

## 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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**Web site:** (C+CC) <http://www.chapelandculturalcenter.org> (PARISH) <http://www.christsunofjustice.org>

**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:** (28 August: TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME) Sir 3:17-18,20,28-29; Heb 12:18-19, 22-24a; Lk 14:1, 7-14. (Monday) 1 Cor 2:1-5; Mk 6:17-29 see 634; Jer 1:17-19. (Tuesday) 1 Cor 2:10b-16; Lk 4:31-37. (Wednesday) 1 Cor 3:1-9; Lk 4:38-44. (Thursday) 1 Cor 3:18-23; Lk 5:1-11. (Friday) 1 Cor 4:1-5; Lk 5:33-39. (Saturday) 1 Cor 4:6b-15; Lk 6:1-5 see 635; 2 Cor 4:1-2, 5-7; Lk 22:24-30. (4 September: TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME) Wis 9:13-18b; Phlm 9-10, 12-17; Lk 14:25-33.

WITH MONDAY, WE BEGIN/CONTINUE the most important purpose of a University - formal classroom instruction. Welcome to the Fall Semester of 2016!! To all engaged in this awesome experience, may your experiences as teacher or student be invigorating at the very core of who you are. A special greeting to the Class of 2020 - may your journey with us be life giving and faith filled with the ongoing experience of the living God in all your efforts.

PLEASE NOTE: There will be NO daily Mass at the C+CC on Friday, 2 September.

DURING THIS MONTH, BEA REARDON, KRISTI JORDAN, AND JULIA QUINN LARSON WERE ENROLLED IN OUR MEMORIAL FUND. Next Sunday, 4 September, at the 10:30 am liturgy, we will have them as the principal intention.

WELCOME PICNIC 2016: Please join us next Sunday, 4 September, after the 5:00 pm evening Mass. Our theme this year is "MONOPOLY C+CC STYLE". The popular board game will be life size and placed on the ground as if it is the usual game, but with a twist. The streets and buildings will be Troy and RPI. Teams of 4 will play in hopes of winning the top prizes for the most monopoly money obtained during the game. Sign-up sheets for the picnic are available in the hallway. Please contact Jean Francois at 518-225-1409 or [j-francois@nycap.rr.com](mailto:j-francois@nycap.rr.com) if you have questions. After the long summer away, we encourage all returning students and parishioners to attend to welcome new friends and reconnect with old ones! Don't forget that we are COLLECTING SCARVES at the picnic for the less fortunate in our community. The scarves are distributed as part of the Soup Kitchen Christmas Dinner in December at the ICC and we will need about 100 scarves total for the event.

2nd Annual "FRUIT OF THE VINE, WINE TASTING FUN RAISER": Christ Sun of Justice, with the assistance of the O-Neh-Da and Eagle Crest Vineyards, will host a wine tasting event on Friday, 16 September, from 6:30 pm to 9:30 pm. Tickets are \$15 in advance, \$20 at the door (a commemorative tasting glass is included). Please mark your calendars and plan to attend this fun evening here at the Chapel. For tickets or additional information, please contact Teresa Brennan (518-270-8180) [tbrennan@nycap.rr.com](mailto:tbrennan@nycap.rr.com) or Tracey Romand (518-258-7112) [tjromand@yahoo.com](mailto:tjromand@yahoo.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.

DAILY MASS at 5:15 pm is a special time to recharge, enhance, and assist your spiritual growth in the Lord. Please join us!

In two weeks, on 11 September, COFFEE HOUR will be held, hosted by the CSJ Choir. All are welcome!

FR. MICHAEL GAITLEY, ON GOD'S MERCIFUL LOVE - Tuesday, 6 September, at 6:00 pm - In preparation to respond to Bishop Scharfenberer's invitation to end the Extraordinary Jubilee Year of Mercy this fall with a Diocesan Consecration to Divine Mercy, Fr. Gaitley, internationally requested speaker and author of *33 Days to Merciful Love*, is donating his time and energy, at four regional locations within the diocese, to share this powerful consecration. The format for the local event, held at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, in Albany, will be Mass, celebrated by Bishop Ed and Fr. Gaitley, talk by Fr. Gaitley, reception, and book signing. For more information on Fr. Gaitley visits, please visit [www.rcda.org](http://www.rcda.org).

NEXT WEEK, FOOD FOR THE HUNGRY OF TROY. Please consider making a donation to help out our local needy neighbors. Checks may be made payable to Unity House or Bethany Center.

ANNUAL PARISH RENEWAL: Please return our membership forms as soon as you can. If you didn't receive forms, there is a supply on the cabinet in the hallway.

IF YOU REQUESTED CHURCH OFFERING ENVELOPES, PLEASE PICK THEM UP IN THE HALLWAY.

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.

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

First Session: 11 September 2016, after the 10:30 am Mass. Come join us. All are welcome!

Topic: Catholicism 101 - Central Catholic Beliefs. Guest Presenter: Sr. Chris Partisano, CSJ

NEWMAN CATHOLIC FELLOWSHIP (Contact: Michael Cuozzo, [cuozzm@rpi.edu](mailto:cuozzm@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 and Thursday meetings.

COLLEGE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL #13635: (Contact: Patrick Aselin, [aselip@rpi.edu](mailto:aselip@rpi.edu))

--On behalf of the College Knights, welcome back! To celebrate "New School Year's Eve", we're hosting a BBQ at 6pm, this Sunday, 28 August, after the 5pm Mass. This is open to all students; we're just asking for \$5 contributions to cover the costs.

--Join us on Wednesday at 7pm, in the Chapel lounge to pray the Rosary with an Ice Cream Social afterwards.

--Next Saturday at 7pm, we're kicking off our monthly Movie Knights (pun intended) in the Chapel lounge.

--If you're interested in becoming a College Knight or learning more about us, please contact GK Patrick.

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

--In the Gallery at the C+CC: The works of Virginia Acquario. Virginia is a member of the Bethlehem Art Association and has an affinity for photography, pen and ink, watercolors and charcoal.

--SleepWalks: The Body of Dreams - An overnight improvisational soundscape performance for the public by sound artists, Andrea Williams and Lee Pembleton. EEG wireless headbands for real time monitoring will be provided by scientist Todd Anderson. Two dates are offered for the overnight experience: 2 and 9 September, both at 9pm, at the C+CC. These events are free for the public with RSVP to Andrea Williams at [ms.andreawilliams@gmail.com](mailto:ms.andreawilliams@gmail.com). For more information about this event, please visit: [www.sleepwalks.org](http://www.sleepwalks.org).

--Second Annual Fruit of the Vine Wine Tasting Event, Friday, 16 September, from 6:30 pm - 9:30 pm.

MUSIC FOR EUCHARIST	
Gathering Song	#415 All Are Welcome
Responsorial Psalm 34	#767 I Will Always Thank the Lord
Gospel Acclamation	#867 Alleluia
Preparation Hymn	#353 Bread For the World
Opening Acclamation	#892 Holy
Memorial Acclamation	#895 Save Us, Savior
Lamb of God	#897
Communion	#578 Worthy is the Lamb
Recessional	#488 There's A Wideness in God's Mercy

The Music Ministry invites all interested parishioners and new and returning students to participate in the musical leadership for the weekend Masses here at the Chapel! Beginning Tuesday, 6 September, rehearsals will be every Tuesday evening at 7:00 pm and then, a half hour before each Mass. Please speak with our Music Director, BARB MUSIAL, after today's Mass if you are interested, or contact Barb at [musiab@sage.edu](mailto:musiab@sage.edu).