



**Liturgy Intentions  
For The Week**

**THE PRECEPTS OF THE LORD GIVE  
JOY TO THE HEART.**

September 26, Saturday, 5:00 p.m.	Eleanor Older Henry Bagnoli Michael Bruckner	Rose Marie Zacek Rose Marie Zacek Wife and children
September 27, Sunday, 7:30 a.m.	Rita Rowland David Duval Louis Agosta	Richard and Susan Rowland Pat and Phyllis Delay Charles Fricano
September 27, Sunday, 9:00 a.m.	Emily Rivette Tom Staskowski	Shufelt Family Mike and Marcie Ebert
September 27, Sunday, 11:30 a.m.	Gus Sada Norma O'Shea	Rachelle and Chuck and Family Mary Filion
September 28, Monday, 8:00 a.m.	Diane Maresca Pinto	Michael and Priscilla Spielholz
September 29, Tuesday, 8:00 a.m.	Charles Peck (20 <sup>th</sup> anniversary)	Family
September 30, Wednesday, 8:00 a.m.	Louis Agosta	John and Mary Agnes Albert
October 1, Thursday, 8:00 a.m.	Louis Agosta	Lucy Wolcott
October 2, Friday, 8:00 a.m.	David Boehm	Wife, Marybeth
October 3, Saturday, 5:00 p.m.	Eleanor Older Doris Marsolais	Principessa Elena Women's Society John and Dawn Manley
October 4, Sunday, 7:30 a.m.	Mary Zacek Louise Barney Rita Pitman	Family Pat and Phyllis Delay Alberta and Charles Bennett
October 4, Sunday, 9:00 a.m.	Peter Ryle (11 <sup>th</sup> anniversary) Louis Agosta	Mom Angeline O'Rourke
October 4, Sunday, 11:30 a.m.	Timothy J. Tellstone Daniel O'Donnell	Family Family

Readings for October 4, 2009, Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time: Gn 2:18-24; Heb 2:9-11; Mk 10:2-16



**October 3-4, 2009**



Mass	Eucharistic Ministers	Bread Baker	Readers
Saturday, 10/3 5:00 p.m.	Jean Cremen, Leo Demers, Maryanne Foley, Lorraine Hansen, Judy Hefter, Bonnie Mayer, Margaret Neville, Candyce Robenstein, Julianne Thomas	Steve and Chris Rowland	Amanda Blodgett Maureen Godlewski
Sunday, 10/4 7:30 a.m.	Pamela Barrington, Alberta Bennett, Linda Benton, Peggy Bradley, Barbara Cudney, Tad Deuel, Angel Santiago, James Tierney		Lynn Allen Joe Barrington
Sunday, 10/4 9:00 a.m.	Jean Lloyd, Anne Marthy-Noonan, Maggie McNicholas, Kathy Nygard, Vincent O'Neill, Joyce Rice, Richard Rowland, Susan Rowland, Cynthia Sharpe, Linda Shufelt		Tom Sheehan Ted Shufelt
Sunday, 10/4 11:30 a.m.	Sophie Barber, Gene Landry, Marie Landry, Marilyn Lategano, Gerry Lyons, Dottie Mendez, George Pitts, Marilyn Pitts, Mary Lou Snyder, Judy Walker		Carol Gurney Michael Walker

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 Margaret Pitney. 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	
September 21, 2008	1,066	Weekly	September 21, 2008	\$ 9,223.25	Average last	\$9,000.83
September 20, 2009	1,111		September 20, 2009	\$ 8,397.00	Average to date	\$8,513.01
Fuel Collection to date (budgeted \$14,000)				\$11,147.75		
SPNA (blue envelopes) September (to date):				\$ 1,447.50		

Several additional donations have been made to St. Peter's Church in memory of Louis Agosta.

Thank you for your generosity and for remembering your weekly contribution when you are away.

**Family Perspective**

By Bud Ozar

Jesus teaches "whoever gives a cup of water will be rewarded." Giving a glass of water to a child in the middle of the night, or Kool Aid to sweaty five-year olds can become sacred actions.

**Marriage Moments**

Karen Vogt, www.SusanVogt.net

Want a healthy marriage? Take regular walks together. It might start as a way to get exercise but the real benefit is the couple time. You don't need to be constantly talking, but some conversation will probably slip out between your steps.

**Parenting Pointers**

Karen Vogt, www.SusanVogt.net

During these hard economic times you might not find much to smile about. Smile anyway. Smile at your child's silly behavior, your neighbor's peculiarities, the stranger you pass on the street or in the car. It won't right all the wrongs of the world, but it can change your attitude which then ripples through the people near you and far. Just for today, smile more.

**Faith Alive!**

To stay informed about our Catholic faith and news of our Diocese, read The Evangelist, our Albany 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.

## Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

### This Week in Our Parish

9/28	SCCHS Class	8:30-10:00 am	Parish Ctr-Rm 209
	Catholic Hmeschrs-TORCH	1:15-1:45 pm	Church
		1:45-3:00 pm	Parish Ctr-Cafeteria
	EOC mtg	9:00-2:00 pm	Parish Ctr-Rsorce Rm And Room 203
	AA Meeting	7:00-9:30 pm	Parish Ctr Room 204
9/29	SCCHS Class	8:30-10:00 am	Parish Ctr-Rm 209
	YM GR10	6:30-8:30 pm	Parish Ctr Room 204
9/30	SCCHS Class	8:30-10:00 am	Parish Ctr-Rm 209
	EOC mtg	11-am - 2 pm	Parish Ctr-Resrce Rm And Room 203
	Prayer Team	8:30 - 8:45 am	Church-DayChapel
	Scripture Group	8:45-10 :00 am	Parish Ctr-Resrce Rm
	Staff Meeting	10:15 am-11:45a	Rectory
	Scripture Group	7:15-9:30 pm	Parish Ctr-Resrce Rm
10/1	SCCHS Class	8:30-10:00 am	Parish Ctr-Rm 209
	Wedding rehearsal	5:00 p.m.	Church
	Choir Rehearsal	7:30 pm	Church
10/2	SCCHS Class	8:30-10:00 am	Parish Ctr-Rm 209
	SCCHS First Friday Liturgy	9:00 am	Church
	Wedding	4:00 pm	Church
	First Friday Holy Hour	7:00-8:00 pm	Church
10/3	Baptism	1:00 pm	Church
10/4	Rel Ed/YM Gr 7-8, YM Gr 9	10:10-11:20 am	Parish Ctr
	Baptism	11:30 am Mass	Church

### Fall 2009 Adult Scripture Sharing Groups

You are invited to grow in and enrich your faith through weekly Scripture sharing groups. Our groups, which meet on Wednesdays, will read and reflect on the scriptures for the following weekend.

Wednesday, 8:45 am - 10 am: Coffee/Tea followed by faith sharing. Please call Rita Usher at 587-4487 if you are interested

Wednesday evenings: begin at 7:15 pm. Please call Kathleen Greiner at 899-5136 for details.

Both groups will meet in the Resource Room of the Parish Center. You need not be present every week. All are welcome!



### First Friday Holy Hour October 2 7:00-8:00 p.m.

All are invited to participate in this hour of devotion

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**Food Drive**

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.

### Interested in Piano Lessons?

Phil Spaeth has a few openings for someone who may be interested in piano lessons. Contact him at 584-2375, through email at [pspaeth@nycap.rr.com](mailto:pspaeth@nycap.rr.com) or see him after Mass.



### St. Peter's Second Annual Women's Retreat

A participant at the first women's retreat in June said "the best part of the retreat for me was ...I felt very comfortable and not out of place like I thought I would.

At the end of the first retreat, participants decided it should be an annual event, with the hope that it would grow and grow! Save the date - April 9-10, 2010 for the second annual women's retreat!

### Baptism Preparation



Preparation sessions for parents wishing to have their infants/children baptized at The Church of St. Peter will be held October 13, November 17, 2009 and January 5, 2010. Please call 584-2375 for further information.

### NCYC fundraising continues!

The next fundraiser for NCYC (National Catholic Youth Conference) will start this weekend after some Masses: 2010 Entertainment books. Calling the Youth Ministry office number (see the front of the bulletin), Monday-Friday, also works to place an order.

Our NCYC-bound youth are very grateful for your continued support of their efforts to raise funds—they're only \$3,000.00 short of the needed amount for their pilgrimage to Kansas City - November 19-22, 2009! Please help our youth make the goal, giving our teens a chance to learn at this conference along with thousands of others, how "Christ Reigns".

### Shoes for the Shoeless Campaign

Over the past 13 years this program has made a dramatic difference for those in need. These shoes have helped people in Africa, Katrina Survivors and those in need in Apalachia. But the need is still present and many people still don't realize that their old - wearable shoes can make a difference, but they can! The goal for 2009 is to collect over 11,000 pairs of shoes for distribution throughout Virginia, Kentucky, Ohio, and West Virginia.

Our parish collection will run until October 23. Parishioners Bob and Sue Panicka have offered to take the collected shoes to Albany on our behalf. Please rubberband the shoes, (shoeboxes are not needed) and leave them in the box in the vestibule of Church. Thank you!

BIRTHRIGHT of Ballston Spa - will celebrate Respect Life Sunday, October 3 and 4 with a fundraiser called "Baby Bottle Boomerang."

Plastic baby bottles will be offered to all parishioners after each mass, and the bottles are then filled with coins, cash, or checks and returned the following week. Your gift can be made in honor of a special person, whose name and address you list on the insert in the bottle. Birthright will then mail a beautifully designed card to the person being honored.

Birthright offers support and emergency supplies to new mothers and their infants. Your support through this fundraiser is truly appreciated.

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### An Invitation from Ladies of Charity Saratoga Vicariate

The Ladies of Charity, and Michelle Riggi, Honorary Chair cordially invite you and your friends to attend the On and Off Broadway Luncheon and Fashion Show. Join them Saturday, October 17 11:30 Cocktails and 12:30 luncheon, Saratoga Hilton, Broadway, Saratoga Springs. Liz Bishop, Channel 6 News will be Commentator, with Music by The Gene Usher Trio. Cost is \$45.00 pp, Please RSVP by October 9 by calling Yolanda Paolicelli at 886-8064.



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