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Fifteenth Sunday Ordinary Time —July 13, 2025

Gathering Hymn: *Gather Us In*

Here in this place, new light is streaming,
Now is the darkness, vanished away,
See, in this space, our fears and our dreamings,
Brought here to you in the light of this day.
Gather us in the lost and forsaken,
Gather us in the blind and the lame;
Call to us now and we shall awaken,
We shall arise at the sound of our name.

Here we will take the wine and the water,
Here we will take the bread of new birth,
Here you shall call your sons and your daughters,
Call us anew to be salt for the earth.
Give us to drink the wine of compassion,
Give us to eat the bread that is you;
Nourish us well, and teach us to fashion
Lives that are holy and hearts that are true.

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: **Deuteronomy 30:10-14**

Moses said to the people: "If only you would heed the voice of the LORD, your God, and keep his commandments and statutes that are written in this book of the law, when you return to the LORD, your God, with all your heart and all your soul. "For this command that I enjoin on you today is not too mysterious and remote for you. It is not up in the sky, that you should say, 'Who will go up in the sky to get it for us and tell us of it, that we may carry it out?' Nor is it across the sea, that you should say, 'Who will cross the sea to get it for us and tell us of it, that we may carry it out?' No, it is something very near to you, already in your mouths and in your hearts; you have only to carry it out."

Responsorial Psalm “Turn to the Lord in your need, and you will live.”

Second Reading: **Colossians 1:15-20**

Christ Jesus is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation. For in him were created all things in heaven and on earth, the visible and the invisible, whether thrones or dominions or principalities or powers; all things were created through him and for him. He is before all things, and in him all things hold together. He is the head of the body, the church. He is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, that in all things he himself might be preeminent. For in him all the fullness was pleased to dwell, and through him to reconcile all things for him, making peace by the blood of his cross through him, whether those on earth or those in heaven.

Gospel Acclamation **Alleluia, alleluia.**

Gospel: **Luke 10:25-37**

There was a scholar of the law who stood up to test Jesus and said, “Teacher, what must I do to inherit eternal life?” Jesus said to him, “What is written in the law? How do you read it?” He said in reply, “*You shall love the Lord, your God, with all your heart, with all your being, with all your strength, and with all your mind, and your neighbor as yourself.*” He replied to him, “You have answered correctly; do this and you will live.” But because he wished to justify himself, he said to Jesus, “And who is my neighbor?” Jesus replied, “A man fell victim to robbers as he went down from Jerusalem to Jericho. They stripped and beat him and went off leaving him half-dead. A priest happened to be going down that road, but when he saw him, he passed by on the opposite side. Likewise a Levite came to the place, and when he saw him, he passed by on the opposite side. But a Samaritan traveler who came upon him was moved with compassion at the sight. He approached the victim, poured oil and wine over his wounds and bandaged them. Then he lifted him up on his own animal, took him to an inn, and cared for him. The next day he took out two silver coins and gave them to the innkeeper with the instruction, ‘Take care of him. If you spend more than what I have given you, I shall repay you on my way back.’ Which of these three, in your opinion, was neighbor to the robbers’ victim?” He answered, “The one who treated him with mercy.” Jesus said to him, “Go and do likewise.”

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

For the Healing of the Nations

For the healing of the nations, Lord we pray with one accord;
For a just and equal sharing of the things that earth affords.
To a life of love and action help us rise and pledge our word.

Lead us now, Lord, into freedom, from despair your world release;
That redeemed from war and hatred, all may come and go in peace.
Show us how through care and goodness fear will die and hope increase.

You, creator God have written your great name on humankind;
For our growing in your likeness bring the life of Christ to mind:
That by our response and service Earth its destiny may find.

Communion Hymn Eye Has Not Seen

Refrain:

Eye has not seen, ear has not heard what God has ready for those who love him;
Spirit of love, come, give us the mind of Jesus, teach us the wisdom of God.

When pain and sorrow weigh us down, be near to us, O Lord,
forgive the weakness of our faith and bear us up within your peaceful world. *Refrain*

Our lives are but a single breath, we flower and we fade,
yet all our days are in your hands, so we return in love what love has made. *Refrain*

To those who see with eyes of faith, the Lord is ever near,
reflected in the faces of all the poor and lowly of the world. *Refrain*

We sing a myst'ry from the past in halls where saints have trod,
yet ever new the music rings to Jesus, Living Son of God.

Closing Hymn: O Christ the Great Foundation

O Christ the great foundation on which your people stand
To preach your true salvation in ev'ry age and land:
Pour out your Holy Spirit to make us strong and pure,
To keep the faith unbroken as long as worlds endure.

Where tyrants' hold is tightened, where strong devour the weak,
Where innocents are frightened, the righteous fear to speak,
There let your church awaking attack the powers of sin
And, all their ramparts breaking, with you the victory win.

This is the moment glorious when he who once was dead
Shall lead his church victorious, their champion and their head.
The Lord of all creation his heav'nly kingdom brings
The final consummation, the glory of all things.

*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!*

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

RECONCILIATION

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

ANOIDING 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 in July & 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/ contact us 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 Monday morning:
parish@stjulia.org.

Sixteenth Sunday Ordinary Time

First Reading: Genesis 18:1-10a

Psalm: 15:2-3, 3-4, 5

Second Reading: Colossians 1:24-28

Gospel: Luke 10:38-42

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 6/28 & 6/29 = \$7, 294.00

Weekend of 7/5 & 7/6 = \$8,150.00

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:

Wed. 7/16 8:00AM Natalie & Bob Duffy Sr.
Thurs. 7/17 8:00AM Ruth Mary Donahue
Tues. 7/22 8:00AM Natalie & Bob Duffy Sr.
Wed. 7/24 8:00AM Ruth & Walter Henneberry

Eucharist Adoration

No Adoration in
July & August



Food Pantry Collection

Please donate to the Food Pantry.
Children are home for the
summer and the need is
more.

Cereal, pasta sauce, gluten
free items and condiments
are especially needed now.



Faith Formation

Our Faith Formation Program thrives because of the heart and dedication of our volunteers. We are seeking dedicated individuals to join us as a teacher, classroom or hallway aide. No experience is required, just a willingness to make a difference. You may rotate or team-teach with a friend. We provide all the teaching materials needed.

Together, we can continue to shape the future with faith and love!

For more information on how you can join and help our parish grow, please contact:
Jackie Ashba at: www.stjulia.org/contactus



Altar Server Scholarship Fund

If you would like to support our Altar Server Ministry, please consider a donation to our newly established "**Server Scholarship Fund**". This was our first year of offering some small scholarships to our Collage Bound Seniors. We hope to make it a well established yearly event!

Donations may be made to: "St. Julia-Altar Server Scholarships". Thank



~ Parish Life ~

St Vincent de Paul: Food Donations Needed

We invite all to participate in this ministry!



Cereal, pasta sauce, gluten-free items and condiments are needed. Food donations can be dropped in church or donated online.

- ✓ Scan the qr code to donate online
- ✓ Choose food items from the list
- ✓ Food delivered directly to a pantry volunteer

Learn more at www.svdplincolnweston.org



Worldwide Marriage Encounter

Galatians 6:14-18: Saint Paul says, "May I never boast except in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, through which the world has been crucified to me, and I to the world. Peace and Mercy be to all who follow this rule and to the Israel of God." We can have peace and mercy in our marriage. The Holy Spirit can help and guide you in your relationship. Check out and sign up for a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience. Dates to sign up are:

August 15-17, 2025 at Holy Family Retreat Center in West Hartford, CT

September 19-21 in Huntington, NY

Worldwide Marriage Encounter sponsors a variety of in-person and virtual marriage experiences, some on weekends and some on seven weekdays. Couples explore their relationship with each other, God, and the Church. Registration is limited; there is a \$100 application fee. For more information or to apply, call Matt & Julie King at 978-870-5646 or <https://www.mema.org/>.

Moving Forward in Faith... Together



"The Catholic Appeal is our way of acting in solidarity to spread hope." - Archbishop Richard G. Henning

Thank you to those who have already responded generously to Archbishop Richard Henning's invitation to contribute to the 2025 Catholic Appeal. Through early support, our parish has already reached 72% of our goal and, together, we are on our way to greater success.

Thank you for your support!





Jubilee for Young People 2025: Rome

July 28 - August 3, 2025

Travel with St. Jude's Parish, Waltham



The **Jubilee for Youth in 2025** is a significant event, a part of the Holy Year of Jubilee declared by Pope Francis, which occurs every 25 years. The theme for the Jubilee is "Pilgrims of Hope," encouraging young people to share their hope with the world.

To celebrate the 2,025th anniversary of the Incarnation of the Lord, youth and young adults are invited to Rome for the international celebration of the Jubilee of Young People from **Monday to Sunday, July 28 to August 3, 2025**. During that week, youth and young adults from around the world will journey to the Eternal City for the pilgrimage experience of a lifetime.

To learn more about the events schedule, go to the [USCCB site](https://usccb.org/jubilee-2025).

**St. Jude's Parish of Waltham is organizing a youth pilgrimage.
For Itinerary & Registration visit:**

<https://saintjudewaltham.org/rome-jubilee-for-young-people-2025>

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Please fill out and drop in the Offertory or at the Parish Office to be added to the Parish.

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