



15TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“A Samaritan traveler who came upon him was moved with compassion at the sight.” - Lk 10:33

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*O Sacred Heart, O Love Divine
Do keep us near to Thee
And make our love so like to Thine
That we may holy be*

[REFRAIN]

*Heart of Jesus, hear
O Heart of Love Divine
Listen to our prayer
Make us always Thine*



*O Temple pure, O House of gold
Our Heaven here below
What sweet delights, what wealth untold
From Thee do ever flow [REF]*

*Ungrateful hearts, forgetful hearts
The hearts of men have been
To wound Thy side with cruel darts
Which they have made by sin [REF]*

IN LOVING
MEMORY

† Altar wine and hosts at *Sacred Heart* for the month of *July* have been sponsored in loving memory of *Ann Downs* at the request of *Ron & Cathy Parry*.

† Altar wine and hosts at *Saint Cecilia* for the month of *July* have been sponsored in loving memory of *Karen Ford* at the request of *her husband Joey and family*.



Sat. July 12, 4:00 pm (SH)- † In loving memory of *Pat English*, requested by *Tom English*.

Sun. July 13, 9:00 am (SC)- † In loving memory of *Marie Cranker* on the anniversary of her passing, requested by *John & Sheila Cranker*.

Tues. July 15 thru Sun. July 20, 2025

Tue. July 15, 8:00 am (SH) - For the people of the parish.

Wed. July 16, 8:00 am (SC) - For the people of the parish.

Thurs. July 17 8:00 am (SH)- † In memory of *Madeline Rose Deering*, requested by *Katherine Downing*.

Fri. July 18, 8:00 am (SC) - † For the repose of the soul of *Eileen Show*, requested by *Ann & John Mahon*

Sat. July 19, 4:00 pm (SH)- For the casualties and the missing in the aftermath of the devastating floods across central Texas.

Sun. July 20, 9:00 am (SC)- 1.) † In loving memory of *Bailey Alexandria Field*, requested by *Mom, Dad & Sammy*.
2.) † In loving memory of *Sal Furnare*, 3 yrs passed, requested by his wife, *Michele*.

COLLECTIONS TOTALS - JULY 5/6

COLLECTIONS:	SH	SC
AMOUNT NEEDED	1589.00	1794.00
WEEKLY COLLECTION	1268.00	826.00
OTHER	60.00	225.00
PARISH TOTAL	1328.00	1051.00
ATTENDANCE	41	43

Second collections

July 12/13 - Repairs/Maintenance
July 26/27- Peter's Pence

**GOSPEL MEDITATION -
ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE**
July 13, 2025 - 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time Luke 10: 25-37

I used to be a bad neighbor. I'd get wrapped up in my life and ignore those around me. Then I found sage advice from Benjamin Franklin to this effect: to be a better neighbor, ask someone to do a favor for you. It's counterintuitive, isn't it? Tell strangers that I need their help? Yuck. I'll risk looking needy. Worse, I'll be indebted to them. But I tried it, and it works like a charm. Recently I asked my neighbor Alan for a hacksaw, and Inga for an egg. They kindly obliged, and our friendship is growing.

This week we hear a scribe of the law cynically ask Jesus, "And who is my neighbor?" (Luke 10:29). Like him, we prefer to keep the list of our "neighbors" as short as possible. It requires less interruption and inconvenience. But when Jesus tells the parable of the Good Samaritan, he exposes the lonely, cold-heartedness tendency of the scribe's (and our) heart. My "neighbor" is anyone I encounter who manifests a concrete need. There isn't time to require any other credential because human need opens us to the happy reciprocity which is love.

Jesus' words challenge us this week to ask a neighbor for help in some small way. How marvelous that God himself shows us how. He moves into our world and asks us to love Him with small deeds of love. Maybe that's where Ben Franklin got the idea.



-Father John Muir

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Lector/Eucharistic Ministers

July 12 (SH)	Cathy Parry Katherine Downing	July 19 (SH)	Mark Caffrey Chris Caffrey
July 13 (SC)	Kathy Marcais Bill Quinn	July 20 (SC)	Ann Mahon Dave Marcais

Counters Schedule

July 14 (SH)	Barbara Bilins Kathy Avery	July 21 (SH)	Noreen Brownell Katherine Downing
July 14 (SC)	Sandy Hayes Kathy Marcais	July 21 (SC)	Linda Coyne Margaret Smith

Food Pantry



July 23 (SC)	Andrea Moran Louise Carville Michele Furnare
Aug 6 (SH)	Barbara Bilins Wendy Hall



July 30 (SC) - Dianne, Kathleen, Ann

Sacred Heart Annual Ice Cream Social: Our annual Ice Cream Social will be held on Thursday, July 17th from 6pm-8pm. All are welcome, bring a friend.

Saint Cecilia Parking Fundraiser: Our final parking date this season is Friday, August 29 (fair, all day). Please call Kelly@ 518-774-7250 to volunteer. Thanks so much!

2025 Summer Connections: Please remember to send your summer fun pics to your parish, via Facebook or email. We want to include you in our bulletin and/or Facebook. If you prefer not to have your pictures shared, please let us know.

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Kateri Shrine Beautification: We are looking for volunteers to help keep our Kateri Shrine gardens and grounds looking clean and serene. Hours are flexible. Experience is welcome but not required. Please contact scridland@katherishrine.org if you are interested in helping out.

Diocese of Albany - Step Up Men's Conference 2025: Saturday, August 9 at St. Edward the Confessor Church, Clifton Park. For information and to register: www.rcda.org/StepUp

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**150th Anniversary Commemoration of Sacred Heart Parishioners
~July 13 thru July 19~**

Baptisms

- July 16, 1967 Judith Alesandra Downing
- July 19, 1970 Edward Gary Chevalier
- July 13, 1975 Sarah Elizabeth Opalka
- July 17, 1976 Ann Marie Gardinier
- July 17, 1976 Jennifer Lynn Jones
- July 17, 1977 Gregory Nicholas Kline
- July 17, 1983 Laura Jean Egelston
- July 13, 1986 Christopher William Moore
- July 19, 1987 Breanne Arlene Bain
- July 17, 1988 Chivon Elizabeth Bouton
- July 16, 1989 Gregory John Michael Sowle
- July 14, 1991 Shayla June Sahler

Marriages

- July 16, 1977 James A. Lasky & Kandis Walsh
- July 16, 1978 Thomas P. DiMezza & Kathleen A. Nowak
- July 17, 1982 Terry L. Briskje & Elaine Gardener Walsh
- July 14, 1984 Scott E.J. Bramer & Grace F. Lasher
- July 14, 2001 Thomas R. Gurka & Jodie Ann Hawker
- July 12, 2003 Domenic DiNatalè & Kelly Vertucci

Deaths-Funerals

- July 16, 1968 Anthony Hassfuter
- July 19, 1976 George J. Jacobs
- July 14, 1984 William Tierney
- July 18, 1989 Herman Sager
- July 13, 1990 Mary Cooley
- July 16, 1990 Alfred A. Himpel, Sr.

PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

Father, you are the Lord of the Harvest. You made each one of us to use our gifts in the Body of Christ. We ask you to inspire young men and women of the Diocese of Albany, whom you call to the priesthood and consecrated life, to boldly follow Your will. Send laborers into Your great harvest to preach the Gospel, to serve the poor with love, to comfort those who suffer, and to strengthen these your people with the Holy Sacraments. We ask through Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit. Amen.

ALL: Hoy Mary, Protector & Mother of holy Vocations, Intercede for us.

ALL: Send O Lord, Holy Apostles to your Church!

Jubilee Pilgrimage Sites In Our Diocese:

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