

## UNIVERSITY PARISH OF CHRIST SUN OF JUSTICE

MASS SCHEDULE

MONDAY thru THURSDAY: 5:15 PM; FRIDAY: 12:10 PM

*(5:30 PM every Wednesday during Lent)*

SATURDAY: 5:15 PM VIGIL MASS

SUNDAY: 9:00 AM, 10:30 AM AND (WHILE SCHOOL IS IN SESSION) 5:00 PM

HOLY DAYS: AS ANNOUNCED IN THE BULLETIN

MEMORIAL MASSES: FIRST SUNDAY OF THE MONTH @ 10:30 AM

Our Mission Statement: Empowered by the Holy Spirit, we proclaim we are God's people under the banner of The University Parish of Christ Sun of Justice. Through our words and actions, the Good News of Christ Jesus is announced here at Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute: students, staff, faculty, alumni, and local community members. As God's people on a spiritual journey, we are committed to lifelong learning, integrating faith with arts, science and technology. In addition, we endeavor to manifest justice and charity called for by our faith to make real the presence of a loving Christ, here and wherever we find ourselves.

Our Vision Statement: The University Parish of Christ Sun of Justice - Responding to God's love through servant leadership, a diverse welcoming community.

Parish Membership: Renewal every September. Anyone wishing to join please ask for a membership form from the Chaplains' Office or Fr. Ed at anytime.

Location of C+CC: 2125 Burdett Ave. (across from BARH dorms) Open 8:30 am - 10:30 pm

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When entering the C+CC, please turn off all devices that may interrupt a service or private prayer. Thanks!

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK: (7 APRIL: FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT) Is 43:16-21; Phil 3:8-14; Jn 8:1-11. (Monday) Dn 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30 33-62 or 13-41c-62; Jn 8:12-20. (Tuesday) Nm 21:4-9; Jn 8:21-30. (Wednesday) Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95; Jn 8:31-42. (Thursday) Gn 17:3-9; Jn 8:51-59. (Friday) Jer 20:10-13; Jn 10:31-42. (Saturday) Ez 37:21-28; Jn 11:45-56. (14 APRIL: PALM SUNDAY) Lk 19-28-40; Phil 2:6-11; Lk 22:14-23:56 or 23:1-49.

DURING THE MONTH OF MARCH, JAMES LOMBARD III, BERNHARD BASTIAN, CAROL BESSETTE, JOHN MORIZIO AND ROSA MURILLO WERE ENROLLED IN OUR MEMORIAL FUND. The 10:30 am liturgy has, as its principle remembrance, those enrolled this month, as well as all who have been enrolled.

10 APRIL: The LAST LENTEN WEDNESDAY PROGRAM for this year - Brother Mickey McGrath, OSFS will be our speaker. His topic is, "THE CHURCH AS HERALD". Please sign up on the sheets available for what you are bringing for the meatless dinner. This helps our planning, thanks! Our evening begins with Mass at 5:30 pm.

WE ARE FAST APPROACHING HOLY WEEK, the feast of our Sacred Passover with Jesus. I ask you to carefully consider joining us for our liturgical celebrations of these events. Those days long ago and our remembrance of them in liturgy formed us as a people of faith. Today, it is through these days that our identity as a people of faith is made real. These "holy days" renew us and challenge us to go forth living our lives in the Resurrected Jesus.

**Next week-end is Palm Sunday and the Entrance into Holy Week.**

**Please note the schedule:**

**Our Lenten Penance Service will be held next Saturday, 13 April, at 11:00 am.**

**Palm Sunday - Saturday at 5:15 PM; Sunday at 9:00 AM, 10:30 AM and 5:00 PM**

**Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday - Mass at 5:15 PM**

**Holy Thursday - The Agape - 6:30 PM**

**Good Friday - Dramatic Reading of the Passion of Jesus & Communion Service 7:30 PM**

**Holy Saturday - The Great Vigil - 8:00 PM**

If you're interested in becoming Catholic or know someone who is, or if you haven't celebrated the sacraments of Eucharist or Confirmation, RCIA is for you! For more information, contact Fr. Ed, or Rosanne Rose at [rose.fr@verizon.net](mailto:rose.fr@verizon.net) or call the Chaplain's Office at (518) 276-6517.

The next COFFEE HOUR will be held on 14 April, following the 10:30 am liturgy, graciously hosted by Mary Nagy and the Ed & Kathy Spain. Consider joining us for food and fellowship. All are welcome!

THIS WEEK, FOOD FOR THE HUNGRY OF TROY. Please consider donation to our local needy neighbors. Checks may be made payable to Unity House or Bethany Center.

**AGAPE MASS AND DINNER:** Please use the sign-up sheet for those coming on 18 April, at 6:30 pm, for Holy Thursday and our Agape. Name, phone number and number attending only required. This helps with our planning!

**EASTER TRADITION AT CHRIST SUN OF JUSTICE:** At Eastertime, our community gives an Easter plant to those who are housebound/hospitalized, or who have lost a relative during the past year. PLEASE SIGN-UP and share the joy of Easter. We'll give you a name, address and phone number so you can be in touch and visit at a mutually convenient time during Easter Week. \$12 donation; cash or check made payable to Rensselaer Newman Foundation with notation "EASTER PLANT". Questions, contact Jean Francois at 225-1409 or [j-francois@nycap.rr.com](mailto:j-francois@nycap.rr.com). **STUDENTS:** We have funding available and will subsidize the cost of the plant and we can arrange transportation. This is a beautiful ministry and your participation is a blessing.

Do you have NEWS FOR THE BULLETIN? Just contact the Chaplain's Office at (518) 276-6517 or send information to both Mary and Diane at [holbrm@rpi.edu](mailto:holbrm@rpi.edu) and [waterd3@rpi.edu](mailto:waterd3@rpi.edu). The deadline is Wednesday by 1:00 pm to be included in that week's bulletin.

**GENERATIONS IN FAITH TOGETHER (GIFT):** (Contact: Deacon Joe Romand, [romanj6@rpi.edu](mailto:romanj6@rpi.edu))

-- "And he said to them, 'Thus it is written that the Messiah would suffer and rise from the dead on the third day and that repentance, for the forgiveness of sins, would be preached in his name to all nations, beginning from Jerusalem. You are witness of these things...'" (Lk 24: 46-48). Come join us on 5 May 2019 after the 10:30 am Mass for our final session of GIFT. All are welcome! Subject matter for this session: Luke 20-24. Please read these chapters of Luke's Gospel beforehand in preparation. We continue our facilitated DVD series, this year on the Gospel According to Luke, using materials published by Little Rock Scripture Study (Little Rock, Arkansas) in connection with Liturgical Press (Collegeville, Minnesota).

NOTE: THERE WILL BE NO GIFT IN APRIL.

**COLLEGE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL #13635:** (Contact: John Torborg, [torboj@rpi.edu](mailto:torboj@rpi.edu))

--Our mission is to promote the moral, intellectual, and spiritual development of young men as well as to contribute to Catholic life on campus through acts of charity, social events and opportunities for faith formation. If you're interested in becoming a College Knight or learning more about us, contact GK John!

**NEWMAN CATHOLIC FELLOWSHIP** (Contact: Daniel Trosa, [trosad@rpi.edu](mailto:trosad@rpi.edu))

--The NCF is one of the groups for Catholic Students here at RPI. Meeting weekly while school is in session, we grow together in our faith and form relationships with each other through strengthening our relationship with the Lord. Like our Newman Catholic Fellowship Facebook page for updates and contact information.

**CHAPEL + CULTURAL CENTER:** (Contact: Kevin Krolik, [krolik2@rpi.edu](mailto:krolik2@rpi.edu))

--In the Gallery: Virginia Bryant presents paintings under the theme "Fugue States". The title comes from musical structures & the physicality which are a core part of her methods from several years of early ballet study & choreographic processes. Join us for an Artist's reception on Friday, 26 April, at 6:30 pm.

--Our inspiring five-week series returns, featuring a Mass at 5:30 pm, a meatless potluck supper at 6:15 pm, and guest speakers at 7:00 pm. The Series is open to everyone, regardless of religious affiliation, so come to whichever part of the program you wish. If you are able, please bring a meatless dish to share for supper.

The last program will be held on 10 April: Br. Mickey McGrath, OSFS - "The Church as Herald"

--Rensselaer Concert Choir: Friday, 12 April, at 7:00 pm. The Rensselaer Concert Choir presents its annual Spring concert, featuring Josquin DesPrez's Missa L'homme Armé, Sexti Toni. Built from the simple anonymous melody "L'homme Arme, this Josquin's takes full advantage of one of the most popular melodies of the late 15<sup>th</sup> century to create one of the first masterworks of the early 16<sup>th</sup> century. Also on the program are mass excerpts by Busnoys and Morales. The Concert Choir is directed & conducted by Professor Nicholas DeMaison.

--Rensselyrics Invitational Concert: Saturday, 13 April, at 8:30 pm. Tickets are \$5 at the door/ \$4 presale. Join the Rensselyrics for a fun evening of a capella, featuring two guest a capella groups!

**A FAMILY PERSPECTIVE**, by Bud Ozar: Stoning is not just an ancient act of violence. Each day in our homes we throw stones of ridicule, criticism, name-calling and put-downs, All of it is deadly. Hear Jesus in today's gospel: "Whoever is without sin can throw the first stone." Rid you home of violence. Stop verbal stoning!



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#### MUSIC FOR EUCHARIST

Gathering Song	#535 O God Beyond All Praising
Responsorial Psalm 130	With the Lord There is Mercy and Fullness of Redemption
Gospel Acclamation	#913 Glory to You, Word of God
Preparation Hymn	#498 Only This I Want
Opening Acclamation	#914 Holy
Memorial Acclamation	#917 Save Us, Savior
Doxology and Amen	Through Him, and with Him, and in Him, O God Almighty Father, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all glory and honor is Yours, forever & ever. Amen
Communion	#348 Let Us Break Bread Together
Recessional	#533 O Bless the Lord, My Soul