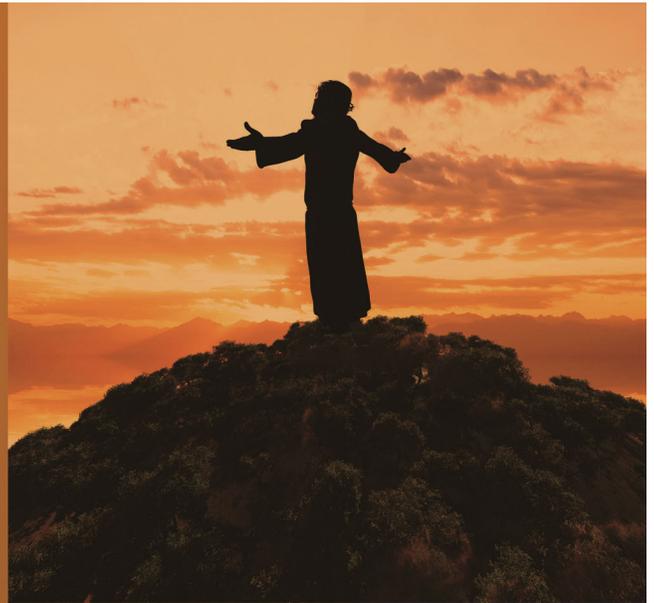


Jesus said,  
“I say to you,  
you are Peter,  
and upon this rock  
I will build my church,  
and the gates of the  
netherworld shall not  
prevail against it.”

MATTHEW 16:18



TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY  
IN ORDINARY TIME

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2020

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# BEING DISCIPLES OF THE LORD JESUS

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Fr. Tirso Villaverde, Jr.  
Pastor

## A MESSAGE FROM FR. TIRSO

This coming Friday, August 28th, will be the Feast Day of St. Augustine of Hippo. His life, example, and contribution to the Church's theology and teaching have been invaluable.

St. Augustine was born in 354AD in northern Africa. His mother was St. Monica and she was a devout Christian. His father was a pagan but St. Monica made certain that St. Augustine and his brother were raised in the Christian faith. However, neither St. Augustine nor his sibling were baptized at a young age.

As he grew, St. Augustine would eventually go off to study many different things and excelled in every subject in which he showed interest. He was ambitious and extremely talented. But, his life before his famous conversion was anything but saintly. St. Augustine had the reputation of engaging and enjoying every secular, earthly, and physical pleasure there was. At one point, he even became the father of a son born out of wedlock which, of course, was a huge scandal.

His mother, St. Monica, was known to pray constantly that her son would finally "wise up" and accept baptism. St. Augustine loved his mother but found her constant prayer for his conversion a nag and always ruined his enjoyment of life. Her prayer was so persistent that St. Augustine attempted to run away from her on many occasions. Yet, his attempts at escaping his mother proved futile because St. Monica always managed to find him no matter where he went. Imagine a mother being able to do that in a day and age where there were no smart phones, internet, or any fast way to track anyone down!

At one point, St. Augustine reached what we might call "rock bottom." He found that everything he had studied ultimately did not allow him to find fulfillment. Added to this, his carefree lifestyle was also becoming less and less fulfilling. Yet, he kept feeling drawn

to all of those unhealthy habits. We might say that he was in the grips of an addiction out of which he could not find the strength to escape.

The story of his life points to a day when St. Augustine was so deep in contemplation, pondering his whole entire life, when in the distance he heard a child's voice singing repeatedly, "take up and read." He took this as a sign to take up Sacred Scripture. He never put too much stock in Sacred Scripture, perhaps because he associated it so much with his mother's faith that it was one of those things that he rejected. Yet, on this day, St. Augustine found himself compelled to take Sacred Scripture and randomly opened it and the first words he read were, "Walk honestly as in the day." At that point, St. Augustine's life turned around.

St. Augustine ultimately discovered that the truth and meaning in life for which he searched so long were right there in the faith that his mother had tried to share with him. After his conversion, St. Augustine's life was never the same. He no longer trusted in any other wisdom except that which came from God's Holy Word. He finally accepted baptism and eventually became a priest and then was made a bishop. Needless to say, his conversion was the crowning joy of his mother's life.

St. Augustine is known for coining the phrase, "Our hearts are restless until they rest in you, O Lord." This is a testimony to his conversion and how he discovered that only when his life was centered in God that he was able to find the meaning for which he longed. No other earthly or physical desire was able to satisfy him like the joy he eventually found in journeying through life with God.

St. Augustine truly is a powerful witness not only to the power of prayer but also to the movement of God's Spirit that led him to the moment of conversion. His life reminds us that there is always hope for even the seemingly hopeless life. St. Augustine's writings after his conversion also have become a powerful

influence on our lives to this day. Even without studying his writings, which can oftentimes be highly academic or even intellectual in nature, if we remember that one line – “Our hearts are restless until they rest in you alone, O Lord” – we will find the wisdom of his life. We will also know that only in God is our soul truly at rest.

Peace,



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Changing gears a little bit, I wanted to share some information:

My Installation as pastor has been scheduled for Sunday, September 20th at the 11:30 a.m. Mass. Bishop Wypych will be the main presider and representing the Cardinal in formally installing me as pastor. As part of the Rite of Installation, several groups will be “presented” to me as the new pastor. Among them will be the parish clergy, staff and our Finance Council. The Parish Council is also among the groups presented to the pastor. I am happy to say that I have already recruited several people to start a Parish Council. I will introduce them soon but I am well on my way to reestablishing that vital advisory board in making the best decisions I possibly can make.

I only wish that we were already past this pandemic which would allow me to encourage everyone in the parish to come and be a part of that day. Unfortunately, we have not yet passed the pandemic and there are still restrictions which means that not everyone in the parish will be able to join together in that moment.

Yet, I wanted to make sure that everyone was informed of the date. Whether you can join in the Mass here at the parish or join from your homes, you will all be a part of the Installation as those who have made this parish your spiritual home.

## PARISH OFFICE HOURS MONDAY-THURSDAY

**9:00AM-12:00NOON**

**ALL IN-PERSON BUSINESS  
WILL BE CONDUCTED  
THROUGH THE WINDOW.**

**WRITTEN  
CORRESPONDENCE MAY  
BE DEPOSITED IN THE  
DROP BOX BY THE WEST  
ENTRANCE AT ANY TIME.**

**FEEL FREE TO REACH OUT  
TO STAFF MEMBERS  
AT THE EMAILS LISTED  
ON THE BACK PAGE OF  
THIS BULLETIN.**

**YOUR PATIENCE IS  
APPRECIATED DURING  
THIS CHALLENGING  
COVID-19 PANDEMIC  
REOPENING.**

### REOPENING REMINDERS FOR EVERYONE

Volunteers should arrive prior to Mass and be prepared to assist in ensuring safety protocols are followed. We appreciate your service.

It is absolutely imperative that everyone present is wearing masks and maintaining proper social distance as you enter and leave the church, and during the entire Mass. The only exception to this is if you are receiving communion.

Households may sit together; however, the next individual or household to enter a pew must be 6-feet apart from the person(s) already present. The pews are marked for your convenience.

### DAILY MASS

We have live Daily Masses at 8:00am on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Adoration follows Mass on Thursday until 11:00am.

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**Please refer to the Parishioner Reopening  
Guide for what is expected on pages 14-15.**

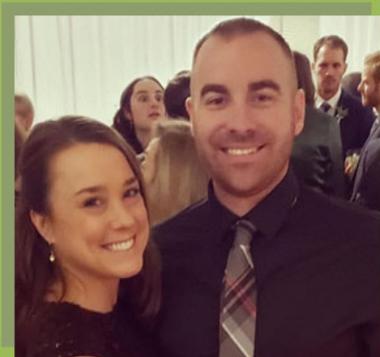
# COME PRAY WITH US



*St. Julie Parishioners praying the rosary together after the Tuesday Daily Mass.*

*~ We welcome you ~*

## Men's Group Gathering



### A Conversion Story

A.J. will share his story of how he journeyed back to the Catholic Faith. Come and join the monthly men's group gathering.

"Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation. The old has passed away; behold, the new has come." 2 Corinthians 5:17

**Thursday, August 27 at 7pm – Devine Center Parking Lot**

**If it rains, we will move to the Devine Center**

**Limits to 50 people. Link to sign up <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080848A8A923A0FA7-stjulie1>**

**Email [Frton@stjulie.org](mailto:Frton@stjulie.org) if you have questions**

# IN OUR PRAYERS

## OUR BELOVED DEAD

Sabina Walczak

## NEEDING GOOD HEALTH

Gerry Gabriel  
Mae Ryan  
James Murillo  
William Dado  
Jenny Beaupre  
Lori McCarthy

Laurel Williams  
Dennis Kilanowski  
Mary Kilanowski Schaedel  
Gregory Gibb  
Peg Devine

## NEWLY BAPTIZED

**Sunday, August 16, 2020**

Freya Carole, daughter of Allison and Daniel Joda  
Liam Jacob, son of Lauren and Brian Hoffenkamp  
Owen Kirk, son of Jessica Smith and Kirk Heitman

## MILITARY PRAYERS

For those who have been deployed  
to cities within our own nation.

## MASS INTENTIONS\*

*Intentions for Masses are listed as recorded  
in the 2020 Mass Book.*

**Monday, August 24 - 8:00am**

+ Edward and Margaret Ryan  
+ Conrad Siadek

**Tuesday, August 25 - 8:00am**

+ Fr. Pat Brennan and deceased members of his family  
+ Sandra Wierzbinski  
+ Florian Wasinski  
Deceased members of the Leonard and Morrissey families

**Wednesday, August 26 - 8:00am**

+ Timothy J. Szwed  
+ Sophie Faron  
+ Robert Connolly

**Thursday, August 27 - 8:00am**

+ Deacon Jerome Heitschmidt

**Friday, August 28 - 8:00am**

For the People of St. Julie Billiard Parish

**Saturday, August 29 - 4:30pm**

+ Bernice Boyk  
+ Frances and Joseph Pienkowski +John Holmgren  
+ Joseph Kmak +Joseph Zenkel  
+ Gary, Florence and John Domke +Virginia Camerius  
+ Alice and Ray Minerath +Richard Dilg

**Sunday, August 30  
8:00am**

For the People of St. Julie Billiard Parish

**9:30am**

+Hugh Mc Laughlin  
+Theresa Guido

**11:00am**

+Evelyn Dec +Dolores Zagotta  
+Irene Musur +James Patton

**6:00pm**

+Claudia Roche  
+George Balmer

## \*DURING THE REOPENING PERIOD:

+ **WEEKDAY INTENTIONS ARE OFFERED AS FOLLOWS:**

- \* **MON, WED, FRI IN A PRIVATE BUT LIVESTREAMED MASS BY OUR PRIESTS**
- \* **TUES & THURS AT 8:00AM MASS**

+ **WEEKEND MASS INTENTIONS ARE OFFERED AS FOLLOWS:**

- \* **SATURDAY INTENTIONS AT 4:30PM MASS**
- \* **SUNDAY INTENTIONS FOR 8:00AM & 9:30AM AT THE LIVESTREAMED 9:30AM MASS**
- \* **SUNDAY INTENTIONS FOR 11:00AM AT THE 11:30AM MASS**
- \* **SUNDAY INTENTIONS FOR 6:00PM AT THE 6:00PM MASS**



# GENEROSITY



Sheila Pluchar  
Coordinator of  
Human Concerns

## REOPEN VOLUNTEERS NEEDED ~ ALL AGES ARE WELCOME! ~

### Weekend Masses:

- **Saturday 4:30pm**
- **Sunday 9:30am & 11:30am**
- **Added this month 6:00pm**

### Weekday Masses

- **Tuesday & Thursday 8:00am**

As we continue to move forward through our reopening process, our needs evolve and we are able to fine-tune them.

Here are three main areas that our volunteers focus on:

1. **Greeters** – Typically for weekend Mass, we have two greeters at each entrance to welcome you. One will check folks in and the other will sanitize their hands. If you have time after Mass to assist with cleaning, we never turn anyone away!
2. **Ushers** – Our ushers seat parishioners in a safe manner using the blue markers on the pews for guides. They also usher them safely to receive Holy Communion and then again at dismissal. If you have time after Mass to assist with cleaning, we never turn anyone away!
3. **Cleaning Team** – Our cleaning team takes care of the restroom during Mass and then cleanup of the worship space after Mass. It takes about 20-30 minutes after Mass is over.

*Weekend Mass is the main area that we look for volunteers. However, if you would like to offer your time at a less populated event, we also need folks for Funerals, Baptisms, Weddings, Adoration and Reconciliation.*

St. Julie has been blessed by wonderful people who graciously give of themselves as the need arises. If you are feeling called to ministry, this could be for you! Thank you for your consideration.

### Sacramental Services

- **Baptisms**
- **Funerals**
- **Weddings**
- **Adoration, Thursdays 8:30-11:00am**
- **Reconciliation, Saturdays 3:00-4:00pm**

If you think you might be interested in helping out or would like more information, please let us know by calling Sheila Pluchar at 708/429-6767 x232 to leave a message or by emailing:

### FAITH DIRECT

Businesses and churches are in their reopening processes; however, St. Julie Billiart still depends on online donations to continue our ministry.

We prayerfully invite you to sign up for eGiving from your computer, smartphone or tablet and set up a recurring donation or make a one-time gift.

Sign up today by visiting [faith.direct/IL834](https://faith.direct/IL834), or text 'Enroll' to 708-286-5777.

Thank you for your continued support of our parish ministries.



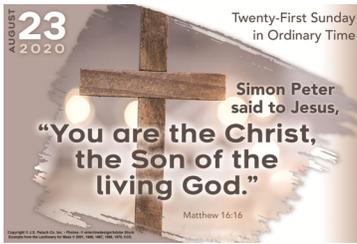
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## SUNDAY OFFERING: FISCAL YEAR JULY 1, 2020 - JUNE 30, 2021

Faith Direct August 12, 2020	August 16, 2020	Year to Date 2020-21
Collected \$ 19,167.00	Budgeted \$18,750.00	Budgeted \$131,250.00
	Mail/Collected \$ 8,031.53	Collected \$108,177.88
	Shortfall (\$10,718.47)	Shortfall (\$23,072.12)

# Worship With Us - August 23, 2020

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## TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

### Introductory Rite

Alleluia! Give the Glory

Al-le - lu - ia! Al-le - lu - ia! Al-le - lu - ia!

lu - ia! Give the glo - ry and the hon - or to the Lord!

glo - ry and the hon - or to the Lord!

TEXT: Mt 18:20; Jn 15:5; Ken Canedo and Bob Hurd. TUNE: Ken Canedo. © 1991, Ken Canedo and Bob Hurd. Published by OCP.

Rain Down

Rain down, rain down, rain down your love on your peo - ple.

Rain down, rain down, rain down your love, God of life.

1. Faith - ful and true is the word of our God. All of God's  
2. We who re - vere and find hope in our God live in the  
3. God of cre - a - tion, we long for your truth; you are the

works are so worth - y of trust. God's mer - cy falls on the  
kind - ness and joy of God's wing. God will pro - tect us from  
wa - ter of life that we thirst. Grant that your love and your

just and the right; full of God's love is the earth.  
dark - ness and death; God will not leave us to starve.  
peace touch our hearts, all of our hope lies in you.

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Glo - ry to God in the high - est, and on earth peace to  
peo - ple of good will. Glo - ry to God in the  
high - est, and on earth peace to peo - ple of good will.

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### Liturgy of the Word

*A Reading from the Book of the prophet Isaiah*

Thus says the LORD to Shebna, master of the palace:

“I will thrust you from your office  
and pull you down from your station.

On that day I will summon my servant

Eliakim, son of Hilkiah;

I will clothe him with your robe,

and gird him with your sash,

and give over to him your authority.

He shall be a father to the inhabitants of Jerusalem,

and to the house of Judah.

I will place the key of the House of David

on Eliakim's shoulder;

when he opens, no one shall shut

when he shuts, no one shall open.

I will fix him like a peg in a sure spot,

to be a place of honor for his family.”

Lord, your love is e - ter - nal; do not for - sake the work of your hands.

Text: Refrain trans., *Lectioary for Mass*, © 1969, 1981, 1997, ICEL; verses, *New American Bible*, © 1970, Confraternity of Christian Doctrine  
Music: Michel Guimont, © 1994, 1998, GIA Publications, Inc.

### 2nd Reading

*A Reading from the Letter of St. Paul to the Romans*

Oh, the depth of the riches and wisdom and knowledge of  
God! How inscrutable are his judgments and how  
unsearchable his ways!

*For who has known the mind of the Lord*

*or who has been his counselor?*

*Or who has given the Lord anything  
that he may be repaid?*

For from him and through him and for him are all things.

To him be glory forever. Amen.

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Hal - le, hal - le, hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le, hal - le, hal -  
- le - lu - jah! Hal - le, hal - le, hal - le -  
lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah!

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## Gospel

### A Reading from the holy gospel according to Matthew

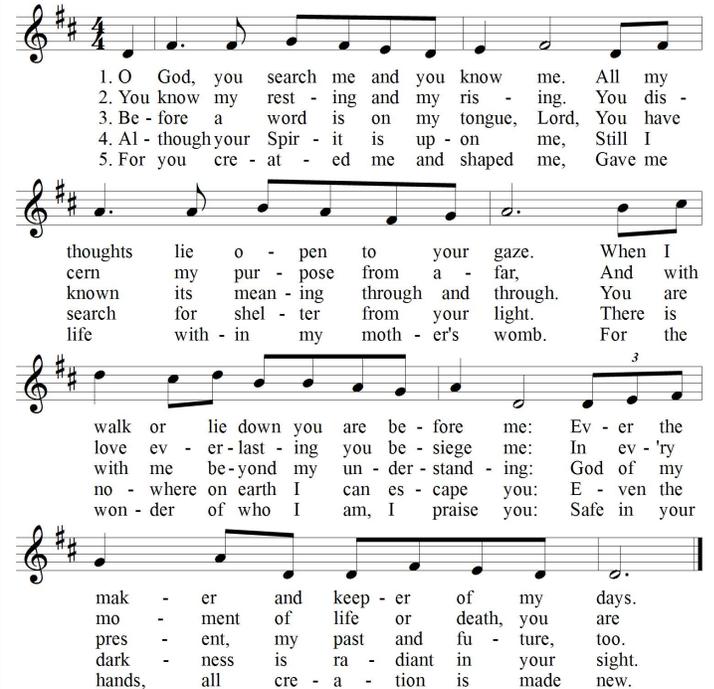
Jesus went into the region of Caesarea Philippi and he asked his disciples,  
"Who do people say that the Son of Man is?"  
They replied, "Some say John the Baptist, others Elijah, still others Jeremiah or one of the prophets."  
He said to them, "But who do you say that I am?"  
Simon Peter said in reply,  
"You are the Christ, the Son of the living God."  
Jesus said to him in reply,  
"Blessed are you, Simon son of Jonah.  
For flesh and blood has not revealed this to you, but my heavenly Father. And so I say to you, you are Peter, and upon this rock I will build my church, and the gates of the netherworld shall not prevail against it. I will give you the keys to the kingdom of heaven. Whatever you bind on earth shall be bound in heaven; and whatever you loose on earth shall be loosed in heaven." Then he strictly ordered his disciples to tell no one that he was the Christ.

## Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty,  
Creator of heaven and earth,  
and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,  
*All bow:* who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,  
born of the Virgin Mary,  
*All rise:* suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified,  
died and was buried; he descended into hell;  
on the third day he rose again from the dead;  
he ascended into heaven,  
and is seated at the right hand  
of God the Father almighty;  
from there he will come to judge  
the living and the dead.  
I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the holy catholic Church,  
the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.

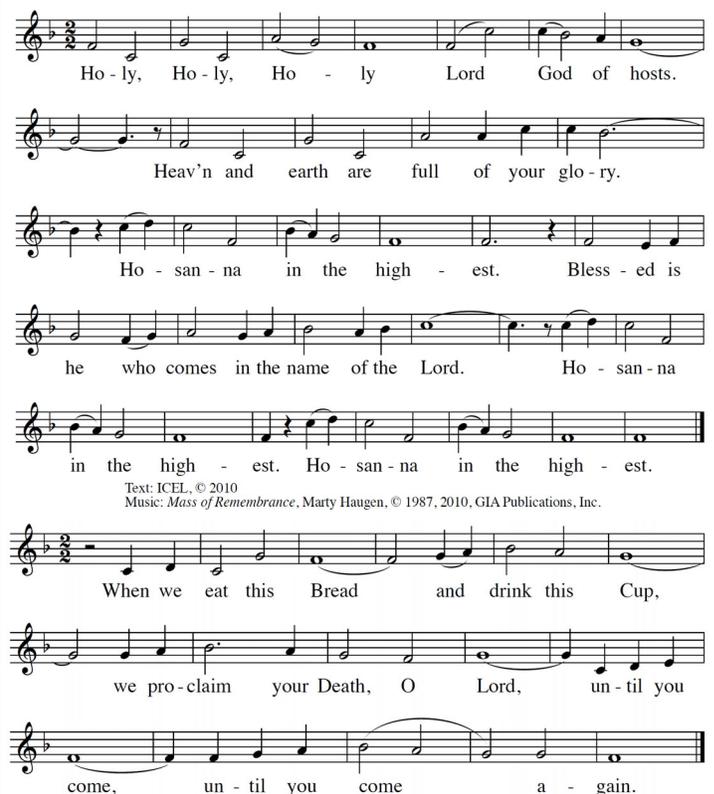
## Liturgy of the Eucharist

### O God You Search Me



1. O God, you search me and you know me. All my  
2. You know my rest - ing and my ris - ing. You dis -  
3. Be - fore a word is on my tongue, Lord, You have  
4. Al - though your Spir - it is up - on me, Still I  
5. For you cre - at - ed me and shaped me, Gave me  
thoughts lie o - pen to your gaze. When I  
cern my pur - pose from a - far, And with  
known its mean - ing through and through. You are  
search for shel - ter from your light. There is  
life with - in my moth - er's womb. For the  
walk or lie down you are be - fore me: Ev - er the  
love ev - er - last - ing you be - siege me: In ev - 'ry  
with me be - yond my un - der - stand - ing: God of my  
no - where on earth I can es - cape you: E - ven the  
won - der of who I am, I praise you: Safe in your  
mak - er and keep - er of my days.  
mo - ment of life or death, you are  
pres - ent, my past and fu - ture, too.  
dark - ness is ra - diant in your sight.  
hands, all cre - a - tion is made new.

TEXT: Based on Ps 139; Bernadette Farrell. TUNE: Bernadette Farrell.  
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Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly Lord God of hosts.  
Heav'n and earth are full of your glo - ry.  
Ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is  
he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na  
in the high - est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.  
When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup,  
we pro - claim your Death, O Lord, un - til you  
come, un - til you come a - gain.

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A - men, a - men, a - men, a - men.

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Lamb of God, you take a - way the sins of the



world, have mer - cy on us.



world, grant us peace, grant us peace.

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## Whatsoever You Do



What-so-ev-er you do to the least of my peo-ple, that you



do un-to me.

1. When I was hun - gry, you gave me to

2. When I was home-less, you o - pened your

3. When I was wea - ry, you helped me find

4. When in a pris - on, you came to my

5. When I was laughed at, you stood by my



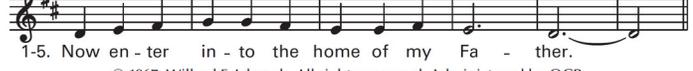
1. eat; When I was thirst - y, you gave me to drink.

2. door; When I was na - ked, you gave me your coat.

3. rest; When I was anx - ious, you calmed all my fears.

4. cell; When on a sick - bed, you cared for my needs.

5. side; When I was hap - py, you shared in my joy.



1-5. Now en - ter in - to the home of my Fa - ther.

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## Concluding Rites

### Canticle of the Turning



1. My soul cries out with a joy - ful shout that the  
2. Though I am small, my God, my all, you  
3. From the halls of power to the for - tress tower, not a  
4. Though the na - tions rage from age to age, we re -



God of my heart is great, And my spir - it sings of the  
work great things in me, And your mer - cy will last from the  
stone will be left on stone. Let the king be - ware for your  
mem - ber who holds us fast: God's mer - cy must de -



won - drous things that you bring to the ones who  
depths of the past to the end of the age to  
jus - tice tears ev - 'ry ty - rant from his  
liv - er us from the con - quer-or's crush - ing



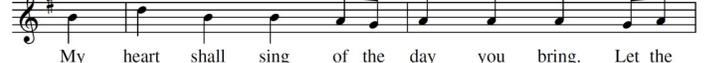
wait. You fixed your sight on your ser - vant's plight, and my  
be. Your ver - y name puts the proud to shame, and to  
throne. The hun - gry poor shall weep no more, for the  
grasp. This sav - ing word that our fore - bears heard is the



weak - ness you did not spurn, So from east to west shall my  
those who would for you yearn, You will show your might, put the  
food they can nev - er earn; There are ta - bles spread, ev - 'ry  
prom - ise which holds us bound, 'Til the spear and rod can be



name be blest. Could the world be a - bout to turn?  
strong to flight, for the world is a - bout to turn.  
mouth be fed, for the world is a - bout to turn.  
crushed by God, who is turn - ing the world a - round.



My heart shall sing of the day you bring. Let the



fires of your jus - tice burn. Wipe a - way all tears, for the



dawn draws near, and the world is a - bout to turn!

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Tune: STAR OF THE COUNTY DOWN, Irish traditional; arr. by Rory Cooney, b.1952

## A Prayer For Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe that You are present  
in the Most Holy Sacrament.  
I love You above all things,  
and I desire to receive You into my soul.  
Since I cannot at this moment  
receive You sacramentally,  
come at least spiritually into my heart.  
I embrace You as if You were already there  
and unite myself wholly to You.  
Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

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# THE STUMP OF JESSE



Fr. Ton Nguyen  
Associate Pastor

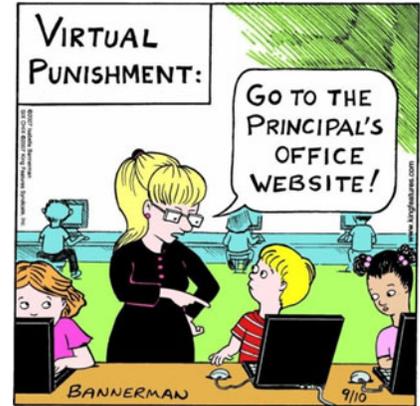
## HIDDEN GRACES

"You have the south area; enjoy all the wealth and treasures that are contained within it." "Oh, yes, and

the north area belongs to you but you can visit me anytime. And if you do, please bring a bag of nuts with you." The two squirrels exchanged the conversation. That is one of many things I miss from school/Mundelein. As we are in a unique circumstances this year, there are many students who have to take all of the e-learning, or hybrid, or in-person classes. There might be certain fears and frustration mixed with excitement. There might be something that we are accustomed to doing during this time of the year that is now left undone, disappointedly.

In whatever situation that we are in, try to stay calm and support one another so that we can be our sister's or brother's keeper. Maybe taking a deeper look into the unusual reality that we are facing will enable us to see some hidden graces. For example, Monday August 24<sup>th</sup> is the feast of St. Bartholomew, Apostle. What do we know about him? Some scholars identify him with Nathanael, a man of Cana in Galilee who was summoned to Jesus by Philip. You can find this encounter in John chapter 1: 35-51. So as Nathanael is doing his normal thing, searching for the Messiah that Moses has written about in the Old Testament, his friends interrupted his usual

routine by breaking the news. You might say jokingly, "can we trust news nowadays?" Well, it will be a topic for another day. But the news the disciples had for Nathanael was **they had found the Messiah**. Nathanael chuckled and didn't believe his friends saying, "Can anything good come from Nazareth?" To which Jesus paid him a great compliment: "Here is a true Israelite. There is no duplicity in him." Why did Jesus say Nathanael is a true worshiper and there is no duplicity in him? You might say, "Jesus is God and He knows everything." Well, it is true. But as a human, we can see that as well. Nathanael doesn't hide his thoughts or feelings. He simply expressed what he thought. Brothers and Sisters, this is exactly what a beautiful prayer should be. When we are in unusual/unexpected circumstances such as when we are struggling with getting our work done while showing the kids how to do e-learning, have that conversation with the Lord like Nathanael did. Nathanael, without any hesitation, asked, "How do you know me?" and Jesus responded, "I saw you under the fig tree." You see what I am trying to say here? Sit down and have a conversation with the Lord in prayer and listen to Him. We will definitely find the answer. Nathanael was interrupted from his normal routine, he expressed his doubts and concerns, and out of the blue, he exclaimed, "Rabbi, you are the Son of God; you are the King of Israel." I hope we find those hidden graces, hidden joy that the Lord is sending us.



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Invitation: Name five hidden graces/blessings/joy that you have received lately and share them with your family during meal time.

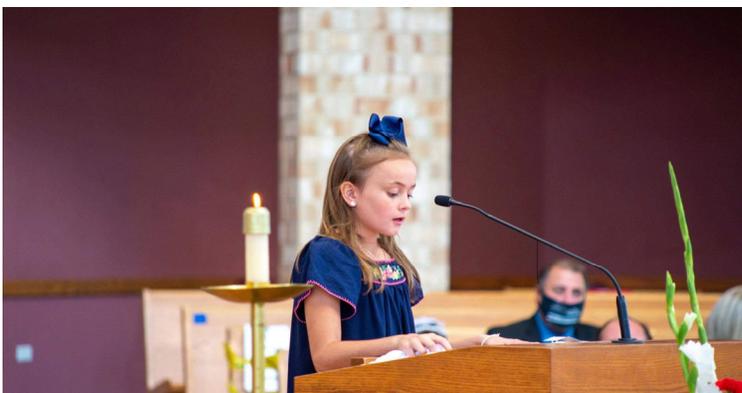
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"St. Jude, you are with me in all that is new. May your path of hope be mine in the days ahead. I promise in faith to share your hope with others, to forgive as I am forgiven by my Father in heaven, and to show sympathy and kindness at every opportunity. Guide me, St. Jude, so that I will begin each new day with gratitude on my lips, with truth on my mind, and with hope in my heart. Challenge me, St. Jude, so that I will end each day reflecting on my actions and motivations so that I will grow in faith, love, and hope. Amen."

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Jesus, Mary & Joseph,  
Fr. Ton

# FIRST COMMUNION - AUGUST 15, 2020





**Pat Kmak**  
Coordinator of  
Faith Formation  
of Youth

## FAITH FORMATION 2020-21 REGISTRATION

The Faith Formation Office has completed the registration materials for the upcoming school year. This year, all information has been **emailed** to our Faith Formation Families. Registration information will also be available on our website at [www.stjulie.org](http://www.stjulie.org).

Please read all the information carefully. You can mail in your registration or drop it in the Drop Box outside the West Entrance. If you have any questions please email Pat Kmak at [path@stjulie.org](mailto:path@stjulie.org) Thank you for your support and cooperation.

## FAMILY FAITH SHARING

Today's gospel reminds us that the Church was built upon the foundation of faith in Jesus Christ. The family, as the domestic church, has the same faith as its foundation. As you gather as a family, talk about people whose deep and sincere faith has helped you to grow in your own faith.

## CORONAVIRUS COMPASSION

Don't take your good health for granted. Be grateful and say a prayer for those who are not enjoying good health at this time.

## SOMETHING TO THINK ABOUT

Before we know it, it will be time to welcome our children to their Faith Formation classes, and to do so we will once again need volunteer catechists. We have so many wonderful and faith-filled parishioners here at St. Julie. Please consider sharing your deep faith with the young people of our parish community. If you feel called to this ministry, please contact our Faith Formation Office by emailing [path@stjulie.org](mailto:path@stjulie.org) or calling (708) 429-6767 x227.



## CARDINAL JOSEPH BERNARDIN SCHOOL Scrip Program

Cardinal Bernardin Scrip is BACK! School will be opening and Scrip will be going back to the regular schedule. Best of all, St. Julie parishioners will be able to use courier service again beginning on Monday, August 24<sup>th</sup>! You can once again drop off your Scrip envelopes at the St. Julie office by 8:00 am on Monday mornings and they will be delivered to CJB, filled, and returned to St. Julie for pickup. Our first Wednesday evening cash & carry sale will be August 26<sup>th</sup> from 6:00 – 7:00 pm. Friday morning cash & carry resumes from 7:30 – 8:15 am in the lower level of St. Elizabeth Seton. We look forward to serving you all again!

## Young Adult Group



### SAVE THE DATE

When: Sunday, August 30<sup>th</sup> at  
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# HUMAN CONCERNS



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If you or someone you know is in need during this time of sheltering in place, please don't hesitate to call the number above. We are here to assist you.

## CRISIS CENTER FOR SOUTH SUBURBIA - DINNER HELP NEEDED



Due to the current pandemic, the Crisis Center clients continue to be housed in hotels and transitional housing apartments. Because of this, they are looking for people to provide dinner meals for the clients. This would consist of having a meal delivered to the Crisis Center from a local restaurant.

If this is something you are able and willing to do, please contact **Dany at [dgarcia@crisisctr.org](mailto:dgarcia@crisisctr.org)**. She is the staff person who is working on this and can give you all the details of needs and scheduling, such as what days she is looking to have dinner meals delivered, the time, as well as she can give more instruction on what types of individual meals would work best right now. Please include in your email to her the best contact phone number for her to reach you.

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- Plug the devices/appliances into a power strip and turn the strip off when not in use.
- Unplug the devices/appliances when not in use.
- Use Energy Star products—these products typically have less standby power requirements.

## EMOTIONAL & MENTAL WELLNESS

**Call4Calm** Illinois residents can speak to a mental health care professional by texting the word "TALK" to 552020; the service is free. For Spanish calls, text HABLAR to 552020. Residents can also text UNEMPLOYMENT, FOOD and SHELTER to 552020 and you will receive information back to help you navigate.

## AVOID CORONAVIRUS SCAMS

For questions, answers and resources visit the Federal Trade Commission's (FTC) website:

<https://www.ftc.gov/coronavirus/scams-consumer-advice>

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## TIPS FOR ALL WORSHIPERS

### What to Expect



#### BEFORE YOU ARRIVE



Check your temperature: if you have one, please do not come to church.



Stay home if you are ill.



Make sure you have a face covering to bring and wear.



Remember to bring your registration if you are not already on a list of attendees.



#### WHEN YOU ARRIVE



Enter only in marked doorways.



Wait patiently to be checked in by greeter.



Keep your face covering or mask on at all times except for receiving Communion.



Sanitize your hands as directed by greeter.



Observe social distancing at all times (look for marks on the floor).



Ushers will direct you to pews with markings showing where to sit.



Since there will be no passing of baskets for your offering please leave your offering in the boxes provided at the entrance and exit areas.

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## DURING THE SERVICE



Do not change seats during a service.



There will be no passing of offering baskets.



No physical sign of peace will be exchanged during Mass.



Follow instructions for Communion:

- Leave your seat only when directed by usher or greeter.
- Maintain six feet social distancing in the Communion line – look for marks on the floor.
- When 12 feet or two people away from the priest, sanitize your hands using the sanitizer from the usher. After sanitizing do not touch any surfaces.
- Approach the priest only after you are called forward. DO NOT remove your face covering.
- Extend a single hand to receive the Host.
- After moving six feet to the right or left, remove your mask and consume the Host.
- Replace your face covering or mask.
- Follow instructions to return to your pew.

## AFTER THE SERVICE



Please take any worship aids you may have brought with you.



You will be dismissed by pew or seating area. Follow the instructions of the greeter or usher.



Use only the designated exit doors.



Do not congregate outside the church doors.



Continue to wear your face covering or mask until you leave the area where worshipers are.



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To request an emergency anointing, please call the Parish Office - 708/429-6767 option 1 - to request this sacrament.

## In the Hospital

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## Sacrament of Reconciliation - Updated Time

Individual Reconciliation is now on Saturday Afternoon from 3:00-4:00pm. Please follow directions for location.

## Sacrament of Baptism - During Reopening

You may request more information by emailing [Marianne@stjulie.org](mailto:Marianne@stjulie.org).

## Baptismal Preparation - During Reopening

Couples preparing for the birth of a child should email [Marianne@stjulie.org](mailto:Marianne@stjulie.org) to inquire on preparation for baptism.

## New Parishioners

We welcome new members. All are invited to participate in the life and mission of the St. Julie Billiart Faith Family. Services and Organizations are available on the Parish website. You may register online at <https://www.stjulie.org/new-member-form/>

## Moving?

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**Livestreamed Sunday Mass at 9:30am via FaceBook (this Mass is later uploaded to the website and to our YouTube channel)**

### Daily Masses - 8:00am in Church

Tuesday & Thursday are open to the public  
Monday, Wednesday, Friday are private but livestreamed on FaceBook

### Weekend Masses - **BEGINNING AUGUST 2**

Saturday: 4:30pm  
Sunday: 9:30am, 11:30am & 6:00pm

*Subject to change at any time.*

### Reconciliation - **UPDATED TIME**

Saturday: 3:00 to 4:00pm

*Please follow directions to location.*

### Parish Office Phone **Open Monday-Thursday, 9am-Noon**

Phone: 708/429-6767

> Contact staff by email as listed below in Parish Contacts

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### Parish Office Hours - **UPDATED LIMITED HOURS:**

Monday through Thursday: 9:00am to 12:00Noon

## PARISH CONTACTS

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