PENTECOST SUNDAY 8-9 JUNE 2019

# 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

<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.

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: (9 June: PENTECOST SUNDAY) Acts 2:1-11; Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Rom 8:8-17; Jn 20:19-23 or Jn 14:15-16, 23b-26. (Monday) Gn 3:9-15, 20 or Acts 1:12-14; Jn 19:25-34. (Tuesday) Acts 11:21b-26; 13:1-3; Mt 5:13-16 see 580: Mt 10:7-13. (Wednesday) Cor 3:4-11; Mt 5:17-19. (Thursday) Cor 3:15-4:1, 3-6; Mt 5:20-26 see 581: Is 61:1-3a; Lk 10:1-9. (Friday) Cor 4:7-15; Mt 5:27-32. (Saturday) Cor 5:14-21; Mt 5:33-37. (16 June: THE MOST HOLY TRINITY) Prv 8:22-31; Rom 5:1-5; Jn 16:12-15.

PENTECOST: The Greek word for Pentecost (Pentekostè) means "fiftieth", and in early Christianity it referred to the entire fifty days of Easter. The roots of Pentecost can be found in the Jewish festival of Weeks (Shavu`ot), the fifty-day celebration following Passover (Exodus 23:16). It was a harvest festival in which the first fruits of the harvest were offered to God in gratitude. It eventually became associated with the giving of the Torah on Mount Sinai. Early Christians reinterpreted the Jewish festival as a commemoration of the coming of the Holy Spirit, since Acts records that the Holy Spirit came to the disciples when the festival of Pentecost was fulfilled (see Acts 2:1-11). The celebration of Pentecost may begin on Saturday afternoon or evening with the Vigil. By the end of the fourth century in the West, Pentecost became a time for the initiation of those not baptized at Easter. Thus, a night Vigil was added like the Easter Vigil for this purpose.

JOIN US FOR COFFEE HOUR following the 10:00 am Mass. Take time out of your busy schedule to enjoy refreshments and community! All are welcome!

THERE WILL BE NO DAILY MASS AT THE C+CC ON FRIDAY, 14 JUNE.

NEXT WEEK, FOOD FOR THE HUNGRY OF TROY. Please remember a non-perishable food item or monetary donation. 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="mailto:holbrm@rpi.edu">holbrm@rpi.edu</a> and <a href="mailto:waterd3@rpi.edu">waterd3@rpi.edu</a>.

OUR 2019 BISHOP'S APPEAL: Our Bishop's Appeal provides the annual resources necessary to fund more than 30 offices that provide services to parishes (including ours) and other programs. No single parish can provide these services on its own. A successful Appeal is essential to the continued vitality of our parish and our diocesan church. Our parish and diocese are one and inseparable. Neither one can exist without the other. Please, something is better than nothing! To date, we have raised \$18,600 from 50 families. Thank you for your generosity!

If you're interested in becoming <u>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 call the <u>Chaplain's Office at (518) 276-6517</u>,

PERSONAL CARE CLOSET DRIVE - From Fr. Ed: I cannot begin to thank you enough for the overwhelming generosity shown in the collection for the Personal Care Closet drive, through Catholic Charities. The donations given covered the spectrum of necessities needed the meet the basic needs of their clients. In addition, the monies we received allowed us to inventory what was collected and purchase more essentials. Catholic Charities could not believe the amount and variety of the items. Thank you!

PLEASE REMEMBER to donate to ST. JAMES SCHOOL with a \$1 donation a month. The "Treasure Chest" is on the cabinet in the corridor. Please put your donations there. Thank you for your continued support!

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

--Thank you to all who joined us for GIFT this year to study and discuss the Gospel According to Luke. Luke depicts Jesus in his short-lived ministry as deeply compassionate for all, especially those who were rejected or diminished in value by their society - the poor, the oppressed, and the marginalized of that culture, such as Samaritans, Gentiles, and women. Some of Jesus' most powerful parables are uniquely recorded in Luke: The Good Samaritan, The Rich Fool, The Prodigal Son, The Rich Man and Lazarus, The Persistent Widow, and The Pharisee and the Tax Collector. Luke describes Jesus on the road, healing and teaching, a journey that climaxes on the road to Emmaus. Luke's Jesus continues on a journey with us throughout our lives. Godspeed.

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

--The "Social Justice Revisited" Art Exhibit by artist Betty LaDuke is now on exhibit in the Gallery at the C+CC. LaDuke's paintings and prints explore social justice issues related to food production, migration and sustainability. Betty LaDuke has traveled throughout Africa, Asia, South and Central America, Europe and the Middle East. This extensive travel has allowed her to develop a unique position as an artist; one who has created a body of work that expresses deep commitment and understanding for the planet and for the rural people whose lives are connected to the land.

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

Today's Gospel tells us God wants to take up residence in your family, "We will come and make our home with you." Every family is called to be a tabernacle where God dwells. Is Jesus a permanent member of your family or a temporary guest? Today, the promise is given. The choice is ours.

 $6^{ ext{th}}$  ANNUAL ROSARY WALK FOR LIFE WITH BISHOP SCHARFENBERGER – Join Bishop Scharfenberger at the annual NY Rosary Walk for Life on Saturday, 29 June, from 10:00 am - 2:00 pm, as we pray for and learn about end of life issues including physician-assisted suicide. Clergy, religious and the lay faithful will recite the rosary in procession around the NYS Capitol to promote the culture of life. The day will begin with Mass at the Immaculate Conception Church at 10:00 am, followed by the Rosary Walk, a talk by Sr. Peter Lillian DiMaria, and a reception at the Church at 1:00 pm. For more information, visit www.facebook.com/AlbanyRosaryWalk.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES NIGHT AT THE MUSEUM will be held on Thursday, 20 June, at 5:30 pm at the NY State Museum in Albany. This year's esteemed honorees are The Hayes Family & Fenimore Asset Management, whose combined decades of service with Catholic Charities has had tremendous impact on thousands of lives. Featuring gourmet food stations, live music, beer & wine, carousel rides, a trips of a lifetime silent auction and cash raffle. Tickets are \$125 and all proceeds benefit Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Albany. Tickets can be purchased online at <a href="https://www.ccrcda.org">www.ccrcda.org</a> or by calling (518) 453-6650.



## MUSIC FOR EUCHARIST

Gathering Song #444 Come, Holy Ghost Responsorial 104 Lord, Send Out Your Spirit Gospel Acclamation #912 Alleluia vs. 4 Preparation Hymn #449 Send Us Your Spirit #914 Holy Opening Acclamation Memorial Acclamation

#916 When We Eat This Bread Communion #453 Send Us Your Spirit Recessional

#415 Church of God, Elect and Glorious