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SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME  
JULY 29, 2018



Fr. Tony Sulkowski  
Pastor  
Ext. 102

### FR. T'S TIDBITS: PREVENTATIVE MAINTENANCE

You may have noticed that new sealant has filled the cracks in the parking lot. It was decided at the Parish Council and Leadership meeting to address this issue. The Parish Council and Leadership Committee do a stellar job when it comes to preventive maintenance. I recall last Spring members of both committees and myself did what I call a "walk around" of the parish plant looking for maintenance issues that should be addressed.

I am a big advocate of preventive maintenance. If you address an issue early enough it will cost less and last longer. The other issue with regards to the parking lot is the area near the garage at the back of the lot.

There is a small area that is crumbling that has been replaced to avoid any further crumbling. I would like to thank the Parish Council and the Leadership Committee for all the work they do for the parish. They are great stewards with the parish finances as well as the care of the parish plant.

I would also like to thank the parish staff of St. Jane Frances de Chantal for the wonderful job they do for the people of the parish. They go above and beyond the call of duty when it comes to activities and events that take place at the parish as well as the day to day business within the parish. They also are good stewards with regards to parish finances. It is a wonderful staff to share in the ministry of Christ to the people of St. Jane Frances de Chantal. Many visitors have commented to me how welcomed they feel when they come to the office or visit the church. I am blest to be a part of such a wonderful and hard working staff.

I wish to thank all of you for your generosity to the parish. Through your generosity we are able to address issues when they arise and put on events and activities that foster community and fellowship. As you heard me say so often, it is God's work we are about and not our own. Again, I thank you for all that you do for the people of St. Jane Frances de Chantal. Together we will build, make known, and manifest the Kingdom of God.


**Bon mot: Gratitude is not only the memory but the homage of the heart-rendered to God for his goodness.---Nathaniel Parker Willis**

Carpe Diem,  
Fr. Tony

**The Michigan Primary Elections are coming up quickly on August 7<sup>th</sup>. Take some time to prayerfully consider the options in the light of the Church's teachings, and vote!**

*In the Catholic Tradition, responsible citizenship is a virtue, and participation in political life is a moral obligation. "People in every nation enhance the social dimension of their lives by acting as committed and responsible citizens" (Evangelii Gaudium, no. 220). The obligation to participate in political life is rooted in our baptismal commitment to follow Jesus Christ and to bear Christian witness in all we do. As the Catechism of the Catholic Church reminds us, "It is necessary that all participate, each according to his position and role, in promoting the common good. This obligation is inherent in the dignity of the human person. . . . As far as possible citizens should take an active part in public life" (nos. 1913-1915). Excerpt from the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops' document, Forming Consciences for Faithful Citizenship. There is a link to the full document on our website, sjfparish.org.*

How can we best promote the common good and dignity of all people with our choices in this election? Know where the candidates stand on the issues! **Check our website for a link to non-partisan voter guides.**



**Inspiration for Living Your Faith**

**ST. JANE FRANCES de CHANTAL  
PARISH COMMUNITY**

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**MASS SCHEDULE**

<b>Weekend Masses</b>	
Saturday	4:00pm
Sunday	9:00am & 11:30am
<b>Weekday Masses</b>	
Tuesday	7:00pm
Wednesday, Thursday	8:00am
<b>Holy Day Masses</b>	As Announced

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**PARISH OFFICE HOURS**

**Monday - Thursday**  
8:30am - 7:30pm  
(Closed from 12:00 to 1:15 for lunch)  
**Friday: Closed**  
**Saturday:** 2:30pm - 5:00pm  
**Sunday:** 10:00am - 12:30pm

**MINISTRIES**

- Knights of Columbus #13340**  
Joe Nida 586-977-8080
- Parish Nurse Ministry**  
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- Seniors**  
Don Rogowski 586-977-8080
- Soup Kitchen**  
Steven Gadzinski 586-731-4091
- St. Vincent de Paul**  
Tom Harris 586-977-8080
- Ushers-Ministers of Hospitality**  
Brian Brennan 586-264-1087

**SACRAMENTS**

**CHILDREN'S BAPTISM**

Do you have a child you would like to have baptized? We would be delighted to talk to you about your options! Please call the Parish Office to make arrangements.

**RECONCILIATION**

Tuesday from 5:30pm-6:30pm (or by appt.)

**MARRIAGE**

Congratulations! Please contact our Parish Office at least six months prior to your desired wedding date to make arrangements and start your preparations. Marriage guidelines are available at the Parish Office and should be read before your initial appointment. Participation in pre-marriage preparation will be arranged.

**ANOINTING OF THE SICK**

Contact the Parish Office to schedule. Also available once a month during the Tuesday evening Mass.

**RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS**

Are you interested in joining the Catholic Church? We are thrilled to have you! Contact our Pastoral Associate/Worship Coordinator, Laurie Hall, to begin the process by calling the Parish Office. Welcome home!

**PARISH SACRAMENTAL POLICY**

We ask that in order to have your child baptized here, or to be married here, you should be a registered parishioner or active in your previous parish. This means attending weekly Mass with your faith community, using your envelopes and taking part in parish activities.

**Visits to the Homebound for  
Communion / Anointing**

Please call the Parish Office to schedule.

*This Week in Our Parish*

**MONDAY, JULY 30**

6:30pm MCREST Volunteer Meeting

**TUESDAY, JULY 31**

5:30pm Confessions  
6:00pm Rosary  
7:00pm Mass w/Anointing

**WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 1**

8:00am Mass  
9:30am Needle Crafters  
10:00am Seniors Meet  
5:00pm Needle Crafters  
6:30pm Lectio Divina

**THURSDAY, AUGUST 2**

8:00am Mass  
1:15pm Swiffers, Team 1  
6:15pm K of C Meeting

**FRIDAY, AUGUST 3**

*Parish Office Closed*

**SATURDAY, AUGUST 4**

9:00am St. Pat's Soup Kitchen (off-site)  
4:00pm Mass

**SUNDAY, AUGUST 5**

**MCREST BEGINS**

9:00am Mass  
11:30am Mass  
1:00pm Baptism



**FIND US ONLINE!**

Visit the parish website to stay up to date on what is happening, to sign up to our parish news blasts, & to view the bulletin online!

[sjfparish.org](http://sjfparish.org)

Stay connected through social media! Find us on Facebook at @sjfparish and on Instagram at @stjanefrancesparish.

**NEW TO THE PARISH?**

**WOULD YOU LIKE TO JOIN THE ST. JANE FRANCES de CHANTAL FAMILY? BECOME A REGISTERED PARISHIONER!**

You may register at the Parish Office at anytime after Mass on the weekend or during regular office hours. Please call 586-977-8080 if you have any questions. We look forward to having you here!

**PARISH MISSION STATEMENT**

"Nourished by God's Word and the Eucharist, St. Jane Frances de Chantal Parish is a welcoming Catholic community dedicated to living and proclaiming the Gospel of Jesus Christ."



Laurie Hall  
Pastoral Associate  
& Worship Coord.  
Ext. 104

Today's familiar Gospel reading of the fishes and the loaves reminds us that what we have to offer may not seem to us to be much, but Jesus can use it. If we offer the little we have in the service of Christ, there is no calculating what he can do with and through us. Don't be shy with your gifts – they are greater than you imagine!

*Give what you can.  
Love how you can.  
Forgive as you can.  
God can take whatever you  
offer and multiply it.*  
- Fr. James Martin, SJ -



**ATTENTION ALL EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION:**

Thank you all for your ministry and dedication to our parish! In an effort to better communicate with you, I am asking that each person who serves as an EMHC complete a short contact sheet. The sheets are located in the Liturgical Ministers Sign-In Room so please complete a form when you sign-up to serve at Mass. I will have the forms in the room until the end of August. Thank you for your help in improving communication!



**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION ON TUESDAY, AUGUST 14<sup>th</sup> FROM 1:00pm - 6:00pm**

We will once again offer an afternoon of Adoration on Tuesday, August 14<sup>th</sup> from 1:00pm - 6:00pm. Please sign-up in the Parish Office or drop me an email to let me know when you will be here. We do need two people at all times, so signing up ahead of time allows for planning. That being said, if you can't commit ahead of time, just come. For your future planning, on even numbered months we will have Adoration on the second Tuesday from 1:00pm - 6:00pm; on odd numbered months it will be on the second Monday from 3:00pm - 7:00pm. Our hope is that those who work during the day will still be able to share in this beautiful devotional practice.



**RCIA UPDATE**

I'm happy to announce that your prayers for seekers to join us for RCIA are being answered. Please continue to pray for those searching for God to find their way here to St. Jane Frances. We are eager to serve those who are in need.

If you have been praying and have begun to feel a call to serve as a member of the RCIA team, contact me via email or phone. I'm also eager to talk with you!

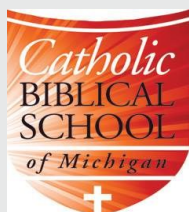
*"And I appointed you to go and bear fruit, fruit that will last, so that the Father will give you whatever you ask him in my name."  
John 15:16*

## CHRIST LIFE

Discover Christ with us this Fall

**EVERY MONDAY FROM SEPTEMBER 24 - NOVEMBER 5**

As you have read about the ChristLife program and looked at the videos, has your interest been piqued? Do you have questions? Are you ready to get involved? I'm happy to talk with you about ChristLife and the best way to engage – just give me a call or send an email. Be sure to check our website for a link to the videos, they are powerful!



*Ever wonder about the Biblical roots of our Catholic faith? Do you wish you knew more about the Bible?*

**REMINDER! LAST INFORMATION NIGHT: WEDNESDAY, AUG 8<sup>th</sup>**

To learn more about this faith-filled Scripture study program, you are invited to attend the last Information Night at Ss. Cyril and Methodius, 41233 Ryan Rd., Sterling Heights, on Wednesday, August 8<sup>th</sup> at 7:00pm. Brochures: [www.cbasmich.org](http://www.cbasmich.org).





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# NIGHTFEVER

**SATURDAY, AUGUST 4, 2018**  
**Our Lady on the River Holy Cross Church**  
**610 S. Water St.**  
**Marine City, MI**  
**7:30pm - 10:00pm**

Nightfever is a beautiful event taking place during the Marine City Maritime Days where the doors of Our Lady on the River Holy Cross church are open and volunteers invite passersby into the church. The atmosphere in the church is one of beautiful music, prayer, and candlelight. The Blessed Sacrament is displayed, and the altar is decorated with candles and Divine Mercy rays. Those who come in can light a candle, say a prayer, and talk to a priest if they would like. The church is open for Nightfever from 7:30pm -10:00pm.

You're welcome to use your gifts to bring others to meet Jesus. During the event volunteers will pray and go out in pairs inviting people enjoying Maritime Days into church to light a candle and say a prayer.

# SOUP KITCHEN

**OUR SOUP KITCHEN SERVES LUNCH AT ST. PAT'S SATURDAY, AUGUST 4, 2018**

We will be going to the Senior Center in Detroit to prepare and serve lunch to approximately 50-80 seniors on Saturday, August 4<sup>th</sup>. We are looking for **10 volunteers for that day**. All who sign up will be working to prepare and serve the lunch. **Volunteers must sign up in the parish office or by calling the office at 586-977-8080.** Young adults are especially needed to help carry trays for the seniors with walkers and canes. Make this a family event.

St. Patrick's is located off of Woodward, one block NW of Mack at 58 Parsons Street. We will meet in the South parking lot of St. Jane Frances de Chantal at 8:15am. Drivers are needed so please consider signing up to help with car pooling. At St. Pat's, lunch is served from Noon to 1:00pm with clean-up following. We will return to St. Jane's parking lot around 2:00pm.

If you are not able to go down to St. Pat's, but wish to contribute, you can do so by providing a dessert plate of cookies, cakes, or muffins. Also needed are fruits as in grapes, tangerines, clementines, oranges, apples and bananas. Monetary donations are also appreciated, you may write a check to St. Jane Frances and write "Soup Kitchen Ministry" in the memo line. God Bless you for your dedication to this ministry. It is through your participation, generosity and discipleship that it is possible to serve.



St. Jane Frances de Chantal  
 Council 13340  
**2018 College Scholarship Opportunity**

For the 6<sup>th</sup> year in a row, the St. Jane Frances de Chantal Knights of Columbus are once again offering **two** \$1,000 scholarships. These scholarships are not based on GPA. There are no essays to write or reference letters to get. The only requirement is that applicants are members of St. Jane Frances de Chantal Parish or a son/daughter of our Council's Knights.

The awards will go to either a high school graduate entering their first year of college, OR to a college underclassperson continuing in their pursuit of their undergrad degree. The award will be determined by a random drawing in August. All applicants have an equal chance. Applications and instructions are available in the Parish Office or by contacting Mark Wilhelm at wilhelmmrke@aol.com. **Applications are due by Sunday, August 5, 2018.**



**ST. JANE FRANCES DE CHANTAL CATHOLIC COMMUNITY WELCOMES MCREST AUGUST 5<sup>TH</sup> TO AUGUST 12<sup>TH</sup>**

**MCREST VOLUNTEERS REMINDER**  
 The orientation meeting for MCREST volunteers will be on **Monday July 30<sup>th</sup>** at 6:30pm in the Fr. Page Activity Center. **ALL** volunteers, please plan on attending this meeting for important procedures and 2018 updates.

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**MCREST CLOTHING COLLECTION**  
 We are in need of washed and gently used women's spring/summer clothing. Please drop off your donations August 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup>. Any questions, please call Lori Wilhelm at 586-212-3744.

## HEALTH MINISTRY: WEST NILE VIRUS INFECTION

According to the Michigan Disease Surveillance System, there have been four reported cases of West Nile virus so far this year and a mosquito pool has tested positive for West Nile Virus in Oakland County. As you know, West Nile virus is an infection transmitted by mosquitoes. If you become infected you may not experience any signs or symptoms, or you may experience only minor ones, or you may develop a life threatening illness that includes inflammation of the brain. Mild signs and symptoms of a West Nile virus infection generally go away on their own, but severe signs and symptoms — such as a severe headache, disorientation or sudden weakness — require immediate attention. Exposure to mosquitoes where West Nile virus exists increases your risk of getting the virus. Protect yourself from mosquitoes by using mosquito repellent and wearing clothing that covers your skin to reduce your risk.

### MILD INFECTION SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS

According to the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, 80 percent of people who contract the disease won't experience symptoms. Mild symptoms usually resolve on their own. For 1 in 5 people infected, symptoms will include:

- Fever
- Headache
- Body aches
- Fatigue
- Skin rash (occasionally)
- Swollen lymph glands (occasionally)
- Eye pain (occasionally)

### SERIOUS INFECTION SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS

About 1 percent of those infected, may develop more serious symptoms. Seek medical attention right away with:

- High fever
- Severe headache
- Stiff neck
- Disorientation or confusion
- Stupor or coma
- Tremors or muscle jerking
- Lack of coordination
- Convulsions
- Pain
- Partial paralysis or sudden weakness

### INFECTION TRANSMITTED BY MOSQUITOES

Typically, West Nile virus spreads to humans and animals via infected mosquitoes. The incubation period ranges from three to 14 days.

### PREVENTION

- Eliminate standing water in your yard. Mosquitoes breed in pools of standing water
- Unclog roof gutters
- Empty unused swimming pools
- Change water in birdbaths at least weekly.
- Remove old tires or any unused containers that might hold water and serve as a breeding place.
- Avoid unnecessary outdoor activity when mosquitoes are most prevalent — dawn, dusk, and early evening.
- Wear long-sleeved shirts and long pants when you go into mosquito-infected areas.
- Apply mosquito repellent with DEET to your skin and clothing. The higher the percentage (concentration) of the active ingredient, the longer the repellent will work. Avoid using DEET on the hands of young children or on infants under 2 months of age. When outside cover your infant's stroller or playpen with mosquito netting.



**BEN KLASSEN**  
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This weekend, we heard once again the story of Jesus feeding of the 5,000 with five loaves and two fishes; this was after the first reading (from 2 Kings) where Elisha served 100 men with 20 loaves. What can we make of this today?

Traditional Catholic thought has us understand the story as the true, actual miracle of Jesus, literally multiplying the 7 items into thousands of items, with 12 baskets of leftovers being collected afterwards.

I can understand the story in that way, as a miracle of Jesus; however, I have heard some people “explain” the story a little differently. The sacrificial act of the one young boy, changing the hearts of the crowd, so that they offered up their own food, that they brought for themselves, for the collective good of the group. In my mind, however, this understanding takes the miracle out of the story and leaves it in the hands of mankind, simply being nice to one another. Now this can be seen as a miracle (I suppose) if the community were extremely hard hearted, and completely self absorbed, but then would 5000 people (obviously from multiple surrounding communities) be following Jesus through the desert? Just a pondering in my mind...

In any case, Jesus was able to feed 5,000 men at this gathering with what appears to be very little. How does this speak to us about our current practice of Eucharist? Physiologically, I do not believe that I could get “full” from the simple wafer and sip of wine. Spiritually, we ~~understand~~ believe in the complete presence of Jesus in this bread and wine. The “fancy” word being transubstantiation—the changing of one substance into another. Substance is defined as “*essential nature*”, or “*(the) ultimate reality that underlies all outward manifestations and change.*” (www.Merriam-Webster.com) You see in the text above, that I had to “strikeout” the word understand. I often *think* that I understand something but inevitably, something happens that causes me to question my “understanding.” A question can cause us to rethink our “understanding,” without changing our belief in something.

Through the enormous (and eternal) sacrifice of Jesus for us on the Cross, we have been, and will be, granted a passage to be with God for eternity. When we realize our errors, ask for forgiveness, and learn to rest in the mercy that God has promised us through that sacrifice, we are allowed to move beyond what we currently see, feel and understand, into a “new” reality; an underlying reality that moves in, through and beyond the world that we live in now. I love Fr. Tony’s explanations in his homilies like last week’s “short, pithy statements,” and I have come (through a long and winding path in my faith) to be able to appreciate the short, to the point statements about the faith. However, if you are still reading these articles, you can tell that I still struggle with my complete acceptance of short answers.

I am still one that questions, “Why?” The “because I said so” answer is hard for me to accept. I can believe, and live my life to the ideals required in faith, but I also know that I am doomed to question things and seek out the answers to those questions. The answer that keeps coming to me, through everything, is that the truth WILL NOT be disproved. Jesus the Christ, the Eternal Truth always was, is and will be. Science introduces differing, sometimes compelling, theories to much faith has us believe, but very rarely have the theories been proven beyond doubt. Our faith in the Truth of God, helps us understand better (not necessarily “fully”) the ways of the world, nature and humankind. Our faith can help us see and understand miracles that happen, from the feeding of the 5,000, to modern day miracles of people being cured through medicine and also bonafide, unexplainable miracles of cures beyond scientific understanding. Faith can help us see the miracle of life in a newborn baby, in nature and even the miracle of life through death. Faith allows us to understand better and have our hunger/thirst subside through the sacrifice that is our Eucharistic meal. We know that through the sacrifice of Jesus, he really enters into our lives in a tangible way through our meal together.

Over the next week, look for miraculous signs in the world around you, say a prayer for someone, shake a strangers hand and be a miracle for someone out in the world. Be Jesus to/for someone who needs Him in their lives.



ST. JANE FRANCES DE CHANTAL  
**BIKE CLUB**

Want to join others for a non-competitive bike ride once a week? Come along on our June rides around various trails in the area! Check out the full schedule and details on where to meet at <http://sjfparish.com/bikeclub>. You don't need to register unless otherwise noted, but **you must wear a helmet!** Please bring bug spray, sunscreen, water, or anything else you would need.

**REMINDERS:** For reminders of where we are riding or notifications due to weather, etc., sign-up for our Remind Group by texting [@sjfbike](https://www.remind.com/texting/@sjfbike) to 81010 or email [sjfbike@mail.remind.com](mailto:sjfbike@mail.remind.com). You can unsubscribe at any time.

**THIS WEEK'S RIDE**

**Weds, August 1<sup>st</sup> - Ride Downtown Royal Oak**

Gather at St. Mary's, 730 S. Lafayette, Royal Oak  
Meet at 6:45pm; Ride at 7:00pm

*Liability – At no time does St. Jane Frances de Chantal, the Archdiocese of Detroit, employees or volunteers assume liability for any event that may occur during these workouts. The members participate of their own free will understanding that any exercise program has the inherent risk of injury. No one associated with this group is operating as a doctor or licensed medical practitioner. Members should consult with their doctor or other licensed care representative if they have any questions or concerns about participating in an exercise program. It is up to the best judgment of those participating to listen to their bodies and prevent injury.*



**ST. MARTIN DePORRES  
CRAFT FAIR,  
November 3, 2018  
9:00am – 4:00pm  
CRAFTERS NEEDED!**

Tables are available to display your crafts. Cost is \$30 each. Call Kathy Baker at 248-863-9955 to reserve your table.



**EUCHRE NIGHT**

**COME DRESSED IN RED, WHITE & BLUE**

**WHEN:**

Saturday, August 18<sup>th</sup>, from 5:15pm until about 11:00pm.

**WHERE:**

In the Fr. Page Activity Center.

**WHO:**

Whether you are a pro or a beginner join us for a fun night of Euchre!

**WHAT:**

We'll be playing Euchre and having a fun evening together! The games will be played using rotating partners.

Sign-up in the Parish Office. The cost is \$10.00 per player and that covers the cost of dinner, snacks, dessert, beverages and prizes. The cut off for signing up is Monday, August 13<sup>th</sup>.

**Questions?** Contact Linda Smith at 586-977-8080, ext. 113 or [Lsmithsjfparish@gmail.com](mailto:Lsmithsjfparish@gmail.com).



*With Deepest  
Sympathy*

The community of  
**ST. JANE FRANCES DE CHANTAL**  
expresses our support & prayers to the family of

*Michael Astro*

Beloved husband of the late Theresa.  
Loving father of Susan (Jerry) Baralt,  
Denise (James) Lovat, Sherri (Tom) Pickford, &  
Michael C. Astro.  
Dear grandfather of six.

May his soul and the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.



**SEND IN THE SWIFFERS**

The Swiffers are volunteers who help keep our church and gathering space beautiful! Their duties include cleaning the altar area and pews, wiping the windows on the entrance doors and vacuuming the gathering space. All cleaning supplies are provided and volunteers work in teams.

The teams clean once a month and are usually scheduled on Wednesdays or Thursdays at 1:15pm. Several of the Swiffer teams are in need of additional volunteers. If this is something you can help us with or you want more information, please contact Linda Smith at 586-977-8080 ext. 113 or at [Lsmithsjfparish@gmail.com](mailto:Lsmithsjfparish@gmail.com). Thank you!



**ST. EPHREM CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
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**Pastor: Fr. Craig Giera**

**WEEKEND MASSES**

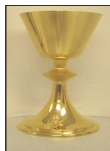
**Saturday** 4:30pm  
**Sunday** 9:00am & 11:00am

**WEEKDAY MASSES**

**Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday**  
 9:00am

**CONFESSIONS**

**Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday**  
 8:30am  
**Saturday** 12:15pm



**TRAVELING CHALICE:  
 A PROGRAM OF PRAYER  
 FOR PRIESTLY & RELIGIOUS  
 VOCATIONS**

Parishioners are asked to take the chalice home and display it in a place of honor. We ask them to pray each night for vocations to the priesthood and religious life. This week our parish gratefully acknowledges the

*The LaForest Family*

for hosting our Traveling Chalice.

If you would like to participate in the Traveling Chalice Program please contact Ray Sroka at 586-979-7879.



Sponsored by the St. Jane Frances de Chantal Knights of Columbus.

**READINGS FOR THE  
 WEEK OF JULY 29, 2018**

**SUNDAY**

2 Kgs 4:42-44; Ps 145:10-11, 15-16, 17-18;  
 Eph 4:1-6; Jn 6:1-15

**MONDAY**

**Saint Peter Chrysologus,  
 Bishop and Doctor of the Church**  
 Jer 13:1-11; Dt 32:18-19, 20, 21;  
 Mt 13:31-35

**TUESDAY**

**Saint Ignatius of Loyola, Priest**  
 Jer 14:17-22; Ps 79:8, 9, 11 & 13;  
 Mt 13:36-43

**WEDNESDAY**

**Saint Alphonsus Liguori,  
 Bishop and Doctor of the Church**  
 Jer 15:10, 16-21; Ps 59:2-3, 4, 10-11, 17,  
 18; Mt 13:44-46

**THURSDAY**

**Saints Eusebius of Vercelli, Bishop; Saint  
 Peter Julian Eymard, Priest**  
 Jer 18:1-6; Ps 146:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6ab;  
 Mt 13:47-53

**FRIDAY**

Jer 26:1-9; Ps 69:5, 8-10, 14; Mt 13:54-58

**SATURDAY**

**Saint John Vianney, Priest**  
 Jer 26:11-16, 24; Ps 69:15-16, 30-31,  
 33-34; Mt 14:1-12

**SUNDAY**

**Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
 Ex 16:2-4, 12-15; Ps 78:3-4, 23-24, 25, 54;  
 Eph 4:17, 20-24; Jn 6:24-35

**LOW GLUTEN HOSTS AVAILABLE:** For our parishioners with Celiac Disease, we now have procedures in place to help you celebrate the Eucharist with your parish family. For more info or to take part, call the Parish Office at 586-977-8080.

*Mass Intentions*

**MONDAY, JULY 30: NO MASS AT ST. JANE**

**TUESDAY, JULY 31**

**7:00pm** Liv. Amer Arabbo (Family)  
 Dec. Valeria Norus (Family)

**WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 1**

**8:00am** Dec. Steve Robert Gulock (Family)  
 Dec. Ronald Kotulak  
 (Harry & Judy Burzynski)  
 Liv. Joel Haio (Mom & Dad)  
 Liv. Jillian Haio (Mom & Dad)

**THURSDAY, AUGUST 2**

**8:00am** Dec. Ester Scavo  
 (Tom & Judy Taylor)  
 Dec. Gene Esper, 1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary  
 (Majka Family)  
 Liv. Sam Arabbo (Family)

**FRIDAY, AUGUST 3: NO MASS AT ST. JANE**

**SATURDAY, AUGUST 4**

**4:00pm** Dec. Members of the Kendzierski &  
 Sokolowski Families  
 (Stella Sokolowski)  
 Liv. Kaufmann & Mathews Families  
 (Richard & Cynthia Kaufmann)  
 Dec. Gabe Durante (Family)  
 Dec. Tony Iquinta (Carolyn Durante)

**SUNDAY, AUGUST 5**

**9:00am** 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday Memorial  
 Association Members  
 Dec. Joseph & Harriet Florek  
 (Jerry & Sylvia Soldatek)  
 Dec. Marino & Giuseppe Gasperoni  
 (Sister)  
 Dec. Anna DiDonato  
 (Rzeppa Family)

**11:30am** For the Parishioners  
 Dec. Marsha Olson (Family)  
 Dec. Edwin Felisiak (Kempa Family)  
 Liv. Valentin Family (Maria)

**LITURGICAL SCHEDULE — AUGUST 4<sup>TH</sup> & 5<sup>TH</sup>**

	4:00pm	9:00am	11:30am
<b>Presider</b>	Fr. Tony	Fr. Tony	Fr. Tony
<b>Sacristan(s)</b>	Lori & Joe Nida	Ray Knapp	Lynn & Dave Burley
<b>Lector 1</b>	Eileen Clase	Geri Miles	Ronald Mobley
<b>Lector 2</b>	Bill Burr	Chris Bajercius	Jan Machusak
<b>Altar Servers</b>	Elizabeth Galadik	Teresa Mezzapelle	Nina Benno
	Isabella Schilling	Samantha Abuel	Julia Ortmann
<b>Ushers</b>	Team 3	Assigned	Team 1

**WEEKDAY LECTOR SCHEDULE**

**TUESDAY, JULY 31**

Mary Minjeur

**WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 1**

Annette Mobley

**THURSDAY, AUGUST 2**

John Martin



**PARISH SUPPORT**

**July 22, 2018**

Budgeted Weekly Obligation:  
\$12,237.00

Actual Average Weekly Collection:  
\$12,234.00

Registered Families: 1417

Envelopes Returned: 317

Amount Offered: \$7,373.00

Loose Offering: \$869.00

**Online Giving**  
Contributors: 73

Contributions: \$2,279.00

**Total Offerings \$10,521.00**

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**2018 GOAL: \$92,254.00**

Amount Collected to date: **\$79,665.00**

Amount to Goal: **\$12,589.00**

We will be sending out reminders shortly to those we have yet to hear from. If you haven't submitted your pledge, or are unable to do so this year, please contact the Parish Office in the next week to help us save on postage. Thanks in advance!

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Please pray for those who are in special need of our prayers.

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Lillian Arendall  
Tim Broders  
James Brown  
Sam Castelli  
Sandy Castelli  
Jack Caradonna  
Lorenza Caradonna  
Vicki Chrzanowski  
Bernie Colasanti, Jr  
MaryAnn DeDonatis  
Sharyl Dennis  
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James Friedmann  
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Pauline Gronowski

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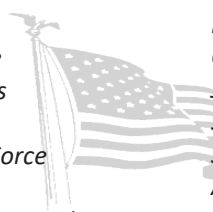
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**ARMED SERVICES PRAYER LIST**

Please pray for the men and women serving our country in the Armed Services that they may return home safely to family and friends. We remember particularly:

Robert Bain, Army  
Chris Burley, Navy  
Shaun Chaplin, Air Force  
Amir Ciplakovic, Marines  
Paige Corrias, Army  
Melanie De Le Ree, Air Force  
Zack Hoover, Air Force  
Louis B. Kasper III, Coast Guard  
Stephen LaBarge, Army



Carmen LaForest, Navy  
Matthew McDowell, Air Force  
Cassidy Kicinski Rose, Air Force  
Jeremy Rzeppa, Navy  
Scot D. Skoczylas, Navy  
Sean Slattery, Marines  
Allison Stewart, Army  
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