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Currently we are blest to be celebrating our 23rd year!

The Monthly Message of Our Blessed Mother from Medjugorje: September 25, 2014

“Dear children! Also today I call you to also be like the stars, which by their light give light and beauty to others so they may rejoice. Little children, also you be the radiance, beauty, joy and peace—and especially prayer—for all those who are far from my love and the love of my Son Jesus. Little children, witness your faith and prayer in joy, in the joy of faith that is in your hearts; and pray for peace, which is a precious gift from God. Thank you for having responded to my call.”

[Volunteers Needed, if interested call the center at 452-4698](#)

For visitors, if the CNY Marian Center is locked, you are allowed to obtain a key upstairs at the doctor’s office M- F 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM. The CNY Marian Center is available to hold group Meetings. For a reservation, call the Center and leave a message. Current Prayer groups meet Mon. 7:30 PM, Tues. 7 PM, Thurs. 11 AM & Fri. @ 11:00 AM.

HEAVEN CALLS— IS YOUR RINGER ON ?

Blessing and prayers to all our friends, supporters and newsletter subscribers of the Central NY Marian Center.

House Calls

Do our hearts ring out with great love and joy for the **Holy Rosary**, a priceless treasure which is inspired by **God**? Do we give our eternal love and thanksgiving to **Our Blessed Mother** for giving **St. Dominic** in 1214, the **Rosary** in its present form and method we use today?

October is the month of the **Holy Rosary**. One of the reasons that **Pope Leo XIII** designated it so, is the **Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary**, which falls on October 7. Like many Marian feasts, the **Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary** celebrates the protection of Christians through the **Mother of God**; and, like many feasts toward the end of the liturgical year, it commemorates a struggle with the forces of Islam.

In this case, the **Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary** celebrates the victory of Christian naval forces at the Battle of Lepanto on October 7, 1571. At a time when Christian Europe was being torn apart by

internal strife and the Reformation, **Don John** of Austria destroyed the Turkish fleet in the Gulf of Lepanto, the victory was attributed to the intercession of the **Blessed Virgin Mary**, to whom rosaries were offered and processions were made in Rome on the day of the battle.

Following the great Christian victory at Lepanto, **Pope St. Pius V** declared that henceforth a commemoration of the **Rosary** would be a part of the Vatican’s Mass on every October 7. His successor, **Pope Gregory XIII**, went further. In 1573 he established the **Feast of the Most Holy Rosary** to be celebrated at all Churches which had specific altars dedicated to the **Rosary**. This feast was extended by **Pope Clement XI** to the whole of the Latin Rite, inserting it into the Roman Catholic calendar of saints in 1716, and assigning it to the first Sunday in October. **Leo XIII** has since raised the feast to the rank of a double of the second class and has added to the Litany of Loreto the invocation “**Queen of the Most Holy Rosary**”. On this feast, in every church in which the **Rosary** confrater-

nity has been duly erected, a plenary indulgence *toties quoties* is granted upon certain conditions to all who visit therein the **Rosary** chapel or statue of **Our Lady**. This has been called the “**Portiuncula**” of the **Rosary**. **Pope Pius X** changed the date to October 7th in 1913, as part of his effort to restore celebration of the liturgy of the Sundays.

The message of the **Rosary** is a veritable school of Christian life, including essentially the meditation of the mysteries of the life, death and glory of **Jesus** and **Mary**, with a view not only to honoring but especially imitating their virtues as held up to our consideration in each mystery.

Almighty God has given us the **Rosary** because He wants us to use it as a means to convert the most hardened sinners and the most obstinate heretics. He has attached to it grace in this life and glory in the next. The **Saints** have said it faithfully and the **Popes** have endorsed it.

To fully understand the **Rosary**, we must read the **Secret of the Rosary**, written by **St. Louis De Montfort**. When you pray the



Holy Rosary, you have **Our Lady's** hand in your hand. When you pray the **Holy Rosary**, you have the power of **God** in your hands. "The prayer of the **Rosary** is perfect, because of the praises it offers, the lessons it teaches, the graces it obtains, and the victories it achieves." **Pope Benedict XV** (1914-1922). Let's all start this very day to pray the daily **Rosary** with our families. The family that prays together, stays together and will merit great graces. Through the power of the **Rosary**, together we can change the world!!!

Marian Apparitions Explained

Our Lady of Good Success

Prophecies about the 19th and 20th Centuries

Devotion to Our Lady has never been so crucial to the life of our souls due to the present situation in the Church. Moreover, not only is it important for the life of our souls but also for the life of the Church, itself. In recent times, the Blessed Mother has visited us with instructions on how to conduct ourselves in order to get to heaven. As a result, we have recourse to her under a variety of titles.

However there is one title that brings to mind true and certain hope in these desperate times, times which have the ability to tempt the most conscientious of Catholics today to despair. As concerned parents, we are battle weary from fighting the various "demons" in all different realms, not just the spiritual. We struggle to protect our children from the evils of our society and culture, public and parochial schools, various modes of mass media such as TV, Internet and all sorts of "mainstream entertainment" available to our children, and yes, even bad companions. As providers for our families, we are barely making ends meet with the roller coaster ride of our economy. Yes, we are being attacked on all levels of life to the very depth of our souls. We find ourselves exhausted, indifferent or even worse yet, in the state of depression. It is clear that the enemies of our Faith, Family and Country are gaining ground.

In spite of all of this, there is truly a solution to every problem. We have a weap-

on to fight these "principalities and powers" that are not of flesh and blood. That weapon is this specific devotion to Our Lady of Good Success which has an interesting prophecy attached to it. Our Lady of Good Success prophesied that the devotion to her under this title which was popular in the 1600's would fall away but it would again see a resurgence in the Twentieth Century, an era in which we would sorely need to "gird our loins" for battle.



The first devotion to the Blessed Mother under this title officially originated in Spain in the year 1606. However, apparitions of Our Lady of Good Success in Quito, Ecuador began as early as 1594. Prophecies about the Twentieth Century of our times are the basis of these approved apparitions. One such prophecy was that the story of Our Lady of Good Success in Quito, Ecuador would not become renown until the 20th Century.

The revelations of Our Lady of Good Success and devotion to Her miraculous Statue have been approved by the Catholic Church since the beginning. It was the 9th Bishop of Quito, Salvador de Ribera, who attested in official documents to the miraculous completion of the Statue by St. Francis of Assisi and the three Archangels - St. Michael, St. Gabriel and St. Raphael - and presided over the anointing of the solemn consecration of the

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Statue in the Church of the Royal Convent of the Immaculate Conception on February 2, 1611. The devotion and apparitions were also authorized and promoted by the next Bishop of Quito, Pedro de Oviedo, who governed the Diocese from 1630 to 1646. Thus this devotion has enjoyed the support and approval of the Church since its very beginning.

Mother Mariana de Jesus Torres (1563-1635), who received the revelations, was a Spanish Conceptionist sister who traveled from her country to the New World to help to found the Royal Convent. The life of Mother Mariana was truly extraordinary. The number of visions and mystical favors granted to her as well as the miracles worked through her intercession are numerous. During her live, she was the superior of the Convent three times. During her first term as Abbess, she suffered persecutions from a group of rebellious nuns who wanted to relax the Rule. The rebellion grew, and the "inobservant" sisters put Mother Mariana and the other Spanish Founding Mothers in the Convent prison. Mother Mariana accepted all this and agreed to Our Lord's condition to suffer the torments of Hell for five years in order to obtain the conversion of the leader of those rebellious sisters.

One of the most extraordinary facts of her life was a mystical-physical phenomenon: her several deaths and resurrections. Documented records from the Convent and Diocesan archives show that this truly holy religious died three times. Her first death was in 1582. Standing before the Judgment Seat, she was judged blameless and given a choice: to remain in celestial glory in Heaven or to return to earth to suffer as an expiatory victim for the sins of the 20th century. She chose the latter.

Prophecies about the 19th and 20th Centuries

To be continued next month



Announcements

**Nation wide Marian Rosary Rally
St. Bernadette's Church
October 11 at Noon**

Join us in praying the rosary, the litany of the Blessed Virgin Mary and singing her songs. We will be joined by St. Mary's and Divine Mercy Parish with invitations out to other adjoining parishes. This is a nationwide event!

**Parish Mission
Holy Family Church
124 Chapel Drive Syracuse
October 20-24 7PM**

Fr. Simeon, a Franciscan priest for forty three yrs will give a talk on daily prayer for three special graces: a compassionate heart, an open mind, and an imaginative spirit. Originally from Philadelphia he has traveled the world giving missions and retreats. He has

worked closely with the U.S. Armed Forces. Fr. Simeon holds multiple Master's degrees; religious education 1970, English literature 1980, and liberal arts 1996. He has also done extensive doctoral level studies in preaching. Fr. Simeon does hundreds of parish missions and retreats to religious communities, and has frequently led retreats for the Diocesan priests. Join us for a great night of graces!

**Day of Blessing and Healing
Barbagallo's Restaurant
Molloy Rd. East Syracuse
November 15 8:30am—3:30pm**

Maria Vadis a Catholic Evangelist and Woman with Healing Ministry with Padre Amedeo Guida. Register by Nov. 1st no tickets sales at the door. Cost is \$40 please contact **Teresa McCarthy Brusa at 315-373-0771**

4888 Abbottsbury Lane Syracuse, NY 13215

**5th Annual Catholic Woman's Conference
Oncenter Convention Center, Syracuse, NY
October 25 8am**

Join us for an exceptional event and exciting speakers. Kim Daniels, has served as a spokesperson for the U.S. Confer. Of Catholic Bishops, she is cofounder of Catholic Voices USA. Rev. Joseph O'Connor is Director of Vocation Promotion here in Syracuse Diocese. His preaching in parishes and to the youth focuses on cultivating a life of intimacy with the Lord. Kimberly Hahn is a convert to the Faith and a contributing author on several books. She will present "Cherished and Chose: Biblical Wisdom for Your Marriage" based on Proverbs 31. Bishop Robert J. Cunningham will celebrate Mass and adoration. As the Marian Center is one of the major sponsors, be sure to stop at our vendor's tables. As women have played a very important role in the history of the church you really need to be there!!!!

Bud O'Brien, Chairman of the Board

**October 2014
Apostolate of Prayer for Priests ..Diocese of Syracuse**

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Mary Immaculate, let us love you fervently and open our hearts to the dew of your grace, for we know that you are blessing our priests. <i>Mother Catherine Aurelia, Foundress</i>			1) Rev. J Clemente Rev. R Stephenson	2) Rev. R Kelly Msgr. J Kane	3) Rev. F Wapen Rev. T Hobbes	4) Our Holy Father
5) Bishop T J Costello	6) Rev. P Keebler Rev. R Weber	7) All Priests	8) Rev. T McGrath Rev. J Schopfer	9) Rev. J Katz Rev. M Galuppi	10) Rev. B Lang Rev. J Finnegan	11) Rev. V Kelly Rev. J Quinn
12) Bishop J M Moynihan	13) Rev. L Koziowski Rev. E Morelle	14) Rev. J Dahlinger SJ Rev. G Buckley	15) Rev. J Keefe OFM Cv Rev. M Wieczorek	16) Rev. J Culver Rev. J Buehler	17) Rev. J Canorro Rev. C Cerwonka	18) Rev. J Manno Rev. M Pasik
19) Bishop R J Cunningham	20) Rev. R O'Neill Msgr. F Culkin	21) Rev. S Gerlock Rev. J P Donovan	22) Rev. J Phillips Rev. A Baranski	23) Rev. R Tucker	24) Rev. K Bungler Msgr. J McGraw	25) Rev. R Amrhein OFM Cv Rev. D Maldari SJ
26) Msgr. G Sheehan Rev. J Rook	27) Rev. L Kennedy Rev. C Rumble	28) Rev. A Bebel Rev. S Wirkes	29) Rev. L Sogliuzzo SJ Rev. R Dwyer	30) Rev. J Gehl Rev. T Taugher	31) Rev. D Casey SJ Rev. W Evans	Glory to the Blood of Jesus! <i>- Mother Catherine Aurelia, Foundress</i>



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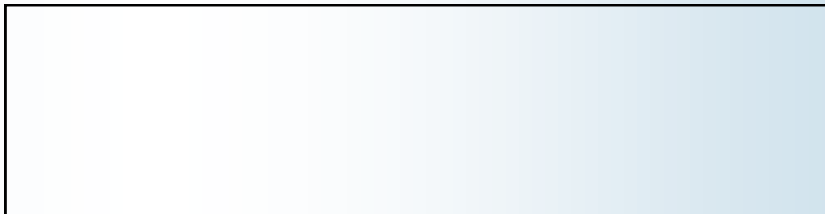
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The CNY Marian Center is pleased to present:

As the children return to school we will return to our Bible study program

Starting this October on Fridays 10AM –12PM at the Marian Center

This has been a very successful program resulting in deepening our knowledge of sacred scriptures, increasing the attendees in faith and graces.

Interested parties please contact [Nancy Graziano at 315-652-3253](mailto:Nancy.Graziano@MarianCenter.CNY@gmail.com) or email:

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Important Notice to Our Readers

We pray for all of you that read our newsletter that are on our mailing list to see the hope that this publication has brought you some knowledge and insight into your faith. We are trying to continue to spread Mary's messages, and need your support too. Anyone who would like to be a regular sponsor, or provide a donation towards the production of this newsletter, & other Marian Center Projects.. Please fill out the form & mail it with your donation to the **CNY Marian Center, 5180 W. Taft Road, North Syracuse, NY 13212**

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