

St. Mary's Church
6437 East Seneca Turnpike
Jamesville, New York 13078-0368

June 21, 2007

Dear Friends,

We are intent on keeping you up to date on our transition to Holy Cross. By now you should have received a letter of welcome from parishioners at Holy Cross, as well as information on the neighboring parishes.

All records and envelope lists will be transferred automatically to Holy Cross unless you request otherwise by calling St. Mary's office. Envelopes will continue from Holy Cross in the future, St. Mary's envelopes can be used at Holy Cross after July 1st until the changeover.

At the Mass on June 30th, significant religious items will be taken symbolically to Holy Cross and displayed prominently.

There will be a Welcoming Mass at Holy Cross for all new parishioners from St. Mary's on July 8th at 9:15am, followed by a reception downstairs and we pray that you will try to be present and meet new friends at Holy Cross.

Enclosed please find a Holy Card as a commemorative of St. Mary's. If you are at the June 30th liturgy, each family will also be presented with a commemorative candle of St. Mary's Church (if you are away you can receive it at the St. Mary's rectory in early July). Enclosed, also please find a card describing Holy Cross School. We would so welcome your child to our Christ-like, value and family centered school.

A display case of the significant events commemorating St. Mary's history will house remembrances of that history at Holy Cross.

We are working on religious education for all of the children from St. Mary's and will get information to you as soon as possible; also we are working on plans to continue to care for those served by the pantry.

The damage to the steeple as well as the roof area over the entryway has been referred to our insurance department and is being repaired.

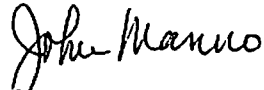
We are pursuing all avenues regarding use of the building, including the Town of DeWitt and we will keep you posted as we progress.

If you are in need of a ride to Holy Cross, please call either St. Mary's or Holy Cross offices and we will help to connect you with a family from Jamesville.

We look forward to continued ministry with you in the years ahead. If there is any immediate need or way we could be of service, please call us at 446-0473.

Wishing God's abundant blessings on you and yours, we are,

Prayerfully yours,



Rev. John Manno
Parochial Vicar



Rev. Msgr. J. Robert Yeazel
Pastor