## 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

<u>Our Mission Statement:</u> 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.

<u>Location of C+CC</u>: 2125 Burdett Ave. (across from BARH dorms) Open 8:30 am - 10:30 pm <u>Mailing address</u>: RPI Chaplains' Office, Rensselaer Union - Rm. 3514, 110 Eighth Street, Troy, NY 12180 <u>Telephone</u>: (C+CC) 274-7793 Fax: (C+CC) 274-5945 (Chaplains' Office) Mary Holbritter 276-6518 Diane Waters 276-6517 <u>E-mail</u>: (Chaplains' Office): <u>holbrm@rpi.edu</u>; <u>waterd3@rpi.edu</u> <u>Web site</u>: (C+CC) <u>http://www.chapelandculturalcenter.org</u> (PARISH) <u>http://www.christsunofjustice.org</u> <u>Director of C+CC</u>: Kevin Krolik, 274-7793, <u>krolik2@rpi.edu</u>; <u>Scheduling of C+CC for any function</u>: 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!

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK: (21 January: THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME) Jon 3:1-5, Cor 7:29-31; Mk 1:14-20. (Monday) Sm 5:1-7, 10; Mk 3:22-30. (Tuesday) Sm 6:1-12b-15, 17-19; Mk 3:31-35. (Wednesday) Sm 7:4-17; Mk 4:1-20 see 518: Eph 3:8-12; Jn 15:9-17. (Thursday) Acts 22:3-16 or 9:1-22; Mk 16:15-18. (Friday) Tm 1:1-8 or Ti 1:1-5 Mk 4:26-34 see 520: Lk 10:1-9. (Saturday) Sm 12:1-7, 10-17; Mk 4:35-41. (28 January: FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME) Dt 18:15-20; Cor 7:32-35; Mk 1:21-28.

WELCOME TO THE SPRING SEMESTER OF 2018! To the new students, staff and faculty, we are here to help in any way we can. To all the returnees - we hope and pray your Christmas, New Year and Epiphany celebrations were joy-filled, refreshing and life supporting. And so, we continue or begin.

THANK YOU TO THE ANDERSON FAMILY FOR HOSTING LAST WEEK'S COFFEE HOUR. The next COFFEE HOUR is scheduled for 11 February, after the 10:30 am liturgy, but we are still looking for hosts. No experience necessary! Please consider signing up today!

Please Note: THERE WILL BE NO DAILY MASS AT THE C+CC ON FRIDAY, 26 JANUARY.

THIS WEEK, FOOD FOR THE HUNGRY OF TROY. Please remember to make a donation to our area local food pantries. Checks may be made payable to Bethany Center or Unity House.

PASTORAL COUNCIL: The next Pastoral Council meeting will be held on <u>Monday, 22 January, at 6:30 pm</u> in the Lounge. Look for the agenda on the bulletin board in the hall. Anyone who is interested is welcome to attend. For those considering joining the Council, please consider attending to learn more about its function and activities. If you have any questions, agenda items or concerns, please contact Christine Relyea, chair, at (724) 316-6664 or (crelyea28@qmail.com).

PRE-CANA (Marriage Preparation) - <u>3 March 2018</u> - 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.

PLEASE SERIOUSLY CONSIDER THIS OPPORTUNITY - If you are interested in being Confirmed, meetings will begin at the end of this month. For more information, please contact Fr. Ed, Deacon Joe, or Rosanne Rose at <u>Rose.FR@verizon.net</u> or (518) 785-6253.

TAX STATEMENTS: If you wish to have a statement of contributions for tax purposes, please call the office and we will send out the letter as soon as possible.

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 276-6517 or send information to both Mary and Diane at <u>holbrm@rpi.edu</u> and <u>waterd3@rpi.edu</u>.

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

<u>GENERATIONS IN FAITH TOGETHER (GIFT): (Contact: Deacon Joe Romand, romanj6@rpi.edu)</u> --Come join us today (21 January 2018) at 11:45 am for our next session of GIFT. Topic: Introduction to The Gospel of Mark/Mark 1. All are welcome!

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 and growing our faith, brotherhood, and communities. We host a variety of regular events including our monthly Movie Knight on the first Saturday of every month, study hours at 6:30 pm, on the 1st floor of the Folsom Library every Wednesday, and Adoration and theological discussion every Friday. 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>

--Coming soon to the Gallery: History of the C+CC: The First 25 Years.

--Clinical Somatic Class Offerings - (3) very special 1 hour courses that will bring awareness to yourself as a self-sensing and self-moving organism. No one knows what it is like to be you on the inside. From that perspective, these courses will bring into focus some of the challenges we face today as somas. The classes, entitled, "Text Neck", "Catch Your Breath" and "Secret Sides of Stress" will explore, thru movement and breathing, challenges we face daily. Through self-empowerment and a new inner understanding of ourselves, we can learn to manage these challenges and bring balance to our lives. Class fee \$15 / max 5-6 students / bring yoga mats - we have new carpet! Mondays 6:30 pm, Wednesdays 12:00 noon, Fridays 12:00 noon. Note: Please contact Paul Powers LMT, <u>ppowers26@nycap.rr.com</u> or (518) 322-8577 by email, text or call to attend.

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### A Family Perspective, by Bud Ozar

It must have been difficult for Zebedee to watch his sons walk away and follow Jesus. It was the end of "Zebedee and Sons Fishing, Inc." Our children were never ours. They are only on loan to us. We raise them to let them go.



	MUSIC FOR EUCHARIST
Gathering Song	#535 O God, Beyond All Praising
Responsorial Psalm 2	5 To You, O Lord, I Lift My Soul
Gospel Acclamation	#929 Alleluia
Preparation Hymn	#384 The Summons
Opening Acclamation	#879 Holy
Memorial Acclamation	n #880 When We Eat This Bread
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 and ever. Amen
Lamb of God	#882 Lamb of God
Communion	#349 Bread of Life
Recessional	#184 Go Make of All Disciples

FROM THE MUSIC MINISTRY ~ AN INVITATION FOR SINGERS AND INSTRUMENTALISTS. Each semester we look for new energy and commitment from the congregation and now would be a wonderful time to see for yourself! You have the choice to sing at any of the four Masses each weekend. It is a creative ministry with a flexible schedule. Or, if you know someone who sings or plays an instrument and you think they might be interested, please encourage them to join. Please speak with Barb Musial after Mass or at <u>musiab@sage.edu</u>. Thank you!