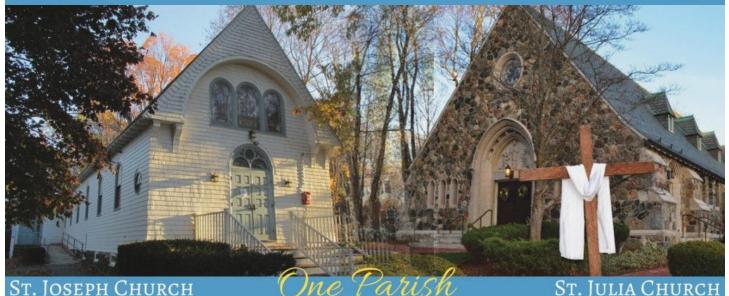
ST. JULIA PARISH



ST. JOSEPH CHURCH 142 LINCOLN ROAD LINCOLN, MA

JULY 28, 2019 SUMMER MASS SCHEDULE

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Saturday Vigil: 4:00pm (St. Julia) Sunday:

7:30am (St. Joseph) 9:00am (St. Julia) 10:30am (St. Joseph) 5:00pm (St. Julia)

Daily: Monday 7 AM (St. Julia) Tuesday 9 AM (St. Joseph) Wednesday 7 AM (St. Julia) Thursday 7 AM (St. Julia) Friday 9 AM (St. Joseph) Saturday/Holiday 8 AM (St. Julia)

COME AND WORSHIP THE LORD WITH US!

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 Christian stewardship to share generously **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, 12:00 PM to 1:00 PM First Friday, 12:00 PM to 1:00 PM. St. Joseph Church: Every First Friday, 9:30 to 10:30 AM.

ROSARY IN ST JULIA CHURCH:

After daily Mass.

BAPTISM

Please contact the Parish Office in advance to make arrangements.

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



"And I tell you, ask and you will receive; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you." - Lk 11:9

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass ©2001, 1998, 1970 CCD.

GOSPEL REFLECTION SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Are you guilty of spiritual stockpiling? Spiritual stockpiling isn't an endless rotation of rosaries and novenas. It's accumulating emotional "goods" to meet your needs. Perhaps it's a collection of material objects you treasure. Maybe it's a preoccupation with money. It could also be relationships, making sure there's always enough friends and connections to never really feel alone. It's our tendency to let things add up so that we won't quite need God to fulfill our inner life. Yet in this Sunday's Gospel, we have that inescapable petition from the Our Father. "Give us each day our daily bread."

This life isn't an immediate arrival. And as much as we might try to shore up possessions and pleasures, we know the journey is unpredictable. Give us this day our daily bread implies enough for the next set of steps, but not enough to stockpile. So here's the big question: Do we trust God to give us what we need? After all, "What father among vou would hand his son a snake when he asks for a fish?... how much more will the Father in heaven give the Holy Spirit to those who ask him?" At the Last Supper, Jesus said he would never leave us orphaned. God will not abandon us. And surely He wouldn't ask us to pray for what He does not intend to give.

Of course, sometimes our prayers for daily help can seem to go unanswered. Today's Gospel has advice for that, too. "I tell you... he will give up to him whatever he needs because of his persistence." Our spiritual stockpiling increases our self-reliance and decreases our openness to God's possibilities. Be persistent in your pursuit of God! Trust that He will keep His promises to provide for us, today and always.

This Week

Masses as Scheduled

Thursday, August 1 RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE, 12:00-5PM, St. Julia Parish Center Friday, August 2 Adoration, 9:30-10:30AM, St. Joseph Church; 12 Noon— 1PM, St. Julia Church





Fri., Aug. 2	9:00AM	Norman Edgerton
CONFESSORS:	August 3 August 10	Fr. Mahoney Fr. Mahoney

THURSDAY,

AUGUST 1ST

BLOOD DRIVE

12 Noon-5PM

St. Julia Parish Center

Please commit to give! Call 1-800-RED CROSS [733-2767] or visit redcrossblood.org and enter: 9829 to schedule an appt.

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Come Celebrate 100 Years of Faith!

On August 11, 1919, St. Julia Parish was officially founded. One hundred years later, on that exact date, August 11, 2019, we will be celebrating our usual Summer Sunday Masses and gathering for a Continental Breakfast Social after the 9:00 am Mass in the Parish Center Hall.

Happy Anniversary, everyone!!



READINGS FOR THE WEEK AHEAD

Monday:	Ex 32:15-24, 30-34/Jn 11:19-27
Tuesday:	Ex 33:7-11; 34:5-9,28/Mt 3:36-43
Wednesday:	Ex 34:29-35/Mt 13:44-46
Thursday:	Ex 40:16-21, 34-38/Mt 13:47-53
Friday:	Lv 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-
	37/Mt 13:54-58
Saturday:	Lv 25:1, 8-17/Mt 14:1-12
Sunday:	Eccl 1:2; 2:21-23/Col 3:1-5, 9-
	11/Lk 12:13-21

AUGUST 4

First Reading: For what profit comes to man from all the toil and anxiety of heart with which he has labored under the sun? (Ecc 2:22)

Psalm: If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts. (Ps 90)

Second Reading: For you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. When Christ your life appears, then you too will appear with him in glory. (Col 3:3-4)

Gospel: Then [Jesus] said to the crowd, "Take care to guard against all greed, for though one may be rich, one's life does not consist of possessions." (Lk 12:15)

LIVE THE LITURGY

We do not need to use a lot of words in order to pray well. Keeping things simple often works best, and it appears to be the form of prayer most preferred by Jesus. The simplicity of the Lord's Prayer, the Our Father, gets quickly to the heart of all of our important relationships in life and sets us straight. Praying simply provides proper focus and helps us develop greater trust in God's providential care. We never know how each day will unfold and cannot control a good measure of what happens to us. What we can control is the disposition we bring to life and how much we trust and hope in God's desire to make all things new and right. Pray simply and listen deeply. Our Father is calling.

SUPPORTING OUR PARISH'S MISSION

Weekend of July 20/21 [\$1,215/37 Envelopes]	\$5,482
Weekend of July 13/14 [\$2,038/52 Envelopes]	\$3,636
Weekend of July 6/7 [\$2,210/46 Envelopes]	\$4,623
Weekend of June 29/30 [\$1,797/49 Envelopes]	\$3,706
June 29—July 2 [Includes mail-ins]	\$11,965
Online Giving	\$8,945
Total	\$20,910
Avg/June 29 thru July 21 (4 weeks)	\$5,228
Budgeted Avg/Week	\$8,462
Budgeted Total for FY 2019	\$ 440,000





GRADES 1-6



The Church of Pater Noster (Our Father)

Did you know...that Lord's Prayer that Jesus taught the Apos-

tles is the same one we pray at Sunday Mass?

What do those words mean?

Our Father, who art in Heaven...God of all, who is our creator and acts like a father to us...

Hallowed be thy name...Holy are you, and holy is your name...

Thy Kingdom come...may peace and love be everywhere...

Thy will be done...may everyone do what is good and loving...

On earth as it is in heaven...may we live like the Saints...

Give us this day our daily bread...give us all what we need...

And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us...forgive us when we do wrong the same way we forgive others when they hurt us...

And lead us not into temptation...help us to avoid what might make us sin...

But deliver us from evil...keep us safe... Amen...Yes, I believe you will do this!

What a wonderful world this would be if everyone truly lived this prayer!

Do you?

Traditional Rock where Jesus sat upon as he taught the "Pater Noster" [Our Fther] prayer.



St Julia's parishioners have been generous in the past supporting Catholic Charities and refugee families. Lincoln resident Deb Palmer recently reported on her trip to the Catholic Charities Humanitarian Respite Center on our southern border and this is her description of just one day at this Catholic Charities site at McAllen TX:

Yesterday morning after helping get lunch started, I went to the coloring station. I drew and colored with kids who had just been released from the ICE facility. So many kids - they kept coming in by the busload with their parents all day long. A couple toddlers sat on my lap, three year olds sat in chairs too big for them, ten year olds helped with little ones they had never met. They sat with me while their parents stood in lines (sometimes lines 100 deep) to get basic supplies like toothbrushes and shoelaces and soap and water, and to get bus tickets or plane tickets and contact their sponsors and relatives all over the country. Some kids didn't want to stay at the coloring station - they stayed clinging to their parents in the lines. But plenty came over with a smile to ask for a "página y colores y un lugar para sentarse". The kids were excited excited because they knew they were finally on their way to New Orleans, to Dallas, to New York, to Denver. Kids who had no shoes or no hair ties, who hadn't showered in 6 days or more.

I got super tired after a bunch of hours with so many kids. So in the late afternoon I went to help out at the health station, where I took the temperatures of so many people, gave out so much honey cough syrup and tylenol and vicks (Vicks Vapor Rub, the cure-all for everything thank goodness for Vicks). I gave out diapers and menstrual pads and chapstick, toilet paper and kleenex, shoelaces and fingernail clippers. We escorted a few of the worst cases upstairs to the health clinic for guarantine and medical evaluation. By 7:30pm, after over ten hours of constant interactions with people with real and basic health and human needs, when we were finally leaving to go find ourselves some dinner, the dinner line at the Center (which they began serving at 6) had snaked all around the inside of this large building, past our health counter which is clear on the other side from the comedor. And the line kept growing. They were clearing away the tables and chairs so they could lay out mats for sleeping. I was trying to imagine how this many people could get through the line, could fit on this floor lying down... I was glad at least some would be heading to their destinations before bedtime.

ST. JULIA PARISH'S MASSES FOR SUMMER SUNDAYS

Beginning on **Sunday, July 7th and extending through September 8th**, the Sunday before our annual Outdoor Mass and picnic. Masses for the summer will be as follows:

Saturday Vigil 4 PM St. Julia Church, Weston Sunday 7:30AM St. Joseph Church, Lincoln Sunday 9 AM St. Julia Church, Weston Sunday 10:30 AM St. Joseph Church, Lincoln Sunday 5 PM St. Julia Church, Weston

Daily Masses (Monday through Saturday mornings) will not change. The Outdoor Mass and Picnic will be held on Sunday, September 15th, with Mass at 11 AM and the picnic immediately following.



CALLING FOR FILM AS WELL AS PHOTO MEMORIES OF ST JULIA'S PARISH

WestonMedia has offered to assist in our Centenary celebration by helping us to document and present 100 years of faith, service and community at St Julia's for local access television and other digital media.

In addition to the stories and photographs that have been shared it would be great to use any films or videotapes of activities at St Julia's over the decades. WestonMedia can adapt this material to present our history in a fun engaging way. Any 16mm film or videotape can be digitized and returned to original owners.

If you have any of these kind of resources please e-mail Colm at cmcgarry@stjulia.org

Educational support for St Vincent de Paul clients.....a result of the generosity of Lincoln and Weston parishioners and residents.

Our Lincoln/Weston St. Vincent de Paul Conference provides scholarships and financial assistance for education expenses to Lincoln and Weston individuals who qualify. (We recently received a \$10,000. Codman Family Trust grant to assist Lincoln clients!) Often these clients are already working, and struggling to pull together resources to pay for additional schooling. Recent examples include: funds for a client studying to become a sonogram technician, funding for a program to become a licensed and certified mediator, and money for books for Lincoln and Weston students who are receiving financial aid, have part-time jobs, and still struggle to meet school expenses. We already have clients who "graduated" from our pantry as a result of gaining better paying jobs! We are excited to be able to use SVdP and Codman grant funds to carry out a

St Vincent de Paul nation-wide goal: work to end the systemic causes that lead to poverty. Interested in further information and how you might support educational initiatives? Please contact Pastoral Minister Colm McGarry a <u>cmcgarry@stjulia.org</u>. As always we are grateful to St. Julia parishioners, Father Mark, and community groups for support and encouragement in this work.

