

## 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 Krolik, 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)

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 May: SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER) Acts 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48; Jn 4:7-10; Jn 15:9-17. (Monday) Acts 16:11-15; Jn 15:26-16:4a. (Tuesday) Acts 16:22-34; Jn 16:5-11. (Wednesday) Acts 17:15, 22-18:1; Jn 16:12-15. (Thursday: THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD) Acts 1:1-11; Eph 1:17-23 or Eph 4:1-13 or 4:1-7, 11-13; Mk 16:15-20. (Friday) Acts 18:9-18; Jn 16:20-23a. (Saturday) Acts 18:23-28; Jn 16:23b-28 (13 May: SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER) Acts 1:15-17, 20a, 20c-26; Jn 4:11-16; Jn 17:11b-19.

DURING THE MONTH OF APRIL, TERRANCE CONWAY, GAIL LaROSE, JOSEPH FLAHERTY, AND FREDA FROHLE, WERE ENROLLED IN OUR MEMORIAL FUND. The 10:30 am liturgy has, as its principle remembrance, those enrolled this month, as well as all who have been enrolled.

**This Thursday, 10 May, is Ascension Thursday, a Holy Day of Obligation in our Diocese. Our Mass schedule is 12:10 PM and 6:00 PM.**

THE SEMESTER ENDS, Graduation is near and sometimes in the hustle, we miss saying goodbye. For those leaving for the summer, good luck, see you in the fall. For our graduates, good luck, be well, and stay in touch!

~ THIS IS THE LAST WEEK FOR THE 5:00 PM MASS ~

PLEASE NOTE VERY CAREFULLY, THE MASS SCHEDULE FOR THE UPCOMING WEEKS:

There will be NO daily Mass at the C+CC on Friday, 11 May.

12-13 May and 19-20 May: Saturday 5:15 pm; Sunday 9:00 am and 10:30 am.

26-27 May Summer Schedule begins: Saturday 5:15 pm and Sunday 10:00 am.

(Full Mass Schedule will resume on 25-26 August)

SENIORS AND ALL WHO ARE GRADUATING THIS MAY: Next Sunday, 13 May, at the 10:30 am Mass, we will say "Thank You" for your presence with us over these past years. Please join us for this liturgy which will have as its intention a sincere "Thank You" and prayers for God's continued blessings wherever you go!

THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION will be available this week on Wednesday, 9 May, at 4:30 pm. Confessions can be arranged by email ([fred@rpi.edu](mailto:fred@rpi.edu)), phone (274-7793, ext. 13) or 20 minutes before Mass.

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

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 (518) 785-6253.

COFFEE HOUR will be held on 20 May, after the 10:30 am liturgy, in celebration of Graduation weekend graciously hosted by the Reale Family. Mark your calendar and plan on attending! All are welcome!

WELCOME TO ALL OUR VISITORS AND NEW PARISHIONERS! If you regularly attend our services here, or would like to keep up to date with our programs and schedule of events, we invite you to join the parish. Your registration also helps us to provide sacraments, sick visits and other assistance you may need. Membership forms are found in hallway. Thank you and we wish you many blessings!

**OUR 2018 BISHOP'S APPEAL:** Letters have been sent detailing our participation in this effort. 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!

Our Parish will be holding a **PERSONAL CARE CLOSET DRIVE** in the month of May, which is sponsored by **CATHOLIC CHARITIES AIDS SERVICES**. Our assistance will help in filling unmet needs of people living with HIV/AIDS and others living with chronic illnesses who Catholic Charities now serves through their expanded Medicaid intensive case management services. Items needed for the drive are soap, shampoo, deodorant, toothpaste, shaving items, bath tissue, tissues, and paper towels. Should you be unable to provide any of these items, please feel free to offer a check made out to Christ Sun of Justice and on the memo line write "Personal Care Closet". We will then use this money to purchase needed items.

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).

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

--Come join us this Sunday, 6 May, at 11:45 am for our final session of GIFT for this academic year. Please read *Mark 13-16*. We continue our facilitated DVD series using materials published by Little Rock Scripture Study (Little Rock, Arkansas) in connection with Liturgical Press (Collegeville, Minnesota). All are welcome!

**COLLEGE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL #13635:** (Contact: Eric Lowden, [lowdee@rpi.edu](mailto: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: **Tuesdays** (except first Tuesday of the month) Rosary in the C+CC Lounge at 7:30 pm; **Fridays:** Theology Club at the Off-Campus Commons (next door to Moe's) at 8:30 pm.

**NEWMAN CATHOLIC FELLOWSHIP** (Contact: Daniel Trosa, [trosad@rpi.edu](mailto:trosad@rpi.edu))

--Newman is currently in the process of revitalization. We are calling all students to join us as we help to build up the Catholic community on campus. We are excited to work with the students and parishioners to deepen our faith as we pray, play, and serve those in Christ's name. Keep an eye out for more information on our events planned by following us on Facebook at RPI Newman Catholic Fellowship, or visit our webpage at [www.newman.union.rpi.edu](http://www.newman.union.rpi.edu) and contact an officer if you are interested.

**CHAPEL + CULTURAL CENTER:** (Contact: Kevin Krolik, [krolik2@rpi.edu](mailto:krolik2@rpi.edu))

--In the Gallery: The Roarke Center Artists present "Where We Belong". There will be an opening reception on Wednesday, 16 May, from 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm. All are welcome!

--Art Show: We are pleased to present a special Art Show with Samaritan Child Care. This pop-up event, will be held on Friday, 11 May, from 3:00 - 5:00 pm, and feature works of students ranging from photos to small sculptures. Free & open to the public.

A Family Perspective, by Bud Ozar:

Today's Gospel challenges us to "love one another as I have loved you." Jesus is our model and he asks us to "lay down our life" (our time, attention, opinions and needs) for each other. This is the sacrament of the family, when God is made visible in our sacrificial love for one another.



#### MUSIC FOR EUCHARIST

Gathering Song	#566 Join in the Dance vs. 1-3
Gloria	<i>See verses below</i>
Responsorial Psalm 98	#793 All the Ends of the Earth
Gospel Acclamation	#919
Preparation Hymn	#613 Where My Father Lives
Opening Acclamation	#921 Holy
Memorial Acclamation	#923 When We Eat This Bread
Communion	#668 Where Love is Found
Recessional	#566 Join in the Dance vs. 4-6

♪♪ Glory to God in the Highest, Glory to God, and on earth, peace to people, to people of goodwill. Lord, God, Heavenly King, Almighty God and Father, we worship You, we give You thanks, we praise you for Your glory. Lord, Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God, You take away the sin of the world, have mercy on us. You are seated at the right hand of the Father, receive our prayer. For You alone are the Holy One, You alone are the Lord, the Most High Jesus Christ with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen. ♪♪