## UNIVERSITY PARISH OF CHRIST SUN OF JUSTICE

MASS SCHEDULE

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

<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

Telephone: (C+CC) 274-7793 Fax: (C+CC) 274-5945 (Chaplains' Office) Mary Holbritter 276-6518 Diane Waters 276-6517

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

<u>Director of Music</u>: Barbara Musial, <u>musiab@sage.edu</u>

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

Father Ed Kacerguis, Pastor: <a href="mailto:red@rpi.edu">fred@rpi.edu</a>
Joseph Romand, Deacon: <a href="mailto:romanj6@rpi.edu">romanj6@rpi.edu</a>
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READINGS FOR THE WEEK: (11 February: SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME) Lv 13:1-2, 44-46; 1 Cor 10:31-11:1; Mk 1:40-45. (Monday) Jas 1:1-11; Mk 8:11-13. (Tuesday) Jas 1:12-18; Mk 8:14-21. (Wednesday: ASH WEDNESDAY) Jl 2:12-18; Cor 5:20-6:2; Mt 6:1-6, 16-18. (Thursday) Dt 30:15-20; Lk 9:22-25. (Friday) Is 58:1-9a; Mt 9:14-15. (Saturday) Is 58:9b-14; Lk 5:27-32. (18 February: FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT) Gn 9:8-15; Pt 3:18-22; Mk 1:12-15.

Join us for COFFEE HOUR after the 10:30 am liturgy to enjoy refreshments and community! All are welcome!

CELEBRATE MARDI GRAS!! On Tuesday evening, we will have our Mardi Gras festivities here at the C+CC. All are invited to an evening of Jazz with dinner starting at 6:30 pm. We'll have loads of New Orleans style food, so don't be shy; bring your appetite and prepare to party with us on "Fat Tuesday"! The celebration will continue into the evening with activities in the lounge. Come at any time throughout the night to enjoy good times, fun, food, and excitement. Promptly at midnight, we will begin our entrance into Lent most solemnly. Join us!

ASH WEDNESDAY: ON 14 FEBRUARY, THE CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY GOES INTO THE DESERT FOR 40 DAYS WHICH WE CALL LENT. IT IS A TIME OF RENEWAL ACROSS LIFE'S SPECTRUM. INDIVIDUALLY AND COMMUNALLY WE NEED TO EVALUATE OURSELVES SO THAT THE SEEDS OF GOD'S LOVE MAY GROW STRONGER IN OUR LIVES. THERE ARE SO MANY DEMANDS THAT WE PLACE ON OURSELVES FOR WHATEVER REASONS. THIS LENT, ALLOW THE DEMAND OF SOME QUIET TIME, PRAYER, READING OF SCRIPTURE, AND ATTENDANCE AT DAILY MASS TO BE PART OF OUR RETREAT AND RENEWAL.

MASS TIMES ARE 12:00 MIDNIGHT, 12:10 PM, 5:15 PM AND 7:30 PM.

THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION will be available this week on Monday, 12 February, at 4:30 pm. Confessions can also be arranged through email <a href="mailto:fred@rpi.edu">fred@rpi.edu</a>, phone 274-7793 or 20 minutes before liturgy.

Please Note: THERE WILL BE NO DAILY MASS AT THE C+CC ON FRIDAY, 16 FEBRUARY.

LAST CHANCE TO SIGN-UP FOR THE UKRAINIAN EASTER EGGS WORKSHOP! (i.e. Pysanky) - As part of your Lenten preparation, learn about and how to make these very special ancient symbols of Easter. Marc Hamel and Ed LeSage will return to offer us a two-part workshop on Saturday, 17 February, at the C+CC. The first session is a basic introduction, from 9:30 - noon. There will be a break for lunch and the second session starts at 1:00 until you are finished (no rushing of the artisans!!!) You need only bring yourselves to the program. Lunch will be available along with beverages throughout the day. In order to cover expenses we are asking a \$15 donation be given. Should this be a problem for you, please talk to "fred". This request for donation should NOT be a factor in your attendance. To learn more about this tradition in the Christian community, please visit the following website: <a href="http://www.cs.unc.edu/~yakowenk/pysanky/index.html">http://www.cs.unc.edu/~yakowenk/pysanky/index.html</a>. Enrollment is limited- only 35. Please call the Chaplain's Office at 276-6517 or email <a href="https://www.cs.unc.edu/~yakowenk/pysanky/index.html">waterd3@rpi.edu</a> to register.

NEXT WEEK, FOOD FOR THE HUNGRY OF TROY. Please remember to donate to those in our area less fortunate. Checks may be made payable to Unity House or Bethany Center.

PRE-CANA (Marriage Preparation) -  $\frac{3 \text{ March } 2018}{3 \text{ March } 2018}$  - This program is intended to serve as basis for the celebration of the Sacrament of Marriage. It meets all basic requirements set by dioceses around the country. A certificate is issued and sent to those who are working with other priests. If you have any questions, please talk with Fr. Ed. To sign-up, please call the Chaplains' office at (518) 276-6517. The time is 9am - 9pm. Everything is provided for the day - this includes food.

<u>If you're interested in becoming Catholic</u> or know someone who is, or <u>if you haven't celebrated the sacraments</u> of <u>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.

COFFEE HOUR HOSTING SIGNUP time is here again! We are in need of a minimum of three hosts per month for our Coffee Hour held after the 10:00 am Mass (Summer Schedule)/ 10:30 am Mass (Full Schedule), on the second Sunday of each month. If you haven't already, try this beautiful ministry of hospitality for the whole community. Please, sign up today!

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 and waterd3@rpi.edu.

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

Come join us today (11 February) at 11:45 am for our next session of GIFT. Topics for this session: Mark 2-5. All are welcome! We continue our facilitated DVD series using materials published by Little Rock Scripture Study (Little Rock, Arkansas) in connection with Liturgical Press (Collegeville, Minnesota). Please read these chapters of Mark's Gospel.

## COLLEGE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL #13635: (Contact: Eric Lowden, lowdee@rpi.edu)

-- The Knights of Columbus are a Catholic fraternal service organization focused on building faith and brotherhood within our council and community. Please join us at some of our events:

<u>Tuesdays</u> (except first Tuesday of the month) Rosary in the C+CC Lounge at 7:30 pm. <u>Fridays</u>: Theology Club at the Off-Campus Commons (next door to Moe's) at 8:30 pm.

Feb. 16 (Friday after Ash Wednesday): Stations of the Cross at the C+CC at 5:00 pm.

Feb. 10 (Friday after Ash Wednesday). Stations of the cross at the c+cc at 5.00 p

For additional information, contact GK Eric with any questions.

## NEWMAN CATHOLIC FELLOWSHIP (Contact: Edwin Cruz Aguirre, cruzae@rpi.edu)

--The Newman Catholic Fellowship is RPI's Catholic student group, focusing on faith, fellowship, and service. While classes are in session, all are welcome to join Newman for weekly dinners on Sundays after the 5:00 pm Mass, and Thursday meetings at Hospitality House at 8:00 pm. For more information, contact Edwin.

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

--Movie Screening of "Wild" will be held on Thursday, 15 February. "Wild" is a 2014 American biographical survival drama film - a chronicle of one woman's 1,100 mile solo hike undertaken as a way to recover from a recent personal tragedy. Join us in the lounge from 7 - 9 pm.

<u>SAVE THE DATE</u> - Albany Pro Musica is coming to the C+CC! In celebration of the 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the C+CC, the Albany Pro Musica will present: "Let's Talk About Love" Choral Music that touches the heart...

A stunning show where the fine voices of Albany Pro Musica bring beloved show tunes to a new level of artistry. A reception will follow the performance. Tickets will be on sale next month.

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"LINCOLN ON THE WORLD STAGE" -will be held at the Dominican Retreat & Conference Center on Monday, 12 February, 7 - 8:30 pm or Tuesday, 13 February, 10 - 11:30 am. The program will be presented by Thomas Hoffman who will discuss how Lincoln, despite having no foreign affairs experience, used diplomatic tact to keep the great world powers of England, France and Spain neutral and to navigate through several global crises. \$15. For information/register, call (518) 393-4169, email <a href="mailto:dslcny@nybiz.rr.com">dslcny@nybiz.rr.com</a> or visit <a href="www.dslcny.org.">www.dslcny.org.</a>



MUSIC FOR EUCHARIST

Gathering Song #690 Healing River of the Spirit Responsorial Psalm 16 You Are My Inheritance, O Lord

Gospel Acclamation #929 Alleluia
Preparation Hymn #494 Age to Age

Opening Acclamation #878 Holy

Memorial Acclamation #880 When We Eat This Bread

Communion #325 In the Breaking of the Bread

Recessional #573 Let the Heavens Be Glad