

JULY 31, 2016 – EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (C)

“The Church is holy, not just because ALL ARE WELCOME. The Church is holy because ALL BELONG!”
(Timothy Matovina + Pope Francis)

Liturgy for the Week

EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (C)

Eccl 1:2; 2:21-23; Col 3:1-5, 9-11; Lk 12:13-21

- Sat.** July 30, 5:00pm + Dick Aboia
+ Billy Czarnecki
- Sun.** July 31, 7:30am + Virginia Florendo
+ Veronica Cherry
9:30am + Nancy Martin
+ William Bohan
11:00am + Marcello Civetta
+ Nicholas Pizzolla
- Mon.** Aug. 01, 9:00am Saint Alphonsus Liguori,
Bishop & Doctor of the
Church
Jer 28:1-17; Mt 14:13-21
+ Janet Cupp
+ Rose Mistretta
- Tues.** Aug. 02, 9:00am Saint Eusebius of Vercelli,
Bishop; Saint Peter Juliann
Eymard, Priest,
Jer 30: 1-2, 12-15, 18-22; Mt
14:22-36
+ Kay Petrella
Intentions of Mitchell Gibson
- Wed.** Aug. 03, 9:00am Jer 31:1-7; Mt 15:21-28
+ Wallace Spillman
+ George & Jackie Becker
- Thur.** Aug. 04, 9:00am Saint John Vianny, Priest
Jer 31:31-34; Mt 16:13-23:
+ Jackie Sigethy
Intentions of Mitchell Gibson
- Fri.** Aug. 05, 9:00am The Dedication of the
Basilica of Saint Mary Major
Na 2:1, 3: 3:1-3, 6-7; Mt 16:
24-28
+ Donald Hafele
+ Nick & Jean Melatti
- Sat.** Aug. 06, 10:00am **Wedding Mass**
Ryan Hallock
Brittany Grant

NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (C)

Wis 18:6-9; Heb 11:1-2, 8-19; Lk 12:32-48

- Sat.** Aug 06, 5:00pm + Billy Czarnecki
+ Carmine Esposito
- Sun.** Aug. 07, 7:30am + Eugene Becker
+ Robert James Nelson III
9:30am + Mary Kammerer
+ Joseph Carabello
11:00am + Julia Novak
+ Julia Minucci

Clergy Schedule – August 6-7, 2016

- 5:00pm - Fr. John Tarantino
7:30am - Fr. George Dudak; Deacon Roger Lacouture
9:30am - Fr. John Tarantino
11:00am - Fr. John Tarantino

STEWARDSHIP

Contribution boxes are located at the entrances of the main Church for your donations to Resurrection Parish. Special baskets are located in these areas for required National collections.

Weekly Collection – July 23/24 2016 ----- \$7,100.00

Fiscal Year – 2016 ----- \$33,001.93

Fiscal Year – 2015 ----- \$32,082.90

Seeing Jesus transfigured made Peter want to *do* something to mark the event. But the Voice from the cloud said clearly that the first task of those who recognize Jesus as Lord is to *listen* to Jesus – and then act!

Diocesan Mission Cooperative Plan Collection

Next weekend there will be a special collection for Missionary Cooperation Plan. As part of the Diocesan Mission Cooperative Plan, a Salesian Sister of St. John Bosco will speak at our Masses on Sunday, August 7th on behalf of their foreign mission ministries. She will be asking for your help in support of their works throughout the world. The Salesian Sisters are a worldwide Community counting nearly 14,000 Sisters spreading the Gospel on every Continent. Approximately 6,000 Sisters work in mission areas affected by great poverty, disease, political unrest, violence, war and other difficult conditions, such as areas of natural disaster and refugee camps.

Music Ministry

This weekend is the final weekend for Rick and Giovanna as our Music Directors. We thank them for their many years of service at Resurrection. Next weekend, we welcome our new Music Director, Joshua (Josh) Coyne, and our new Assistant Director/Cantor, Allie Altieri.

RELIGIOUS FORMATION VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We are in need of catechists and catechist assistants for Grades 1-9 for the fall 2016-17 school year. Catechists are those who let the Word of God echo through their lives and teaching. They do more than simply “teach” religion; they share their faith and help young people learn how to apply and live their faith in their daily lives. Our Religious Formation program cannot succeed without the participation and dedication from volunteers like you. All lesson plans are provided. If you hear God’s call inviting you to this very special ministry, please contact us.

Lorraine Scandariato, Children’s Ministry (K-5)

Lscandariato@resurrectionparishnj.org

Grade 1

2 Assistants

Grade 2

1 Catechist

Grade 3

2 Catechists and 3 Assistants

Grade 4

1 Catechist and 2 Assistants

Grade 5

1 Assistant

Linda Magistro, Middle School Ministry (6-8)

Lmagistro@resurrectionparishnj.org

6th Grade

3 Catechists and 3 Assistants

7th Grade

1 Catechist and 2 Assistants

8th Grade

1 Catechist and 2 Assistants

Dolores Hallock, Youth Ministry (9-12)

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9th Grade

7 Catechist caring group leaders

Top 10 Reasons to Become a Catechist

1. You will grow in your faith, learn teachings of the Church, and deepen your relationship with Jesus.
2. Your baptism calls you to share in Jesus’ ministry.
3. Children, teens, and adults in today’s world, more than ever, need to hear the Good News of Jesus.
4. Children, teens, and adults need to encounter good role models of faith.
5. You have much to share with those you will teach and have opportunities to share faith with other catechists.
6. Catechetical textbooks and resources offer outstanding support.
7. You will be challenged, have fun and make new friends.
8. You will be helping people deepen their relationship with Jesus.
9. You will be handing on a 2000-year-old Tradition that changes lives.
10. It’s **our** “Ministry”: Jesus sent us to “go and teach all nations.”

Religious Formation Offices

Religious Formation Offices will be closed the month of August.

Respect Life Raffle

August 13-14, 2016

Sold prior to and after all Masses in the lower lobby:
Raffles \$10.00 each

1st Prize 2017 Volvo XC60 AWD SUV-value \$42,000.00

2nd Prize ShopRite gift card - value \$1,000.00

3rd Prize ShopRite gift card - value \$750.00

4th Prize ShopRite gift card - value \$500.00

Drawing is at Holiday Inn, Somerset, NJ, on November 18, 2016. Winner need not be present. Proceeds will benefit New Jersey Right to Life, the state’s oldest and largest pro-life organization, dedicated to protecting all human life from conception to natural death.

Birthright

Can you spare 3 hours, once a week, as a Birthright volunteer? The Birthright office, located in Hope House, Dover, is open from 10AM to 1PM on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays. Please call 973-361-6665 to speak with one of our volunteers to learn about how we help our mothers and their babies.

Vacation Time?

Before leaving on that much deserved vacation, please help **Catholic Charities** continue its mission by donating **Clothing, Shoes, and Household items** in our donation bin located in the parking lot. Your continued generosity is appreciated. If you have a **large pick up**, need a receipt, or have a question, please call our toll free number @ **877-343-3651**.

“New Legacy Books” Bin

New Legacy Books accepts all books in good readable condition: Hardcover, Paperback and Textbooks. Also accepted are: DVDs, Video Games and CDs. They cannot accept: VHS, Encyclopedias, Magazines or water damaged, moldy or unusable books. Each month, the Samaritan Ministry of Resurrection receives a rebate on the items donated. The Book Bin is next to the Catholic Charities clothing bin.

Holy Land Pilgrimage – January 2017

We are organizing a group of parishioners for a trip of a lifetime to the Holy Land. Cost per person is \$4100. Information about the pilgrimage can be found at: www.jeffcavins.com/pilgrimages.

Your parish contacts are:

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Shannon Civetta - 973-895-4224 – Ext. 105

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SAMARITANS

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Don't forget to stop by the "apple tree" in the lower lobby to pick up a Back-to-School Supplies Drive request or two. All donated items must be in by Sunday, August 14th by 11:30am in order to be included in the distributions to participating agencies. Please participate to help children in need get off to a good start for the new school year. For those participating, please think about supporting our \$crip program, making your school supply donation purchase with a \$crip shopping card. We also welcome donated shopping cards that we will use to purchase requested items on your behalf. Please see the \$crip article in this Bulletin or stop by the table in the Narthex for additional information.

August Requests – We are collecting **coffee** for Homeless Solutions this month. You can leave your donation in the Samaritans basket in the lower lobby.

In His service,

Tammy McConnell

Samaritan \$crip

Samaritan \$crip, is being held this weekend. There are over 600 retailers to choose from (check out www.shopwithscrip.com for the current list). We have \$100 & \$25 Shop Rite and \$100 & \$25 Acme, along with Dunkin Donuts and Panera in inventory. As always, hard copy order forms will be available at the table.

For anyone doing shopping for a college-bound student or back-to-school shopping, \$crip shopping cards are a great way to help others while buying necessities. Cards are available for stores like Wal-Mart, Bed Bath & Beyond, Target and Staples.

As usual, Samaritans volunteers are willing to shop on your behalf using donated \$crip shopping cards for the Back-to-School Supplies Drive that kicks off this weekend.

You may now enroll directly with the \$crip provider as a Resurrection member, via www.shopwithscrip.com which allows you to order online at your convenience. Stop by the table or email Tom Roche (see below) to obtain Resurrection's enrollment code. If you want the convenience of online ordering, please be sure to sign up for the Presto Pay option also, in order to pay for online orders via direct debit. Getting you set up for Presto Pay requires a day or two processing validation; but once that's done, you will be set moving forward. No more checkbooks needed coming to Mass! Your cards will be ready for pickup after Masses just as they are for those who use a paper order form. Please stop by our table in the Narthex to learn more about Resurrection's Samaritan \$crip program and the various ways to participate. **It's a way to give back while making your regular weekly, monthly, or seasonal purchases.** Questions about the program can be directed to Tom Roche (tomjroche@verizon.net). Thank you for your continued participation & support!

Rosary

Rosary meets Mondays at 7pm in the Chapel. All are welcome

PASTORAL CARE

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MINISTRY TO THE SICK AND HOMEBOUND

We have the baptism of life in Christ. When we are aware of His life in all aspects of ours, He shows us the direction we should take in every circumstance. When we know our talents, abilities, knowledge and successes are gifts from Him, we do our best, no matter the outcome. Prayer is the constant in our day and the blessing of our night.

If the Sacrament of the Sick is needed, please call the number above or the Main Office Number to obtain information.

MINISTRY TO THE BEREAVED

When we have lost a loved one, it takes awhile to discover who we are in this new life. Nothing is the same and it takes time to figure out where we fit in without our loved one. Love is the most powerful gift we have been given by God and it is that love that will get us through. Though it will be painful, as it must be, our tears help us work through the pain of separation to eventual acceptance. Staying close to Christ in God aids us on this journey.

The next Bereavement Support Group Meeting will be Sunday, August 14, 2016 at 12:30 pm in the Resource Room. It is a safe and confidential environment in which to share your grief. Light refreshments are available.

Peace be with you

Cindy Novak

PRAYER SHAWL

The next Prayer shawl Meeting will be held on Thursday, August 4th at 7 PM in the Resource Room. All are welcome. Yarn, needles or hooks and patterns are available or you can bring our own. For more information, please call Cindy Novak at 973-219-0919.

Please Pray for the Sick

Conner Hockedy, Dee Rincon, Patricia Mongiello, Paul Goudreau, Fr. Jack Klein, Debbie Wrede, Martha Novoa, Craig Brandege, Michael Reilly, Annabelle Beck, Charles Buschmann, Anthony David, Ann Caprio, Baby L., Fr. Paul Krajewski, Edward Paone, Louis A. Morales, Ed Moore, John Keslo, Eileen Phelan, Joyce Alexander Luck, Msgr. Leo Carey, Dave Castle, Doris Dolan, Tammy Dolan, Amber Dolan, Kelly Medley, Diana Burke, James Ketcham, Fred Lucia, Salvatore Buttaci, Sharon Buttaci, Jay Paul Tinio, Eric Brodbeck, Walter Sella, Claudia Coronado, Louis Dryden, Domenick Bellia, Theresa Hrenko, Dorothy Goerke, Juliana Donnelly and Janice Gooding. ***Please call the Parish Office to add or remove someone from this list.***

Parish Pay

Parish Pay is a voluntary and optional alternative to weekly envelopes. It allows you to plan your giving in the same way that you budget your other financial commitments (monthly). You can easily adjust the amount of your automated contribution (up or down) through the church office, online or via a toll-free call. Sign up today at www.parishpay.com or call Bill at the Parish Office at 973-895-4224, Ext. 103.