

JULY 17, 2016
SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

MONDAY – Saint Camillus de Lellis

8:30 Herbert Umstead Sr. req.by the Spinetta Family

TUESDAY

8:30 Dr. John Mazzaferre req. by Terry Mazzaferre

WEDNESDAY – Saint Apollinaris, Bishop and Martyr

8:30 Anastacia Zydilajew req. by Joan Stern

THURSDAY – Saint Lawrence of Brindisi

8:30 Dr. Salvatore Conte req. by the Gang Family
 Eugene Nemeth req. by the Family

FRIDAY – Saint Mary Magdalene

8:30 Fred Daunno req. by LuAnn Sensale

SATURDAY – Saint Bridget

8:30 Special Intention for Marie, Hector & Andre req.
 by Family

5:30 Frank & Mary Vesonder req. by Jim & Sylvia
 Riordan

Vincent Martino req. by Dottie Capasso

JULY 24, 2016
SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

7:45 Anna & Peter Pietrucha and deceased family
 members req. by Joseph & Edna Pietrucha

9:00 Mary & Vito Mazzaferre req. by Terry Mazzaferre

10:30 People of the Parish
 Michael Twomey req. by Mary & John McGuire
 and Family

12:00 Dorothy Cunningham req. by Susan & Rob Loyas
 Special Intention for Ashley Bond and Robert
 Morton req. by Mom & Dad Bond

NO 5:00 PM SUNDAY MASS DURING SUMMER

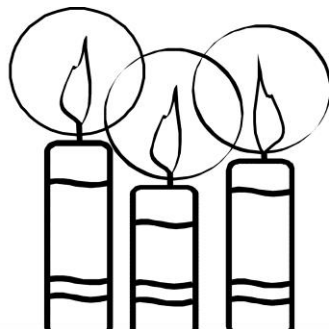
There will not be a 5:00 PM Mass during the summer
 months. The 5:00 PM Mass will resume on the Sunday
 after Labor Day.

PARISH FINANCES

July 10, 2016 **\$10,157**

Catholic Communications, Catholic University,
Black and Indian Missions **\$2,349**

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REFLECTION

White Martyrs

Those who suffer persecution and even death because of their faith are called “red martyrs” because their acts of faith involve the shedding of blood. This is the type of martyrdom we usually recognize, whether the martyrs died during the persecutions in the Roman Empire or in various parts of the world today.

Classically though, the Church recognizes another kind martyrdom – white martyrs. These courageous faithful suffer emotionally, spiritually, or physically for the faith, yet not to the point of shedding blood.

In some ways, if we take our religion seriously, we will all become white martyrs at some time in our lives.

Let me just mention some white martyrs I’ve recently met who have inspired me profoundly:

The mother who sits night and day at the bedside of her little son as he’s hooked up to chemo at Children’s Hospital.

The family with four children who have just adopted a special needs baby.

The college student who gets snickered at every Sunday morning in the university dorm as he gets up early to go to Mass.

The husband who is sticking by his wife for the long haul, even though she’s “fallen off the wagon” again in her constant struggle with an addiction to alcohol.

They are all white martyrs. They are suffering because of their faith. No one is after them with torches, machetes, or guns, but their trial is real, their faith enduring, their hope unflagging.

Soon or later, we’ll all be there.

It’s part of the dying and rising of Jesus and His people.

Cardinal Timothy Dolan, *Doers of the Word*

THE WEEK IN THE PARISH 7/18/16 – 7/23/16

Tues	9:00 AM Scripture Sharing	Library
Wed.	7:00 PM Men's Cornerstone	Youth Room
	7:00 PM Women's Cornerstone	Cassidy Hall
Thurs.	6:00 PM – BINGO (Non Smoking)	McKenna Hall
Fri.	8:00 PM – AA	Cassidy Hall
Sat.	9:00 AM Legion of Mary	St. Benedict
	8:00 PM AA	McKenna Hall

LITURGY

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First Reading: Genesis 18:1-10a

The Lord appeared to Abraham, who saw three men standing near his tent. Sensing they were messengers, he hurriedly brought them food and water to refresh themselves. Upon leaving, the men told him that they would visit in a year, at which time his childless wife Sarah would have a son.

Second Reading: Colossians 1:24-28

Paul discusses the suffering Christ endured for his Church. He describes his willingness to also endure suffering in Jesus' name. Paul hopes that through his sacrifices, many people will become complete in Jesus.

Gospel: Luke 10:38-42

Jesus was welcomed into the home of a woman named Martha. She complained to Jesus that her sister Mary sat listening to him instead of helping with the tasks of entertaining. Jesus told Martha that her sister had chosen the more important task, and should be allowed to listen.

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS:

First Reading: Genesis 18:1-10a

Second Reading: Colossians 1:24-28

Gospel: Luke 10:38-42

KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS

Those serving in the military especially:
Richard Fox, John Garlasco, Brian McCarthy, Lt. Daniel Faherty, Joseph Venutolo, Cpl. Marc Vero, Sgt. Jeremy Overstreet, Kevin Michael Kiefer, Michael Krapels, Robert Stumpe, USMC, Staff Sgt. Jeremy Curcio, Staff Sgt. Lena Webb, Spc. Samuel Nolan, US Army, Lt. Jamie Curcio, Navy Reserve, 1ST Lt. Christopher Tantillo; Cpl. Conor J. Brady, USMC, LCpl. Marc Stanziale, USMC. 1ST Lt. Joseph Brunone, US Nat'l Guard. Please continue to pray for all our service men and women.

YOUTH GROUP

There will be no Youth Group during the month of July and will resume on August 8th.

CATHOLIC DIVORCE SURVIVAL GUIDE

Are you, a family member, or a friend divorced? There's no such thing as a *Catholic* divorce, but Catholics do civilly divorce. Give someone a copy of this bulletin to invite them to the *Catholic's Divorce Survival Guide* 12-week group which begins September 15th from 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. in St. Lucy's Room. Cost is \$15 per person which includes a "personal survival guide" and all materials for 12 weeks.

The dates of the meetings are:

Sept 15, 22, 29

Oct. 6, 13, 20

Nov. 3, 10, 17

Dec. 1, 8, 15

Find comfort and counsel consistent with Catholic teachings. Call Laurie DiCianni at 973-729-6107 or email

ldicianni@ourladyofthelake.org to sign up for this program. Space is limited.



AN RCIA INVITATION

If you, or someone you know would like to know more about the Catholic faith, we invite you to join us at an Inquiry Session. Inquiry sessions DO NOT assume a commitment to join the Catholic Church. These sessions are opportunities to ask questions about God, Jesus, the sacraments and Catholic faith and practices. All who are unbaptized, baptized into another faith denomination, or baptized Catholic but have not received Eucharist or Confirmation, are invited. Inquiry sessions are for those who wish to inquire, explore, and search for ways to grow in relationship with God. For more information call our parish office at (973) 729-6107. Our sessions will begin in September.

NIGHT ON THE TOWN RAFFLE



The Cassidy Endowment is having its annual "Night on the Town" Raffle. The drawing will be held on July 25,

2016 at 8:00 PM. Tickets are available from Rev. George Brown Parents or the Parish Office. The cost of a ticket is \$5.00. A "Night on the Town" includes two tickets to a show or event of your choice, chauffeured transportation or an \$800.00 gift certificate to Wolf Lodge in PA.

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WE'VE BEEN ASKED TO ANNOUNCE

World Apostolate of Fatima, Blue Army Shrine, 674 Mt. View Rd., Washington, Saturday, August 6th – "You at Least Try to Console Me.", NJ, invites all to Honor Our Lady's plea of Dec. 10, 1925 requesting Five Consecutive First Saturdays of Reparation. Special guest Speaker/Celebrant Fr. Peter Ssekajugo, I.M.C. Confessions 10:30 am/ 11:30 Rosary w/15 minute meditation; 12:00 Holy Mass; 1:30 Benediction; 2:00 Holy House; confessions, Children's Video, Talk on Last Vision of Fatima; 3:00 Divine Mercy Chaplet. Bring your family and friends to answer the call of the Child Jesus: "And have you spread through the world what our heavenly Mother requested of you?" www.bluearmy.com 908-689-1700 ext. 210

Assumption College for Sisters, 200A Morris Ave, Denville, NJ 07834

CORRECTION: Theology & Philosophy Courses

Th101 Sacred Scripture Thurs 9:15-11:45 am

Th202 Sacramental Theology Thurs 12:30-3:15pm

Th204 Spiritual Theology Tues 9:15-11:45 am

Ph205 Historical Intro to Philosophy Tues 12:30-2:00 pm and Fri 12:30-1:30 pm

Assumption College for Sisters welcomes lay people to register for theology and philosophy courses for credit or audit and any other course for audit. \$510/course for credit; \$255/course for audit. For registration call or email: 93-957-0188 Ext 106 or academicdean@acs350.org

MARK YOUR CALENDAR – Dinner, Auction and Wine Tasting

Sparta Ecumenical Council Food Pantry will be holding its largest fund raising event on Thursday, October 6th at the Lake Mohawk Country Club at 6:00 PM (dinner at 7:00 PM). This event provides much of the funds required to provide food for the citizens of Sparta and Sussex County who are currently down on their luck. Ticket prices are \$55. With the exception of the cost of the meal, all monies raised go directly toward providing food for our clients. In 2015, the Food Pantry provided, bagged and distributed nearly 6,000 bags of food to 862 families. Total value of the food distributed was almost \$200,000. Please prayerfully consider joining us at this event. If you are unable to join us, a cash or check donation is always greatly needed and appreciated. Please be sure to mark your envelope "Food Pantry".

RESPECT LIFE

"Respecting Human Life is the Cornerstone of Catholic social Teaching."

"The abortion conflict has never simply been about repealing Roe v. Wade. And the many pro-lifers I know live a much deeper kind of discipleship than "single issue" politics. But they do understand that the cornerstone of Catholic social teaching is protecting human life from conception to natural death. They do understand that every other human right depends on the right to life. They did not and do not and will not give up – and they won't be lied to."

Archbishop Charles J. Chaput O.F.M.

**A FRESH PERSPECTIVE ON THE SUNDAY READINGS
HIS WORD TODAY** by Rev. William J. Reilly

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
July 17, 2016

“Jesus entered a village where a woman whose name was Martha welcomed him. She had a sister named Mary who sat beside the Lord at his feet listening to him speak. Martha burdened with much serving, came to him and said. ‘Lord do you not care that my sister has left me by myself to do the serving? Tell her to help me.’”

A mark of many religious communities is the gift of hospitality. Like Abraham, and the family of Bethany, being a host was something special. In both cases, the guests were truly special. The conversations became more telling than the visit itself.

Perhaps the anxiety of receiving the Lord made Martha nervous. Surely she wanted things to be nice for the Lord and needed Mary’s help. As she complained, Jesus responded, praising the importance of Mary’s role as listener.

How well do I listen to the needs of others. Someone might be hurting and they need to vent. Someone might be overjoyed at some good news, and by sharing it they double it. Hospitality, the gift of receiving others with their hopes and hurts, with their joys and sorrows, with their wants and needs, enables others to find the Lord Himself. It is a gift that costs little, but has great rewards.

CALLED TO BE MERCIFUL

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ENEMIES FORGIVENESS JUDGMENT
LOVE MERCY PATIENCE
RECONCILIATION REVENGE SALVATION
SINNERS TRANSGRESSIONS TRESPASSES

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SAINT PAUL INSIDE THE WALLS CALENDAR

Speaking of Faith is a series of programs in which Fr. Paul Manning interviews a person of faith about his or her encounter with and response to God, and the integration of faith into work and life.

Fr. Kartje - September 14, 2016 at 7:30 PM
Lisa Hendeby - October 19, 2016 at 7:30 PM
Christopher Bell - February 22, 2017 at 7:30 PM
Deacon Brian Beyerl, MD-May 17, 2017 at 7:30 PM
(You are welcome to join us for Mass at 7:00 PM)

Being Single, Being Faithful (35+)

Moderated by: Mary Theresa Conca
Madison: Saturdays -Sept 24, Oct 29, Dec 3, Jan 7, Feb 11, May 13, 10 AM - 12 PM

Whether single by choice or by circumstance, we must live every "single" day to the fullest. We can find fulfillment in Christ and His Church by embracing the opportunities in the Church for spiritual growth, meaningful service and a sense of community.

First Steps In Faith 11:00 AM - 12 PM

Monday, September 12, 2016
Location: Madison

Join instructor Cindy Costello for a 3 week session that introduces the "first steps" in the Theology of the Body to moms and their newborn-preschool aged children. Stories read aloud and age appropriate activities include: " *Everybody Has a Body*": a simple, fun introduction to the differences between boys and girls." *Every Body Is a Gift*: everyday situations to show young children how they can use their bodies to receive and give love to those around them, and *Every Body Is Smart*: a fun introduction to the ways our bodies talk to us and how we can respond. Moms will discuss ways they can further these topics at home.

To register go to insidethewalls.org