

“Fulfilled” – A Reflective Lenten Tour in Honor of the Restoration of St. Mary’s Church Art Glass

Remsen St. Mary’s Parish and progeny have lovingly restored their beautiful and historic art glass windows. In a sense the stained glass has been “fulfilled,” retaining its century-old dignity and charm while showing off newfound vigor and colorful magnificence.

In the spirit of this “fulfillment,” Deacon Rick Roder will offer a reflection at each window, introducing or re-introducing viewers to the Picture Book of Salvation that silently surrounds Mass-goers and visitors in this beautiful and historic church.

Deacon Roder will guide you through a fascinating exploration of the Old Testament roots and New Testament fulfillment in each depiction, revealing the spiritual depth hinted at in the ever-changing rainbow hue of colors that splash through the church.

Discovery awaits as you consider never-before noticed details, intriguing themes, inspiring messages, and local lore. And the best thing about it all... is your *own* fulfillment. God is out to transform you! ‘Tis the reason for the Lenten season, ‘tis the reason for the art, the goodness, the truth, the beauty...the Story. Come be fulfilled!

Be ready to take your time; this voyage will be approximately an hour. Come and go as you wish, be seated as necessary though movement through the church to view each window will be encouraged. “Fulfilled” will be presented twice during Lent; Sunday February 18 and Sunday March 18, both at 1 PM (roughly the same presentation both times).