

**20th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
AUGUST 14TH 2016**



SATURDAY, August 13th
 8:30 A.M. + Mary Ellen Provanzana
 Req. by her Family
 4:30 P.M. People of the Parish

SUNDAY, August 14th **20th Sunday in Ordinary Time**
 8:00 A.M. + Elizabeth Kosteczko
 Req. by Kim & Frank Kosteczko and
 Kathy Rubinstein and Families
 10:30 A.M. + Ann Pisciotta
 Req. by the Mele Family

MONDAY, August 15th **Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary**
 8:00 A.M. + William Meyer and Linda Meyer
 Req. by Renna Meyer

TUESDAY, August 16th **NO MASS**

WEDNESDAY, August 17th
 7:00 P.M. + Verna & Charles Esposito
 Req. by Marguerite Violante

THURSDAY, August 18th
 8:00 A.M. + Robert Vanscoy

FRIDAY, August 19th
 8:00 A.M. + Mary Apuzzo
 Req. by Barbara and Mike Meszaros

SATURDAY, August 20th
 8:30 A.M. + Nichola and Mary Kosteczko,
 Josephine Frisch and Dec'd Cjildren
 Req. by Kim & Frank Kosteczko and
 Kathy Rubinstein and Families
 4:30 P.M. + Clara Ronci
 Req. by the Lyons Family

SUNDAY, August 21st **21st Sunday in Ordinary Time**
 8:00 A.M. + People of the Parish
 10:30 A.M. + Robert Treval
 Req. by Youssefbaik

IF YOU HAVE ARRANGED FOR A MASS TO BE SAID, WE REMIND YOU THAT IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO BRING UP THE GIFTS- PLEASE SEE THE USHERS BEFORE MASS BEGINS. THANK YOU.



PLEASE PRAY FOR AN INCREASE IN VOCATIONS.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SAFETY OF ALL MILITARY AND LAW ENFORCEMENT PERSONNEL.

PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL OUR SERVICE MEN AND WOMEN.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE REPOSE OF THE SOULS OF MARIE MCNALLY, ED BYRNE, TRENTON MASTERSON AND RICHARD SHEA.

MEMORIALS

Zena Taylor has given this week's Bread & Wine in loving memory of Fr. Eugene A. Kosnik.

The Beirne Family have given this week's Sanctuary Flowers in loving memory of the Cichetti and Beirne Families.

LECTORS

08/13	4:30 p.m.	Peter LeRose
08/14	8:00 a.m.	Lori Youssefbaik
08/14	10:30 a.m.	Jamie Hoyt
08/20	4:30 p.m.	Paul Vinett
08/21	8:00 a.m.	Ed Provanzana
08/21	10:30 a.m.	Julie and Michael Weatherly

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF EUCHARIST

08/13	4:30 p.m.	Renna Meyer, Ann Gulbrandsen, Paul Vinett
08/14	8:00 a.m.	Mario Alonzo, Janet Betanzos, Ed Provanzana, Morans: Mario Alonzo
08/14	10:30 a.m.	Marguerite Violante, Jamie Hoyt
08/20	4:30 p.m.	Renna Meyer, Peter LeRose, Ann Gulbrandsen
08/21	8:00 a.m.	Ginny Gravatt, Mario Alonzo, Cathy Naclerio Morans: Ginny Gravatt
08/21	10:30 a.m.	Alice Heidecker, Emily Mele, Marguerite Violante

ALTAR SERVERS

08/13	4:30 p.m.	Danielle & John Reynolds
08/14	8:00 a.m.	Darius Youssefbaik, Frank Seelman
08/14	10:30 a.m.	Need Volunteers
08/20	4:30 p.m.	Devin Egan,, Need Volunteer
08/21	8:00 a.m.	Frank Seelman, Need Volunteer
08/21	10:30 a.m.	Katherine Walton, Need Volunteer



Rose Capozzi, Sal Fazio, Nicole Mullan, William Connolly, Dora Carolan, Betty Cambalik, MaryAnn Herzog, Margaret Buneo.

If you know of someone in need of prayer - please let us know by calling the rectory.



ST. CHARLES' ROSARY SOCIETY

ALL ARE WELCOME TO JOIN THEM AFTER THE 8 AM MASS EVERY THURSDAY MORNING.

ST. CHARLES FOUR SEASON CLUB

4th week's winner: Donna Sabo

Think about giving an entry as a gift.....it gives the recipient 15 chances to win.

ATTENDANCE & COLLECTION -

August 6 & 7 Attendance: 223
(203 Adults - 20 Children)

Collection: \$ 2890.00
Parish Support:\$2835.00



TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

First Reading: Jeremiah 38:4-6, 8-10

Jeremiah urged the people of Jerusalem to surrender to the enemy. This angered the princes, who then requested that Jeremiah be put to death. The king allowed the princes to leave him in a cistern without food or water. But after Ebed Melech pleaded for Jeremiah's life, the king decided to free him.

Second Reading: Hebrews 12:1-4

This letter to the Hebrews inspires all Christians to persevere, in spite of the trials they may face. Jesus endured much suffering and was rewarded by God. Despite our struggles, we must remember Jesus' ability to endure and maintain strong faith in him.

Gospel: Luke 12:49-53

Jesus tells his disciples that his message will not bring peace to the earth. Instead, even families will become sharply divided because some members will embrace him, while others condemn him.

A FRESH PERSPECTIVE ON THE SUNDAY READINGS
HIS WORD TODAY by Rev. William J. Reilly

“Since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us rid ourselves of every burden and sin that clings to us and persevere in running the race that lies before us, while keeping our eyes fixed on Jesus the leader and perfecter of faith... Consider how he endured such opposition from sinners, in order that you may not grow weary and lose heart.”

Every four years, athletes from the entire world gather to compete for medals and recognition. While the Olympics last only a few weeks, the time of preparation for them seems eternal. Children grow as gymnasts, hurdlers jump over barriers, divers practice from dangerous heights, all for the glory of winning.

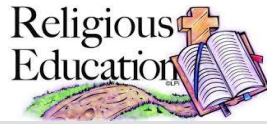
How special it is for those who win the opportunity to participate. How much money is spent on tickets, and even on the construction of the venues. We are now in Rio for the competition. Another competition is for political office. Rallies, caucuses, town hall meetings and conventions have been in front of us for many, many months. The homestretch is near. We are observers.

Hebrews tell of another race, the race in which we are competing today. We meet obstacles, barriers. We need to strengthen our conditioning through prayer and good works. Most of all, we are to fix our eyes on the goal, Jesus and eternal glory. Through my life of prayer, my spiritual conditioning, I grow. My trainer is Jesus who accompanies me, or one of the saints who teaches me, in the words of Pope Francis, on the road of perfection.

When I am distracted, take a detour, or want to give up, I ask for the grace I need, I recalculate as the GPS tells me, and return to the embrace of Jesus.



**FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION
OF BLESSED VIRGIN MARY
AUGUST 15TH**



ATTENTION PARENTS OF FIRST GRADERS

Now is the time to register your child for Religious Education Classes. Our First Holy Communion Program begins with the First Grade. It is a two-year program.

So if you have not yet registered your child please call Christina Wynn at 564-7263.

HAVE YOU REGISTERED YOUR CHILDREN FOR 2016-2017 RELIGIOUS EDUCATION?

Registration will be accepted from families who are registered parishioners of our parish. New families are asked to call the rectory at 255-1374 to set up an appointment to register. Reminder no child will be turned away from Religious Education for lack of finances. Registration forms are available in the rectory. **FIRST DAY OF CLASSES-- SEPTEMBER 11TH.**

ATTENTION RELIGIOUS EDUCATION STAFF

Catechists and assistants are asked to attend a staff meeting on Sunday August 28th at 11:30 am in the parish hall. Please make every effort to attend.



Knights Corner:

If you wish to join and/or would like information about our Knights of Columbus, contact Ray at 564-7867 or Bill at 883-0138. New members are welcome. Please contact Ray at 564-7867 Bill at 883-0138.



HELPING HANDS

We're collecting school supplies for children. Any donations of school supplies would be greatly appreciated. May God continue to bless you for all that you do for the less fortunate in our area.



Driver Safety Refresher Course DEFENSIVE DRIVING CLASS
November 1st in our parish hall 9 am – 4 pm
Registration required. Call Jean at 564-1153

