

# SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

## JULY 19, 2015

### A NOTE FROM THE PASTOR

Dear Parishioners,

There is an article in the June 21st edition of the Catholic Newsweekly, Our Sunday Visitor, called "Walking With Christ through Ordinary Time".

Ordinary Time is made up of all of the weeks of the Church's calendar outside of Advent, Christmas, Lent and Easter. Those seasons, of course, are either special times of preparation or of celebration. However, just because Ordinary time is called ordinary does not mean it isn't special. Ordinary time gives us plenty of time to think of the 'extraordinary' life and example of Jesus Christ.

The season of Summer always falls completely within Ordinary Time. That might be another reason that we in this part of the world might think of Ordinary Time as a time to relax in our spiritual observances. In truth, though, we are called to observe our faith every day of the year

One of the many aspects of the article I mentioned above is a section called *Finding More Time For Prayer*. "Here are just a few ideas for bringing more prayer into our lives during the summer (and fall) days of Ordinary Time. Consider talking to God while: watering the garden; cutting the grass; preparing food; rocking a baby; waiting in line; commuting to work; walking, exercising, biking or hiking; writing letters to {God} in a prayer journal."

In other words, we can all probably find some extra time to devote to prayer each day. Of course, we can make a visit to our air conditioned church from 7am to 7pm almost every day. That means a visit to our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament reserved in the tabernacle. Perhaps we can even make time for a weekday Mass.

In one sense, the times we are living in now are anything but Ordinary. We have to call upon God in prayer and rely on His grace to carry us through life, especially challenging moments. With God, all things are possible in every season, Ordinary or not.

Sincerely in Christ,

*Monsignor Giandurco*



**PARISH FAMILY PICNIC  
TODAY  
AT TAGASTE MONASTERY  
SAVE THE DATE  
SUNDAY, JULY 19<sup>th</sup>, 2015  
12PM TO 5:00PM**

**ALL ARE WELCOME!  
\$10 ADULTS 13 & Over  
\$5 CHILDREN 3 - 12**

### NEW MASS SCHEDULE BEGINNING JULY 2015

**SATURDAYS  
6:00 PM MASS ONLY  
Confessions: 4:30 to 5:30pm ONLY**

**SUNDAYS  
7am, 8:30am  
10:00am (Church Only)  
11:30am, 1:00pm, 5:30pm**

### PARISH CALENDAR

**Sunday, July 19 See new Mass Schedule  
Picnic at Tagaste Noon to 5pm**

**Monday, July 20  
Novena – 7:15pm**

**Wednesday, July 22  
Hispanic Prayer Group – 8pm in the cafeteria**

**Saturday, July 25  
St. Joseph Group – 7:30am in the Rectory**

**Sunday, July 26 See new Mass Schedule**

### SHARING WHAT WE HAVE IN JESUS' NAME

**July 12<sup>th</sup> Collection –\$11,655.  
Last Year's Collection-\$12,942.**

### MASS TIMES ON VACATION

Call 1-800-MassTimes. This is a number you may call for Mass Schedules, location and directions to all Catholic Churches in any given area. Enter the zip code where you are going and all the information will be given to you. On the internet: [www.MassTimes.org](http://www.MassTimes.org).

**SACRED HEART RELIGIOUS  
EDUCATION PROGRAM**

**2015-2016**

**Registration for all First Graders and New Registrants will be taken by appointment only during the summer months. Please call 357-6044 to make an appointment.**

A program for children with Special Needs is available. Please bring your child's Baptismal certificate at the time of registration.

Go to the Clinton Place entrance (side street) of the school and please ring the bell for your appointment.

Thank you.

**2015 CARDINAL'S APPEAL**

To date our parish has received at least **\$131,281.00** in pledges/gifts toward the 2015 Cardinal's Appeal, from **377 families**. The Appeal is a vital source of funding for the programs and ministries that sustain the parishes across our Archdiocese. **We have exceeded our goal of \$124,500. but it is not too late to make a gift. (The parish receives 60% of anything over goal). Thank you for your tremendous support!**

**AVAILABLE MASSES**

**2016 MASS BOOK is now open for Mass intentions. We opened the new book on July 1, 2015.**

When there are no Masses available for a particular date, there are Altar Memorials available to remember your loved ones.

Altar Wine - \$40.00

Altar Bread - \$30.00

Altar Candles \$20.00

Sanctuary Lamp \$10.00

**GROCERY CERTIFICATES  
SACRED HEART CHURCH**

Sacred Heart Parishioners can help support the Church with no extra time, effort or money involved! Simply purchase Grocery Certificates as your method of payment at Shop Rite or A & P. Sacred Heart receives 5% of the face value of each certificate. Every time you shop with these grocery certificates you are helping raise funds for our parish. It's that simple. The food certificates/cards are available in the rectory office Monday thru Friday 9am to 5pm.

**THE RACHEL MINISTRY**

Help to those who have lost a baby at birth or prior to birth. This Ministry takes place at the Marian Shrine (Lomagno Hall). Next meeting on July 20, 2015 at 7pm.

**VISIT OF POPE FRANCIS**

As soon as parishes receive information about the availability of tickets for the Papal Mass at Madison Square Garden on September 25, 2015, we will determine the best way to distribute the tickets to parishioners. (A lottery will probably be necessary.)

**PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY**

Anyone interested in a prayer shawl for a special need (to celebrate special joyous occasions, to console those in need, to give hope or to comfort), please contact the Parish office at 845-357-0035.

**THE CATHOLIC SACRAMENT OF  
MATRIMONY**

Notwithstanding huge changes in civil law, the Catholic Sacrament of Marriage is and always will be between one adult female and one adult male, who are otherwise free to marry, recognized by the Catholic Church.

**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY**

The St. Vincent de Paul Pantry is closed for the summer, and will reopen Wednesday, September 9, 2015. **For food emergencies please call the rectory.**

**A CALL TO VOLUNTEERS**

Sacred Heart is in need of those willing to help clean the Church. Cleaning is needed twice a week but on a rotating schedule and usually just once a month. If you can assist in this much appreciated work, please call the Rectory Office at 357-0035.

**CATHOLIC WIDOW & WIDOWERS CLUB  
OF ROCKLAND  
TODAY**

Meeting July 19, 2015 at 6:30pm at St. Augustine's Church (downstairs). Dessert and coffee will be served. All are welcome!

**CRISIS PREGNANCY HOTLINE  
GOOD COUNSEL HOMES**

For Pregnancy emergencies call Any time of day:  
1-800-723-8331 [www.goodcounselhomes.org](http://www.goodcounselhomes.org)

**ANUNCIOS**

El Grupo de Oración en Español, que tiene lugar habitualmente los miércoles; se suspenderá durante el mes de Agosto, para reanudarse el 9 de Septiembre. Los próximos bautizos en español tendrán lugar el 15 de Agosto 2014 a la 1pm. Contactar en el 357-0035.

## SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

We welcome into the Roman Catholic Faith and our Parish Community the following child who was recently baptized at Sacred Heart:

**JULIAN JOSEPH PARISI**

Son of Steven and Allison



## BANNS OF MATRIMONY

For the Second Time

**ELIZABETH VILLEGAS AND DAVID SALINAS**

For the First Time

**JOHN PARTRIDGE AND CAROL KLINE**

Let us pray for our deceased parishioners, friends, benefactors, relatives, priests, religious and especially **Joan T. Conklin.**



We pray for all those serving in the **Armed Forces** and for those

who are ill and have asked us to pray for them: **Larry Adler, Keith Alanis, Frank Paul Allegretti, Gloria Ammerata, Jenna Applebaum, Christine Arehart, Harris Brownstein, Lisa Eckert Brownstein, Craig & Marjorie Buckles, Yvon Buckles, Annette Burbridge, Gertrude Bux, Frank Calfa, Mary Jo Christensen, Comerford Family, Teresa & Tom Consolo, Lorraine Cortez, Lilla DiBerardino, Anthony DeFrancesco III, Matthew DeMayo, Kathy DeMaria, Cledha Desir, Mary Discini, Joan Donahue, Florence Downy, John Duffy, Nicholas Eckert, Peter Eckert, Jamie Erwin, Stefanie Gaudelli, Tia Gardner, Arlene Gentile, Debra Gravina, John Grasso, Anne Hart, Sarah Hyman, Domenic & Anthony Iannaccone, Verna & Susan Jarkiewicz, Mary Ann Kelly, Mary Kierman, Jay Leone, Nick Liso, Laura Mack, Barbara Mazza, Jeanne Matera, Richard McCarthy, Debra McGovern, Catherine McMenamin, Ken Meyer, Florence Mohan, Chic Nappo, Betty O'Brien, Jennifer O'Hara, Tina Osika, Patricia Plotkin, Tara Piccone, Adolf Radeljic, Etta Rooney, Mary Russo, Daniel Sammarone, Nicholas Salzman, Erica Scully, Ruth Schwetz, Claudia Spalanzani, Claudia Spano, Maureen Starke, Barbara Veraldo Strano, Beatrice Sweeney, Margaret Szaro, Carol Van Vandt, Kenneth Vanadio, Maria Velez, and Millie Vazquez.**

## ALTAR MEMORIALS

FOR THE WEEK OF JULY 20, 2015

Sanctuary Lamp in Memory of



**MELISSA ROSS**



## SCHEDULE OF MASSES

### SATURDAY JULY 18

9:00am – Charles Glover

### SATURDAY, VIGIL MASSES FOR SUNDAY

6:00pm – Daniel Greeley

### SUNDAY, JULY 19

7:00am – All Parishioners

8:30am – Brian Potter

10:00am – John Bukowski II – Church Only

11:30am – John Bukowski II

1:00pm – Parish Memorial Society

5:30pm – Helen McKenna

### MONDAY, JULY 20

7:00am – Dianne Messina

9:00am – Robert Ellsworth

7:15pm – **Novena**

### TUESDAY, JULY 21

7:00am –Sergo Sam & Gicloude Sam

9:00am – Thomas E. Duffy

### WEDNESDAY, JULY 22

7:00am – Marion, Aaron & Silvia Lazarus

9:00am – Melissa Ross

### THURSDAY, JULY 23

7:00am – Ida & Abe Pollock

9:00am – Patrick Kilduff

### FRIDAY, JULY 24

7:00am – Enerst, Ertha & Ester Vieux

9:00am – Harold Eric Classon

### SATURDAY JULY 25

9:00am – John & Mary Spiegelman

### SATURDAY, VIGIL MASSES FOR SUNDAY

6:00pm –Boano Family

### SUNDAY, JULY 26

7:00am – All Parishioners

8:30am – Daniel F. Curtin, Jr.

10:00am – Special Intentions Benedicta Frank – Church Only

11:30am – MaryAnn Blanton

1:00pm – Parish Memorial Society

5:30pm – Carmen Nappo