



# St. Padre Pio Parish

Roman Catholic Parish

## Celebrating Eucharist:

Monday :	6:00 PM	Elba site
Tuesday:	8:00 AM	Elba site
Wednesday:	7:00 PM	Oakfield site
Thursday & Friday:	8:00 AM	Oakfield site
Saturday:	4:30 PM	Oakfield site
Sunday:	8:00 AM	Oakfield site
	10:00 AM	Oakfield site

**Marriage:** Please contact the parish office at least six months in advance. Attendance at a pre-marriage sacramental program is required.

**Baptism:** Parents must attend a pre-baptismal class before having their child baptized. Please call the parish office for more information. **Baptisms in Elba will be held after 8am Mass only.**

**Anointing of the Sick:** The Sacrament is offered on request. Please contact the church office for anointing.

**Penance:** The Sacrament is available on Saturdays 3:45 p.m. and Wednesdays at 6:30 p.m. in Oakfield. Feel free to make an appointment for another time if that is not convenient.

**New Parishioners:** In God's name, we welcome you. May you find friendship, peace and serenity in our loving Parish. If you are a visitor interested in joining our parish or the Catholic Faith, please call the parish office at 585-948-5344.

*If you are returning after being away...Welcome home...*

You can find our bulletin each week on our website: [www.padrepionny.org](http://www.padrepionny.org) or call the office if you need the bulletin sent to your home. Call 948-5344.

October 17, 2021  
Twenty-Ninth Sunday  
in Ordinary Time



Elba Site  
65 S. Main St., Elba

## Parish Office

56 Maple Ave.  
Oakfield NY 14125  
Phone: 948-5344 Fax: 948-8239  
Website: [www.padrepionny.org](http://www.padrepionny.org)  
Office Hours: Monday- Friday 8am-12pm

## Parish Staff

**Rev. Thaddeus N. Bocianowski, Pastor**

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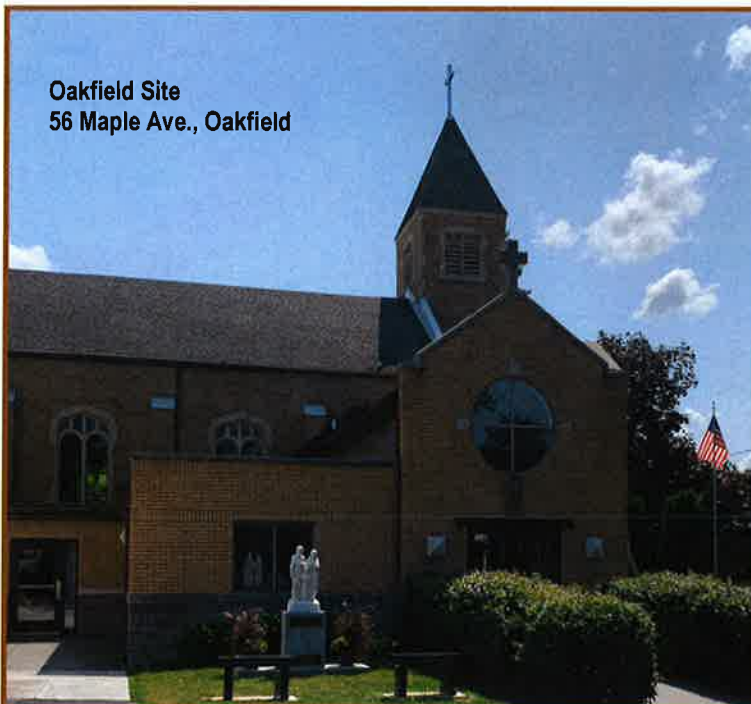
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Oakfield Site  
56 Maple Ave., Oakfield

## MASS INTENTIONS FOR:

Sat	10/16		9:00am ☩	Fr Ted-Private Mass
		OAK	4:30pm ☩	Rose Cassiano by Mike & Laurie Laycock
Sun	10/17	OAK	8:00am ☩	Robert Genesky by Men's Group
		OAK	10:00am ☩	Lucille Yunker by Latko Family
Mon	10/18	ELBA	6:00pm ☩	Tricia Augello by Mom, Dad and Family
Tues	10/19	ELBA	8:00am ☩	All Souls from All Souls Day
Wed	10/20	OAK	7:00pm ☩	Przemyslaw Szeglowski by Julian Szeglowski
Thurs	10/21	OAK	8:00am	Liv & Dec Mothers from Mother's Day
Fri	10/22	OAK	8:00am	Vernon & Pat Kelly by Bernice Hochmuth
Sat	10/23		9:00am ☩	Fr Ted-Private Mass
		OAK	4:30pm ☩	Lucy & Patsy Vigneri by Carol Vigneri
Sun	10/24	OAK	8:00am ☩	Ann Frost Bailey by Family
		OAK	10:00am ☩	Ursula Bow, Birthday Anniv by Gordon & Nancy Bow

This week's community-wide daily  
Rosary intention:

*St Teresa*



A note from St. Padre Pio Music Ministry

The Sanctuary Lamp burns this week at the Oakfield site  
In Memory of



*Anita (Frombley) McCann*

By John, Pam, Sean & Matt Starowitz

Please know that, although we are few in number, we are committed to provide music at all weekend Masses.

At the present time we are looking for people who can **substitute**, either instrumentally and/or vocally for those of us who are on vacation or have other duties to attend to, **but** we would be thrilled if you wanted to be more active in this ministry!

If you like to sing or play an instrument, won't you please consider joining us? Thank you!

Contact John Starowitz at 716-474-0443 or let Father Ted know after Mass

## OUR PARISH CALENDAR AT A GLANCE

Sun	10/17	Gr K-1 Class 10am-11am Gr 2-3 Class 11am-Noon Gr 4-6 Class 11am-Noon Gr 7-8 Class 11am-Noon Confirmation Class 11am-Noon
Mon	10/18	Gr 3 Sacramental Prep, 6pm-Elba
Sun	10/24	Gr K-1 Mass Gr 2 Sacrament Prep 11am-Noon Gr 4-6 Class 11am-Noon Gr 7-8 Class 11am-Noon Confirmation No Class
Thurs	10/28	Finance Council, 7pm-Oakfield
Sun	10/31	Gr K-1 Class 10am-11am Gr 2-8 Family Gathering 11am- Noon Class w/Parents Confirmation No Class
Sun	11/7	Gr K-1 Class 10am-11am Gr 2-3 Class 11am-Noon Gr 4-6 Class 11am-Noon Gr 7-8 Class 11am-Noon

## RENEWAL LEADERS NEEDED! "HERE I AM, LORD! IT IS I LORD!"

Renewing the Diocese of Buffalo requires skilled leaders to move the Renewal Initiative forward. Now is the time for parishioners who have the needed skills and talents to demonstrate their discipleship by offering their time and talents.

The Renewal needs:

Faith Filled People	People who want to share their love of Jesus
Project Managers	People with Organizational skills
IT experts	People with strong Communication skills
Leaders/Managers	Facilitators/Teachers

So, if you have a:

- Passion for the church
- Few hours a week to give God and His people
- Desire to participate in the *renewal of our diocese*

Please send a note describing your qualifications to:

[Renewal@buffalodiocese.org](mailto:Renewal@buffalodiocese.org) - or mail to:

Office of Renewal  
795 Main St.  
Buffalo, NY 14203

## Road to Renewal



The knotted rope symbolizes the struggles our Diocese is enduring. Our representatives were asked to take this knotted rope back to our parish, explain it, and place it in an area of significance for our parish. As we move through the Renewal, at various points we will be asked to undo a knot to symbolize the renewed life and hope of our Diocesan Renewal. Bishop Mike blessed the knotted ropes.

### Knot Reflection

O God, Father of mercies, whose Only Begotten Son, as he hung upon the Cross, chose the Blessed Virgin Mary, his Mother to be our Mother also, grant, we pray, that with her loving help your Church may be more fruitful day by day and, exulting in the holiness of her children, may draw to her embrace all the families of the peoples.

We gather as a Diocese, asking Our Lady, Mother of the Church, Undoer of Knots to help us renew our Church.

KNOT OF ABUSE  
KNOT OF INDIFFERENCE  
**KNOT OF MISTRUST**  
KNOT OF LACK OF FAITH  
KNOT OF ISOLATION/INDIVIDUALISM

#### **KNOT OF MISTRUST**

In the Letter of James we read, "So whoever know the right thing to do and fails to do it, for him it is sin." The inability to do the right thing and the lack of transparency in the midst of scandal and great upheaval has caused mistrust in our church. The mistrust and lack of transparency has fractured relationships between shepherds and sheep, between the faithful and those who were tasked with the responsibility to lead the faithful closer to Jesus.

The knot of mistrust represents the lack of truth, transparency and integrity that Jesus expects of his church.

Mary, Undoer of Knots, pray for us.

Our Father, Hail Mary, Glory Be To The Father, and To The Son, and To The Holy Spirit. AMEN.



## *Lector Schedule:*

Saturday, 10/16	@Oak	4:30pm	Linda Giambrone
Sunday, 10/17	@Oak	8:00am	Susie Zambito
	@Oak	10:00am	John Starowitz
Saturday, 10/23	@Oak	4:30pm	Maryann Conley
Sunday, 10/24	@Oak	8:00am	MaryAnn Dorman
	@Oak	10:00am	John Palillo
Saturday, 10/30	@Oak	4:30pm	Alice Fagnan
Sunday, 10/31	@Oak	8:00am	Jan Goodenberg
	@Oak	10:00am	Linda DeVito

## *Usher Schedule:*

Saturday, 10/16	@Oak	4:30pm	Ben Giambrone
Sunday, 10/17	@Oak	8:00am	Tom Stempin
	@Oak	10:00am	SHarkness/JBencic
Saturday, 10/23	@Oak	4:30pm	Reg Barcomb
Sunday, 10/24	@Oak	8:00am	Chuck Zambito
	@Oak	10:00am	SHarkness/Jan Bencic
Saturday, 10/30	@Oak	4:30pm	Chuck Zambito
Sunday, 10/31	@Oak	8:00am	Tim McKenrick
	@Oak	10:00am	Reg Barcomb

## *Greeter Schedule:*

Saturday, 10/16	@Oak	4:30pm	Chuck Zambito
Sunday, 10/17	@Oak	8:00am	Jim Coffta
	@Oak	10:00am	Gordon & Nancy Bow
Saturday, 10/23	@Oak	4:30pm	Elaine Forti/Clayton Fry
Sunday, 10/24	@Oak	8:00am	Cindy Kowalik
	@Oak	10:00am	Gordon & Nancy Bow
Saturday, 10/30	@Oak	4:30pm	Rebecca Blew/Maryann Conley
Sunday, 10/31	@Oak	8:00am	Jim Coffta
	@Oak	10:00am	GLuft/CJGottler/MMonachino

**Please note: The pump at the Cemetery on the Hill is currently out of service. Repairs are being addressed and in process.**

## *Faith Formation*

29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

THIS SUNDAY'S GOSPEL: Mark 10:35-45

James and John ask Jesus a question that reveals common human ambitions— to be special, to be recognized, and to have privilege. They want to know if they can be at Jesus' side in the Kingdom. Jesus' response contains a simple and direct prescription for his followers: Of you want to be first, you need to serve others. Jesus came to serve, not to be served, and he wants all of us to do the same.

EXPLORING THE GOSPEL MESSAGE

This week's lesson helped the class recognize the value of using their gifts for others. Your child also learned the importance of making good moral choices when it comes to respecting and serving others.

Discuss ways that your family follow Jesus' example of love and service to others. Talk about what personal or family friends show you about God's love. Take some time practicing the skill of searching the Bible that was introduced in class.

PRAY TOGETHER

Have a "newspaper" prayer session. Find two or three articles in the daily paper or stories on television, radio, or internet news that shows a need for the service of others. Say a simple prayer for each of those situations. Invite everyone in the family to look for opportunities to be of service during the coming week.

GOSPEL TABLE TALK

\* Give each family member a small gift or a piece of candy, but before they have a chance to enjoy or eat them, take them back and put away.

## *Faith Formation*

**Masks are required for ALL students in church and in classes. Catechists and parents are also required to wear masks in the classroom setting and strongly encouraged to wear them in church due to the increased attendance at the 10am Mass per CDC Covid-19 regulations.**

Contact Mary Ann Dorman with any questions or concerns.

## OUR PARISH COMMUNITY PRAYS FOR:

The Sick or Homebound...

<b>David Rupert</b>	<b>Richard Yunker</b>
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<b>Liam Boyle</b>	<b>Joanne Barcomb</b>
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<b>Matt Yoder</b>	<b>John Torrey</b>
<b>Dawn King</b>	<b>Tony &amp; Connie D'Aurizio</b>
<b>Sandra K Houseknecht</b>	<b>Jodi Mitchell</b>
<b>Joyce LoBello</b>	<b>Leon Halat Sr.</b>
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<b>Annamarie &amp; David Kuehnert</b>	
<b>Jack Houseknecht</b>	<b>Dominic Abramo</b>
<b>Sally Olsen Ventura</b>	<b>Chloe Taddinio</b>
<b>Carolyn Kawecka</b>	<b>Family in Need of Housing</b>
<b>Anthony Vallese</b>	<b>Pat Simmons</b>

*For all those who struggle in silence and those families facing difficulty who need our support.*

To you,  
St Joseph, I  
go for help and  
protection.

Amen.



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### And our Military...

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*Kevin Brinkman*  
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*Gregory Honadle*  
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*Zachary Gibson*  
*Brandy Malone*  
*Thomas Hartley*  
*Shawn Cunningham*

If you would like to have names added to this list, please contact Pauli Miano, [pmiano@rochester.rr.com](mailto:pmiano@rochester.rr.com), 356-1561 or the parish office.



**JUSTIN D. CALARCO-SMITH**  
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