



**Liturgy Intentions  
For The Week**



April 11 Easter Vigil	Saturday 8:00 p.m.	John Cremen Rita Rowland	Wednesday Evening Scripture Group Steve and Christine Rowland
April 12 Easter Sunday	Sunday 7:30 a.m.	Mary Rappazzo	Joe and Marlene Sokol
	9:00 a.m.	Carol Czajkowski Rosena Vogel Helen Agnes Johnson	Family Patricia and Patrick Varley Daughter, Judi Stephenson
	11:30 a.m.	Timothy J. Tellstone Daniel O'Donnell	Family Family
April 13	Monday 8:00 a.m.	Catherine Christopher	Robert and Family
April 14	Tuesday 8:00 a.m.	Douglas Falkenbury Patrick Tarantino (10 <sup>th</sup> anniversary)	Linda and Lew Benton Maureen Godlewski
April 15	Wednesday 8:00 a.m.	Nancy DeVechio	Fred and Karen Whipple
April 16	Thursday 8:00 a.m.	Dr. William Hickey	Gail and Mike Veitch
April 17	Friday 8:00 a.m.	Deceased of The Church of St. Peter	
April 18	Saturday 5:00 p.m.	John Cremen Charlotte Altieri Anthony Scuderi	Greiner Family Minnie Campilango Daughter, Anna
April 19	Sunday 7:30 a.m.	Edwin White Rosena Vogel	Wife, Jackie Nancy Snyder
	9:00 a.m.	Patrick Ryan (1 <sup>st</sup> anniversary)	Family
	11:30 a.m.	James and Rosaline Etoll Mary Convery	Helen Etoll Family

Readings for April 19, 2009: Acts 10:34a, 37-43; Col 3:1-4; Jn 20:1-9



**Readers, Eucharistic Ministers and Altar Servers  
April 18 - 19, 2009**



Mass	Eucharistic Ministers	Servers	Readers
Saturday, 4/18 5:00 p.m.	Phyllis Delay, Leo Demers, Maryann Foley, Lorraine Hansen, Judith Hefter, Bonnie Mayer, Margaret Neville, Larry Ostwald, Miriam Ostwald	Justin Matthews Erik Matthews	Larry Ostwald Jay Atherton
Sunday, 4/19 7:30 a.m.	Alberta Bennett, Linda Benton, Margaret Bradley, Tad Deuel, Michael Murray, Angel Santiago, James Tierney, Andrea Wise		Lynn Allen Mary Riegert
Sunday, 4/19 9:00 a.m.	Linda Bubniak, Maryann Burtman, Margaret McNicholas, Richard Rowland, Susan Rowland, Linda Shufelt, Joanne Smith, Robert Spratt, Joyce Sustar Martucci, Rita Usher	Luke Bergan Tommy Burke	Maria Forbes Ted Shufelt
Sunday, 4/19 11:30 a.m.	Sophie Barber, Carolyn Hamlin, Barbara Haner, Gene Landry, Marie Landry, Marilyn Latagano, Gerry Lyons, Dorothy Mendez, Mary Lou Snyder, Judith Walker	Ella Gurney Kiernan Gurney	Jay Atherton Carol Gurney

Please remember in your prayers all those members of our parish family who are sick or suffering in any way, all those in hospitals or nursing homes, and all of our shut-ins. We pray for all who have died recently, including John J. Kelly, George Kerwood, and Bertha Kievit. Let us not forget the victims of violence at home and abroad. We remember the men and women serving in the armed forces as we continually pray for peace.

Attendance		Collection			Average Collection to date	
April 5, 2009	1,278	Weekly collection:	April 5, 2009	\$ 11,324.80	April 8, 2009	\$ 8,585.52
April 6, 2008	1,443	Weekly Collection:	April 6, 2008	10,058.25	April 6, 2008	\$ 8,338.51
		Palm Sunday 2008			\$11,534.00	
		SPNA: (to date) month of April 2009			\$ 756.00	

**Family Perspective  
By Bud Ozar**

Look at all the running on the first Easter as Mary, John and Peter searched for Jesus. Easter announces we don't need to run around to find the Lord. He is discovered in sacrificial love of parents, in moments of forgiveness, in laughter and love shared, in a comforting hug and a meal shared together. The risen Lord is with us. Alleluia.

**Marriage Moments  
Karen Vogt**

Family Life Office Diocese of Kentucky

Celebrate new life today! Are you waiting to have a child, caring for children or aging parents, resting from the rigors of childrearing?

May Christ's resurrection give you new life and energy for others.

**Parenting Pointers  
Karen Vogt**

Family Life Office, Diocese of Kentucky

"Dear God, thank you for the baby brother but what I prayed for was a puppy." (Joyce, age 6)

We don't always get what we pray for; Thank God. Is there something you prayed for fervently and later discovered your prayer was answered in a better way?

**Faith Alive!**

STAY INFORMED: To stay informed about our Catholic faith and news of our Albany Diocese, read The Evangelist, our diocesan newspaper.

The Evangelist offers extensive, in-depth coverage. The cost is only 30 cents a week, less than a first-class postage stamp.

Call 584-2375 to subscribe.

## Easter Sunday

### This Week in Our Parish

04/13	AA Meeting	7:00-9:30 pm	Parish Ctr-Room 204
04/15	Scripture Group	8:30-10:00 am	Parish Ctr-Resrce Rm
	Piano Lessons	2:45-4:30 pm	Church
	Scripture Group	7:15-9:30 pm	Parish Ctr-Resrce Rm
	EOC Bike Repair	4:00-8:00 pm	Church Basement
04/16	Piano Lessons	3:00-5:30 pm	Church
04/18	EOC Bike Repair	9:00-1:00 pm	Church Basement
04/18	Jewelry/Religious Items	After Mass	Parish Ctr-Resrce Rm
& 19	Final Sale		
	No Religious Ed/YM		

### Groups/Contacts

Adult Scripture Sharing Group/Wednesday	8:30 am	Rita Usher	587-4487
Adult Scripture Sharing Group/Wednesday	7:15 pm	Kathleen Greiner	899-5136
Saratoga Area Homeschoolers/Monday	1:00 pm	Erin Walker	885-8395



### Confirmation

Confirmation will be held on Saturday, April 25 at 2:00 p.m. with Bishop Howard Hubbard presiding. Your prayers are requested for our young people on this journey of faith receiving this Sacrament witnessed by sponsors, families and friends and parish community.

# THANKS

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### "Baby Supply Drive for Birthright"

In keeping with this new season of life and new birth, the fourth annual "Baby Supply Drive for Birthright" has been organized by Jessica Jordan. Although the Baby Supply Drive is primarily a collection by Religious Education and Youth Ministry programs, your help in making it as successful as in previous years, would be appreciated also.

The items being collected on April 25-26 are Receiving and Crib blankets, Infant Towels and Washcloths, Sleepers or Gowns, Blanket Sleepers, Undershirts, Booties or socks, Outfits, Sweaters, Hats and Mittens, Baby Powder, Lotion, Shampoo, Wash; Diapers (disposable newborn, size 1, 2, 3 or 4), Diaper Rash Creams, Baby Wipes, Rattles or Small Infant Toys (new only), formula, and Baby Wipes.

Items may be left in the bassinette to the left of the entrance to Church. Thank you for your always generous support.

Thank you for continued support of the food collection for our less fortunate brothers and sisters. Please leave non-perishable foods (No Glass containers, please) in the blue basket in the vestibule of the Church. Pet food items may also be left.



Food Drive



Lost and Found Box to be emptied soon!!

Some items have been in the box for many weeks. If you've left something behind, please check the box soon.

### Jewelry and Religious Items Sale

Thank you for your wonderful support of the jewelry and religious articles sale. There will be one last opportunity available to see the display of items in the Resource Room of the Parish Center after each Mass -- April 18-19. Again thank you for your support of this fundraiser for our young people who will attend the National Catholic Youth Conference.

### The 36<sup>th</sup> Annual Spring Enrichment Conference

Monday - Thursday, May 11~ May 14, College of Saint Rose, Albany  
Spring enrichment is a four-day adult faith formation conference sponsored by the Roman Catholic Diocese of Albany's Office of Evangelization, Catechesis and Family.

The Spring Enrichment Conference was originally a forum for catechist and youth ministry certification, but in recent years the conference has expanded to provide training for persons involved in other church ministries (music and liturgy, pastoral care, administration and finance, etc.) as well as opportunities for adults seeking spiritual renewal and general adult faith formation.

Copies of the information may be found in the Church vestibule, or in the Office. Don't miss this opportunity. Phone a friend and register together!!

### Priory Retreat House Holistic Fair Day

The Priory Retreat House invites you to a Holistic Fair Day on April 18, 11-4 with lunch included, for \$39.

Choose three topics from among the numerous choices listed: What is Green Living, Discover Your Personality Type, A Guide to the Labyrinth, Exploring your Creative Side, What is Health coaching, Reiki, Lectio Divina with Scripture, Three ways to Pray the Psalms, Tai Chi Chih, What is Spiritual Direction, Guided Imagery as Prayer, Lectio Divina with Art. Come to the Holistic Fair Day and renew, refresh, connect and learn!

Call 494-3733 to register or RSVP to prioryretreat@yahoo.com.

### Parish Nurse Program

The Parish Nurse Program would like you to know that Saratoga Hospital is offering a new Diabetes Education Opportunity:

#### Diabetes: One Step at a Time

A three-part series that helps you live well with diabetes.

Instructors: Judy Carr, Registered Dietitian, Certified Diabetes Educator; Brenda Roseberry, RN; and Malaeh Young, RN.

Tuesdays: April 21, 28 and May 5 8 am to 11 am

Wednesdays: May 29, 27 and June 3 3:30 - 6:30 pm

Fridays: June 12, 19 and 26 8 am to 11 am

Location: Saratoga Family Physicians, 3044 Route 50,

Saratoga Springs (1/2 mile north of Exit 15 of the Northway)

You must have a referral from your physician in order to attend this program. For information or to register, contact the Center for Endocrinology and Diabetes (518) 886-5867

Through his radical love for us, in which the heart of God and the heart of man touched, Jesus Christ truly took light from heaven and brought it to the earth—the light of truth and the fire of love that transform man's being. He brought the light, and now we know who God is and what God is like. Thus we also know what our human situation is: what we are, and for what purpose we exists...Yes, I believe that the world and my life are not the product of chance, but of eternal Reason and eternal Love, they are created by Almighty God. Yes, I believe that in Jesus Christ, the face of God has been revealed; that in him, God is present in our midst, He unites us and leads us towards our goal, towards eternal Love.

~~Pope Benedict XVI, Homily at Easter Vigil Mass, March 22, 2008

