

SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

MASS INTENTIONS FOR JULY 17th - JULY 24th

ST. CHRISTOPHER'S

SAT 7:30
SUN 8:45 RUDOLPH PAPULA req. by J. Papula
11:30 GEORGE DURR req. by L. Durr
1:30
MON 8:00
TUE 8:00 MR. & MRS. MARTIN FEELY SR.
& MR. & MRS. MARTIN FEELY JR.
req. by Eileen Feely
WED 8:00 MICHAEL & ANNE LYNCH and NORA LYNCH
THU 8:00 ARTHUR SIMEONI req. by A Simeoni
FRI 8:00 LENA & ALDO STERLINI req. by Lorraine Black
SAT 8:00 EDMAND MURPHY req. by Amy Ceconi-Cavalieri

ST. PATRICK'S

SAT 5:00 THOMAS MCKEON req. by John & Luba Zarychta
SUN 10:15 PEOPLE OF THE PARISH
MON 9:00 JERRY MARGIOTTA req. by Robert Kelleher
TUE 9:00 MARGARET ANN CUEVAS req. by The Verplanck Seniors
WED 9:00 MIRIAM STATEN req. by Family
THU 9:00
FRI MASS AT ST. CHRISTOPHER'S 8:00 am
SAT MASS AT ST. CHRISTOPHER'S 8:00 am
5:00 DEC'D MEMBERS OF KEON & KRAJCHY FAMILIES
req. by Peggy & Charlie Krajchy
SUN 10:15 VIRGINIA & ALFRED FERONY req. by Family

MEMORIAL MASS FOR MSGR. HENDRICKS WILL BE HELD ON SUNDAY, JULY 24TH AT OUR BUCHANN LOCATION AT 11:30am

Baptisms: Celebrated on the first Sunday of the month at 12:30 or 3:00pm. Parents should call the rectory at least four weeks in advance, and must attend instructions, which are held on the third Thursday of the month. Church Law requires that only Catholics in good standing are eligible to be Godparents. No Baptisms will be scheduled during Lent.

Anointing of the Sick: We offer this sacrament to those who are seriously ill, at home or in the hospital. We urge you to contact the office before someone goes to the hospital for an operation. (A priest may not be available later).

Ministry of the Sick: Holy Communion will be brought to the sick, upon request. The bedridden or chronically ill can be placed on the "Eucharistic Ministers" visitation schedule.

Wedding: Engaged couples must make arrangements in person, at the office at least six months in advance.

Parish Membership: We welcome all new members to our parish. Please register at the office, by phone or in person. Registration forms are available at the entrances to the Churches. Also, please notify the office if your address has changed or if you would like to be added to the weekly envelope system

St. Christopher/St. Patrick Collections & Other Revenue

Buchanan Location

Regular Collection: \$ 2646.00
Special Collection: \$ 1672.00

TOTAL \$ 3,482.00

Verplanck Location

Regular Collection: \$1720.00
Special Collection: \$ 573.00

TOTAL \$2312.00

Rectory & Office Renovation Project – So far we have had very little response to our plea to parishioners to support the rectory and parish office upgrading at our Buchanan location. The renovations needed for both the rectory and the parish office are extensive therefore expensive. If you contribute \$1,000.00 or more your name will be inscribed on a plaque and placed in our new offices, So far one parishioner has donated a \$1,000.00. **All** donation amounts are welcomed and appreciated, large or small. If you have any suggestions for fundraising events or organizations or businesses that might like to help with this project, please speak to Fr. George. As always your continued support of and sacrifice for our parish is appreciated and acknowledged. If you have any questions please call Fr. George (737-0635) or Bob Hemsing (914-231-5601) or Luis Pasato (914-844-7727). Thank you for your prayerful consideration of this request.

Events this Week

Sunday Mass to Celebrate Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Feast 3:30pm.
Wednesday Thrift shop open from 9:30am-12:30pm.
Saturday Thrift shop open from 9:30am-12:30pm.
Sunday Second Collection: Air Conditioning Fund

Save the Date – On Sunday, July 24, 2016 we will be remembering and celebrating the life of Msgr. Donald Hendricks with a Memorial Mass at 11:30am at our Buchanan location. After the Mass light refreshments will be served in the parish hall. Some might remember that Msgr. Hendricks was the nephew of St. Patrick's Msgr. Daniel Dougherty, so this would be a great opportunity for parishioners to share stories about both churches and both Msgr's. Let's get together and show Msgr. Hendricks how much he meant to all of us.

The sick are comforted just knowing that we pray for them. Please remember these members of our Parish Family, who are ill, in your prayers: Frank Fitzgerald, Mickey Foster, Rev. Robert Dahlke, Beverly Lewis, Ray Mackey, Aidan McElgunn, Sheila Dahlke Moore, John Mecca, Richard Curinga, Susan Rose, Michael Boddie, John Boddie, James Boddie, Kathy Farrey, Art Farrey Sr., Ed Lent, Margaret Hesselgrave, Colin Lent, and Eddie Lent who are sick.

***A person's name will appear on the sick list for four weeks, after which it will be removed unless we hear from the family.**

The winner of the 26 Week Club for week #7 was #104 **Susan McNamara**, the seller was the Church.

"A Midsummer Night's Dream," Stepinac High School, 950 Mamaroneck Ave., White Plains, N.Y. Wednesday-Friday, July 27-29, 7:00pm Presented by Stepinac's alumni theatre group. Tickets are \$5.00. For more information, please call (914) 946-4800, ext. 200.

39th Annual St. Augustine's Italian Festival – July 19 thru July 24 starting at 6:00pm. 6 days of fun for the entire family. Casino & Giant Food Booth (both open rain or shine) Nightly entertainment by "T.C. Entertainment, Fireworks, Huge White Elephant Sale, Games, of Chance, Nightly Food Specials. New exciting action rides by All Star Midway. Free admission and parking.

WORD FOR SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

First Reading: Genesis 18:1-10a

The Lord appeared to Abraham, who saw three men standing near his tent. Sensing they were messengers, he hurriedly brought them food and water to refresh themselves. Upon leaving, the men told him that they would visit in a year, at which time his childless wife Sarah would have a son.

Second Reading: Colossians 1:24-28

Paul discusses the suffering Christ endured for his Church. He describes his willingness to also endure suffering in Jesus' name. Paul hopes that through his sacrifices, many people will become complete in Jesus.

Gospel: Luke 10:38-42

Jesus was welcomed into the home of a woman named Martha. She complained to Jesus that her sister Mary sat listening to him instead of helping with the tasks of entertaining. Jesus told Martha that her sister had chosen the more important task, and should be allowed to listen.

