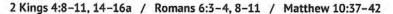
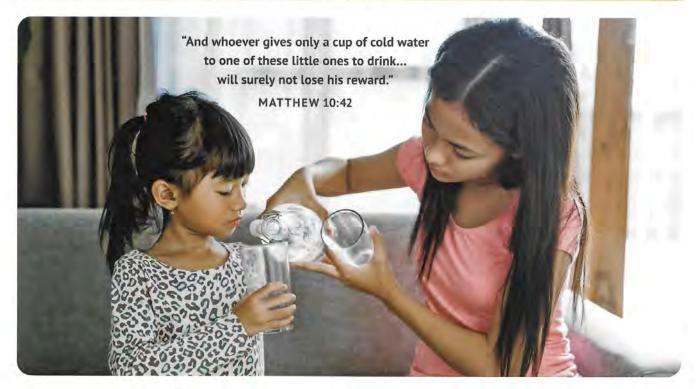
Our Parish

July 2, 2023

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (A)







The Statue of Hospitality

FR. JOSEPH JUKNIALIS

welve score and seven years ago "our fathers brought forth, upon this continent, a new nation, conceived in liberty, and dedicated to the proposition that all men are created equal," as Abraham Lincoln once reminded us. This week we as a nation once again mark that new beginning, we who have inherited its blessings as a gift generously bestowed upon us by those who have gone before us, a gift not deserved but nevertheless ours, a gift we do not own, yet pass on to generations to come, a gift we eagerly share.

Hospitality is something to extend to those who come to our doors; it is also something we can extend to those who come to our shores. It seems worthwhile then, especially this week and amid so many disagreements over

immigration, to revisit the words inscribed at the base of the Statue of Liberty written by the poet Emma Lazarus and inscribed in our psyche as a nation. It serves as a vision of who we are, perhaps as much as does our Constitution.

Give me your tired, your poor, Your huddled masses yearning to breathe free, The wretched refuse of your teeming shore.

Send these, the homeless, tempest-tost to me; I lift my lamp beside the golden door!

The woman at Shunem offered Elisha the prophet hospitality, and she was blessed. Jesus promised that those who offer the hospitality of a cup of cold water will be blessed. Surely then, any nation that welcomes others in hospitality will be blessed as well.

Reflect

What role does hospitality play in your spirituality?



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JULY I & 2,2023

CONFESSION: SATURDAY 3:00 - 3:30 AND BY APPOINTMENT ONLY, PLEASE CALL THE CHURCH OFFICE SUNDAY MASS IS AVAILABLE ON LIVESTREAM

> www.facebook.com/sacredheartprincetonSacred Heart Princeton (@shprinceton) • Instagram photos and videos Office Hours: Mon - Thu 9 am - 2 pm

Mass Intentions:

Saturday, July 1, 4pm - & Fr. Gregory Lyttle by Church

Sunday, July 2, 11am - ♣ Reed Wheeby by Yvonne & Kirt Suehs

Tuesday, July 4, 6pm - Tor the United States of America

Thursday, July 6, Noon - & Deceased Members of Sacred Heart

Saturday, July 8, 4pm - 🕆 Willie Constantino by Virginia Manley

Sunday, July 9, 11am - & Abel Bravo by Rick & Laura Wyatt

Upcoming Church Events

Fri, Jun 30, Silent Adoration (Princeton)

Tue, Jul 4, Independence Day

Fri, Jul 7, First Friday

Sun, Jul 9, 6:00 pm Homebound Ministry

Training

Tue, Jul 11, 6:45 pm Parish Council Meeting

Fri, Jul 14, Silent Adoration (Bluefield)

Tues, Jul 25, No Mass., Fr. Sebastian at

tribunal training

Fri, Jul 21, Silent Adoration (Princeton) Sat, Aug 5, 7:00 am Altar Society Yard Sale

Tue, Jul 18, 6:30 pm Finance Council Meeting

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Homebound Ministry Training

Sunday, July 9th at 6pm meeting for those interested. If you have any questions please contact Gina Boggess.

Buds and Blossoms Garden Committee

We are in need of individuals who love flowers and love serving God. Behind every successful garden is a dedicated team of individuals willing to make a commitment to planning, planting, and maintaining it. While excellent soil and plants may be important to laying the foundation for a good garden, dedicated people are essential to maintaining and keeping our prayer garden beautiful and inspiring! Our Buds and Blossoms garden committee is the sunshine, water, and nutrients that will help make our garden grow.

Please contact our church office is you are interested.



Danika	Morales	2	William	Larkin	11
Darcie	Green	3	Jun	Dumapit	13
Heidi	Green	6	Donna	Richardson	13
Sandra	Lilly	7	Vivian	Gibson	14
Alan	Rieger	7	Logan	Angell	15
Stasia	Knox	8	Joseph	Colosi	15
Ralph	Modena	8	Linda	Modena	19
Aria	Romano	9	Donald	Roberts	22
Julito	Sultan	9	Grace	Mercado	25
Amy	Williams	9	Katherine	Thompson	25
Kendall	Wyatt	9	Robert	Faulds	26
Kelli	Roberts	10	Razelle	Muscari	27



1-Jul Mary & John Choate4-Jul Veronica & Jose Pons



Rest in Peace
FR. GREGORY
LYTTLE

We extend our deepest sympathy to the Lyttle family.

Fr. Gregory Lyttle

has passed away. May our Lord comfort and send you all the angels and saints, peace to all who mourn, and may Fr. Lyttle rest eternally in the arms of Jesus and the company of all the angels and saints. Funeral arrangements pending.





Schedule:

<u>Faith Formation</u>
(Activities)

Jul 10, 13, 18, 20

Youth Sunday:

Youth Ministry:
Jul 16
Aug 20

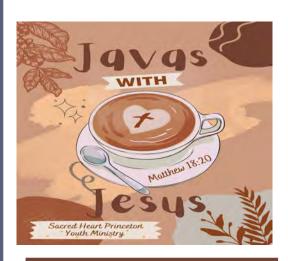
Prayer of Saint Gertrude the Great

Eternal Father, I offer Thee the Most Precious Blood of Thy Divine Son, Jesus, in union with the Masses said throughout the world today, for all the holy Souls in Purgatory, for sinners everywhere, for sinners in the Universal Church, those in my own home and within my family. Amen.

www.scborromeo.org/



Youth Ministry



Bible study nights with our Teens

Will resume July 12

Reach out to Lorin for details and

to RSVP:

540-529-6495.



Sunday, July 16th Following Mass

Details to follow!

We hope to see you there!!

We will carpool to the Modena home after Mass. This is a family social event, siblings and parents are welcome to join.

Reach out to Lorin for details and to RSVP:

540-529-6495.

Women's Prayer Group

Thursday's at 10:15 am in the conference room

Men's Group

First and Third Thursday of the month at 10 am in the Narthex



Are you searching for.....

A deeper relationship with God? A sense of belonging in a faith community?

Do you have questions about the Catholic Faith and are not Catholic? Are you a Christian who wants to learn more about Catholicism? Has God been calling you to consider the Catholic Christian Faith?

If you answered "Yes" to any of these questions please join us!

Sunday, July 16 @ 9:45 am Sunday, August 13 @ 9:45 am

Contact Laura Wyatt at 304-425-3664 or lwyatt@sacredheartpinceton.org

This week on Formed



Maria Goretti: The Story of the Patroness of Modern Youth

Learn more about the holy life and martyrdom of St. Maria Goretti in this moving documentary. In particular, the film highlights her ultimate act of love: forgiving her murderer on her deathbed.

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An offering from the AUGUSTINF INSTITUTE and Bignatius press



Based on the Book of Ephesians, Fearless and Free Bible study focuses on healing and wholeness. Author Lisa Brenninkmeyer designed this Bible study for any woman confronting the reality that life isn't easy. When suffering slams into you and leaves you reeling, or you feel great one day and down on the mat the next, turn to this Scripture study.

In these six compassionate lessons, you'll learn how just the right passages in Scripture can waken you to the reality of who you are in Christ. You'll be coached as you wrestle with the battle in your mind and finally, be strengthened as the warrior to reclaim your footing and move forward in life, grounded in the truth of Scripture. This is not about surviving; it's about flourishing in Christ's love.

Use the participant guide to explore the transforming power of God's unconditional love. Most women experience Walking with Purpose Bible studies in small group communities through parish-based programs, virtual groups, or home groups. Fearless and Free | Walking With Purpose - FORMED



13th Sunday of Ordinary Time Music for July 1 & 2, 2023

Mass of Christ the Savior Mass Readings on pg. 300 Word & Eucharist

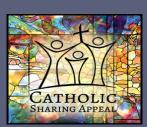
Entrance: G903 "Baptized in Water"

Responsorial Psalm: For Ever I Will Sing

Presentation of Gifts: G777 "Here I Am, Lord"

Communion: G783 "Unless a Grain of Wheat"

Closing Hymn: G984 "America the Beautiful"



Goal: \$19,510 Raised: \$12,595 Gifts: 34 65% of Goal

Offerings

	weekend Jun	YTD	YTD	
	24-25	Actual	Budget	
Envelopes	3,050.00	84,866.60	84,000.00	
Loose Offertory	299.00	3,961.10	2,500.00	
Total Contributions	\$ 3,349.00	\$ 88,827.70	\$ 86,500.00	
Fund Raisers - Kroger	242.50	853.28	500.00	
Tender Mercies	10.00	1,305.00	1,500.00	
Attendance:	4pm: 60	11am: 125		

Parish Council

Deb LaMothe (Chair)	Vickie Blankenship
Harold Cofer	Gerry Cosgrove
Mike Flanigan	Renee Green
Anthony Heltzel	Zack Romano
Santina St. John	
Ad Hoc:	Gina Boggess
Kim Hickman	Laura Wyatt
Susie Pace	Lorin Albin

Finance Council

Charlie Pace (Chair)	Gina Boggess
Richard Flanigan	Kevin Garrett
Shelby Neri	Gene Richardson
Frank Sinicrope	Fred St. John
Kirt Suehs	
Ad Hoc:	Kim Hickman

July Ministry Schedule

DATE	Lector	Extraordinary Minister	Greeter	Video	Altar Server	Counter
July 1 4 pm	J Gaspersich	<u>K Bailey</u> T Byron V Manley	M Gaspersich	N/A	C Pace	S Pace
July 2 11 am	G Boggess	<u>M Flanigan</u> G Richardson K Hickman	S Neri	W Picknally	T Byron	
July 8 4 pm	M Bacho	<u>V Manley</u> K Bailey C Pace	F Bacho	N/A	T Bryon	J Cosgrove
July 9 11am	J Cox	<u>L Wyatt</u> M Cox M Albin	Wyatt	W Picknally	M Tupta Ja Flanigan Jo Flanigan	
July 15 4 pm	M Tinio	M Flanigan K Bailey V Manley	M Gaspersich	N/A	C Pace	J Choate
July 16 11 am	C Cofer	D Richardson H Cofer M Shay	Blankenship	W Picknally	M Tupta <u>A</u> Albin M Rieger	
July 22 4 pm	G Saffell	<u>K Bailey</u> V Manley TBA	C Prox	N/A	C Pace	T Settle
July 23 11 am	D LaMothe	K Suehs Y Suehs W Picknally	J Hickman	K Hickman	D Richardson A Coleman A Rieger	
July 29 4 pm	M Gaspersich	<u>V Manley</u> K Bailey TBA	J Gaspersich	N/A	C Pace	S Pace
July 30 11 am	L Albin	A Heltzel G Cosgrove J Cosgrove	S Neri	W Picknally	T Byron G Kaklis E Coleman	

Please include the following in your Daily Prayers

Parishioners:

Catherine Belcher Ruth Boyd Deloris Caccamo Ron Ciccolini Romulo DelaRosa Dale & Mary Lu Geiger

Angie Grbac

Cynthia & Gordon Harmon

Cyndi Jones Nancy Larkin Valarie Laxton Christina Laxton Robert Laxton Kaitlyn Laxton Keith Laxton Jim Lintz

Jim & Diane Luciano
Fr. Greg Lyttle
Jaelynn Mendoza
Annette Morgan
Dr. Jun Neri
Patricia Nester

Esther Piconi Alan Rieger Vivian Romano Deborah Saffell Jacob Santon Gareth Settle Felomina Yongque Carrie Yurkovich Jane Walthall



Friends and Family

.Linda Berghof (mother of Jackie Mercado)

Mary Berentes,

Lou Berentes (friend of Monica Mills)

John Bowers

John Caccamo (brother of Pat)

Rita Calhoun (Aunt of Tanya Marx)

Irene Charney

Regina Church (friend of Monica Mills)

Judy Clayton (sister of Loretta Lintz)

Linda Cunningham

Kimiko Fettro (friend of Bill Picknally)

David Frei & Mary Piper (son-in-law & daughter of Carrie Yurkovich)

Kyle Geiger Mike Goff

Patricia Gupton (daughter of Jim Cosgrove)

Myles Harris Velma Hartwell

Wylie Rae Henson (Kay Bailey's granddaughter)

Brenda Ivelise

Ruby Jones (Aunt of Rachel Colosi)

Langan Family

Lucas Llado (grandson of Maria Franco)

Richard Lockhart

John Mills (brother of Gary Mills)

Sandy Morefield (friend of Gaspersich family)

Tina Mullins (friend of Tanya Marx)

Wayne Mullins (brother of Delores Caccamo)

Carolyn Munther (mother of Lisa Black)

Susan Nelson (Bill Picknally's daughter),

Rex Neely Agnes Sedi

Sherry Sisk

Bryan Staten

Agnes Tokarski (Bill Picknally's sister) Jamie Willoughby (niece of Sharon Buttaci)

Richard Wentz (brother in law of Rick &Laura Wyatt)

In case of an emergency and a priest is needed, please call:

The Parish Office (304) 425-3664

Bluefield Parish Office (304) 327-5623

Kim Hickman (304) 920-2440

In case of Illness: Please call the parish office to let us know if you, a family member, or a parishioner is sick. We can place your name on the prayer list. If requested, Fr. Sebastian will arrange for distributing Holy Communion in the home.

Nursing homes, rehabilitation centers and anyone who is hospitalized are not permitted to contact the church. If someone you know is in the hospital, please call the church office.

In case of serious or life threatening sickness or the actively dying: The church should be contacted as soon as possible. People deserve the opportunity to confess their sins, profess their faith, be anointed, and receive Holy Communion – the foretaste and pledge of eternal life. PLEASE don't wait until after the person is unconscious or so sedated that he or she cannot communicate. It is imperative with current situations, that there be enough time for Fr. to go through the appropriate protocol to visit the actively dying.

Dear Padre,

How do we serve everyone in a culturally diverse parish?

In the past it was common to have parishes dedicated to different ethnic groups where such populations were concentrated. In 2010. the US bishops found that 33 percent of all US parishes were culturally diverse, and that's perhaps using a narrow understanding of diversity. Then in 2014, they published Best Practices for Shared Parishes: So That They May All Be One, in which they outline a ninemovement process for creating an inclusive parish. The term "shared parishes" describes parish communities in which two or more languages or cultural contexts are present in the ministerial life of



a parish. The fact that there are nine movements is notable. It means that we slowly move toward inclusiveness; we don't simply present a Mass in Spanish and think the job is done.

This brings to mind a parishioner in a parish I served in the Mississippi Delta. This was indeed a "shared parish." with a large African-American population, a significant Spanish-speaking population, and an elderly population of white Americans who expected a more "traditional" Mass with familiar hymns. Rosemary was an Italian-American whose family had lived in the area since the beginning of the nineteenth century. She served as the parish's director of education. Rosemary made it her practice to attend every Mass to welcome people and make them feel at home. She was the perfect example of the first movement toward serving everyone in a shared parish: hospitality.

Fr. Patrick Keyes, CSsR / DearPadre.org

Do you have a question for the Padre?

Go to DearPadre.org to send your question and to learn more about Dear Padre.

MONDAY July 3 St. Thomas,	TUESDAY July 4 Weekday	WEDNESDAY July 5 Weekday	THURSDAY July 6 Weekday	FRIDAY July 7 Weekday	SATURDAY July 8 Weekday	SUNDAY July 9 Fourteenth
Apostle	Gn 19:15-29	Gn 21:5, 8-20a	Gn 22:1b-19	Gn 23:1-4, 19;	Gn 27:1-5,	Sunday in
Eph 2:19-22	Mt 8:23-27	Mt 8:28-34	Mt 9:1-8	24:1-8, 62-67	15-29	Ordinary Time
Jn 20:24-29				Mt 9:9-13	Mt 9:14-17	Zec 9:9-10
						Rom 8:9, 11-13
						Mt 11:25-30



A WORD FROM POPE FRANCIS

Millions of people came to this land to pursue their dream of building a future in freedom. We, the people of this continent, are not fearful of foreigners, because most of us were once foreigners. I say this to you as the son of immigrants, knowing that so many of you are also descended from immigrants.

ADDRESS TO US CONGRESS, WASHINGTON, DC, SEPTEMBER 24, 2015

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