

UNIVERSITY PARISH OF CHRIST SUN OF JUSTICE

MASS SCHEDULE

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

(5:30 PM every Wednesday during Lent)

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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Web site: (C+CC) <http://www.chapelandculturalcenter.org> (PARISH) <http://www.christsunofjustice.org>

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

Director of Music: Barbara Musial, 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!

Father Ed Kacerguis, Pastor: fred@rpi.edu

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Joseph Romand, Deacon: romanj6@rpi.edu

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK: (17 MARCH: SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT) Gn 15:5-12, 17-18; Phil 3:17-4:1 or 3:20, 4:1; Lk 9:28b-36. (Monday) Dn 9:4b-10; Lk 6:36-38. (Tuesday: SAINT JOSEPH, SPOUSE OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY) Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16; Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22; Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24a or Lk 2:41-51a. (Wednesday) Jer 18:18-20; Mt 20:17-28. (Thursday) Jer 17:5-10; Lk 16:19-31. (Friday) Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a; Mt 21:33-43, 45-46. (Saturday) Mi 7:14-15, 18-20; Lk 15:1-3, 11-32. (24 MARCH: THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT) Ex 3:1-8a, 13-15; Cor 10:1-6, 10-12; Lk 13:1-9.

THANK YOU to the Webster and Spellman families for hosting last week's COFFEE HOUR. The next COFFEE HOUR will be held on 14 April, after the 10:30 am liturgy graciously hosted by Mary Nagy and Ed & Kathy Spain. Mark your calendars and plan on attending!

PASTORAL COUNCIL: The next Pastoral Council meeting will be held on Tuesday, 19 March, at 6:30 pm, in the Hospitality House. 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@gmail.com).

20 MARCH: The second of our LENTEN WEDNESDAY PROGRAMS. Sister Clarisse Correia, DC will be our spokesperson. Her topic is, "THE CHURCH AS SERVANT". Please sign up on the sheets available for what you are bringing for the meatless dinner. This helps our planning, thanks! Our evening begins with Mass at 5:30 pm.

THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION will be available this week on Tuesday, 19 March, at 4:30 pm. Confessions can also be arranged through email fred@rpi.edu, phone 274-7793 or 20 minutes before liturgy.

WOMEN OF CHRIST SUN OF JUSTICE CHURCH provides an opportunity for mothers and women in the community to share in mutual support, prayer, and study in their many vocational roles as mothers, wives, sisters, daughters and friends. Our next meeting will be in the Hospitality House on Sunday, 24 March, at 1:30 pm. The topic of our discussion will be "living our faith." Please contact Kate at Kate.E.Tozzi@gmail.com if you plan to come.

HOLY HOUR, Friday, 22 March, 6pm - 7pm at the C+CC. We approach the forty days of Lent from a variety of different perspectives and points along the Christian journey. During this season, new and longtime Christians alike hear the call to (re)turn to God with all their hearts, thus entering a season historically characterized by silence and prayer. Join us with all your hearts for a holy hour to experience the Mystery of God through, with and in song, God's Word, the Blessed Sacrament, and each other. Marty Dinan, our deacon candidate, will lead us in celebration.

EASTER TRADITION AT CHRIST SUN OF JUSTICE: At Eastertime, our community gives an Easter plant to those who are housebound/hospitalized, or who have lost a relative during the past year. PLEASE SIGN-UP and share the joy of Easter. We'll give you a name, address and phone number so you can be in touch and visit at a mutually convenient time during Easter Week. \$12 donation; cash or check made payable to Rensselaer Newman Foundation with notation "EASTER PLANT". Questions, contact Jean Francois at 225-1409 or j-francois@nycap.rr.com. **STUDENTS:** We have funding available and will subsidize the cost of the plant and we can arrange transportation. This is a beautiful ministry and your participation is a blessing.

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 or call the Chaplain's Office at (518) 276-6517.

THIS WEEK, FOOD FOR THE HUNGRY OF TROY. Please remember to donate to our local needy neighbors. Checks may be made payable to Unity House or Bethany Center.

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

-- "And he said to them, 'Thus it is written that the Messiah would suffer and rise from the dead on the third day and that repentance, for the forgiveness of sins, would be preached in his name to all nations, beginning from Jerusalem. You are witness of these things...'" (Lk 24: 46-48). Come join us 5 May 2019 after the 10:30 am Mass for our final session of GIFT. All are welcome! Subject matter for this session: Luke 20-24. Please read these chapters of Luke's Gospel beforehand in preparation. 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).

NOTE: THERE WILL BE NO GIFT IN APRIL.

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 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)

--In the Gallery: The Roarke Center artists present: "We the People, Hear the Cries of the Poor and of the Earth." They are addressing immigration issues, invisibility of the poor, care of the Earth and images of Troy. An Artist's Reception will be held on Thursday, 21 March, from 6:30 - 8:00 pm. All are welcome!

--Our inspiring five-week series returns, featuring a Mass at 5:30 pm, a meatless potluck supper at 6:15 pm, and guest speakers at 7:00 pm. The Series is open to everyone, regardless of religious affiliation, so come to whichever part of the program you wish. If you are able, please bring a meatless dish to share for supper.

THE WEDNESDAY LENTEN SPEAKER SERIES:

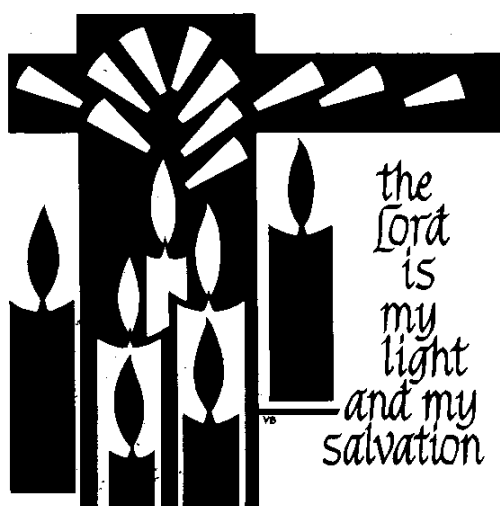
20 March: Sr. Clarisse Correia, DC - "The Church as Servant"

27 March: Professor Christopher Vogt - "The Church as Community"

3 April: Professor Michael Higgins, PhD - "The Church as Mystery"

10 April: Br. Mickey McGrath, OSFS - "The Church as Herald"

A Family Perspective, by Bud Ozar: Jesus "went up the mountain to pray" and he was "changed." Prayer has the power to change us. This Lent set aside a few minutes each day to pray for members of your family. Pray before each meal and if you are married, spend five minutes in prayer together.



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MUSIC FOR EUCHARIST

Gathering Song	#657 Enter the Journey
Responsorial Psalm 27	#749 The Goodness of the Lord vs. 1&2
Gospel Acclamation	#913 Glory to You, Word of God vs. 2
Preparation Hymn	#131 Transfiguration
Opening Acclamation	#914 Holy
Memorial Acclamation	#917 Save Us, Savior
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 & ever. Amen
Communion	#512 To Live with Him Forever
Recessional	#634 A Rightful Place