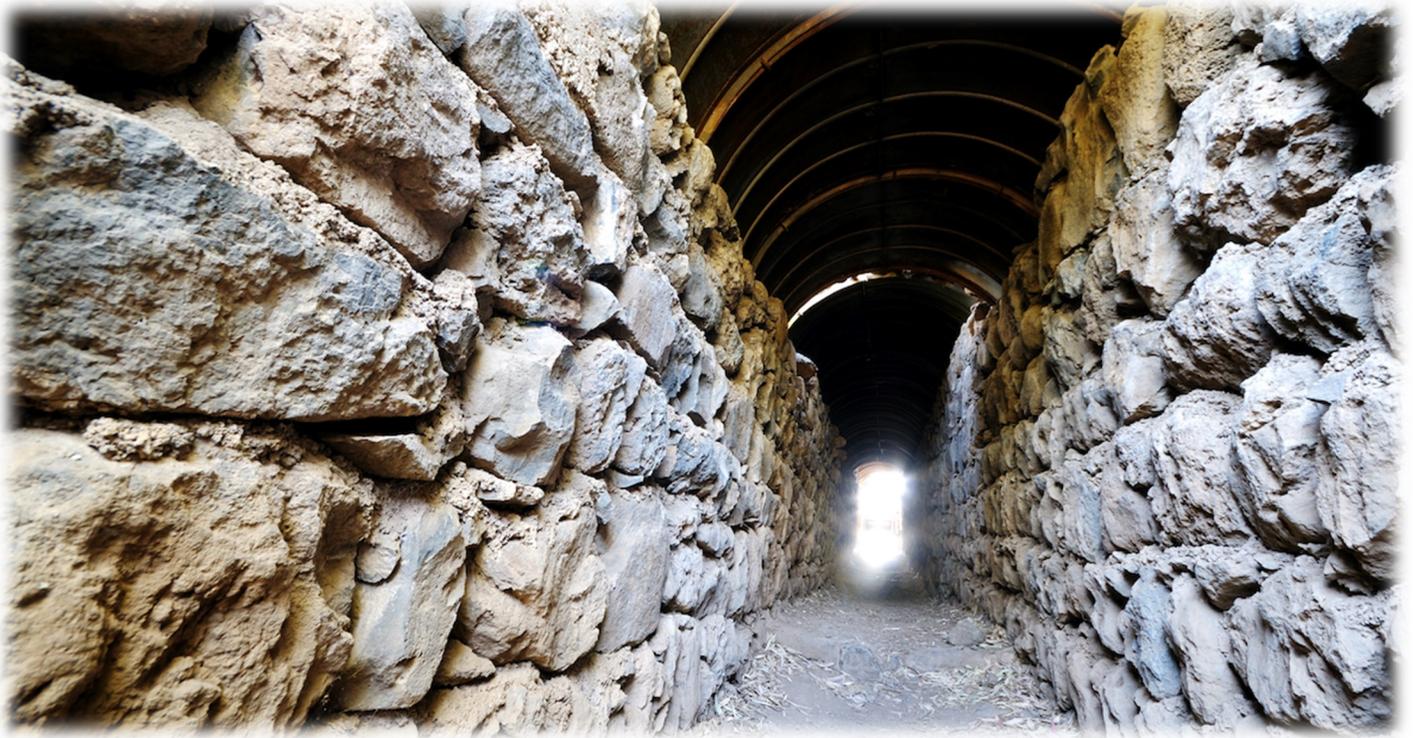


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**TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - AUGUST 21, 2022**

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## WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

**Saturday 8/20**

5:00pm Nick Pompilio  
Delia M. Sutton

**Sunday**

8:00am Eleanor J. Bolan

*August 21<sup>st</sup>*

9:30am Father Michael J. Burke  
Lillian Zander

*Twenty-First  
Sunday in Ordinary  
Time*

11:30am Lexi Faye  
Delia M. Sutton

**Monday 8/22**

12:05pm Alfred W. Kucinski  
Father Matthew J. Twiggs

**Tuesday 8/23**

12:05pm *Intentions of Rose & Tierney Veliz*

**Wednesday 8/24**

12:05pm Delia M. Sutton

**Thursday 8/25**

12:05pm Delia M. Sutton  
John Montefusco

**Friday 8/26**

12:05pm Delia M. Sutton

**Saturday 8/27**

5:00pm Helen Salza  
Delia M. Sutton

**Sunday**

8:00am Henry M. Kochanski  
Alfred W. Kucinski

*August 28<sup>th</sup>*

*Twenty-Second  
Sunday in Ordinary  
Time*

9:30am Delia M. Sutton  
Robert M. Horn, Jr.

11:30am Lexi Faye  
Henry & Theresa Clemens



## OREMUS PRO INVICEM

## SPECIAL REMEMBRANCE

The Sanctuary Lamp, which burns near the Tabernacle as a reminder of our Lord's presence in the Most Holy Eucharist, was given in loving memory of:

*Hailey Acierno*



The hosts and wine, which will become the Holy Body and Precious Blood of our Lord, were given in loving memory of:

*Angela Catalano*

*May they now be resting in the peace of the Lord's Heavenly kingdom!*



Kindly remember in your prayers the following members of our parish family:

Phyllis Adams, Kevin Baisley, Anton Bergmann, Michele Castagna, Dorothy Charette, Derya Demirtas, Peggy DiBello, Kathie Fetchko, Father Peter Filipkowski, Dante Fortini, Theresa Fusco, Anthony Gennari, Catherine George, Paul Harris, Agnes Hayek, Gloria Keenan, Patricia Lane, Frank Matthew, Michael Palumbo, Eve Perron, Louis Read, Michael Squillante, Gloria Steets, Emma Testa, Noelle Thibault, Jake Tonkin, Daisy Valentin, Cathy Veluta and Rita Zimich.

## MARIAN FLOWERS

The monthly floral arrangement which is placed in front of the Blessed Mother's statue was given in remembrance of **The deceased members of the Brucker Family**, by Mary Brucker for the month of August. We pray that the Lord of all goodness will continue to bless them with His grace and peace.



If you are interested in reserving future months, please contact the Parish Center Office at:  
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**TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - AUGUST 21, 2022**

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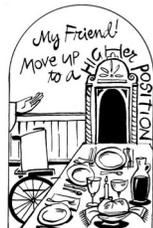


### Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Collection: \$ 5,459  
Online Giving: \$ 2,194  
**Total Donations: \$7,653**

*As Father mentioned in his homily last week, believe it or not, making your prayerful donation to the church each week is another great example of putting your faith into action. With your financial support of this local church, we are allowed, not only to pay the bills like everyone else has, but it also allows us to reach out to those in need, those who go without and those who find themselves in dire situations in their lives.*

## READINGS FOR NEXT WEEKEND



### Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time August 28<sup>th</sup>

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

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## HAIL MARY CAMPAIGN



The Columbiettes are sponsoring a campaign to seek our Blessed Mother's intercession for the Peace of Christ.

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Hail Mary's to help in obtaining this goal.

All Hail Mary counts can be emailed to:  
hailmarysforthePOC@gmail.com

**Our tally so far is: 418,205**

## FOOD PANTRY

We continue to do the best we can in meeting our families needs. This week we ask you to kindly remember the following items when you are doing your own shopping:



- Pancake mix
- Pancake syrup
- Shake 'n Bake (any kind)
- Taco kits
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- Apple juice
- Scalloped potatoes
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- Cake frosting
- Coffee
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- Dish detergent
- Laundry detergent
- Dog food
- Toothbrushes
- Toothpaste
- Gallon size baggies

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Saint Mother Teresa Food Pantry Volunteers

## LABOR DAY

On Labor Day,  
Monday,  
September 5<sup>th</sup>,  
Mass will be  
Celebrated at 9:00am  
in Church



**There will be NO 12:05pm Mass**

And the Parish Center Offices  
will be closed.

## FATHER ST'S HOMILY FROM LAST SUNDAY

*“Do you think that I have come to establish peace on the earth? No, I tell you, but rather division”* (Luke 12:51). These words of Jesus seem to fly in the face of everything He has ever said or done before. Jesus speaks of peace, of forgiveness, of turning the other cheek, of walking the extra mile, of giving our very lives for our friends and yet, today, He is speaking about dividing household against household. How does this make sense? Certainly, everyone knows that there are two things that divide a family or any relationship more quickly than anything, and that is **religion and politics**. A friend of mine told me that he was having a problem fitting all his friends in his small house each Christmas, so he found the solution. At Thanksgiving, he had a picture of Donald Trump hanging in the dining room and served Trump wine on Trump china. He had a quiet Christmas dinner that year! But seriously, everyone knows I have a brother-in-law who is a socialist, and in order to have a decent relationship with him, there are two things that we have decided to not talk about when I go visit my sister; religion and politics. It just makes things so much easier on so many levels.

So, if religion is such a dividing rod among family members and friends, what are we supposed to do? If faith is important, not only in this life, but in the life of the world to come, what are we to do? This is why the author to the Hebrews calls it *“Running the race.”* If there are two things in the world that I do not enjoy, running and racing are among the top. Ever since I was a chubby little child, I have always believed in two things: “No pain, no gain” and “This body is built for comfort and not speed.” It amazes me how so many of my nephews and even a few nieces love speed and danger. I like neither. And still, we are called to be in the “race” of life. That is why Saint Paul tells his brother Timothy: *“I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race. Now there is in store for me the crown of righteousness”* (2 Timothy 4:7-8a). Again, this notion of racing. Maybe this image is used because it easily depicts people gathering together to run toward a goal and hopefully winning a prize. Simply put, the race is life and the goal is (hopefully) eternal life.

We not only have the example of Jeremiah who was put in the foodless cistern for speaking the truth, some of us know firsthand what it means when we have the courage to speak the truth. When we tell our children or our grandchildren that it is not right for them to live together before they are married; when we tell our children that they should be married in church or that they should at least be

coming to church; or when we tell our siblings that Mom (or Dad) certainly can be cremated, but their cremated remains are to be buried in sacred ground and not worn as some type of jewelry around our necks or spread out in a favorite camping place like it was fertilizer or meaningless ashes from a cigar or cigarette.

I think this is what Jesus means when he says He has come to bring *“Division and not peace.”* Because, living a Christian life and with Gospel values, often times go against the grain of what society says is ok, fine and acceptable. By our nature as Christians, we are counter-cultural, we are counter-society. Notice I did not say “anti-cultural” or “anti-society.” Just because we live in the world does not mean we should hate what the world offers us. That is why Jesus says in John 17:11 *“You are in the world but not of the world.”* Being counter-cultural means the opposite. It means we should use what the world gives us to make our own lives and the lives of others better, physically, emotionally and financially without giving up our souls in the process.

The final thought about a race is that it is over quickly. People train months and even years to run a race and compete well, all for the race to be over in less than a few minutes. It is like preparing a holiday meal for hours and it is eaten within minutes.

And so, just as the analogy of life is likened to a race, that truth is true for our own lives as well; it is over so quickly. You never think about that when you are twelve and one half and soon to be thirteen. But you certainly think about that same thing a heck of a lot more when you are eighty nine soon to be ninety! Time truly does fly and waits for no one. So maybe this week, we can take a few minutes and evaluate what the end of our race is going to look like. And for those of us who still are preparing for the long haul, we might reconsider what is important to us and what is not.

Interestingly, politics and religion are the two things that divide most families and friends, and religion is something I talk about every single weekend. Maybe that is why some of you want to put me in the cistern without food or water as well, but maybe one or two of you might run your race a little faster, swifter and more efficiently because of something I have said or done and hopefully, the prize you will win, is that *“Crown of righteousness”* in heaven. Then and only then will you be able to *“Set the world on fire”* just as Jesus did when He was here.

## RCIA



Have you never been **Baptized** and feel drawn to the **Catholic faith?** Are you a **Christian** and would like to be part of the **Catholic faith?**

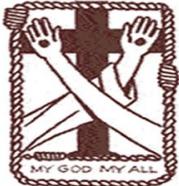
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## MISSION APPEAL



The weekend of **August 27-28, 2022**, Sister Consolata Ojemeh from the Congregation of Franciscan Sisters of the Immaculate Conception will be preaching the Mission Appeal.

This is one of the very few second collections we have here at Saint Joseph Church and a special envelope should be part of your envelope package. If you did not receive one, there are blank envelopes at the entrances of the church.

The Congregation of Franciscan Sisters of the Immaculate Conception was founded in Glasgow Scotland in 1847. The Congregation has spread to five other countries: Kenya, Caribbean, Ireland, Nigeria and the United States. Their active mission and ministries are in Kenya and Nigeria, where the Sisters work with people living in extreme poverty. The poor living in the regions where the Franciscan Sisters work rely solely on the help of the Sisters. Please join the Franciscan Sisters in their important work to extend to the poor the same life we share in the common mission of Jesus Christ.



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## ALTAR SERVERS DAY



There will be workshops on the Holy Eucharist, vocations, Holy Mass and a Eucharistic Procession with Bishop Sweeney. Lunch and Desserts will be served along with fun games and sports. All Altar Servers in the Diocese of Paterson are invited.

**September 17, 2022**

11:00am-4:00pm

Saint Paul Inside the Wall in Madison.

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Registration is required, but there is no charge to attend.

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# HYMNS FOR HOLY MASS THIS WEEKEND

## PROCESSIONAL

*“Holy, Holy, Holy!  
Lord God Almighty!”*

Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty! Early in the morning our song shall rise to Thee. Holy, Holy, Holy, merciful and mighty! God in three Persons, blessed Trinity.

Holy, Holy, Holy! All the saints adore Thee, casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea; Cherubim and seraphim falling down before Thee, God everlasting through eternity.

Holy, Holy, Holy! Though the darkness hide Thee, though the eye made blind by sin Thy glory may not see, Only Thou art holy; there is none beside Thee, Perfect in pow’r, in love, and purity.

Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty! All Thy works shall praise Thy Name in earth and sky and sea. Holy, Holy, Holy, merciful and mighty! God in three Persons, blessed Trinity.

## PSALM RESPONSE



## OFFERTORY

*“Make Me a Channel  
of Your Peace”*

Make me a channel of Your peace. Where there is hatred, let me bring Your love. Where there is injury, Your pardon, Lord, and where there’s doubt, true faith in You.

Make me a channel of Your peace. Where there’s despair in life, let me bring hope. Where there is darkness, only light, and where there’s sadness, ever joy.

Oh, Master, grant that I may never seek so much to be consoled as to console. To be understood as to understand. To be loved as to love with all my soul.

Make me a channel of Your peace. It is in pardoning that we are pardoned, in giving of ourselves that we receive, and in dying that we’re born to eternal life.

## COMMUNION

*“Taste and See”*

**Refrain:** Taste and see, taste and see the goodness of the Lord. O taste and see, taste and see the goodness of the Lord, of the Lord.

I will bless the Lord at all times. Praise shall always be on my lips; my soul shall glory in the Lord for God has been so good to me. **R.**

Glorify the Lord with me. Together let us all praise God’s name. I called the Lord Who answered me; from all my troubles I was set free. **R.**

Worship the Lord, all you people. You’ll want for nothing if you ask. Taste and see that the Lord is good; in God we need put all our trust. **R.**

## RECESSIONAL

*“Canticle of the Sun”*

**Refrain:** The heavens are telling the glory of God, and all creation is shouting for joy. Come, dance in the forest, come, play in the field, and sing, sing to the glory of the Lord.

Praise for the sun, the bringer of day, he carries the light of the Lord in his rays; the moon and the stars who light up the way unto Your throne. **R.**

Praise for the wind that blows through the trees, the seas’ mighty storms, the gentlest breeze; they blow where they will, they blow where they please to please the Lord. **R.**

Praise for the rain that waters our fields, and blesses our crops so all the earth yields; from death unto life her myst’ry revealed springs forth in joy. **R.**

Praise for the fire who gives us his light, the warmth of the sun to brighten our night; he dances with joy, his spirit so bright, he sings of You. **R.**



## YEAR OF THE EUCHARIST PRAYER

O Christ, present in The Most Blessed Sacrament of the altar, we come before You on this year dedicated to Your presence under the appearance of bread and wine. May we who approach Your holy altar always come before You with contrite hearts and renewed spirits, so that we may truly renew the face of the earth.

Be with us during this Holy Year in the Diocese of Paterson, as we give special praise to You, the “Source and summit” of our Catholic faith. May Your Sacred Heart, in The Most Blessed Sacrament, be praised, adored, and loved with grateful affection, at every moment, in all the tabernacles of the world, even to the end of time. Amen.

# PLEASE SUPPORT THOSE WHO SUPPORT OUR PARISH FAMILY

This week we remember our fallen hero Deputy Sheriff Ned Byrd from Wake County, North Carolina who was killed in the line of duty this past week.



We continue to pray for all those heroes who gave of their very lives in the course of serving and protecting their communities. May they be resting in the peace of the Heavenly kingdom and may all their good deeds have gone with them.

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Hebrews 7:17



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Psalm 34:18.

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-Pope Leo XIII (1864)

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