



**PARISH  
INFORMATION**

**SACRAMENT OF PENANCE**

Saturdays: Msgr. Ryan Hall - 4:00 p.m. to 4:45 p.m.  
Also by appointment

**SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY**

The Church provides certain times and preparation for weddings. Please contact the Rectory at least six months in advance to begin the process.

**REGISTRATION**

Every family and person within the parish is encouraged to register with the Parish.

**SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM**

Celebrated on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of the month at 2:00 p.m. A required Baptism preparation meeting for parents meets on the first Monday of the month at 8:00 p.m. Godparents are welcome. Please register in advance for the class and Baptism. Godparent Pre-Requisites: Godparents must be practicing Catholics in good standing, 16 years of age or older, Baptized and Confirmed Catholic.

**ON BECOMING A CATHOLIC**

Those seeking information about the Catholic Faith are invited to contact Fr. Valentine at the Rectory at (516) 621-2222.

**CARE OF THE SICK**

Please notify the Rectory and Human Concerns Ministries if there is anyone seriously ill so that we can provide spiritual care.

**PLEASE PRAY  FOR THE SICK**

Kathleen Capuano  
Rebekah Cole  
Kevin Cronin  
Paul Cronin  
Joseph V. Danbusky  
John Damiano  
Jessica Dawson  
Linda De Stio  
John Paul DiNonno  
James Dougherty  
Eric DuBois  
Members of Ferreira  
Family  
Noel Glen  
Stephen Grabher  
Roberta Greco

Christine Kenney  
Frank Krukowski  
John LaPreziosa  
Janet Levchuck  
Richard Malon  
Marilyn Manning  
Stuey Manzione  
Justin Paradine  
Diana Pearce  
Karen Petrik  
Marion Prendergast  
Gregory Racaniello  
Jaxon Rivera  
Clotida Vecchione  
Ronald Webb  
Anne Wright  
Mary Wybaillie



**MASS INTENTIONS  
FOR THE WEEK**

**Sunday, July 16: 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

7:30 a.m. People of the Parish  
9:00 a.m. John Ferrigno  
by Ronnie & Maryann Combs  
and Family  
11:00 a.m. Lillian Carey  
By Roseann McMahon  
James & Ethel Cunningham  
by Richard O'Hara

**Monday, July 17: Weekday**

9:00 a.m. Dolores O'Hara  
by Richard O'Hara

**Tuesday, July 18: Weekday**

9:00 a.m. Carmine Erciuoli - On his Birthday  
by Daughter, Lora Lofaro  
& Family

**Wednesday, July 19: Weekday**

9:00 a.m. Marie Nykanen  
by Ronnie & Maryann Combs  
and Family

**Thursday, July 20: Weekday**

9:00 a.m. Edward Cleary  
by Richard O'Hara

**Friday, July 21: Weekday**

9:00 a.m. John McCormack  
by Genevieve & Jonna

**Saturday, July 22: Saint Mary Magdalene**

5:00 p.m. Joseph Ianniello  
by Vincent & Debra Ianniello  
and Family  
Norman Mitchell  
By Barbara Nakelski

**Sunday, July 23: 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

7:30 a.m. People of the Parish  
9:00 a.m. Mildred & Joseph Joyce  
by David & Anne Joyce  
11:00 a.m. Lillian Carey  
By Michelle Perone  
Lorraine Cusick  
by Cathy Vanatta  
Dolores O'Hara  
by Richard O'Hara

**READINGS FOR SUNDAY**  
**July 16, 2023**  
*15th Sunday in Ordinary Time*

First Reading: Is 55:10-11  
 Second Reading: Rom 8:18-23  
 Gospel: Mt 13:1-23

**FOCUS:** The seed is the word of God, Christ is the sower.

The image of the seed that Jesus offers in today’s parable can call us to see more clearly and to listen more carefully. This seeing and hearing requires a posture of wonder, a posture of careful attentiveness. Can we slow down and marvel, watching with anticipation to see what God will do?

**LITURGY OF THE WORD:** The first reading speaks of God’s word, like rain, doing his will and achieving the end for which it is sent. In the second reading, we hear that creation is groaning, but that we have the firstfruits of the Spirit while we wait for redemption. In the Gospel, Jesus tells the parable of the sower and the seed that fell on rich soil.

Readings for next week, Sunday July 23, 2023  
 1) Wis 12:13, 16-19 2) Rom 8:26-27 or 13:24-30  
 3) Matthew 13:24-43 or 13:24-30

*From Liturgical Commission Publishing, Lansing, MI*

**FOSTERING STEWARDSHIP**  
**AS A WAY OF LIFE**

**PARISH SACRIFICIAL GIVING**

This week, let the seed of faith grow deeper within you. Make time to read Sacred Scripture or learn about a particular Catholic devotion—and make it a part of your life.

**Parish Sacrificial Giving Summary**

Sunday Offering ~ July 9	\$5,455.00*
Same Week Last Year	\$4,505.00*
Mass Attendance for ~ July 9	525
Same Week Last Year	429

*\*Does not include Faith Direct*

**A REMINDER REGARDING**  
**DONATIONS TO ST. MARY’S**

All checks should be made payable to **St. Mary’s Church**. If the check is for a special purpose, please indicate that on the memo line. For example: Human Concerns, 300 Club, Religious Education, Diocesan Collection, etc.

We thank you for your generous support of our Parish and its activities.

**✠ Celebrants for the Weekend of ✠**  
**July 22/23, 2023**

	<b>Celebrants*</b>	<b>Lector</b>
Saturday 5:00 p.m.	Fr. Gilbert	David Cabrera - L
Sunday 7:30 a.m.	Fr. Evans	John Dussel - L Anne Dussel– EM
9:00 a.m.	Fr. Evans	Barbara Betkowski– L
11:00 a.m.	Fr. Gilbert	Lora Lofaro– L

\* Subject to last minute changes.

**FAITH DIRECT**

The most convenient and secure way for your weekly offering to fund and support our parish's ministries is eGiving through *Faith Direct*. To enroll, go online to [www.faithdirect.net](http://www.faithdirect.net) and use our parish code **NY559**, or fill out an enrollment form from the parish office and mail the form to Faith Direct.

*Please note that because it takes time for the envelope company to process changes, you may still receive weekly envelopes for a while after signing up with Faith Direct. And you will continue to receive special mailings and mailings at*



Just a reminder all St. Mary’s Masses are on Youtube link

<https://tinyurl.com/St-Marys->

# Religious Education at St Mary's - 7/16/2023

## Volunteers Wanted!

Join us! We are seeking volunteers to be Catechists in our program starting September 12<sup>th</sup>.

**Tuesdays:**  
**Afternoons 4:30 – 5:30**  
**Evenings 7pm-8pm**





Please email [director.stmarysreled440@gmail.com](mailto:director.stmarysreled440@gmail.com) with any inquiries or suggestions!






## KID'S CORNER

### The Kids' Bulletin

15th Sunday in Ordinary Time  
July 16th, 2023

*Here is the parable Our Lord told in today's Gospel reading, with pictures!*

A sower went out to sow. And as he sowed, some of the  fell on on the , and  came and ate it up. Some fell on rocky  ground, where it had little soil.

It sprang up at once because the soil was not deep, and when the  rose it was scorched, and it withered for lack of . Some  fell among , and the thorns grew up and choked it. But some  fell on rich soil and produced fruit, a hundred or sixty, or thirty-fold.

## Important Dates:

Backpack Blessings at Mass:  
Sunday, Sept 10<sup>th</sup>

Book Pick-up & Meet the Teachers

Tuesday, Sept 12<sup>th</sup>  
(all must attend)

First Day of Classes:  
Tuesday, Sept 19<sup>th</sup>

### Isaiah 55 Unscramble

*Unscramble the words to finish today's first reading!*

Thus says the \_\_\_\_\_: [DRLO]  
Just as from the heavens  
the \_\_\_\_\_ [NIRA] and \_\_\_\_\_ [OWNS]  
come down  
and do not return there  
till they have watered the \_\_\_\_\_, [HRATE]  
making it fertile and fruitful,  
giving \_\_\_\_\_ [EDSE] to the one who sows  
and \_\_\_\_\_ [EBDRA] to the one who eats,  
so shall my word be  
that goes forth from my \_\_\_\_\_; [TOUMH]  
my \_\_\_\_\_ [DOWR] shall not return to me void,  
but shall do my will,  
achieving the end for which I \_\_\_\_\_ [NTSE] it.







**Human Concerns**

**The Human Concerns Food Pantry is in need of the following items:**

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|---------------|-------------|----------|
| Paper Goods   | Coffee      | Crackers |
| Peanut Butter | Tea         | Rice     |
| Jelly         | Pasta Sauce | Snacks   |
| Spaghetti     | Tuna Fish   | Juice    |
| Cereal        | Cookies     |          |

**Human Concerns is also in need of girls clothes for a 24-month child**

Please call Elsie at (516) 626-1097 before bringing your donations to Msgr. Ryan Hall at 440 Round Hill Road, Roslyn Heights

*Those in need of food or other supplies may call Elsie Calderone at (516) 626-1097 or send her an e-mail at [outreachstmary7@gmail.com](mailto:outreachstmary7@gmail.com)*

**REMEMBERING THOSE WHO SERVE**



Lord, hold these men and women in your loving hands and protect them as they protect us and bless them for their self-forgetting acts. We pray for peace in our world and an end to war. Amen.

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| 1LT Doug Alessi         | PFC Michael P. Lanciki  |
| 2LT Hally Berry         | MAJOR Eric W. Lipp      |
| CAPT Peter Clarke       | LCpl Caitlin Lyons      |
| CAPT Brendan Echausse   | LT Dennis Mackin        |
| COL Daniel Friend       | Cpl Tommy Mozer         |
| SGT Joseph M. Friend    | SGT Julio Ortiz II      |
| CDR Christian R. Foschi | LCpl Jonathan Peres     |
| CAPT Daniel Grabher     | GSGT Jonathan Porto     |
| PFC Steven Hyyti        | LT James Raphael        |
| CAPT David Jacobs       | PVT Michael Starczewski |
| SK1 John D. Klick       |                         |

**CHURCH HANDICAPPED RAMP**

There is a ramp for handicapped access at the Church. It can be found off the parking lot, and goes around to the back of the building. We encourage you to use it if you have difficulty with the front steps.

*Prayer to  
St. Michael the Archangel*



*Mosaic of St. Michael the Archangel on the façade of Serbian Orthodox church in Trieste Italy*

St. Michael the Archangel,  
defend us in battle.  
Be our protector against the  
wickedness and snares of the devil.  
May God rebuke him,  
we humbly pray;  
And do Thou,  
O Prince of the Heavenly Host,  
by the power of God,  
cast into hell Satan,  
and all the evil spirits  
who prowl about the world  
seeking the ruin of souls.

**Amen**

*(Prayer by Pope Leo XIII)*



Dear Friends,

Our Church is in the midst of a National Eucharistic Revival to restore an understanding of and fidelity to the great mystery of Jesus really and truly present in the Most Holy Eucharist. Every time the Church celebrates the Eucharist, she is impelled toward mission: “Go in peace, glorifying the Lord by your life.” One way that the mission of Christ and his Church is accomplished in the world today is through the important works of the Catholic Ministries Appeal.

Gifts to the Catholic Ministries Appeal assist thousands of individuals on Long Island each year. In helping young mothers receive the assistance they need through Catholic Charities, in aiding local families in receiving food, clothing, and support through parish outreach programs, in accompanying veterans, disabled, and elderly in receiving care and housing, and in supporting seminarians through their discernment and formation, your gift to the Catholic Ministries Appeal helps to spread the light of Christ further than you can imagine.

Fr. Christopher Heller, who was ordained a priest last June, noted: *“Every single day of my time in the seminary for five years, the Catholic Ministries Appeal had a part of my life; because without the generosity of people supporting the Catholic Ministries Appeal, I would not have been in the seminary. So, I can say that the fact that I finally was ordained is all due to the work of the Catholic Ministries Appeal. I think that supporting the Catholic Ministries Appeal is important because it is saying that you are on the side of the renewal that Christ is working in the Church on Long Island.”*

Your gifts to the Catholic Ministries Appeal are integral to the mission of the Church on Long Island. If you have not done so already, I ask you to consider making a gift to the 2023 Catholic Ministries Appeal. For convenience’s sake, your contribution to the Catholic Ministries Appeal can now be made monthly over the course of the year. Please inquire with the Appeal Office if this is an option that you would prefer to take advantage of.

If you have already contributed to the 2023 Catholic Ministries Appeal, please know how truly grateful I am. It is only through your generous support, that we are able to serve the entire People of God in the Diocese of Rockville Centre.

Sincerely in Christ,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads '+ John O. Barres'. The signature is written in a cursive style with a cross at the beginning.

Most Reverend John O. Barres  
Bishop of Rockville Centre



Estimados amigos,

Nuestra iglesia continua inmersa en el Renacimiento Eucarístico Nacional, con la finalidad de entender mejor y promover la devoción del gran misterio: Jesucristo está presente - de manera real y verdadera- en la Sagrada Eucaristía. Cada vez que terminamos la celebración de la eucaristía se nos exhorta e impulsa a cumplir la misión: “Ir en paz, glorificando al Señor con sus vidas”. Una manera como hacer realidad la misión de Jesucristo y su iglesia es a través del incesante trabajo de la Campaña de Apoyo a los Ministerios Católicos.

Los donativos a favor de la Campaña de Apoyo a los Ministerios Católicos cada año ayudan a miles de personas de Long Island. Por ejemplo madres jóvenes que necesitan ayuda la reciben a través de Caridades Católicas; familias de pocos recursos que viven en el área reciben alimentos, ropa y otras ayudas a través de los programas de Alcance Social Parroquiales; veteranos de guerra, discapacitados y ancianos reciben atención y asistencia para conseguir una vivienda; y hay programas que sostienen a los seminaristas durante el tiempo en que están formándose y discerniendo su vocación. Su donativo a favor de la Campaña de Apoyo a los Ministerios Católicos ayuda a difundir la luz de Jesucristo más allá de lo que usted puede imaginar.

El pasado mes de junio, el Padre Christopher Heller se ordenó sacerdote, él nos comenta: *“Estuve en el seminario por cinco años, y cada uno de esos días sentí que la Campaña de Apoyo a los Ministerios Católicos era parte de mi vida, porque sin su generosidad y apoyo no hubiera podido estudiar en el seminario. Puedo decir que he podido ordenarme sacerdote gracias a la Campaña de Apoyo a los Ministerios Católicos. Yo creo su apoyo a la Campaña es importante puesto que eso muestra que usted está a favor de este renacimiento, y convencido que Jesucristo está presente, obrando activamente en nuestra iglesia de Long Island.”*

Sus donativos a favor de la Campaña de Apoyo a los Ministerios Católicos son parte integral de la misión de la iglesia en Long Island. Si usted aún no ha colaborado, le pido que considere hacer un donativo a favor de la Campaña 2023. Para conveniencia sus donativos a favor de la Campaña pueden ahora hacerse a plazos, es decir pagos mensuales durante el año. Si ésta es una opción para usted no dude en comunicarse con la Oficina de la Campaña.

Reciba mi profundo agradecimiento si usted ya ha contribuido con la Campaña 2023, es sólo a través de sus generosos aportes que podemos ayudar al pueblo de Dios en la Diócesis de Rockville Centre.

Sinceramente suyo en Cristo

Muy Reverendo John O. Barres  
Obispo de Rockville Centre



## Fifteenth Sunday Ordinary Time

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Entrance

## I Sing the Mighty Power of God

Mozart

Isaac Watts, 1674-1748

MOZART C. M. D.  
Wolfgang A. Mozart, 1756-1791

1. I sing the might - y power of God that  
 2. I sing the good - ness of the Lord that  
 3. There's not a plant or flower be - low but



made the moun - tains rise, that spread the flow - ing  
 filled the earth with food; he formed the crea - tures  
 makes thy glo - ries known; and clouds a - rise, and



seas a - broad, and built the loft - y skies.  
 with his word, and then pro - nounced them good.  
 tem - pests blow, by or - der from thy throne;



I sing the wis - dom that or - dained the  
 Lord, how thy won - ders are dis - played wher -  
 while all that bor - rows life from thee is



sun to rule the day; the moon shines full at  
 e'er I turn my eye; if I sur - vey the  
 ev - er in thy care, and ev - ery - where that



his com - mand and all the stars o - bey.  
 ground I tread, or gaze up - on the sky!  
 man can be, thou, God, art pres - ent there.

Gloria

Heritage Mass

## Responsorial Psalm



The seed that falls on good ground will yield a fruit - ful har - vest.

## Offertory

### To Be Your Presence



1. To be your pres - ence is our mis - sion here,  
 2. To be your pres - ence is our mis - sion bold,  
 3. To be your pres - ence is our mis - sion blest,  
 4. We are your heart, O Christ, your hands and voice;



To show Com - pas - sion's face and lis - t'ning ear,  
 To feed the poor and shel - ter home - less cold,  
 To speak for all the bro - ken and op - pressed,  
 To serve your peo - ple is our call and choice,



To be your heart of mer - cy ev - er near,  
 To be your hands, your jus - tice to up - hold,  
 To be your voice of hope, your love ex - pressed,  
 And in this mis - sion we, the Church, re - joice,



(1.-4.) al - le - lu - ia!  
 \*(1.) your heart of mer - cy, Christ!  
 (2.) your hands of jus - tice, Christ!  
 (3.) your voice of hope, O Christ!  
 (4.) to be your pres - ence here!

*\*During Lent*



Holy, Holy, Holy  
Acclamation  
Great Amen  
Agnus Dei

Save Us Savior of the World

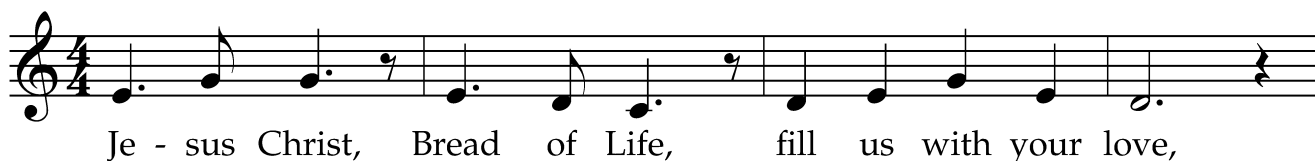
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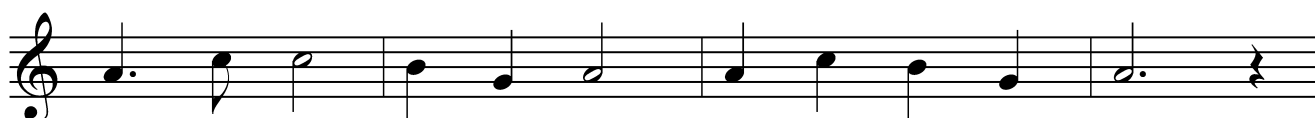
Communion

Jesus Christ, Bread of Life

REFRAIN



VERSES



1. Thank - ful - ly, here we bring sim - ple bread and wine,
2. Faith - ful - ly, we re - call, gath - ered here as one,
3. When we drink of this cup, when we eat this bread,
4. Are not all hearts a - flame when we break this bread?
5. Joy - ful - ly we par - take in this ho - ly food.



1. For the life of the world, once and for all time.
2. Bread of Life, cup of peace, which we now be - come.
3. We pro - claim Je - sus Christ ris - en from the dead.
4. Are not all one in Christ by this blood he shed?
5. Of - fer - ing all we have, praise and grat - i - tude.

## Recessional

## For the Fruits of All Creation



1. For the fruits of all cre - a - tion, Thanks be to  
 2. In the just re - ward of la - bor, God's will is  
 3. For the har - vests of the Spir - it, Thanks be to



God. For the gifts to ev - 'ry na - tion,  
 done. In the help we give our neigh - bor,  
 God. For the good we all in - her - it,



Thanks be to God. For the plow - ing, sow - ing, reap - ing,  
 God's will is done. In our world - wide task of car - ing  
 Thanks be to God. For the won - ders that a - stound us,



Si - lent growth while we are sleep - ing, Fu - ture needs in  
 For the hun - gry and de - spair - ing, In the har - vests  
 For the truths that still con - found us, Most of all, that



earth's safe keep - ing, Thanks be to God.  
 we are shar - ing, God's will is done.  
 love has found us, Thanks be to God.

Text: Fred Pratt Green, 1903–2000, © 1970, Hope Publishing Company  
 Tune: AR HYD Y NOS, 8 4 8 4 888 4; Welsh melody