

ST. JULIA PARISH



ST. JULIA CHURCH
374 BOSTON POST RD
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The Shore of Galilee



ST. JOSEPH CHURCH
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The Third Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ January 22, 2023

Gathering Hymn:

All Creatures of Our God and King

All creatures of our God and King,
Lift up your voice and with us sing: Alleluia! Alleluia!
O burning sun with golden beam
And silver moon with softer gleam:
O praise him! O praise him!
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

O flowing waters, pure and clear,
Make music for your Lord to hear: O, praise him! Alleluia!
O fire so masterful and bright,
Providing us with warmth and light,
O praise him! O praise him!
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

Gloria:

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will.
We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you,
we give you thanks for your great glory,
Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father.
Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,
Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us;
you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer;
you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us.
For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord,
you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ,
with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

First Reading:

Isaiah 8:23—9:3

First the Lord degraded the land of Zebulun and the land of Naphtali; but in the end he has glorified the seaward road, the land west of the Jordan, the District of the Gentiles.

Anguish has taken wing, dispelled is darkness: for there is no gloom where but now there was distress. The people who walked in darkness have seen a great light; upon those who dwelt in the land of gloom a light has shone. You have brought them abundant joy and great rejoicing, as they rejoice before you as at the harvest, as people make merry when dividing spoils. For the yoke that burdened them, the pole on their shoulder, and the rod of their taskmaster you have mashed, as on the day of Midian.

Responsorial Psalm: “The Lord is my light and my salvation, of whom should I be afraid?”

Second Reading:**1 Corinthians 1:10-13, 17**

I urge you, brothers and sisters, in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, that all of you agree in what you say, and that there be no divisions among you, but that you be united in the same mind and in the same purpose. For it has been reported to me about you, my brothers and sisters, by Chloe's people, that there are rivalries among you. I mean that each of you is saying, "I belong to Paul," or "I belong to Apollos," or "I belong to Cephas," or "I belong to Christ." Is Christ divided? Was Paul crucified for you? Or were you baptized in the name of Paul? For Christ did not send me to baptize but to preach the gospel, and not with the wisdom of human eloquence, so that the cross of Christ might not be emptied of its meaning.

Gospel:**Matthew 4:12-23**

When Jesus heard that John had been arrested, he withdrew to Galilee. He left Nazareth and went to live in Capernaum by the sea, in the region of Zebulun and Naphtali, that what had been said through Isaiah the prophet might be fulfilled:

Land of Zebulun and land of Naphtali, the way to the sea, beyond the Jordan, Galilee of the Gentiles, the people who sit in darkness have seen a great light, on those dwelling in a land overshadowed by death light has arisen.

From that time on, Jesus began to preach and say, "Repent, for the kingdom of heaven is at hand." As he was walking by the Sea of Galilee, he saw two brothers, Simon who is called Peter, and his brother Andrew, casting a net into the sea; they were fishermen. He said to them, "Come after me, and I will make you fishers of men." At once they left their nets and followed him. He walked along from there and saw two other brothers, James, the son of Zebedee, and his brother John. They were in a boat, with their father Zebedee, mending their nets. He called them, and immediately they left their boat and their father and followed him. He went around all of Galilee, teaching in their synagogues, proclaiming the gospel of the kingdom, and curing every disease and illness among the people.

The Nicene Creed:

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; Through him all things were made.

For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.

I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen

Preparation of the Gifts: Two Fishermen

Two fishermen, who lived along the Sea of Galilee,
Stood by the shore to cast their nets into an ageless sea.
Now Jesus watched them from afar then called them each by name;
It changed their lives, these simple men' they'd never be the same.
Leave all things you have and come and follow me, and come and follow me.

And you, good Christians, one and all who'd follow Jesus' way,
Come leave behind what keeps you bound to trappings of our day,
And listen as he calls your name to come and follow near,
For still he speaks in varied ways to those his call will hear.
Leave all things you have and come and follow me, and come and follow me.

Communion Hymn: Taste and See

Refrain: Taste and see, taste and see the goodness of the Lord.
O Taste and see, taste and see the goodness of the Lord, of the Lord.

I will bless the Lord at all times.
Praise shall always be on my lips;
My soul shall glory in the Lord for God has been so good to me. *Refrain*

Glorify the Lord with me.
Together let us all praise God's name.
I called the Lord who answered me; from all my troubles I was set free. *Refrain*

Worship the Lord, all you people.
You'll want for nothing if you ask.
Taste and see that the Lord is good' in God we need put all our trust. *Refrain*

Closing Hymn: Go Make of All Disciples

"Go make of all disciples:" We hear the call, O Lord,
That come from you, our Father, in your eternal Word.
Inspire our ways of learning through earnest, fervent prayer,
And let our daily living reveal you ev'rywhere.

"Go make of all disciples:" Baptizing in the name
Of Father, Son and Spirit, from age to age the same.
We call each new disciple to follow you, O Lord,
Redeeming soul and body by water and the Word.

"Go make of all disciples:" We welcome your command;
"Lo, I am with you always:" We take your guiding hand.
The task looms large before us, we follow without fear.
In heav'n and earth your power shall bring God's kingdom here.

Thank you for worshipping with us today. Please review our Bulletin on the ensuing pages. Go to our website, www.stjulia.org, for more information. Have a blessed week!

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

RECONCILIATION

Parish Center Conference Room, Saturday: 3:00-3:45 PM

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

By request after the 4:00 PM Saturday Mass;
or contact Parish Office.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Fridays in St. Julia Church, from Noon—1:00 pm

EUCCHARIST AND VISITS TO THE SICK

Contact Parish Office to notify of anyone ill, home-bound or hospitalized.

ROSARY ON ZOOM

After each daily Mass; ask for link at
director.of.ministries@stjulia.org.

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
Friday afternoon: parish@stjulia.org.

Readings for the Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: Zephaniah 2:3, 3:12-13

Psalms: 146:6-7, 8-9, 9-10

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 1:26-31

Gospel: Matthew 5:1-12a

MASS TIMES

Saturday Vigil: 4:00pm—St. Julia Church

Sunday: 8:00am—St. Joseph Church

9:30am—St. Julia Church

11:30am—St. Julia Church

5:00pm—St. Joseph Church

Daily Mass: Monday-Thursday

8:00am—St. Julia Church

Wednesday

5:30pm—St. Joseph Church

All Masses taking place in St. Julia Church are live
streamed—www.stjulia.org

Supporting Our Parish's Mission

Weekend 1/14 and 1/15 = \$6,743.00

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 our time, talent, and treasure.

~ Parish Life ~

Weekly Collection for Saint Vincent de Paul Food Pantry

At our 9:30 Mass, the community is invited to bring forward dry goods for our SVdP Food Pantry.



For details on needs, please view their wish list at www.svdplincolnweston.org/food-donation. Please check expiration dates before donating! Thank you!!

Mass Intentions for this week:

Sun., 1/22 9:30AM Aliria Quintero
Sun., 1/22 11:30AM Giulio DeSignore
Tues., 1/24 8AM Bob Duffy Sr.
Wed., 1/25 8AM Theresa Greaves
Sun., 1/29 9:30AM Vivian Gutierrez
Sun., 1/29 11:30AM Gregory Flynn



Eucharist Adoration

Every Friday in
St. Julia Church
12 noon—1pm.

Our Catholic Faith

If you are interested in learning more about our Faith, finding the Daily Readings on-line, or listening to some Catholic Podcasts, go to the website of our United States Catholic Conference of Bishops: <https://www.usccb.org/>



Grade 2 Students will be hosting the 9:30 Mass on Sunday, January 22. Following the Mass, the students and at least one parent will attend the First Penance Workshop in the Parish Center Hall. Details have been emailed to parents.

Amazon Smile

Want to help St. Julia out? When you shop on Amazon make sure you go to smile.amazon.com and choose "St. Julia Parish" as your Charity. Make sure it says Weston, MA so you know you have the right place. Now shop. A portion of what you order will come back to St. Julia Parish. Be sure you go to smile.amazon.com every time you shop.

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Change charity

The Annual Saint Julia Parish White Socks Drive

Having clean, warm socks is a dignity many of us take for granted. Please join us in providing people in our local communities with this opportunity. We are now collecting white socks to give to the clients of Bristol Lodge, The Pine Street Men's shelter in Dorchester, Bay Cove Human Services, and Health Care Without Walls. These socks are for adults only—the tube sock style is preferred! We will be collecting them in the lower lobby of the Parish Center through Sunday, January 29th. This service opportunity is being organized by Mrs. Pat Dacey.



PARISH GRAND ANNUAL



We give thanks for the many blessings of our faith community. Our Parish provides a welcoming place to encounter the Lord through the Word and Sacraments, and by programs and activities that strengthen our commitment to Christ. We urge all to



participate in our Parish life and to support our mission and ministries. Our Parish Grand Annual Appeal is ongoing with a goal of \$250,000. The Grand Annual is an important part of our overall Parish budget and supports the ordinary expenditures of Parish life, including utilities, salaries, maintenance, insurance, etc. Please prayerfully consider how you can best help us reach our goal. More information, along with our Parish's Financial Reporting, can be found on our Website: StJulia.org

~ Catholic Life ~



Did you know that our Sunday readings for most of 2023 will be taken from the Gospel of St. Matthew?

In order to prepare for this year, Deacon Phil will be hosting a 4-week Zoom Scripture Sharing with Matthew's Gospel, beginning January 19.

The Gospel of St. Matthew is known for its incredible detail of Jesus' Ministry, and its deep roots in Jewish tradition and teaching. It was likely written for Jewish Christians, with a strong focus on showing that Jesus was the long-awaited Messiah. Matthew includes almost 200 Old Testament references in order to support that claim!

How can we relate to this in 2023? Would you like to know more?

All are invited to join Deacon Phil for a prayerful discussion of this Gospel.

The sessions will Zoom on Thursdays, January 19 and 26, and February 2 and 9, from 7-8:15pm. You do not need a bible, but reading Scripture directly from a Bible is always encouraged.

Contact Deacon Phil at director.of.ministries@stjulia.org to register or ask questions, and receive the Zoom information.

Have you checked out Deacon Phil's latest "5 Minutes" Videos? The latest video can always be found at <http://massevangelize.org/DeaconPhil5-latest>, and the entire playlist, at <http://massevangelize.org/DeaconPhil5-play>. Give them a try!



Deacon Phil's Video Watch Series on "The Chosen" will continue through the end of the Faith Formation Year, on the same weekends that Youth Faith Formation meets. The next sessions will be January 22 and 29, and February 5 and 12. All are welcome! Contact Deacon Phil at director.of.ministries@gmail.com for more details.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

Worldwide Marriage Encounter is sponsoring a variety of in-person and virtual marriage experiences, some on weekends and some on seven weekdays. Couples will explore their relationship with each other, God, and the Church. Registration is limited and a \$100 application fee is required. For more information or to apply, call Joe & Ginny Vatele at 978-870-5646 or visit them at <https://wwmema.org/>.

Feb 3-5, 2023 in Huntington, NY

Mar 10-12, 2023 in Upton, MA

Jun 23-25, 2023 in Huntington, NY

God Needs Priests. Is He Calling You? First Friday Visits

Pope St. John XXIII National Seminary, Weston, MA is offering 'First Friday Visits' on: February 3rd, 2023 at 5:00 p.m. Option to attend virtually or in person. Holy Hour and Evening Prayer. In Person includes dinner with the seminarians and a tour. Virtual includes a Zoom visit following Holy Hour. Make a resolution to be courageous. Consider a priestly call. Contact Msgr. William Fay at: msgr.fay@psjs.edu or 781.899.5500 ext. 134. www.psjs.edu.



As an Adult, are you seeking to receive any of the Sacraments of Initiation?

Are you thinking of joining the Church? Do you need to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation or 1st Communion? We warmly welcome you, and we have a process designed for you! Contact Deacon Rafe to find out more: deaconrafe@gmail.com.

