



**SHRINE CHURCH OF
OUR LADY OF THE AMERICAS**
A MISSION OF BLESSED SACRAMENT PARISH

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Sunday, July 10, 2022

Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

♪ *He who does justice will live in the presence of the Lord.* ♪



MASS INTENTIONS

July 10

9:30 am English Mass

12:00 pm Spanish Mass

✠ *Ernesto Barrios Ramirez*

by his wife, children and grandchildren

July 17

9:30 am English Mass

12:00 pm Spanish Mass

SHARING OUR TREASURE

~ Giving as an act of Worship ~

We need at least \$2,750.00 per week in the collections to break even, not counting unexpected maintenance costs.

Information from July 3, 2022

Regular Offertory: \$1890

If you are unable to attend Mass, please mail checks to 274 Sherman St., Albany, NY 12206. *Do not mail cash.*

To View Masses Online:

Go to the Live Mass on Facebook for All Masses held at the Shrine Church

<https://www.facebook.com/shrinechurchofourladyoftheamericas/>

Do you know of any homebound parishioners that would like to receive a copy of the bulletin and Father O'Connor's homily? Contact Michael Fredette at mfredette103@gmail.com or at 518-465-3685.

DIRECTORY

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Deadline: Wednesdays@ Noon to:

Claire, cbnolou@gmail.com- July

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sunday, July 10, 2022

Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

He who does justice will live in the presence of the Lord.

Sunday, July 17, 2022

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Turn to the Lord in your need, and you will live.

LECTIO DIVINA

English: <https://catholic.bible/category/lectio-divina/>

Spanish: <https://catholic.bible/lectio-divina-en-espanol/>

Readings for Sunday, July 17

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: Deuteronomy 30:10-14

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 69:14, 17, 30-31, 33-34, 36-37

Second Reading: Colossians 1:15-20

Gospel: St. Luke 10:25-37

Mission Statement

"We are a vibrant, welcoming, multi-cultural Catholic community in the heart of the City of Albany celebrating and ministering the presence of Jesus with our parishioners and neighbors."

The Sacraments: Eucharist



Jesus gives himself to us in the Eucharist as spiritual nourishment because he loves us. By eating the Body and drinking the Blood of Christ in the Eucharist, we become united to the person of Christ through his humanity. "Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood remains in me and I in him" (John 6:56). In being united to the humanity of Christ, we are at the same time united to his divinity. Our mortal and corruptible natures are transformed by being joined to the source of life. The transformed bread and wine are truly the Body and Blood of Christ and are not merely symbols. When Christ said "This is my body" and "This is my blood," the bread and wine are transubstantiated. Though the bread and wine appear the same to our human faculties, they are actually the real body and blood of Jesus.

~ *United States Catholic Catechism for Adults*

Diocese of Albany launches first ever billboard campaign: **Are you lost?** The Roman Catholic Diocese of Albany is here for you! As we journey through life, there are highs and lows; there are triumphs and sorrows, but through it all - we are not alone. Joshua 1:9 states, "*Be strong and courageous; do not be frightened or dismayed, for the Lord your God is with you wherever you go.*" With Covid, many of us lived through two years of isolation, which was very difficult for people. Our churches became ghost towns and now we are looking to bring back our parishioners. **We are looking to reinstitute our "Coffee and Conversation" again so we can get reacquainted with our church family.** Volunteers are needed, see Fr. O'Connor.

Save the dates our 35th annual parish weekend at **Pyramid Life Center is August 19-21.** Registration is open. If you have any photos of past years you are willing to share for a video of our 35 years, you can give them to Don Klose or email them to dklose@nycap.rr.com. We hope to see you there!!

CHILDREN'S CORNER



Cursillo 3-Day Weekends - Cursillo is a movement of the Church that promotes Catholic ideals, fellowship, and spiritual growth in daily living. It provides an opportunity to deepen your Catholic faith, and to experience the love of God within a supportive and prayerful community. The Catholic Cursillo Movement is hosting two upcoming weekend encounters: **for men, August 25-28, 2022, and for women, September 29-October 2, 2022.** For more information, please contact Rich Athens at (518) 482-2446 or email richathens@gmail.com. Visit www.albanycursillo.org.

Saint Kateri Tekakwitha Family Fellowship Festa
Thursday, July 14 at 6:00 pm
Aurisville Shrine Visitor Center

Bring yourselves and your family - there is a \$10 Goodwill Contribution per family. Pizza, drinks and snacks provided. RSVP with Eric Mazzone at 518-487-9307.

NEW TO THE PARISH? WELCOME! OR HAVE A CHANGE OF ADDRESS OR PHONE NUMBER?
Please fill in your information below and drop in the collection. Date: _____

Name: _____ () I am new to the parish.

Address: _____ () Send me "The Evangelist".

Phone: _____ Email: _____ () Please send church envelopes.