

# ST. PIUS X

CATHOLIC CHURCH



## Holy Mass

SATURDAY

5:30 pm

SUNDAY

8:00 am

MONDAY-SATURDAY

Communion Service/Mass

8:00 am

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before Mass and by appt.

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## SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME JULY 29, 2018



## Catholic Questions by Fr. Halladay

### Why do Catholics give importance to Sacred Tradition?

Essentially, tradition is a thing handed down from one generation to the next. This is precisely the meaning of the biblical word for tradition: *paradosis*. Sacred Tradition is the living and growing truth of Christ contained, not only in Scripture, but in the common teaching, common life, and common worship of the Church. The apostles received a lot of unwritten teachings and traditions from Christ himself (John 20:30; 21:35) and they handed them down to their successors under the inspiration of the Holy Spirit, and so have come down to us (Council of Trent). Tradition is expressed in (and grows from) the Church's creeds, the records of the Church's liturgy, the writings of the great Fathers of the Church, the decrees of popes and councils, the prayer and faith of the people. Paul, in his writings (1 Corinthians 11:23, for example), states very forcefully that he is "handing on" what was "handed on" to him. Biblical texts prove that the apostolic Church accepted Tradition as a norm for faith and practice (2 Thessalonians 2:15, 1 Cor. 11:2, 2 Tim. 1:13-14) and that the Bible explicitly says not everything Jesus did and taught was written down (John 20:30; 21:25). It is true that Jesus criticized the Jewish tradition: (Matt.7:6, 15:3, 15:6-9). But the Christian tradition as explained above is different from the Jewish tradition which consisted of interpretations of Torah given by the Jewish rabbi. That is why St. Paul praises both oral and written Christian traditions: "Therefore, brethren, stand fast; and hold the traditions which you have learned, whether by word, or by our epistle." (2 Thessalonians 1:14).

**Nashville Catholic Business League Prayer Breakfast**, 2nd Thursday of each month at the Cathedral, 2015 West End Ave., Nashville. Mass begins at 7 a.m. and the breakfast and program are from 7:30-8:30 a.m. in the Fleming Center. Info: [www.catholicbusinessleague.org](http://www.catholicbusinessleague.org). (August 9) Speaker is Eddie Pearson, President and COO of HealthStream.

**Bereavement Series (August 4, 12, 19, 26, September 2, 9)**, 1-3 p.m., Catholic Pastoral Center, 2800 McGavock Pike, Nashville. Offered by The Diocesan Family Life Office. Registration: 615-545-8906, [un-wrs@comcast.net](mailto:un-wrs@comcast.net), or [tom.samoray@dioceseofnashville.com](mailto:tom.samoray@dioceseofnashville.com).

**Father Ryan High School Opens Football Season (August 17)**, 7 p.m., 700 Norwood Dr., Nashville. Tickets: [fatherryan.org/seasonontickets](http://fatherryan.org/seasonontickets).

**Children & Maternity Consignment Sale (August 10-11)** St. Henry, 6401 Harding Pike Nashville. Charity pre-sale Friday 7-9 p.m., with a pack of dia-pers or \$10 donation. Public sale Saturday 8-11:30 a.m.; half-price sale 12-2 p.m. To consign: [www.myconsignmentmanager.com/sthenry/](http://www.myconsignmentmanager.com/sthenry/).

**Catholic Charities Sewing Training Academy Courses**, McGruder Family Resource Center, 2013 25th Ave. N., Nashville. Cost: sliding scale + supply fees. Info: [tquincy@cctenn.org](mailto:tquincy@cctenn.org). Level I Foundations (Aug. 6-Sept.13), 6 weeks, Monday-Thursday, 9 a.m.-Noon.

**St. Lawrence Church BBQ Picnic (August 4)**, 1-8 p.m., 5655 Clarksville Hwy., Joelton. BBQ sold by the pound; sandwiches available at 1 p.m., and dinner begins at 4 p.m. Raffle for \$1000, silent auction, and games for children and adults.

**Dr. May Alice Ridley Prayer Breakfast (August 18)**, 9 a.m., St. Vincent de Paul Gym, 1704 Heiman St., Nashville. Sponsored by The Knights of Peter Claver Ladies Auxiliary. Most Reverend J. Mark Spalding is our honored guest. Our guest speaker is Fr. Dominic Maximilian Ofori. The theme for this Ecumenical Event is "Keeping Faith in the Midst of Turmoil." Info: 615-320-0695. Tickets: \$25.

**Retrouvaille** is a marriage recovery program for struggling couples who are considering separation or divorce. It is Catholic in origin and orientation, but is open to all married couples regardless of religious background. For confidential information about the program: or 615-523-0631 or [nrv3043@gmail.com](mailto:nrv3043@gmail.com) [www.HelpOurMarriage.com](http://www.HelpOurMarriage.com). Retrouvaille Weekend (August 31-September 2). A marriage recovery program for struggling couples. For confidential information/registration: 800-470-2230 or 615-523-0631 or [nrv3043@gmail.com](mailto:nrv3043@gmail.com).

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**SCHOOL STARTS AUGUST 13th**  
at St. Pius X Classical Academy.

If you would like to donate items to support our classrooms, teachers and students, please contact Ms. Patton or Ms. Harper in the school office.  
Thank you, in advance, for your continued support-!



### Mass Intentions

SATURDAY 7/28	Leslaw Okarma
SUNDAY 7/29	+Joe and Margaret Catignani
TUESDAY 7/31	Alice Palazzini and Michael King
WEDNESDAY 8/1	People of St. Pius X
THURSDAY 8/2	Students of SPXCA
FRIDAY 8/3	+Margaret Catignani and special Intention

### CALENDAR

### THIS WEEK

SAT 7/28 Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:30pm Mass

SUN 7/29 Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00am Mass

MON 7/30 Seventeenth Week in Ordinary Time

8:00am Communion Service

TUE 7/31 Saint Ignatius of Loyola, Priest

8:00am Mass

WED 8/1 St. Alphonsus Liguori  
Bishop and Doctor of the Church

8:00am Mass

THU 8/2 Seventeenth Week in Ordinary Time

8:00am Mass

FRI 8/3 Seventeenth Week in Ordinary Time

8:00am Mass

### Last Week's Collections:

Regular Collection: \$1473

Online: \$55

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