

All Saints Roman Catholic Church

17th Sunday in Ordinary Time—July 25, 2021

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Daily at 8:00 AM as scheduled
(See schedule on next page)
Saturday Vigil at 4:30 PM
Sunday at 9:00 AM
Holy Days at 8:00 AM and
7:00 PM

Confessions:
Saturday 3:30—4:00 PM
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17th Sunday
IN ORDINARY TIME

When they had had their fill, he said to his disciples, "Gather the fragments left over, so that nothing will be wasted." - Jn 6:12

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July 24, 2021 – August 1, 2021

Sat. 7/24	4:30 PM	For the People of All Saints Parish
Sun. 7/25	9:00 AM	Bonnie Hoffman (Cloyd and Rita Rose)
Mon. 7/26	8:00 AM	Mary Grace DeGeorge (All Saints Ladies Society)
Tues. 7/27	8:00 AM	Virginia "Jean" Peterson (Nancy Schack)
Wed. 7/28	NO Mass	
Thur. 7/29	8:00 AM	Lydia and James O'Donnell
Fri. 7/30	8:00 AM	Willard Passauer (Judy Miculandra)
Sat. 7/31	4:30 PM	Louis DeMartino (Elaine DeMartino and Family)
Sun. 8/01	9:00 AM	For the People of All Saints Parish

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH:

Sunday, 7/25	9:00 AM Mass—refreshments after Mass
Wednesday, 7/28	NO morning Mass
Saturday, 7/31	4:30 PM Mass

God shows up in unexpected ways!

Just when we think we have God's agenda figured out, another surprise comes. Expecting to find God only in some places hinders us from finding Him everywhere.

Who would have thought that a young boy's few loaves and fishes would feed thousands of people? The disciples were probably just as amazed as everyone else when this feast appeared before them. Sometimes, we find it difficult to believe that God can do amazing things with something small and simple. *Yet grasping this truth is really at the heart of understanding the power of the Eucharist.* Having the Body and Blood of Christ made present for us is one amazing wonder. Actually being fed and nourished by that gift is another. Now being able to become what we have eaten, God can do tremendous things with the simple, humble gifts of our lives.



All we have to do is realize that God dwells within us. When we do, then everyone we encounter and everything we do has the power to become a sacramental moment. When done with great love even the smallest gesture can be multiplied exponentially. **Now, that's amazing!**



*The Sanctuary Candle is lit this week
In Loving Memory of
Rose Marie Burkley
(From Bruce and Maria Burkley)*

The regular collection for July 18, 2021

was \$1,171.00 for the weekly and building maintenance collections and \$1,125.00 from the online collection for a total of \$2,296.00. Thank you for your support.



The quarterly collection for the Waterford and Summit Food Pantries will take place TODAY.

As you have heard, the Catholic bishops of Pennsylvania have issued statements indicating that the dispensation from the obligation to attend Mass, which went into effect in March 2020—just as the pandemic began significantly impacting all facets of life in the United States—will soon be lifted. **Bishop Persico is reinstating the obligation to attend Mass in person** on Sundays and holy days in the Diocese of Erie beginning on Sunday, Aug. 15, 2021, the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. As always, the obligation does not apply to those with serious illness or health risks, as well as their caregivers.

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REFLECT ON TODAY'S READINGS

FIRST READING 2 KINGS 4:42-44

The prophet Elisha was able to feed a crowd of a hundred people with only twenty barley loaves and some fresh grain. Why do you think God empowered Elisha to perform this feeding miracle?

SECOND READING EPH 4:1-6

Paul taught the Ephesians that as believers we are called to live by the moral imperatives of humility, gentleness, patience, love, and peace. Which of these virtues do you think you do well?

GOSPEL READING JN 6:1-15

The people mistakenly thought of Jesus as "the Prophet who is to come into the world" after the multiplication of the loaves and fishes. What are some times when you have seen others misuse or misrepresent Jesus?

World Day For Grandparents and Elderly—July 25, 2021



Pope Francis has established throughout the Church the celebration of the World Day for Grandparents and Elderly beginning in 2021 on the fourth Sunday of July, near the liturgical memorial of Saints Joachim and Anne, the grandparents of Jesus. The announcement of this celebration coincides with the celebration of the Year of Amoris Laetitia Family, which began on the

Solemnity of Saint Joseph the husband of Mary, on March 19, 2021, and will conclude at the World Meeting of Families in Rome in June of 2022.

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A Family Perspective

In today's gospel Phillip worried about "enough food" for the crowd. What is ENOUGH? When does our ENOUGH deprive another family of their fair share? Jesus performed today's miracle because one child was willing to share and risk living with less. Can your family live more simply so that other families can simply live?

Diocese introduces Re-remembering Our Sunday Story Initiative.



The Faith Formation and Communications Offices of the Diocese of Erie, along with a committee including several pastors, have spent months coordinating an effort to ensure people feel welcome as they return to public worship.

"The goal of this initiative is to ensure people feel welcome, to reflect on what we've been through, and to be intentional as we begin returning to life in a post-pandemic world," says Deacon Steve Washek, executive director of the Office of Faith Formation. "We don't want to come back as though nothing has happened. We are exploring ways we can use what we have been through to transform what we experience when we gather in community and when we receive the Eucharist."

A "Prayer as we Re-remember Our Sunday Story" prayer card will be handed out after Mass the next few weeks.



PRAYER REQUESTS

For those who need our prayer:

Sax Triplets born early, David S., Margaret, Ed M., Pat Jaworski, Albert B., Carol Lenart, Harriet McClellan, Lorrie Szablewski, Bob Fontanese, Jeannette Briggs, Dolores G., Gaylord Mosbacher, Rick Krol, Jerry and Barb Englert, Rita Bidwell, Megan Spinks, Dan McArAw, Jeff Jackson (Call Denise Weigert, 464-6148, or the parish office to add to the list)

For those who have died...

For those serving our country:

Paul Scott, U.S. Army; Rebeckah Jackson - Airforce; AT2 (AW) Quentin Maynard; AE1 (AW) Lonnie Maynard; Cortlen Surrena - Army; Commander Michael T. McArAw; Violet Brashier, U.S. Coast Guard; Dell Krumpke, U.S. Coast Guard; Ben Krumpke, U.S. Air Force; Sam Riley, U.S. Army; Keith Riley, U.S. Army, Autumn Cornell; Nathan Cornell; Bryon Ripple; Brandon Ripple; Sarah Manross; Lucas Loggins—Army; Zane Loggins—Army; (Call Pam McArAw, 397-1490, to add to the list)



After Mass on Saturday, July 24, and Sunday, July 25, there will be refreshments for everyone in the gathering space! Grab a treat and say hello to old friends and meet new friends as we celebrate being together again! Parish Council hopes to make this a monthly event. Thank you to the Johnson and Burkley families this weekend.

WATERFORD FAIR FOOD BOOTH--SEPT. 6-11

THERE ARE SPOTS LEFT ON THE SIGN-UP SHEET IN THE GATHERING SPACE. IF THERE ARE ENOUGH PEOPLE TO MAN THIS BOOTH FAIR WEEK WE WILL MOVE FORWARD WITH THIS FUNDRAISER.

3 PEOPLE ARE NEEDED FOR EACH 2 HOUR SHIFT: SHIFTS ARE AVAILABLE ON MONDAY 9/6 FROM 2:00 PM TO 10:00 PM; TUESDAY THROUGH FRIDAY FROM 5:00 PM TO 9:30 PM; AND SATURDAY 9/11 FROM 10:00 AM TO 10:00 PM. PLEASE SIGN UP THIS WEEK-END, OR CALL THE PARISH OFFICE AT 814-796-3023, MORNINGS. Thanks!



Beauty on our parish grounds! Wondering what happens to the Easter flowers that adorned the sanctuary? Take a walk around the parish and see their beauty as they are blooming!

Also, see that there is work that needs to be done to keep up with the weeds and the plants. The Ladies Society is working on the "rock" garden area. Can you help with an hour or two of your time to work in the other areas of the grounds? A few parishioners have dedicated themselves to the Mary statue areas in the back of the building. Have little ones (or kids that need service hours) that can pick up sticks? Even that simple task helps with mowing the lawn. Many hands make light work. Thanks!

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Containers, pans, & dishes from the Fish Dinners in Lent—can be found on a table in the social hall. Is one of them yours?

St. Paul Parish, W. 16th and Walnut streets, Erie, is hosting its annual Italian Festival Aug. 6-8.

On Friday, a pasta fagioli dinner and activities will begin at 5 p.m., with live music from 6 to 10 p.m. On Saturday, there will be a 4:30 p.m. Mass, activities from 1 to 10 p.m., kids' activities from 1 to 5 p.m., and live music from 6 to 10 p.m. On Sunday, Bishop Lawrence Persico will preside at the 11 a.m. Mass, followed by a procession of the Blessed Virgin Mary through "Little Italy." There will be a spaghetti dinner on Sunday from noon to 6 p.m., with activities from noon to 7 p.m., Italian music from 3 to 7 p.m., and a \$15,000 drawing at 7 p.m. For more information, go to www.stpaulcerie.org (events tab) or call 814-456-6256.

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So we fix our eyes not on what is seen, but on what is unseen, since what is seen is temporary, but what is unseen is eternal.

Corinthians 4:18

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