



# ST. MARY'S & ST. PATRICK'S NEWSLETTER

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## **Dear Parish Family and Friends, both near and far**

**Fr. Jay Atherton** is back, staying in the rectory in Athens. He thanks everyone for their prayers and cards. He will preside at Masses in Athens and Catskill over the next few weekends as he continues his convalescence. Later, he will be back to visiting our Network parishes.

## **Listening Sessions**

When we first gathered for Listening Sessions for our Network, Fr. Jay said there would be more sessions. More Listening Sessions will be held in the parishes and hosted by the Trustees and Pastoral Council. There will be a second session at St. Patrick's in the Parish Hall on Tuesday, November 5<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 pm. At this time, additional parishioner comment and ideas will be sought on Mass schedules, priest rotations and Sunday Celebrations in the Absence of a Priest.

## **All Saints Day and All Souls' Day**

All Saints Day is coming up on Friday, November 1<sup>st</sup>; Mass will be celebrated on Friday, November 1<sup>st</sup> at 6 pm at St. Mary's. All Souls' Day is Saturday, November 2<sup>nd</sup>; All Souls' Day Mass will be celebrated on Saturday, November 2<sup>nd</sup> at 11 am.

## **Altar of Remembrance**

We remember Saints and Souls all during the month of November. Again this year, parishioners are invited to bring pictures of deceased family members, friends and neighbors for the Altars of Remembrance at St. Mary's and St. Patrick's. You may bring your pictures to our offices and churches beginning this week. Please put your name on your picture so we can get these keepsakes back to you at the end of November.

## **Coming up in next four weeks**

St. Patrick's Annual Spaghetti Dinner is today Sunday, October 27 from 1-5 pm at Frese's Bakery at 11 Clifford Street in Ravenna. Price: adults \$15, \$7 for ages 5 to 10, children under 5 are free.

St. Mary's in Coxsackie is sponsoring a (first annual) Free Community Swap on Saturday, November 9<sup>th</sup> from 11 am to 4 pm. People may drop off donated items on Thursday and Friday, November 7-8<sup>th</sup> from 5-7 pm at Maria Hall. The Community Swap takes place on Saturday, November 9<sup>th</sup>. Please see the enclosed sheet in our newsletter for more information, including a list of donations that items that are desired and others that are not.

## **Don't forget to turn your clocks back one hour next weekend**

Blessings, Fr. Joe O'Brien

### Schedule

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| SUNDAY<br>10-27    | 7:30 Mass at St. Mary's<br>9:30 Mass at St. Patrick's (also <a href="#">St. Patrick's YouTube channel</a> or Mid-Hudson 901)<br>Hospitality provided by Knights of Columbus immediately follow Mass<br>11:30 Mass at St. Mary's (also <a href="#">St. Mary's YouTube channel</a> )<br><i>1-5 Spaghetti Dinner drive thru at Frese's Bakery</i>  |
| MONDAY 10-28       | 8:00 Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament at St. Mary's  |
| TUESDAY<br>10-29   | 8:00 Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament at St. Mary's<br>8:30 <a href="#">Listen for news at weekend Masses regarding Tuesday's morning Mass</a><br>11:00 Women's Bible Study at room 5 of St. Patrick's Parish Hall<br><i>5:30 No Reconciliation on the 5<sup>th</sup> Tuesday</i><br>6:00 Rosary at St. Mary's<br><i>7:00 Columbiettes meeting room 4 of St. Patrick's Parish Hall</i> |
| WEDNESDAY<br>10-30 | 8:00 <a href="#">Listen for news at weekend Masses regarding Wednesday's morning Mass</a><br>8:30 Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament at St. Patrick's<br><i>6:30 No Choir rehearsal at St. Patrick's</i>   |
| THURSDAY<br>10-31  | 8:30 Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament at St. Patrick's<br>6:30 Choir rehearsal at St. Mary's   |
| FRIDAY 11-1        | 8:00 Morning Prayer at St. Mary's<br><i>6:00 All Saints at St. Mary's</i>   |
| SATURDAY 11-2      | <i>11:00 All Souls at St. Patrick's</i><br>4:30 Mass at St. Patrick's<br><b><i>Clocks set back 1 hour</i></b>   |
| SUNDAY<br>11-3     | 7:30 Mass at St. Mary's<br>9:30 Mass at St. Patrick's (also <a href="#">St. Patrick's YouTube channel</a> or Mid-Hudson 901)<br>11:30 Mass at St. Mary's (also <a href="#">St. Mary's YouTube channel</a> )   |
| MONDAY 11-4        | 8:00 Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament at St. Mary's  |
| TUESDAY<br>11-5    | 8:00 Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament at St. Mary's<br>8:30 Weekday Mass at St. Patrick's, Rosary following Mass<br>11:00 Women's Bible Study at room 5 of St. Patrick's Parish Hall<br>6:00 Rosary at St. Mary's<br>5:30 Reconciliation at St. Mary's<br><i>6:30 Listening Session at St. Patrick's Parish Hall</i>   |
| WEDNESDAY<br>11-6  | 8:00 Weekday Mass at St. Mary's<br>8:30 Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament at St. Patrick's<br>6:30 Choir rehearsal at St. Patrick's   |
| THURSDAY 11-7      | 8:30 Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament at St. Patrick's<br>1:00-2:00 St. Patrick's Men's Prayer Meeting<br>6:30 Choir rehearsal at St. Mary's   |
| FRIDAY 11-8        | 8:00 Morning Prayer at St. Mary's   |
| SATURDAY 11-9      | 4:30 Mass at St. Patrick's<br><i>11-4 Free Community Swap in St. Mary's Maria Hall</i>  |
| SUNDAY<br>11-10    | 7:30 Mass at St. Mary's<br>9:30 Mass at St. Patrick's (also <a href="#">St. Patrick's YouTube channel</a> or Mid-Hudson 901)  |

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| Hospitality provided by Knights of Columbus immediately follow Mass<br>11:30 Mass at St. Mary's (also <a href="#">St. Mary's YouTube channel</a> ) |
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*If you have news of interest for either of our parishes and would like it to appear in our newsletter, please email your suggested article directly to Bill Halstead at [weh058@mac.com](mailto:weh058@mac.com). The deadline for sending all news articles is the Monday, 6:00 pm, before the publishing of the newsletter. Thank you.*

**Thrift Shop at St. Patrick's**

**Mary Ann McCool | 518-756-9184**

Come visit Thursdays from 1:00 – 3:00 pm or Saturday mornings from 9:00 – Noon. The Thrift Shop is closed on Holidays.

**Food Pantry, Coxsackie**

**Lorraine Camurati | 917-572-3300**

Just a reminder of the first Sunday of the month collection for the Coxsackie Food Pantry. There are baskets in the back of the church for your donations. Coxsackie's Food Pantry hours: Tuesday 1-2 pm, Thursday 7-8 pm, & Saturday 10-11 am. *Monetary donations are always welcome as your gift has much more buying power at the regional food bank.*

**Food Pantry at St. Patrick's Ravenna**

**Diane Hoffman | 518-330-6789**

**The Pantry needs:** bathroom tissue, paper towels, bar soap, canned fruit, mayonnaise, pork n beans, canned chili, canned potatoes, graham crackers, cookies, lunch box snacks, pancake syrup, tuna fish and dish liquid. *Thank you to all that support the Food Pantry with your food and monetary donations!*

**Pantry hours:** Tuesdays & Fridays 10–11 am & Wednesdays 6–7 pm.

**Mother McAuley Columbiettes meeting** rescheduled to Tuesday, *October 29<sup>th</sup>* at 7:00pm in room 4 of St. Patrick's Parish Hall.

**When a parishioner passes away** family members often request donations be made to the church in their memory. *Please advise donors to direct the donations to the churches as follows:*

St. Mary's Repairs and Renovations Fund. St. Patrick's Capital Fund.

**St. Patrick's Church - Ravena, NY**  
518-756-3145



**SUNDAY OCTOBER 27**  
1:00 PM - 5:00 PM

## **Annual Spaghetti Dinner**

DRIVE THRU - TAKE OUT ONLY - at Frese's Bakery - 11 Clifford Street, Ravena

Dinner Includes Spaghetti, Meatballs, Sausage, Salad, Bread and Dessert!

Tickets available at the Rectory or after Mass starting 9/28

Adults-\$15.00, Ages 5 to 10 - \$7.00, Under 4 - Free

Raffle Tickets also available for purchase!! Generous Prizes!



JOIN US FOR OUR

# Free Community Swap

EVERYONE IS WELCOME!

FREE TO PARTICIPATE!

*We will have snacks, drinks, candy,  
and baked goods available for cash-  
only purchase.*

SWAP WHAT YOU NO LONGER WANT OR NEED,  
FOR WHAT YOU DO! YOU DO NOT NEED TO BRING SOMETHING TO  
TAKE SOMETHING.

DROP OFF YOUR DONATED ITEMS TO ST. MARY'S CHURCH (80  
MANSION STREET), DOWNSTAIRS IN MARIA HALL, BETWEEN 5-7PM,  
NOVEMBER 7TH AND/OR 8TH. JOIN US ON SATURDAY, NOVEMBER  
9TH FROM 11AM TO 4PM TO TAKE WHAT YOU NEED/WANT.

**What to Bring:**

*Clean, working, reusable, portable items such as clothing,  
shoes, sports gear, car seats, strollers, housewares, household  
decorations, electronics, children's books, and toys.*

**What NOT to Bring:**

*Furniture, large items, expired or open food, unsealed  
personal care products, medicine, dirty or ripped clothing/  
shoes/sports gear, incomplete toys/crafts/games,  
encyclopedias, textbooks, non-working electronics, tube TV,  
magazines, or sharp objects.*

**\*\*\*We reserve the right to refuse any item based on condition, etc.\*\*\***

**All left-overs will be donated to local charities, fundraisers, and drives.**







# Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

**FRIDAYS BEGINNING SEPTEMBER 13**  
6:00 PM - 7:30 PM

September 13 & October 25  
Sacred Heart Palenville

September 20 & November 8  
Immaculate Conception Haines Falls

September 27 & November 15  
St Theresa's Windham

October 4  
Our Lady of Knock East Durham

October 11 & November 22  
at John the Baptist Greenville

October 18 & November 29  
at Sacred Heart Cairo

**ST. PATRICK'S ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
21 MAIN STREET | RAVENA, NY 12143

As we remember those who entered into eternal life this past year from St. Patrick's and St. Mary's Churches, we invite you, your family and friends to join us for our annual

## All Souls Day Mass

**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 2 AT 11:00 AM**

Light refreshments provided on the plaza outside after Mass by the Events and Parish Life Committee

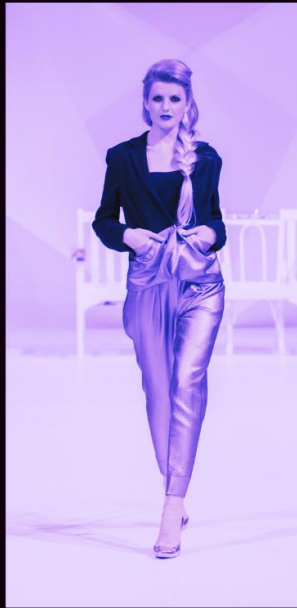
**FOR ALL THE SOULS**  
*may they rest in peace*

# TALENT FASHION SHOW



ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH

Saturday,  
**November 16**



**SIGN UP NOW!**

**Phone:** 518-756-3145

**Email:**

[spravenaevents@gmail.com](mailto:spravenaevents@gmail.com)

OR

See Donna Hagen (Chairperson)  
after Mass!

After Mass in the Parish Center

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21 Main Street | Ravena, NY 12143

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Hosted by: Events/Parish Life Committee  
Food for sale: Baked Ziti, Pulled Pork Sandwiches,  
Chili, and other snacks!

**Gina Donovan, a parishioner of St. Mary's**, has been hospitalized since September 9<sup>th</sup> and will be for quite a while longer. She has no family in the area and is unable to have visits or phone calls. However, cards would be very much appreciated and certainly brighten her day. You may send them to: *Gina Donovan, Columbia Memorial Hospital, 71 Prospect Avenue, Room 207, Hudson, NY 12534.* Thank you for your generosity.

## **Mass Intentions**

### ***Week of October 26, 27, 2024***

### ***30<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time***

Oct 26 4:30 Ravena Frank and Angie Visconti by family  
Marge Sumner by family

Oct 27 7:30 Coxsackie Carl Coniglio by his niece

9:30 Ravena Rita Gager by family

11:30 Coxsackie Marlene Carroll (30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary) by Arlene Matthews

### ***Week of November 2, 3 2024***

### ***31<sup>st</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time***

Nov 2 4:30 Ravena Guy Anatriello by Rose

Nov 3 7:30 Coxsackie Memorial Society  
Donald McDonald by Anita Hynes  
Mickey Lent by Jeannene Albright

9:30 Ravena Robert Hagen by Mom  
Richard D'Esposito by Mom

11:30 Coxsackie Kelly Elizabeth Eignor by Linda Eignor  
Jackie Kennedy by Alice and Michael Gatt

### ***Week of November 9, 10 2024*** ***Time***

### ***32<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary***

Nov 9 4:30 Ravena Charles Burns by Joanne Nunziato  
Joseph Campoli by Gloria  
KC Vosburgh by Gina and Scott Andrews

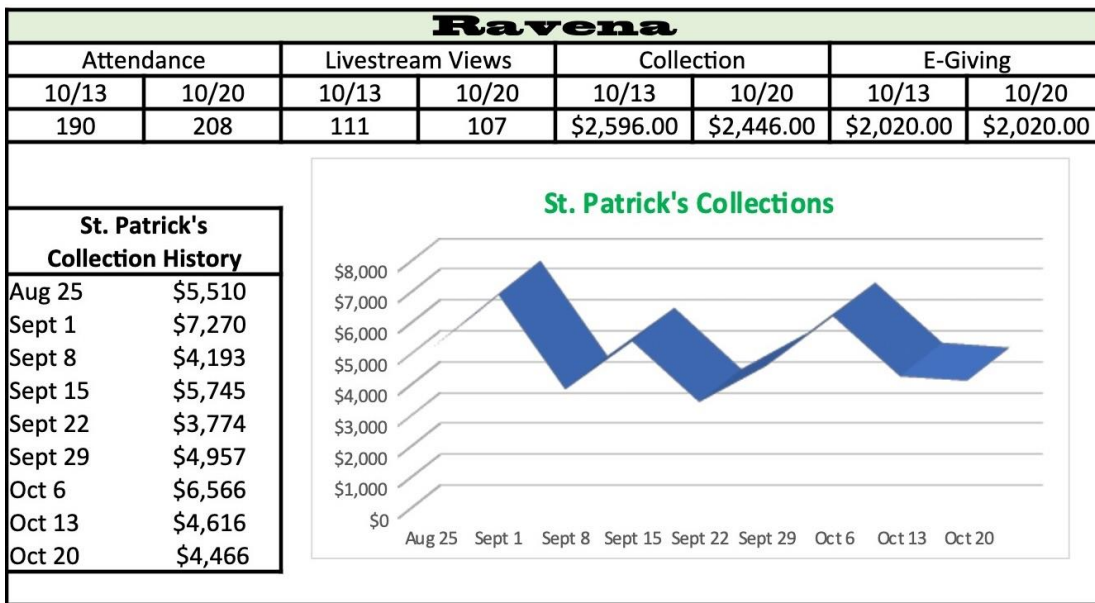
Nov 10 7:30 Coxsackie Sam Coniglio by his daughters  
Leo Synakowski by his wife

9:30 Ravena Joan & Bob Steenburn and Robert William by Kathy Beers

11:30 Coxsackie Michael Votta ( WWII Purple Heart Recipient) by Robert and Shirley Lazar  
Donald McDonald by Alice and Michael Gatt

Nov 12 8:00 Coxsackie Pauline O'Connor by Alice and Michael Gatt



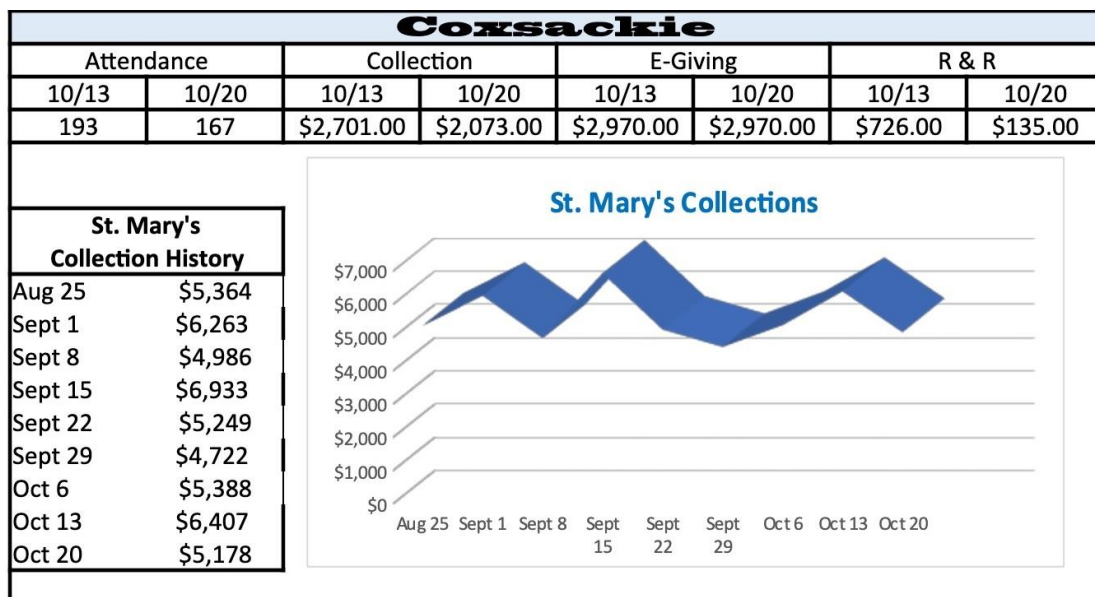


**Collections & E-Giving**

E-Mail Dawn Brownson [parishbusinessmanager@gmail.com](mailto:parishbusinessmanager@gmail.com)

**ENVELOPES ARE GREAT, BUT E-GIVING HELPS YOUR PARISH MAKE BETTER FINANCIAL DECISIONS**

*The Church is just like your family when it comes to managing our finances. We need to know what our income will be in order to budget and plan for on-going operational needs and building maintenance projects. E-giving provides a steady stream of income that we know we can depend on week after week. Many things can throw us off track in maintaining our commitment to weekly giving. Weather, illness, delays in envelope delivery and vacations to name a few. Plus, with the increased use of debit/credit cards, many of us don't carry cash. **You can cover both your regular weekly giving and any special collections with just one deduction.** Sign up once and leave the rest to us. The deduction will occur at the interval you choose from the bank account you provide. Enrollment forms are in the back of the church along with descriptions of the second and special collection. Please do not hesitate to call the office with any questions. **Try it risk free and change your mind at any time:** [Click Here](#)*



## Connecting with the Parishes

## Online | Phone | E-Mail

### WEEKEND MASSES (ALL ARE WELCOME):

4:30 pm Saturday Mass at St. Patrick's

7:30 am Sunday Mass at St. Mary's

9:30 am Sunday Mass at St. Patrick's

9:30 am on **St. Patrick's YouTube** channel (also on-demand)

[Click here](#) and then please subscribe and on **Mid-Hudson Cable Channel 901** (live at 9:30 only)

11:30 am Sunday Mass at St. Mary's

11:30 am on **St. Mary's YouTube** channel [Click here](#) and then please subscribe

**WEEKDAY MASS (Except for Holy Days & days of funeral at a parish): St. Patrick's** Tuesday 8:30 am

**St. Mary's** Wednesday 8 am

**HUDSON VALLEY VICARIATE WEST FAITH FORMATION** Online [hvwwff.org](http://hvwwff.org)

**FR. JAY'S YOUTUBE CHANNEL FOR HOMILIES AND MESSAGES:** [Click here](#) and then please **SUBSCRIBE**

**FR. JOE'S YOUTUBE CHANNEL FOR HOMILIES AND MESSAGES:** [Click here](#) and then please **SUBSCRIBE**

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**MY PARISH APP (Two Parishes, One App):** Text **APP** to **88202** to subscribe

**INSTAGRAM (Two Parishes, One Instagram):** [stmary's.stpatrick's](https://www.instagram.com/stmarys.stpatrick/s)



**EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT** First Sunday of the month 6:30-7:30 pm at St. Patrick's

Monday and Tuesday 8:00 am at St. Mary's

Wednesday and Thursday 8:30 am St. Patrick's

**MORNING PRAYER (Following the Liturgy of the Hours format)** Friday mornings at 8:00 at St. Mary's

**WOMEN'S TUESDAY BIBLE STUDY** 11 am - 12 pm on Tuesdays St. Patrick's School – Classroom 5

**MEN'S PRAYER MEETING** 1 – 2 pm on Thursdays St. Patrick's School – Classroom 5

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