# The Catholic Communities of Eastern Broome

Our Lady of Lourdes, Windsor

St. Joseph's, Deposit

St. Joseph's, Sanitaria Springs

St. Mary's, Kirkwood

## "TOGETHER, CELEBRATING OUR FAITH!"

The Catholic Communities of Eastern Broome are faith filled parishes guided by the Holy Spirit and committed to each other and our neighbors. Dedicated to strengthening our relationship with God through prayer and worship, we seek to welcome all, share our faith and assist our brothers and sisters in their time of need. We come together as one to celebrate our faith, to hear God's Word and grow in the assurance of God's love.

#### Main Office

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## Our Lady of Lourdes

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Windsor, NY 13865 Office # (607) 655-8118

#### St. Joseph's Deposit

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Deposit, NY 13754

Office # (607) 467-2291

## St. Joseph's Sanitaria Springs

659 NY Rt. 7-B

Sanitaria Springs, NY 13833 Office # (607) 648-5209

## St. Mary's Kirkwood

975 NY Rt. 11

Kirkwood, NY 13795 Office # (607) 775-0086 Mass Time: Sunday 9:00 am

Mass Time: Sunday 11:00 am

Mass Time: Sunday 8:30 am

Mass Times: Saturday 4:00 pm

Sunday 10:30 am

## **PARISH REGISTRATION:**

Your parish staff is here to serve you.

If you are not a registered parishioner, please consider filling out the parish registration form that can be found in the bulletin.

We welcome all visitors

## Sunday, November 16, 2025 Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

## CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR CHURCHES OF EASTERN BROOME IMMACULATA MEDALLION AWARD RECIPIENTS

Anne Waymire—Sanitaria Springs
Ursela Kreamer—St. Mary's
Robert Acquisto—OLOL
Bridget Davis—Deposit



The Immaculata Medallion is an award recognizing and honoring lay people who generously and unselfishly volunteer their time and service to their parishes. The award honors "the unsung heroes in our midst who build up our parish communities by extraordinary service in parish ministry in volunteer service."

The Immaculata Award was instituted in 2011 in honor of the 125th anniversary of the founding of the diocese.

We thank Anne, Ursela, Robert, and Bridget for all their time and talent.

They will receive their award from Bishop Lucia at a Vesper Service at 2:30 pm on Sunday, December 7th at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception in Syracuse.

ALL are invited and welcome to attend!

# THANKSGIVING BASKETS ST. JOSEPH'S SANITARIA SPRINGS & ST. MARY'S DUE BACK THIS WEEKEND

Thanksgiving Bags and money donations are due back
THIS weekend.

Thank you to all those for your generosity and support to help provide a holiday meal for those in need in our area.



If you could not go shopping but would like to make a monetary donation, envelopes are available in the vestibule.

## SAVE THE DATE—UPCOMING EVENT ADVENT SPIRITUAL RETREAT

The Catholic Communities of Eastern Broome will be having an Advent Spiritual Retreat on Friday, December 12th from 1:30 pm—3:30 pm at Our Lady of Lourdes.

ALL are welcome to join Father Peter for this retreat. There will be time for exposition, rosary, adoration and confession will also be available.

More information to follow.



#### ST. MARY'S FOOD PANTRY

Our pantries have been serving more people as of late and the pressure on them will likely increase.



Please consider a donation of

non-perishable food items to help in this time of need. Pantry staples, such as canned fruit and vegetables, pasta and sauce, peanut butter and jelly, mac and cheese, cereal, soup, tuna fish, etc., would be most appreciated!

## ST. JOSEPH DEPOSIT FOOD PANTRY HOLIDAY BASKETS

It's time to donate for the Deposit Food Pantry Holiday Meal Baskets. **We are asking that St.** 

Joseph's donate cans of corn and fruit cocktail

to help fill baskets for Thanksgiving and Christmas.

Your donations can be left at the entrance to the church or in the church hall.

#### FAMILY FAITH FORMATION CORNER

## St. Mary's

November 16th—Faith Formation November 30th—Advent Wreath Making

#### **OLOL**

November 16th—Faith Formation

## **DEPOSIT**

November 23rd—Class

If you have any questions, please call the parish office at 607-775-0086.



#### **HOLIDAY GIFT CARDS**

This December, youth ages 11-17 years living in Broome County will have the opportunity to receive a gift card



through the month of December at a Catholic Charities pantry. To help us meet this holiday need, we are inviting our parish communities to donate gift cards from youth-friendly stores such as Walmart, Target, Dick's, TJMaxx, and Burlington Coat Factory. We hope to provide each teen with a gift-card in the range of \$25-\$40.

Donations in \$5 increments are especially helpful to ensure flexibility. Gift card donations may be given to the parish (please drop cards in an envelope marked "Holiday Gift Cards" in collection basket) or you may drop off gift card donations to Catholic Charities at 232 Main Street in Binghamton.

Thank you for any assistance you can provide in helping put a smile on all youth this holiday season.

## SPECIAL SECOND COLLECTION **CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT**

This weekend, November 15-16th, there will be a second collection weekend for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development (CCHD). For more than 50 years, CCHD has supported organizations that combat poverty and improve the lives of people in communities across the United States.

To learn more, you can visit www.usccb.org/cchd.

Envelopes are available at the entrances of the church.

## LAST WEEK'S SACRIFICIAL OFFERING

#### ST. MARY'S KIRKWOOD

Collection	\$ 1,829
Restoration:	\$ 2,045
Weekly On-Line Giving:	\$ 885

## ST. JOSEPH'S SANITARIA SPRINGS

will report ne	xt week	
Weekly On-Line Giving:	\$	445

#### **OUR LADY OF LOURDES**

Collection	\$ 1,306
Restoration:	\$ 70
Weekly On-Line Giving:	\$ 455

## ST. JOSEPH'S DEPOSIT

Collection	\$ 574
Votives:	\$ 25
Weekly On-Line Giving:	\$ 230

## Thank you for your generous donations!

Please join us in praying for GN Our G parish communities



Michelle Gorman, Margaret Murray, Rita Morgan, Fred Whitney, Dan Fish, Gerri McErlean, Jeff Briggs, Julie Steele, Diane Yonchuk, Carolyn Depaolo, Mary Ann Cline, George Whiting,

Alana Neer, Tom Williams, Beverly Akulis, Kevin Kane, Joan Puccio, Robert Acquisto, Wanda Chisarick, Jane Daley, Bev Gorman, Lori Decker, Jessica Griffiths, Caesar Siedlecke, Ray Vitiello, Karen Krasowsky, Bill Bennett, Corky Mott, Giovanni Depolfi, Jean Aswad,

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Kendra Decker, Jeannie Hurlburt, John & Arlene Dubay, Juliana Widmer,

Celia Santalucia, Ralph Blodgett, Connie Cotter, Mary Joan Bayer, Anna Drankowski

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE REPOSE OF THE SOUL OF

## RICHARD BOLCAVAGE

MAY HIS FAMILY &FRIENDS FIND COMFORT AND PEACE.



#### **MASS INTENTIONS**

## Saturday, November 15, 2025

4 pm—St. Mary's Peter Yonchuk

requested by Linda & Diane Yonchuk

Sunday, November 16, 2025 8:30 am—St. Joseph's, SS Parishioners of Eastern Broome

9:00 am-OLOL Lil, Frank & Hayes requested by The Wayman Family

10:30 am—St. Mary's Michael Hovancik requested by The Burton Family

11:00 am—St. Joseph's Deposit **Grace Martini** requested by John Soldovieri

Thursday, November 20, 2025 9 am—Prayer Service—St. Mary's

Saturday, November 22, 2025

4 pm—St. Mary's Mary Guido requested by Linda Yonchuk

Sunday, November 23, 2025 8:30 am—St. Joseph's, SS Daniel Callan—requested by wife, Shirley

9:00 am—OLOL Timothy Skojec requested by Christine Barnes & Family

10:30 am—St. Mary's Robert Kerr—requested by Jeff Kerr & Family

> 11:00 am—St. Joseph's Deposit Rick & Denise Smith (52nd Wedding Anniv.) requested by the family

#### ST. MARY'S

## FAMILY ADVENT WREATH MAKING SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 30 TH AFTER 10:30 am Mass

in the Parish Hall

Please sign-up on the sheet available in the church vestibule by November 23rd.



ALL ARE WELCOME

## ST. JOSEPH'S DEPOSIT 10th ANNIVERSARY NEW HALL **CELEBRATION**

Please join us on Sunday, November 23rd after Mass for food and fellowship as we celebrate the 10 year anniversary of the new hall. We will have a potluck luncheon. Please sign-up on the sheet provided in the hall. ALL are welcome!

10TH ANNIVERSARY POTLUCK CELEBRATION **SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 23RD** AFTER MASS



## **OLOL COFFEE HOUR**

It's time to update the volunteer refreshment list for Coffee Hour. If you would like to join the list or be taken off, please sign up or leave a note on the sheet in the vestibule. If you are already on the list,



no need to sign up, I will keep you on. We are also in need of DECAF coffee, 8 oz. hot cups, paper plates and napkins. If you have any questions,

please see Christine Barnes.

## PARISHES OF EASTERN BROOME **BEGIN YOUR DAY OF GRATITUDE** WITH GOD

THANKSGIVING DAY **MASS** NOVEMBER 27 TH 10 AM—ST. MARY'S



#### WORLD MARRIAGE DAY

For the past 43 years, our Diocese has joyfully celebrated World Marriage Day, a beautiful tradition honoring the enduring commitment of married couples. We invite couples who will celebrate their 25th, 50th, or beyond wedding anniversaries in 2026 to join us for this special celebration. The Word Marriage Day Mass will be celebrated on February 15, 2026 at 2 pm at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, Syracuse.



The Most Reverend Douglas J. Lucia will celebrate Mass and invite all couples in attendance to renew their commitment to Holy Matrimony. If celebrating your 25th, 50th, or 50+ anniversary in 2026, please contact the parish office at 607-775-0086 to receive a special invitation from Bishop Lucia by Friday, December 18, 2025.

## WORLD MARRIAGE DAY SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 2026 2:00 PM

#### CATHEDRAL OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

#### ACCEPTING USED EYEWEAR

At each of our churches look for an eyeglass box asking for used/old eyewear.



The Knights are helping collect glasses for those in need. Any questions, please contact Mike Egan at 607–760-5587

## ST. JOSEPH'S DEPOSIT ADORATION

Come join us at St. Joseph's on Wednesday's for silent time with God from Noon—1 pm.



**ALL ARE WELCOME!** 

# Join Us in Fellowship

Windsor Churches United's Annual Ecumenical



November 16, 2025 • 3:00 pm Zion Episcopal Church

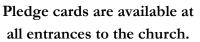
Message Presented By
Ray Dab Arnold

First United Methodist Church

Please bring food donations such as jello, stuffing mis, gravy mis, scalloped potato mis, Jiffy mis, peanut butter, jelly, chicken noodle soup, Ramen Moodles and Spam.
These items plus a free-will offering will be given to Windsor Human Development.

#### **HOPE APPEAL 2025**

We ask all parishioners to prayerfully consider contributing to this year's HOPE Appeal.





You can also donate online at syracusediocese.org

## **2025 Hope Appeal Goals**

St. Mary's—\$14,071 donations as of 11/12—\$11,500

Our Lady of Lourdes—\$6,776 donations as of 11/12—\$6,230

St. Joseph's Deposit—\$4,780 donations as of 11/12—\$8,300

St. Joseph's Sanitaria Springs—\$5,708 donations as of 11/2—\$4,470

## THE CATHOLIC COMMUNITIES OF EASTERN BROOME

## **OUR LOCATIONS**

Main Office: (607) 775-0086

975 NY Rt. 11, Kirkwood, New York 13795

Monday—Thursday: 9:00 am—2:00 pm

Friday: 9 am—Noon

Email: sebroomecatholics@syrdio.org

Website: www.broomecatholics.org

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Email: bkanepld@gmail.com—(607) 221-2122

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Email: nsenger@syrdio.org

Administrative Support: Alicia Abbadessa

Email: aabbadessa@syrdio.org

Youth Ministry Coordinator: Sharon Fish

607-761-3323

Parochial Vicar:

Fr. Peter T. Amaya—Akpala

Our Lady of Lourdes

Trustees: Scott Symons & Christine Barnes

Cathechetical Leader: Jen Barton

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Trustees: Lawrence Rowe & Mary Spencer

Cathechetical Leaders: Judy Lloyd/Bridget Davis

St. Joseph's Sanitaria Springs

Trustees: Mike Hubenthal & Teresa Monico

Faith Formation Program combined with St. Mary's

St. Mary's, Kirkwood

Trustees: Dennis O'Dea & Jeffrey Kerr

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## **SACRAMENTS**

## **Baptism**

Please contact the parish office prior to the child's birth for information on Baptismal preparation.

#### Reconciliation

The Sacrament is available on the 1st and 3rd Saturday of every month at St. Mary's from 3:30 pm - 4 pm. You may also call for an appointment.

## Anointing of the Sick

The sacrament of strength and healing is available upon request for those who are sick or elderly. Please do not wait too long to call the office for assistance. Please do not wait until your loved one is near death.

You can also request the sacrament at area hospitals.

## Marriage

Couples should contact the Office to make an appointment with the Parish Life Director to begin their preparation for marriage. Marriages should be scheduled at least six months before the anticipated wedding date.

## **Illness**

Due to HIPPA privacy laws the parish is not notified when parishioners are hospitalized.

We ask you contact the parish office when a loved one is hospitalized.

## Bereavement

We would like to help you with your needs at your time of loss. Please contact the office for assistance.

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