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## COME AND WORSHIP THE LORD WITH US!

### MASS SCHEDULE

**Saturday Vigil:** 4:00pm (St. Julia Church)

**Sunday:** 9AM (St. Julia Church)

10:30 AM (St. Joseph church; Summer Schedule)

5:00 PM (St. Julia Church)

**Daily:** Monday 7 AM (St. Julia Church)

Tuesday 9 AM (St. Joseph Church)

Wednesday 7 AM (St. Julia Church)

Thursday 7 AM (St. Julia Church)

Friday 9 AM (St. Joseph Church)

Saturday/Holiday 8 AM (St. Julia Church)

**Pastor**

**Priests in Residence**

**Pastoral Associate**

**Business Manager**

**Parish Secretary**

**Faith Formation Director, 1-5**

**Youth Minister/FF 6-HS**

**Faith Formation Secretary**

**Deacon**

**Music Director**

**Music/St. Joseph**

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**Facilities Manager**

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### THE MISSION OF SAINT JULIA PARISH

*We, the parishioners of Saint Julia Parish, seek to live our belief in Christ as we worship and serve Him according to His example and teachings. With appreciation of the diverse gifts of our individual members, we strive to gain the participation of each parishioner and work to ensure that everyone feels welcome in our community of faithful. We do this while mindful of God's love for us and the power of His Spirit that makes us holy, heals our brokenness and sustains us in all the good we do. We are committed in the spirit of Christ an stewardship to share generously our time, talent, and treasure.*

**OFFICE HOURS** 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM, Mon. through Friday.

**RECONCILIATION**

Parish Center Conference Room, Saturday: 3:15-3:45 PM

**ANOINTING OF THE SICK**

After the 4:00 PM Saturday Mass; or contact Parish Office.

**EUCHARIST AND VISITS TO THE SICK**

Contact Parish Office to notify of anyone ill, homebound or hospitalized.

**EUCHARISTIC ADORATION**

St. Julia Church: Every Friday, Noon to 1:00 PM  
First Friday, 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM.  
Summer Schedule Effective First Friday in June,  
12 Noon to 1PM.  
St. Joseph Church: Every First Friday, 9:30 to 10:30 AM.

**ROSARY IN ST JULIA CHURCH:** After daily Mass.

**BAPTISM**

Monthly at St. Julia Church or at a Mass in either Church.  
Please call the Parish Office to make advance arrangements.

**MARRIAGES**

Please schedule at least six months before intended date.

**BULLETIN NOTICES** should be proposed, by e-mail if possible, to the Parish Office by Monday **morning**.



**New Parish Registration / Update**

*If you are just beginning to worship with us in St. Julia Parish, WELCOME! We invite you to register as a member of our parish. Kindly complete this information form and drop it in the collection basket or return it to the parish office. Please introduce yourself when you have a chance!*

**NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**ADDRESS:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**TELEPHONE:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**E-MAIL ADDRESS** \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ **This is a new registration (A complete form will be sent to you by mail.)**

**This is an update for:**

- \_\_\_ **Change of Name**
- \_\_\_ **Change of Address**
- \_\_\_ **Request for Envelopes**
- \_\_\_ **Moving out of Parish**
- \_\_\_ **Someone in Hospital**
- \_\_\_ **Someone Homebound**



Dear Friends,

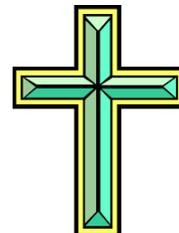
It's that time of year, again, when we are getting ready for all types of September start-ups. Schools will soon be back in session. Parish programs and activities are preparing to re-launch and volunteers are being sought to help. With so many claims to your time and energy, offering service to the Church can readily be put on the "back burner". Sometimes, too, the notion that "someone else will step forward" allows us to dismiss any sense of our own call to serve.

Our calling to Christian service, though, is not an "add on" to faith. It is an integral part of living our life in the Lord. Jesus often reminded his disciples of their responsibility to serve one another. In a stunning scene, Saint John the Evangelist tells us that Jesus washed the feet of His disciples at the Last Supper. He, who is Lord and Master, undertook the most humble of servant tasks and commanded His disciples to do the same.

I ask you to consider the Lord's call to serve in the various ministries, programs and activities of our Parish. We are blessed with many who have already answered the call. I am so thankful to those who assist with Faith formation programs, small group evangelization, liturgical ministries, choirs, hospitality, Saint Vincent de Paul Society and the food pantry, nursing home/ homebound visitation, Sodality, social events, leadership councils, etc. Our Parish, though, continues to have need of youth and adults willing to step forward and serve in these and other activities. With your help, we can do even more to reach out to others and share the love of Christ!

Jesus has assures us that whatever we do for the least of our brothers and sisters we do for Him. May we be inspired to serve one another in His Holy Name. Please call me or any Parish Staff member to find out more about how you can help.

With Gratitude,  
Fr. Mark





**Tuesday, August 15**

Holy Day of Obligation  
See Bulletin for Mass Schedule

**Friday, August 18**

Eucharistic Adoration, St. Julia Church,  
12 Noon—1PM

**Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
August 12/13, 2017**

**Mass Intentions**



**And Prayers Requested**

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Tues., August 15	9:00AM	Fr. Lawrence Drennan
Fri., August 18	9:00AM	Michael Tannert
Sun., August 20	5:00PM	Patricia Franchi Flaherty

We pray for those soon to be married:

William Ward and Tiffany Diabakly

<b>CONFESSORS</b>	August 19	Fr. Mahoney
	August 26	Fr. Mahoney

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**FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY** is Tuesday, August 15th, a holy day of obligation. Mass will be celebrated as follows:

**Monday, August 14th**  
7:30PM St. Joseph Church

**Tuesday, August 15th**

7:00AM St. Julia Church  
9:00AM St. Joseph Church  
7:30PM St. Julia Church



**Knights of Columbus Service Awards....**Each year, The Knights of Columbus offer an award of recognition to altar servers whose participation in ministry has continued through their senior year of high school.

This year's recipients are Veronica Rigobon, Gabriel Alesse and Aidan McGinty whose award was accepted by his sister, Molly. We thank our faithful seniors and wish them well as they head off to college in the fall.



### READINGS FOR THE WEEK AHEAD

Monday: Dt 10:12-22; Mt 17:22-27  
Tuesday: Rv 11:19; Cor 15:20-2; Lk 1:39-56  
Wednesday: Dt 34:1-2; Mt 18:15-20  
Thursday: Jos 3:7-10a, Mt 18:21 — 19:1  
Friday: Jos 24:1-13; Mt 19:3-12  
Saturday: Jos 24:14-29; Mt 19:13-15  
Sunday: Is 56:1, 6-7; Rom 11:13-15, 29-32;  
Mt 15:21-28

### AUGUST 20 READINGS

**First Reading** — Thus says the LORD: “Stand firm in justice; do what is right” (Isaiah 56:1, 6-7).

**Psalm** — O God, let all the nations praise you! (Psalm 67).

**Second Reading** — The gifts and the calling of God are unable to be revoked (Romans 11:13-15, 29-32).

**Gospel** — Jesus told the Canaanite woman of great faith, “It shall be done as you wish” (Matthew 15:21-28).

These readings are listed and briefly described so that we might start to reflect on them before we gather for Sunday Mass each week.

### NOTHING TO FEAR

A rabbi was asked why God sends trials and troubles into human lives. “Because God gets lonely for his people” was the reply. There is some resonance with this wisdom in today’s Gospel, as Jesus makes his disciples get into a boat without him and goes off alone while they venture into stormy waters. Of course, neither Jews nor Christians believe that the Almighty plays this sort of whimsical game with them, but there is some truth in the statement that we don’t turn to God for saving help until we’re in a bind. Peter’s role today, as it is throughout the New Testament, is to be a sign or to represent each member of the church and the whole church. Our story is the tale told about Peter’s faith today. What can bolster our faith is that even when Christ calls us to face bravely the tempests of life, if we are walking through them with our eyes fixed on him in faith, we have nothing to fear. Even when we falter or sink, simply crying “Lord, save me!” is enough to help us know the steady grasp of God’s hand. Then, sheltered inside the walls of faith, the storms we endure lose their power over us. Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co., Inc.

### SUPPORTING OUR PARISH’S MISSION

Weekend of August 5, 6	\$ 3,712
Weekend of July 29, 30	\$ 3,051
Weekend of July 22,23	\$ 2,986
Weekend of July 15, 16	\$ 3,462
July 1 thru August 6th (Includes mail-ins)	\$23,468
Online Giving	\$ 9,231
Total	\$32,699
Avg/Week	\$ 5,449
Budgeted Average Week	<b>\$ 8,530</b>
Second Collection—Communications	\$ 2,230





## FAITH FORMATION NEWS

Grades 1-5



Sunday, August 13:  
The Nineteenth Sunday In  
Ordinary Time

Today we hear of a terrible storm occurring at night in the middle of the Sea of Galilee, and the disciples being very frightened. Then Jesus himself starts walking across the water towards them!

Since we all know that is humanly impossible, the disciples fear that they are seeing a ghost! But Jesus is God, so he is able to do things we mere humans cannot do. Or can we?

Peter understands that with Jesus, all things are possible, so he starts to walk on the water, too. However, his human instincts and doubts take over, and he sinks! Jesus informs him that the reason he sunk is because he doubted, because he has little faith!

So what is great faith? Great faith is understanding that God will grant us anything we need—that is very different from what we want! Great faith is understanding that God is control, not me, and that with God's help anything can be accomplished.

Don't expect to walk on water—we may want to, but we don't need to! We do need to be kind to one another, take care of one another, and forgive one another.

When we don't believe any of those things are necessary, we are showing how we have little faith, that we doubt. With great faith, we will do only that what God wants us to do.

What do you doubt? Talk to God about that, and listen quietly for his answer.

Registration for 2017-18 Faith Formation is now available on line (please go to our website), or in paper format at St. Joseph and St. Julia Churches.

We are also in need of catechists—please see ad in this bulletin!

For further information, please contact Cindy Harrington, at 781-899-8434 or [charrington@stjulia.org](mailto:charrington@stjulia.org).

## YOUTH MINISTRY

Middle-School &

High-School



### Youth Ministry Updates:

Registration forms are now available for the 2017-2018 year. Stop by the Faith Formation Office to fill out a form, or visit our parish website [to register ONLINE!](#)

### IMPORTANT NEWS ABOUT 2017-2018 YOUTH FORMATION:

**Confirmation Orientation meetings** will be held September 10<sup>th</sup> at 10:10 AM or September 11<sup>th</sup> at 7 PM, in the downstairs Youth Lounge at the Parish Center. Parents and teens in ALL years of preparation should plan to attend at least one of these meetings, as information about our *\*new,\* exciting format will be presented!*

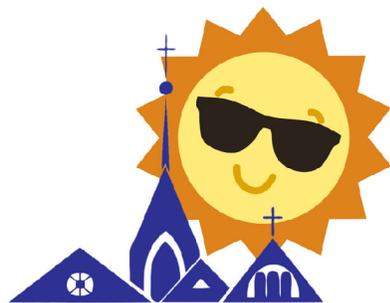
**Catechists are still needed** for Grade 6, as well as classroom assistants for grades 7/8. Please consider sharing your time and talents with us! All MS sessions will be meeting from 10:10-11:10 AM on Sundays; however, if you would like to lead a different session at a different location/time, please speak with Christina. Your contributions are most welcome!

**COR PRAYER NETWORK**  
*"Cor ad cor loquitur"*

**CALLING ALL PARISHIONERS!** Want to support our young people, but aren't quite sure how? Contact Christina ([cvalenzuela@stjulia.org](mailto:cvalenzuela@stjulia.org)) today to find out about joining the **COR Prayer Network!** Each COR member will be given the name of a Confirmation Candidate and encouraged to support them throughout the sacramental formation process by means of prayer, sacrifices according to your charism and state of life, and notes/tokens of encouragement along the way. You will receive weekly email updates from Christina, as well as invitations to participate directly in formation according to your gifts and interests. Thank you for prayerfully discerning a response to this call!

**IS IT YOUR TURN TO FLIP THE BURGERS???????** The Mass and Picnic will be on our parish grounds at 374 Boston Post Road, Weston\* on Sunday, September 17th beginning with Mass at 11AM in St. Julia Church. Please arrive early for Mass to allow time for parking and seating. Mass will be followed by a delicious grilled lunch, as well as lots of fun games, crafts and activities.

Everyone is invited to this parish-wide event.



**ST. JULIA**  
*13th Annual*  
**PARISH PICNIC**

*\*Why is the Mass inside? Isn't this the annual outdoor Mass and picnic??? After last year's move to St. Julia Church and grounds because of feared bad weather, there was such a positive response to having the Picnic on our own property that we are trying it again this year. It saves the parish over a thousand dollars on the event, and we had a higher attendance from people of both towns than in previous years.\**

**Many volunteers are needed to continue to make this day a huge success.** Volunteer opportunities include: publicity, field set-up and clean-up, parking, greeting, food preparation, food serving, providing a dessert, families to help with games, helpers for crafts and activities, and help with many random small tasks. Sign-up now to be part of one of our parish's best-loved traditions! Contact volunteer coordinator, John O'Rourke at [johno.rourke@comcast.net](mailto:johno.rourke@comcast.net) or 617-842-7929. You can also sign up online at [www.stjulia.org/picnic](http://www.stjulia.org/picnic).



**Donations for the Picnic are needed:** We are hoping to collect 36 bottles of quality wine for the 21-and-over Ring Toss game, and at least 14 scrumptious homemade cakes or pies, which will be the prizes for another game booth. Please contact Andrea Jackson at [ajackson@stjulia.org](mailto:ajackson@stjulia.org) if able to donate. The wine needs to be collected by September 10. Thank you!

**BLOOD DRIVE RESULTS**

Your blood drive registered 22 donors and collected 18 pints of blood. Your blood drive also registered 5 first time donors.

Thank you for your gifts of time and support. We truly appreciate your generosity. The patients who have benefited from the blood collected at your blood drive are beyond grateful.

Sincerely,

*Your American Red Cross*



**CELEBRATE THE 100TH ANNIVERSARY** of the Apparitions of Our Lady of Fatima!

On Sunday, August 13<sup>th</sup>, after the morning Masses, come and enjoy some refreshments as you peruse displays of our Anniversary Celebration. Learn about the three children who met Our Lady, discover how an angel prepared them for Mother Mary's visit, see who has been canonized (proclaimed a Saint), and hear from the witnesses themselves as to what occurred during the six visits of Our Lady of Fatima in 1917.

The display will be in the lower level of the Parish Center Hall from 10:00 – 11:00, and at St. Joseph House from 11:30-12:30.

**Thank you, parishioners, for helping us choose the design for our Parish T-Shirt!** The winner of our contest was Margie Dermady, who submitted the beautiful "traditional" and "modern" design: Many thanks to Carolyn Camerato and Annika Jonas for your wonderful designs submissions as well! We are grateful to have such a talented and generous parish community. **Stay tuned for the debut of the new parish shirts at this year's picnic, September 17<sup>th</sup>!**

Through love  
 serve one another.  
 — Galatians 5:13



## CATECHISTS NEEDED!!!!

At the end of today's Gospel, we hear the disciples say to Jesus, "Truly, you are the Son of God!" Please help us to give the children in our parish the Good News about Jesus, enabling them to someday proclaim this same phrase!



We are praying for catechists on **Sunday mornings in Weston**: Grades 2, a co-catechist for Grade 3, catechist for Grades 4 and 6. We are in need of a catechist on **Monday afternoons in Weston** for Grade 5, and possibly **Monday afternoons in Lincoln** for Grade 4. We are now holding Grades 6-8 on Sunday mornings – and we need assistance for Grade 6 as well.

All materials are supplied to you, with training and support available. Games, videos, books, music, and other tangibles are provided. If you feel called by our Lord to serve in this ministry, please contact Cindy Harrington (Grades 1-5) at 781-899-8434, or [charrington@stjulia.org](mailto:charrington@stjulia.org); or Christina Valenzuela (Grade 6) at 781-899-0739, or [cvalenzuela@stjulia.org](mailto:cvalenzuela@stjulia.org). Thank you for praying over this!

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