



**20th Sunday in Ordinary Time  
August 19, 2018**

**“For my flesh is true food,  
and my blood is true drink.”**

# TOP TEN LIST OF FOODS JESUS ATE

- 10. Almonds** (Numbers 17:8)
- 9. Figs** (Mark 11:12)
- 8. Grapes** (Nehemiah 13:15)
- 7. Olives** (James 3:12)
- 6. Bread** (John 21: 13 )
- 5. Eggs** (Luke 11:12)
- 4. Cheese** (Job 10:10)
- 3. Fish** (Luke 24:41)
- 2. Honey** (Mark 1:6)

**And the # 1 food that Jesus ate was...**

## Locust (Matthew 3:4)



**Each day began** with a light breakfast of bread or a piece for fruit. Bread was the essential, basic food, kneaded and baked every day.

**At midday**, those in the Holy Land would eat a light lunch of bread, grain, olives, and figs.

**One of the most surprising forms of food was the locust. An ancient Jewish document claims that there were 800 different kinds of edible locust.**

**The main meal** was eaten at the end of the day. Dinner was a one-pot stew served in a common bowl. Bread was used to spoon the stew. The stew might be a thick porridge of vegetables, lentils, or chickpeas spiced with herbs. Meat was only served occasionally, fish more often, mostly when the family had an important guest.



Wine was the beverage of choice!



# EPIPHANY PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

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## Announced Mass Intentions

### **Saturday, August 18**

8:00 am Margaret Brown & the Brown Family living & deceased  
4:00 pm John Maruffi

### **Sunday, August 19**

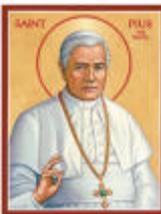
8:00 am Jocelyn McGlynn  
10:00 am Maura Hickey  
12:00 pm Walter Lissmann  
7:30 pm Bessie Anderson



### **Monday, August 20**

#### **St. Bernard**

8:00 am Cirilo & Fernanda Garcia  
12:10 pm Frank Power III



### **Tuesday, August 21**

#### **St. Pius X, Pope**

8:00 am Rose H. Ruocco  
12:10 pm Clare Schinitsky

### **Wednesday, August 22**

#### **Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

8:00 am Mary E. Blanchfield  
12:10 pm Victor Tabije



### **Thursday, August 23**

8:00 am Joseph Walsh  
12:10 pm Kenneth Graham  
6:00 pm Alex Sarmiento

### **Friday, August 24**

#### **St. Bartholomew, Apostle**

8:00 am Luisa B. Compas  
12:10 pm Evaristo Sipin



### **Saturday, August 25**

8:00 am Marianito Diomampo  
4:00 pm F. Rogers Ketcham

### **Sunday, August 26**

8:00 am Benjamin Cabrera  
10:00 am Jeanne Maher  
12:00 pm Patricia La Polla  
7:30 pm Our Parishioners

*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.



August 19 - 25  
our **Sanctuary Lamp**  
will burn in memory of  
**Patrick & Julia Cullen**



August 19 - 25  
our **Bread & Wine**  
will be offered in memory of  
**Bessie Anderson**

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

## MASS ATTENDANCE

(church capacity: 700)

Mass	Aug 11- 12	capacity
4:00 PM	168	24%
8:00 AM	109	16%
10:00 AM	188	27%
12:00 PM	168	24%
7:30 PM	121	17%
total	754	22%

### Sunday Basket Collection

**Aug 11 - 12  
\$ 4,985.**



### Tentative Celebrant Schedule

August 18 - 19	August 25 - 26
4 PM - JM	4 PM - AT
8 AM - TM	8 AM - TM
10 AM - JM	10 AM - AT
12 PM - JM	12 PM - AT
7:30 PM - AT	7:30 PM - JM
AT = Fr. Titus	JM = Fr. Jim
TM = Msgr Modugno	

**This Week at Epiphany - Aug 18 - Sep 4**

- Tuesday** - Breaking Open the Word - 6:30 pm (PH)  
(Aug 21) (Preparation for weekly Scripture readings)  
Contemplative Prayer - 6:15 pm (CH)
- 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)
- Wednesday** - OLPH novena - after 12:10 Mass (CH)  
(Aug 29) Legion of Mary - 5:00 pm (rectory)
- Saturday** - Pray the Rosary w/ Ladies of Charity - 3:00 pm (CH)  
(Sep 1)
- Tuesday** - Contemplative Prayer - 6:15 pm (CH)  
(Sep 4)

*Legionnaires  
of*



**JOIN THE LEGION OF MARY**

The Legion of Mary is part of the worldwide association of Catholic laity who serve the Church in prayer and the performance of apostolic works.

Today, there are over 3 million members, making it the largest apostolic organization of Catholic lay people.

Meetings are at 5:00 PM every Wednesday in the Rectory. For information, please call Mary at 212-686-7913.



**CONTEMPLATIVE PRAYER  
AUGUST MEETINGS  
Tues, Aug 21, Sep 4 & 18 at 6:15 PM  
IN THE CHURCH**

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

**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.

Aug 3	# of gifts	GOAL	PLEDGED
2017	236	\$126,000	\$143,775
2018	212	\$135,000	\$128,325

**Oooh! We are SO close!! Just \$6,675.00 to goal!!**

Thanks to everyone who has pledged to help so many in need through the Cardinal's Appeal. If you are able, **please help our parish by pledging your gift soon.** You may pledge 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.

**ON THE MONEY**



Online Giving - July 1-31	\$31,354
Number of users	367
Average per user	\$85.43

*Eucharistic*



*Adoration*

Saturday, September 1, at 3 PM  
The **Ladies of Charity Rosary Ministry** will lead the recitation of the Rosary.

Our prayers will be offered during the exposition of the most Blessed Sacrament.

We honor Mary while adoring her beloved son.

**KEEP YOUR CALENDAR CLEAR !!**



The **22 CLUB** is on summer hiatus but we're returning on Tuesday, September 18th at 12 PM in Epiphany parish hall.

Join your friendly neighbors and neighborly friends.



Enjoy a bite to eat, convivial conversation, and a lively game of bingo. Spend time with old friends & new!





# UPCOMING EVENTS

## BREAKING OPEN THE WORD

continues Tuesday, August 21 at 6:30pm in the Parish Hall.  
Please join your fellow Epiphany parishioners  
to discuss and understand Sunday's scripture readings.



## 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

### THE SONG PROJECT

Join our weekly community chorus  
on Thursdays at 7pm  
in the narthex of the church  
"Where words fail, music speaks."



### YOUNG ADULTS RECEPTION

Next bi-weekly meeting  
August 26  
after 7:30 PM Sunday Mass

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.

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



Sunday, November 25

### COPING WITH THE HOLIDAY BLUES:

**Depression & Suicide Prevention**  
1 PM in Epiphany Parish Hall  
Dr. William Bracero

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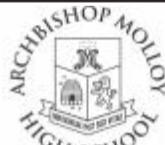
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