

## CHRIST OUR HOPE PARISH OFFICE

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### Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Sat., October 28<sup>th</sup>**

**4:00PM – (St. J)**

-For Our Parishioners & Their Intentions.

**Sun. October 29<sup>th</sup>**

**8:00AM – (St. P)**

-For Barbara Lindsey by Kathy Sprung.

**9:30AM – (St. J)**

-For Margaret and Blaze Kowalik by Daughters.

**Mon., October 30<sup>th</sup>**

**8:30AM – (St. J)**

-For Msgr. John Joseph Heagerty by the Parish.

**Tues., October 31<sup>st</sup>**

**8:30AM – (St. J)**

-For Fr. David James by the Parish.

**Wed. November 1<sup>st</sup> - All Saints Day**

*(Holy Day of Obligation)*

**8:30AM – (St. P)**

-For Jaylen Charron by Ray Rueger.

**6PM – (St. J)**

-For Our Parishioners and Their Intentions.

**Thurs., November 2<sup>nd</sup> - All Souls Day**

**7PM- (St.J)**

-For All the Faithfully Departed.

**Fri. November 3<sup>rd</sup>**

**8:30AM – (St. J)**

-For Deceased Members of the Lindsey Family by the Family.

**Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Sat., November 4<sup>th</sup>**

**4:00PM – (St. J)**

-For Anthony & Catherine Sportelli by Mark and Celia Domser.

**Sun. November 5<sup>th</sup>**

**8:00AM – (St. P)**

-For Lisa Bandysh by Mom, Dad and Family.

**9:30AM – (St. J)**

4For Anthony Bailey by Bernie Bailey.

### 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, Michelle Durney Croniser,  
Wayne Millnitz, Rick Dano, Matthew King,  
Tim Thayer, Bonnie Russell, Ron Cuccaro,  
Lily Warcup, Allan Ripp, Megan Roberts &  
Everett Otis Stoots

### **CONFESSION TIMES**

**SATURDAYS – 3:15PM – 3:45PM - SJ**

**SUNDAYS – 7:30AM – 7:50AM – SP**

### Christ Our Hope

Last Week's Collection & Expenses

Collection Income: \$3,770.70

Expenses: \$4,472.78

**- 695.08**

### November Second Collections

Nov. 5- Seminary

Nov. 12- Repairs/Improvements

Nov. 19- Human Development

**We are one: Please make your donation out to  
Christ Our Hope Parish.**

**TO MAKE YOUR WEEKLY  
DONATION ONLINE VISIT  
WWW.CHRISTOURHOPERC.ORG**

### **Food Pantry Corner:**

The food pantry has distributed 756 meals for the month of September.

We are collecting boxed deserts, cake mixes, Brownies, cookie mix etc to give to our families through the holidays.

Any donations of these items will help us add an extra treat for Thanksgiving and Christmas.

Your continued support is greatly appreciated."

If you know of anyone who could use our services we can be reached at (315) 507-0547.

**Thank You!**

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION 2023-2024

### **OPERATION CHRISTMAS C D**

Our Parish will once again participate in this Holiday tradition which will take place the 3<sup>rd</sup> weekend in November. Boxes will be due Nov. 17<sup>th</sup>.

Please start saving your shoe boxes. We will also have boxes available at the back of the churches. There will be a general donation bin for individually donated items. The Religious Education students will be packing boxes on Oct. 29<sup>th</sup> & Nov. 5<sup>th</sup>, during part of their class time. There is a suggested donation of \$10/box. For more information on this program, please visit: [Samaritanpurse.org](http://Samaritanpurse.org). Thank you!



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### Catholic Women's Club News

Save the Date!

Holiday Bazaar 2023

Friday, Nov. 10<sup>th</sup> & Saturday, Nov. 11<sup>th</sup>

Kiefer Hall, 9004 E. River St.,

Forestport, NY - **9-3 both days.**

We can no longer accept donations for our sales until Spring. Thank you for your continued support and generosity.

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**"You Strengthen the Fabric of Our Faith"**

*Envelopes are available in the Churches for donations.*

*If you donated last year, you will be getting a mailing.*

*We have \$8,964.00 in donations and pledges toward our goal of \$18,175.00.*

**Hope Appeal Online Giving Link:**

**<https://www.syracusediocese.org/hopeappeal>**

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### Save the Date

**Saturday, November 11, 2023**

**Syracuse Catholic Women's Conference**

**Speakers will include:**

***Immaculee Ilibagiza, a survivor of the 1994 Rwandan genocide.***

***Daniel O'Connor, Professor of Philosophy and Religion.***

***Fr. Joseph Esper, a priest for the Archdiocese of Detroit.***

**Please see the posters at the Church entrances for more information and a QR code.**

Dear Parishioners,

I want to thank everyone who contributed to the Hope appeal so far this year!! We are still about \$10,000 away from reaching our goal of \$18,000. If you have not given yet, please consider a gift! As you all know, the Hope Appeal does so many great things throughout our seven County Diocese and helps so many people. I have mentioned that it helps everything from the Diocesan communications to the Home bound by providing Mass both on Cable TV as well as online each wee. It also helps in promoting vocations to both the religious life and priesthood. Every little bit helps us get closer to our goal, so please consider giving in any amount you are able.

A few weeks ago I mentioned that we would be having a harvest luncheon on November 8<sup>th</sup>. Unfortunately, due to a number of scheduling conflicts, we will have to reschedule the luncheon for a later date. As we move into the winter months, I would like to have a few opportunities to gather as a parish family in some capacity either for a luncheon or dinner. Stay tuned for our next event!

Matthew 22:34-40 is where our Gospel is taken from this week. It is a significant passage in the Gospel of where Jesus is questioned by a Pharisee about the greatest commandment in the Law. This interaction serves as a key teaching moment in which Jesus reveals the essence of God's commandments and the core principles of the Christian faith. In response to the Pharisee's question, Jesus states, "Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind." This is the first and greatest commandment. The second is like it: "Love your neighbor as yourself." All the Law and the Prophets depend on these two commandments."

By emphasizing the importance of love, Jesus encapsulates the essence of the entire Law and Prophets. He explains that true obedience to God's commandments is not merely about following a set of rules, but rather about cultivating a deep and genuine love for God and for others. This love is not self-serving but requires selflessness, compassion, and empathy. Furthermore, Jesus emphasizes the interconnections of these two commandments. Loving God and loving others are inseparable, for one cannot genuinely love God without loving their fellow human beings. This teaching challenges the religious leaders of that time and serves as a reminder to all believers today that love is at the heart of a genuine relationship with God and with others.

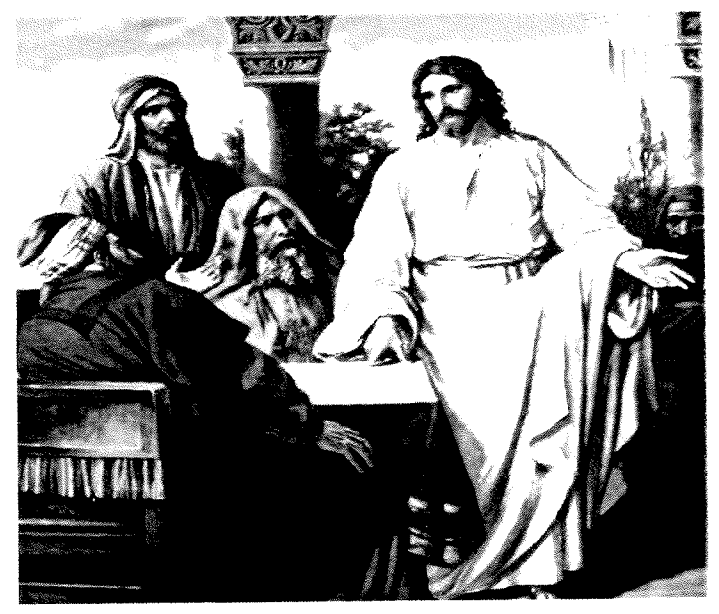
Our Gospel this week, teaches us that love is the foundation of our faith. It reminds us that our actions and attitudes should be motivated by love for God and love for others. As followers of Christ, we are called to embody this love in our daily lives and to let it guide our interactions with those around us.

God Bless,  
**Fr Matt**

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Forestport, NY  
**St. Mary of the Snows Oratory**  
Otter Lake, NY  
*-The Catholic Community of Northern Oneida County-*



**The Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Today's readings begin on pg. 1015 Year A

**October 29, 2023**

Exodus 22:20-26

*If you wrong the widow and the orphan, my wrath will flare up against you.*

Psalm 18:2-3a, 3bc-4, 47 & 51ab

*I love you, Lord, my strength.*

1 Thessalonians 1:5c-10

*You turned from idols to serve the living and true God and to await his son from heaven.*

Gospel Acclamation

*Whoever loves me will keep my word, says the Lord, and my Father will love him and we will come to him.*

Matthew 22:34-40

*You shall love the Lord your God and your neighbor as yourself.*

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