

**30<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**OCTOBER 23, 2011**



**IMMACULATE CONCEPTION/ST. BRIDGET'S CHURCH**

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**A Roman Catholic Community of African American Tradition**  
**“We’ve Come This Far By Faith”**

**PARISH STAFF**

**SUNDAY MASS – 10:00 A.M.**

FR. ROBERT BRADLER — TEMP. ASSISTING PRIEST

HOLY DAYS: CONSULT BULLETIN — CALL OFFICE

DEACON MARK BOVENZI—PASTORAL ADMINISTRATOR

SACRAMENTS OF RECONCILIATION — BY APPOINTMENT

STEPHEN ST. JAMES — FACILITIES DIRECTOR

SACRAMENTS OF MARRIAGE: PRE-CANA IS A DIOCESAN REQUIREMENT. ARRANGEMENTS SHOULD BE MADE AT LEAST SIX (6) MONTHS IN ADVANCE.

MYRTLE FONTENETTE — RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

HARRY PIERRE-PHILIPPE — RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

BAPTISM: PLEASE CALL FR. PAUL AT THE CHURCH OFFICE TO MAKE ARRANGEMENTS.

TRACY JORDAN — SECRETARY/BOOKKEEPER

KAMIEL BROWN - DIRECTOR OF MUSIC

NEW MEMBERS OF THE PARISH COMMUNITY ARE MOST WELCOME. REGISTRATION CARDS ARE AVAILABLE AT THE CHURCH OFFICE.

**New Members of the parish community are most welcome.**  
**Registration cards are available in the Church Gathering Space or Church Office.**

# MASS INTENTION

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 23, 2011

10:00 AM — GERARD MARTIN (R.I.P.)

REQUESTED BY THE PIERRE-PHILIPPE

FAMILY

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 16, 2011

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION/ST. BRIDGET'S CHURCH

OFFERING: \$1,573 ATTENDANCE: 110

STEWARDSHIP

"Give to the Most High as he has given to you, generously, according to your means. For the Lord is one who always repays and he will give back to you sevenfold" (Sirach 35:9-10)

## SUNDAY



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Exodus 22:20-26 (pg. 48/Missalette)  
1 Thessalonians 1:5c-10 (pg. 49/Missalette)  
Matthew 22:34-40 (pg. 49-50/Missalette)

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Malachi 1:14b-2:2b, 8-10 (pg. 50/Missalette)  
1 Thessalonians 2:7b-9, 13 (pg. 51/Missalette)  
Matthew 23:1-12 (pg. 51-52/Missalette)

## READINGS



Immaculate Conception/St. Bridget's Church

Please pray for the sick of the parish and for family and friends of parishioners: Anthony Frank Key Sr., Greg Bartus, Oliver Harper, Pat Nguti, Claire Mooza, Sarah Gordon, Chris Brass, Mary Ann Coley, Ludie Smith, Clint Strickland, Marilyn Bellamy, Jané Cooper, Tréshon Alexander, Thelma Uter, Norma Thom, Noah Barnabas, Skip Wheeler, Lavadus Coley and Donald Gordon.

# MINISTRY SCHEDULES

## SUNDAY, OCTOBER 23, 2011

ALTAR SERVERS

JULIAN BARTHELEMY — KOBE BARTHELEMY

READERS

READER I — AMARI LESESNE

READER II — RUTH MILLER

MINISTERS OF COMMUNION

GEORGE FONTENETTE — RAMONA MOORE

USHERS

JOE CATALLI — MICHAEL NWOKELO

LEONARD WOODS — GEORGE FONTENETTE

## SUNDAY, OCTOBER 30, 2011

ALTAR SERVERS

JULIAN DINGWALL — JONATHAN DINGWALL

READERS

READER I — MARCIA FUGATE

READER II — WALTER DeROUEN

MINISTERS OF COMMUNION

JAMES WALKER — LISA TIBERIO

USHERS

MORRIS DOUCETTE — VICTORIAN DOUCETTE

JULIAN BELL — LEE WINGO

## ALTAR & SACRISTY DUTIES

FIRST SUNDAY — DENISE McGOWAN..... SECOND SUNDAY — CLARA BRAY

THIRD SUNDAY — DENISE McGOWAN ..... FOURTH SUNDAY — CLARA BRAY

FIFTH SUNDAY — DENISE McGOWAN/CLARA BRAY  
(Alternate on 5th Sundays)

## **STEWARDSHIP PRAYER**

O Lord our God, in Your goodness You called us into being and You blessed us with many gifts. Indeed, You made us stewards of Your creation. Teach me to be generous as You have been generous with me. Teach me that all that I am and have are gifts from You, and that these gifts are meant to be shared. I offer my gifts of time, talent and treasure to You as a true act of faith, to reflect my love for You and my neighbor. We thank You for the trust You place in us as stewards of our personal gifts. May the Holy Spirit guide us in placing our time, talent and treasure at the service of each other so that together we may faithfully witness to the Christian message and thus become Your holy people, through Christ our Lord. Amen.

There will be a second collection today for  
**World Mission Sunday.**

## **SECOND COLLECTION**

Bishop Clark has asked that a second collection to support emergency famine and drought relief efforts in Africa be held at weekend Masses Nov. 12/13. Please be generous. If you donate by check, please make it out to this parish with "Africa relief" in the memo field. All funds collected will be sent by our diocese to Catholic Relief Services and used to help ease the terrible suffering in this crisis. If you donate by check, please make it out to this parish with "Africa relief" in the memo field.

## **SISTERS OF ST. JOSEPH ANNUAL CHRISTMAS SALE**

You are invited to The Sisters of Saint Joseph's Annual Christmas Sale on Saturday, November 19th from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the SSJ Motherhouse at 150 French Road (off of Monroe Ave.) The sale features hundreds of items made by sisters, volunteers and friends including fine prints, jewelry, cards, knitted garments, baby clothes and home decor. Shoppers can also purchase homemade candy, jelly, pies, cookies and many other sweet confections. There will also be raffles, a luncheon café and "Kids Corner" where our sister teachers will entertain children with arts and crafts and games while visitor's shop!! Parking is free and new this year all major credit cards, excluding American Express, are accepted. The SSJ Christmas Sale has been a tradition for over 15 years. The Sisters thank the community for its support and look forward to welcoming visitors to their home for this much anticipated annual event.

## **IMMACULATE CONCEPTION/ST. BRIDGET'S PASTORAL COUNCIL ELECTIONS**

At the end of the year, the terms of Myrna Barthelemy, Jackie Campbell, Mike Campbell, Bill Castle, Kathryn Castle, Joe Catalli, Walter DeRouen, Precious Fontenette, Cheryl McKeiver, Ruth Miller, Leslie Pierre-Philippe, Liz Scott, Tim Sullivan, Norma Thom and Jim Walker will end. This will create nine vacancies on the Council. Please consider using your talents and become a member of the Council. You can nominate yourself or another member of the church community, if you have their agreement to do so. Although the Council members listed above are eligible for an additional term, we grow through diversity so consider becoming a member so that your thoughts and ideas can be used for the betterment of our faith community. Since the Council is meant to provide a forum of representatives, all members are required to:

**Be in good standing with the Church;  
Be at least 21 years of age (youth 16-20) and  
participate in the life of the Parish;  
Be registered in the Parish records;  
Be fully committed to the Christian faith, stewardship,  
and service and respond to Parish needs and ministries.**

The nominees for membership will be published in the Bulletin for the next four Sundays. On November 13, the list of nominees will be published for the last time and on November 20, at the conclusion of Mass, the names of the nominees will be prayed over and then final selections will be made. Deacon Mark as Pastoral Administrator can select up to 3 additional parishioners to join the Council. Nominations may be given to Bill Castle or placed in the collection baskets.

## **CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL**

As of October 19th here is the progress of the Catholic Ministries Appeal for Immaculate Conception/St. Bridget's Church. 6 donations resulting in pledges of \$1,025 against a goal of \$8,707 (11.77% of goal). Actual Paid To Date is \$775.

## **MERCY HIGH SCHOOL**

Our Lady of Mercy High School, 1437 Blossom Road, will be hosting an Open House on Thursday, October 27, 2011 from 6:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. Prospective students are invited to tour the school, see program demonstrations, and meet with Mercy students, faculty and families. Mercy is now accepting applications for young women entering grades 6 through 12. For more information, call 288-7120, ext. 310, or go to [mercyhs.com](http://mercyhs.com).

***WELCOME VISITORS!  
WE ARE BLESSED BY YOUR COMING  
AND PLEASE COME AGAIN.***

# Immaculate Conception/St. Bridget's Church

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<p>PLEASE REMEMBER <i>IMMACULATE CONCEPTION/ST. BRIDGET'S CHURCH</i>  IN YOUR WILL!</p>	<p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF TITUS J. SCOTT  LOVE ALWAYS, YOUR WIFE &amp; DAUGHTERS</p>	<p>HART CLEANING SERVICES COMMERCIAL &amp; RESIDENTIAL JAKE HART . . . 585-615-2110</p>
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<p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF RAFAELA ORTEGA  THE SCOTT FAMILY</p>	<p><b>H&amp;R BLOCK</b> MARCIA FUGATE, SENIOR TAX ADVISOR 1000 Hylan Drive, Rochester, NY 14623 Tel 585-424-2320/Fax 585 424 2216 - hrblock.com</p>	<p><i>IN LOVING MEMORY OF JAMES STOKES THE STOKES FAMILY</i></p>
<p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF GERARD MARTIN  THE PIERRE-PHILIPPE FAMILY</p>	<p>GOD BLESS!  MARGARET J. DOUD</p>	<p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF BENNIE BRASS  THE PIERRE-PHILIPPE FAMILY</p>
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<p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF DR. NATHANIEL HURST THE WINGO FAMILY</p>	<p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF THE DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE DOUCETTE FAMILY</p>	<p>PRAYERFUL REMEMBRANCE OF THE GORDONS ARTHUR, SARAH, PEGGY, BUD, BOB, NANCY &amp; GARY BLESSINGS, BILL &amp; FAMILY</p>
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