

Solemnity of the Epiphany of the Lord

January 3, 2010

May we be a light to all our sisters and brothers!

MOST HOLY ROSARY CHURCH

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Eucharistic Liturgies:	Weekends:	Saturday Vigil	5:00 PM
		Sunday	8:00 AM & 10:00 AM
	Weekdays:	Mon – Fri.	9:00 AM
Sacrament of Reconciliation:		Saturday	4:00 PM - 4:30 PM
			Or by appointment.

Sacrament of Baptism: Call the rectory 2 months in advance to make the necessary arrangements.
Sacrament of Matrimony: Call the rectory 6 months in advance to make preparation.

Parish Membership:	New members are always welcome. Please contact the Rectory office (607) 862-3216 for a census form.
Parish E-mail Address:	MRosaryChurch@stny.rr.com (non-urgent matters)
Parish Website:	http://mostholynosary-maineny.org
Office Hours:	Tuesday through Friday 10 am – 4 pm
Religious Education Classes:	Sunday 9:00am – 9:50 am for Grades K-5
	Alternating Sundays 11:10 am – 12:30 pm for Grades 6 through Confirmation. Program runs October through May.
Bulletin Deadline:	Material must be submitted in writing by 10:00 am Tuesday

Parish Liturgies for the Week of January 4, 2010

Masses for the Week (+ indicates deceased)

Mon: 9:00 AM - + Mary V. McCormack / Req. by Larry and Annamarie Sullivan

Tue: 9:00 AM - Communion Service

Wed: 9:00 AM - + Barbara Gallo

Thur: 9:00 AM - + Helena Estworthy / Req. by Dewey and Ernestine Tomassi

Fri: 9:00AM - + Joseph Monticello / November Candle

Sat: 5:00 PM - + Jimmy Sullivan / Req. by Mr. and Mrs. John Slocum

Sun: 8:00 AM - + Ed Krzyzewski / Req. by The Breakfast Group

10:00 AM - For the People of Most Holy Rosary

Parish Ministries for the Weekend of January 9 and 10, 2010

Lectors

Sat: 5:00 PM - Charles Hunt

Sun: 8:00 AM - Barbara Dessell

10:00 AM - Jim Tokos

Offertory Procession

Sat: 5:00 PM - Mr. and Mrs. John Slocum

Sun: 8:00 AM - The Breakfast Group

10:00 AM - Bill and Linda Austin

Altar Servers

Sat: 5:00 PM - Hanna King, Brianna Sullivan

Sun: 8:00 AM - Andrew and David Bohunicky

10:00 AM - Matt and Meghan Isham, Ryan Scanlon

Eucharistic Ministers

Sat: 5:00 PM - *Debra and Bryan Takacs, Cyndy Healy

Sun: 8:00 AM - *Mary Buckley, Danyelle Curran, Fran Decker

10:00 AM - *Jeff Gonz, Steven Brandt, Susan Isham

* indicates the person assisting Father Clarence

Ushers/Greeters

Sat: 5:00 PM - Steve Reynolds, Michael Acciai, Jan and Nick Mangino

Sun: 8:00 AM - Paul Girard, Mark Bohunicky

10:00 AM - S. Wisniewski, Jack Ebert, Sydney Bouton, Chris Stastny

Collection Counters

Maribeth Cederborg, Jayne Colwell, Aggie Dedrick, Sheila Daino



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They opened their treasures
and offered him gifts
of gold, frankincense
and myrrh

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OUR PARISH CALENDAR

This Sunday: No Religious Education Classes
K of C Breakfast Buffet: Church Hall, 8:30-11:30
Monday: K of C. Formal Meeting @ 7pm: Church Hall
Tuesday: Tae Kwon Do Kid's Class - 6:00 pm
Tae Kwon Do Adult Class - 6:45 pm
Thursday: Adult Church History Classes: 10am and 7pm
Next Sunday: Rel. Ed. K-5: 9:00-9:50 am
Gr. 6 - Conf. II: 11:10am-12:30 pm

REGULAR COLLECTION

Weekly Goal: \$3,800.00
December 27th: \$3,361.00
Christmas: \$5,722.61



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Dear Friends,

Each year, we take up a collection to help Peter Daino's mission work. Peter is the brother of Doug (Sheila) Daino of our parish. He works with the poorest of the poor in Nairobi, Kenya. He founded IMANI's Maria House ministry, which stands for Incentive from the Marianists to Assist the Needy to be Independent.

The slums in Nairobi are extensive and their degrading poverty keeps more than two million people trapped in a sub-human condition from which there is little escape. Only education and training present the opportunity to break the vicious cycle of poverty into which they were born. This year's collection will be taken up on the weekend of **January 23-24**. You have been most generous in past years. Remember, through his ministry, you minister as well by prayer and financial assistance.

**God Bless You,
Father Clarence.**

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We will collect **used Christmas Cards** in January to use as tags for next year's Giving Tree.

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Mark your calendars for the **2010 IGNITE Men's Conference** in Syracuse. IGNITE 2010 is a Catholic Men's conference sponsored by the Diocese of Syracuse. It will be held from 8am until 5pm on **Saturday - February 27th** at the **OnCenter** in **Syracuse**. Last year's conference was a huge success and well worth attending. You may contact Matt Karp at 642-5335 for more information.

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Please take your **2010 Adult/Youth/Children's Envelopes**. They are at the back of the Church. Mailing the boxed envelope sets is costly. Thank you.

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Help yourself to the new supply of reading material in the pews and vestibule. There is no charge.

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If you are going on the **Pilgrimage to Medjugorje** next May, please send your **check and application** to: CTMC, 104 Spring Street, Boston, MA 02132. The check for \$110 for the bus fare should be made out to Most Holy Rosary and mailed to the Rectory.

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For 2010, the Sanctuary Candle will be lit weekly in memory of our loved ones. You may call the Rectory, or **clearly print** the information (week desired, name of deceased, name of person(s) making the request) on a plain envelope and put it in the collection basket. The donation is \$10/week. The weeks begin on Sunday and run through the following Saturday.

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Our **CHOW** barrel is back. Please continue to remember those in need in our community.

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Supplementary Envelopes are available in the Church vestibule for visitors, new parishioners or those who may have forgotten to bring their Offertory envelope.

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We now have **Mass Cards** for the **Living!** These beautiful cards make very special gifts for birthdays, anniversaries, and special intentions. The offering is \$10, the same as for a Mass for the deceased.

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Your marriage is worth saving! If your marriage has become troubled or stressed, unloving or uncaring, or if your relationship has grown cold and distant, if you are thinking of separation or divorce, or if you are already separated or divorced, but want to try again, then the Retrouvaille program can help you. Join us in Owego the weekend of January 22-24, 2010. Please call 607.785.0034 for more info.

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Please check the vestibule bulletin board for more information on the following events:


- **Healing Mass** every Monday at 7:00 pm at St. Mary of the Assumption, 37 Fayette Street, Binghamton. You will see Father Clarence smiling back at you from the altar!
- **Fr. Amedeo Guida 25 years in the Priesthood: Mass 01/10/2010 @ 11:30 am @ St. James**

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Family Perspective from the Office of Family Life Education (A HOPE Appeal Agency): Today's gospel gives us two perspectives: Herod was deceitful, trying to protect his interests and as a result, he was troubled, while the Magi generously offered their gifts to Jesus. If we imitate Herod, our family will be a group of troubled selfish individuals. Imitate the Magi! Generosity is the ingredient that forms a family.

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We will start February 2010 with a clean slate for the "Sick and Shut-Ins" list. If you or someone you know should be on our list, please call the Rectory or clearly print the name on a piece of paper and drop it in the collection basket marked "Sick and Shut-Ins" list. Don't forget to let us know when to remove the name.

Pray for Our Sick and Shut-Ins			January
Barbara Barcak	Terry Berge	Sydney Bouton	 <p>The Sanctuary Candle burns for the greater honor and glory of God, and in loving memory of</p> <p>Sammy Heros</p> <p>***</p> <p>At the request of</p> <p>Kirk Mason</p>
Jim Buttermer	Mary Carlson	Sophie Cyganovich	
Linda Darrow	Jerry Donnelly, Jr.	Pam Donnelly	
Debi Evans	Donna Gayne	Frank Giordani	
Paul Girard	Marie Green	Robert Gregory	
Michelle Gut	Garrett Huffman	Joe Keough	
Bob Krome	Roy Lewis	Sheila McGovern	
Donald Miller	Elizabeth Moat	Deanna Molyneaux	
Will Nakanishi	Susan Nelson	David Olsen	
Betty Perry	Maureen Reynolds	Larry Rice	
Ron Rose	Leland Sanford	Andrew Spak	
Billy Stadelman	Anne Michael Sullivan	Leone Tillery	
Jennifer Turck	Barbara Wheatley	Dorothy Winans	
Beverly Witchella	Leo Witchella	Sharon Zembek	
Please help keep our Prayer List current by letting us know of people who should be added; also, please let us know when names should be removed. Thank you.			

2009-2010 ~ A Year for Priests

