



WELCOME TO ST. ANDRÉ BESSETTE
ROMAN CATHOLIC PARISH
NOTRE DAME AND ST. HELEN'S CHURCHES



St. Andre's Parish
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Friday: 10am – Noon

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March 29, 2026
Fifth Sunday of Lent



EASTER 2026

"Yes, Christ my hope is arisen; to Galilee he goes before you."

Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ:

We can face most anything, if we know or believe it won't last forever, and that something better will happen. We will endure a painful operation if we believe it will make us well again. We can face the rigors of a long and miserable winter (like this one) because we know that spring will return. It's amazing what the human spirit can endure and overcome provided it is fed with the bread of hope for tomorrow.

Easter provides an enormous portion of hope for the human spirit. How voracious is our appetite for hope today. Yes, Jesus suffered much. He was cut down but rose again. The world didn't take much notice of the resurrection of Jesus. It was a humble, hidden event. The risen Jesus did not appear in triumph at the temple in Jerusalem, humiliating those who humiliated Him. To those who loved Him and followed Him, Jesus rose as a sign of hope that God's love is stronger than death. The resurrection of Jesus cannot be separated from the resurrection of humanity saved by Him.

At Easter, we still feel the pain of the world, the pain in our families and in our hearts. But a new reality has been introduced into our lives. It doesn't remove the pain, but it sure gives it a meaning. It lights up our lives with hope. All is different because Jesus is alive! Faith in Jesus' resurrection is the basis of our hope of eternal life, a hope which enables you and me to bear patiently the trials of our lives. We experience a quiet joy and confident hope because we know that a faithful life is stronger than death, love is stronger than fear and hope is stronger than despair and discouragement.

The Risen Christ is still active in our midst two millennia after that Easter morn. There is plenty of room for hope! Easter assures you and me that God's promise of presence is fulfilled. And for that, may God be praised. Forever may God be praised! A blessed Easter to you and your family!

Faithfully yours in Christ,

Most Reverend Terry R. LaValley
Bishop of Ogdensburg

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Renee at (518)521-9589
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**Mass Intentions
For the Week:
March 28, 2026-
April 5, 2026**

Greetings from Father Scott:

Come Join us for Maple Fest Dinner at St. André's Outreach, Sunday, 3/29, 12:30-4pm

Please join me in Wishing our Dear Bishop LaValley a Happy 70th Birthday. His Birthday was this past Thursday, March 26.



THANK YOU

I want to thank both Aimee LeRoy and Jeff Scharf for serving as our parish trustees an additional year over their term to help with my transition as Pastor. Their willingness to serve and their valued advice was greatly appreciated. They both have been a true blessing to me and to our parish family. I am so happy they have agreed to continue to serve on the parish Finance Council.

WELCOME

We welcome our new Parish Trustees Mrs. Charlotte Broecker and Mr. Joseph Nichols. I look forward to working with them closely as we continue to build up God's Kingdom here in the Malone Area.

EASTER NEWS

A reminder to all the young of heart ... On Easter Sunday there will be a reception in the Chapel for everyone. A chance to meet, greet and receive a special gift from the Easter Bunny.

Every child will have a chance to enter for free after the 11am Mass on Easter Sunday to win this Easter Egg...filled with Chocolate Eggs, a Solid Chocolate Bunny, a Plush Easter Bunny, and a Plaque that says: "No Bunny Loves Me like Jesus!"

Wishing Everyone a Blessed Holy Week!

Saturday, March 28th

4:00pm (ND) Howard Monette (23rd Ann.)

By The Family

Palm Sunday, March 29th

8:00am (ND) Frankie Purdy (16th Ann.)

By His Loving Wife

9:30am (SH) Sr. Helen Hurley, OP

By Andrea Savage

11:00am (ND) Wayne Kelley by

Aaron & Ryan Perry

Monday, March 30th

12:05pm (ND) Eugenia Ann Abney by

The Family

Tuesday, March 31st

7:00am (ND) Harold Dufort (68th Ann.)

By the Family

12:05pm (ND) Jerry Weiss by Ron & Deb

Wednesday, April 1st

7:00am (ND) Frank Fisher by Mary McGrath and Mark Yando

Holy Thursday, April 2nd

7:00pm (ND) Intentions of Fathers

Good Friday, April 3rd

9:00 am

Morning Prayer

1:00pm

Passion of the Lord

6:00pm

Stations of the Cross

Saturday, April 4th

9:00 am

Morning Prayer

9:30 am

OCIA Rehearsal and Breakfast

10:30am

Decorating of the Church

8:00pm

Easter Vigil Mass-
Intention of Fathers

Easter Sunday, April 5th

8:00am (ND) People of St. Andre Bessette

9:30am (SH) People of St. Andre Bessette

11:00am (ND) People of St. Andre Bessette

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Monday. 11:15-11:45am
 Tuesday. 11:15-11:45am
 Friday. 11:15-11:45am
 Saturday 3:00-3:45pm

The Sanctuary Candle Burns the Week of:

March 29, 2026

*Notre Dame: David & Mary Vincent
 by Stephanie Wilson*



Tuesdays: Knights of Columbus, 41 Elm Street, Malone. Bingo starts at 6:30 pm. Progressive Bingo, Pull Tabs, Concession Stand.



Thursdays: St. André Outreach Center, 12 Homestead Park, Malone
 Bingo starts at 6:30 pm. Early Birds, Progressive Bingo, Pull Tabs, Concession Stand.
 Bring a friend!

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

	03/16/26	03/16/25	03/18/24
Envelopes	\$7,550.25	\$7,137.00	\$5,341.00
Plate	\$905.00	\$675.42	\$803.25
Online Gifts	\$500.00	\$640.00	\$620.00
TOTAL	\$8,955.25	\$8,452.42	\$6,764.25
Envelopes	139	167	153
Catholic Relief	60	\$2,337.84	

ST. ANDRE OUTREACH CENTER
 12 HOMESTEAD PARK, MALINE
GOOD SAMARITAN FOOD PANTRY
ST. VINCENT THRIST STORE
ST ANGELA’S CAFÉ
RESPITE: HELPFUL HAVEN”

BABY WORLD
 FOOD PANTRY -MON-THURS 10AM-2PM
 THRIFT STORE-MON-SAT 10AM-2PM
 CAFÉ-WED 11:30AM-1PM
 BABY WORLD-TUES THRU THURS 10AM-2PM

RESPITE: ‘HELPFUL”-WED 9AM-4PM
 ST. VINCENT THRIFT STORE IS ACCEPTING DONATIONS ON MONDAY AND THURSDAY ONLY. THEY MUST BE CLEAN AND SALEABLE. THEY WILL NEED TO BE LOOKED OVER BY A VOLUNTEER PRIOR TO ACCEPTING THEM.

COMMUNION FOR THOSE UNABLE TO ATTEND MASS

Our parishes offer Communion to anyone unable to attend Mass for health reasons. If you or someone you know would like to have aa Eucharistic Minister or Fr. Scott or Fr. Matt bring you Communion, please contact the parish office at malonebm@rcdny.org or call (518) 483-1300



DONATIONS NEEDED

BABYWORLD is in need of gently used INFANT TO CHILDREN’S clothing Sizes NEWBORN to 14/16. **SUMMER/SPRING ONLY.... PLEASE!**



St. Angela’s Café offers a FREE “HOT Community Meal on Wednesday’s from 11:30 am – 1:00 pm at St. André Bessette Outreach Center, 12 Homestead Park.

**FRANKLIN COUNTY
OFFICE FOR THE AGING'S
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FISH FRY FRIDAY

FRIDAY, APRIL 3RD, 11:30-1PM
DINE-IN OR TAKE-OUT



For Those
Ages 60+
ONLY

\$2.00
Donation

BEER BATTERED FISH, BAKED POTATO,
COLESLAW, TARTAR SAUCE, ROLL & DESSERT

Located at the:

Malone Adult Center
12 Homestead Park
Malone, NY 12953

518-481-1103 | Please RSVP today!



Maple Fest Dinner

Where: St. Andre's Outreach

When: Palm Sunday March 29, 2026

Time: 12:30PM until 4:00PM

MEAL MENU

Ham, Homemade Baked Beans, Scalloped Potatoes, Cabbage Salad, maple glazed carrots, Homemade Rolls (Butter and Maple Butter), & Pickles, Coffee, Tea, Ice Water and Lemonade

DESSERT

Homemade Cake with Maple Frosting with A Maple Candy


Adults: \$15.00

Children's 6 to 10 \$12.00

Age 5 and under Free

Dine In

Take Out
Available

Maple Bake Shoppe  Easter Basket Raffle

50/ 50 Raffle

SUMMER 2026
CAMP GUGGENHEIM
HIKE. SWIM. PRAISE.

Changing Lives for over 50 Years in the heart of the ADIRONDACKS



Saranac Lake, NY

Camp Guggenheim is the perfect place for youth to experience their Catholic faith, make lifelong friends, and get active in nature.

2026 Camp Schedule:
Ages 11-13 → Session 1: July 5 to July 10
Ages 12-15 → Session 2: July 12 to July 17
Session 3: July 19 to July 24
Session 4: July 26 to July 31
Ages 16-18 → Session 5: Aug 2 to Aug 7
\$425 per week
\$400 if registering after March 31*

PROMO VIDEO 

REGISTRATION NOW OPEN 

rcdony.org/youth/camp

Scholarships available



Check out our Instagram! 



Diocese of Ogdensburg Youth Ministry

Attention area youth: Are you considering attending 2026 Summer Camp Guggenheim? The Malone Council Knights of Columbus will be providing scholarships to two area young Catholics who want to attend camp this year. Please submit by May 1st a short essay explaining why you want to attend the camp and why you deserve a scholarship. You can either e-mail it to Grand Knight David Petrelli at davidpetrelli@yahoo.com or mail it to Knights of Columbus, P.O. Box 695, Malone, NY 12953. For more information, contact Angelo Pietropaoli at 518-483-0459. We encourage you to take advantage of this great opportunity for a memorable and spiritually uplifting

