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Currently we are blest to be celebrating our 24th year!

The Monthly Message of Our Blessed Mother from Medjugorje: September 25, 2015

“Dear children! Also today I am praying to the Holy Spirit to fill your hearts with a strong faith. Prayer and faith will fill your heart with love and joy and you will be a sign for those who are far from God. Little children, encourage each other to prayer with the heart, so that prayer may fulfill your life; and each day, you, little children, will be, above all, witnesses of serving God in adoration and of your neighbor in need. I am with you and intercede for all of you. 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, Thur. 11:00 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.

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** confraternity 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.

Rosary Miracles

Miracle of Hiroshima

There was a home eight blocks (about 1 kilometer) from where the A-Bomb went off in Hiroshima, Japan. This home had a church attached to it which was completely destroyed, but the home survived, and so did the eight German Jesuit missionaries who prayed the rosary in that house faithfully every day. These men were missionaries to the Japanese people, they were non-military, but because Germany and Japan were allies during WWII they were permitted to live and minister within Japan during the war. Not only did they all survive with (at most) relatively minor injuries, but they all lived well past that awful day with no radiation



sickness, no loss of hearing, or any other visible long term defects or maladies.

Then, in the words of Fr. Schiffer: "Suddenly, a terrific explosion filled the air with one bursting thunderstroke. An invisible force lifted me from the chair, hurled me through the air, shook me, battered me, whirled me 'round and 'round like a leaf in a gust of autumn wind." The next thing he remembered, he opened his eyes and he was laying on the ground. He looked around and there was NOTHING in any direction: the railroad station and buildings in all directions were leveled to the ground.

The only physical harm to himself was that he could feel a few pieces of glass in the back of his neck. As far as he could tell, there was nothing else physically wrong with himself. Many thousands were killed or maimed by the explosion. After the conquest of the Americans, their army doctors and scientists explained to him that his body would begin to deteriorate because of the radiation. Many of the Japanese people had blisters and sores from the radiation. To the doctors amazement, Fr. Schiffer's body contained no radiation or ill-effects from the bomb. Fr. Schiffer attributes this to devotion to the Blessed Mother, and his daily Fatima Rosary. He feels that he received a protective shield from the Blessed Mother which protected him from all radiation and ill-effects.

Miracle of Father Peyton

Fr Patrick Peyton was born on January 9, 1909 in County Mayo, Ireland. He was the sixth among a family of nine children. At age 19 he and his brother, Tom, emigrated to the United States. He wanted to become a priest but his family Ireland could not financially afford the required education.

He moved in with his sister Nellie and obtained a job working as a janitor at St. Stanislaus Cathedral in Pennsylvania. With help from Monsignor Paul Kelley, Patrick was able to pursue his schooling to become a priest. He entered the sem-

inary at the Congregation of Holy Cross in Notre Dame, Indiana in 1932.

In October, 1938, he started coughing up blood and doctors discovered he had advanced stages of Tuberculosis, which was incurable in those days. His sister Nellie encouraged him to ask the Holy Mother for help. Patrick consecrated himself completely to Mary and devoted himself to praying the rosary. The doctors discovered that the patches on his lungs had disappeared with no scientific explanation. With this miraculous cure through the rosary of our Holy Mother, Father Peyton vowed to Mary that he would promote the rosary all his life.

On June 15, 1941, Father Patrick Peyton was ordained a priest. Father Peyton was one of the first evangelizers to use the electronic media to spread the word of God, in particular, that families pray the rosary together. Father Peyton coined the phrase, "The family that prays together, stays together."

Father Patrick Peyton died peacefully on June 3, 1992 holding a rosary in his hands. The cause for his sainthood began on June 1, 2001.

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).

There are many more miracles of the rosary to numerous to mention. Some concerning political revolutions such as, in the Philippines 1986, which turned out to be a bloody, violent, fraud filled event. Others concerned individuals during a particular crisis in their public or private lives.

Follow Father Peyton's message!!! 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!!!

Announcements

Monthly Movies CNY Marion Center Mother Teresa

Oct. 5th at 10 AM & Oct. 8th at 6:45 PM
In a powerful portrayal, Golden Globe winner* Olivia Hussey illuminates the life story of **Mother Teresa**, the selfless missionary who brought hope, love and salvation to the poorest of the poor.

St. Giuseppe Moscati, Doctor to the Poor

Nov. 9th at 10AM & Nov. 12th at 6:30PM
"Remember that you must treat not only bodies, but also souls, with counsel that appeals to their minds and hearts rather than with cold prescriptions to be sent in to the pharmacist." - **St. Giuseppe Moscati**

Dr. Giuseppe Moscati, "the holy physician of Naples," is one of the greatest of modern saints. Devoted to the science of medicine doctor and layman in the early 20th century.

Join us for two inspiring movies to moti-

vate our lives. We will leave knowing that each of us have been given our own special gifts to be given and shared with others. In this, we will indeed fulfill the spiritual and corporal works of Mercy we have been called to do!!!

6th Annual Catholic Woman's Conference
Oncenter Convention Center, Syracuse

November 7th 8am

Join us for an exceptional event and exciting speakers.

Fr. Andrew Apostoli

Fr. Andrew Apostoli is a founding member of the Franciscan Friars of the Renewal, and has been teaching and preaching retreats and parish missions for several decades. He is considered one of the world's foremost experts on the apparitions of Fatima. He is the author of numerous books, including Following Mary to Jesus and Walk Humbly with Your God. Fr. Apostoli is the vice-

postulator of the cause for the canonization of Archbishop Fulton Sheen and is a frequent presence on EWTN television.

Simcha Fisher

Freelance writer, mother of nine, blogger for the National Catholic Register and for Patheos at "I Have to Sit Down." Simcha is the Author of The Sinner's Guide to Natural Family Planning and is known for her quick wit and "tell it like it is" style. She is a self-proclaimed homeschooling drop out and promises "not a dry seat in the house."

Sr. Miriam James Heidland

Known on Twitter as "@onegroovynun" — Sr. Miriam belongs to the Society of Our Lady of the Most Holy Trinity (SOLT), serving areas in deep apostolic need — including missions in Rome, Seattle, and Texas. She has worked with schoolchildren, coached high school volleyball, and co-hosted a Catholic radio program. Sister has studied theology at The Augustine

Institute, speaks on theology of the body, authentic love, and the dignity and beauty of women. Her story has been shared on Catholic Answers Live, National Catholic Register, Relevant Radio, EWTN Life on the Rock, and more. She authored *Loved As I Am*, November 2014.

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!!!!

Registration

\$50 by October 28, 2015
\$60 by November 5, 2015 (online registration closes at 5pm)
\$70 at the door

Bud O'Brien, Chairman of the Board

October 2015
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. Mother Catherine Aurella, Foundress				1) Rev. J Rose Rev. R Jones	2) Rev. L. Aiello Rev. V Kelly	3) Msgr. J Madden Msgr. R Kopp
4) Bishop J M Moynihan	5) Msgr. S Rosetti Rev. C Celentano	6) Msgr. J Kennedy Fr. M Taylor OFM Cv	7) Our Holy Father	8) Rev. E Reimer Fr. S Rukstalis OFM	9) Rev. T Ryan Rev. D Karlen	10) Rev. J Carey Rev. R Hyde
11) Bishop T J Costello	12) Msgr. F Elkin Rev. J Buehler	13) Fr. L Desantis OFM Cv Rev. A Morbito	14) Rev. E P Reddick Rev. F Kooro	15) Rev. F Colosimo Rev. G Kreinheder	16) Rev. G Lupa Rev. R Tucker	17) Rev. W Mesmer Rev. G Buckley
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25) Rev. D Schoenhofen Bro E Falsey, OFM CV	26) Rev. J Fetcho Rev. R Prior	27) Rev. C Rumble Msgr. N Quartier	28) All Priests	29) Rev. L Smith Rev. D Caruso	30) Rev. R Dwyer Rev. M Fuchs	31) Rev. A LaFache Rev. S Kardas



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The CNY Marian Center is pleased to present:

First Friday and First Saturday Devotion Group

Starting this October on Fridays starting with 11AM mass at the Franciscan Villa 6900 Buckley Road with the Sisters of St. Francis of the Newman Communities.

12 noon at the Marian Center a study group will meet weekly in promoting first Friday and first Saturday devotions. Led by [Nancy Graziano](#) who will cover the apparitions given to St. Margaret Mary, instructing her in first Friday devotions. Nancy will also cover the Fatima apparitions that Our Lady requested for first Saturday devotions to console the sorrows of [God](#), [Jesus](#), and the [Virgin Mary](#) for the sins against Her [Immaculate Heart](#). To join the group contact [Nancy at 315-652-3253](#) or [email: Mariancenter.cny@gmail.com](mailto:Mariancenter.cny@gmail.com)

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