

# St. Monica CHURCH

*All are welcome here!*

## Weekend Masses

Saturday at 4:00 pm

Sunday at 9am + Live-stream



## Daily Masses

Tuesday & Thursday: 12:10pm

Wednesday & Friday: 8am

## Emmanuel Church

of the Deaf:

Sunday at 11:00 AM



## Office Hours:

Monday-Friday

9:00am-3:00 pm

## Join us Online!

[www.stmonicaofrochester.org](http://www.stmonicaofrochester.org)

Visit our website to get connected to all our online resources, including Mass, faith activities and reflections, online giving, and ways to get involved.

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Walk with us on:



## St. Monica Roman Catholic Church of Rochester Vision and Mission

We are a Resurrection people rooted in our rich Catholic heritage. We are growing in the *SPIRIT*, as individuals and as a faith community. We answer the CALL to LIVE

OUT our Baptismal VOCATION in our daily lives, bringing the LIGHT of Christ's presence to our families, workplaces, neighborhoods, and the WORLD.

**We dare to LIVE the LIFE of Jesus Christ, transforming discouragement into HOPE, fear into LOVE, isolation into COMMUNITY.**



*First Communicants help with the final blessing on June 19, 2022.*

Into whatever house you enter, first say,  
'Peace to this household.'

If a peaceful person lives there, your peace will rest on them;  
but if not, it will return to you.

- Luke 10

July 3, 2022

14<sup>th</sup> Sunday in  
Ordinary Time

## COVID Updates

- All are welcome to attend our regularly-scheduled Masses in-person.
- We follow the NYS and Monroe County guidelines for COVID-19.
- Please continue to use hand sanitizer.
- The Sign of Peace will remain contactless.
- Congregational singing is welcome!

Thank you for helping to maintain the safety and love of our community!

**Confessions by appointment –  
call office at (585) 235-3340 to schedule.**

**Did you know?** Our website, [stmonicaofrochester.org](http://stmonicaofrochester.org), is your one-stop shop for all our online offerings. On our homepage you will find links to Mass videos, social media, online giving, outreach opportunities, virtual gatherings, at-home faith tools, and more! Visit our website and follow us on social media for even more ways to stay connected to our community. For help or to join the parish email list and receive our weekly news, email [monicabulletin@dor.org](mailto:monicabulletin@dor.org).

### Weekly Mass Intentions

Sat, July 2	Carol Wightman - John Delibert
Sun, July 3	Bernard Higgins - Barbara Higgins Clyde Forbes - Bostick-Clements Families
Tues, July 5	All Souls
Wed, July 6	Norman, Riley & Sara Will - Doris Will Meadows
Thurs, July 7	All Parishioners
Fri, July 8	Brian Natalie - Bequest
Sat, July 9	James F. Delibert – John Delibert
Sun, July 10	Genevieve Zeller - John & JoAnn DeMott



**The victims of mass shootings**  
**All who are suffering because of COVID-19**  
**An end to racist beliefs and systems**  
**All those affected by violence**



**THOSE IN THE MILITARY**  
 CJ Arnell, Joshua Bartlett, Zachary Bartlett,  
 Jarid Cook, Andrew Chmiel, Andrea Gerard,  
 David Englert, Richard Lewis, Angela Aviles  
 Lewis, Andrea Christ, Terry Redfield, Jr. and  
 Patrick Welling.

### Lamp Intentions for July

#### **SANCTUARY LIGHT**

**Kevin Welling**

*Olga Welling & Family*



#### **CROSS ALTAR LIGHT**

**Robert & Jean Vane**

*Their children*



**Robert Mitchell**

*Patricia & Family*

## Vacation Bible School

# EARTH PROTECTORS



**ST. MONICA VBS 2022**

**AUGUST 15-19**

Register now at [stmonicaofrochester.org](http://stmonicaofrochester.org)

### This week at St. Monica Church: July 3-10, 2022

<b>Sunday, 7/3</b>	9:00 am – Mass, Church & live-stream 11:00 am – ECD Mass, Church
<b>Monday, 7/4</b>	4:45 pm – Virtual Contemplative Prayer (contact Dorothy Siegel to join: <a href="mailto:kenanddor@yahoo.com">kenanddor@yahoo.com</a> or 880-5519)
<b>Tuesday, 7/5</b>	12:10 pm – Mass, Church 4:00-7:00 pm – Westside Farmers Market, Parking lot
<b>Wed., 7/6</b>	8:00 am – Mass, Church
<b>Thursday, 7/7</b>	12:10 pm – Mass, Church
<b>Friday, 7/8</b>	8:00 am – Mass, Church
<b>Saturday 7/9</b>	4:00 pm – Mass, Church
<b>Sunday, 7/10</b>	9:00 am – Mass, Church & live-stream 11:00 am – ECD Mass, Church

# St. Monica CYO Summer Basketball Clinic 2022



OPEN TO YOUTH  
IN GRADES 3-6

AUG 3-5 2022,  
9:00AM - 12:30PM  
LUNCH INCLUDED

ST. MONICA  
PARKING LOT

LEARN AND SHARPEN  
YOUR BASKETBALL  
SKILLS THIS SUMMER  
WITH RAY SMITH FROM  
*NEXT LEVEL HOOPS*

REGISTER AT  
[STMONICAOFROCHESTER.ORG](http://STMONICAOFROCHESTER.ORG)  
THIS IS A FREE CLINIC.

Come ready to play with shorts,  
sneakers, and water bottle!

SHOOTING  
PASSING  
DRIBBLING

## VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

We need helpers for check-in and food prep.  
No basketball experience necessary!  
All volunteers must be CASE-trained. To get trained  
and sign up, contact [Jessica.tette@dor.org](mailto:Jessica.tette@dor.org).

WANT TO COACH AT THE CLINIC?  
CONTACT [TAMIDIVERS1019@GMAIL.COM](mailto:TAMIDIVERS1019@GMAIL.COM)



# Summer Service for Youth and Families

GET INVOLVED!

CONTACT [JESSICA.TETTE@DOR.ORG](mailto:JESSICA.TETTE@DOR.ORG) TO SIGN UP.

Thursday, July 7 <b>St. Peter's Kitchen Garden</b> 10:30 am - 12:30 pm	Gardening and lunch <b>For families: kids ages 2+</b>
July 11, 12, & 13 <b>St. Peter's Kitchen</b> 8:30 am-1:30 pm	Prep & serve lunch, eat lunch <b>Grades 6+. 8 people per day.</b> <b>CASE-trained adult volunteers needed.</b>
Monday, July 25 <b>Camp Stella Maris and Minnehan's fun center</b> 12:30-5:00 pm	Enjoy Minnehan's and attend camp-style Mass at CSM. <b>Grades 6+.</b> <b>CASE-trained adult volunteers needed.</b>
August 3- 5 <b>CYO Summer Basketball Clinic</b> @ St. Monica's 8:00 am-1:00 pm	Assist with basketball skills, food prep, or check-in. <b>Grades 8+.</b> <b>CASE-trained adult volunteers needed.</b>
August 15-19 <b>Vacation Bible School</b> 8:00 am- 1:00 pm	Be a counselor or junior counselor! <b>Grades 6+.</b> <b>CASE-trained adult volunteers needed.</b>
<b>Clean Sweep of Genesee Street</b> on Tuesday, August 16 1:30-3:00 pm	

Keep your faith engaged and stay connected with the community this summer! Contact Jessica to sign up at [Jessica.tette@dor.org](mailto:Jessica.tette@dor.org).

### Follow Jesus with us:

[www.stmonicaofrochester.org](http://www.stmonicaofrochester.org)

[@stmonicaofrochester](https://www.facebook.com/stmonicaofrochester)

[@st.monicachurch](https://www.instagram.com/st.monicachurch)

[St. Monica Church - Mass](https://www.youtube.com/St.MonicaChurch-Mass)

### Bulletin

Did you sign up to receive the bulletin by email but are no longer receiving it? Please check your email settings to ensure you allow emails from [monicabulletin@dor.org](mailto:monicabulletin@dor.org). Be sure to check your junk/spam folder. If the problem persists, email [monicabulletin@dor.org](mailto:monicabulletin@dor.org).

**Our links in the bulletin are live!** If you are viewing this bulletin electronically, hold down Ctrl and click links in the bulletin to visit those sites.

### BULLETIN SUBMISSIONS:

Please send submissions by 4pm on Sundays: [monicabulletin@dor.org](mailto:monicabulletin@dor.org) with 10-pt Arial font and any photos.

**Emergency Food:** If you are in need of emergency food and live in these zip codes: 14428, 14514, 14546, 14559, 14606, 14608, 14611, 14614, 14619, and 14624, please contact the **SWEM food cupboard HelpLine at 235-4491**. People from other zip codes can phone 211 for emergency food assistance.

### What do I do about my offering?

Life looks different during the COVID-19 pandemic. There are three ways to give during this time:

1. Weekly offering envelopes, cash, or checks can be brought to Mass or mailed to

**St. Monica Church**  
34 Monica St.  
Rochester, NY 14619

2. **OSV Online Giving:** Visit our website ([www.stmonicaofrochester.org](http://www.stmonicaofrochester.org)) for secure one-time or recurring online giving.

3. **Text 2 Give:** Text your donation amount to 226-7514.  
Thank you for supporting our community and ministries!

### ARE YOU A MEMBER OF THE PARISH? WOULD YOU LIKE TO BE?

You are welcome at St. Monica Catholic Church! **Do you want to know more about how to join the parish?** Call the parish office today at 235-3340. It's that easy!

### VOLUNTEERS:

All volunteers who encounter youth and vulnerable adults need to complete online Creating a Safe Environment training, background check and sign a Code of Conduct every three years. To complete the online course, go to [dor.org](http://dor.org) online training or email [jessica.tette@dor.org](mailto:jessica.tette@dor.org) for a packet of information to help you.



### ROMAN CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF ROCHESTER

Victims of sexual abuse should always report to the civil authorities.  
To receive help and guidance from the Roman Catholic Diocese of Rochester, contact our Victim Assistance Coordinator:

**Deborah Housel**  
585-328-3228, ext. 1555  
Toll-free: 1-800-388-7177, ext. 1555  
or by e-mail to [victimassistance@dor.org](mailto:victimassistance@dor.org).

**Collection numbers for  
June 26 and July 3 will be included in  
the July 10 bulletin.**

## Creation Corner

### WATER:

A great beverage choice!  
How do you drink yours?

#### Option one: Drink tap water.

Invest in a stainless-steel water bottle (an investment of \$2 - \$15) and keep refilling it.

#### Implications of this decision:

1. A very inexpensive option - City of Rochester charges \$3.24/1,000 gallons of water; outside the city the cost is \$2.57/1,000 gallons of water. This is less than \$.001/bottle regardless of size.
2. Monroe County drinking water is very safe and tastes good.
3. The water comes from and remains in our local ecosystem
4. No litter, no landfill waste
5. Your carbon footprint is smaller and contribution to water and air pollution is minimized.
6. The water is conveniently delivered to your tap.

#### Option two: Buy water in single-use plastic bottles.

#### Implications of this decision:

1. A much more expensive choice – case of 24 (16.9 fl. oz.) bottles costs about \$5.99 (\$.25/bottle)
2. Source of the water is not regulated by EPA, safety may be questionable
3. Water source varies, probably not local. In many cases, pumping the water can deplete a vital aquifer in a local community.
4. If thrown away, the bottles add to landfill waste.
5. Even if you recycle, petroleum is the raw material used to manufacture single-use bottled water.
6. Oil, a nonrenewable resource, is used to transport bottled water from the source to the store and the store to your home.

#### So which choice will you make?

Drinking community-owned water? Or drinking water taken out of the ground by a private company and sold for profit, which is often at the expense of a community's ecosystem? Your water choice is an economic decision and economic choices send a message that corporations hear. This is a justice issue as well as a human health issue.

**Water is a human right...  
let's protect it!**

COMING SOON!



*An educational and entertaining Catholic  
kids show for children ages 2-6!*

Available for FREE on YouTube!

Marcam is a live-action, educational Catholic children's show for kids ages 2 - 6. Through exploring, dancing, and music, the ever curious and cheerful host Marcam will help children better understand and become more familiar with the richness and depth of the Catholic faith by going on fun and educational learning adventures!

From churches to music studios, petting zoos and convents, to meeting fascinating people who bring their Catholic faith into their careers, and more – children will meet and learn from people on fire for Christ and get excited about sharing that light of Christ with the world.

Marcam provides engaging programming in line with Catholic values, that simultaneously helps parents incorporate faith more into their children's daily lives and makes screen time beneficial and educational, not wasteful. Marcam is directed and produced by Catholic husband and wife duo Emily Wilson & Daniel Hussem.

[https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCeHyUa\\_8IR8IBOEF14nrYYw](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCeHyUa_8IR8IBOEF14nrYYw)

### Deacons Ordained in the Diocese of Rochester

Deacons R. Gerard de la Fuente, Alexander J. DeLucenay, and José E. Rivera were ordained as permanent deacons by Bishop Salvatore R. Matano during a May 21 Mass at Sacred Heart Cathedral. These were the three deacons that came to St. Monica to practice delivering homilies. We pray for them in their call to ministry! Congratulations!

Read the full story here:

<https://catholiccourier.com/articles/called-to-serve-deacon-ordination-2022/>

