



Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ October 2, 2016

Sunday Scripture Meditation:

Habakkuk 1:2-3; 2:2-4; 2 Timothy 1:6-8, 13-14; Luke 17:5-10

Jesus wants us to keep in proper perspective all the words of recognition, praise and congratulations that people give us. Every breath we take, every good deed we do is a sign of His grace at work in our lives. **We are God's children, redeemed, called, and equipped to build His kingdom.** Printed with the permission of *The Word Among Us 2016*

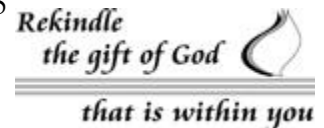
CELEBRATION OF MASSES THIS WEEK



Sat.	Oct 1	4:30 PM	+IRENE DEMOVICK ~ <i>Michael and Stephanie Dunn</i>
Sun.	Oct 2	7:30 AM	+JENEATH QUICK ~ <i>Diem Tran</i>
		9:00 AM	+DANIEL AND +MARY RYAN, <i>Daughter, Arlene Saranich & Family</i>
		11:00 AM	+IRENE PILIPAJTIS 25 th Anniversary ~ <i>Sisters, Marge and Dianne</i>
Mon.	Oct 3	7:30 AM	IN THANKSGIVING TO GOD FOR THE GIFT OF HUMAN LIFE
Tues.	Oct 4	7:30 AM	+HELEN MEZICK ~ <i>Son and Family</i>
Wed.	Oct 5	7:30 AM	+JENNIE SEKELSKY ~ <i>From the Family</i>
Thurs.	Oct 6	7:30 AM	+STEPHEN FABIAN, <i>Anniversary ~ Sister, Anne Havelick</i>
Fri.	Oct 7	7:30 AM	+ANNA LASHINSKY, <i>Anniversary ~ MaryAnn Salvaggio</i>
Sat.	Oct 8	8:00 AM	+COMMUNITY MASS
		4:30 PM	+WALTER DEMBEK ~ <i>Judith Clark</i>
Sun.	Oct 9	7:30 AM	LIVING AND DECEASED OF THE CANTAFIO FAMILY ~ <i>Connie Sandor</i>
		9:00 AM	+ADOLF RYBINSKI, <i>Daughter</i>
		11:00 AM	+PAUL AND +THERESA CORVINO ~ <i>Rose Bielen and Family</i>

FINANCIAL SUPPORT OF OUR PARISH ~ WEEK OF 9-25-2016

Operating Costs – Weekly amount needed to meet expenses of all five buildings ----	\$9,975
Sunday Collection	\$ 5,502
Other Collections: Annual, Monthly, Holy Day...	\$ 457
TOTAL WEEKLY INCOME.....	\$ 5,959
SURPLUS	\$ 4,016



FISCAL YEAR TO DATE OVERVIEW Operating Costs Year to Date \$9,975 x 13.....\$129,675

Actual Weekly Income Year to date \$119,760 Shortfall \$9,915



PRAYER CORNER: Your prayers are requested for the sick and the suffering, those in ongoing treatment and/or rehabilitation and those whose lives are heavily burdened. If you are a parishioner or know of a parishioner who would like to be included in the Prayer Corner, please call the parish office at 203-375-5815. Please pray for the good health of:

Eileen McCoy, Richard Miller, Dottie Millo, Helen Mino, Peter Panicale, Jo-Ann Petreycik, Charles Rader, T.J. Recupido, Jose Rosado, Jennie Tesla



Altar Flowers this weekend are given in Loving Memory of Irene Pilipajtis, 25th Anniversary from sisters, Marge and Dianne



Sanctuary Candles for the month of October are in loving memory of **Frank Ziza** from the Ziza Family.



Candles at St. Joseph's altar for the month of October are in loving memory of **Michael Pucci** from Betty Pucci and Family.

Youth Choir News:

Thank you to our Youth Choir for their beautiful singing at last weekend's 9:00AM Mass.

Rehearsals are held every Wednesday from 5:15 PM to 6:15 PM in the Church Choir loft. New Members are Always Welcome!



Our Parish Nurses are available this weekend to take blood pressure readings and answer any medical concerns * UPDATED LOCATION* Following the SATURDAY 4:30 PM Mass and all the Sunday Masses, the nurses will be in the CHURCH Vestibule/Confessional Room.



Our Next Community Mass is Saturday, October 8 at 8:00 AM. If you would like to have your deceased loved ones remembered at this Mass, please call the Parish Office at 203-375-5815 by Thursday morning.

The Quilting Group Ministry meets almost every Wednesday from 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM in our Parish Hall. If you would like to help, call Cathy at 203-378-5129.



Donations of knitted & crocheted afghans are accepted. New, washable Acrylic yarns are always appreciated!

The Guild of the Mother of Jesus will open their 2016-2017 season on Wednesday, October 12, with Mass at 6:30PM



followed by a buffet dinner meeting in the parish hall.

Cost is \$12.00 per person and the menu consists of Cavatelli and Broccoli, Sausage & Peppers, Chicken Francese, Roasted Red Potatoes, Green Beans, Salad, Bread & butter, along with Coffee, Tea, Soda and Dessert. **Reservations should be called in to Nancy Vietri at 203-685-8147 before the cut-off date of October 9.** Payment may be made via the collection basket, marked "Guild Opening Dinner" or dropped off at the parish office during normal business hours.

The Lord's Kitchen: Holy Name of Jesus parish will be sponsoring a Lord's Kitchen

Dinner on Wednesday, October 12 from 4:00 PM to 6:00 PM.

On that date a free hot meal will be served at Christ Episcopal Church in Stratford. **Please help us provide help to those who most need it as our Lord, Jesus commands us.** All donations should be marked on an envelope "**Lord's Kitchen**" when offered during the Sunday collection. Please be generous! All volunteers willing to prepare or serve the dinner please contact Armand Majewski 203-521-5915 or Toni Majewski 203-520-5117.



Holy Name of Jesus Men's Society Meeting: Thursday, October 20 at 6:30PM in the Parish Hall. Items to be discussed are the Pasta Dinner and general agenda. Refreshments will be served.



Pasta Dinner: Saturday, October 29 from 5:30 PM to 7:00 PM in the Parish Hall hosted by the Men's Society.



Dinner consists of Pasta, Sauce, Meatballs, Bread, Salad, Dessert, Tea, Coffee and Assorted Soft Drinks. Free~Will Donations gratefully accepted!

OUR HOLY NAME OF JESUS PARISH INTERNATIONAL festival OF FOODS

takes place **Saturday, October 22,** following the 4:30 PM Mass. **We are excited to offer food from all over the world proudly made and served by our parishioners. We still need more examples of international dishes. If you have a specialty dish that represents your family background, please sign up today. Or if you are simply planning to attend, we need to know by Monday, October 10.**

Please call the Parish Office at 203-375-5815. There is no fee to attend ~ Good Will offering accepted.

EVANGELIZATION CORNER



Faith in God is powerful. Without faith we are weak because we have only our own power to rely on. But with faith we are strong because God is working in us and through us. **Let us always trust in God and allow Him to work miracles in our lives.**



THANK YOU PARISH NURSES

Caren, Marion and Peggy what would I have done without the three of you to help me as I recuperated from a broken humerus? I know I wouldn't have been able to come back home to Holy Name as soon as I did. I appreciate all the TLC you gave me throughout the weeks I needed you. I can never thank you enough. May God bless you for all you do for our parishioners. We are blessed to have you. *Sr. Joseph Therese*

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION INFO - We are well into the new school year.

If you have not registered your child/children, please do so at this time. If you are in need of a registration form please call Sister Joseph Therese at 203-378-7407 or email her at DREHolyName@gmail.com.

Confirmation classes will begin in October and the Sacrament will be celebrated this spring. If you have any questions about our programs, please call Sister Joseph Therese at 203-378-7407 or email her at DREHolyName@gmail.com

Children's Liturgy of the Word

will resume on October 9 at the 9am Mass. Any child is welcome to join us each Sunday.

Life Line Screening, a leading provider of community-based preventive health screenings, will offer their affordable, non-invasive and painless health screenings at Holy Name of Jesus Parish on 11/4/2016.

Register for a Wellness Package which includes 4 vascular tests and osteoporosis screening from \$149 (\$139 with our member discount). All five screenings take 60-90 minutes to complete. **In order to register for this event and to receive a \$10 discount off any package priced above \$129, please call 1-888-653-6441 or visit**

www.lifelinescreening.com/community-partners

Wine Tasting to Benefit Caroline House on Friday, November 18, 7:00 PM – 10:00 PM

at the Fairfield Museum & History Center. Enjoy delicious hors d'oeuvres, sample various wines, and tour the museum. Tickets \$40 Register online www.thecarolinehouse.org Or mail check payable to Caroline House, 574 Stillman Street, BPT CT 06608. **Caroline House** is a literacy education center that has served immigrant women and children for over 21 years, through English as a Second Language, life skills, citizenship, preschool, and children's tutoring programs.