

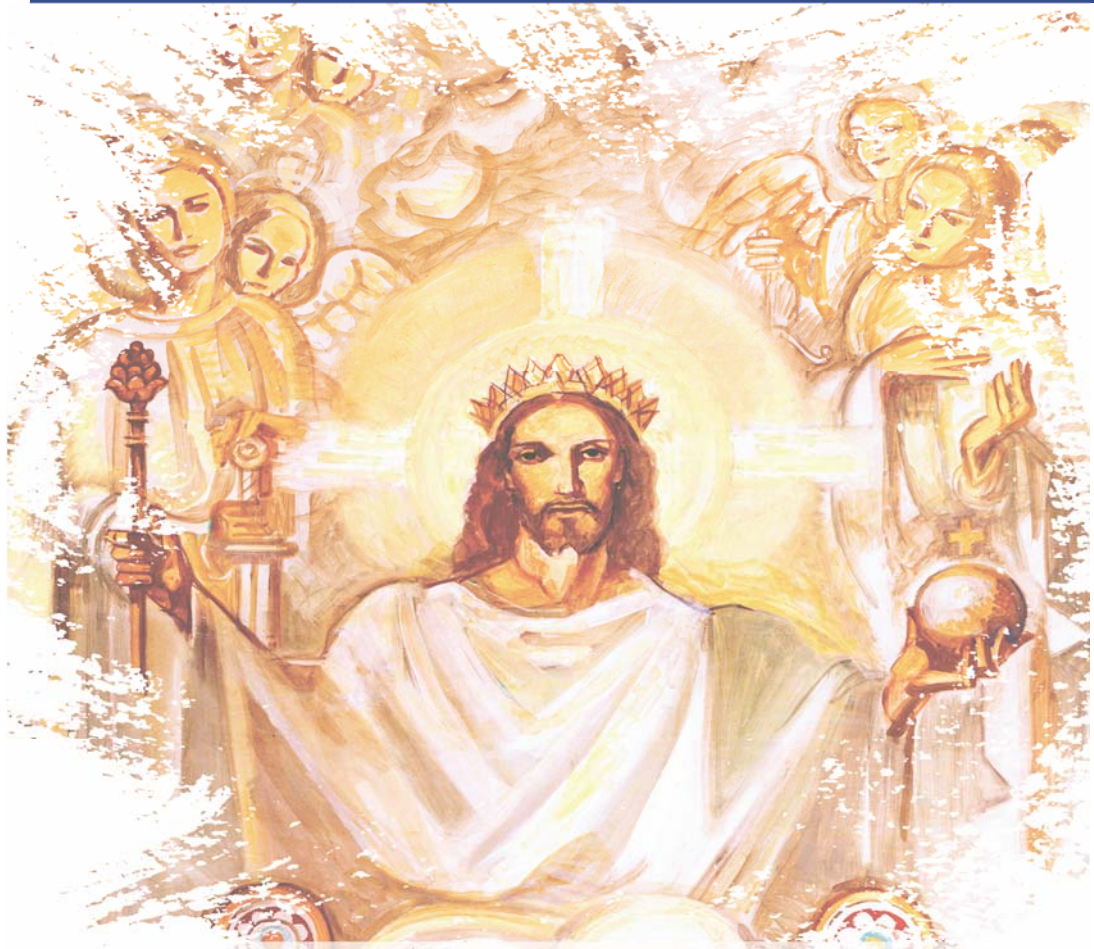


# Immaculate Conception Roman Catholic Church

4671 Townline Road Ransomville, NY 14131



November 21/22, 2020



“COME, YOU WHO ARE BLESSED BY MY FATHER.  
INHERIT THE KINGDOM PREPARED FOR YOU FROM THE  
FOUNDATION OF THE WORLD.” – MT 25:34

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Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday 3:15 - 3:45 p.m.  
By appointment: 716-731-4822

Weekend Mass Schedule:

Saturdays 4:00 p.m.  
Sundays 8:30 a.m., 11:00 a.m.

Ministry to the Sick:

Home visitations are available for all parishioners who are confined to their homes because of any illness or other infirmity. Call 731-4822 to make arrangements.

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## Mass Intentions

Saturday	November 21	4:00 pm	In memory of <b>Robert MacPhee</b> req. by MacPhee Family
Sunday	November 22	8:30 am	In memory of <b>Virginia Faye</b> req. by Guy Christopher
		11:00 am	<b>For the Bastian and Flattery Families</b> req. by Donna Kelsch
Tuesday	November 24	6:30 pm	<b>No Mass</b>
Wednesday	November 25	6:30 pm	<b>No Mass</b>
Thursday	November 26	10:00am	<b>No Mass</b>
Saturday	November 28	4:00 pm	In memory of <b>Brenda Gozelski</b> req. by Gozelski & MacPhee Families
Sunday	November 29	8:30 am	In memory of <b>Leo Notaro</b> req. by Hank & Janet Fraas
		11:00 am	In memory of <b>David Siwinski</b> req. by LaNasa Family

\*If you would like to request a Mass please call the parish office and a member of our staff will be happy to help you.

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## A MESSAGE FROM FR. JIM



**S.O.S.** (Wednesday morning, November 18, 2020)

**Squadron Officer School**, Summer of 2011.

I learned much in my 45th year of life that guide me these days. Two adages particularly stand out. First, "Be a Leader. Lead!" Second, "Flexibility is the KEY to Airpower." So as your leader, I have some sad news. After consultation with my staff and some others, I have decided to close the Church of all activities except weekend Masses, and even these may go virtual soon. This is a judgment call that I feel is necessary to make as your pastor and shepherd. I am most concerned for my staff and the many ministers that make up our Church. Most of you know of my ministry at the Veterans Administration Medical Center. I would call that a "Hot Zone." Leaving there and coming to Church seems like asking for trouble right now. Again, my call.

We, the Church, will try to provide updates and virtual encouragement during these next few months as we navigate this Corona Virus pandemic. Our website and Apps will keep you informed. "Flexibility is key", meaning that I ask you to embrace the changes in a positive way. Make the phrase "Pop Positive" mean something else for you.

By staying safe, you can "positively" make a difference to those closest to you. Be positive! Don't let depression dominate your experience. Get back to being creative "on your own." Blast "your" trumpet. Walk "your" dog. Color "your" book - and only stay between the lines if you need and want to.

More to come, and sorry for the sad news. Let's continue to pray for each other.

Your Pastor,

Fr. Jim Bastian

### CAREGIVERS/FOOD PANTRY

#### Help us replenish the food pantry!

We are in need of food for our holiday baskets for the upcoming holidays. **Last year we provided 8 families with holiday meals, and this year will be providing meals for 15 families. We need canned goods, turkeys, hams, and stuffing.** If you know of a family in need, please contact Erica Brenner at [ebrenner@icransomville.org](mailto:ebrenner@icransomville.org) or call the parish office. Please place items in the food pantry basket in the Narthex. Thank you for your generosity!

### PARISH ACTIVITIES

**SUN. November 22— Mass 8:30 & 11:00am**

**SUN. November 22— Baptism 1pm**

**Monday-Friday No Parish Activities**

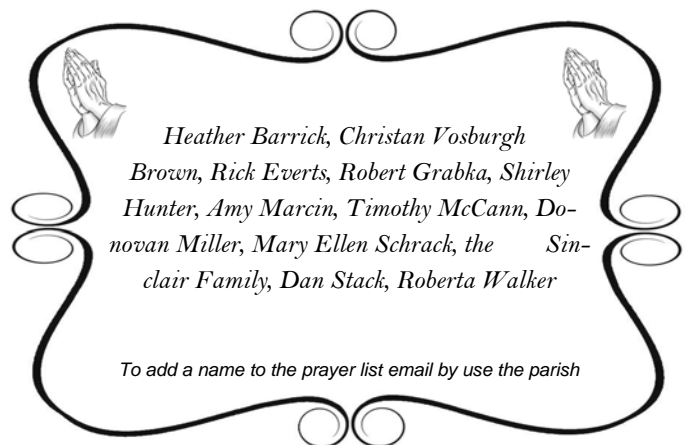
**SAT. November 28— Confessions 3:15-3:45pm**

**SAT. November 28— Mass 4:00pm**

**SUN. November 29— Mass 8:30 & 11:00am**

**STEWARDSHIP WILL BE UPDATED NEXT WEEK**

### PLEASE KEEP IN PRAYER...



#### Prayers for our Military Personnel

Lance Corporal Andrew Farmer, Petty Officer 3rd Class  
Hospitalman James Farmer, Captain Kevin Farmer, 2nd  
Lieutenant William Farmer, E4 SPC Tyler Fleming, E7  
SFC Timothy Fleming, 2nd Lieutenant Philip Joseph  
Giovannini, Major Heather Heppner, Specialist Riley

Johnston, Petty Office Third Class (AME 3) Garith Kam, TSgt Carly  
Mullins, Airman Apprentice Micah Prieto, Hospitalman Samuel Prieto