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### The Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ September 18, 2022

#### Gathering Hymn: I Sing the Mighty Power of God

I sing the mighty pow'r of God
That made the mountains rise,
That spread the flowing seas abroad,
And built the lofty skies.
I sing the wisdom that ordained
The sun to rule the day;
The moon shines full at God's command
And all the stars obey.

There's not a plant of flower below But makes your glories known; And clouds arise, and tempests blow, By order from your throne; While all that borrows life from you Is ever in your care, And ev'rywhere that I may be, O God, be present there.

#### Gloria:

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father. Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

#### First Reading: Amos 8:4-7

Hear this, you who trample upon the needy and destroy the poor of the land! "When will the new moon be over," you ask, "that we may sell our grain, and the sabbath, that we may display the wheat? We will diminish the ephah, add to the shekel, and fix our scales for cheating! We will buy the lowly for silver, and the poor for a pair of sandals; even the refuse of the wheat we will sell!" The LORD has sworn by the pride of Jacob: Never will I forget a thing they have done!

Responsorial Psalm: "Praise the Lord who lifts up the poor."

#### Second Reading: 1 Timothy 2:1-8

Beloved: First of all, I ask that supplications, prayers, petitions, and thanksgivings be offered for everyone, for kings and for all in authority, that we may lead a quiet and tranquil life in all devotion and dignity. This is good and pleasing to God our savior, who wills everyone to be saved and to come to knowledge of the truth. For there is one God. There is also one mediator between God and men, the man Christ Jesus, who gave himself as ransom for all. This was the testimony at the proper time. For this I was appointed preacher and apostle — I am speaking the truth, I am not lying —, teacher of the Gentiles in faith and truth.

It is my wish, then, that in every place the men should pray, lifting up holy hands, without anger or argument.

#### Gospel: Luke 16:1-13

Jesus said to his disciples, "A rich man had a steward who was reported to him for squandering his property. He summoned him and said, 'What is this I hear about you? Prepare a full account of your stewardship, because you can no longer be my steward.' The steward said to himself, 'What shall I do, now that my master is taking the position of steward away from me? I am not strong enough to dig and I am ashamed to beg. I know what I shall do so that, when I am removed from the stewardship, they may welcome me into their homes.' He called in his master's debtors one by one. To the first he said, 'How much do you owe my master?' He replied, 'One hundred measures of olive oil.' He said to him, 'Here is your promissory note. Sit down and quickly write one for fifty.' Then to another the steward said, 'And you, how much do you owe?' He replied, 'One hundred kors of wheat.' The steward said to him, 'Here is your promissory note; write one for eighty.' And the master commended that dishonest steward for acting prudently. "For the children of this world are more prudent in dealing with their own generation than are the children of light. I tell you, make friends for yourselves with dishonest wealth, so that when it fails, you will be welcomed into eternal dwellings. The person who is trustworthy in very small matters is also trustworthy in great ones; and the person who is dishonest in very small matters is also dishonest in great ones. If, therefore, you are not trustworthy with dishonest wealth, who will trust you with true wealth? If you are not trustworthy with what belongs to another, who will give you what is yours? No servant can serve two masters. He will either hate one and love the other, or be devoted to one and despise the other. You cannot serve both God and mammon."

#### The Nicene Creed:

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; Through him all things were made.

For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.

I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come.

Amen

#### Preparation of the Gifts: Come, My Way, My Truth, My Life

Come, my Way, my Truth, my Life: Such a way as gives us breath; Such a truth as ends all strife; Such a life as killeth death. Come, my Light, My Feast, my Strength: Such a light as shows a feast; Such a feast as mends in length; Such a strength as makes his guest.

Come, my Joy, my Love, my Heart: Such a joy as none can move; Such a love as none can part; Such a heart as joys in love.

#### Communion Hymn: Seed, Scattered and Sown

#### Refrain:

Seed scattered and sown, wheat gathered and grown Bread broken and shared as one the living Bread of God. Vine fruit of the land, wine works of our hands One cup that is share by all, the living cup The living bread of God.

Is not the bread we break a sharing in our Lord?
Is not the cup we bless the Blood of Christ out poured? Refrain

The seed which falls on rock will wither and will die.
The seed within good ground will flower and have life. *Refrain* 

As wheat upon the hills was gathered and was grown, so may the Church of God be gathered into one. *Refrain* 

#### Closing Hymn: Lead Me, Guide Me

Lead me, guide me, along the way, For if you lead me, I cannot stray. Lord, let me walk each day with thee. Lead me, oh Lord, lead me.

I am weak and I need thy strength and power To help me over my weakest hour. Help me through the darkness thy face to see, Lead me, oh Lord, lead me.

Lead me, guide me, along the way, For if you lead me, I cannot stray. Lord, let me walk each day with thee. Lead me, oh Lord, lead me.

Thank you for worshipping with us today.

Please review our Bulletin on the ensuing pages.

Go to our website, www.stjulia.org, for more information.

Have a blessed week!

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#### MASS TIMES

Saturday Vigil: 4:00pm—St. Julia Church 8:00am—St. Joseph Church Sunday:

> 9:30am—St. Julia Church 11:30am—St. Julia Church 5:00pm—St. Joseph Church

Daily Mass: Monday-Thursday

8:00am—St. Julia Church

Wednesday

5:30pm-St. Joseph Church

All Masses taking place in St. Julia Church are live streamed—www.stjulia.org

#### **COVID-19 PROTOCOLS UPDATE!**

We are now mask optional in all aspects of Church life. We will continue to offer social distancing seating in St. Julia Church.

OFFICE HOURS 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM. Monday through Friday.

#### RECONCILIATION

Parish Center Conference Room, Saturday: 3:00-3:45 PM

#### ANOINTING OF THE SICK

By request after the 4:00 PM Saturday Mass; or contact Parish Office.

#### **EUCHARIST AND VISITS TO THE SICK**

Contact Parish Office to notify of anyone ill, homebound or hospitalized.

#### ROSARY ON ZOOM

After each daily Mass; ask for link at charrington@stjulia.org.

#### **BAPTISM**

Please contact the Parish Office in advance to make arrangements.

BULLETIN NOTICES should be proposed, by e-mail if possible, to the Parish Office by Monday morning: parish@stjulia.org.

#### THE MISSION OF SAINT JULIA PARISH

We, the parishioners of Saint Julia Parish, seek to live our belief in Christ as we worship and serve Him according to His example and teachings. With appreciation of the diverse gifts of our individual members, we strive to gain the participation of each parishioner and work to ensure that everyone feels welcome in our community of faithful. We do this while mindful of God's love for us and the power of His Spirit that makes us holy, heals our brokenness and sustains us in all the good we do. We are committed in the spirit of Christian stewardship

to share generously our time, talent, and treasure.

#### ~ Parish Life ~

Readings for the Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: Amos 6:1a, 4-7

Psalm: 146:7, 8-9, 9-10

Second Reading: 1 Timothy 6:11-16

Gospel: Luke 16:19-31



Eucharistic Adoration takes place on Fridays in St. Julia Church from Noon—1:00 pm.

#### Mass Intentions for this week:

Sat., 9/17	4PM	Ruth Mary Donahue
Sun., 9/18	MA8	David & Patricia Tye &
		Family (Living)
Sun., 9/18	5PM	Ruth Satori
Tues., 9/20	8AM	Leo & Helen Bibinski
Wed., 9/21	8AM	Bob Duffy Sr.
Sat., 9/24	4PM	Nicholas Samuels
Sun., 9/25	MA8	Nancy Murphy
Sun., 9/25	11:30AM	Patricia Sennott

Dr. John Wells & Ann

**Wells Athanas** 

5PM

#### **Supporting Our Parish's Mission**

Sun.. 9/25

Weekend of 8/27 and 8/28 = \$6,958.00 Weekend of 9/03 and 9/04 = \$6,514.00 Weekend of 9/10 and 9/11 = \$8935.00



**Faith Formation Registration** Forms for 2022-2023 can be found now on our website, in the back of our churches, and outside the Faith Formation Office in the Parish Center. Register your students for Grades 1-HS/Confirmation today! Details for days and times are on the form.

Sunday classes for Grades 1-8 start on October 2nd. Monday classes for Grades 1-5 start on October 3rd. Sunday classes for High School/Confirmation Prep start on October 16th.

#### A CATECHIST FOR GRADE 3 SUNDAY MORNINGS STILL NEEDED!

Please contact Cindy Harrington at charrington@stjulia.org if able to serve!

A big huge "Thank you!" to the following people who have volunteered to serve our children:

Grade 1: Sunday—Mr. Michael Kearny; Monday, Mrs. Mary Jane McGovern

Grade 2: Sunday—Ms. Nimmi Trapasso & Ms. Tara Gauthier; Ms. Beth and Ms. Norah Callahan; Monday—Mr. Richard Cowgill

Grade 3: Sunday—Needed!; Monday—Ms. Martha MacDonald

Grade 4: Sunday and Monday—Seminarian Bob Rooney

Grade 5: Sunday—Ms. Donna Scipione; Monday—Seminarian Deacon Bob Hennekes

Grade 6: Sunday—Ms. Susan Ridge and Ms. Kristen Lamoreau

Grades 7 & 8: Sunday—Seminarian Deacon Bob Hennekes and Ms. Janis Pochini

High School: Sunday—Seminarian Deacon Bob Hennekes and Ms. PJ Enzmann

#### ~ Catholic Life ~

### **Clergy Benefit Trust**

Second Collection: Next weekend, September 24-25, there will be a special collection for the Clergy Trust Fund. This fund supports the health and well-being of our aged and retired Priests who have served throughout our Archdiocese. Envelopes are available at the back of the Church.

Thank you in advance for your assistance and caring for our elderly Clergy

### **Bible Study Returns!**

A study on **Psalms, Part 1** will take place on Tuesday mornings, September 13-October 25, from 9:00-11:00 am in the Parish Center Hall, Weston. Psalms were originally sung by the Hebrew people as a way of expressing their feelings to God in a prayerful way.



This study is being organized by Alpheen Menachery—to reserve a space, contact us at charrington@stjulia.org.

"Coats for Kids" On Thursday, September 22, the Knights of Columbus, council #14710; Our Lady's Waltham, will be holding their 2nd Annual Fundraiser at the Chateau Restaurant in Waltham. 20% of all monies spent in the restaurant (dine in, take out or delivery) will be given to the Knights of Columbus but you MUST mention "Knights of Columbus" or Coats for Kids.



St. Julia's local St. Vincent de Paul families have benefitted from this fund raiser.

INTERNATIONAL DAY OF PEACE Wednesday, Sept. 21st 5—6 PM Weston Public Library

The COA Social Justice Group will host a panel discussion on this year's theme, End Racism. Build Peace. Moderator, Selectperson Laurie A. Bent, Panelists: Reverend Alicia Velez Stewart & Reverend James M. Hairston. To register please call 781-786-6280.



#### SNEAKER DRIVE THANK YOU!

WE DID IT! We sent just over 100 pairs of sneakers to the children in Dorchester to start school with happy feet. Thank you so much for your caring and your generosity. Thank you!





#### SAVE THE DATE

When: September 28, 2022 6pm—10pm

What: Annual Lawn Party

Where: Pope St. John XXIII National Seminary 558 South Avenue, Weston, MA 02493 Visit the website for more details: www.psjs.edu



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