

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 2nd 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.

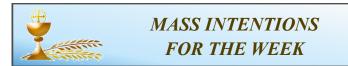
PLEASE PRAY



FOR THE SICK

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

Roberta Greco Christine Kennev Frank Krukowski John LaPreziosa Janet Levchuck Richard Malon Marilyn Manning Stuey Manzione Joseph Nakelski, Sr. Justin Paradine Diana Pearce Karen Petrik Marion Prendergast Gregory Racaniello Jaxon Rivera Ronald Webb Anne Wright Mary Wybaillie



Sunday, July 21: 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 a.m. People of the Parish

9:00 a.m. John Ferrigno - 7th Anniversary in Heaven

by Ronnie & Maryann Combs

and Family

11:00 a.m. Harry Maccarrone

by Roseann McMahon

Eileen Woods

by Pat Goldstein

12:30 p.m. **Mass Suspended for the Summer until**

September 8, 2024

Monday, July 22: St. Mary Magdalene

9:00 a.m. For the intentions of the Celebrant

Tuesday, July 23: *Weekday* 9:00 a.m. In thanksgiving

Wednesday, July 24: Weekday 9:00 a.m. Michael J. Woods

by his loving Family

Thursday, July 25: St. James, Apostle

9:00 a.m. Sean Grennan

by Cathy Vanatta

Friday, July 26: Saints Joachim & Anne, Parents of the

Blessed Virgin Mary

9:00 a.m. Brian Abbondandelo - 8th Anniversary

by Thomas & James DiNapoli

Saturday, July 27: Weekday

5:00 p.m. Michael A. Ferrucci - 6th Anniversary

By Wife, Rosemary Ferrucci

Stella & John Juliski by The Family Jacqueline Mercandetti

by her Family

Sunday, July 28: 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 a.m. People of the Parish

9:00 a.m. Paul Joyce

by David & Anne Joyce

11:00 a.m. Vincent Ciriello

by Roseann McMahon

In thanksgiving for our 55th Wedding

Anniversary

by Kathryn & Angelo Grande

12:30 p.m. Mass Suspended for the Summer until

September 8, 2024

READINGS FOR SUNDAY

July 21, 2024 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: Jeremiah 23:1-6 Second Reading: Ephesians 2:13-18

Gospel: Mark 6:30-34

FOCUS: The Lord is our shepherd, guiding and protecting us, and providing for all things. From the time of Creation the Lord has watched over us and guided us, judging our needs and our care for one another. When no one could shepherd us back to himself, he sent his Son to reconcile us to himself and free us from the bonds of sin. He sees who and where we are and knows what we need, providing for all things.

LITURGY OF THE WORD: Jeremiah proclaims that the Lord sees the misdeeds of the shepherds who shepherd his people and will punish them. He will appoint shepherds who will shepherd his people so they no longer fear and tremble. Saint Paul writes that through the sacrifice of Christ, we have become close to God. In the Gospel, the Apostles and Jesus go off to rest and are followed by a vast crowd. Moved by their lack of a shepherd to guide them, Jesus teaches them many things.

Readings for next week, Sunday July 28, 2024

- 1) 2 Kings 4:42-44
- 2) Ephesians 4:1-6
- 3) John 6:1-15

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† Celebrants for the Weekend of **†** July 27/28, 2024

	Celebrants*	Lector			
Saturday 5:00 p.m.	Fr. Geoffrey	Phyllisann Kalenka - L Ray Monteserrato— EM			
Sunday 7:30 a.m.	Fr. Geoffrey	Volunteer Needed - L Volunteer Needed– EM			
9:00 a.m.	Fr. Geoffrey	Lorraine Czarniak - L Cathy Quinn– EM			
11:00 a.m.	Fr. Geoffrey	Cathy Vanatta - L Volunteer Needed– EM			

Subject to last minute changes.

FOSTERING STEWARDSHIP AS A WAY OF LIFE

PARISH SACRIFICIAL GIVING

Jesus wants to have a relationship with us. He loves us and wants to communicate with us (which means that we LISTEN as well as talk). This week, make a point to pray an extra five minutes, or read a Scripture verse every day, or learn a new prayer. Build upon your relationship with the Lord.

Parish Sacrificial Giving Summary

Sunday Offering ~ July 14	\$5,264.00*
Same Week Last Year	\$4,024.00*
Mass Attendance for ~ July 14	484

*Does not include Faith Direct

Same Week Last Year

An Invitation

Do you like to Sing?



New members are always welcome to join our choir. This might be the ministry for you. It's a very warm welcoming group with whom you will enjoy singing. We rehearse Thursdays at *7 PM* in the lower church.

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If interested see Paul Eschenauer after Mass or call the Rectory.

You like Just a reminder all St. Mary's Masses are on Youtube link https://tinvurl.com/St-Marvs-Roslyn

The Pastor's Page

Jesus' heart was moved with pity for the vast crowd, for they were like sheep without a shepherd. Today's Gospel reading picks up from where last Sunday's Gospel Reading penned off. Having seen that the twelve were ready for ministry, Jesus commissioned and sent them in pairs to go and proclaim the good news of the kingdom. The mission of the twelve was met with success, and once all of them had come back, Jesus led them to a deserted place where they could be by themselves in order to rest and rejuvenate. However, it appears they had to wait for another day to have their deserved rest, for the people soon found out where they were planning to go and preceded them there. At the sight of the people, Jesus and the twelve had to shelve their plans for a restful moment in order to attend to those who were in need of their services. Jesus could not afford to send them away or leave them unattended. As the account in

Matthew puts it, they appeared troubled and abandoned, like sheep without a shepherd (cf. Matthew 9:36). They were in need of a shepherd.

Jesus was not the first one to use the shepherd-flock imagery. The Hebrew Scripture already identifies God as a

shepherd (cf. Isaiah 40:11; Jer 23:1-6, 31:10; Ez 34:31; Ps 23; 80:1, 95:7, 100:3). God assumes the role of a shepherd, with the understanding that God's role is to gather and tend the flock. However, the shepherding role was not only God's: the leaders of the people were as well drafted into this responsibility by God (cf. Numbers 27:17; 2 Sam 5:2; Jeremiah 23:2). As shepherds, the responsibility of the leaders of the community was to ensure both the material and spiritual wellbeing of those entrusted to their care. As the first line of defense of their communities, the leaders were to remain close to their people, instructing them in the ways of the Lord and leading them away from danger. In other words, it was the leaders who determined the direction taken by the community. And so when Jesus compared the gathered crowd to a shepherd-less flock, he was pointing to the failure of the appointed leaders of the people in living out their call. The leaders had deserted the people they were supposed to lead and guide. The

barrier that their way of life created between them and the people meant that they could not be as close to the people as they were supposed to. The leaders had basically failed in their role as shepherds. This is why in the First Reading, we see the Lord God, through Jeremiah the prophet, pronouncing judgment on the leaders who were failing in their shepherding responsibility. The Lord declares that he will assume the shepherding role in order to gather the scattered members of the flock. Most importantly, he promises to raise up from the stock of David a perfect shepherd who will govern the people wisely and lead them to eternal life. This promise was fulfilled in the life and ministry of Jesus Christ.

Jesus was aware that his mission was a fulfillment of not only the prophecies of old but also of God's promise to raise up a shepherd for

his people. He was the shepherd sent by God to gather into one flock the scattered members of the human race. When Jesus later declared himself as the good shepherd (cf. John 10:1-18), he did so because of the manner in which he has embraced the shepherding responsibility. Unlike the shepherds who neglected their

duty, Jesus assumed the life of the flock and became close to the sheep. The Gospel accounts present the crowds always mobbing Jesus because he gave them life. Jesus was able to heal those who were sick and possessed by demons because he shared in their lot and understood their predicament. He was able to feed those who were hungry and cloth those who were naked because he had experienced their plight. As one of them, Jesus knew what it meant to be hungry, cold, and naked. Jesus was able to pity them because he knew them by name. They were his very own.



Human Concerns

The following items are needed:

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

Food vouchers from Stop & Shop or other food stores for \$10 or \$20

Please bring your donations to the back of the church or 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

PARISH REGISTRATION REQUEST

I/we would like to register in the parish of St. Mary's.

Please send me a Parish Census to complete so I can become a parishioner of St. Mary's. Please send my Census to:

NAME:		
ADDRESS:_		
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PHONE:		
E-MAIL:		

Please return to the Rectory Office or place in the collection basket.

St. Michael the Archangel,

Prayer to 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)

Saint Michael, Judgement Day of Saint Alban church in Cologne. (ca 1455)

Religious Education at St Mary's - 7/26/2024

Volunteers Wanted!

Join us! We are seeking volunteers to be Catechists in our program starting September 10th.

Tuesdays:

Afternoons 4:30 – 5:30

Evenings 7pm-8pm

Please email

director.stmarysreled440@gmail.com with any inquiries or suggestions!

KID'S CORNER

The Kids' Bulletin

16th Sunday in Ordinary Time Sunday July 21st, 2024



In today's Gospel reading,
Jesus wanted to take the tired apostles
across the lake to rest in a quiet place.
But the people saw where Jesus was going
and ran ahead.

See if you can find their path through the maze.

Important Dates:

REGISTRATION DUE NOW!!!
Visit website: stmarysroslyn.com
Backpack Blessings at Mass:
Sunday, Sept 8th

<u>First day of Classes, Book</u> <u>Pick-up & Meet the Teachers</u>

> Tuesday, Sept 110th (all must attend)

Catechetical Sunday
September 15th

Saint Bridget of Sweden July 23















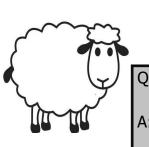
BRIDGET
SPENT THE
REST OF HER
LIFE DOING
PILGRIMAGES
AND GIVING
ADVICE TO
THE
LEADERS OF
COUNTRIES
AND THE
CHURCH.

BRIDGET HAD A GREAT DEVOTION TO OUR LORD'S SUFFER-INGS. SHE WROTE WHAT HE SHOWED HER IN VISIONS, AND SHE ENCOURAGED PEOPLE TO THINK ABOUT HIS SUFFERING. WE SHOULD TAKE A LITTLE TIME EVERY DAY TO LOOK AT A CRUCIFIX AND THINK ABOUT HOW MUCH OUR LORD LOVES US

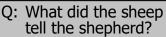
Faith & Fun For Kids

Psalm 23 Word Puzzle Who is this Psalm about? Unscramble the letters in blanks and use the ones in circles to fill in the answer at the bottom! _ ___ (EGRNE) pastures In (he gives me repose; beside restful waters he leads me; He guides me in right paths (FRO) his name's sake. Even though I walk __ __ (AKRD) valley in the () I fear no evil, for you are at my _____ (IEDS) with your rod and your staff _ (HATT) give __(EM) courage. ___ (EADSRP) the table You before me in the (HGTSI) of my foes; you anoint my ___(EAHD) with oil; my cup _ (FOWLVOESR) Only goodness and kindness follow me all the days of my life; and I shall dwell in the house of the () (DOLR) for years to come. This Psalm tells us about the

Jesus is the Good Shepherd!







A: "Thanks for watching out for ewe!"



Answers to Psalm 23 Word Puzzle: green, soul, for, dark, side, that, me, spread, sight, head, overflows, Lord.



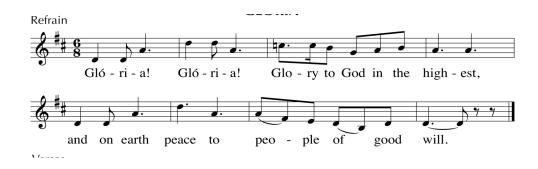
The Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time July 21, 2024

Entrance We Come In Joy In Jesus Christ



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Responsorial Psalm



Offertory Draw Near, and Take the Body of the Lord



Holy, Holy, Holy Acclamation Great Amen Lamb of God Communion

When We Eat This Bread

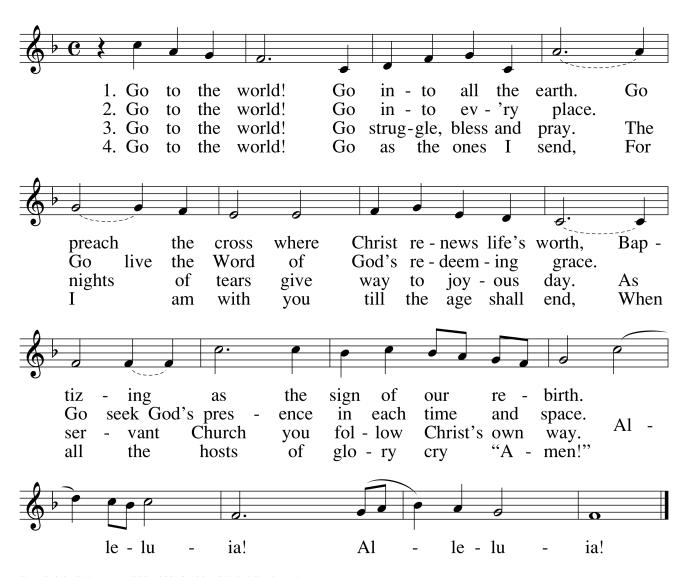
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Gift of Finest Wheat



Text: Omer Westendorf, 1916-1998 Tune: BICENTENNIAL, CM, with refrain; Robert E. Kreutz, 1922-1996 © 1977, Archdiocese of Philadelphia

Go To the World



Text: Sylvia G. Dunstan, 1955–1993, © 1991, GIA Publications, Inc. Tune: SINE NOMINE, 10 10 10 with alleluias; Ralph Vaughan Williams, 1872–1958

Jet every Instrument be turned for praise,

Jet all rejoice who have a voice to raise!

And may God give us faith to sing always! Alleluia!

Fred Pratt-Green 1972