

**Mass Intention**  
**7 - 15 August 2021**

7 August 2021 - First Saturday - Weekday

8.30 am:

4.30 pm:

8 August 2021 - SUNDAY - Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8.30 am: + Jamie Geosits by *Frank & Kathy Geosits*

11.00 am: + Brian Montevicchi by *Ed Sykes*

9 August 2021 - Monday - Weekday

8.30 am: + Rutar & Zednick family by *Pope Family*

10 August 2021 - Tuesday - St. Lawrence, Deacon & Martyr

8.30 am: + Jana & Vit Fojtik (30th wedding anniversary) by *Pope Family*

11 August 2021 Wednesday - St. Clare, Virgin

8.30 am: No Mass

12 August 2021 Thursday - Weekday

8.30 am:

13 August 2021 - Friday - Weekday

8.30 am:

14 August 2021 - Saturday - Weekday

4.30 pm: + Vincent Annuaziata by *Joann & Ed Coates*

15 August 2021 - SUNDAY - The Assumption of the Bl. Virgin Mary

8.30 am: + Ferenc Timar by *Frank & Kathy Geosits*

11.00 am:

**PRAY FOR THE SICK**

J. Gottesmann, W. Rieger, K. Eschenberg, J. Feeley, R. Knack, Ron Rhodes JR, Dan Buddenhagen, Brenda Long, Mary Ann, Eileem Ohman, Madeleine Wootan, Anita Robertson, Linda Roche, Marcia Bauer, Frank M Geosits Jr, Shirley Rangaves, Josephine, Vincent McCarthy, Skip Mudge and all sick and needy.



To submit a name please call the Rectory

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## 19TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

I am

the

Living

Bread



That

came

down

from

Heaven

### Regular Mass

Weekdays (Mon, Tues, Thurs & Friday): 8.30 am—Holy Cross Church

Saturday: 4.30 pm — Holy Cross Church

Sunday: 8.30 am — St. Patrick's Church

11.00 am — Holy Cross Church

Weekdays: 8 am—Holy Adoration

Confession: Saturday 4.00 pm - Holy Cross Church

“Let us welcome Jesus as the bread of life and, starting out from our friendship with Him, learn to love each other freely and abundantly...” **Pope Francis**

## Visit to the Blessed Sacrament

It is the meeting of our soul and of all our being with Jesus:

It is the creature meeting the creator;  
The disciple before the Divine Master;  
The patient with the doctor of Souls;

The poor one appealing to the Rich one;

The thirsty one drinking at the Fount; the weak one presenting himself to the Almighty;

The tempted one seeking a sure Refuge;

The blind one searching for the Light;

The friend who goes to the True Friend;  
The lost sheep sought by the good Shepherd;  
The heart led astray who finds the Way;  
The foolish one who finds Wisdom;  
The bride who finds the Spouse of the Soul;  
The nothing who finds the All;  
The afflicted who finds the Consoler;  
The youth who finds Life's Meaning.



## Act of Adoration

I believe, my God, that I am in your presence,  
That You are looking at me, and listening to my prayers.  
You are so great and so holy; I adore You.

You have given me all; I thank You.

You have been so offended by me; I ask Your pardon  
with all my heart. You are so merciful; I ask of You all  
the graces which You know are beneficial to me. Amen.



## Senior Luncheon

“I am the Bread of Life.” (John 6:35)

On August 11, 2021 (Wednesday) at 12 noon – St. Patrick's  
Church – Long Eddy

## LITURGY OF WORD

**First Reading:** 1Kings 19:4 - 8

**Second Reading:** Eph 4:30 - 5:2

**Gospel Reading:** Jn 6:41 - 51

The first reading describes the physical and spiritual hungers experienced by the prophet Elijah. The Bread of Life Jesus speaks about is prefigured in this reading by the miraculous food with which the angel nourished the Prophet



Elijah in the desert while he was fleeing from the soldiers of Queen Jezebel. After being nourished by the Lord, Elijah was strengthened for the long journey of “forty days and forty nights,” to Mount Horeb where God instructed Elijah to continue his prophetic work. The second reading presents Christ Jesus, the “Bread of Life,” as a “*sacrificial offering to God for a fragrant aroma.*” Paul reminds the Ephesian Christians that, instead of seeking satisfaction in the stale food of anger, slander, bitterness, and malice, they are to nourish one another with the spiritual food of compassion, kindness and mutual forgiveness.

Today's Gospel describes Jesus' discourse in the synagogue at Capernaum on his return there after his miraculous feeding of the five thousand. During the discourse, Jesus reveals himself as the true “*Bread of Life that came down from Heaven,*” to give life to the world. Jesus proclaims that it is He himself, the Incarnate Son of God, who is the new and perfect manna, literally “*come down from Heaven.*” This means that in the Holy Eucharist, Jesus gives us a share of eternal life while we are still on earth. But some of Jesus' followers turn away when Jesus explains the Source of His mysterious power and Heavenly origin.

**“The Eucharist is a priceless treasure: by not only celebrating it but also by praying before it outside of Mass we are enabled to make contact with the very wellspring of grace.” – St. Pope John Paul II**

## Stewardship August 1, 2021

Sunday Collection \$	1255.00
Poor Box \$	20.00
Candles \$	40.00
Maintenance Fund \$	5.00

*With Prayers & Blessings of God the Father*

**Fr. John Kennady MMI**  
**Dn. John Lyttle**  
**8 August 2021**