

**MASS INTENTIONS
FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

Sunday, July 3

5:00pm (Sat. Evening Vigil) Mercedes Lindblad
8:00 Elise Turini
10:00 Maria & Emilio DiRienzo
12:00 Richard Polese

Monday, July 4

9:00 Christopher Greenwich

Tuesday, July 5

9:00 People of Holy Spirit Parish

Wednesday, July 6

9:00 Marcelina Roa

Thursday, July 7

9:00 Edward Parchen

Friday, July 8

9:00 Denise Salvatore

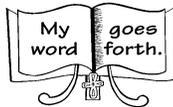
Saturday, July 9

9:00 Dolores Pulliza

Sunday, July 10

5:00pm (Sat. Evening Vigil) Anne & Jamie King
8:00 Taylor Dattoli
10:00 Mary Jane Tamulinas
12:00 Mark & Paul Kelly

**The Sacramental Bread & Wine for the week of
July 3rd was donated in memory of:
Albert Petrecca**



First Reading	Isaiah 66:10-14c
Second Reading	Galatians 6:14-18
Gospel	Luke 10:1-20

RESPONSE

Let all the earth cry out to God with joy.

PRAYER INTENTIONS

God Bless America

READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY

Deuteronomy 30:10-14
Colossians 1:15-20
Luke 10:25-37

CELEBRANT SCHEDULE FOR NEXT WEEKEND

Saturday, July 9th

5:00pm Fr. Vernon

Sunday, July 10th

8:00am Fr. DeBellis

10:00am Fr. Vernon

12:00noon Fr. Francis



Please mark your calendar! The Parish Office will be closed Monday, July 4th. Hope everyone enjoys a happy 4th of July weekend.

Thank you for your generosity

Offering

\$8,812

Please mark your envelope with the amount of your contribution, your name and address, so that we are able to record it for your year-end statement. If you are not a registered Parishioner we will gladly send you a registration form.



The sick are comforted just knowing that we pray for them. Please remember these members of our Parish Family, who are ill, in your prayers: **Doreen Anderson, James Cunane and Gino Anelli.** Please also remember the deceased members of our Parish Family in your prayers.

At our baptismal font, new life through water and the Holy Spirit came to:



**Cynthia Lopez
Selena Lopez
Lucero Celeste Lungo**

The people of Holy Spirit Parish welcome the newly baptized into our Christian community. Congratulations!



Wedding Banns

Alex Pandolfi & Cheryl Gravius

From the Desk of Fr. John

Rite of Christian of Adults Classes to begin in the Fall -



I'm delighted that once again this fall we will offer this opportunity to those adults who would like to become Catholics or are in need of completing the Sacraments of Holy Communion and/or Confirmation. We invite all parishioners to invite family members and friends to join us. If you or someone you know needs the Sacraments, please call the Parish Office to register for the classes. Classes are usually held on Sundays a couple of times a month from 1:30pm to 3pm. The RCIA team of catechists was newly formed a couple of years ago. They have dedicated themselves to handing on the faith and they provide a wealth of religious experience. We all take turns teaching the various topics throughout the year. Join us for this journey of faith. Candidates will receive their Sacraments at the Easter Vigil Mass on Holy Saturday.



Celebrating the 4th –

As we celebrate, this weekend, the great Day of Independence, we will hopefully be afforded the opportunity to spend time with family and friends with traditional gatherings. May it also offer us the opportunity to reflect more deeply on our freedoms and recognize Our Lord as the source of all that we have.

Let us take a moment this weekend to offer a prayer for our nation; that we will have the right judgement to make good decisions, both personal and otherwise, reflective of the grace-filled freedoms He has given us.

On behalf of all here at Holy Spirit, Happy Independence Day! God Bless...

Fr. John

*God our Father, Giver of life,
we entrust the United States of America to Your loving
care.*

*You are the rock on which this nation was founded.
You alone are the true source of our cherished rights to life,
liberty and the pursuit of happiness.*

Reclaim this land for Your glory and dwell among Your people.

*Send Your Spirit to touch the hearts of our nation's leaders.
Open their minds to the great worth of human life
and the responsibilities that accompany human freedom.
Remind Your people that true happiness is rooted in seeking
and doing Your will. Amen.*

Saturday, September 17th - Day of Recollection at Don Bosco Retreat House in Stony Point, NY -

In conjunction with the Holy Father's "Year of Mercy", we will spend some time away from our usual routines and come together for a couple of talks by the Salesians of Don Bosco.

The day will run from 8am to 2pm. In order to save money on renting a bus, we will be carpooling from the Church instead. Don Bosco Retreat is about 30 minutes from here. More information and reservation forms will follow. The cost for the day including lunch is \$30. Join us.

The book for 2017 Mass Intentions will open on Wednesday, July 13th at 9:30 am



There is a maximum of five weekend Masses per person. Additional Masses may be scheduled one month later. E-mails, written and telephone requests will be accepted after one month.

Mass Intentions are scheduled on a first come, first served basis.

The donation for each Mass Intention, both announced and unannounced, will be \$15.

Middle East Crisis

Reminder: An information session on the plight of Christian Refugees in the Middle East will be held on Tuesday, July 12th at 7:30pm in the Parish Activity Center featuring a Power Point Presentation from the Dominican Sisters of St. Catherine of Siena in Iraq.

Attention 30- and 40-somethings!

Here's what Catholic in Real Life has in store for you this summer. We hope to see you there!

Service Day with Habitat for Humanity Saturday, 7/23/16, 9am-1pm

Join us for our 3rd visit to the Lake Peekskill house site and lend your hands to finish the build so the family can move in before the school year begins!

E-mail us for the address.

Post-Mass picnic

Sunday, 8/21/16 at 2pm

Cold Spring Riverfront Park

Pack a lunch, go to mass, then join us for an afternoon picnic!

E-mail us for exact location.

Kids welcome.

3rd Annual CiRL Friday Night BBQ

Friday, 9/9/16 at 7pm

Church of the Holy Spirit Rectory Patio

Bring your favorite side dish and/or beverage to share!

RSVP to CatholicinRealLife@gmail.com or [Meetup.com/Catholic-in-Real-Life](https://www.meetup.com/Catholic-in-Real-Life)

Knights of Columbus Raffles

The Knights will be selling chances at all Masses on July 9th and 10th. The Holy Spirit Council #15493 "Charitable & Benevolent Program" recent grants are: local movie passes for the Veterans Hospital at Montrose, Coats for Kids, stipend to a Seminarian at Dunwoodie Seminary, gifts for the parish Christmas Giving Tree, service awards to parish youth, etc. With your help we can do more. Chances are \$1 each or a book of 12 for \$10. Prizes are:

Grand prize - \$25,000

Second prize - \$10,000

Third prize - \$5,000

and ten prizes of - \$1,000

The drawing is December 3rd

There are calmer waters ahead

Following current events can feel like floating in a rowboat without oars. Tossed about in a sea of indifference, battling the waves of terrorism, rocked by swells of immorality gives the impression disaster is looming. As children of God, though, we know there are calmer



waters ahead.

Pray – Prayer keeps us moored to God. It is during prayer that we hear God's voice and learn His path for our lives. During prayer, especially the Rosary when we reflect on Jesus' salvation journey, God fills our hearts with the peace and grace we need for our travels.

Hope – Hope is what keeps us moving forward no matter how rough the seas. Children of God know that when we surrender to God's care, His promise of a better future will be fulfilled. "*Therefore I tell you, do not be anxious about your life ...*" (Luke 12:22).

Detach – In rough seas, the right amount of weight can float or sink a boat. To survive, we can lean on God for what we need and throw the rest overboard. Either we live spiritually or we live materially. We can't do both.

Obey – There is one Captain on this ship. If we follow His commands, we will survive any storm. Remember, though, there are many other voices vying for our attention. Obey one. Obey His.