

## 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.

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

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

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Director of C+CC: Kevin Kroluk, 274-7793, [krolik2@rpi.edu](mailto:krolik2@rpi.edu); Scheduling of C+CC for any function: 274-7793

Director of Music: Barbara Musial, [musiab@sage.edu](mailto:musiab@sage.edu)

Christ Sun of Justice Parish Trustees: Mary Crangle Nagy and Paul Kraus

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: (6 January: THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD) Is 60:1-6; Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6; Mt 2:1-12. (Monday) Jn 3:22-4:6; Mt 4:12-17, 23-25. (Tuesday) Jn 4:7-10; Mk 6:34-44. (Wednesday) Jn 4:11-18; Mk 6:45-52. (Thursday) Jn 4:19-5:4; Lk 4:14-22a. (Friday) Jn 5:5-13; Lk 5:12-16. (Saturday) Jn 5:14-21; Jn 3:22-30. (13 January: THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD) Is 40:1-5, 9-11; Ti 2:11-14; 3:4-7; Lk 3:15-16, 21-22.

**A BLESSED, HAPPY AND HOLY 2019 TO EACH OF YOU AND YOUR FAMILIES~!~**

DURING THE MONTH OF DECEMBER, AL SCHONGAR, JOHN KACERGUI, SONDR A CHRISTIAN, LINDA BENDER, FRANCES KIPPEN, NORB HEPFINGER, MARILYN HOPWOOD, JAMES GATESMAN AND WILLIAM McLOUGHLIN WERE ENROLLED IN OUR MEMORIAL FUND. JIM THOMAS, BOB CLANCY AND FRAN MILLER WERE ENROLLED for their health and well-being. The 10:30 am liturgy has, as its principle remembrance, those enrolled in December and all enrolled.

A SINCERE THANK YOU to all who participated in our Christmas Giving Project. We received in excess of \$3,000. in Gift Cards for Unity House for our Christmas Giving Project. We are overwhelmed by the generosity of everyone.

THERE WILL BE NO DAILY MASS AT THE C+CC NEXT WEEK, 7-11 JANUARY.

NOTE: THE 5:00 PM SUNDAY MASS WILL RESUME ON 13 JANUARY 2019.

COFFEE HOUR will be held next week on 13 January, after the 10:30 am liturgy, graciously hosted by the Crone family. Take some time out to join us for refreshments and community. All are welcome!

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

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!

PRE-CANA (Marriage Preparation) will be held on 23 February 2019, from 9am - 9pm. 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. Everything is provided for the day - this includes food.

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).

**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.

**HEALTH CONCERNS!** Please, if you or a member of your family have a cold or cold symptoms, do not receive Eucharist from the cup. We do clean our sacred vessels carefully after each liturgy but that is after Mass. Thanks so much.

**TO ANY ILL/HOMEBOUND/NURSING HOME/HOSPITALIZED PARISHIONERS WHO WOULD LIKE TO RECEIVE A FRIENDLY VISIT AND/OR COMMUNION,** please call the office at (518) 276-6518. Kathy Spain assists our University Parish in this area and would be happy to accommodate you.

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.

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

-- Come join us 13 January 2019 after the 10:30 am Mass for our next session of GIFT. All are welcome! 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). Subject matter for this session: Luke 12-13. Please read these chapters of Luke's Gospel beforehand in preparation.

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: The C+CC's History continued. Part II of the collection of photos from our History. This exhibit will include our most recent 25 years. The exhibit will be up until January.

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A Family Perspective, by Bud Ozar

After meeting Jesus, the Magi returned home by "another way." What in your family needs to be done "another way?" Do you need "another way to resolve differences, to communicate or show affection? This is a new year, time to change what isn't working. Take a tip from some wise men, there's always "another way."

CARD MAKING WORKSHOP FOR MEN & WOMEN will be presented by Brigid Meyer, at the Dominican Retreat & Conference Center on Saturday, 19 January, from 1:30 pm - 3:30 pm. Come and join in an afternoon making greeting cards using stamps, ink, "bling", ribbons, etc. No experience or supplies needed - all will be provided! Each participant will go home with 4 cards and envelopes - created by you! It's fun and easy! The cost is \$15.00. For information and/or reservations, please contact the Center at (518) 393-4169, email [dslcny@nybiz.rr.com](mailto:dslcny@nybiz.rr.com) or visit [www.dslcny.org](http://www.dslcny.org).

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