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The Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ July 7, 2024

Gathering Hymn: *Immortal Invisible, God Only Wise*

Immortal, Invisible, God only wise,
In light inaccessible hid from our eyes,
Most blessed, most glorious, the Ancient of Days,
Almighty, victorious, your great name we praise.

Unresting, unhasting, and silent as light,
Nor wanting, nor wasting, you rule day and night;
Your justice like mountains high soaring above
Your clouds, which are fountains of goodness and love.

Life-giving Creator of both great and small,
Of all life the maker, the true life of all,
We blossom, then wither as leaves on a tree,
But you live for ever, you are and will be.

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: **Ezekiel 2:2-5**

As the LORD spoke to me, the spirit entered into me and set me on my feet, and I heard the one who was speaking say to me: Son of man, I am sending you to the Israelites, rebels who have rebelled against me; they and their ancestors have revolted against me to this very day. Hard of face and obstinate of heart are they to whom I am sending you. But you shall say to them: Thus says the LORD GOD! And whether they heed or resist—for they are a rebellious house—they shall know that a prophet has been among them.

Responsorial Psalm: **“Our eyes are fixed on the Lord, pleading for his mercy.”**

Second Reading: **2 Corinthians 12:7-10**

Brothers and sisters: That I, Paul, might not become too elated, because of the abundance of the revelations, a thorn in the flesh was given to me, an angel of Satan, to beat me, to keep me from being too elated. Three times I begged the Lord about this, that it might leave me, but he said to me, “My grace is sufficient for you, for power is made perfect in weakness.” I will rather boast most gladly of my weaknesses, in order that the power of Christ may dwell with me. Therefore, I am content with weaknesses, insults, hardships, persecutions, and constraints, for the sake of Christ; for when I am weak, then I am strong.

Gospel: **Mark 6:1-6**

Jesus departed from there and came to his native place, accompanied by his disciples. When the sabbath came he began to teach in the synagogue, and many who heard him were astonished. They said, “Where did this man get all this? What kind of wisdom has been given him? What mighty deeds are wrought by his hands! Is he not the carpenter, the son of Mary, and the brother of James and Joses and Judas and Simon? And are not his sisters here with us?” And they took offense at him. Jesus said to them, “A prophet is not without honor except in his native place and among his own kin and in his own house.” So he was not able to perform any mighty deed there, apart from curing a few sick people by laying his hands on them. He was amazed at their lack of faith.

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: *Canticle of Zachary*

Now bless the God of Israel, who comes in love and pow'r,
Who raises from the royal house deliv'rance in this hour.
Through holy prophets God has sworn to free us from alarm,
To save us from the heavy hand of all who wish us harm.

Remembering the covenant, God rescues us from fear,
That we might serve in holiness and peace from year to year;
And you, my child, shall go before to preach, to prophesy,
That all may know the tender love, the grace of God most high

Communion Hymn: *Sanctuary*

Refrain

In ev'ry age, in ev'ry time, in ev'ry place, O Lord,
You have been our refuge; you have been our strength;
Shelter from the storm, our sanctuary sure.

Closing Hymn: *America the Beautiful*

O beautiful for spacious skies, for amber waves of grain,
For purple mountain majesties above the fruited plain!
America! America! God shed his grace on thee,
And crown thy good with brotherhood from sea to shining sea.

O beautiful for heroes proved in liberating strife,
Who more than self their country loved, and mercy more than life!
America! America! May God they gold refine,
Till all success be nobleness, and ev'ry gain divine.

O beautiful for patriot dream that sees beyond the years
Thine alabaster cities gleam, undimmed by human tears!
America! America! God shed his grace on thee,
And crown thy good with brotherhood from sea to shining sea.



*Thank you for joining us in worship today!
Please see the Bulletin section in the following pages for events and
service opportunities, or go to our website: stjulia.org*

We wish you a blessed week!

Saint Julia Parish Staff

Rev. Mark A. Mahoney, Pastor

Weekend Assistants: Msgr. William Fay, Rev. Bob Braunreuther, SJ

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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
In St. Julia Church every Friday from 12:00 noon
to 1:00 pm. No Adoration July and August.

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. Contact us at
stjulia.org/contactus for the Zoom link.

BAPTISM
Please contact the Parish Office in advance to
make arrangements.

BULLETIN NOTICES should be emailed to the
Parish Office by Friday afternoon:
parish@stjulia.org.

Readings for the Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: Amos 7:12-15

Psalm: Psalm 85:19-10, 11-12, 13-14

Second Reading: Ephesians 1:3-14, or 1:3-10

Gospel: Mark 6:7-13

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 of 6/29 and 6/30, due to early submission of
the bulletin, this will be published next week.

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 ~

Mass Intentions for this Week:

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| Sat. 7/6 | 4PM | Michael Macron |
| Sun. 7/7 | 8AM | Allan & Theresa Greaves |
| Sun. 7/7 | 9:30AM | Cyndi King & Family |
| Mon. 7/8 | 8AM | Ruth & Walter Henneberry & Family |
| Tues. 7/9 | 8AM | Michel Mills |
| Wed. 7/10 | 8AM | Natalie & Bob Duffy Sr. |
| Thurs. 7/11 | 8AM | Pamela Gonzalez & Family |
| Sun. 7/14 | 8AM | Florinda Rurrell |
| Sun. 7/14 | 11:30AM | Marguerite & Gaston Levecque |

Eucharist Adoration

No Adoration
In July
And August.



The Parish parking lot will be closed for all traffic on Thursday, July 11th and Friday, July 12th.

Summer-time News

These months seem to rapidly fly by as we enjoy some of New England's better weather. While, in a sense, things are a bit quieter with many taking some well-deserved vacations, there is still much going on in the Parish. We are using these weeks to address needed maintenance issues and updates to our facilities. Saint Julia Parish Center's lower and upper Lobbies and Hall have been stripped of old wall-paper and freshly painted. New flooring will be installed later this summer. On the mechanical side, we have had some necessary work done on Saint Julia Church HVAC system as well as the fire sprinkler systems in both the Church and Parish Center. Also, you may have noted, Saint Julia Parking lot was resealed last week.

Our Saint Joseph's property in Lincoln will also be receiving some significant updates over these months. The old aluminum siding on the Rectory will be removed and new siding installed. Also, fourteen new windows will be installed on the second floor. After the construction work, we will refresh the grounds.

I am most grateful to all who support our Parish by giving in spiritual and temporal ways.

May the Blessings of God rest upon you,

Fr. Mark

Parish Staff Update

Deacon Phil has decided that it is time for him to draw back a bit from his dual role here as Director of Ministries and Parish Deacon. Later this month, he will retire from his employed position as Director of Ministries while maintaining his Archdiocesan assignment as Parish Deacon. Although Deacon Phil will not be around the Parish as much, we will still be seeing him and benefiting from his ministry.

~ Parish Life ~

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Minutes
With
Deacon Phil



Have you ever wondered why St. Mark's Gospel sometimes uses "healings with-in healings" unlike the other Gospels? What do we make of the intertwined healing of Jairus' daughter and the woman with the Hemorrhage of 12 years?

Join Deacon Phil as he offers some thoughts on this section of Mark 5. It can be found at <https://stjulia.org/DeaconPhil5-066>.

The latest video can always be found at <http://stjulia.org/DeaconPhil5-latest>. Give them a try!

If you would like to know more about this video, or have questions about any video, feel free to email Deacon Phil through stjulia.org/contactus. He is always happy to chat about your life of faith.

Dear Parishioners,

Nuestros Pequeños Hermanos (NPH) has helped to raise tens of thousands of children since 1954, providing them with a home, stability, caring adults and a better future – but most importantly, a chance to survive.

We are thrilled to host two fundraising events in July on Cape Cod and Nantucket where we will welcome Dr. Edwin Vallecillo as our Guest Speaker. Edwin grew up in our home in Honduras with his seven siblings, and with the support of NPH and donors, became a medical doctor. He was the National Medical Director for NPH before becoming the COO of NPH International.

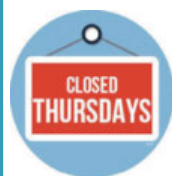
Please join or invite others to our event on Nantucket on July 24th, or Brewster on July 25th . More details can be found at nphusa.org/event/Nantucket or nphusa.org/event/capecod. We appreciate your help spreading the word!

May God bless you,

Andrea Nahigian & East Coast Team,
Donor Relations Director- East Coast



Summer Office Hours



The Parish Office will be closed on Thursdays, but remain open Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Fridays, except for summer Holidays and staff vacations.

In an emergency, please call 781.899.2611, then press #.

Thank you for your understanding.

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