



**18th Sunday in Ordinary Time  
August 5, 2018**

**“I am the bread of life; whoever comes to me will never hunger”**

# THE BREAD WHICH HOSTS LIFE



**On the evening after Passover** God told the Hebrew people exiting Egypt not to allow their bread to rise with leaven, but to grab everything and leave. As Moses led his

starving people in the desert, God rained down manna - a fine, frost-like food - upon them., which they ground and pounded into cakes, baking them with oil.

**Every Passover afterwards,** the Jews would not eat leavened bread. They believed that explain that leavened bread represented ego and self-aggrandizement, while unleavened bread represented humility.



**After Jesus had departed,** the Apostles remembered and experienced His presence in a ritual meal of bread and wine in one another's homes. Eventually a liturgy of the Word was developed, and by the year 150 AD the basic structure of the Mass as we know it was in place. It continued to be celebrated in private homes until around 313AD. The earliest image of the round form and shape of the host was found in catacombs in the same century.



**Jesus ate a meal of unleavened bread** and wine at the Last Supper with his disciples, the origin of our Eucharist.

**In the Roman Catholic Church, bread for the Eucharist must be made of wheat, be unleavened, and be recently made and unspoiled.**



# EPIPHANY PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

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## Announced Mass Intentions

### Saturday, August 4

#### St. John Vianney

8:00 am Hector Luis Diaz Jr.  
4:00 pm Thomas Copps

### Sunday, August 5

8:00 am Our Parishioners  
10:00 am Angelina Pravato  
12:00 pm Nolan Ritch  
7:30 pm Vivian Russo

### Monday, August 6

#### Feast of the Transfiguration of the Lord

8:00 am Gertrude M.S. Walsh  
12:10 pm Kathleen Hill

### Tuesday, August 7

8:00 am Christine Doyle Nork  
12:10 pm James A. Verlin

### Wednesday, August 8

#### St. Dominic

8:00 am Rolando Tanyu  
12:10 pm Maria Cepe Go

### Thursday, August 9

#### St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross (St. Edith Stein)

8:00 am Mary Blanchfield  
12:10 pm Helen Verlin

### Friday, August 10

#### Feast of St. Lawrence

8:00 am Rose Kathryn Copps  
12:10 pm Robert Rakshys

### Saturday, August 11

#### St. Clare

8:00 am Vincent Malabanan  
4:00 pm Estrelita Diomampo

### Sunday, August 12

8:00 am Our Parishioners  
10:00 am Tom O'Hea  
12:00 pm Wallace Gilroy  
7:30 pm Alyssa Almogela

*May the Souls of the Faithful Departed,  
Through the Mercy of God,  
Rest in peace. Amen*



## REMEMBRANCE & SPECIAL INTENTIONS

A wonderful way to remember our loved ones who have passed on and to pray for special intentions, while giving back to God

**Announced Mass (\$15)**

**Altar Bread & Wine (\$50 / week)**

**Sanctuary Lamp (\$20 / week)**

Please make these arrangements at the rectory.

## PRAYERS FOR OUR LOVED ONES LIVING AND DECEASED

If you would like your loved one to be mentioned in the Prayer of the Faithful during our weekend Masses, we invite you to call the rectory and give the name of your loved one to the parish secretary.

## Church Hours:

*Monday through Friday hours:*

7:30 am - 9:00 am and 11:30 am - 1:00 pm

*Saturday hours:*

7:30 am - 9:00 am and 2:45 pm - 5:30 pm

*Sunday hours:*

7:30 am - 1:30 pm and 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm

## Celebration of the Eucharist:

*Monday through Friday:* 8:00 am and 12:10 pm

*Saturday:* 8:00 am; Vigil Mass at 4:00 pm

*Sunday:* 8:00 am, 10:00 am (Family Mass), 12:00 pm (Adult Choir)

7:30 pm (Contemporary Choir)

## Parish House (Rectory):

239 East 21st Street, New York, NY 10010-6463  
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Office Hours: Mon-Fri 9:00 am - 1:00 pm & 2:00 pm - 5:00 pm

The Parish Office is closed on Saturday, Sunday, and Holidays

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## Rev. Austin Titus, Pastor

Rev. James Mayzik, S.J., Parochial Vicar

Rev. Msgr. Thomas A. Modugno In Residence

Mrs. Kate McHugh, Principal, The Epiphany School

Mrs. Kathleen Crimmins, Director of Religious Education

Dr. Justin Bischof, Director of Music Ministries & Organist

## MASS ATTENDANCE

(church capacity: 700)

Mass	July 28-29	capacity
4:00 PM	175	25%
8:00 AM	123	18%
10:00 AM	198	28%
12:00 PM	175	25%
7:30 PM	129	18%
total	800	23%

## Sunday Basket Collection

July 28 - 29  
\$ 5,782



Tentative Celebrant Schedule	
August 4 - 5	August 11 - 12
4 PM - AT	4 PM - JM
8 AM - TM	8 AM - TM
10 AM - AT	10 AM - AT
12 PM - AT	12 PM - AT
7:30 PM - AT	7:30 PM - JM
AT = Fr. Titus	JM = Fr. Jim
TM = Msgr Modugno	

**For information about Sacraments,  
please call the rectory office.**

### **This Week at Epiphany - Aug 4 - Aug 23**

**Saturday** - Pray the Rosary w/ Ladies of Charity - 3:00 pm (CH)  
(Aug 4)

**Monday** - Baptism Instruction - 7:00 pm (NX)  
(Aug 6)

**Tuesday** - Contemplative Prayer - 6:15 pm (CH)  
(Aug 7) Breaking Open the Word - 6:30 pm (PH)  
(Preparation for weekly Scripture readings)

**Wednesday** - OLPH novena - after 12:10 Mass (CH)  
(Aug 8) Legion of Mary - 5:00 pm (rectory)

**Tuesday** - Breaking Open the Word - 6:30 pm (PH)  
(Aug 14) (Preparation for weekly Scripture readings)

**Wednesday** - OLPH novena - after 12:10 Mass (CH)  
(Aug 15) Legion of Mary - 5:00 pm (rectory)

**Tuesday** - Contemplative Prayer - 6:15 pm (CH)  
(Aug 21)

**Wednesday** - OLPH novena - after 12:10 Mass (CH)  
(Aug 22) Legion of Mary - 5:00 pm (rectory)

**Thursday** - Memorial Mass - Alex Sarmiento - 6:00 pm (CH)  
(Aug 23)



### **ON THE MONEY**

	2018 Fiscal YTD	2017 Fiscal YTD	Decrease
<b>Total Income</b>	\$1,040,256	\$1,187,278	\$147,022



### **The Archdiocese Family Life Office presents "Surviving Divorce"**



Church of St. Paul the Apostle  
(405 W 59 St)  
beginning September 6th  
(2nd & 4th Thursdays at 6:30 pm)  
stpaulssdc@yahoo.com - 646-794-3194

St. Thomas More Church  
(65 E 89 St - rectory)  
program already in progress  
(1st & 3rd Wednesdays at 6:30 pm)  
stthomasmoresdc@yahoo.com - 212-876-7718

A program establishing a safe place where people who are suffering the pain and isolation of separation & divorce can learn how to survive the ending of a relationship. The group encourages an atmosphere of trust. It is not a singles group or dating network. Instead it is like a family where it is safe to be oneself and to receive support in a Catholic environment.

#### **Goals:**

- Improving self-confidence & self-esteem
- Developing into healthier, loving men & women
- Developing spiritual & personal growth and self-knowledge
- Recognizing one's talents & abilities
- Giving oneself the time to grieve and to heal
- Effective & loving parenting during separation & divorce

### **The 2018 Cardinal's Appeal**

Your gift to the *Cardinal's Annual Stewardship Appeal* enriches our Catholic faith in so many ways.

July 6	# of gifts	GOAL	PLEDGED
2017	231	\$126,000	\$141,450
2018	191	\$135,000	\$120,825

Thank you for helping so many in need through your contributions to the Cardinal's Appeal. If you have been thinking and praying about a gift or a pledge, **please help our parish by making your gift soon.** You may make your gift online at [www.cardinalsappeal.org](http://www.cardinalsappeal.org).

The goal of the 2018 Annual Cardinal's Appeal is to help the Church do its work in hope and faith to serve the needs of God's people, including caring for the elderly, feeding the hungry, passing on our faith, and supporting parishes that need help to keep their doors open so their parishioners can celebrate the joy of Christ among us communally.



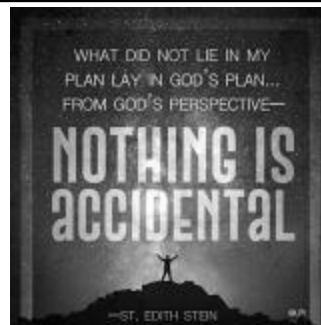
### **CONTEMPLATIVE PRAYER**

#### **AUGUST MEETINGS**

Tues, Aug 7, Aug 21 at 6:15 PM

#### **IN THE CHURCH**

"Be still before the Lord and wait patiently for him." Psalm 37:7



*St. Teresa  
Benedicta  
of the Cross  
August 9*

### **Voices of Experience advice from long-married couples**

"Be careful with your words.  
Once they are out in the universe, there's no taking them back."

"I always let my wife think she's in charge."

"My wife lets me think I am the boss."

"Keep God and common sense in your marriage."

"Apologize when you are wrong  
and forgive when you are wronged."

"There will be hills and valleys...and beautiful meadows.  
Embrace it all together."

"Be grateful. Be kind. Be forgiving."

"Never be stupid at the same time."

"Remember your vows, 'in sickness and in health',  
because you never know what the future holds."

**Shared Wisdom on a Silver Anniversary** Michelle Malkin

#### **18th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**





## UPCOMING EVENTS

### BREAKING OPEN THE WORD

Please join your fellow Epiphany parishioners  
to discuss and understand Sunday's scripture readings.  
Tuesdays August 7 & 14, at 6:30pm in the Parish Hall



### SPIRITUAL DIRECTION AT EPIPHANY

Stay tuned for notice about an upcoming MEET and GREET event  
with available Spiritual Directors.  
We hope to begin offering spiritual direction before the end of the summer

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#### THE SONG PROJECT

Join our weekly community chorus  
on Thursdays at 7pm  
in the narthex of the church

#### YOUNG ADULTS RECEPTION

Next bi-weekly meetings  
Aug 12 & 26  
after 7:30 PM Sunday Mass

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Join us in preparing  
**SANDWICHES & BLESSING BAGS  
FOR THE HOMELESS**

August 26 after the 12 noon Mass  
in the narthex of the church



#### MONTHLY FOOD DRIVE

**August 18-19 after all Masses  
in the narthex of the church**

Suggested food items & other necessities

relish + coffee + tuna + cookies

brown lunch bags + plastic sandwich bags + plastic spoons & forks

small water bottles + small juices

+ men's white socks +

**Perishable items:** eggs + ham + turkey

Perishables should be brought to church **ONLY** on **Saturday & Sunday, August 18 - 19.**  
Please do not leave these items during the week.

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Tuesday, September 18

#### **HOW TO AVOID BECOMING A CRIME STATISTIC**

7 PM in Epiphany Parish Hall  
NYPD Officer Gregory Creamer

Sunday, October 28

#### **LEGAL PRESENTATION POWER OF ATTORNEY HEALTH PROXY - WILLS**

1 PM in Epiphany Parish Hall  
Attorney Patricia Maniscalco

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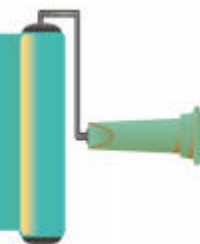


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