

Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time

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August 28, 2022

Readings: + Sirach 3:17-18, 20, 28-29 + Hebrews 12:18-19, 22-24a + Luke 14:1, 7-14

STE. ROSE de LIMA MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Aug 27 – Saturday	4:00 PM James Thomas Tucker (8 th Ann) by Anita & family
Aug 28 – Sunday	7:30 AM Daniel Farrell by Peggy & Gerry
22 nd Ordinary Sunday	9:00 AM Ivan Trombley by Elaine & family
	11:00 AM Henry Labonte by Denise & family
	4:00 PM Terry Tetreault by the family
Aug 29 – Monday	7:00 AM Ginger LaCrosse by the family
	9:00 AM Opening Day Mass for SJA School
Aug 30 - Tuesday	7:00 AM Sr. Alice Kenney by David O'Flaherty
Aug 31 – Wednesday	7:00 AM Lorraine Fimbel (B'day) by Sandy & Joe Chessey
Sep 01 – Thursday	7:00 AM Mr. & Mrs Raymond Provost by the family
Sep 02– Friday	7:00 AM Robert Pajak by Paul & Rita Brault
Sep 03 - Saturday	4:00 PM Edwin Sowa (1 st Ann) by Bill & Gail Boone
Sep 04- Sunday	7:30 AM In honor of St. Jude by a parishioner
23 rd Ordinary Sunday	9:00 AM Manuel Oliveira (B'day rem) by Orminda Oliveira & family
	11:00 AM The Scott family by their Mother, Elaine
	4:00 PM Eugene Asselin by the Anderson family

BINGO 08/27/2022 Team 1

Parish Stewardship 8/21/2022: Offertory \$6,926.00

SJA BOOSTER CLUB 8/21/2022 #64 Diane Green

Assumption: \$822.00 / School Support \$ \$2,374.75

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS The souls of Renee Croteau, and Shirley LaBelle Gaulrapp. May their souls and the souls of all our faithful departed rest in God's eternal peace.

THE SJA MEMORIAL FUND is grateful for gifts received in the amount of \$2,355.00 in Loving Memory of Donald Turgeon. Thank you very much!

SJA FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL for Grades 1-8 is Monday, August 29th. We invite all parents, families and friends to attend Mass at 9:00AM. PreK and Kindergarten first day of school is Tuesday, September 6th. *Lord, give our children a thirst for knowledge, wisdom and understanding. May their hearts be ready to learn this year, at home, school and church.*

LECTIO DIVINA, Divine Reading, classes will be starting Monday, August 29th at 6:30PM in the Pastoral Center. Come and join us for Spirit filled discussion on the Gospel reading for the coming Sunday Mass. Classes are free and open to anyone who has a desire to get to know Jesus better. For more information see Deacon Mike.

FIRST FRIDAY ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT will be held at the Pastoral Center September 2nd, beginning immediately after Morning Mass. It will end at 3PM with the praying of the Divine Mercy Chaplet followed by Benediction. Please feel free to join us at the Pastoral Center during this time.

CHALICE OF SALVATION MASS Fr. Bill will be the celebrant for the aired on 22 News-WWLP Mass at 10 AM on Sunday, September 11th. If you wish to be a part of the "chapel congregation" for this Mass which will be taped at 4:30PM on Thursday, Sept. 8th at the Holy Spirit Chapel, located directly behind St. Michael's Cathedral in Springfield, please contact Bruce Broyles at 413-335-4924 or e-mail him at Jbroylesma@verizon.net or, add your name(s) to the sign up sheet on the table as you enter or, leave Mass this weekend.

THE WOMEN OF THE HOLY SPIRIT Is a woman's group that is inspired and guided by the Holy Spirit. As women we know our role distinctly by the many titles we can be called; mother, wife, sister, friend etc. but what does it precisely mean when we claim the role **Daughter of Christ** and how do we live it out every day? As sisters in Christ we are nurturing and strengthening our relationship with God through prayer, many forms of teachings, music, and fellowship. Women of all ages are invited to join us. We gather once a month on the second Saturday from 9:30 AM-12:00 Noon at the Parish Center. We will begin a new year on **September 10th**. If you would like more information please contact Julie Prats at 626-2925.

THE 2022 STE. ROSE PARISH RAFFLE TICKETS *The Parish Raffle is awarding cash prizes totaling \$3,000.00.* There will be One \$1,000 prize donated by the St. Pierre-Phaneuf Aldenville Funeral Chapel. Two \$500 prizes. Three \$200 prizes and Four \$100 prizes. In addition, One prize of \$100 worth of Lottery Tickets and Four Raffle Prizes/Baskets valued at over \$50.00 each, donated by the Community Life Commission. An added incentive is our "Seller's Raffle". Donation is \$1.00 per chance or \$5.00 per book of 6. Additional tickets are available at the Pastoral Center during regular business hours. Remember the cause is the support of St. Joan of Arc School. Ticket returns may be made by mailing them or dropping them off at the Ste. Rose Pastoral Center, 15 Chapel St. Chicopee, MA 01020. You may also opt to place them in the collection basket at Mass in an envelope labeled "Raffle" no later than Sunday, September 25, 2022. **The raffle drawing will be held on Monday, September 26, 2022. If writing a check, please make it payable to Ste. Rose de Lima Church.** Good Luck!

THE ST. ROSE VETERANS' MEMORIAL We will be accepting paver forms for your special veteran(s) **until Sept. 1st.** Then the second batch of pavers will be sent to the engraver. We are planning on the Veterans' Memorial dedication for this Veterans Day, Nov. 11th. Forms are located in the back of the church or can be printed from the Ste. Rose website.

TECHNOLOGY ADMINISTRATOR wanted at St. Joan of Arc School for this coming school year. This person will be working with students in grades PreK-8 teaching proper use of all technology and also will teach the students how to access material in their academic classes. This person will also be responsible for troubleshooting and maintaining school building technology. Computer knowledge and teaching experience preferred. For more information please contact Principal McDonald at the school.

RCIA The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults will meet regularly on **Thursdays** from September through April. This program is primarily for all non-Catholics interested in starting a new chapter in life's journey by joining the Catholic Church, or for those Catholics who have been baptized but haven't received the Sacrament of Eucharist and Confirmation. We're also inviting parishioners who would like a refresher course on their journey of faith. Please come and join us. Our first class of orientation will be held on **Thursday, September 15, 2022 at 6:00PM** at the Pastoral Center. If you're interested, please contact the parish office 413-536-4558 EXT 218 or ask for Peggy. All are welcome.

A GIRL SCOUT TROOP 20331 BOTTLE AND CAN DRIVE will be held on **Saturday, September 10th from 9AM to Noon in the St. Joan of Arc Schoolyard on Percy St.** The troop is raising funds to help defray the cost of a trip to Savannah, Georgia in the spring. Savannah is the birthplace of GS in America!

THE 9/11 ANNUAL DEANERY-WIDE MEMORIAL MASS honoring the memory of the innocent victims and selfless heroes who perished in the tragic terrorist attacks of *September 11, 2001*, will be offered at **7:00 PM on Sunday, September 11th at St. Stanislaus Bishop & Martyr Basilica**, located at 570 Front St., in Chicopee. This liturgy marks the 21st annual observance of this tragic day. It is sponsored, annually, by the Catholic parishes of Chicopee & Ludlow ~ 9/11 Memorial Mass Committee. All are invited to join us.

Ste. Rose de Lima Religious Education Program Opening Dates!

Welcome!

Grades 6-7-8 - Sunday, September 18, 2022. Join us at the 9AM Mass for Blessing of Backpacks. Class that day is from 10:15-11:00AM.

Grades 4 & 5 – Monday, September 19, 2022 3:30-4:30PM

Grades 2 & 3 – Monday, September 26, 2022 3:30-4:30PM

Grade 1 - Monday, October 3, 2022 3:30-4:30PM

Grade K - Monday, October 17, 2022 3:30-4:30PM

High School students' Mass at 4:00 PM then we'll proceed to class in church hall. (Please note that Confirmation is a 3 year prep and all High School students preparing for Confirmation must attend 9th, 10th and 11th grade classes).

Grade 9 Sunday September 18, 2022 4:00-6:00PM

Grade 10 Sunday, September 25, 2022 4:00-6:00PM

Grade 11 Sunday, October 2, 2022 4:00-6:00PM

Students should be registered prior to the beginning of the school year. If you need to register your student(s) please email michael@sterose.org or call 413-536-4558. Have a blessed School year!

TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

FOCUS: *The humble find favor with God.* Humility is essential to the Christian life. It's the disposition and virtue that recognizes our ultimate dependency on God for all things, and seeks to live in that truth and reality. It is expressed in the daily events of life—particularly in how we behave toward others and conduct our affairs. It is the opposite of pride and self-reliance.

LITURGY OF THE WORD: The writer of Sirach calls for humility; the humble will find favor with God. The author of Hebrews writes about Jesus as the mediator of the new covenant. In the Gospel, Jesus tells a parable about a banquet, then instructs his host about whom to invite to a banquet. He emphasizes the importance of humility among his followers. . -Daily Universal Prayer and Commentary

ST. JOAN OF ARC SCHOOL HAS ANOTHER SAVE THE DATE!! We will be holding a community event in partnership with Ste. Rose de Lima Parish for a **SHREDDING EVENT**. We will be hosting a *ProShred* truck on **Saturday, September 17th from 9:00AM to 11:00AM**. We'll be set up in the Trilby St. SJA parking lot for people to bring all their papers that need to be shredded. This is a free will donation to defray the cost. Mark your calendars.

LORRAINE'S SOUP KITCHEN & PANTRY GOLF TOURNAMENT will be held **Wednesday, September 14, 2022 at the Chicopee Country Club**. Shotgun start 9:00AM. 18 Holes of Golf – Golf Cart – Greens fees – Lunch & Buffet Dinner \$125 per person. CONTESTS: Hole in One – Closest to Pin – Men's Longest Drive – Women's Longest Drive- Door Prizes, Raffle, 50/50 AWARDS BANQUET immediately following golf. Buffet Dinner included \$30 dinner only tickets available. **Mail your Registration payment with # of players x \$125** to Lorraine's Soup Kitchen & Pantry, 170 Pendexter Ave, Chicopee, MA 01013. Contact Jeff Cady jcady@charter.net or 413-575-7852 with any questions.

AUGUST MEMORIALS: SANCTUARY LAMP in Loving Memory of Rita Daviau by her children.
HOSTS in Loving Memory of Henry E. and Beatrice M. Beaudry by their son, Richard.

2022 ANNUAL CATHOLIC "Transformed in Christ" APPEAL UPDATE As of 8/11/2022, **373** parishioners have participated this year from St. Rose de Lima Parish, totaling **\$48,105.00** in gifts and pledges. If you've not yet made a donation, it's not too late. Please prayerfully consider giving. If you've made a donation, thank you! Use the pledge card mailed to your home or visit the secure online website: diospringfield.org/ACA Envelopes are also available at church. Thanks again for your support.

COFFEE & DONUTS ARE SERVED every Sunday in the church hall following the 9:00AM Mass. Please feel free to join us. Anyone wishing to help with Coffee and Donuts is asked to speak to a member of the Coffee/Donut team. We can always use new helpers. Thanks!

ST. JOAN OF ARC SCHOOL, 587 Grattan St., Chicopee is now enrolling Pre-K3 to Grade 8 students for September 2022. Call Chris or Janine in the Business Office @ 536-6038 for registration information or to make an appointment to tour the School. Financial Aid and tuition assistance is available. We look forward to meeting you. Visit www.sjachicopee.org.

HOLY TRINITY PARISH, Westfield, MA is holding a **FALL FESTIVAL on Sunday, September 18th from 12 Noon to 5PM at Pilsudski Park**, 200 Old County Rd., Holyoke. Mass will be celebrated at 10:30AM. Polish & American food (Take out available the day of). Polish & American music by THE WINDSTAR BAND in the hall from 1-5PM. Games for adults & children, Bounce House, Bingo, Straw Booth, Chinese Raffle, Bake sale and Grand Raffle. Northside Creamery will have ice cream cones and sundaes for sale. Free admission & parking, rain or shine. For more info call Holy Trinity Parish 568-1506 Mon-Thu 9AM-2PM. All are welcome

STE. ROSE DE LIMA GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP is for people who have experienced the loss of a spouse, partner, family member or friend. All are welcome! Join us at the Ste. Rose de Lima Pastoral Center, We meet every Monday except major holidays from 6:00-7:30PM. Moderators are Madelyn Korytko formerly of the Mercy Medical Ctr. Grief Group and Peggy Constant, Pastoral Minister.

BETHLEHEM HOUSE is in need of donations of baby items or cash. If you would like to donate to this worthy cause, please go to bethlehemhousewma.org for instructions on how to make these donations.

K of C COUNCIL 4044 on Memorial Drive, ANNOUNCES UPCOMING EVENTS:

+SPAGHETTI SUPPERS are back! They take place on the **2nd Wednesday of the month** from 4:30PM to 6:30PM. Spaghetti Supper is \$8.00, We now have a \$6.00 take-out option, as well.

JOIN DOLLY & FRIENDS.....The Travel Itineraries for Five 2022 excursions are posted below. All trips depart from and return to the Moose Club, 244 Fuller Rd, Chicopee, MA on the dates and times given with each trip description. STATEMENT PERTAINS TO ALL TRIPS: "Prices for all the trips include: motor coach transportation, baggage handling (if overnight), all taxes and gratuities (including driver)"

For more information contact Dolly Asselin 413-530-3813

OR: Send your Name, Address, Telephone # (and food choices, if applicable) and your check payable to: Dolly Asselin. Mail to: PO Box 1192, Chicopee, MA 01021.

#3 Wednesday, October 5, 2022 MOUNT WASHINGTON COG RAILROAD (Depart 7:30AM Return 9:30PM). Price \$202 p.p. Climb to the top of Mount Washington by train! Day begins with buffet luncheon at the Omni Mount Washington Resort. Buffet Includes soups, salads; chicken, salmon & roasted pork loin entrees; vegetable; desserts coffee and tea followed by a Ride on the Cog Railway.

#4 Thursday, December 1, 2022 NATIONAL SHRINE OF OUR LADY OF LaSALETTE Christmas Festival of Lights! Wright's Chicken Farm Restaurant. (Depart 12:30PM Return 9:30PM) Price \$80 p.p. Includes visit Oakwood Farm Christmas Barn, dinner at Wright's Chicken Farm, admission to LaSalette Shrine and all inclusions mentioned above in statement.

#5 December 7-9, 2022 (Wed-Fri) A CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION IN THE WHITE MOUNTAINS (Depart 8AM on 12/7 Return 4PM on 12/9) PRICE: \$579 p.p. double / \$549 triple / \$739 single. \$100 p.p. deposit at booking final pay't due 11/1/2022. Includes two nights lodging, Welcome Reception, 5 meals, guided sightseeing tour of Mt. Washington Valley, Austrian sleigh ride; 3 Christmas Shows; special cocktail pricing and all inclusions mentioned above in statement. **Day One:** White Mountain Hotel & Resort, Settler's Green Outlet Village, Yuletide Welcome Reception. **Day two:** Jackson Covered Bridge, Cranmore Mountain, Conway Scenic Railroad Station, Comedy Show, Nestlenook Farm Resort, Evening Sleigh Ride, Christmas show. **Day three:** Christmas Loft. **Pre select: Double / Triple / Single // Bedding: 2 Beds / King.**

An Act of 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.

SACRED HEART CHURCH TRAVEL CLUB 2022 – BUS TRIPS

Sacred Heart Church Travel Club, 395 Chestnut St. Springfield Mass is sponsoring several Bus trips. Your hosts are: **Jim and Caroline McAleer**. Make your reservations or inquiries by calling them at **(413)734-3676**. They will return a phone call within 72 hours or you may email them at: sacredhearttrips395@gmail.com.

All bus trips include round trip motorcoach and driver gratuity, along with a rest stop on the way up and back. All our welcome and we are happy to have friends and family of your parishioners too!

Sacred Heart Church Travel Club current trips are as follows:

===Saturday September 10, 2022 - Maine

COST: \$166 per person.

DEPARTURE from Sacred Heart parking lot at 7:00AM

ARRIVAL back at Sacred Heart approx 9:30PM

Stops are made at Stonewall Company Store, When Pig's Fly Bakery, lunch at Fox's Lobster House (included), and free time in Ogunquit.

===Saturday October 15, 2022 - Vermont

COST: awaiting cost at this time, but taking reservations

DEPARTURE from **St Mary's parking lot, Longmeadow, MA.** time is pending

Arrival back at Sacred Heart approx 8:00PM

Stops are made for Vt cheese, maple syrup, lunch (included), and the afternoon in the village of Weston - Vt Country Store, Christmas Shop, and Vermont Village Store.

===Saturday November 5, 2022 NYC Broadway or NYC on your own

COST: Bus ONLY \$76. Broadway cost will depend on the show you wish to see. That cost will be determined by our group tour agent.

DEPARTURE: 7:30AM from Sacred Heart parking lot

Arrival back to Sacred Heart approx 9:30PM

===Saturday December 3, 2022 - LaSalette Shrine Christmas Lights and Wrights Chicken Restaurant

COST: \$106 per person

DEPARTURE: mid afternoon from Sacred Heart parking lot with late lunch/early supper (included) at Wrights

Arrival back at Sacred Heart parking lot anticipated after 10PM

===We are grateful if you have some space in your bulletin to include our activities and we warmly welcome your Parish family should they wish to participate. We are also happy to answer any questions that arise. Jim and Caroline McAleer, Sacred Heart Travel Club, Sacred Heart Church, 395 Chestnut Street, Springfield, MA 01104, Home - (413)734-3676.

THE MYSTERIES OF THE ROSARY

Recite the Rosary and ask Our Dear Lady to intercede for us in our need.

Prayed on Monday and Saturday:

THE JOYFUL MYSTERIES: The Annunciation + The Visitation + The Birth of our Lord + The Presentation + The Finding in the Temple.

Prayed on Tuesday and Friday:

THE SORROWFUL MYSTERIES: The Agony in the Garden + The Scourging + The Crowning With Thorns + The Carrying of the Cross + The Crucifixion.

Prayed on Wednesday and Sunday:

THE GLORIOUS MYSTERIES: The Resurrection + The Ascension + The Coming of the Holy Spirit + The Assumption of Our Lady + The Coronation of Our Lady.

Prayed on Thursday:

THE LUMINOUS MYSTERIES: The Baptism of Jesus Christ + Christ Reveals Himself at Cana + Proclamation of the Kingdom and Call to Conversion + The Transfiguration + The Institution of the Eucharist

Saturday

STE. ROSE DE LIMA BINGO – Super Bingo Format
Early Bird 6:10PM - Games 6:15PM - \$15 & \$20 Entrance
Extra \$5 Packs – 2 WTA 50/50 – 2 \$1199 Progressives
Free Coffee & Tea --- Catered
Entrance until 6:30PM every Saturday - Elevator Available
Ste. Rose de Lima Church Hall -- 600 Grattan St -- Chicopee, MA -- 413-539-9259

Saturday