

# Saint Mary's Orthodox Church

(Protection of the Theotokos)

242 Sunset Drive

Corning, New York [14830](http://www.14830.com)

A Parish of the

American Carpatho-Russian Orthodox Diocese of North America, Ecumenical Patriarchate

## **SUNDAY, JANUARY 15**

*Divine Liturgy Sunday before Theophany*

*Coffee Social*

## **WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 18**

### **EVE OF THEOPHANY**

9:00am *Royal Hours*

### **5:00pm HOLY SUPPER**

**6:30pm** *Vigil Service for the Theophany of our Lord*

*Blessing of Holy Water*

## **THURSDAY, JANUARY 19**

**9:00am** *Divine Liturgy Feast of Theophany*

## **SATURDAY, JANUARY 21**

*Vespers*

## **SUNDAY, JANUARY 22,**

*Divine Liturgy Sunday after Theophany*

*Coffee Social*

## **MONDAY, JANUARY 23**

### **BLESSING OF HOMES BEGINS**

## **SATURDAY, JANUARY 28**

*Vespers*

## **SUNDAY, JANUARY 29**

*Divine Liturgy*

*Blessing of Icons written by Students during late Summer under the direction of Iconographer Joyce Merletti*

*Coffee Social*

### **PARISH ANNUAL MEETING**

## Parish Information

### **Services:**

Sunday Divine Liturgy: 9:30am

Weekday/Holy Day Liturgy: 9:00am

Saturday/Holy Day Vespers: 5:00pm

**Winter Vespers: 4:00pm**

### **Mailing Address:**

7 Chatfield Place East

Painted Post, NY 14870

### **Contact:**

Rev. Father Daniel Mahler, Pastor

Rectory: 607-962-5285

Father's Cell: 607-377-0587

Church Hall: 607-936-0689

Chuck Coons, Parish President/Cantor

Home: 607-962-0904

### **Church Website:**

[Saintmarysorthodoxchurchcorning.org](http://Saintmarysorthodoxchurchcorning.org)

### **Follow our Diocese On-Line**

Diocesan Website

<http://www.acrod.org>

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<http://www.campnazareth.org>

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<http://youtube.com/acroddiocese>

30th Sunday after Pentecost

Sunday after Nativity

### **Tone 5**

**Epistle: 2 Timothy 4:5-8**

**Gospel: Mark 1:1-8**

Liturgical Color: GOLD



## CHURCH CLEANING SCHEDULE

Month of **JANUARY**      **HELEN REVELAS**

Month of February *Pani Joan*

**TODAY** after our Coffee Social....

we will be moving items to the Canada Road property. With everyone helping it should be done in a short period of time. If you have a pickup truck or SUV it could simplify the move for everyone.

**CLOSING ON THE CHURCH AND CHURCH HALL IS LESS THAN 2 WEEKS AWAY!!!**

### **AGENDA ITEMS FOR ANNUAL MEETING**

If you have anything you would like to added to the agenda for our Annual Meeting on Sunday, January 29, 2017 please send it or give it to Chuck by

**TODAY**

Chuck's E-mail is:      [clcoons@gmail.com](mailto:clcoons@gmail.com)

In Christ,

Father Dan

Chuck Coons

*At Your Baptism in the Jordan, O Lord, worship of the Trinity was revealed.*

*For the Father's voice bore witness to You, calling You His "Beloved Son,"*

*And the Spirit in the form of a dove confirmed the truth of these words.*

*O Christ God, Who appeared and enlightened the world, glory to You!*

**REMINDER!**

**ANNUAL MEETING: JAN 29, 2017**

**Are you in GOOD STANDING?**

You **MUST** be in good standing with  
YOUR Financial and Sacramental ob-  
ligations to participate at the Annual  
Meeting!

**SERVICE SCHEDULE FOR**  
**THEOPHANY OF OUR LORD**

*Wednesday January 18, 2017*

**5:00pm Holy Supper**

*6:30pm Great Vigil for Theophany*  
*Blessing of Holy Water*

*Thursday January 19, 2017*

*9:00am Divine Liturgy for Theophany*

*Monday, January 23, 2017*

**BLESSING OF HOMES BEGINS**

This is a ch \_ ch.  
What is missing?



**JANUARY BIRTHDAY/ANNIVERSARIES**



|     |    |                    |
|-----|----|--------------------|
| Jan | 1  | Mildred Sosonka    |
| Jan | 7  | Helen Coons        |
| Jan | 7  | Maya Quayenortey   |
| Jan | 10 | Helen Molson       |
| Jan | 16 | Alina Svyrydenko   |
| Jan | 17 | David Topichak     |
| Jan | 21 | Lydia Mackiewicz   |
| Jan | 22 | Carol Telehany     |
| Jan | 25 | Ben Mertus         |
| Jan | 27 | Gregory Havalchak  |
| Jan | 27 | Jonathan Share     |
| Jan | 29 | Michele Tostanoski |
| Jan | 30 | Michele Benyo      |
| Jan | 30 | Isabelle Havalchak |

God grant Your servant

Good health, Happiness and Salvation

For many blessed years!

Nam Mnohaja I Blahaja L'ita!

TACKLE



HUNGER

"Lord, even as we enjoy the Super Bowl football game, help us be mindful of those who are without a bowl of soup to eat."

Sunday February 5 is the Super Bowl, America's Greatest Game and fun for all. But for those who are hungry, it is just another difficult day. Let's see how many cans of soup we can collect on this one day to make a difference in our community. Please bring in canned soup or other items for the Corning Food Pantry to the church hall.

*Brought to you by the Ladies Altar Society*

Yes  
I am a  
strong  
person,  
but every  
now and then  
I also need  
someone to  
take my  
hand and  
say everything  
will be okay

SOUL SEARCHERS



# Rescuing Girls!

# Restoring Hope!

## ***JANUARY IS HUMAN TRAFFICKING AWARENESS MONTH!***

*The Potter's Hand Foundation is a local ministry in the Corning-Elmira area working with survivors of sex trafficking and sexual exploitation. Often people in our area are shocked to find out that we do have individuals who are being trafficked right here in our community.*

### ***Winning the fight against sex trafficking one life at a time!***

*Domestic Sex Trafficking is considered one of the fastest growing criminal industries in the world, and according to the FBI, it is one of the fast growing criminal activities in the United States. As a result, there is an urgent need for housing for victim of this horrible criminal activity.*

*Located in the Southern Tier Region of New York State, Potter's Hands Foundation is committed to providing a residential safe house environment for victims of exploitation and trafficking.*

### ***On Sunday January 22, 2017 and Sunday January 29, 2017***

***there will be a special basket to help this ministry in the Church Vestibule. Let's help them help these young VICTIMS and in a horrible situation.***

◆ ***For more information see the hand out after liturgy.***

*Several weeks ago I met with the Executive Director of The Potter's Hand Foundation and her husband to learn more about this horrific problem and about the great work that they are doing. Not only did I learn a lot about this problem, I found another great example of people in the Corning-Elmira area RESCUING people, especially children, restoring HOPE and LOVE in their lives. Truly, another great example of what makes the Southern Tier, especially the Corning/Elmira area, something special and a great place to call home.*

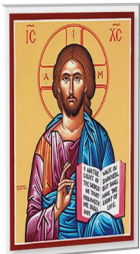
*Father Dan*

## FROM FATHER'S DESK....



- If you would like to meet with Father, please call him @607-962-5285 to arrange a time and place which is convenient for you.
- **Emergency Sick Calls:** Father is available for emergencies at any time. Please call him @ 607-962-5285 or on his cell phone @ 607-377-0587.
- **Our Mailing Address is:**  
7 Chatfield Place East Painted Post, NY 14870
- **Confessions** are heard after Vespers on Saturday, after any weekday or Lenten service or by calling Father for an appointment.
- **Marriages** are solemnized on Saturdays. Consult Father at least six months in advance and before plans have been made for the wedding reception. Marriages cannot be celebrated during the fasting seasons of the Church.
- **Baptisms** are normally scheduled on Saturdays or Sundays. Consult Father for scheduling. Two Godparents are required, at least one of whom must be Orthodox by faith and the other a practicing Christian.
- **Church Funerals** are provided for practicing Orthodox Christians who are current in their Spiritual and Financial obligations to the parish otherwise burial is from the funeral home.
- If you would like to schedule a Panachida for your loved one please call Father at 962-5285

The Church does not permit cremation.



## PLEASE KEEP THE FOLLOWING PEOPLE IN YOUR PRAYERS

His Grace, Bishop GREGORY; Protopresbyter Frank Miloro; Protopresbyter John Duranko; Protopresbyter Jim Dutko; Protopresbyter Luke Mihaly; Protopresbyter Lawrence Barriger; Protopresbyter Kenneth Bachofsky; Protopresbyter Ronald Hazuda; Protopresbyter Elias Kozar; V. Rev. Thomas Kadlek; V. Rev. Michael Kleban; V. Rev. Michael Psenechnuk; Rev. James Gleason; V. Rev. Jason Kappanadze; Deacon Charles Ellis; Deacon Donald Koch; Mother Ralphaela; Pani Joan; Pani Kathleen Dutko; Pani Patricia Duranko; Mat. Anna Kozar; Pani-Matka Julia Romanchak; Sally Ellis; Judy Koch; Michael & Jacqueline Banik; Helen Verno; Eleanor Adzima; Stan Lewek; Michael & Delores Kundrat; Mary Kolson; Lyudmyla Hayova; Kathy Preston; Helen Coons; Anna Soraparu; Marge Morse; Mary Benyo; Karen Fuller; Anna Chudanic; Paul Rodrigues; George Officer; Helen Chernak; Michael Matzkevich; Marlene Wheet; Kathleen Petrochko; Mae Mary Shonak; Helen Molson; Gary Herrlich; Art Gallant; Roland Doucette, Olga Breyan  
Jonathan Share and all members of our Armed Forces  
serving our country at home and abroad!