

JULY 22 & 23, 2017

MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, JULY 24

NO MASS

TUESDAY, JULY 25

8:05 MASS

Special Intention
By Jane Johnson

WEDNESDAY, JULY 26

8:05 MASS

Sharon Burgoon,
7th Anniversary of Death
By Bill, David & Stacy

THURSDAY, JULY 27

8:05 MASS

Special Intention
By Becky Shrimplin

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

**9 A.M. THURSDAY MORNIN:
UNTIL MIDNIGHT**

5 A.M. UNTIL 8 A.M.

FRIDAY MORNING

FRIDAY, JULY 28

8:05 MASS

For the People of the Parish

SATURDAY, JULY 29

5:30 P.M. MASS

M. Kay Shaughnessy
(Deceased) Birthday
By Brenda & Marcus Huffman

SUNDAY, JULY 30

9:00 A.M. MASS

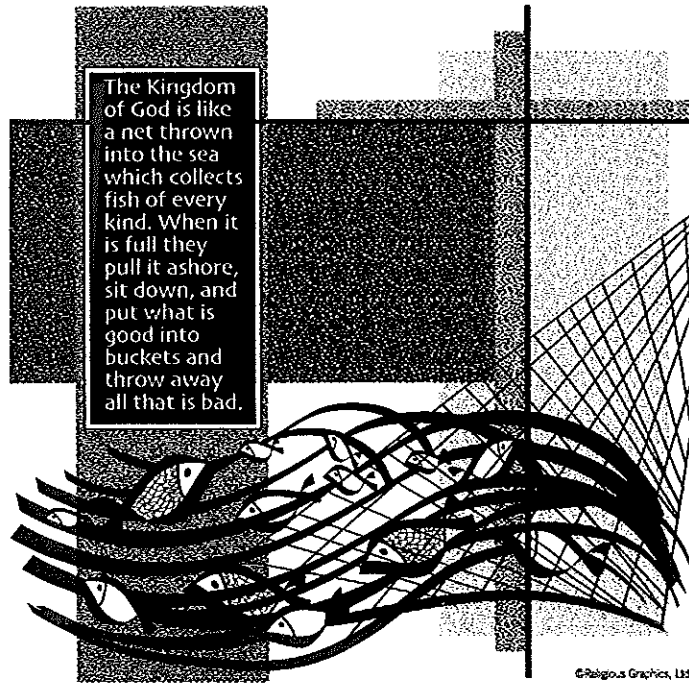
Mary Tobler,
(Deceased), Birthday
By Bob & Mary Redeker

11:00 A.M. MASS

For the People of the Parish

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Jack Thompson, Terry Shepard, Harold Mayes, Mary Pruitt, John Madrid, Raymond Boehm, John & Arlene Udelhofen, Ginger Suther, Jack Shepard, The Family of Cole Hayden, Ken Halligan, Dee Harris; Lisa Garman; Reba Miller, Koby Becker, Donna Patry, Paula Mages, Bev Robbins, Rita Mayes, Elva Higgins, Slater Hedrick, Jim Clark, Bernice Smith, Matt Floersch, Eddie Heiman, Larry Fisher, Bob Shields, James & Elizabeth Fisher, Joan Cook, Lindsay Hurley, Don Schamle, Kathy Jordan, Laura Sommer, & Delaney Murphy* Maria Wingert, Becky Browning, Bobbie Bronson, Jonathan Pogge, Gary Hunsicker, Ralph Ferguson, Tiffany White, Warren Black, Eddie Scheufler, Fr. Paul Frank, Mary Meeks, Cody Goodrich, Pat Hornung, Tim Morrow, Cindy D. Eden, Stacy, Janet Ledford, Mary Jean Miller, Patrick Shannon, Adrianna Fehrenbach, Tanishe Favor, Gary Bowling, Amy & Allen Richardson & Family, Carsyn Aylward, Kent Porter, Jenn Pattison, Liem Nickerson, Florence Tetuan, Connie Briar, Mark Gordon, & John Wegman.



SAVE THE DATE
SACRED HEART FALL FESTIVAL
OCTOBER 22, 2017

CHURCH CLEANING ANGELS
Clarice Breedlove/Judy Koczurowicz
Reita Olberding/Linda Roush

LITURGICAL ROLES

SATURDAY, JULY 29

5:30 P.M. MASS

Gifts: Robert Fangman Family
Greeters: Chuck & Pat Krambeck
(2 OPEN POSITIONS)
Servers: Emma & Abby Tumberlin
Eucharistic Minister: Mary Schleicher
Music: OPEN
Lectors: Judy Koczurowicz
Sherry Engelbert
Sacristan: Mary Schleicher
Rosary Leader: Ruthanne Wasko

SUNDAY, JULY 30

9:00 A.M. MASS

Gifts: Michael Keiter Family
Greeters: Lisa Bones/Eileen Bowling
Dale & Linda Hermreck
Servers: Jimmy Dorsey/Kierstyn Blaufuss
Eucharistic Minister: OPEN
Music: OPEN
Lectors: Ann Hunsicker/Tom Weigand
Sacristans: David & Temie Lehman
Rosary Leader: Ann Hunsicker

SUNDAY, JULY 30

11:00 A.M. MASS

Gifts: Rob Orr Family
Greeters: Jim & Sherry Huschka
: Karen Chanay/Thomas Nowatzke
Servers: Caden Lowderman/Caleb McKenzie
Eucharistic Minister: Deb Henningsen
Music: Becky Shrimplin
Lectors: Sam Harter/Ruthanne Wasko
Sacristan: Bob Redeker
Rosary Leader: Jane Johnson
Counters: Don Fischer/Bud Stratton

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR PRIESTS!

Sunday, July 23: Rev. Thomas Dolezal
Monday, July 24: Rev. Barnabas Eichor
Tuesday, July 25: Rev. Jeffrey Ernst
Wednesday, July 26: Rev. Brandon Farrar
Thursday, July 27: **Rev. William Fisher**
Friday, July 28: Rev. John Fongemie
Saturday, July 29: Rev. Mathew Francis

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

LAWN CARE

07/29/17 Bob Fangman/Mike Keiter
08/05/17 Craig Evans/Gib Bruna

KNIGHTS NEWS

Next scheduled meeting – AUGUST 7

RUMMAGE SALE

Too hot outside? Stay inside and clean out all those unused and unneeded items from garages, attics, closets, basements, kitchens and furniture for the rummage sale which is only one week away.

Set up is on Sunday, the 30th of July at 1 p.m. Help is needed at that time and takes about an hour. We will take items that day from 1 until 3. The hall is open from 9 to 5 Monday through Wednesday, July 31st, August 1st and 2nd to accept items. Sale starts on Thursday the 3rd at 10:00 a.m. until 6:00 p.m. –

Friday, August 4th from 9 a.m. until 5:30 p.m. – and Saturday from 7:30 a.m. until 12:00. At 12:00 we will start tearing down the sale equipment and will need help at that time, and that take a little over an hour.

Come and volunteer for a good cause anytime, especially during Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday to help sort as even an hour or two is appreciated. If you have large items (furniture, outdoor etc.), call

Mary Gast at 785-242-7730 and she will see if arrangements for pick-up can be made.

Hey Young Adults of Sacred Heart!

My name is Anne Cuffe and I have been assisting with the Youth Group for a little less than a year in this parish. Through doing this, I have realized that there should be a young adult group in our parish as well, in order to share faith and grow friendships. This group would be open to any 18-39 year olds in the surrounding area. I have created a facebook page called: Sacred Heart Young Adults in Ottawa (SHYAO). I would love to meet once a month, or more, depending on interest! Please feel free to call, text, or e-mail with any questions! My phone number is 620-203-8128, and my email address is anne.cuffe@gmail.com
The first event will be July 26th at 7 p.m. at Pizza Time. Come join for pizza, beer, and fellowship!
Please check facebook for updated information!
Thank You!!!

MARRIAGE MINUTE

How do you deal with the weeds in your marriage?

Each one of us is a mixture of “weeds” and “wheat”, vice and virtue, annoying and endearing qualities. In marriage, we have the opportunity to help one another improve the ratio.

Surprisingly, this is most efficiently done not by pulling at the weeds, but by nurturing the wheat. When we focus our attention on our spouse’s good qualities (and share with them!), two things happen:

1. They begin to rise to the good we see in them, so the good grows
2. We are paying such close attention to the good that we don't notice the bad as much.

For more tips on how to affirm your spouse, book a marriage enrichment!
www.JoyfulMarriageProject.com

RURAL YOUTH SUMMER TOUR

Parents of Teens: Invest a memory in your child’s Faith. The Great Summer Adventure Tour presented by the Archdiocesan Rural Youth Outreach will be Sunday, AUGUST 13TH AT SCIPIO FROM 3-7 P.M. The event is aimed at youth in 7-12th grade, but families of all ages are encouraged to attend. Cost of the event is \$10 per person, \$25 maximum per family, and includes the meal and program. Come and sit on hay bales under the big tent and enjoy the music, speaker Cooper Ray, and the outdoor Mass. Join us at Scipio for a wonderful event. Contact Sandy Vrbas, or Jane Johnson, 785-242-3384 or cell 620-757-5064.

Adoration

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is offered on Thursdays from 9:00 a.m. until 11:00 p.m. and Fridays from 6-8 a.m. We are in need of volunteers to fill in occasionally as well as some of the evening hours. This is a wonderful opportunity to spend time with our Lord. If you can do an hour occasionally or take a regular hour each week, please contact Jane Johnson, 242-3384 or cell 620-757-5064.

Due to a family funeral in Arizona, the August/September Ministry Schedule will be available NEXT weekend, July 29 & 30.

Mary Schleicher

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA) Classes

Are you or someone you know interested in joining the Catholic faith? Have you been a Catholic and would like to have a deeper understanding of your faith and/or want to support those who are seeking to become Catholic? The Religious Education Program would like to invite you to the Opening/Introductory Session of the RCIA class on September 14, 2017. We meet in the basement every Thursday evening from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m. Classes begin in September and continue until a few weeks following Easter. Please invite friends or family who might be interested. **Contact:** Carmelita Sieg (DRE) at 242-7258 – shcreled@sacredheartottawa.org
See RCIA brochures at the Church entrance.

Married Couples

Attend a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend and rediscover the glow you had as newlyweds!

The next weekend in Kansas City is

July 28-30, 2017.

For more information or to apply, please visit our website:

www.wwme4youandme.org

or call Tony & Barb Zimmerman, 816-741-4066

or email tonybarbz@prodigy.net

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August 2017

Sacred Heart Catholic Church
Fr. William Fisher, Pastor

One Minute Meditations

St. Rose of Lima

Born in colonial Peru, Rose worked constantly to help her poverty-stricken family. From early on, she wanted to become a nun and practiced heavy penances. When her parents tried to make her marry, she marred her face with pepper and cut her hair to deter suitors. She became a lay Dominican, despite opposition. Concerned about the living conditions of Native Americans and slaves, she cared for homeless children, the elderly, and the sick in her home.

Be meek, not weak.

Meekness can be mistaken for weakness, but nothing could be further from the truth. Being "meek of heart" means being in control of your emotions rather than letting them control you. Today, pray for the courage to be meek of heart.

"If you forgive others their transgressions, your heavenly Father will forgive you. But if you do not forgive others, neither will your Father forgive your transgressions"
(Matthew 6:14).



Love can make us saints

It is very Catholic to admire the saints and imagine that they had characteristics of holiness that we don't. Yet many people who became saints didn't perform great deeds but had great love of God and neighbor. If they can do it, we can, too.

St. Augustine was a playboy. He was into partying, paganism, and an immoral lifestyle. Through the prayers of his mother and the guidance of St. Ambrose, Augustine came to adore the God he discovered in Scripture. His love for God made him a new man.

St. Mary of Egypt lived a life of extreme sin. Openly a prostitute, it is reported that she traveled to the Holy

Land to ply her illicit trade to pilgrims. Instead, she had a spiritual experience while trying to enter a church and devoted the rest of her life to prayer and penance. She had a special love for Our Blessed Mother.

St. Ignatius of Loyola dreamed of courtly love and knightly deeds. Injured during a battle with the French, he was forced to convalesce to heal his shattered leg. While recuperating, he read the only books available - biographies of Jesus and the saints. Captivated by their holiness, Ignatius became attracted to a life of holy love. He later founded the Society of Jesus (Jesuits), a religious order that thrives today.



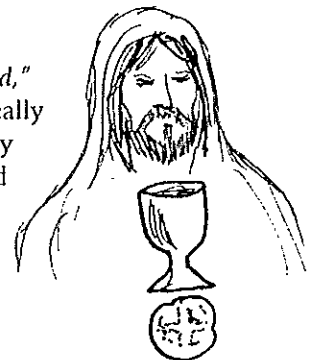
Why Do Catholics Do That?

What is transubstantiation?

During Mass, although the appearance doesn't change, the substance of the bread offered by the priest is changed into the substance of the Body of Christ. The same is true of the wine - its substance is changed into Christ's Blood.

Catholics believe that the words Christ said at the Last Supper, "This is my Body,

this is my blood," meant that really and physically the bread and wine became his Body and Blood. He decreed that it be so.



Live a Catholic life

Our history is rich with Catholic men and women like us who have carried their faith into the world and made a difference. When we live a Catholic life, we help shape a better society and a more peaceful world.

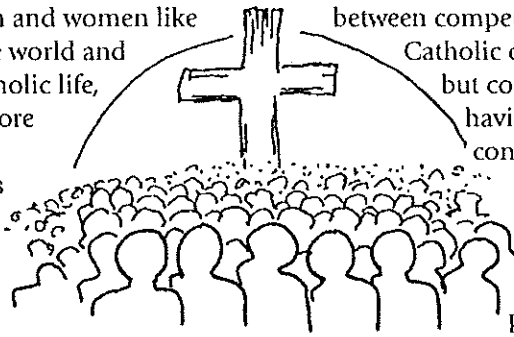
At home. Our Gospel values guide us to value our families and friends as gifts of God's love. This translates into spending time together, working to strengthen and build up our loved ones, and being for them instruments of love.

At work. As people of faith, we can be pressured to choose

between competing values in the workplace. Making Catholic choices means not just avoiding evil but consciously choosing good. It means having the courage to honor our Catholic consciences always.

In the world. "Everyone to whom much is given, of him will much be required" (Luke 12:48). Catholics – especially in the United States – are called to care for the poor, protect the vulnerable, welcome the stranger and treat all people with dignity.

That is the true Catholic way.



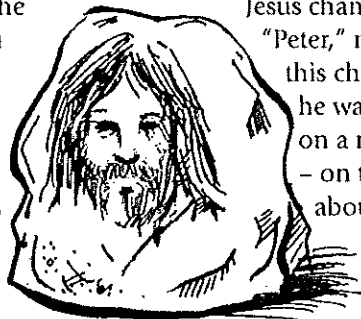
from Scripture

Matthew 16:13-20, The Rock for ages

The events in this passage lay the foundations for the Catholic Church. In it, Jesus asked his disciples who people said he was. Then he asked them, "Who do you say that I am?" It was a question about Jesus' identity, not his teaching or his popularity. At its heart, Catholicism centers around who Jesus is.

Simon Peter answered for the group and identified Jesus as the Son of God, the Messiah. Jesus pointed out that it was only by divine inspiration that Peter could know this. ("Blessed

are you, Simon son of Jonah. For flesh and blood has not revealed this to you, but my heavenly Father" Matthew 16:17.)



Jesus changed Simon's name to "Peter," meaning "rock." By this change, Jesus signaled he was building his Church on a rock-solid foundation – on the confession of Peter about Jesus' divinity. This truth has been handed down through the ages, from the Apostles to the bishops to us. The Holy Spirit would lead Peter – and his successors, the popes – to speak and act in truth as the head of the Church.

Feasts & Celebrations

August 3 – St. Peter Julian Eymard (1868). Born in France, Peter was ordained a Marist in 1834 and was especially effective at preaching at Eucharistic devotions. He founded the Congregation of the Blessed Sacrament and the Servants of the Blessed Sacrament to increase devotion to the Holy Eucharist.

August 6 – Transfiguration of the Lord. Tradition says that Mt. Tabor was the site of the Transfiguration during

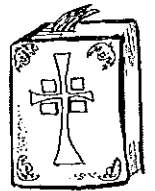


which Christ appeared radiant in the company of Moses and Elijah, and a voice was heard to say, "This is my beloved son, with whom I am well pleased; listen to him" (Matthew 17:5).

August 15 – Solemnity of the Assumption. Declared a dogma of faith in 1950 by Pope Pius XII, this Holy Day of Obligation celebrates Mary being taken up into Heaven body and soul at the end of her life. "A great sign appeared in the sky, a woman clothed with the sun, with the moon under her feet, and on her head a crown of twelve stars" (Revelation 12:1). Mass attendance on this day is required.

Q & A How can Sacred Scripture be "truth" if not everything is correct?

The Bible is intended to convey truths about God. More than a book, it is a library of documents written by different authors in different times and places. These works have been compiled by the Church under the guidance of the Holy Spirit, according to specific criteria. Like any library, the Bible contains a variety of literary genres: poetry, history, biography, etc. Knowing this can determine how we read it. For example, a poem may not be meant to be as factually accurate as a biography.



Finally, there are various ways in which to interpret Scripture, and each highlights different aspects of the truth. The literal sense deals with what the author wrote. The allegorical sense highlights the symbolism of the people and events in the story. The moral sense tells us what we ought to do regarding God and our neighbor. The "future" sense concerns what will happen at the end of time. These different senses give us a fuller understanding of God and his plan for us.

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