



HALL NEWMAN CENTER
Catholic Campus Ministry at SUNY Oswego

Chapel of the Holy Spirit

36 New Street, PO Box 207, Oswego, NY 13126
(315)312-7222, fax 216-6593

Director of Campus Ministry Michael Huynh mhuyh@oswego.edu
Deacon John Lalande john.lalande@oswego.edu
Administrative Assistant Denise Knight newctr@oswego.edu
www.hallnewmancenter.org  Like us on Facebook The Hall Newman Center

December 2, 2018
First Sunday of Advent
Mass Intentions: Leo Chirello

Weekday Services
Communion Service: Tuesday - 5pm
Holy Hour : Wednesday - 12:00p.m.

Eucharistic Minister and Lector Schedule

12/2/2018
Lectors..... Kari Henry,
Nathan Moser
Lead E... .. John Lalande
Cup..... Cathy Santos
Cup..... John Alejandro

Prayer For Exams

Be with me, Lord, during this time. Undoubtedly, there will be moments when I want to quit and give up. Please sustain me, Lord. Guide me during times of trouble. Help me to realize that I have done my best possible work. Let me be satisfied with the work I have done, but also help me to see areas that I may improve upon academically in future. *Amen*

Please join us for an
**Evening of
Prayer & Fellowship at
Christ the Good Shepard
at St Mary's**
Wednesday, Dec. 12 from 6-7pm.
We will be reflecting on Our Lady of Guadalupe's message of discipleship.
Refreshments and fellowship to follow.
All are welcome!

Upcoming Events

Regular Class Schedule—
Elementary Faith Formation—12/3
JUST- St. Mary's Hopkins Hall-12/2
•
Baccalaureate Mass
Sunday, December 9—6:30pm
•
Community Soup Night
Monday, Dec. 10, Time: 6:00pm
•
Christmas Music Ministry Practice
Wednesday, Dec. 19, Time: 5:00pm

Please join us for 6:30 p.m. Sunday Mass



Prayer for Lighting the Advent Wreath Candles: 1st Sunday

All-powerful God, increase our strength of will for doing good that Christ may find an eager welcome at his coming and call us to his side in the kingdom of heaven, where he lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit one God, forever and ever, Amen.

As we wind down the Fall semester, I hope you all transition from exams, papers, and grading into the Advent season full of hope and anticipation! May we all be conscious of how we will prepare our hearts and minds for the coming of Christ into our hearts and minds so that we may share that with the world around us! May you find rest and renewal during the break! Look forward to seeing you in the Spring! May God bless our December graduates!
Peace, Mike
PS God is smiling!

**Please Support Our
Alternative Winter Break
Retreat/Service Trip**



This January, Mike will be leading a group of students on an Alternative Winter Break to Nazareth Farm in rural West Virginia.

Please consider making an investment in our students by sponsoring them with a donation to defray the expense of the trip. This week-long service/retreat experience is hosted by Nazareth Farm, a Catholic Community devoted to living out the Gospel message through prayer, service, community and simplicity. Substandard housing is addressed by providing home repairs.

Contact our office or Visit our Web Page to Donate!

**December
Graduates**



If you are a senior, or graduate student who will be moving on this December, please let us know by penning your name on the sign-up sheet in the Community Room. We would like to ensure your inclusion in our end of the year festivities!

**Volunteer Request:
Liturgical Ornamentation &
Floral Arrangement Volunteers**

We find ourselves in need of volunteers to assist and continue the beautiful work of Marian & Ginny in making our sacred space so welcoming.

**Please contact our office or
for more information.**

Community Soup Night

Monday, December 10, 5:30pm

ALL ARE WELCOME!



Come join us as we share some comfort food at the table, celebrate a wonderful fall semester, and move into Advent!
"Admission" - A Can of Soup & Box of Crackers
All Proceeds to benefit Local Food Pantries: S.H.O.P. & Human Concerns
Feel Free to bring a Soup or Dessert to Share!
Sponsored by our People Against Poverty Committee.

Faith Formation

Fall 2018 Class Schedule

Elementary:

Nov: Dec: 3

J.U.S.T.

Dec: 2 (St. Mary's), Dec. 9, St. Mary's)
Dec. 16th - Pancake Breakfast at St. Mary's

Financial Report

The Hall Newman Center is partially funded by the Hope Appeal. *Our responsibility is to raise \$48,530 each year from July 1 to June 30.*

Please pray about your gifts of time, talent and treasure. We are all called to be good stewards of the Newman Center. Your generosity allows this ministry and many spiritual and enriching programs to thrive. *Thank you for investing in us because your support is what makes this such a vibrant ministry!*

November 25, 2018

Sunday Collection \$272.00
Nov. Egiving: Recurring & Special Gifts....\$2,451.00

Community Prayer List*

Kristin Arndt, Father Guy Baccaro, Lillian Belfield, Celia Boardway, Joe Bosco Jr., Jeanne Brantman, Terre Burton, Gloria Calderone, Liz Camady, Andy Carpenter, Hoover Catano, David Chamberlain, Stephen Chermack, Forest Colson, Stacey Corsaro, Joshua Davidson, Lena Desousa, Tom Duell, James Duffy, MaryAnn Ebert, Kathy Emmons, Mary Fox, Meg Gaffney, Marvin Golding, Vivian Golding, Dan Griffin, Robert Boomer Hartman, Patrick Kelly, Rebecca Kempney, Angie Laguerre and brother, Scott Lee, Patricia Lewis, Catherine Mathews, Silvia Nunez, Cathy McGonagle, Andrew O'Donnell, Ray O'Donnell, Gisele Perry, Rachel Peschieri, Ann Peterson, Kay Pullen, Ann Marie Pontante, Denise Rojek, Maureen Sanchez, Phil Segretto, Fred Sweeney, Chris Torres, Julie Truell, Marilyn Ward, Nancy Ward, Shellie Warren, The Rural and Migrant Ministries, St. Francis Farm, Unity Acres and all those involved in ministry and missions worldwide,

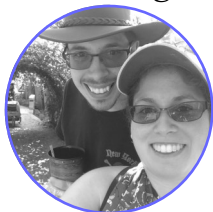
Our Servicemen and Women and their families.

** Please help us keep our prayer list updated by notifying us of any changes regarding names you may have submitted.*



What is the best way to ensure our community receives the support needed to help stabilize our community's finances and take care of operating expenses and ministries?

eGiving through Faith Direct!



Christina Faraone

I support the Newman Center because the community made me feel like family and everyone always welcomed the students. There were always fun events and free food which is a great perk especially for college students! Before I came to Oswego the Parish Priest from home told me "remember wherever you are, you are always at home in the church" Incredible advice that has always stuck with me and now that I live in Texas I go to Mass at the Rice University Newman Center Chapel."

December 2018

Special Intention of Pope Francis

Evangelization –

In the Service of the Transmission of Faith
That people, who are involved in the service and transmission of faith, may find, in their dialogue with culture, a language suited to the conditions of the present time.

The *Mission of the Hall Newman Center* is to nurture spiritual development of individuals on the SUNY Oswego campus and in the Oswego community. We commit ourselves to be a resource for information, education and advocacy on behalf of the Catholic Church and its teachings. Our welcoming and vibrant atmosphere promotes a sense of Christian Community and we commit ourselves to be available to and to represent the students of SUNY Oswego, the larger college and area communities.



Joshua Rigney, junior history major and philosophy minor here at SUNY Oswego, is a native of Cohoes, New York. Joshua found the Newman Center on a dorm flyer for Easter Mass.

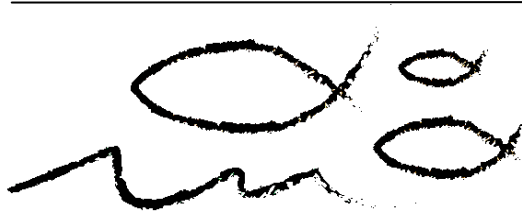
Joshua brings a passion for service at the Newman Center as a peer minister. On Sunday nights he is a catechist in our J.U.S.T. Faith Formation program where he shares his faith with our grade 6-12 students.

At Cohoes High School, Josh's high school history teacher, an Oswego Alumni was instrumental in his choosing to study at SUNY Oswego. Joshua also welcomed the opportunity to move away from home, get out of his comfort zone, and meet new people. In high school, Joshua was active band playing the trumpet and the football team.

At his home parish, Holy Trinity, Joshua as served as an altar server, festival decoration, music ministries, food drives, and attended Christian leadership institutes.

Joshua notes that his pastor Friar James Ebert, grandmother, mother, and choir director have all inspired, supported and fed him in his faith. Joshua enjoys spending time at the lake, admiring the beauty and serenity of the water, where he can always can find his peace with God – "...water is my element."

Thank you for sharing your faith with us, Joshua.
We wish you the best now and always. ♥



rooted in
PRAYER
supported by
COMMUNITY
reaching out in
SERVICE