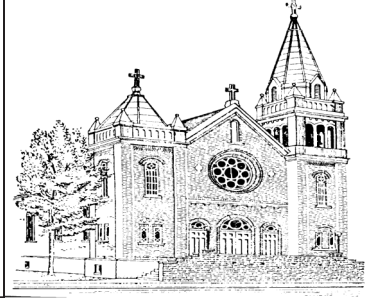


St. Alphonsus-Holy Name of Jesus Parish



Pastor:
Reverend Douglas Decker
 Deacons:
James Ellis, Gerald Savage
Deacon James Ellis
 Religious Education Office (K-10):
Jill Bujold
 Parish Office:
Lisa Reed



Reconciliation:

Saturday - St. Alphonsus 3:15-3:30pm; Sunday - Holy Name 8:00-8:10am

Baptism Preparation: Call parish office **Wedding Preparation:** Call parish office at least 6 months before desired date

Communion to the Sick: Call parish office

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Masses this week

Monday	01/22	8:00am	HGPC	Elizabeth Facteau by Don & Jean Donah & family
Tuesday	01/23	8:00am	HGPC	Chalice Dechene by the Heritage Museum
Wednesday	01/24	8:00am	HGPC	Al Becker by Phil & Denise Benware
Thursday	01/25	8:00am	HGPC	Al Aseel by Jim & Elaine
Friday	01/26			No Mass
Saturday	01/27	4:00pm	SA	Ben Bigrow by Homer & Mae LaMare
Sunday	01/28	8:30am	HN	Florence Stone by Leon & Janis LaFave
Sunday	01/28	11:00am	SA	Lois Tice by JJ & Ellen Maroun

From the Pastor...

A big weekend for us who stand for Life. Again the diocese has sent several young people, adults and clergy to Washington D.C. Our group has a busy schedule with a tour of Washington, visits to museums and the March for Life. God's light and care for our marchers.

It won't be long and we will celebrate Mardi Gras. Feb. 11 here at the Holy Ghost Parish Center.

At the last Parish Council meeting I mentioned to the committee that 2018 is my 40th year as a priest. Typically we have a special Mass with a simple reception. My anniversary date is 06 May 2018. More to come.

Religious Education this weekend.

Fr. Doug

Parish happenings...

HOLY HOUR

Tuesday, January 23, 6:00pm, St. Alphonsus Church

MEN OF THE CHURCH

Monday, February 5, 7:00pm, Holy Ghost Parish Center

Our bulletin brought to you by:

Shaheen's Adirondack Inn

314 Park St.

518-359-3384

Open year round

DIOCESAN ANNULMENT WORKSHOPS

This FREE workshop is for people who wish to explore beginning the annulment process and will be conducted by the Staff of the Matrimonial Tribunal: Rev. Douglas J. Lucia, JCL, Judicial Vicar; Rev. Garry B. Giroux, JCL, Adjutant Judicial Vicar; and Mrs. Elaine Seymour, Moderator of the Tribunal.

What we will cover:

- ✦ Marriage/Divorce - what is my status as a divorced person in the Church?
- ✦ Do I need an annulment?
- ✦ The Annulment Process
- ✦ Forms

The Tribunal staff will have the forms available to begin the process and will be on-hand to answer any individual questions as well. Light refreshments will be provided.

Monday, April 16 – 6:30 pm to 8:00 pm

Holy Ghost Parish Center, 40 Marion Street, Tupper Lake,

TO REGISTER OR IF YOU HAVE QUESTIONS, PLEASE CONTACT THE TRIBUNAL OFFICE AT 315-605-1087.

MARDI GRAS!

It's almost that time again! This year we will have our Mardi Gras celebration on Sunday, February 11th at Holy Ghost Parish Center. There will be a Ham Dinner with all the fixings! Parish will provide the meal & beverage and you may bring a dessert if you would like. Back by popular demand will be our Chinese Auction! Anyone wishing to donate a completed basket is asked to drop off at the Parish Center by Wednesday, February 7th. You may also donate new items and we will put baskets together with them. There is no charge and all are welcome.

YEAR END STATEMENTS

Those parishioners who use offering envelopes and would like a year end statement of giving, please call Lisa at the parish office at 518-359-3405 or 518-359-9194.

LIVING STONES PASTORAL PLAN

The completed Pastoral Plan for Tupper Lake, Long Lake & Newcomb is now finished and submitted to the diocese. If you would like to preview it, you may do so on the parish website at <http://tupperlakecatholics.org/pastoral-plan-for-tupper-lake-long-lake-newcomb>. If you do not have access to a computer, hard copies will be made available.

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RESPECT LIFE COLLECTION

"Abortion, the deliberate killing of a human being before birth, is never morally acceptable and must always be opposed." Next week our second collection will be the Respect Life collection, which is used to fund various projects through our Diocese to help protect Life, from conception to natural death. Please be generous.

K OF C FRIDAY FISH FRY

Remember that starting with the first Friday in Lent the Knights of Columbus will be doing their Fish Fry each Friday night. Please keep that in mind and support our local Knights!

Remember to check out our website for parish happenings! www.tupperlakecatholics.org

Our weekly Tithe
 Offering Envelopes: \$2567.00
 Plate: \$436.55
 Fuel: \$181.00
 Total: \$3,184.55
 Last Year: \$3,842.45

New to the Parish? Please fill this out, clip and drop in the collection so we can add you to the parish registry!

Name _____

Address _____

Phone # _____

Email: _____

Would you like envelopes?

____yes ____no

Would you like to volunteer for any parish ministry?

____yes ____no