

SAINT JOAN OF ARC CHURCH



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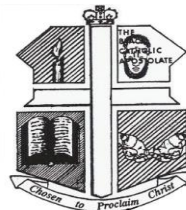
Black Apostolate Mass - Sunday, 10:15am

St. Joan of Arc Masses: Saturday, 4:00pm, Sunday, 9:00am

Daily Mass, Monday-Friday, 8:00am

THE BLACK CATHOLIC APOSTOLATE

website



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SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

JANUARY 18, 2026

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time - January 18, 2026

First Reading Isaiah 49:3, 5-6

"Here am I, Lord; I come to do your will."

Responsorial Psalm Psalm 40:2, 4, 7-8, 8-9, 10

Second Reading 1 Corinthians 1:1-3

Gospel John 1:29-34

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time - January 25, 2026

Isaiah 8:23-9:3 Psalm 27:1, 4, 13-14

1 Corinthians 1:10-13, 17 Matthew 4:12-23

Collections 01/10, 01/11



Thank you for your support.

MAKING TIME FOR GOD

*"Our life is made of time,
and time is God's gift.*

*It is therefore important to make use of it
by performing good and fruitful actions.*

*Among the many things to do
in our daily routine,*

*one of the priorities should be
reminding ourselves of our Creator
who allows us to live,*

*who loves us,
who accompanies us on our journey."*
- Pope Francis, 2014



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MEETINGS & ANNOUNCEMENTS



☞ PLEASE USE YOUR ENVELOPES!

Please remember to use your church envelopes for the Mass collection. We need the envelopes for accounting and attendance purposes. If you are a member of St. Joan of Arc or the Black Apostolate and do not receive envelopes in the mail each month, please email sjoa@nycap.rr.com or call the Church office at 518-463-0378 so we can put you on the envelope mailing list.

☞ SACRIFICIAL GIVING TODAY

The third Sunday of each month is Sacrificial Giving Sunday. This is *in addition* to your weekly offering.

☞ MASS INTENTIONS

As we begin this New Year 2026, why not remember a deceased loved one, help someone going through a difficult time, offer support to someone who is ill, or celebrate a happy occasion by having a Mass said in honor of that person? Mass intentions can be made for all weekend and daily Masses; weekdays at 8:00am Mass, the 4:00pm Saturday Mass, and the 9:00am & 10:15am Sunday Masses.

Email sjoa@nycap.rr.com or call the office (518-463-0378) and leave your name, phone number and date/time of Mass you wish to schedule, and the name of the person for whom you are requesting the intention. **Please indicate whether the person is deceased or you are requesting Mass for a birthday or special intention.**

Suggested donation: \$10.00 per Mass.





Saturday, January 17

4:00pm: -

Sunday, January 18

9:00am: - James Frechette + req. Elaine Parsons

10:15am: - Norma Hall Ashford + req. Prescott Family
- Gary Elliot + req. Prescott Family
- Etwin Bowman req. Morena Howe
- Bernadine Givens (Healing) req. Bennita Givens
- Theresa Allen Rucker + req. Bennita Givens
- Oscar Gravesande + req. Dawn Hewitt & Joan Richards

Monday, January 19

8:00am: - Oscar Gravesande + req. Dawn Hewitt & Joan Richards

Tuesday, January 20

8:00am: - Howard Phillips + req. Solini Family
- Florence Buss + req. Solini Family

Wednesday, January 21

8:00am: - Chris Grosse

Thursday, January 22

8:00am: Yvonne Nelson, Beverly Gray and Family

Friday, January 23

8:00am: - George King

Saturday, January 24

4:00pm: -

Sunday, January 25

9:00am: -

10:15am: - Ronald Patrick Prescott + req. Prescott Family

+ deceased

We gather to worship Jesus,
the Lamb of God
who takes away
the sins of the world.

Let us turn our hearts to Him in prayer.



Faith Formation



Faith Formation/Religious Education classes are held every other Saturday from 9:30am-11:00am for children in grades 1-12.

Next class is on January 24th, 2026

BCA Faith Formation is always looking for volunteers to assist in our program. If you are interested in volunteering please contact **Dawn Hewitt** for additional information.

Call 518-463-0378 or sjoabcashfaith@gmail.com

IS SOMEONE IN NEED OF PRAYER?



Light a candle for that special person you promised to pray for. Candles are \$5.00 each and are in the small Chapel behind the main Sanctuary. Please put your payment in the marked box by the church entrance.

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MASSES

SATURDAY VIGIL MASS: 4:00pm

SUNDAY MASSES: 9:00am

10:15am (Black Apostolate)

DAILY MASS: 8:00am (Monday-Friday)

RECONCILIATION: Saturday 3:30pm

BAPTISM: Every first Saturday of the month.
Please call for an appointment.

MATRIMONY: ARRANGEMENTS should be made 6-8 months in advance and prior to scheduling a reception.

FUNERAL MASSES: Will be scheduled at **9:00am**.

In the event of the death of a parishioner, please call the Funeral Home. The funeral director will notify the parish office and arrangements will be made for a funeral Mass and burial.

STAFF

Fr. Kofi Ntsiful Amissah, Pastor

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