# UNIVERSITY PARISH OF CHRIST SUN OF JUSTICE

SUMMER MASS SCHEDULE

MONDAY thru THURSDAY: 5:15 PM; FRIDAY: 12:10 PM SATURDAY: 5:15 PM VIGIL MASS SUNDAY: 10:00 AM

HOLY DAYS: AS ANNOUNCED IN THE BULLETIN MEMORIAL MASSES: FIRST SUNDAY OF THE MONTH @ 10:00 AM

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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.

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

<u>Parish Membership</u>: 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

Mailing address: RPI Chaplains' Office, Rensselaer Union - Rm. 3514, 110 Eighth Street, Troy, NY 12180

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Web site: (C+CC) http://www.chapelandculturalcenter.org (PARISH) http://www.christsunofjustice.org Director of C+CC: Kevin Krolik, 274-7793, krolik2@rpi.edu; Scheduling of C+CC for any function: 274-7793

Director of Music: Barbara Musial, musiab@sage.edu

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: (5 AUGUST: EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME) Ex 16:2-4,12-15; Eph 4:17, 20-24; Jn 6:24-35. (Monday: The Transfiguration of the Lord) Dn 7:9-10, 13-14; Pt 1:16-19; Mk 9:2-10. (Tuesday) Jer 30: 1-2, 12-15, 18-22; Mt 14:22-36 or Mt 15:1-2, 10-14. (Wednesday) Jer 31:1-7; Mt 15:21-28 see 617: 1 Cor 2:1-10a; Lk 9:57-62. (Thursday) Jer 31:31-34; Mt 16:13-23. (Friday: St. Lawrence, Deacon, Martyr) Cor 9:6-10; Jn 12:24-26. (Saturday) Hb 1:12-2:4; Mt 17:14-20 see 619: Phil 3:8-14; Mt 19:27-29. (12 AUGUST: NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME) Kgs 19:4-8; Eph 4:30-5:2; Jn 6:41-51.

DURING THE MONTH OF JULY, PETER KACERGUIS, CHARLES LANE ZUGALLA, AND JOSEPH MANSFIELD WERE ENROLLED IN OUR MEMORIAL FUND. The 10:00 am liturgy has, as its principle remembrance, those enrolled this month, as well as all who have been enrolled.

FEAST OF THE TRANSFIGURATION OF THE LORD: The Feast of the Transfiguration of the Lord, celebrated this Monday, reminds us about the depth of mystery that surrounded Jesus Christ - mystery in the sense that we can never exhaust who he really is or categorize him in any way. Fully human, he may indeed have needed a tent or a place to camp on the mountain, like Peter asked. But just when the Apostles may have been getting really comfortable with their understanding of Jesus as friend and teacher, they catch a glimpse of his heavenly glory, challenging them to remain open to Christ communicating to them who he is as Son of God. We have moments like the Apostles each time we encounter and grapple with a new and challenging image of God in the Scriptures. Remaining humble and open to the revelatory action of God's Word and Spirit is a way to enter ever more deeply into the mystery of who God is for us in Jesus Christ.

Note: There will be NO daily Mass at the C+CC on Friday, 10 August Reminder: Full Mass Schedule will resume on 25-26 August

REMEMBERING DAWN THURLEY: Next week, at the 10:00 am Mass, we will be remembering in a special way, Dawn Thurley, a long-time RPI Student Union employee who recently passed away. A reception will follow the Mass.

ON WEDNESDAY, 15 AUGUST, WE WILL CELEBRATE THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED MOTHER. It is a Holy day of obligation. Join us ~ Mass times are 12:10 pm and 6:00 pm. The 6:00 pm liturgy will also be said in remembrance of PETER KACERGUIS and all are welcome to a wine & cheese reception after Mass.

ANNUAL PARISH RENEWAL: You will be receiving letters for renewal of parish membership with the opportunity to sign-up for an assortment of ministries and activities - <u>please</u> help by signing up and returning items quickly. If you are new to Christ Sun of Justice Parish, we welcome you and invite you to join the parish. Please use the membership forms in the hallway to register. Thanks!

WELCOME PICNIC 2018: Please join us Sunday, 2 September, after the 5:00 pm evening Mass as we play Parcheesi, the game of race, chase and capture. Teams will challenge one another to reach home at the C+CC first in the hope of winning the top prizes. Sign-up sheets are available in the hallway. Contact Jean Francois at (518) 225-1409 or j-francois@nycap.rr.com if you have questions. After the long summer away, we encourage all returning students and parishioners to attend to welcome new friends and reconnect with old ones!

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

Do you have NEWS FOR THE BULLETIN? Just contact the Chaplain's Office at 276-6517 or send information to both Mary and Diane at <a href="https://holpre.com/holpre.co

<u>If you're interested in becoming Catholic</u> or know someone who is, or <u>if you haven't celebrated the sacraments of Eucharist or Confirmation</u>, RCIA is for you! For more information, contact Fr. Ed, or Rosanne Rose at <u>rose.fr@verizon.net</u> or (518) 785-6253.

## GENERATIONS IN FAITH TOGETHER (GIFT): (Contact: Deacon Joe Romand, romanj6@rpi.edu)

--GIFT will resume in the fall at the start of the 2018-2019 academic year. We will continue our video series with, and discussions about, the Gospel of Luke, the gospel (Cycle C) proclaimed at Sunday Liturgies beginning in the upcoming Advent Season. Have a blessed summer!

#### COLLEGE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL #13635: (Contact: John Torborg, 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)

--The NCF is one of the groups for Catholic Students here on the campus of RPI. Meeting weekly while school is in session, we grow together in our faith and form relationships with each other through the strengthening in our relationships with the Lord. Like our page on Facebook at Newman Catholic Fellowship for updates and contact information. If you have any questions, comments or suggestions feel free to message one of the officers. God bless!

### <u>CHAPEL + CULTURAL CENTER: (Contact: Kevin Krolik, krolik2@rpi.edu)</u>

--In the Gallery: The ARC of Rensselaer County and the Center for Disability Services will jointly hold the gallery exhibition entitled "Side by Side".

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#### A Family Perspective, by Bud Ozar:

In today's gospel Jesus tells us: "Do not work for what perishes." Give your life to what endures such as the family history you are creating, the love and mutual respect which bonds you together, the memories you share and the forgiveness generously given. These are the true treasures that are worth working and dying for.

MARIAN DAY OF REFLECTION: "Mary and the Receiving and Returning of Unhurried Divine Gaze", will be presented by Fr. Des Rossi at the Dominican Retreat & Conference Center on Tuesday, 14 August, from 9:45 am - 3:00 pm. Fr. Des Rossi is Parochial Vicar of St. Mary's in Glens Falls. Mary looks to the Divine and in receiving that love, she returns that love to the Father and to all of us. In praying to and asking for Mary's intercession in our own lives we become a catalyst of grace and learn to allow God's saving power to transform the world. The cost is \$30. For information and/or reservations, please contact the Center at (518) 393-4169, email <u>dslcny@nybiz.rr.com</u> or visit <u>www.dslcny.org</u>.

START Children's Center will host a golf tournament at Frear Park on Friday, 14 September. START is a non-profit child advocacy center providing services to children traumatized by abuse and violence. Call (518) 271-6001 to make a donation or to register to golf visit <a href="www.startchildrenscenter.eventbrite.com">www.startchildrenscenter.eventbrite.com</a>.



### MUSIC FOR EUCHARIST

Gathering Song #544 Sing a New Song
Responsorial Psalm 63 My Soul is Thirsting For You

Gospel Acclamation Alleluia

Preparation Hymn #354 The Supper of the Lord

Opening Acclamation Holy

Memorial Acclamation Save Us, Savior Lamb of God Lamb of God

Communion #337 Eat This Bread
Recessional #584 In Christ There is No

East or West