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21st Sunday in Ordinary Time (C)
August 25, 2019

Readings 1171 in the WORSHIP HYMNAL

**“strive to enter through the
narrow gate”**

A photograph of a young boy standing in a large pile of trash and debris, likely a landfill. The boy is smiling and looking towards the camera. He is wearing a brown t-shirt with a graphic and dark shorts. A large, light-colored sack is slung over his shoulder. The background is a vast expanse of garbage under a clear sky.

**the last shall
be first**

EPIPHANY PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

A PLACE OF MERCY AND HOPE, WHERE EVERYONE IS WELCOMED, LOVED, AND FORGIVEN

Announced Mass Intentions

Saturday, August 24

St. Bartholomew, the Apostle

8:00 am Henry Wenzel

4:00 pm Marianito Diomampo

Sunday, August 25

8:00 am Eugene Frein

10:00 am Florence Simko

12:00 pm Ray E. Stout Jr.

7:30 pm Ernesto C. Castillo

Monday, Aug 26

8:00 am Jeanne Maher

12:10 pm Rose Cagliostro

Tuesday, Aug 27

St. Monica

8:00 am Vivian Memoly

12:10 pm Regina A. Verlin

Wednesday, Aug 28

St. Augustine

8:00 am deceased members of
the Dooley family
12:10 pm Pat Sheils

Thursday, August 29

the Passion of St. John the Baptist

8:00 am Irene

12:10 pm Barbara Arcilla

Friday, August 30

8:00 am Victoria Vegliante

12:10 pm Nenita Stamatelaky

Saturday, August 31

8:00 am Nicholas Soroka

4:00 pm Nicholas Soroka

Sunday, September 1

8:00 am newborns & the unborn

10:00 am intentions of Sharon Alben Rouk

12:00 pm Grace Ianuzzi

7:30 pm Dorothea McElduff

*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 25 - 31

our **Sanctuary Lamp**
will burn in memory of
Eileen Christina Enright

August 25 - 31

our **Bread and Wine**
will be offered for
Martina Joyce June
that the Holy Spirit
may inspire her during her exams



Celebration of the Eucharist:

Monday thru Friday: 8:00 am & 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)

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday: 3:00 - 3:45 pm

and by appointment (please call the rectory)

Parish House (Rectory):

239 East 21st Street, New York, NY 10010

Open: Mon-Fri 9 am - 4:00 pm (lunch 1-2 pm)

The Parish Office is closed on

Saturday, Sunday, and Holidays

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**For information about Sacraments,
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Additions to our Prayer List

Our Beloved Deceased Our Sick & Suffering

Kay McRudin

Diane Calise

Sally Boyer

Margaret Monahan

Virginia Galvin



If you have family or
friends whose names
you would like to add to
our prayer list, please
call the Parish Office
at 212-475-1966.

Basket Collection

August 17 - 18

\$ 5,264



Celebrants' TENTATIVE Schedule

Aug 17 - 18	Aug 24 - 25
4 PM - JM	4 PM - AT
8 AM - TM	8 AM - tba
10 AM - JM	10 AM - JM
12 PM - JM	12 PM - AT
7:30 PM - AT	7:30 PM - JM
AT=Fr. Titus	JM=Fr. Jim
TM = Msgr Modugno	

Mass	Aug 10 - 11	capacity
4:00 PM	160	23%
8:00 AM	100	14%
10:00 AM	147	21%
12:00 PM	170	24%
7:30 PM	85	12%
total	662	19%

Rev. Austin Titus, Pastor

Rev. James Mayzik, S.J., *Parochial Vicar*
Rev. Msgr. Thomas A. Modugno *In Residence*
Kate McHugh, *Principal, The Epiphany School*
Deborah J. Keogh, *Director of Faith Formation & CCD*
John D. Coen, *Director of Music*
José Ramos & Thomas Lewis, *Parish Trustees*

This Week at Epiphany - Aug 25 - Sep 15

Sunday - Making Sandwiches for the Homeless (NX)
(Aug 25) after 12 pm Mass
Monday - Miraculous Medal Novena - after 12:10 pm Mass (CH)
(Aug 26)
Wednesday - Legion of Mary - 10:30 am (rectory)
(Aug 28) OLPH novena - after 12:10 pm Mass (CH)
Monday - LABOR DAY - no 12:10 pm Mass
(Sep 2)
Tuesday - Contemplative Prayer - 6:15 pm (CH)
(Sep 3)
Wednesday - Legion of Mary - 10:30 am (rectory)
(Sep 4) OLPH novena - after 12:10 pm Mass (CH)
Thursday - Boy Scouts - 6:30 pm (PH)
(Sep 5)
Saturday - Rosary w/ Ladies of Charity - 3:00 am (CH)
(Sep 7) ASK! Senior Advocacy - 3:30 pm (NX)
St. Lawrence Ruiz Mass - 5:30 pm (CH)
reception follows in parish hall
Sunday - ASK! Senior Advocacy - 7:30 am (NX)
(Sep 8) Young Adult Mass & Dinner (PH)
Monday - Miraculous Medal Novena - after 12:10 pm Mass (CH)
(Sep 9) BAPTISM INSTRUCTION - 7:00 pm (NX)
Tuesday - 22 Club - 12:00 pm (PH)
(Sep 10)
Wednesday - Legion of Mary - 10:30 am (rectory)
(Sep 11) OLPH novena - after 12:10 pm Mass
Thursday - Mass of the Holy Spirit - 9:00 am (CH)
(Sep 12)
Friday - EFA Ice Cream Party - 2:30 pm (PH)
(Sep 13)
Saturday - Altar Server Outing - 10:00 am
(Sep 14)
Sunday - CCD Family Mass - 10:00 am (CH)
(Sep 15) CCD Registration/Orientation follows in Parish Hall
Baptisms - 1:15 pm (CH)

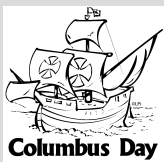


THE 22 CLUB IS BACK !!

Tuesday, September 10th 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.



COLUMBUS DAY MASS

at St. Patrick's Cathedral
Monday, October 14 at 9:30 AM

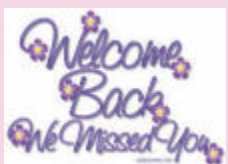
To reserve tickets,
Type the address below into
the URL bar on your search engine.

adnycolumbusday.eventbrite.com

Tickets are free & are required to enter the cathedral until 9:15.
After 9:15, entry is general admission

If you need assistance in reserving a ticket,
please visit or call the rectory office.

Last day to reserve tickets: Monday, September 23.



We hope you had a wonderful summer!

Please remember to 'catch up'
on your donations to Epiphany!

USE the tithe.ly app!
Pick up an instruction sheet in church.



The 2019 Cardinal's Appeal

Our journey continues toward our goal in the
Cardinal's Annual Stewardship Appeal.

Our Goal: \$149,500 **Pledged:** \$109,862 **Gifts:** 182

The *Cardinal's Appeal* supports Catholics in so many ways.

We are grateful to all our parish families
who are prayerfully considering their pledges to the *Appeal*.



CONTEMPLATIVE PRAYER

UPCOMING MEETINGS

Tues, Sep 3 & 17

6:15 PM in the CHURCH

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

I Just Throw Money in the Basket"

It is one of the most common expressions we hear at the rectory. Often people come to request proof of "active membership" at Epiphany – to become a godparent, for school admission, etc. Often, we do not recognize them. When we inform them that we have no record of them as committed parishioners, they usually say, "I just throw money in the basket."

If you are a "registered" parishioner, you have chosen Epiphany as your spiritual home and you are an active contributor of your sacrificial love, time, talent, and treasure.

It does **NOT** mean that you filled out a form once, perhaps many years ago. Rather, it requires active sacrificial participation with your love, time, talent, and treasure.

In the Bible, the faithful gave the best of their harvest, the best of their herds in sacrifice to God. Even the poorest parents made a loving gift of two turtle doves when presenting their child at the temple. They were acknowledged as members of the faithful with their sacrificial offering at the temple.

God still asks that we do our best in imitation of Jesus' total self-giving to us.

So please

1) Register to become an active Epiphany parishioner.

2) Register your donations using the envelope system, or automatically (i.e., recurring) with WeShare (online) or the **tithe.ly** app.

Instructions for enrolling in **tithe.ly** are in the back of the church.

Register at Epiphany...Let us know you are here!
Become a joyful participant in our abundant blessings!

Saint Monica, Pray for Us

St. Monica's example converted her husband and mother-in-law.

She prayed for St. Augustine's conversion for 17 years.

She felt discouraged, but never gave up.

She knew her purpose in life.

She is the patron saint of wives, mothers, conversions, alcoholics, and abuse victims.

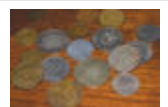
She also received encouragement from a local bishop, who told her that **"God's time will come."** He added, **"Go now, I beg you. It is not possible that the son of so many tears should perish."**



ON THE MONEY

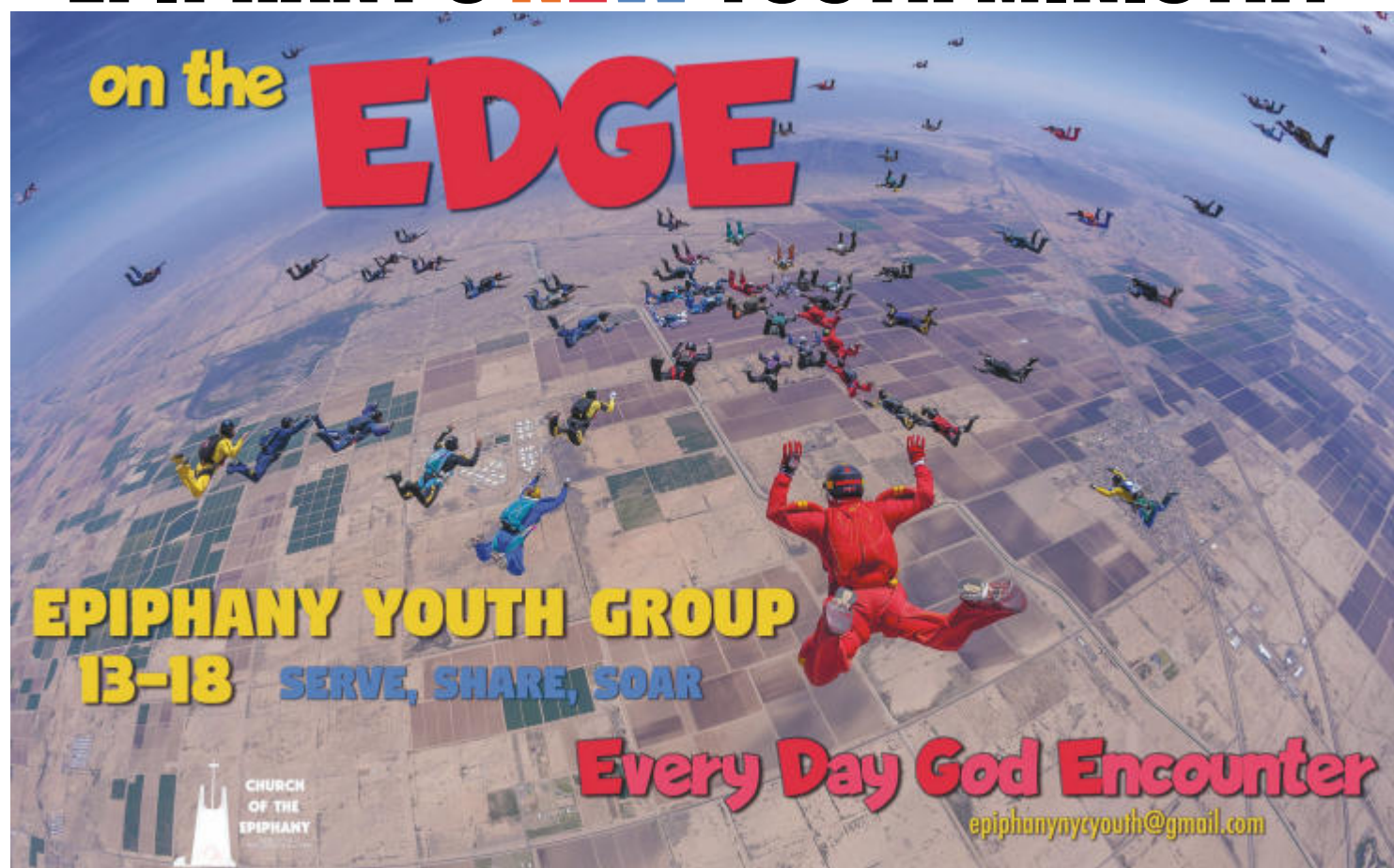
27% of our basket collection
is cash from unidentified donors
-without envelopes -

some in bit coin, some in foreign currency &
many in non-US coins from around the world.





EPIPHANY'S NEW YOUTH MINISTRY





Alpha is coming for the **WHOLE PARISH!**

What is Alpha?

Alpha is a series of sessions exploring our Catholic faith. Each talk looks at a different question around faith and is designed to create conversation. Each session consists of three things: good food, a stimulating talk, and great conversation afterward. Alpha is the ESSENTIAL tool we are using for a spiritual renewal of Epiphany.

We want EVERYONE of all ages to participate!

TASTE OF ALPHA EVENING

Tuesday, September 17th 7-9pm Parish Hall

Come and see and experience what Alpha is all about.

ALPHA CONTINUES EVERY TUESDAY through DECEMBER

Including a short retreat

**THIS IS THE TIME.
THIS IS THE MOMENT.**

TRY ALPHA!



Alpha

Epiphany ReNEW

UPCOMING EVENTS



FOOD DRIVE

September 22
after all Masses
in the narthex

JOIN OUR YOUNG ADULTS Group



JOIN US FOR MASS

SUNDAYS 7:30PM

with POST-MASS Bi-Weekly Socials

Youth AT EPIPHANY ministry

If you believe the need is great, would you
consider helping us establish this new ministry?



THIS SUNDAY

Join us in preparing

**SANDWICHES &
BLESSING BAGS
FOR THE HOMELESS**

Sunday, August 25th
after the 12 noon Mass in
the narthex of the church

SPIRITUAL DIRECTION AT EPIPHANY

Our team of Spiritual Directors is
available to help all who seek a
deeper relationship with God and a
meaningful prayer life.

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REGISTRATION

Sunday September 15th
after 10am FAMILY MASS

FALL 2019

Wednesdays & Sundays



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