loved one remembered on our prayer list (or have a name removed), please call the parish office. Please be sure to have personal permission to add a name to our list.

FOR HEALING

A-F	F-H	H-O	O-Z
Cillian Ahern	John Feligno	Eileen Hyland	Sean Olin
Donnie Allen	Bernadette Fetter-Miller	Daniel Incarnato	Piper Paddock
Amanda	Jim Finewood	Doris Ingram	Mary Ann Perry
Bill Batson	Steve Finewood	Markanthony Izzo	Patricia Pinkard
Nancy Beers	Margaret Fisher	Voice Jones	Corrine Chianfoni Pollot
Wayne Bellis	Janet Fox	Angie Keating	Mike Price
Katie Bentley	Rosemary Fry	David Keeler	Don Quigley
Janice Blackman	Jean Galutia	Cindy Koch	Lynn Quinn
Sue Bowker	Allison Gersbach	Nancy Kolb	Ray
Dan Breese	Laura Gleeson	Jean Landschoot	Charles S
Dave Bush	Betty Gordner	LKR	Leo Schmitt
Harold Bush	Declan Guilliams	Carol Little	Laura Carlson Silver
Wandy Bush	Richard Guilliams	Laurel M	Jean Smith
Barbara Campbell	Abby Gwilt	Maggie Mahoney	Sophie Smith
Carl A. Carlson	Caroline Gwilt	Neng Marquez	Terri Stell
Carl E. Carlson	Kathy Haers	Stanley Masiak	Bill Symonds
Laurie & Jack Caves	Melanie Haers	Margaret Masiak	Pinky Tiebout
Louie Ciancaglini	Christopher Hansen	Joseph McCauley	Kat Tierney
Mary Ann Clark	Bruce Haug	Carter McConnon	Skip Twitchel
Florine Clonick	Liz Hezel	Cheryl McConnon	Parker V
Bruce Croucher	Conner Hicks	Debbie Misik	Karis Vaillancourt
Joyce Crupi	Dave Hilderman	Stevie Morganti	Sara Jane VanOpdorp
Tricia Cszasz	Jennie Hilderman	Ginny Morse	Donny Waddell
Fr. Deasio	Mary Hollis	Fr. Thomas Mull	Denise Warren
Jill DeBrock	Hilde Houck	Margaret Murphy	Jerry Wiepert
Marge DeWind	Erin Hurley	Gordie Nicholson	Zeb H
Diane Faherty	Danielle Hyland	Bev O'Brien	Dawn Zeitler

Our Community Food Cupboards

Caring Hearts Community Food Cupboard

12 Hibbard Ave. Clifton Springs, NY 14432

Location: Basement of St. Felix Church

12 Hibbard Ave., Clifton Springs

Open: Every Thursday 11 am-1 pm

Contact: *Laura Janas: 315-462-3883*

Phelps Community Food Cupboard

98 Ontario St. Phelps, NY 14532

Location: Phelps Community Center

Phelps, (around left corner from PCC office)

Open: 4th Tuesday 10:30-11:30 am & 3:30-4:30 pm

Contact: *Tom Cheney: cheneytom48@gmail.com*

Twin Cities Community Food Cupboard

P.O. Box 183, Manchester, NY 14504

Location: Bennett Building

4 Center St. (across from Manchester Fire Hall)

Open: 2nd Thursday & Sat., 10 am-noon

and 4th Thursday, 5-7 pm

Contact: *Jan Antosh: 585-491-4879 or*

Carol Record: 585-734-7440



We are grateful to all who helped to beautify our altars this summer. To everyone who brought flowers from your gardens, helped to arrange them on the altars, kept them watered throughout the week, thank you!

TO TAKE FATHER A MEAL PLEASE GO TO:

www.TakeThemAMeal.com/SKFC3566

or call Kathy at 585-413-6780

IN ASSISTED CARE

Martha Gersbach

Ginny Mattice

Pat Jerzak

Peggy Paytash

FOR STRENGTH & WELL-BEING

All of our priests, all of our medical professionals & first responders, all of those struggling with depression, addiction & mental health issues.

PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED

In your charity, please pray for all of our deceased.

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let your perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace.



MARIAN DEVOTIONS

Perpetual Novena of the Miraculous Medal

on Mondays, 10 minutes before noon Mass at **St. Dominic Church.**

Queen of Peace Rosary on Thursdays

at 11:30 am at **St. Francis Church.**

Collection Counters (9/29)

Sandy Cooke, Rosemary Herendeen, Donna Lannon

St. Pauly Building at St. Francis (9/28-10/4)

Paul Bree

Altar Bands for October

Marge & Al Cauwels (*St. Francis*)

Pat Zeger (*St. Felix*)

Mary Vienna (*St. Dominic*)

FAITH FORMATION

CATECHESIS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

Tomorrow, Monday, Sept. 28th
Sunday Class start date TBD

Confirmation Classes will begin on
Wednesday, October 14th

Contact Kate at kathryn.vancaesele@dor.org
 with any questions.

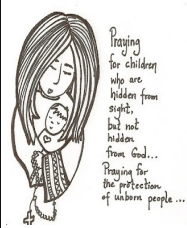
Order of Christian Initiation of Adults

Next class will be tomorrow, Mon., September 28th
6:30pm—8:00pm
St. Dominic Parish Center

If you know anyone who is interested
 in being Catholic, this is the place to be!

We are using the **Baltimore Catechism 3**

*The class is open to anyone in the parish who wants to
 learn & to have discussions about all aspects of our
 Faith.*



PRO LIFE ROSARY

THIS WEEK IS THE 4th SUNDAY OF THE MONTH.

COME TOGETHER TO PRAY

THE PRO-LIFE ROSARY, AFTER MASS,
 FOR THE PROTECTION OF THE UNBORN
 & THE VULNERABLE WITH RESPECT LIFE!

Baby Bottle Drive

During October, which is designated as Respect Life month, our ministry here at St. Peter's will once again be doing a Baby Bottle Drive for **Care Net of Wayne County**. The money collected will be used to provide families with needed supplies for their babies.



*Baby bottles will be available the weekend of Oct. 3 & 4.
 Take one home & fill it with spare change or bills. We
 will collect the filled bottles the weekend of Oct. 31 &
 Nov. 1. Thank you in advance for your donations!*

FREE DENTAL CLEANINGS!

Free dental cleanings are available
 at **Monroe Community College Dental Clinic**.

Make your appointment now!
 Contact **Jared** at **585-650-5090**
 or email jared.dentalcleanings@gmail.com.

No insurance required.

KNIGHTLY NEWS

- Mark your calendars: Our next event will be the Annual Columbus Day Pasta Dinner on Monday, Oct. 12th.
- Prospective members are always welcome to attend our regular meetings. Please come out to see what we're all about. We offer after-meeting chats & refreshments. Use this QR code to sign up for your 1st year free. And you'll get a free golf shirt too!

YOU ARE BORN A MAN YOU BECOME A KNIGHT!

Scan with phone camera!



YOU ARE CALLED! JOIN TODAY!

Free 12 Month Membership

Visit

KofC.org/JoinUs

Use Promo Code

BlessedMcGivney



Knights of Columbus
Annual Columbus Day Spaghetti Dinner
Monday, October 12th

Tickets available after Mass on October 3, 4, 10 & 11.
\$10 for Adults, \$5 for Kids, \$30 max per family.

CORN FESTIVAL WRAP UP MEETING

Wednesday, October 7th
6 pm at the Parish Center

*Please bring your yard signs & ideas for improving next
 year's festival!*

Saturday, October 10th at Noon

America Needs Fatima
Nationwide 2026 Public Rosary Crusade

Our nation is in great need of
 public prayer, repentance & conversion.
 We ask God to save America through the
 Rosary of His Most Holy Mother.

*Please join us & 23,000 other rallies across
 our country in praying for our nation.*

Saint Dominic Church
Outside on the lawn (in church if raining)
97 West Main St., Shortsville, NY



Invite your friends, lawn chairs welcome!
 Call Rose at 585-690-0201 with questions or to help.

In Loving Memory of Bill & Angela D'Arduini  From Billy, Mike & Dan	In Loving Memory of Walter & JoAnn VanCaesele By The Family 	In Loving Memory of  The Lannon & Haskell Families	IN LOVING MEMORY OF <i>Bob Goodell, Jim & Mary D'Arduini Diane D'Arduini Nancy Pratt</i> 
This prime spot could be yours! Call the Parish Office 315-462-2961 to place your 2025-26 ad here. 	<i>In Loving</i> <i>Memory of</i> <i>The Bree and</i> <i>Raes Families</i> 	<i>In Loving Memory</i> <i>of our</i> <i>Deceased Loved Ones</i> <i>The Cooke Family</i> 	By Bernice Goodell & Family Jim D'Arduini & Family Jeff Pratt
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