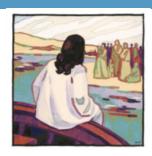
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The Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ July 21, 2024

Gathering Hymn: There's a Wideness in God's Mercy

There's a wideness in God's mercy like the wideness of the sea; There's a kindness in God's justice which is more than liberty. There is plentiful redemption in the blood that has been shed; There is joy for all the members in the sorrows of the Head.

For the love of God is broader than the measures of the mind, And the heart of the Eternal is most wonderfully kind. If our love were but more simple, we should take him at his word, And our lives would be thanksgiving for the goodness of the Lord.

Troubled souls, why will you scatter like a crowd of frightened sheep? Foolish hears, why will you wander from a love so true and deep? There is welcome for the sinner and more graces for the good; There is mercy with the Savior, there is healing in his blood.

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: Jeremiah 23:1-6

Woe to the shepherds who mislead and scatter the flock of my pasture, says the LORD. Therefore, thus says the LORD, the God of Israel, against the shepherds who shepherd my people: You have scattered my sheep and driven them away. You have not cared for them, but I will take care to punish your evil deeds. I myself will gather the remnant of my flock from all the lands to which I have driven them and bring them back to their meadow; there they shall increase and multiply. I will appoint shepherds for them who will shepherd them so that they need no longer fear and tremble; and none shall be missing, says the LORD.

Behold, the days are coming, says the LORD, when I will raise up a righteous shoot to David; as king he shall reign and govern wisely, he shall do what is just and right in the land. In his days
Judah shall be saved, Israel shall dwell in security. This is the name they give him: "The LORD our justice."

Responsorial Psalm: "Shepherd me, O God, beyond my wants, beyond my fears, from

death into life."

Second Reading: Ephesians 2:13-18

Brothers and sisters: In Christ Jesus you who once were far off have become near by the blood of Christ. For he is our peace, he who made both one and broke down the dividing wall of enmity, through his flesh, abolishing the law with its commandments and legal claims, that he might create in himself one new person in place of the two, thus establishing peace, and might reconcile both with God, in one body, through the cross, putting that enmity to death by it. He came and preached peace to you who were far off and peace to those who were near, for through him we both have access in one Spirit to the Father.

Gospel: Mark 6:30-34

The apostles gathered together with Jesus and reported all they had done and taught. He said to them, "Come away by yourselves to a deserted place and rest a while." People were coming and going in great numbers, and they had no opportunity even to eat. So they went off in the boat by themselves to a deserted place. People saw them leaving and many came to know about it. They hastened there on foot from all the towns and arrived at the place before them. When he disembarked and saw the vast crowd, his heart was moved with pity for them, for they were like sheep without a shepherd; and he began to teach them many things.

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: The King of Love My Shepherd Is

The King of love my shepherd is, Whose goodness fails me never; I nothing lack if I am his. And he is mine forever.

Where streams of living water flow My ransomed soul he's leading, And where the verdant pastures grow With food celestial feeding.

You spread a table in my sight; Your saving grace bestowing; And O what transport of delight From your pure chalice flowing!

Communion Hymn: **Shepherd of My Heart**

My shepherd is the Lord, for nothing shall I want; Green are the pastures where I'm led to repose. Near waters sill and deep God will refresh my soul. I am led onward in ways true to the Name.

Refrain

Guide me, O shepherd of my heart; Lead me homeward through the dark, into everlasting day. Show me the way of truth and light; keep me always in your sight. May my life never part from the shepherd of my heart.

If I should walk one day into the vale of darkness, No evil shall I fear with God at my side. There with your crook and staff you give me strength and comfort; You spread a banquet in the sight of my foes. Refrain

You anoint my head with oil; my cup is overflowing; Goodness and kindness crown the days of my life. Within the Lords' own house I dwell in peace forever; Within the house of God my soul is at rest. Refrain

Closing Hymn: Mine Eyes Have Seen the Glory

Mine eyes have seen the glory of the coming of the Lord; He is trampling out the vintage where the grapes of wrath are stored; He hath loosed the fateful lightning of his terrible swift sword; His truth is marching on. Glory! Glory! Hallelujah! Glory! Glory! Hallelujah! Glory! Glory! Hallelujah! His truth is marching on.

He has sounded forth the trumpet that shall never call retreat; He is sifting out all human hearts before his judgment seat; O be swift, my soul, to answer him; be jubilant my feet! Our God is marching on. Glory! Glory! Hallelujah! Glory! Glory! Hallelujah! Glory! Glory! Hallelujah! His truth is marching on.

In the beauty of the lilies Christ was born across the sea, With a glory in his bosom that transfigures you and me; As he died to make us holy, let us die that all be free! While God is marching on. Glory! Glory! Hallelujah! Glory! Glory! Hallelujah! Glory! Glory! Hallelujah! His truth is marching on.

We wish you a blessed week!

Thank you for

joining us in

worship today!

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OFFICE HOURS 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & 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 Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: 2 Kings 4:42-44

Psalm: Psalm 145:10-11, 15-16, 17-18

Second Reading: Ephesians 4:1-6

Gospel: John 6:1-15

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

Due to early submission of the bulletin, the Weekend of 7/13 and 7/14 will be reported 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:

Sun. 7/21 9:30AM Irene Decaestecker

Mon. 7/22 8:00AM Edward Morgan

Tues. 7/23 8:00AM Theresa & Daniel Donahue

& Family

Wed. 7/24 8:00AM Natalie & Bob Duffy Sr.

Thurs. 7/258:00AM Edward & Sarah Tye & Family

(Living)

Eucharist Adoration

No Adoration In July And August.



Food Pantry

It's summer. The children are home and need additional food. Please consider supporting the Pantry by dropping off nonperishable items at the pantry or in St. Julia Church.

Thank you for your help!

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

Missionary Appeal Today

Today we have a visiting diocesan priest from The Society of Saint James who will give us some insight into the plight of the missions in South America. The Society, founded by Cardinal Cushing in 1958, has members who serve in Peru. Each year a few of the members come north to spread the word about their missionary work and to appeal for



donations. Please be as generous as your means allow. For more information on the Society of St. James visit their website: www.socstjames.com

~ 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.

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.

Dear Parishioners,

Nuestros Pequeños Hermanos (NPH) has helped to raise tens of thousands of children since 1954.

We are thrilled to host two fundraising events in July on Cape Cod and Nantucket. 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 anahigian@nphusa.org 617-206-4943

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 a sacramental emergency, please call 781.899.2611, then press #. Happy Summer!



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