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MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

Fourth Sunday of Easter.

Sat., April 29th

4:00PM – (St. J)

-For The Fallons (Living and Deceased) by the Family.

Sun., April 30th

8:00AM – (St. P)

-For Charles Strain Sr. by Rosalie.

9:30AM – (St. J)

-For Our Parishioners and Their Intentions.

Mon., May 1st

8:30AM – (St. J)

-For The Living & Deceased Members of the Edward & Mary Kraeger Family.

Tues., May 2nd

8:30AM – (St. J)

-For Henry & Dolores Mancini by Daughter, Diane.

Wed., May 3rd

8:30AM – (St. P)

-For Fr. Breen by Rosalie Strain.

Thurs., May 4th

No Scheduled Morning Mass

Friday, May 5th

8:30AM – (St. J)

-For Terry, Timmy, Betsy & Mike Lindsey by Wife & Mother Barbara.

Fifth Sunday of Easter.

Sat., May 6th

4:00PM – (St. J)

-For Our Parishioners and Their Intentions

Sun., May 7th (First Communion & May

Crowning)

8:00AM – (St. P)

-For Rose & Joseph DiPietro by Rosalie Strain.

9:30AM – (St. J)

-For Kevin Jenks by The Scheve Family.

We remember in our prayers

Charles Mooney, Frances Miller,
Jamie Uhl-Goosman, Jeffrey Batt, Lorraine King,
Walt Belewich, Sr. Ann Lash, Jim White,
John Bailey, Cretia Carpenter, Candace Schaffer,
David Hoffman, Steven Stooks,
Michael Stinebrickner, John Stark,
Michelle Durney Croniser, Brian Albert,
Wayne Millnitz, Robert Brinkerhoff,
Jason Lesperance, Rick Dano,
and Matthew King.

CONFESSION TIMES
SATURDAYS – 3:15PM – 3:45PM - SJ
SUNDAYS – 7:30AM – 7:50AM – SP

Christ Our Hope
Last Weeks Collection & Expenses
Collection: \$2,561.00
Expenses: - \$4,415.35
- \$1,907.49
Second Collections for April:
4/30/2023- Catholic Home
Missions Appeal
We are one: Please make your donation out to Christ Our Hope Parish.
TO MAKE YOUR WEEKLY DONATION ONLINE VISIT
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Your Easter flower envelope intentions will remain on the Altar throughout this Easter Season.

Food Pantry Corner:
Your generous donations allow us to continue helping our struggling families. We distributed 1092 meals for the month of March. Our current client needs are Laundry detergent and household cleaners. Your continued support is greatly appreciated. Thank you!



If you are in need of food assistance please call 315-942-4618 ext.105.

Religious Education 2023

April 30th will be the last class for Religious Education. Classes will resume in September.

 **First Communion is May 7th**
Please keep these students in your prayers.

Brock Bala Caleb Bourgeois
Joseph Brinkerhoff Brody Ellinger
Jacob Glenn Nolan Gydesen
Eric Leuenberger William Leuenberger
Reilly Moore Adrian Smith
Angelica Strain

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Students and parents will have rehearsal Saturday, May 6th at 10:00AM in St. Joseph's Church.



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GARAGE SALE



CATHOLIC WOMENS' CLUB NEWS

Our first sale of the year will be a Garage, Book and Bake Sale on May 12th & 13th at Kiefer Hall in Forestport.
Set up begins at 9AM Wed. May 3rd.
Please bring a bag lunch, business meeting follows at 1PM
We cannot accept computers, baby furniture, exercise equipment or televisions. As always, we appreciate your support!

Dear Parishioners,

I would like to take an opportunity again to thank everyone for your generous donations to the Hope Appeal this year. This past week, we received a check from the Diocese for our overage for a grand total of \$11,200 dollars. This is such an outstanding testament to the generosity of the community of Christ Our Hope. Over the last few years, we have been able to do so many projects between the Churches in Boonville, Forestport, and Otter Lake, as well as St Joseph's and St Patrick's Cemeteries. It has been with your generosity that we have been able to complete these projects. Let's keep up this momentum and begin to consider having events to bring the communities together and continue being a beacon of hope for the North Country.

Over the last few months, we have been looking at numbers preparing our budget for the new fiscal year which runs from July 1st 2023 – June 30th 2024. We have been tracking our collections and have taken into account the expenditures for Christ Our Hope, including office expenditures, buildings and grounds, payroll, Diocesan Assessments (which include property insurance and other non-negotiable expenditures from the Diocese). Looking at our weekly income, we are running a deficit of around \$1000 dollars. Over the last year, we have made cuts in expenditures where we can and will continue to make sure we are using money in the most fruitful of ways. I realize that this is a lot of money that we are running in a deficit, but we will continue to evaluate how we can curb this.

As you all know, I do not enjoy asking for money, especially when things can be so tight in our own finances. I realize that this is not a happy topic to be talking about, but it needs to be said. Currently, we are using money from savings to help pay for monthly assessment bills and other expenditures. I would humbly ask to please consider looking at your weekly donation and if possible consider helping us curb our deficit. This is a long term outlook and not something that will be fixed overnight, but let's consider how we can come together as a community to continue to be that beacon of Hope.

God Bless,
Fr. Matt Rawson

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Fourth Sunday of Easter

Today's readings begin on pg. 907 Year A

April 30, 2023

Acts of the Apostles 2:14a, 36-41

God has made Jesus both Lord and Christ.

Psalms 23:1b-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6

The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want.

Peter 2:20b-25

You have returned to the shepherd and guardian of your souls.

Gospel Acclamation

I am the good shepherd, says the Lord;

I know my sheep, and mine know me.

John 10:1-10

I am the gate for the sheep.

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