

13TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Jesus said to the synagogue official, "Do not be afraid; just have faith." When they arrived at the house of the synagogue official, he caught sight of a commotion, people weeping and wailing loudly.

So he went in and said to them, "Why this commotion and weeping? The child is not dead but asleep." - Mk 5:36bc, 38-39



June 26 Saturday

4:00PM Jimmy Halpin (BdayRem) - Family

Charles R. Cole (1st Anniv) - Children & Families

George Kehn - LaChance Family

Rhett Segal - Rich & Marianne Haldeman For the Intentions of Pat Hogan - Ladies of

Charity of Troy

John E. Clifford, Jr. (25th Anniv) - Paul Clifford

Sunday June 27

8:30 Michael Miller - David & Cynthia Spellman

Betty LaPosta Thomas - Marty & Sally Dunbar

Angela Spellman - Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Miller

10:30 Dick Clements - Joe & Joan Tatarczuk

Mary Gapczynski - Charles & Michele Peiza

Flora Fiacco - Tony & Carrie Milanese & Family

Monday June 28

9:00 Robert Mammen - Wife, Elaine

Felix Durivage (26th Anniv) - Family

Tuesday June 29

9:00 Patricia McDonald - Emily & Chris Hass

Isabel Rosenberger - Bill & Lil Rosenberger

Wednesday June 30

9:00 In Thanksgiving to St. Joseph for Favor Received

Thursday July 1

9:00 For All Veterans both Living & Deceased -

Aileen Bobelewski & Family

Friday July 2

9:00 Richard & May Haldeman - Rich & Marianne

July 3

Saturday 4:00PM Dec. Members of Morano Family - Ben Morano

Becky Dunbar (1st Anniv) - Mom, Dad & Family

Mr. & Mrs. Patrick Cullen - David & Charlotte

Cullen & Family

For the Intentions of John Donohue - Ladies of

Charity of Troy

Margaret A. Favro - John Hilton

Sunday July 4

8:30 Angela Spellman - David & Cynthia Spellman

Father James Vaughan - Miller Family

10:30 Dan Honsinger - Ahlborn Family

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK: Arlene Leach, Pat Hogan, John Kaniff, John O'Bryan, Mary Lourdes Betzinger, Tom Purcell and Maria Litynsky Foss.

Sacred Heart Web Site - as always, remember to visit the parish website for more news and information (www.sacredhearttroy.com)

PARISH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED ON MONDAY, JULY 5TH IN OBSERVANCE OF INDEPENDENCE DAY



NEW TO THE PARISH - WELCOME! We are happy to have you in our community and hope that you will enjoy a truly Christian experience with us. Please call or stop by the rectory to register (518) 274-1363. This helps us for sacraments, sick calls or any other assistance you may need. Thank you!

SCRIPTURE READING REFLECTION

Jesus saves! The word save has many nuances of meaning. Do you think about how Jesus saves you personally? In today's Gospel in its original Greek, the verb save occurs thrice, but is not in our translation, translated the same each time. When Jairus, the leader of the Synagogue pushes aside the official religious opposition (his peers) to approach Jesus, he asks that his dying daughter "get well" (literally: be saved). The lady with the 12 yrs. of hemorrhaging condition (mentality of the time: blood was the source of life; therefore her life was wasting away) challenged the Jewish law and traditions that she was thereby forbidden to worship in the temple, or to be in close contact with other people, much less touch another because she was considered unclean, also pushed aside potential consequences in favor of contact with Jesus in order to "be cured". Jesus' response: "Your faith has saved you" (this time translated clearly "saved" rather than "get well" or "be cured" -also implied in the same word.) In St. Mark's Gospel immediately after giving a number of parables trying to describe the kingdom of God, Jesus performs a series of 4 miracles: He saves His Apostles from perishing in a storm at sea; He drives a demon out of a tortured foreigner: and as we see in today's Gospel He heals a woman whose life if ebbing away and raises up a dead girl. In each case Jesus teaches: have faith rather than fear, for He has power over even death. Note: both protagonists today did not allow what others might think to get in the way. In our day with accelerating cultural demands for conformity, might there not be a lesson here for us, if we really believe that it is Jesus who saves (whatever nuance we want to give to that word)?

SCHOOL NEWS

Congratulations to our 2021 Sacred Heart School Graduates! Please always remember that you are a part of Sacred Heart School even as you mature well into your adult life. May the firm foundations that have been laid and our prayers continue to bless you this summer, in junior high and beyond!

Our 2021 graduates: Tara Lynn Brady, Megan Elizabeth Hollenbeck, Pilar Alyssa Holmes and Erica Grade Rodford.

SCHOOL OFFICE SUMMER HOURS

Starting Tuesday, July 6th the school office will be open on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday from 8am-12noon. But the answering machine is always on and we look forward to keeping in touch with everyone!

Our Altar Bread for the month of June has been gifted in memory of George and Doris Snyder by Daughter, Donna and Family.

Rosary Monday at 1PM in the Church. Please join a group of parishioners who pray the Rosary and Devine Mercy Chaplet weekly for special intentions. All are welcome!

INCREASE IN OFFERING FOR MASS CARDS

The Bishop alone sets the rate for the suggested offerings for stipends in the Diocese of Albany. As of Sunday, May 23 the suggested offering for mass stipends increased from \$10 to \$15.

SACRED HEART PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Our normal office business hours are Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday from 8:30am-3:00pm for scheduling Masses, obtain a Mass Card or a Baptismal Certificate etc. If you need to reach Father Yanas or Administration you can call the office anytime at (518) 274-1363.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT will be held on the First Friday of each month from 7-8PM. Next one is July 2nd. Accompanied by Praise Music or the Rosary.

BACK OF BULLETIN - Please patronize all of our advertisers (both new and returning) on the back of the bulletin. These advertisers contribute to the publication of our bulletin every week.

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July 10th 10am to 2pm

Bring the family or come alone to spend some time at the greatest treasure on the North American Continent.

Our Lady of Martyrs Shrine, Auriesville NY.

Birth place of St. Kateri and Holy Ground where St. Isaac Jogues and companions were martyred for their faith.

Handicapped accessible and Lunch will be provided.

Contact the office for more information and to, let us know you'll be there.

Meet there at 10am.
Presentation of the Shrine at 10:30am.
Mass at 11:00am
Lunch at 12:00am
Then walk the Shrine and experience the beauty.

www.ourladyofmartyrsshrine.org