

November Prayer List

Andrew	Donna A.	Ryan
Arnold	Dick L.	Sandra D.
Bella R.	DJ	Sandy B.
Bob	Donna S. Helen F.	Sayhe P.
Bonita M.	James M.	Schuyler
Brian H.	Jean	Sheldon
Carole	Jerry	Skip
Dakota C.	Larry P.	Todd
Dan S.	Laura	Walter M.
David S..	Nancy G.	Winnie D.
Deb	Rick	

We pray for those serving in the Military

Brian M.	Guy H.	Tim S.
Christopher	Ian S.	Will
Connor W.	Matt B.	
Dino M.	Michael D.	
Dylan	Ryan R.	

We pray for...

- The victims of natural disasters
- The inmates at Hale Creek Correctional Facility
- Our NOAH participants
- Those who come to the Prayer Table on Wednesdays
- The young people in recovery groups
- The continued growth of our One Church Street ministries



*The flowers on the Columbarium are given in loving memory of
Henry J. Buggeln,
Rosemary Buggeln,
Anthony Elacqua,
Mary Jane Liberty Lewis
and Paul J. Beadry
by
the Bosworth Family*

*The flowers on the Main Altar are given in loving memory of
Gaal Rathburn and Phyllis Martin
by
Mildred Rathburn*

Please remember those who cannot attend our services with a card or note.

Audrey Baird
Wells House
201 W. Madison Ave.
Johnstown, NY 12095

Tinker Baird
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Wells House
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Erika Crear
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Pineview Commons
201 S. Melcher St.
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John Bernard
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Millie Rathburn
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226 W. Madison Ave.
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Barbara Skoda
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Hymns for Today's Service

Processional Hymn: 551

Gradual Hymn: 631
(Verse 1 & 2 before the Gospel)
(Verse 3 after the Gospel)

Anthem: "Forever Blest is He"
by Handel

Communion Hymns: 8
309
325

Recessional Hymn: 561

Please note:



2018 Stewardship Pledges as of Nov. 18:

62 pledges totaling \$148,069.00

Thank you to all who have pledged so far!
*If you requested pledge envelopes,
you can pick them up in the Narthex.*

Every pledge counts!

*You may drop pledge cards in the of plate, bring them forward today or drop them at the office.
Extra pledge cards are available in the Narthex.*

We will share the final Stewardship pledge total after the budget meeting.

Weekly Finance Update Nov. 12-18, 2017

Pledges \$2,683.00

Plate \$70.00

About Communion

May I receive communion?

If you are a baptized Christian you are invited to receive communion, no matter what your affiliation.

May my children receive communion?

Yes, if they receive communion at their own church. Some parents prefer their children receive first communion instruction prior to taking communion.

If I choose to receive communion, how is it done?

The ushers will direct you to the center aisle. The consecrated Bread is received with both hands and carried to the mouth. The consecrated Wine is received lightly grasping the base of the chalice with one hand helping the minister to guide it to our lips and tipping it up until you receive enough.

What if I don't wish to drink from the common cup?

You may dip the Bread in the Wine yourself, or leave the Bread in the palm of your hand. The minister with the Cup will pick up the Bread, dip it into the Wine and place it on your tongue.

Must I receive consecrated Wine?

No, if you wish to receive only the Bread, simply pass by the station with the chalice, or cross your arms over your chest to let the chalice bearer know.

What if I choose not to receive communion?

Then we invite you to receive a blessing at the altar. Kneel at the altar with those receiving communion, and cross your arms over your chest. The priest will give you a simple blessing. You can then stand up and return to your seat.

Sunday, November 19th ~ Monday, November 20th • Final Days of Operation



Christmas Child Collection Week at One Church Street

The final collection days are today and tomorrow for Operation Christmas Child boxes. Please contact Jen Rowland if you can help or would like more information at carogaqueenbee@aol.com or 518-835-6674.

Sunday, November 19th • **Teen Bible Study** • We'll be meeting in the afternoon. New members are welcome and encouraged to join in!

Tuesday, November 21st • **Knox Jr. High School Tours of St. John's**
8 a.m. - 1 p.m. Volunteers needed as tour guides. See Mother Laurie.

Thursday, November 23rd • *Happy Thanksgiving!*



Monday, November 27th • Vestry Meeting • 6:30 p.m. • One Church Street

Friday, December 1st • **Christmas Parade and Colonial Stroll**

St. John's needs volunteers to serve free hot chocolate and popcorn to parade-goers.. Sign up in the Hawkins Room.



Saturday, December 2nd • Join us to ring bells for the Salvation Army! • 10 a.m ~ 2 p.m. • Johnstown Price Chopper. Sign up sheets are in the Narthex and the Hawkins Room. Ring bells, sing carols and have fun while helping others!



Sunday, December 3rd • **Father Alistair's Institution** • 4p.m. • Duanesburg
See page 7 for more information. Sign up sheets are in the Hawkins Room.

Prayer Table Update

This week two volunteers prayed for four people.

Prayer volunteers for Wednesday, November 22nd are:

Mother Laurie & Pamela Miller



Hats and Mittens Drive • The Outreach Committee is collecting hats and mittens for the children, ages 3-10, of McNab School in Gloversville for the month of November. Our donations will benefit Head Start, Whispering Pines and HFM BOCES.



Care Packages! • The Outreach Committee would like to send our college students, young people just starting out, and those in the military some holiday love! We will be collecting donations for care packages in the Hawkins Room until Dec 3. Please send any names and addresses you would like included to the St. John's office, or put their names and addresses in the collection box with your donation. Many thanks!

Live Aid Concert for Puerto Rico

Thursday, November 30th

5-10 p.m. • Amsterdam High School

5-7 p.m. Taste of Mohawk Valley

7-9:30 p.m. Hurricane Relief Concert

\$25 for Taste and Concert

\$15 for Taste only • \$15 for Concert only

Tickets and details at:

LIVEAID.EVENTBRITE.COM

CHRISTMAS COOKIE EXCHANGE/SALE



Sunday, December 17th after the 10 a.m. service

Bring four dozen cookies. We will wrap for gift-giving.



Volunteers are needed to help drive one of our parishioners to church on Sundays. He lives only a few blocks away, but is in a wheelchair. Pam Miller is coordinating the effort. If you can help, please contact Pam at 518-844-4534 or psvm99@yahoo.com.