

# THE UNIVERSITY PARISH OF CHRIST SUN OF JUSTICE

April 21, 2024:

Fourth Sunday of Easter

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#### MASS/LITURGY SCHEDULE

**DAILY MASS** 

Mon. - Thurs. 5 PM

#### **WEEKEND MASS**

SATURDAY VIGIL 5 PM SUNDAY 10 AM (<u>livestream on YouTube</u>) and 5 PM

**CONFESSION** The Sacrament of Reconciliation is available Saturdays 3:30-4:30 PM and by appointment with Fr. Larry at chaplain@rpi.edu

#### MASS INTENTIONS

**SUNDAY, APR 21** 10 AM—Alice and (late) Frank DiCesare requested by Jonathan DiCesare

**SUNDAY, APR 28** 5 PM—Paul Nomessi requested by Ed and Kathleen Spain

Consider having a Mass said in thanksgiving, for the intentions of another person (ex. birthday), or, most common, for the repose of the soul of someone who has died. Complete the form *here* or a hard copy form can be found in the C+CC hallway.

#### COLLECTIONS

Your continued generosity is appreciated! Here are ways to give...

- Mail your collection envelope and/or your check made payable to Christ Sun of Justice or place in the collection basket.
- Make an online donation ("Mass donation" in the comments section.)
- Venmo: At offertory time (or any time, really!)
  you can use your Venmo app to give to "csj
  parish". If it is for a special collection, just note
  it in the comments box.
- St. James Roman Catholic Primary school in Kalk Bay, South Africa. There is a box in the hallway of the C+CC to collect donations or gifts can be placed in the offertory marked for "St. James". Info on the school can be found here.

#### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Readings can be found in multiple ways:

- Web: https://bible.usccb.org/
- Sign-up for a daily email with a link to the day's readings: <a href="https://bible.usccb.org/daily-bible-reading#subscribe">https://bible.usccb.org/daily-bible-reading#subscribe</a>
- On the Hallow app
- In the Bible

**Apr. 21 Sun:** Acts 4: 8-12; Ps 118: 1, 8-9, 21-23, 26, 28, 29; 1 Jn 3: 1-2; Jn 10: 14; Jn 10: 11-18 **Apr. 22 Mon:** Acts 11: 1-18; Ps 42: 2-3; 43: 3-4;

Jn 10: 14; Jn 10: 1-10

**Apr. 23 Tue:** Acts 11: 19-26; Ps 87: 1b-3, 4-5, 6-

7; Jn 10: 27; Jn 10: 22-30

**Apr. 24 Wed:** Acts 12: 24 – 13: 5; Ps 67: 2-3, 5,

6 and 8; Jn 8: 12; Jn 12: 44-50

**Apr. 25 Thurs:** 1 Pet 5: 5b-14; Ps 89: 2-3, 6-7, 16-17; 1 Cor 1: 23a, 24b; Mk 16: 15-20

Apr. 26 Fri: Acts 13: 26-33; Ps 2: 6-7, 8-9, 10-

11ab; Jn 14: 6; Jn 14: 1-6

Apr. 27 Sat: Acts 13: 44-52; Ps 98: 1, 2-3ab, 3cd

-4; Jn 8: 31b-32; Jn 14: 7-14

# A FAMILY PERSPECTIVE by Bud Ozar

Today's gospel reminds us to be shepherds for our children who depend on us to be their guides and role models. Where are we leading them? When they "hear our voice" what message do they hear?

#### C+CC NEWS

**GOT ART? EXHIBIT** — Artist Francesco Sorriento's (RPI Campus Security (ret.)) oil paintings include land, sea and floral pieces are on display through the end of May. More info can be found *here*.

**GOT ART? ARTIST RECEPTION** - SAT. APR 20 1 -3:30PM for artist Francesco Sorriento. More info can be found *here*.

**PARTIAL CREDIT 2024 SPRING SHOW** — FRI. APR. 19 7:30-10PM. RPI student a cappella group. \$6 at the door. More info can be found *here*.

**SPRING YOGA SESSIONS—** TUES. APR. 23 & 30. Classes by donation. More info can be found *here*.

**HOW WOULD YOU HELP?** - FRI. APR. 26 11-1 PM. Unity House is presenting an informational and educational event for victims of intimate partner gun violence and service providers. More info can be found *here*.

#### MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

Romans 12:6 "In his grace, God has given us different gifts for doing certain things well."

**COFFEE HOUR** Weekly coffee hours are held after the 10AM and 5PM Sunday Masses. Please come and meet your fellow parishioners! Help is always needed and sign up sheets are posted on the bulletin board.

#### **NOTES**

518 DAY OF GIVING Rensselaer Newman Foundation has joined the '518 Day of Giving' event! Named after the local area code and held on May 18, which is also RPI's 218th Commencement Ceremony. We will be posting and sharing more to come on our social media. Please like and share with your contacts! Let them know why you support the RNF!

#### **EVENTS OF INTEREST**

#### SAT/SUN, APR. 27/28 BACCALAUREATE MASS

Next weekend, please join us at Mass in celebrating our students who are graduating! RPI Final exams end May 3—which will also end our 5 PM Sunday Mass to resume in the Fall.

**SAVE THE DATE.** On June 23 the parish will be saying goodbye to Fr. Larry at a coffee hour after the 10 AM Mass. Please plan to join us to thank him and wish him well!

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# ~Campus Connection~





### FR. LARRY RICE, CSP

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In the twenty-first century, most of us are accustomed to special seasonal foods primarily at Christmas and Thanksgiving. But in many parts of the world, for many centuries, the whole year was filled with particular foods for the feast days of the saints.

In fact, they're called Feast Days because it was expected that on those days commemorating the lives of those who have preceded us to

God's Kingdom, there would be actual feasting. In cities and villages associated with a particular patron saint, local specialities would be named for that saint. Often these dishes would be served only on those saints' days, and would include ingredients or shapes associated with those saints.

Of course, there are saints associated with the culinary arts. St. Honoré is the patron of pastry chefs and confectioners, although it's unclear why the sixth century French bishop is so honored. But the traditional Gâteau St. Honoré is a culinary triumph: a choux pastry crown of cream-filled profiteroles topped with caramel and candied flowers. The patron saint of cooks is St. Fortunatus, another sixth century bishop, who was also a poet and musician who penned the well-known Latin hymn Pange Lingua. The founder of modern French cooking, Auguste Escoffier, named a dish after him: a suckling pig stuffed with chestnuts, barley, sausage, herbs, and liver. I think I'll stick with St. Honoré.

My own patron saint, St. Lawrence deacon and martyr, was martyred by being roasted on a gridiron. The patron saint of restaurateurs, he has many dished associated with his name. I usually celebrate his August 10th feast day with a simple barbecue.

For more information on feasts for Feast Days, check out <u>"Cooking with the Saints"</u> by Ernst Schuegraf, published by



#### SPIRITUAL SEEDS

by Tracy Watson, RPI Associate Catholic Chaplain spiritual.advisorCCC@gmail.com

#### Sustainability Studies, Earth Day and our Common Home

Did you know that RPI offers courses in Sustainability and students can either major or minor in it? Courses range in topic from "Environment and Society" to "Consumer Culture", and include courses related to philosophy, justice and politics of design and as well as technology. Steeping our next generation in courses like these is good news for our Common Home!

Question for us to bring to prayer: in what ways are each of us being called to deepen our ethic of sustainable living?

#### **Upcoming Events:**

Baccalaureate Masses will be held next Sunday, April 28th at both 10am and 5pm. We will recognize and honor those students who will be graduating this May, and distributing honor chords in accordance with their involvement in liturgical ministries of our parish, Newman Fellowship, Knights, ESTEEM, and weekly Bible study.

Graduating students poster display at C+CC: be on the lookout for the faces of our University parish students who will be graduating this May. Thank you Christine Relyea and Paula Rohl for putting it together!

Last Spring Semester Tuesday Nite Newman: April 23rd. See Discord for sign up

Students: mark your calendars and plan to stay after 10am Mass next Sunday, April 28th to say Farewell to Father Larry before you head home for summer break! Cake will be served.

Curious about RPI's Sustainability Studies? Follow this link to take a look: https://rb.gy/s8fxdl

#### Got a suggestion? A question?

Contact Associate Catholic Chaplain Tracy Watson, MDiv, (<u>spiritual.advisorccc@gmail.com</u> or <u>watsot4@rpi.edu</u>) or Newman Student Leaders Cameron Yergeau (<u>yergec@rpi.edu</u>), Toby McDonald (<u>mcdont7@rpi.edu</u>), Riley Scritchfield (<u>scritr@rpi.edu</u>) and Joey Trosa (<u>trosaj@rpi.edu</u>).