

UNIVERSITY PARISH OF CHRIST SUN OF JUSTICE

MASS SCHEDULE

**MONDAY thru THURSDAY: 5:15 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**

**CONFESSION: SATURDAY 4:15–5:00 PM; SUNDAY: (WHILE SCHOOL IS IN SESSION) 4:00–4:45 PM**

**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:** Anyone wishing to join please ask for a membership form from the Chaplains' Office or Deacon Joe.

**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.net> (PARISH) <http://www.christsunofjustice.org>

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**Director of Music:** Barbara Musial, [musiab@sage.edu](mailto:musiab@sage.edu)

**Christ Sun of Justice Trustees:** Mary Crangle Nagy and Paul Kraus

**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:** (6 October: 27<sup>TH</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time) Hb 1:2-3; 2:2-4; Tm 1:6-8, 13-14; Lk 17:5-10. (Monday) Jon 1:1-2:2,11; Lk 10:25-37 see 653: Acts 1:12-14; Lk 1:26-38. (Tuesday) Jon 3:1-10; Lk 10:38-42. (Wednesday) Jon 4:1-11; Lk 11:1-4. (Thursday) Mal 3:13-20b; Lk 11:5-13. (Friday) Jl 1:13-15; 2:1-2; Lk 11:15-26. (Saturday) Jl 4:12-21; Lk 11:27-28. (13 October: 28<sup>TH</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time) 2 Kgs 5:14-17; Tm 2:8-13; Lk 17:11-19.

**DURING THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER, AL SCHONGAR, WALT CRONE, AND SR. HILDA CAREY WERE ENROLLED IN OUR MEMORIAL FUND.** The 10:30 am liturgy has, as its principle remembrance, those enrolled this month, as well as all who have been enrolled.



**A HEARTY THANK YOU TO MEMBERS OF THE NEWMAN CATHOLIC FELLOWSHIP AND KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS for hosting last week's COFFEE HOUR.**  
 Our next COFFEE HOUR will be held next week on 13 October, following the 10:30 am Mass, in honor of Cardinal Newman's Canonization. All are welcome to join us!

**PLEASE NOTE: THERE WILL BE NO DAILY MASS ON MONDAY/TUESDAY/WEDNESDAY (7/8/9 OCTOBER)**

**THE SACRAMENT of RECONCILIATION will be available this week on Thursday, 10 October, from 4:15 – 5:00 pm.** Confessions can also be arranged by emailing Fr. John ([john.cronin@rcda.org](mailto:john.cronin@rcda.org)) or you can leave a voice mail at (518) 274-7793, ext. 12.

**Join us on Wednesday, 16 October – We will be celebrating the canonization of St. John Henry Newman with Mass at 5:30 pm, followed by a meal and speaker on the topic, "Lead Kindly Light". All are welcome!**

**Mark Your Calendars for 7/8 December, for our annual CRAFT FAIR that benefits St. James School. We will be accepting handmade craft donations to sell at the Craft Fair on Saturday, 7 December. If you'd like to arrange pick-up of items or have any questions, please contact Christine Relyea at (724) 316-6664 or ([crelyea28@gmail.com](mailto:crelyea28@gmail.com)). All are welcome to participate!**

**PLEASE SERIOUSLY CONSIDER THIS OPPORTUNITY - If you haven't celebrated the sacraments of Eucharist or Confirmation or if you are interested in "becoming Catholic", RCIA is for you. MEETINGS BEGIN WEDNESDAY, 9 OCTOBER at 7:00 pm in the Lounge. For more information, please contact Rosanne Rose at [Rose.FR@verizon.net](mailto:Rose.FR@verizon.net), Fr. John, Deacon Joe, or call the office at (518) 276-6517.**

**THIS WEEK, FOOD FOR THE HUNGRY OF TROY.** Please consider donating to our local neighbors who are struggling to make ends meet. Checks may be made payable to Unity House or Bethany Center.

Do you have NEWS FOR THE BULLETIN? Just contact the Chaplain's Office at (518) 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).

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

Next GIFT is 27 October 2019. This session topic is *Faithful Citizenship*. The speaker will be Barbara DiTommaso, retired director of the diocesan Commission on Peace and Justice. Born and raised in Endicott, Broome County, DiTommaso moved to Troy after high school to join the Sisters of St. Joseph. She obtained a bachelor's degree in secondary mathematics with a minor in theology from The College of Saint Rose and a master's in theology from La Salle University in Philadelphia. Prior to becoming a social activist, she taught math, physics and theology for 10 years in Capital Region Catholic schools and was for six years a religious education director in the Diocese of Syracuse. What kept coming up while teaching was the home and family circumstances the children were coming from. There was so much flux going on in society with the Vietnam War and civil rights, and Barbara came to realize that she needed to work on social change full time. The Second Vatican Council gave her impetus, and she wanted to do something more directly tied to people's lives. Come learn more and dialogue about the Catholic faith as we explore various topics in *Catholicism 101*, this year's theme. All are welcome! Thank you for all who attended the first session, and to Annette Brooks, MA, our speaker, who informed us about the written records associated with our Catholic Tradition, handed down by the Apostles and early church.

**COLLEGE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL #13635: (Contact: Daniel Trosa, [trosad@rpi.edu](mailto:trosad@rpi.edu))**

--Our mission is to promote the moral, intellectual, and spiritual development of young men. If you're interested in becoming a College Knight or learning more about us, contact GK Daniel!

**NEWMAN CATHOLIC FELLOWSHIP: (Contact: Andy Bouffard, [bouffa@rpi.edu](mailto:bouffa@rpi.edu))**

--The NCF is one of the groups for Catholic Students here at RPI. We meet weekly while school is in session. Like our Newman Catholic Fellowship Facebook page for updates and contact information.

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

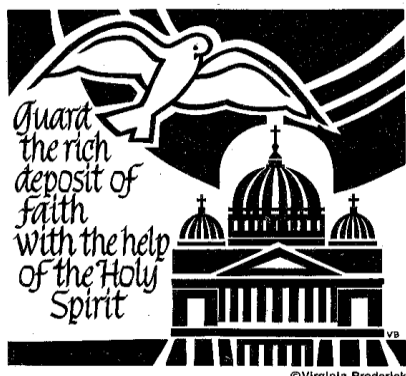
-- TO ALL STUDENTS. Interested in a job working at the C+CC? Send Kevin an email or stop by the office during the week to find out more information. We are looking for help with organizing and editing digital photos, managing social media and website, event setup and cleanup, maintenance...etc.

THE LADIES OF CHARITY, TROY CHAPTER, invite all to attend their annual Fashion Show on Wednesday, 23 October, at 7:00 pm at Franklin Terrace, Troy. This popular event features fashions from local stores. Opportunities to win great prizes will be had as well as desserts available. Tickets are \$25 and all proceeds will benefit the Rourke Center and other local charities. For tickets call: Peg Rosamilia (518) 421-8569, Donna Seibert (518) 441-9340 or MaryAnn Kehn (518) 273-0026.

A FAMILY PERSPECTIVE, by Bud Ozar - Faith is one of those things we just can't get enough of! In today's gospel, the apostles asked Jesus to "Increase our faith." It is faith in ourselves, our spouse, our children and our parents which equips us to overlook annoyances helps us to forgive and urges us to ask forgiveness. "Lord, increase our faith!"

BISHOP EDWARD SCHARFENBERGER invites you and your family and friends to join him for a Candlelight Prayer Service on Friday, 11 October, at 7:00 pm, at All Saints Catholic Church, 16 Homestead Street, Albany. Together we will pray for victims, family members, parishes, clergy and religious and those who have lost heart because of the darkness of sin and evil. For more information, contact Teresa Pitt Green of Spirit Fire at [Teresa@spiritfire.live](mailto:Teresa@spiritfire.live).

EMBRACING THE GRACE OF YEARS will be held at the Dominican Retreat & Conference Center on Wednesday, 9 October, from 9:45 am - 3 pm. This senior day of reflection will focus on the graced period of the "third half of life" as the opportunity and challenge to deepen our gratitude for what has been and for what has yet to be in the fullness of God's time. Presenter: Fr. Dan Nelson, O.F.M. \$25.00 per person and includes lunch, conference, and celebration of Eucharist. Reservations are requested by contacting the Center at (518) 393-4169 or email [dslcny@nybiz.rr.com](mailto:dslcny@nybiz.rr.com).



**MUSIC FOR EUCHARIST**

Gathering Song	#496 We Walk by Faith
Responsorial Psalm 27	#751 The Lord is My Light and My Salvation
Preparation Hymn	#545 Sacred Silence
Communion	#348 Let Us Break Bread Together
Recessional	#387 Sent Forth by God's Blessing