



SHRINE CHURCH OF OUR LADY OF THE AMERICAS

A MISSION OF BLESSED SACRAMENT PARISH

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Sunday, September 11, 2022

Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

♪ *I will rise and go to my father.* ♪



MASS INTENTIONS

September 11

9:30 am English Mass

✠ *Molly and Joseph Fitzgerald* by Don Arnold

12:00 pm Spanish Mass

September 18

9:30 am English Mass

✠ *Ted and Ethel Hepp* by Don Arnold

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 September 4, 2022

Regular Offertory: \$1585

Regular Offertory (Assumption): \$1

Catholic Home Mission: \$21

Total: \$1607

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/>

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."

DIRECTORY

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BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS & ATTACHMENTS:

Deadline: Wednesdays@ Noon to:

Claire, cbnolou@gmail.com - September

MASS INTENTIONS: *Tammy Crasto* (518) 229-7345

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sunday, September 11, 2022

Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

I will rise and go to my father.

Sunday, September 18, 2022

Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Praise the Lord who lifts up the poor.

LECTIO DIVINA

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

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

Sunday, September 18, 2022

Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: Amos 8:4-7

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 113:1-2, 4-6, 7-8

Second Reading: 1 Timothy 2:1-8

Gospel: St. Luke 16:1-13

If you would like a **copy of Father O'Connor's homily** to reflect on during the week please provide your name and email address on the sign up sheet after mass or send an email to mfredette103@gmail.com.

Hospital Visits:

If you or someone you know is in the hospital, let hospital admissions know that you are a Catholic and what your parish is. Then Father O'Connor or another priest can visit and bring communion to you.

The Sacraments: Matrimony



Sacred Scripture begins with the creation and union of man and woman and ends with "the wedding feast of the Lamb" (Rev 19:7, 9). Scripture often refers to marriage, its origin and purpose, the meaning God gave to it, and its renewal in the covenant made by Jesus with his Church. Man and woman were created for each other. By their marriage, the couple witnesses Christ's spousal love for the Church. One of the Nuptial Blessings in the liturgical celebration of marriage refers to this in saying, "Father, you have made the union of man and wife so holy a mystery that it symbolizes the marriage of Christ and his Church." The Sacrament of Marriage is a covenant, which is more than a contract. Covenant always expresses a relationship between persons. The marriage covenant refers to the relationship between the husband and wife, a permanent union of persons capable of knowing and loving each other and God. It is also a liturgical act, appropriately held in a public liturgy at church.

~ *United States Catholic Catechism for Adults*

Stewardship Prayer of St. Ignatius Loyola

*Take, Lord, and receive all my liberty,
my memory, my understanding and my entire will
– all that I have and call my own.*

You have given it all to me. To you, Lord, I return it.

Everything is yours; do with it what you will.

Give me only your love and your grace.

That is enough for me.

Youth Group Leaders Needed: Do you like having fun? Do you want the opportunity to change a kid's life (and have yours changed in return)? Then co-leading a youth group would be the perfect job for you. You'll work with 2-3 other adults to plan monthly activities for 12-20 years olds in our church community. We want to create an open and safe environment for our teens to learn about our faith, share their thoughts and develop a deeper relationship with Jesus. Contact Teresa Crasto-Donnelly at teresacrasto@gmail.com.

CHILDREN'S CORNER



Walk for Wildwood

Support our own Tim Klose and this great cause! See Tim to donate or go online to

<https://p2p.onecause.com/walkforwildwood>, click donate, find a participant, and pick Timothy Klose.

Registration for the Catechesis 2022—2023

If you are interested in signing up your child(ren) or want more information, please contact Confesora Franco, clovejesus@aol.com. We are asking for a donation for the books and materials of: \$30.00 for one child and \$50.00 per family with more than one child. The classes will begin this week. All are welcome!

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.