

Queen of Angels All Saints Parish

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August 9, 2020

Nineteenth Sunday

in Ordinary Time

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Mass Intentions

August 10 (Mon) NOON (OLQA Church)	St. Lawrence Poor Souls in Purgatory (Req. John Eger Family) Central City
August 11 (Tue)	St. Clare NO MASS
August 12 (Wed) 6:30 PM (All Saints)	St. Jane Frances de Chantal Martha Singer (Req. All Saints Parish Shawl & Rosary Ministry) Boswell
August 13 (Thu) NOON (St. Ann's)	St. Pontain & St. Hippolytus Lucy Bendick (Req. Terry & Lucy Lappi) Davidsville
August 14 (Fri) 8:00 AM (OLQA Church)	St. Maxamillian Kolbe Julia Navalaney (Req. Friends & Family) Central City
August 15 (Sat) 4:00 PM (OLQA Church) 6:00 PM (All Saints)	<i>Vigil - Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> Ray & Tillie Pasierb (Req. Pysnik Family) Central City Ed Zabolotney (Req. All Saints Parish Friends) Boswell
August 16 (Sun) 8:00 AM (OLQA Church) 10:30 AM (OLQA Chapel) 10:30 AM (All Saints) 6:00 PM (Outdoor)	<i>Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> Catherine Haggerty (Req. Daniel & Nina Gowaty) Central City Barbara Eger (Req. Ken & Jane Skone) Central City Melio Zaroni (Req. Suzanne & Gary Soha) Boswell For the Parishes (Missa Pro Populo) Holy Cross Cemetery - Jerome

The Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Entrance Hymn: The Church's One Foundation

1. The Church's one foundation is Jesus Christ, her Lord.

She is his new creation by water and the Word.
From heav'n he came and sought her to be his holy bride;
With his own blood he bought her, and for her life he died.

2. Elect from ev'ry nation, yet one o'er all the earth,
Her charter of salvation: one Lord, one faith, one birth.

One holy name she blesses, partakes one holy food,
And to one hope she presses with ev'ry grace
ended.

3. 'Mid toil and tribulation, and tumult of her war,
She waits the consummation of peace forevermore,
Till with the vision glorious her longing eyes are blest,
And the great Church victorious shall be the Church
at rest.

4. Yet she on earth hath union with the God the
Three-in-One,
And mystic, sweet communion with those whose rest
is won.
O happy ones and holy! Lord, give us grace that we,
Like them, the meek and lowly on high may dwell
with thee.

A Reading from the Book of Kings

At the mountain of God, Horeb, Elijah came to a cave where he took shelter. Then the LORD said to him, "Go outside and stand on the mountain before the LORD; the LORD will be passing by." A strong and heavy wind was rending the mountains and crushing rocks before the LORD— but the LORD was not in the wind. After the wind there was an earthquake— but the LORD was not in the earthquake. After the earthquake there was fire— but the LORD was not in the fire. After the fire there was a tiny whispering sound. When he heard this, Elijah hid his face in his cloak and went and stood at the entrance of the cave.

Responsorial Psalm

R. Lord, let us see your kindness, and grant us your salvation.

I will hear what God proclaims;
the LORD — for he proclaims peace.
Near indeed is his salvation to those who fear
him, glory dwelling in our land. **R.**

Kindness and truth shall meet;
justice and peace shall kiss.
Truth shall spring out of the earth,
and justice shall look down from heaven. **R.**

The LORD himself will give his benefits;
our land shall yield its increase.
Justice shall walk before him,
and prepare the way of his steps. **R.**

A Reading from the Letter of St. Paul to the Romans

Brothers and sisters: I speak the truth in Christ, I do not lie; my conscience joins with the Holy Spirit in bearing me witness that I have great sorrow and constant anguish in my heart. For I could wish that I myself were accursed and cut off from Christ for the sake of my own people, my kindred according to the flesh. They are Israelites; theirs the adoption, the glory, the covenants, the giving of

the law, the worship, and the promises; theirs the patriarchs, and from them, according to the flesh, is the Christ, who is over all, God blessed forever. Amen.

A Reading from the Gospel of Matthew

After he had fed the people, Jesus made the disciples get into a boat and precede him to the other side, while he dismissed the crowds. After doing so, he went up on the mountain by himself to pray. When it was evening he was there alone. Meanwhile the boat, already a few miles offshore, was being tossed about by the waves, for the wind was against it. During the fourth watch of the night, he came toward them walking on the sea. When the disciples saw him walking on the sea they were terrified. "It is a ghost," they said, and they cried out in fear. At once Jesus spoke to them, "Take courage, it is I; do not be afraid." Peter said to him in reply, "Lord, if it is you, command me to come to you on the water." He said, "Come." Peter got out of the boat and began to walk on the water toward Jesus. But when he saw how strong the wind was he became frightened; and, beginning to sink, he cried out, "Lord, save me!" Immediately Jesus stretched out his hand and caught Peter, and said to him, "O you of little faith, why did you doubt?" After they got into the boat, the wind died down. Those who were in the boat did him homage, saying, "Truly, you are the Son of God."

Recessional Hymn: Faith of Our Fathers

1. Faith of our Fathers! living still
In spite of dungeon, fire, and sword:
Oh, how our hearts beat high with joy
Whene'er we hear that glorious word.
Faith of our Fathers! Holy Faith!
We will be true to thee till death.

2. Our Fathers, chained in prisons dark,
Were still in heart and conscience free:
And blest would be their children's fate,
If we, like them, should die for thee!
Faith of our Fathers! Holy Faith!
We will be true to thee till death.

3. Faith of our Fathers! Mary's prayers
Shall win all nations unto thee:
And through the truth that comes from God
Mankind shall then indeed be free.
Faith of our Fathers! Holy Faith!
We will be true to thee till death.

4. Faith of our Fathers! we will love
Both friend and foe in all our strife:
And preach thee too, as love knows how
By kindly deeds and virtuous life:
Faith of our Fathers! Holy Faith!
We will be true to thee till death.

CHURCHES OPEN FOR PRIVATE PRAYER - Schedule for private prayer:

Our Lady Queen of Angels: Monday - Friday: 9:00 AM until 6:00 PM - Church

All Saint's Boswell: Monday - Friday: 9:00 AM until NOON

CONFESSION - Our Lady Queen of Angels: Sunday 1:00 PM - Chapel

All Saint's Boswell: Sunday 4:00 PM

OUTDOOR MASS - Father Aron will offer the Holy Mass **OUTDOORS** at Holy Cross Cemetery in Jerome each Sunday night from now until Labor Day beginning at 6:00 PM. It is asked that all in attendance bring their own lawn chair (and if you feel the need - umbrella). Any envelopes will be sent to their respective parish of origin. Holy Cross Cemetery is located right off of Rt. 219 (when exiting Rt. 219 drive several hundred feet toward Jerome and make a right onto Maple Springs Road (right across from Dollar General), go around the sharp corner to the right and the cemetery will be a few hundred feet on your left right past Maple Springs Church of the Brethren). In the event of inclement weather the Mass will be celebrated in St. Anne Church in Davidsville. All are welcome.

33 DAY TO MORNING GLORY - The retreat entitled 33 Days to Morning Glory, a 33 day journey to consecration to Mary based on the teachings of four pillars of Marian spirituality will begin on (Saturday) August 13, day 33 would be September 15, the feast of Our Lady of Sorrows. If you have not yet sent in your payment, the cost is \$6.83 and your check can be made payable to "OLQA". For all preordered books, pick up will be as follows:

Our Lady Queen of Angels - Sacred Heart Site - Books can be picked up in the back of the church at the 4:00 PM & 8:00 AM Masses and when the church is unlocked for daily prayer. You may take the book with your name on it. If there is any question regarding the quantity of books you ordered, please call the rectory (814-754-5224)

All Saints Parish - Boswell - Books can be picked up in the back of the church at the 6:00 PM & 10:30 AM Masses and when the church is unlocked for daily prayer. You may take the book with your name on it. If there is any question regarding the quantity of books you ordered, please call the rectory (814-754-5224).

Our Lady Queen of Angels Parish

SOUP & STUDY- On Monday, August 10th, Father Aron will again be hosting a short lesson/ study of a Catholic or biblical topic following NOON Mass, for those Mass attendees who are interested, in the Activities Center with a small meal of soup being offered to anyone at no cost.

WEEKLY OFFERING - Thank you so very much to all who continue to support the church!

WEDDING BELLS - Our parish family extends prayerful congratulations to William Miller and Nancy Shipley who were married this past weekend at our parish. Please keep Bill & Nancy in your prayers as they begin their life as a married couple.

PRAYER LIST - Please call the rectory with any changes or additions. Kay Hintosh, Dale Berkey Jr., Allen S. Berkey, David Stockdill, Tina Udet, Patty Foltz, Connie Gruca, Amy Thomas Georg, Betsy Paolucci, Areile Adomnik, Charles Field, Todd Diorio, Denne Osman, Addison Zearfaus, Pam Kacmarski, Tom Schall, Howard Rose, David P. Bonus, Henry Sprock, Connie Criscoulo, Hunter Slater, Nancy Deneen, Stephen A. Haydu, Andrea Sesack, Lyle Spearo, Lauren Barnes, Agnes Palya, Gerald "Curly" Mains, Tom Hudak, Mary Jane O'Brien, **Rose Maga**, Geneviene Berezonsky, Paula Spontak, Sophia Vincent, Mickey Kacmarski, Victor Foltz.

SOA ANNUAL PICNIC - The Society of Angels will be having their annual picnic on the Polish Patio on August 10th at 6:00 PM. Members are asked to bring a covered dish.

DYNGUS DAY DONATIONS - Take advantage of the chance to help the parish with this worthwhile fundraiser. We are in need of baskets for the basket raffle as well as fifths or bottles of wine for the "Wheelbarrow of Cheer." If you would be so kind as to donate a bottle or a basket it would be greatly appreciated. Any such donations can be dropped off at the rectory. Thank you for your support and generosity.

All Saints Parish

STATUE HOSTS FOR THE WEEK OF August 9nd - 16th:

Pilgrim Madonna - M/M Joseph Kowalczyk; **Infant Jesus** - Mrs. Donna Reynolds; **St. Anthony** - Mrs. Victoria Baraniak

CANDLE INTENTIONS - The **St. Francis** candle burns in memory of Fr. Thomas Walsh by Kowalczyk Family. The **Blessed Mother** Candle burns in memory of Rebecca Reyes by Mom & Dad (Jay & Patty Miller). The **Infant Jesus** Candle burns in memory of all the unborn lost to

abortion. The **St. Stanislaus Candle** urns for the intention of ending cruelties and injustices to human life worldwide.

WEEKLY OFFERING - Thank you so very much to all who continue to support the church!

PRAYER LIST - Please call the rectory (814-754-5224) with any changes or additions. After one month names will be removed unless otherwise requested. Melissa Ruddek; Scott Shaulis; Gary Davila; Michelene Good; Lauren Dedik; Larisa; Pina Gibson; Leonard Cebula; Patty Jarosick; Adam Calderone; Kalin Oakman; John Straka; Meghan Hoffman; Violet Partsch; Christina Nichols; Nancy Pyle; Denise Durick; Cassandra Smith; Bob (Bobby) Dedik, Jr.; John "Pepe" Matsko; Lorraine Oakman; George "GJ" Urban; "Ducky" Matsko; Bruno Calisti; Ramona Dulle; Bev Berkebile Blough; Mike Maurer; Frank Bobish; Caroline Baird; Doug Duncan; Louretta Pugh; Scott Thomas; Agnes Vish-Freemeyer; Nina Miller; Hudson John Schmitt; Gail Miller; Antoinette Panek; Dave; (Special Intention) LSH; Karen Ryan; Taylon Cook; Kathleen Lisbon; Trisha Barron; Andrew Straka; Patricia (Lepley) Hanes; Areia Paruch; Fr. James Dugan; Jeanette Taylor; Donna Updyke; Janice Tasin; Carmen Perigo; Ernie & Gloria Stern; Patty Tedjeske; Joseph Caldron, Sr.; Mrs. Patricia Turillo; Mary Ann Stern; Becky Lepley; Theresa Reckner; Peggy Baer; Brian Borosky; Barbara Farris; Kristy Ewing; Kathy Wojnarowski, **Jerry Stern, Toni Kiss, Jennifer, Karla Enzweiler, Sharon Harper, Pam Reckner, Aaron Whigham, Kyle Coddington, Michele Good, Kathy Libson, Evelyn Sullivan, Lorraine Oakman.**

ANTI-CATHOLIC VANDALISM - During the month of July reported acts of vandalism targeted Catholic churches across the country. Here are a few. At Our Lady of the Assumption Church in Bloomingburg, New York, a monument to unborn children killed by abortion was knocked over the weekend of July 18th. The monument consisted of an image of an infant resting in a pair of hands, along with an inscription of Isaiah 49:16. Parishioners at St. Bernadette Parish in Rockford, Illinois, discovered that a crucifix at a shrine belonging to the parish was smashed with a hammer on July 6th. According to parish staff member Kevin Riolt, the parish isn't angry about the vandalism, "but just sad that the (perpetrator) has a misconception of who Jesus is." On July 13th a statue of Christ installed in 1954 by the Knights of Columbus as a memorial to WWII veterans at a Montana ski resort was painted with brown paint and festooned with flags reading "Rise Up" and "#BLM," a presumed reference to the Black Lives Matter movement. A statue of the Virgin Mary was beheaded in Gary, Indiana on the evening of July 2nd. The head and hands of the statue were removed. On July 10th a statue of the Virgin Mary at Cathedral Prep School and Seminary in Queens was vandalized. According security footage an individual approached the 100-year-old statue and sprayed the word "IDOL" down its length." Fr. James Kuroly, rector and president of the Queens school, called this "an act of hatred." "We are sincerely grateful for the help we have received as well as the prayers. Please continue praying for those who committed this act of vandalism and hatred toward Our Lady and the Church," said Fr. Kuroly. On Saturday, July 11th police were called to the scene of an arson attack outside the church of St. Peter's Parish in Boston, Massachusetts. Plastic flowers in the hands of the statue of the Blessed Virgin Mary had been set on fire and suffered damage. Father John Currie, pastor of the parish, said he was not angry but offered to help whoever had committed the crime. "I know our Lady in Heaven is looking down on the soul, or whoever it might've been, and saying, 'I love you! If you need help, come get help. We're here for you.'" On the same day, July 11th, Queen of Peace Catholic Church in Ocala, Florida was attacked when a man crashed his minivan into the church and set the building on fire while parishioners were inside preparing for Mass. The man was later arrested and charged with attempted murder, arson, burglary, and evading arrest, after reportedly admitting to crashing into the church and then setting it on fire. Federal and local authorities are continuing to investigate a fire, again on July 11th, that destroyed the roof of the San Gabriel Mission in the Archdiocese of Los Angeles. Also on July

11th a statue of the Blessed Virgin Mary was beheaded at St. Stephen Church in Chattanooga, Tennessee. On July 17th St. Joseph Church in New Haven, Connecticut, a parish connected to the church where the Knights of Columbus was founded, a satanic symbol painted on the door. On July 14th a statue of Jesus Christ the Good Shepherd was desecrated and decapitated at Miami's Good Shepherd Catholic Church. On July 17th a statue of the Blessed Virgin at St. Mary's Cathedral in Colorado Springs was tagged with red paint in an act of vandalism. The vandal or vandals colored the statue's cross, and wrote the word "redrum" on the base of the statue. "Redrum," which is "murder" backwards, is a reference to the 1977 Stephen King novel "The Shining." In addition to the incidents noted above, other Catholic religious statues in California, Missouri, and other places have been toppled or vandalized by protestors, including several of St. Junipero Serra. We would do well to ponder where we are headed from here.

A TELLING ARREST - Two activists with Students for Life of America (SFLA) were arrested Saturday morning while peacefully attempting to chalk "BLACK PREBORN LIVES MATTER" outside of the Planned Parenthood abortion clinic in the nation's capital. SFLA had a permit and had communicated with the city about its plans to paint the street. This came following the city's decision to allow a private organization to paint on the street a message in support of defunding the police. SFLA was asked to use tempera paint and had planned to do so. D.C. Mayor Muriel Bowser famously renamed a street near the White House "Black Lives Matter Plaza" and had the slogan "BLACK LIVES MATTER" painted on the street there. Early Saturday morning, police stopped the pro-lifers' attempts to express their own message in paint. SFLA Strategic Partnerships Advisor Warner DePriest and SFLA student leader Erica Caporaletti from Towson University were then arrested on the scene. DePriest said in a Facebook live video that he was not read his Miranda Rights. The activists appear to have been charged with defacing public and/or private property. Video taken in the early hours Saturday shows D.C. police threatening to arrest Students for Life team members preparing to paint "BLACK PREBORN LIVES MATTER" outside Planned Parenthood on 4th Street NE. "After applying and receiving our permit for this event today, after being told by the Metropolitan police that the Mayor has... 'opened a Pandora's box' by painting public streets, we arrived to find six police cars threatening to arrest our team and students if they painted, even using the [tempera] paint we bought that the Police Department specifically requested," explained SFLA President Kristan Hawkins. "When we asked if we could at least use sidewalk chalk to chalk our anti-violence message on the streets, the police threatened to arrest us. In a letter to the mayor about the planned event, Hawkins and other organizers noted: "Having opened the streets of your city for public expression, Students for Life of America requests the opportunity to add our voices to those concerned about how people of color are treated in America. Black lives do matter, born and preborn, as too many people are lost in America today from causes that should be addressed and prevented for their disproportionate impact on minority communities ... Your original decision to paint 'Black Lives Matter' on the street is government speech. However, your decision to allow protestors to paint 'Defund the Police' opened the streets up as a public forum. You are not permitted to discriminate on the basis of viewpoint in making determinations relating to public assemblies in public [forums]. The message of the pre-born will not be silenced." Though only 13% of the female population, African American women make up 38 percent of all reported abortions. Four out of five Planned Parenthood abortion vendors are within walking distance of minority-dense neighborhoods, as noted in a Supreme Court amicus brief.