

## 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, [kroluk2@rpi.edu](mailto:kroluk2@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: (12 November: 32<sup>ND</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME) Wis 6:12-16; Thes 4:13-18 or 4:13-14; Mt 25:1-13. (Monday) Wis 1:1-7; Lk 17:1-6 see 731-736. (Tuesday) Wis 2:23-3:9; Lk 17:7-10. (Wednesday) Wis 6:1-11; Lk 17:11-19. (Thursday) Wis 7:22b-8:1; Lk 17:20-25. (Friday) Wis 13:1-9; Lk 17:26-37 see 678: 1 Jn 3:14-18; Lk 6:27-38. (Saturday) Wis 18:14-16; 19:6-9; Lk 18:1-8. (19 November: 33<sup>RD</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME) Prv 31:10-13, 19-20; 30-31; 1 Thes 5:1-6; Mt 25:14-20 or 25:14-15, 19-21.

NOVEMBER, in our Roman Catholic Tradition, is the month we remember in an intense manner those who have died. All the liturgies celebrated here at the C+CC will have a special remembrance for those whose names are inscribed in our Book of the Dead. Please inscribe the names of your family and friends that you wish to be remembered especially this year. Our book is placed on the right side of the altar next to the Paschal Candle.

THE SACRAMENT OF THE SICK will be celebrated at the 10:30 am Mass this weekend. This Sacrament is for all who have chronic conditions and any other illness, no matter what the condition.

COFFEE HOUR will be held this week, following the 10:30 am liturgy, graciously hosted by Ora Schongar and Dee & Dave Dzielwski. All are welcome to stay and enjoy refreshments and fellowship!

THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION will be available this week on Tuesday, 14 November, at 4:30 pm. Confessions can also be arranged by email [fred@rpi.edu](mailto:fred@rpi.edu), phone 274-7793, ext. 13 or 20 minutes before Mass.

**2017 FALL SPEAKER SERIES AT THE C+CC:** Please join us on Wednesday, 15 November, at 7:00 pm for a panel discussion on Religion and the Arts. JOSEPH DALTON, arts critic for the Times Union, will be moderator. Four women artists from the Capital Region will discuss their creative and spiritual paths and present samples of their work: dancer and scholar KIMERER LaMOTHE, author and minister JO PAGE, visual artist and clairvoyant MARINA PETRO, and composer and poet HILARY TANN. All are welcome to join us!

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

Please Note: There will be NO Mass at the C+CC Friday, 17 November.

50<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY CRAFT FAIR: On Saturday, 18 November, from 1-5 pm and after the 5:15 Mass, and on 19 November, after each Mass (9, 10:30 and 5pm) we will hold our annual CRAFT FAIR that benefits St. James School, in Kalk Bay, South Africa. Shop for unique gifts such as handmade scarves, cards, ornaments, wreaths, jewelry and more, at great prices, that support a wonderful cause!

SIGN-UP SHEETS FOR THANKSGIVING DINNERS: Would you like to host? Would you like to be a guest? See our bulletin board for this sign-up sheet.

A TREMENDOUS THANK YOU to everyone who donated desserts to the ICC Spaghetti Dinner!!

**LECTOR BOOKS:** The Lector books used to help in preparation for proclaiming "The Word" are now available. If you can, we ask for a donation of \$10 to cover the cost. This request should not keep anyone from obtaining a book. Cycle B begins with the 1st Sunday of Advent (3 December 2017). The books are in the sacristy.

**OUR THANKSGIVING LITURGY** will be celebrated on Wednesday, 22 November, at 6:00 pm. This is to be followed by a soup/bread/salad/dessert meal. We are asking for a non-perishable food item from all attending. In addition, if coming, please bring a dessert. The rest will be supplied. If you have guests coming from out of town, ask them to join us. Please use the sign-up sheet in the hallway for the number attending.

**AS WE GIVE THANKS** - During the Harvest time of year, we give thanks for our many blessings of abundance. With this in mind, we are collecting winter items of gloves and warm socks for men, women & children for the soup kitchen patrons who often do not have these items on a regular basis. **THESE DONATIONS WILL BE USED AT OUR ANNUAL HOLIDAY DINNER FOR THE PATRONS LATER THIS YEAR.** If you have any questions, please contact Jean Francois at 518-225-1409 or [j-francois@nycap.rr.com](mailto:j-francois@nycap.rr.com).

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 785-6253.

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 [holbrm@rpi.edu](mailto:holbrm@rpi.edu) and [waterd3@rpi.edu](mailto:waterd3@rpi.edu). The deadline is Wednesday by 1:00 pm to be included in that week's bulletin.

**PRE-CANA (Marriage Preparation) - 3 March 2018** - 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 276-6517. The time is 9 am through 9 pm. Everything is provided for the day - this includes food.

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

--Come join us 19 November for GIFT following the 10:30 Sunday Mass. All are welcome! We continue our facilitated DVD series using materials published by Little Rock Scripture Study (Little Rock, Arkansas) in connection with Liturgical Press (Collegeville, Minnesota). Topics for this session: The Word of God in Human Words/The Challenge of Faithful Interpretation and The Fallacy of Biblical Fundamentalism/The Canon of the Bible.

**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.

**CHAPEL + CULTURAL CENTER: (Contact: Kevin Krolik, krolik2@rpi.edu)** --In the Gallery: The works of local artist from Albany: David Sofer is a thoughtful and innovative artist in search of the inherent beauty in the world. His art collection features a unique 3D mesh form and uses acrylic and oil Paints.

--The Capital Pride Singers Fall Concert, "Jukebox", will be held on Thursday, 16 November, at 7:30 pm. Admission is \$8 plus a non-perishable food item.

--Duly Noted Fall Concert: Join us for Duly Noted, RPI's one and only all-male a cappella group for "A Night at the Museum (no relation)!" on Friday, 17 November, at 8:00 pm. Tickets are \$3 (advanced tickets available at the DCC on Monday - Friday, from 9-5) or \$5 at the door. The concert features the Smith College's Smithereens and Bard's Oracpelicans. Come for a great time, a lot of laughs and maybe some singing!



#### MUSIC FOR EUCHARIST

Gathering Song	#586 Let All Things Now Living
Responsorial Psalm 63	My Soul is Thirsting For You, O Lord my God
Gospel Acclamation	Alleluia
Preparation Hymn	#564 Rise Up With Him
Communion	#769 My Soul Thirsts
Recessional	#632 A Rightful Place