



St. Clare Parish

July 17, 2022

*A Catholic Community guided by the Holy Spirit
to proclaim Christ's love in worship, service and life-long learning*

Church

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Director	Nancy Melzer
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Sacraments - Please visit www.saintclarechurch.org for more information on sacramental preparation.

Weekend & Daily Mass Schedule

Saturday - 5pm
Sunday - 8:30am & 10:45am
Weekdays except Tuesdays - 8:30am
Holy Days - 8:30am, 12pm & 7pm

Visit www.saintclarechurch.org to view our pre-recorded Sunday Mass.

Reconciliation Saturdays from 4pm - 4:30pm in the church or by appointment. Contact Fr. Don Gutmann.

Matrimony Six month preparation required. Contact Deacon Bill McNamara.

Baptism for Infants Contact Deacon Bill McNamara.

Faith Formation & Sacramental Preparation for Adults, Teens & Children Contact Kim Zea.

A Warm Welcome To All Who Worship with Us

Whether you are a long-time parishioner and need to update your information or newly arrived in the parish and not yet registered, please complete the information below and place in the offertory basket or mail to the parish office.

Name: _____ Phone: () _____

Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____

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| <input type="checkbox"/> New Parishioner | <input type="checkbox"/> Returning Catholic | <input type="checkbox"/> Moving (please remove from parish directory) |
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Weekly Reflection

16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 17, 2022



We become a welcoming person when we can step aside from our own needs and desires to create space for someone else. Welcoming involves a quality of listening and presence that communicates to another person that what they are sharing and who they are have importance. When we shift attention and focus from ourselves and direct it toward someone else, positive things can happen. When someone knows that their story matters, it can be life changing and life-giving. Hospitality brings forth life and celebrates relationships. Whether we are actively tending to the business of serving the needs of others or opening ourselves to listening to their story, devotion and attentiveness are friends of love. Becoming anxious and preoccupied with one's personal agenda leaves no room for the creative, nurturing and spontaneous power of God's love. ©LPI

Fr. Don's Musings . . .

Our big annual St. Clare Campout is happening this weekend. Great stuff! Last year, the outdoor Campout Mass was my highlight of the year. The Campout is a great tradition. About 50 parish families spend several days together in a beautiful setting at the beach, we eat too much of each other's good camp cooking, we play together, and have a nice relaxed atmosphere to get to know each other while the kids are busy riding their bikes or making sand castles or... We have some organized activities for those who want to participate and we have lots of free time. We have planned a rocket launch, bike parade, star party, bonfire, and, of course, Mass at the amphitheater.

Six years ago when I first came to the parish, the campout was just three weeks after my arrival. It was a perfect opportunity for me to meet lots of parish families. We are a big enough church that I can't know everyone as well as I'd like to, but the campout certainly gives me the opportunity to get to know lots more of our great parishioners.

Special thanks to Jessica Leahy and Christina Reilly for co-chairing the campout again this year. They put a lot of energy into making it a fun time for everyone.

Enjoy summer and God bless you! ~ Fr. Don

Week-at-a-Glance

Saturday, July 16

4:00pm Confessions Church

5:00pm Vigil Mass Church

Sunday, July 17

8:30am Mass *For the People* Church

10:45am Mass *+Marie Hong Tran* Church

Monday, July 18

8:30am Daily Mass Church

Wednesday, July 20

8:30am Daily Mass Church

Thursday, July 21

8:30am Daily Mass Church

Friday, July 22

8:30am Daily Mass *+Fr. Bob Barricks* Church

Saturday, July 23

4:00pm Confessions Church

5:00pm Vigil Mass Church

Sunday, July 24

8:30am Mass *For the People* Church

10:45am Mass Church

St. Clare Preschool

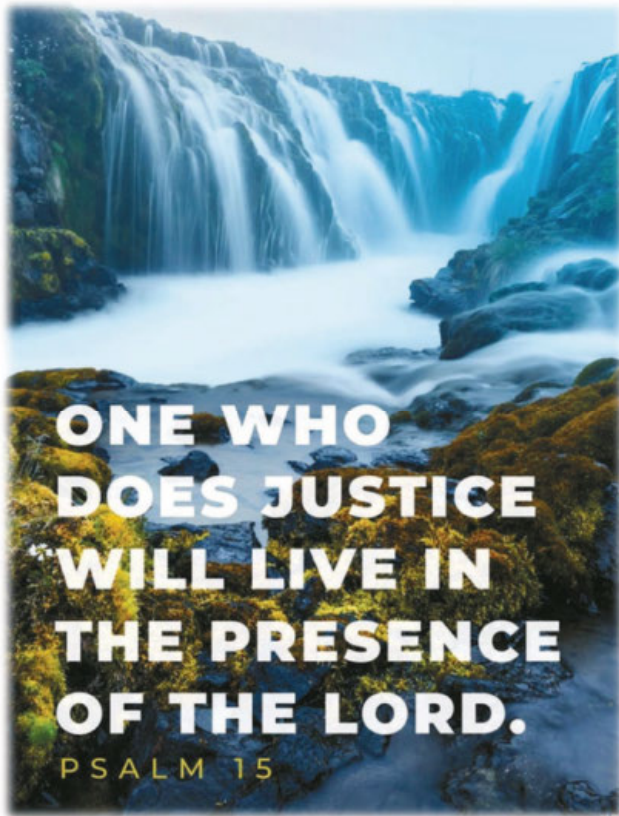
*Congratulations and Thank You
to Nancy Melzer, Teachers, and Staff
of St. Clare Preschool!*



The St. Clare Preschool opened on July 7, 1997 and has been making a positive impact on the lives of hundreds of our youngest community members (0-5) and their families across four decades of love, care and service!

"Well done, good and faithful servants."

MT 25:23



**ONE WHO
DOES JUSTICE
WILL LIVE IN
THE PRESENCE
OF THE LORD.**

PSALM 15

Outreach

The St. Clare Conference Society of St. Vincent de Paul

Food Pantry Needs

- Regular-size Personal Hygiene Items:
Deodorant, Shampoo, and Toothpaste

Donations may be placed in the food baskets at the church or on the front porch of the parish office.

Please check dates to ensure foods have not expired.

Scripture Readings

17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 24, 2022

Reading 1 - GN 18:20-32

Psalms - PS 138:1-2, 2-3, 6-7, 7-8

Reading 2 - COL 2:12-14

Gospel - LK 11:1-13

For daily readings, please visit www.usccb.org

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PICK OF THE WEEK

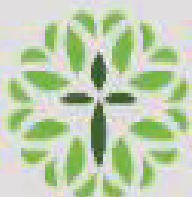
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GIVEN FORUM TALKS: EDUCATING ON THE NATURE AND DIGNITY OF WOMEN BY KATHERINE MEEKS

This week we celebrate Mary Magdalene, the most well-known woman in the Gospel accounts besides Christ's holy mother. In honor of this great saint and disciple, enjoy this presentation on the nature and dignity of women by Katherine Meeks. In her talk, Katherine shares how she chose to pursue a mission-driven life for Christ.



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