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The Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ July 14, 2024

Gathering Hymn: Sing a New Song to the Lord

Sing a new song to the Lord, He to whom wonders belong! Rejoice in his triumph and tell of his power, O sing to the Lord a new song!

Now to the ends of the earth
See his salvation is shown;
And still he remembers his mercy and truth,
Unchanging in love to his own.
Sing a new song and rejoice,
Publish his praises abroad!
Let voices in chorus, with trumpet and horn,
Resound for the joy of the Lord!

Join with the hills and the sea Thunders of praise to prolong! In judgement and justice he comes to the earth, O sing to the Lord a new song!

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: Amos 7:12-15

Amaziah, priest of Bethel, said to Amos, "Off with you, visionary, flee to the land of Judah! There earn your bread by prophesying, but never again prophesy in Bethel; for it is the king's sanctuary and a royal temple." Amos answered Amaziah, "I was no prophet, nor have I belonged to a company of prophets; I was a shepherd and a dresser of sycamores. The LORD took me from following the flock, and said to me, Go, prophesy to my people Israel."

Responsorial Psalm: "Lord, let us see your kindness, and grant us your salvation."

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

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us in Christ with every spiritual blessing in the heavens, as he chose us in him, before the foundation of the world, to be holy and without blemish before him. In love he destined us for adoption to himself through Jesus Christ, in accord with the favor of his will, for the praise of the glory of his grace that he granted us in the beloved. In him we have redemption by his blood, the forgiveness of transgressions, in accord with the riches of his grace that he lavished upon us. In all wisdom and insight, he has made known to us the mystery of his will in accord with his favor that he set forth in him as a plan for the fullness of times, to sum up all things in Christ, in heaven and on earth.

[In him we were also chosen, destined in accord with the purpose of the One who accomplishes all things according to the intention of his will, so that we might exist for the praise of his glory, we who first hoped in Christ. In him you also, who have heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation, and have believed in him, were sealed with the promised holy Spirit, which is the first installment of our inheritance toward redemption as God's possession, to the praise of his glory.]

Gospel: Mark 6:7-13

Jesus summoned the Twelve and began to send them out two by two and gave them authority over unclean spirits. He instructed them to take nothing for the journey but a walking stick— no food, no sack, no money in their belts. They were, however, to wear sandals but not a second tunic. He said to them, "Wherever you enter a house, stay there until you leave. Whatever place does not welcome you or listen to you, leave there and shake the dust off your feet in testimony against them." So, they went off and preached repentance. The Twelve drove out many demons, and they anointed with oil many who were sick and cured them.

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: God of Day and God of Darkness

God of day and God of darkness, now we stand before the night; As the shadows stretch and deepen, come and make our darkness bright. All creation still is groaning for the dawning of your might, When the Sun of peace and justice fills the earth with radiant light.

Still the nations curse the darkness, still the rich oppress the poor; Still the earth is bruised and broken by the ones who still want more. Come and wake us from our sleeping, so our hearts cannot ignore All your people lost and broken, all you children at our door.

Show us Christ in one another, make us servants strong and true; Give us all your love of justice so we do what you would do. Let us call all people holy, let us pledge our lives a new; Make us one with all the lowly; let us all be one in you.

Communion Hymn: Seed, Scattered and Sown

Refrain:

Seed scattered and sown, wheat gathered and grown, Bread, broken and shared as one, the living Bread of God. Vine, fruit of the land, wine, works of our hands, One cup that is shared by all, the Living Cup, The Living Bread of God.

Is not the bread we break a sharing in our Lord?
Is not the cup we bless the Blood of Christ outpoured? Refrain

The seed which falls on rock will wither and will die.
The seed within good ground will flower and have life. Refrain

As wheat upon the hills was gathered and was grown, So may the Church of God be gathered into one. Refrain

Closing Hymn: Lord, You Give the Great Commission

Lord, you give the great commission: "Heal the sick and preach the word." Lest the Church neglect its mission, and the Gospel go unheard. Help us witness to your purpose with renewed in integrity; With the Spirit's gifts empower us for the work of ministry.

Lord, you call us to your service: "In my name baptize and teach." That the world may trust your promise, Life abundant meant for each, Give us all new fervor, draw us closer in community; With the Spirit's gifts empower us for the work of ministry.

Lord, you make the common holy: "This my body, this my blood." Let us all, for earth's true glory, daily lift life heavenward, Asking that the world around us share your children's liberty; With the Spirit's gifts empower us for the work of ministry.

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

We wish you a blessed week!

Saint Julia Parish Staff

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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.

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

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

EUCHARIST AND VISITS TO THE SICK

Contact Parish Office to notify of anyone ill, homebound 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 Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: Jeremiah 23: 1-6

Psalm: Psalm 23:1-3, 3-4, 5, 6

Second Reading: Ephesians 2:13-18

Gospel: Mark 6:30-34

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 = \$8,607.00 Weekend of 7/6 and 7/7 = \$11,208.00

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 ~

Mass Intentions for this Week:

Sat. 7/13 **4PM Hinchey & Czarnowski Families** Sun. 7/14 Florinda Rurrell 8AM Sun. 7/14 11:30AM Marguerite & Gaston Levecque Mon. 7/15 8AM Patricia Monaghan Hertel Tues. 7/16 8AM Natalie & Bob Duffy Sr. Wed. 7/17 8AM **Ruth Mary Donahue** Thurs. 7/18 8AM Victoria Gonzalez & Family (Living) Sun. 7/21 9:30AM Irene Decaestecker

Eucharist Adoration

No Adoration In July And August.



The Parish Office will be closed on Thursday, July 18th & Friday, Jully 19th.

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 recently resealed.

Our Saint Joseph's property in Lincoln will also be receiving some significant updates over there 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 at the Altar, in Adult Faith Formation Sessions (10:10 Challenge and more), with other Prayer Services, and continuing his "5 Minutes with Deacon Phil" videos.

~ Parish Life ~



Have you ever wondered why St. Mark's Gospel sometimes uses "healings within 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 <u>stjulia.org/contactus</u>. 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.

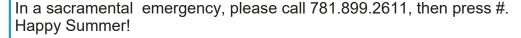
Please join or invite others to our event on Nantucket on July 24th, or Brewster on July 25th. More details can be found at nphusa.org/event/Nantucket or nphusa.org/event/capecod. We appreciate your help spreading the word!

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.





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