

AUGUST 1, 2021

EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



*Do not work for food that perishes
but for the food that endures for eternal life.*

— John 6:27a

TWO HOLY MARTYRS PARISH

*St. Symphorosa & St. Rene Goupil
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Fr. Bob's Weekly Blog

Welcome to Two Holy Martyrs Parish!!

St. Symphorosa & St. Rene Goupil

We are what we eat. What we consume literally becomes part of us.

If this is true, then there is a good chance one day I will be transformed into a Slim Jim. Of course, I am joking, even if one of my vices continues to be the sodium-on-a-stick beef treat. We do, however, realize the digestive truth of how what we eat plays a role in our overall health.

What is true on the physical level is also true in the spiritual level. What we consume matters.

Our Creator knows all this, and so God desires to feed us well -- physically and spiritually. The challenge arises when we use the gift of freewill to choose what we consume. Your parents might have forced you to eat soggy broccoli as a child, but God allows us to make choices along the way. We can choose healthy or unhealthy; and sometimes we're not sure which is which.

Amazingly, God combines physical and spiritual food in the great gift of the Eucharist. The Lord uses earth-made bread to deliver Heavenly grace. We're reminded that a sacrament is a visible sign (round white piece of bread) of an invisible reality/ grace (Jesus's Body and Blood, Soul and Divinity).

As we continue to make our way through the Gospel of John, chapter six, keep in mind how God desires to nourish us physically and spiritually. Bodily health matters. Few folks would dispute this truth. We as human beings, however, are body AND soul, and soul health matters, too. The Creator provides the means for us to consume food for our body, but God also provides for us the Bread of Angels, so that we are fed the very LIFE of Christ.

Jesus says in this week's Gospel, "I am the bread of life." The key word is LIFE. The original Gospels were written in Greek and the word used here for life is zoe. Zoe means much more than biological life. Zoe means Divine Life, something we are not able to attain on our own. We do well to receive this great gift of the Eucharist with reverence and proper disposition.

The Eucharist is truly the Body and Blood of Jesus in the appearance of bread of wine. The reality of the Real Presence has been the teaching of Mother Church for over 2,000 years. The early Church fathers often wrote about the Eucharist; "the medicine of immortality," as St. Ignatius of Antioch so eloquently said.

St. Bonaventure wrote, "This sacrament contains Christ's true body and immaculate flesh in such a way that it penetrates our very being, unites us to one another, and transforms us into Him. It does so by virtue of that burning love through which Christ gave himself to us, offered himself up for us, and now gives himself back to us, so that He might remain with us until the end of the world."

Thank you, Lord, for so great a gift that we, through grace, become one with You and one with our brothers and sisters in faith. We consume You so to become more like You.

Helping Hands Matter

Every parish has paid staff attending to the daily affairs. Every parish also has people who give FREELY of their time and talent.

Two Holy Martyrs Parish is fortunate to have folks who volunteer in so many different ways. Many of these ways are unseen by the public. Some of these people water plants in the respective churches, some vacuum the carpets and sweep the floors, others do laundry, while still others do some gardening and trimming on the grounds.

Trust me, a parish cannot function without folks who step up and volunteer their time and talent.

We also have those folks who get involved in various ministries so as to be servants to those in need, or to assist the parish/ parishioners in some way.

Thank you to all volunteers!!! You are serving the Lord in a very caring way.

Good Neighbors

This coming Tuesday (August 3, 2021) the grass area behind our St. Rene church building will be used by Home Chef for a company picnic.

Our parish was approached a few weeks ago by the management of Home Chef (6901 W. 65th St.) asking if they could "rent" the location so that they could show appreciation to their employees by having a summer picnic.

We agreed to work with the Home Chef folks in a spirit of neighborhood relationships, while also agreeing to collect an agreed-upon financial compensation from Home Chef. We ask our parishioners and parish neighbors to respect that this is a private company picnic and that they do have permission to be on our grounds.

Home Chef representatives will be setting up for the picnic on Tuesday morning. The official Home Chef picnic is scheduled to run from 1pm to 6pm.

Thank you for your understanding as we seek to be good neighbors and generate needed revenue.



Quote of the Week

"The Bible tells us to love our neighbors, and also to love our enemies; probably because they are generally the same people."

~ G.K. Chesterton

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Rev. Matthew Compton
Associate Pastor
Rev. Ted Bojczuk
Pastor Emeritus
Rev. Peter Paurazas
Pastor Emeritus
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Pastor Emeritus
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Monday - Friday
9:00 am - 4:00 pm
Saturday
9:00 am - 12:00 pm
St. Rene Worship Site
6949 W 63rd Place
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6125 S. Austin Ave
Chicago, Illinois 60638
(773) 585-6888
Sacrament of Penance
6-7pm every Tuesday (St. Symphorosa Site)
3-3:45pm every Saturday (St. Rene Site)
Offered by Appointment During the Week
Please call the Parish Office



St. Vincent de Paul Bundle Weekend

The Two Holy Martyrs St. Vincent de Paul Society will have their donation truck in the St. Symphorosa church parking lot (W 62nd St. and S Austin Ave) on **Saturday, August 7** and **Sunday, August 8, 2021**. The hours on Saturday will be 1pm - 6pm and on Sunday from 7am - 1pm. Items accepted are gently used clothing and small kitchen items.

NO ELECTRONICS OR FURNITURE CAN BE ACCEPTED!

Thank you for your generosity!!



EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

We are currently accepting resumes for a daycare position for our school children PK-8, for this school year beginning August 25, 2021.

The position is 6:30am - 8:15am and 3:00pm - 6:00pm Monday - Friday, approximately 25 hours weekly.

Interested candidates, please send your resume and cover letter highlighting your experience, salary requirement, and interest in the role to office@stsymphorosaschool.org no later than **August 10th**.



Two Holy Martyrs Parish
Offerings for the weekend of

Sunday, July 25, 2021
Contribution: \$7,439.00

Thank you for your generosity!



Split the Pot

July 25, 2021

Received: \$500.00

Winning envelope: #63913

Reminder: A minimum of \$5.00 is required to participate.

WEDDING BANNES

I - *Julianna Rosas & Elisea Loeva*
II - *Carmen Leon & Eduardo Huerta*

Our Sanctuary Candle burning before the Blessed Sacrament for the month of August is offered for the following intentions:

For special intentions of the Duran Family
given by Mrs. C. Duran

For all members of the Soltis, Kopyszka, Lichtenstein,
& Smagor families, living & deceased
given by Pat Soltis

For the repose of the soul of Vince Porcelli
given by Family

For the repose of the souls of Denise, Christopher
& Baby Wiatrak
given by Mom Clara

May this light which reminds us of Jesus' presence in the
Tabernacle help welcome our prayers into
His eternal presence.

SPECIAL NOTICE TO OUR PARISHIONERS AND NEIGHBORS

Two Holy Martyrs parish staff was approached a few months ago by the leaders of The American Quality Schools Corporation. Their representatives showed interest in using one of our parish buildings to be the home of a new private high school. This would NOT be a charter school, but a privately funded high school.

We entered into a few weeks of discussion before determining to move forward in being the home for Harbridge College Prep Academy.

This private high school would require a minimum of 100 students to begin, and would limit school capacity to roughly 400 students. Should the school get the necessary 100 students, they would open their doors in Autumn of 2022. Marketing and recruitment of students would begin in September 2021.

This private high school is seeking to be an alternative for families who want a choice that isn't Chicago Public Schools or a private religious institution.

Harbridge College Prep Academy describes itself as an innovative, high quality, non-sectarian, independent high school. This school is not affiliated with the Archdiocese of Chicago nor Chicago Public Schools. Two Holy Martyrs parish would serve as the lessor, and would receive an agreed upon financial compensation. Harbridge Academy would be housed in the school building on the St. Rene campus. The school building formerly housed one of the local Polish schools. The building would still be used by Two Holy Martyrs Parish for social events, religious education, bingo, etc..

The American Quality Schools Corporation was founded 21 years ago by Dr. Michael Bakalis. Since then, they have opened and/or operated 20 elementary and secondary schools in Illinois, Indiana and Missouri. They have operated three of the highest academic achieving schools in Chicago, two of the highest academic achieving schools in the entire state of Indiana, and the highest achieving new charter school in Missouri.

"Our goal is to prepare students to be accepted and succeed in the nations very top-tier universities and colleges," said Bakalis. "It will eventually, after three years, become a true international school." He also added, "Our new school will also focus on the importance of students becoming actively engaged in the areas of ethical behavior, values and good character."

Dr. Michael Bakalis' credentials are numerous. He is a graduate of Northwestern University and taught at the junior high and high school level. After receiving his Ph. D from Northwestern, he taught at Northern Illinois University. He has also been involved with Loyola University, Triton College, and the Kellogg School of Management at Northwestern.

He was elected and served as Illinois State Superintendent of Education and as Illinois State Comptroller. Through Presidential appointment, he served as Deputy Undersecretary of Education in the U.S. Department of Education.

Dr. Bakalis is passionate about providing our young children with a quality high school education and we look forward to Harbridge College Prep Academy being a success, and an option for families looking for a high school.



...at the Two Holy Martyrs Picnic



Join the Picnic Choir

- **Only 3 Rehearsals:**
 - August 11 @ St. Rene Campus 6:30-7:45pm
 - August 18 @ St. Syms Campus 6:30-7:45pm
 - August 25 @ St. Rene Campus 6:30-7:45pm
- **Open to All:** Adults and children of all ages!!
You can even bring a friend.



No experience is necessary. I will teach you what you need to know. *What a wonderful way to worship together!!*

I will have a sign-up sheet which you can fill out after Mass. (If I'm not at your Mass one week, I'll probably be there the next week).

Woody Allen once said that 80% of success in life is just showing up. See you on August 11th.

Steve Kittler, Director of Music



MISSION COOPERATION PLAN

PLAN DE COOPERACIÓN DE LA MISIÓN

August 8, 2021 | WeAreMissionary.org/give



Next weekend is the Missionary Cooperation Plan, the annual collection that allows missionaries from around the world to share their stories and invite support from our parishes. Unfortunately, the missionaries could not send speakers to visit us due to the global pandemic. 104 mission causes are participating this year and ask for our cooperation to continue their missionary efforts. There are dioceses, religious sisters, brothers and priests, as well as school, orphanages and medical clinics that need out prayer and support.

For example, the **Orphanage of the Virgin of Guadalupe in the Philippines** is run by the Sisters of Mary Adorers of the Holy Eucharist. It is a home for infants left behind in hospitals after birth as well as street children, runaways, orphans, abandoned and homeless children. It also has become a home for victims of human trafficking and rape. A good number of babies have been born there. Like mothers, the nuns respond to the children's needs, feed infants with bottled milk and spoon-feed the toddlers. They check babies' temperature, bring them to hospitals for medical help, or rise from sleep when the babies cry. These children have survived the worst, but the orphanage gives them a way out of poverty and trauma. Many children learn and grow to contribute to society: A two-month old baby girl was sold to the priest who founded the Orphanage for the equivalent of \$42, and she is now a pharmacist. An eight-month old baby boy was abandoned in a jeep and now he is a foreman in a construction firm. A six-year old battered girl now wishes to take up Social Work to help in the orphanage.

Please offer your support for these and more missionary causes through your prayer and donations to this collection. Please place cash or check (made out to our parish) in the envelopes provided in the narthex of both churches this weekend. Or you may give online, using a credit card at www.WeAreMissionary.org/give. Each donation will be distributed evenly to all 104 participating mission causes.

Save the Date!

Fellowship, food & fun

Sunday August 29



PARISH

Picnic



One Month Away – Sunday August 29th
Picnic begins with an Outdoor Mass at 11:00am
on the St. Rene Campus

- ✓ Tents for shade
- ✓ Bingo (Air-Conditioned)
- ✓ Kids Games/Prizes
- ✓ Adult Games/Prizes
- ✓ Pull Tabs – Cash Prizes
- ✓ DJ
- ✓ Rita's Italian Ice – Dessert Truck
- ✓ Hourly Door Prizes
- ✓ Bags Tournament
- ✓ Bake Sale
- ✓ Split the Pot Drawings
- ✓ THM Kitchen – Picnic food from the grill
- ✓ Grand Raffle Drawing
- ✓ More info to come!



Two Holy Martyrs Parish

Embrace the Grace

Please take a moment to sit down, watch, and/or listen to Fr. Bob's "Embrace the Grace" meditations every week.

Fr. Bob and Steve Kittler, our parish Music Director, began this page as a way to keep in contact with the parish and all our parishioners during the COVID stay at home order. This seven to ten minute video shares the good news with all interested persons.

Please visit the parish website at twoholymartyrs.org or go directly to the YouTube page at <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCJm6IOYVzFmLnENc-rj7jMQ> to view.



Faith Formation Office

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Coordinator: Peg Siebenaler

UPCOMING EVENTS

Summer Communion Class

August 2nd - August 12th

**FALL CLASSES BEGIN AFTER
LABOR DAY!!!!**



2021-2022 Faith Formation Registration NOW OPEN!!!

New and returning families need to register.

Classes begin after Labor Day!

Registration Forms are available on our website (www.twoholymartyrs.org) and at our Parish Office.

We will continue to offer Faith Formation Classes for grades One through Eight on Tuesday evenings at our St. Rene Campus and on Saturday mornings at our St. Sym's Campus. Registration Forms are available in the Narthex of our Churches and they are also available at the Main Parish Office on Austin Ave.

In addition Miss Peg will be present at the Parish Picnic on August 29th accepting Faith Formation Registrations and answering any questions you may have. The Parish Picnic will be held at our St. Rene Campus. You will find Miss Peg at the Face Painting Booth.

Please call Miss Peggy in the Faith Formation Office at (773) 767-1523 ext. 226. with any registration questions.

WELCOME FAMILIES TO TWO HOLY MARTYRS PARISH FAITH FORMATION

We Need You!

"The harvest is plentiful but the laborers are few; therefore, ask the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest".

~Matthew 9:32-38



Recruiting Catechetical Ministers is a year round challenge and, particularly so, when we are approaching a new year of faith formation. The dictionary defines the word ministry as "to give service, care, or aid; to attend to wants or needs". In that sense, all people of good will are ministers. However, for some of us, ministry is a conscious choice that forms an important part of our Catholic identity, helping us grow in our relationship with Jesus.

With these thoughts in mind, we invite you to consider being a Catechetical Minister for this coming year. Please give it some serious thought and call Peggy in the Parish Office at (773) 767-1523 ext. 226 if you are interested. Thank you!

A testimonial from one of our dedicated Catechists:

Way back when dinosaurs roamed the earth.... I was a single, working mother....I was just a regular mom of school aged children.

I always tried to make time to participate in the activities my kids were involved in..... Therefore, I became a Catechist at St. Sym's.

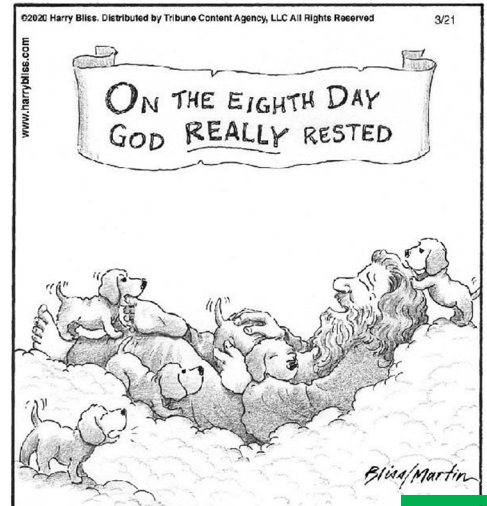
I like kids and felt I could connect well with teenagers. I don't think of myself as a particularly religious person, but I do have a deep belief in and respect for the God who created us all. I see his handiwork in the world around me and I'm always impressed at its beauty and complexity, and I really want to pass that belief along to our children. I know there's very little religion in their lives and what I want most to do, is impress on them that there is a God out there, who created each of them, loves each one of them, and is always present in their lives. I know I can't convince them to go to mass, but if I can instill these beliefs somewhere in their memories, even if it's just in one or two of them.... Then, I've succeeded!

~Ceil K.



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Let Us Pray...



Dear Lord,
we want to be an engaged church,
a parish motivated by love for You
and committed to our mission
of living out Your gospel.
We ask that You be with us
on our spiritual journey.

Help us to be a worshipping community,
devoted to Holy Mass,
praying with and for one another,
and lifting our voices joyfully in song.

Help us to be a welcoming community
with smiles and outstretched arms
as we greet all who enter our doors,
be they friends or strangers.

Help us to be a community of
good stewards who support our parish
and are compassionate
to the needs of the poor.

Help us to be a ministering community,
cheerfully and tirelessly offering time,
treasure, and talent in service to others.

Help us to be a community of disciples
who place You, Lord,
at the center of our lives.

Help us to be an engaged community
with open hearts and open minds to seek
You Lord, share Your gifts,
and rejoice in Your blessings.

We ask the intercession
of our two holy martyrs:
St. Symphorosa and St. Rene Goupil.

Through Christ our Lord. Amen.



**“And behold, I [Jesus] am with you always,
until the end of the age.” (Matthew 28:20)**

“Draw near to your servants, O Lord, and answer their prayers with unceasing kindness, that, for those who glory in you as their Creator and guide, you may restore what you have created and keep safe what you have restored. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever.” (*Roman Missal*, 3rd ed.) Twice in the Collect, the opening prayer for this Eighteenth


Sunday in Ordinary Time, we read and hear the word, “restore.” That repetition is not a copying error but a point of emphasis. Restoration evokes thoughts of bringing someone or something back to life, returning the person or thing to its previous condition or possibly surpassing it. If full restoration is not possible, the person’s or thing’s deteriorated condition might still be improved. The restoring of health after illness or injury might be the most popular category associated with those positive changes.

“Restoration,” though the word is not literally used in the Second Reading, is nonetheless present as St. Paul preaches about conversion and deification, the becoming more conformed to God and entering the divine life, in his letter to the Ephesian Christians. In the first half of the reading, we hear the Apostle explain, “I declare and testify in the Lord that you must no longer live as the Gentiles do, in the futility of their minds; that is not how you learned Christ, assuming that you have heard of him and were taught in him, as truth is in Jesus.” (Ephesians 4:17, 20-21) God has given the Ephesians, and all people for that matter, life. God, in Christ Jesus, has now offered the Ephesians and all people the opportunity for restoration from that status of separation and injury resulting from sin. This restoration, made possible by the Holy Trinity, occurs by one’s choice to live in accord with the Gospel and the Christian faith, to respond to God’s initiative to restore and even exceed the original innocence enjoyed by Adam and Eve.

What God will do with the person who freely cooperates with Him is more than self-improvement on the earthly level, good as some of those undertakings are. Thus, in the second half of that Second Reading, St. Paul continues with a brief instruction about restoration in Jesus: “[That] you should put away the old self of your former way of life, corrupted through deceitful desires, and be renewed in the spirit of your minds, and put on the new self, created in God’s way in righteousness and holiness of truth.” (Ephesians 4:22-24) This “new self” is more than diet and exercise as much as those are beneficial for caring for our physical health. The “new self,” also, is not the creation of an alternative personality the way that authors, actors and online users might present to mask who they really are. No, this “new self” is a restoration and an elevation to what God, who gives us life, desires for us to be so that we may be with Him. “[The] former way of life,” lived apart from God, either unknowingly or willfully, and “deceitful desires” are the damages, which must be treated or removed to restore a person, “the new self, created in God’s way in righteousness and holiness of truth.” Hence, we pray with the Church in light of St. Paul’s teaching this Sunday both believing yet still petitioning, “O Lord, ... may [You] restore what you have created and keep safe what you have restored.”

~Fr. Matt Compton

LECTOR SCHEDULE

| Mass Time | 4pm | 5:30pm | 7:30am | 9am | 10:30am | 12pm |
|---|----------------|----------------|----------------|--|-----------------|----------------|
| | August 7, 2021 | August 7, 2021 | August 8, 2021 | August 8, 2021 | August 8, 2021 | August 8, 2021 |
|  | Nancy Gunnell | Bill Wilschke | Melissa Link | Mary Lou Kolasinski Tyler Ptaszkowski | John Strompolis | Lori Noceda |

IMPORTANT You May Notice...

There will be a lot of action on our St. Rene Campus on Tuesday afternoon August 3rd! Accordingly, one of our neighbor businesses, **HOME CHEF**, is having a company picnic on our campus. If you happen to see them, please be welcoming, respectful and honor their privacy on our campus! And **YES**, in case you were wondering, **HOME CHEF** is compensating Two Holy Martyrs Parish for the brief use of our property.

Two Holy Martyrs Parish *St. Symphorosa and St. Rene Goupil* **GRAND RAFFLE** **Grand Prize \$10,000**

2nd Prize \$5,000 3rd Prize \$2,000

Grand raffle tickets are officially on sale. Tickets are available in the parish office during regular business hours. You may purchase them for \$20 each or 6 for \$100. CASH OR CHECK ONLY! There is a seller's prize for person who sells the winning grand prize Drawing will be held Sunday, August 29.

Tickets are available in the parish office. Tickets will be available one last time in the narthex next weekend:

August 7-8

Purchase your tickets early and be entered to win \$500 in the Early Bird Drawing on August 10th. Tickets must be returned 1 day prior to Early Bird Drawing.

Please remember to keep your tickets stubs and **GOOD LUCK!**



*Have pity on me, Lord, for I am weak; heal me, Lord,
for my bones are shuddering."*

~Psalm 6:3

Mary Adkins
Guadalupe Almendarez
Raeann Arends
Ignatius Battiato
Carl Bell
Mary Bieser
Fr. Ted Bojczuk
Kathy Calcagno
Maxine Carey
Michael Clifford
Chris Doherty
Maria Flores
Carol Gress
Heather Hradek
Deacon Tom Hyde
John Kappel, Jr.
John Kappel, Sr.

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Norman Kwilosz
Sharon Labiak
James Lapsansky
Maryann Larson
Donna Lauritzen
Domenico Lepore
Rose Ann Lindsay
Debbie Lipien
Maria Lopez
Diane Malarick
John Martini
Elaine McCarthy
Lori McCarthy
Tina McGleam
Maria Perez Montiel
Joan Orsi

Bob Pac
Eleanor Pastorek
Stanley Polit
Ann Robertson
Edward Robertson
Fr. John Rudnik
Joseph Rudnik
Mary Shortall
Sue Solcani
Brian Styka
Sr. Christine Styka
Terry Styka
Mary Thorpe
Judith Webber
Michelle

Due to privacy laws, names may only be added to our prayer list by immediate family.
Please call the parish office (773.767.1523) to add or remove a name.

Sowing Seeds in Our Garden

Care for our planet is a common concern in our day.

Pope Francis wrote elegantly and challengingly about this in the letter Laudato Si.

Here is the opening paragraph: "St. Francis reminds us that our common home is like a sister with whom we share our life and a beautiful mother who opens her arms to embrace us. 'Praise be to You, my Lord, through our sister Mother Earth, who sustains and governs us, and who produces various fruit with colored flowers and herbs.'"

We might not be able to affect things halfway across the globe, but we can do our part on the parish grounds. It's amazing how much trash blows onto our property on a regular basis; both at the St. Symphorosa campus and on the St. Rene Goupil campus. We see cans, napkins, straws, wrappers, plastic cups, cigarette butts, etc., each week. We didn't litter, but we have to deal with it on our property.

Perhaps we have some folks who feel called to help "patrol" our parish grounds each week to pick up wayward trash. With trash bag in glove-covered hand, you'd be walking around the grounds and properly dispose of garbage.

This is a concrete way we can serve the community, and help beautify our two campuses.

Pray about it, and let us know.



Mass Intentions for the Week July 24 - July 30

Saturday, July 31, 2021

4:00pm *St. Rene Church*

Presider: Fr. Matt

†Mr. & Mrs. Huber (*Hohm Family*)

5:30pm *St. Symphorosa Church*

Presider: Fr. Norm

†Gary Grisko (*Family*)

†Janet & Steve Molnar (*Hohm Family*)

Sunday, August 1, 2021

Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30am *St. Rene Church*

Presider: Fr. Bob

†Joseph & Josephine Dyniakoski

(*Niemczyk Family*)

9:00am *St. Symphorosa Church*

Presider: Fr. Matt

Health & birthday blessings for Arlene Scaletta

(*Mary Kolimas*)

†Rose Cicchino (*Rosa Rodriguez*)

†Janet & Steve Molnar (*Hohm Family*)

†Andrew Rodriguez (*Rosa Rodriguez*)

†John & Irene Simonelic (*Simonelic Family*)

10:30am *St. Rene Church*

Presider: Fr. Matt

†Dawn Bodoki Denis (*Mom & Dad*)

†Vince Porcelli (*Wife Judy*)

†Jose & Alberto Sanchez (*Family*)

12:00pm *St. Symphorosa Church*

Presider: Fr. Bob

†Peter & Maria Haluska & Linda (*Haluska Family*)

†Charles Huber (*Sister*)

†Christine Waynaskas (*Carol & Jamie Librizzi*)

Monday, August 2, 2021

8:00am *St. Symphorosa Church*

†Robert Huber (*Sister*)

†Joseph Loduca (*Nancy & Rebecca*)

†Jan Szkodon (*Ilona Szkodon*)

†Marian Zdziennicki (*Family*)

Tuesday, August 3, 2021

8:00am *St. Symphorosa Church*

†Altar & Rosary Members

(*Altar & Rosary Society*)

†Margaret Arvetis (*Son*)

†Johanna Krzan (*Pat Soltis*)

Wednesday, August 4, 2021

Saint John Vianney, Priest

8:00am *St. Symphorosa Church*

†Chuck DeLauriea (*Lorraine DeLauriea*)

†Dennis R. Klabish (*Jim Platt & Diane Dudek*)

Thursday, August 5, 2021

8:00am *St. Symphorosa Church*

†Mary & Phil Deluca (*Deluca Family*)

†Mary Gleason (*Friend*)

†Vince Porcelli (*Wife Judy*)

Friday, August 6, 2021

The Transfiguration of the Lord

8:00am *St. Symphorosa Church*

Health & birthday blessings for Mary Kolimas

(*Pat Soltis*)

†Rosaria Maria Dragosetti (*Elvira D. Starshak*)

Mass Intentions for Saturday & Sunday

Saturday, August 7, 2021

8:00am *St. Symphorosa Church*

Health & 90th birthday blessings for

Mary Kolimas (*Arlene Scaletta*)

†Angela Uram (*Auntie Bas Rendak*)

†Lorraine Gorniak (*Family*)

†Aurora Lopez & Lupe Hernandez

(*Almendarez Family*)

5:30pm *St. Symphorosa Church*

Presider: Fr. Bob

Health & birthday blessings for Mary Kolimas

(*Good Buddy*)

†Thomas McGrath (*Sage Family*)

†Janet & Steve Molnar (*Hohm Family*)

†Carol Frances Munoz - 30th Anniversary of

passing (*Robert Munoz*)

†Helen Peterson (*Her Children*)

Sunday, August 8, 2021

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30am *St. Rene Church*

Presider: Fr. Bob

†Marion Tulik (*Niemczyk Family*)

†Veronica Ann Ulrich (*Bernadine "Dina" Gnat*)

9:00am *St. Symphorosa Church*

Presider: Fr. Norm

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†Tom & Julie Dorencz (*Kathy Calcagno*)

†Mary Lou Madej (*Husband Ray Madej*)

†Janet & Steve Molnar (*Hohm Family*)

†Millie Newtoft (*Family*)

10:30am *St. Rene Church*

Presider: Fr. Bob

†Dominic Capparelli (*Sandi Lyen*)

†Ann Ulrich (*Marie Zilka*)

12:00pm *St. Symphorosa Church*

Presider: Fr. Matt

†Rosaria Maria & John Dragosetti (*Family*)

†James & Mary Eileen Rohan

(*Jim & Beatrice Rohan*)

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Let us pray...

Eternal Rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

Amen.

Conrad "Bob" Carrano

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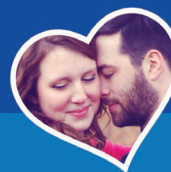
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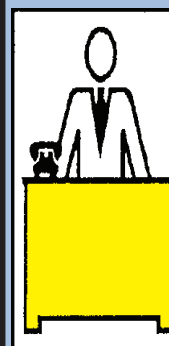
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