

August 21, 2022

20th Sunday in Ordinary Time



MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, Aug. 20 ~ Vigil/21st Sunday in Ordinary Time 5:30 PM Frank & Gussie Stiano Sunday, August $21 \sim 21^{st}$ Sunday in Ordinary Time 9:30 AM Monday, August 22 9:00 **AM** The People of the Parish Wednesday, August 24 9:00 AM Friday, August 26 9:00 AM Saturday, Aug. 27 ~ Vigil/22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time 5:30 PM Sunday, August 28 ~ 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time 9:30 AM

MINISTERS OF THE WORD

Saturday, Aug. 27 ~ Vigil/22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time 5:30 PM Ted Wall Sunday, August 28 ~ 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time 9:30 AM Eric Halahan

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Saturday, Aug. 27 ~ Vigil/22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time 5:30 PM Kathy Fayol (a), Barb Cinque (c) Sunday, August 28 ~ 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time 9:30 AM Lisa Dyer (a), Sue Schmaus (c)

PRAY FOR THOSE WHO SERVE

Alexandria Baker-Bonitz (Navv) Dvlan Bonitz (Navv) Sarah Bowen (Navy) Juan Gonzalez (Navy) Kaila McGowan (Marines) Anthony Pagano (Navy) Joseph Ruize (Navy) Carissa Tironi (Army) Elliott Weidel (Marines)

PRAY FOR THOSE IN NURSING HOMES

Regina Parthesius, Robert Wise

PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE ILL

Bridget Auer, Joanne Bach, Rob Brosnan, Sr. Margaret Ellen Burke, Courtney Collins, Peter Cavalier, Barbara Ceriale, Brian Cross, Nicole Dawson, Marie DiMare, Tina DiMare, Mary Donnelly, Agnes Ferrone, Anna Gallo,

Joe Gallo, Michael Gallo, Margaret Hale, Ninette Kondratowicz, Nicole Langer, Regina Lempka, Jon Miller, Janet Murphy, Helen Ryan, Frances Salewski, Sue Schmaus, Chris Strobl

LOOKING AHEAD

Helping Hands Food Pantry Every 1^{st} , 3^{rd} & 5^{th} Saturday by Appointment (9 AM start)

Monday, August 29 SummerFest Recap Meeting ~ 6:00 PM



Friday, September 2 First Friday Holy Hour with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament \sim 7:00 PM

Monday, September 5 ~ Labor Day No 9 AM Mass & Office Closed

Tuesday, September 13 Religious Education Classes Resume 6:30-7:30 PM

Sunday, September 18 Catechetical Sunday & Youth Mass at 9:30 AM

Tuesday, September 20 Religious Education Classes ~ 6:30-7:30 PM

> Sunday, September 25 Halahan Bapatism ~ 9:30 AM

Mass Attendance/Collection

Attending Mass August 13 & August 14 109 Weekend's Collection: **\$1,689.00**

STONEHENGE

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Today's Scripture Readings

21st Sunday in Ordinary Time

Isaiah 66:18-21

Hebrews 12:5-7, 11-13

Luke 13:22-30

ABOUT THE LITURGY: Built of Living Stones - Part 1

Considering one of the documents that guide our liturgical worship, let us look at Built of Living Stones: Art, Architect, and Worship, which was promulgated by the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops in November 2000.

Practically, this document was "presented to assist the faithful involved in the building or renovations of churches, chapels, and oratories of the Latin church in the United States. In addition, the document is intended for use by architects, the liturgical consultants and artists, contractors, and other professionals engaged in the design and/or construction of these places of worship" (Built of Living Stones [BLS] 3).

Theologically, the effect that a church building has on the congregation that gathers within it is immense, and that effect is addressed in the document, beginning with the words:

Churches, therefore, must be places suited to sacred celebrations, dignified, and beautiful ... Church buildings and the religious artworks that beautify them are forms of worship themselves and both inspire and reflect the prayer of the community as well as the inner life of grace. Conversely, church buildings and religious artifacts that are trivial, contrived, or lack beauty can detract from the community's liturgy. Architecture and art become the joint work of the Holy Spirit and the local community, that of preparing human hearts to receive God's word and to enter more fully into communion." (BLS 18)

In the next few weeks, we shall look more deeply into how a church is architecture, art, and environment impact worship and ecclesiology.

Parish Council & Trustee

We are in need of two volunteers to serve 3-year terms as members of the Parish Council, and one volunteer to serve as Trustee for a period of 2 years. If you are interested in knowing more, please speak with Fr. Paul Denault,, Sam Osborne (Parish Council Chair), or Beth Texter in the Parish Office. Terms begin September 1, 2022.

The Mystery of the Eucharist in the Life of the Church

By the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops

18. From the very beginning, the Church has believed and celebrated according to the teaching of Jesus himself: Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood has eternal life and I will raise him on the last day. For my flesh is true food, and my blood is true drink. Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood remains in me and I in him (Jn 6:54-56). It is not "ordinary



bread and ordinary drink" that we receive in the Eucharist, but the flesh and blood of Christ, who came to nourish and transform us, to restore our relationship to God and to one another.

19. In the Eucharist, with the eyes of faith we see before us Jesus Christ, who, in the Incarnation became flesh (Jn 1:14) and who in the Paschal Mystery gave himself for us (Ti 2:14), accepting even death on a cross (Phil 2:8). St. John Chrysostom preached that when you see the Body of Christ "set before you [on the altar], say to yourself: Because of this Body I am no longer earth and ashes, no longer a prisoner, but free: because of this I hope for heaven, and to receive the good things therein, immortal life, the portion of angels, [and closeness] with Christ."

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MEMORY

May Their Souls Rest in Peace

IN LOVING

Gloria Troy

Mother of Tom Troy & Mother-in-Law of AnnMarie Troy Entered into Rest 8-7-2022

August D. Barbuti, Jr. (Dave)

Father of Christine Herschel & Father-in-Law of Joe Herschel Entered into Rest 8-15-2022

The people of Our Lady of the Assumption will continue to pray for the souls of Gloria and Dave, and the solace of their families.