



St. Cecilia Catholic Church

JULY 18, 2021

SIXTEENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

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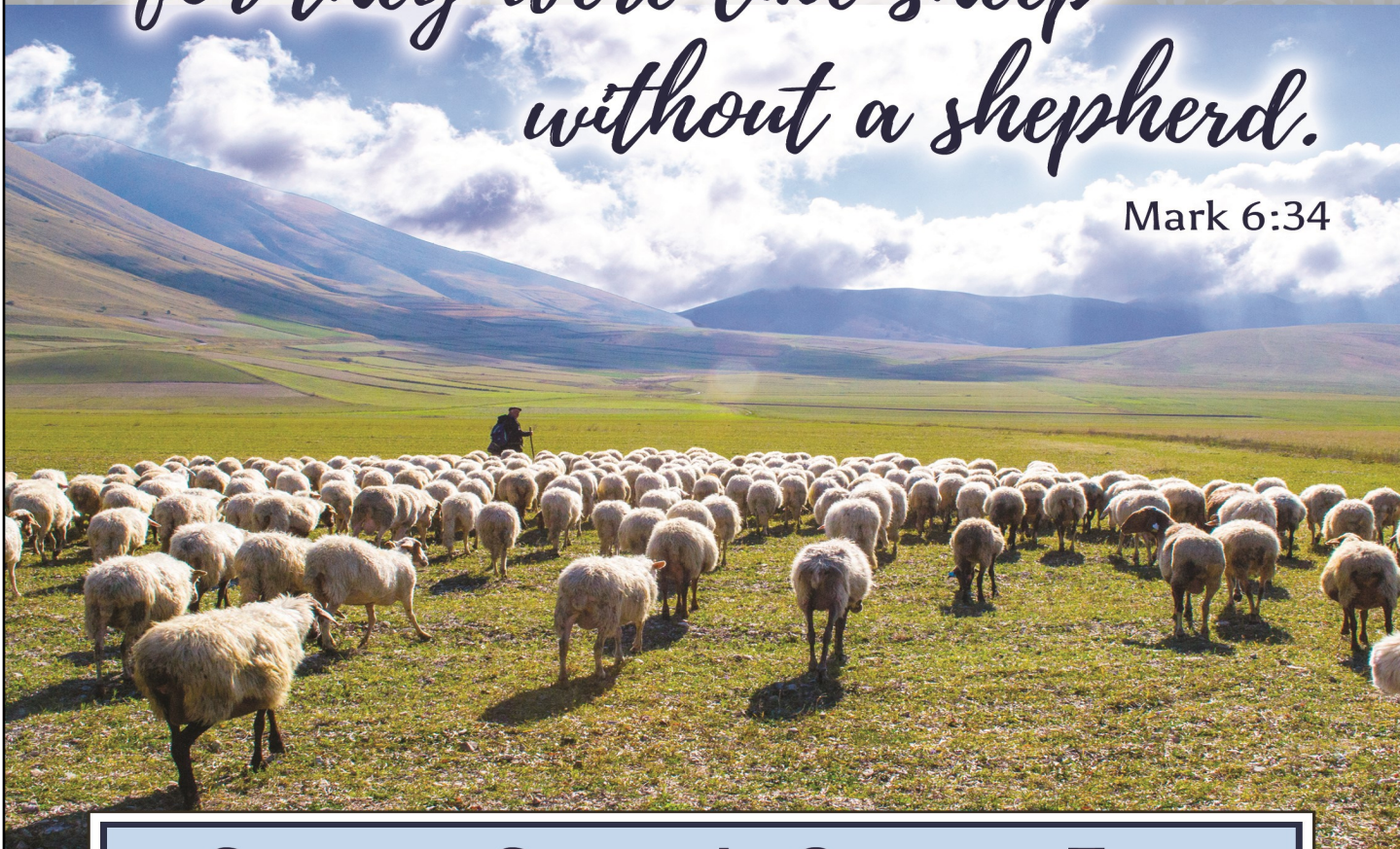


Readings
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When Jesus saw the vast crowd,
his heart was moved with pity for them,

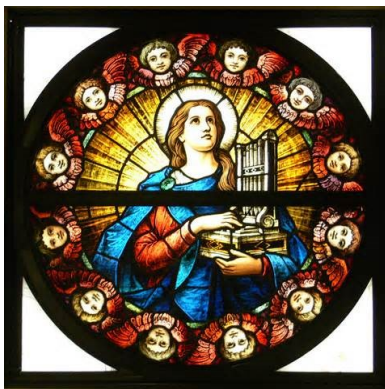
*for they were like sheep
without a shepherd.*

Mark 6:34



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— Mass Times —

Saturday (Vigil): 4:30 pm
Sunday: 8:30 am & 11:00 am
 Monday: 6:30 pm
Tuesday-Friday: 8:00 am
1st Saturday of Month: 8:00 am
 — Reconciliation —
Monday: 6:00-6:30 pm
Saturday: 3:30-4:00 pm
Anytime by Appointment



This week's intentions:

Saturday, July 17
 4:30pm For Deacon Jerry Cato
Sunday, July 18
 8:30am For St. Cecilia Parish Community
 11:00am For Patricia Aleman
Monday, July 19
 8am For The Reform of the Clergy
Tuesday, July 20
 8am For Rev. Barry Harmon
Wednesday, July 21
 8am For Mary Jo Peck
Thursday, July 22
 8am For Phil Conreaux
Friday, July 23
 8am For Bette Menard
Saturday, July 24
 4:30pm For Brian Elliff
Sunday, July 25
 8:30am For St. Cecilia Parish Community
 11:00am For Ed & Sandy Noe
 To scheduledule an intention, call LeAnne at 618.623.9153

After hours or end of life emergencies, call Fr. Gibbons at 618.946.4518



St. Cecilia Catholic Church

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Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

JULY 18, 2021



COMPASSION

If we were to use one word to describe the scriptures for today, it would be "compassion." In Jeremiah, God rails against those who have scattered the sheep, and vows to "gather the remnant" personally. We also hear the prophecy about the coming Messiah. In Ephesians, Christ is breaking down the walls of division between peoples and drawing them to be reconciled with God in peace. In Mark, Jesus calls the tired disciples away to rest and have some "me time," but even then the crowds persisted. Jesus saw their spiritual hunger and neediness and was "moved with pity." All three situations involve looking beyond one's own agenda to see the needs of others and respond. God models how to empathize with others. May we continue to learn to be kinder, gentler, and more caring for each other.

TIME FOR A TEAM MEETING

In last week's Gospel, Jesus sent the apostles out two by two. Today we see him bringing them back together, reporting "all they had done and taught." A lot has happened between then and now and in this time the disciples experienced many things. They would have grown in their ministry and their ability to heal and preach, but they probably also ran into frustrating times and encountered their limitations as human beings. If human nature prevailed, their partners were driving them nuts! So now after all this sharing, Jesus called for some balance in their lives. It was time to come away and rest. Between family and friends and social media, many of us have lost this ability to "be by ourselves" as we have become accustomed to filling every day and every moment with distractions. Perhaps one of the gifts and challenges of "sheltering in place" these last months is that we celebrated moments of joy and hope and peace but were also forced to listen to and name those voices of anger, loneliness, and fear.

WELL-LAID PLANS

It is important to have balance in our lives, and Jesus was indeed was trying to teach this to the Apostles, but when they got to their intended place of repose, they encountered so many people Jesus was filled with compassion. No doubt he went about feeding them spiritually and physically; it would have been important for him to be hospitable. But at some point in time, I'm guessing that he still pulled the apostles aside and told them "Okay, people are settled now, so let's leave all the excitement, delegate the job to somebody else, and find some peace and quiet." None of us is any good at our prayer, our ministries, our lives, unless we take the time to find the quiet and go back to replenish our own wells. There is no way we can give to others unless we do. That is why we return to church each week, to rest and be nourished and renewed. And none of us is so important that we can't take time away to take care of ourselves. So be gentle with yourself and with others this week.

TODAY'S READINGS

Jeremiah 23:1-6
 Psalm 23:1-3, 3-4, 5, 6
 Ephesians 2:13-18
 Mark 6:30-34

THE APOSTLES REPORTED ALL THEY HAD DONE AND TAUGHT. JESUS SAID TO THEM,

"Come away by yourselves to a deserted place and rest a while."

MARK 6:30, 31



Faith Formation



Life-long catechetical formation is needed to prepare us to be disciples of our Lord and stewards of His creation. We offer programs for all ages—please join us!

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY
			10:00 am RENEW	
	7:00 pm Adult Study			

Faith Formation Focus

16th Sunday of Ordinary Time
July 18, 2021

GOSPEL – Come away and rest.

SAINT – St. Mary Magdalene (July 22)

DOCTRINE – Exorcism / Demons

SERVICE – St. Cecilia Food Pantry

*Spend some time during your week
learning about these items.*

Articles, videos, online links & activity pages
on these topics can be found on STCPARISH.org

Question of the Week

How do you find the energy
to do the things you need to do when you are tired?

What is a catechist?



Pope Francis

The catechist, then, is a Christian who is mindful of God, who is guided by the memory of God in his or her entire life and who is able to awaken that memory in the hearts of others.

Is God calling you to share your faith
with the children of St. Cecilia?
Contact Paula Raffaele if He is.

Adult Study

Watch & discuss **episode 4** of **BELOVED** this week on FORMED.org.

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**Baptisms & Weddings &
RCIA**
(Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)
Contact
Fr. Patrick Gibbons 288-3200

**Youth Ministry
Grades 5-12**
(currently not meeting due to COVID)
Contact
Joseph Zagorski 288-3200

Continuing Religious Education
(PSR, Bible Studies, Renew,
1st Reconciliation, Confirmation, 1st Eucharist)
Contact
Paula Raffaele: 288-5523

St. Cecilia is dedicated to sharing the Catholic faith to the next generation & community!



CATHOLIC SUMMER YOUTH CAMP

TOTUS TUUS



TOTUS TUUS "TOTALLY YOURS" IS A WEEK LONG SUMMER CAMP FOR YOUTH IN YOUR PARISH GRADES 1 - 12.

ST. CECILIA
JULY 25 - JULY 30

GRADES 1 - 6 MEET MONDAY - FRIDAY

9:00 AM - 2:30 PM

GRADES 7 - 12 MEET SUNDAY - THURSDAY

7:00 PM - 9:00 PM

Contact Kimberly Zagorski to register or
volunteer: kfz180@charter.net



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Totus Tuus

Totus Tuus Registration OPEN!

Volunteers needed to house the teams,
provide lunches and suppers for the team
and volunteers daily.

Please contact Kimberly Zagorski at
kfz180@charter.net if you are available to help
with this year's program.

Contact LeAnne at 618.623.9153 or
office@stccparish.org if you are able to
provide a meal.



As we all know Deacon Jerry Cato was such an important part of St. Cecilia Church and the St. Cecilia Youth Ministry including Totus Tuus!

Since his passing and funeral occurred during Covid and many were unable to attend, we thought the Monday evening Mass during Totus Tuus would be a perfect time to memorialize Deacon Jerry and all he did for the spiritual lives of so many St. Cecilia Parishioners.

**We hope you can join us
for this special Mass
In memory of
Deacon Jerry Cato
Monday, July 26
6:30 pm**



As disciples of Jesus Christ, we actively participate in worship, faith formation, and community outreach.



**Please join us to congratulate
Deacon Joseph Zagorski
on his recent ordination and assignment to
St. Cecilia Parish!**

**Sat., July 24, following 4:30 pm mass
or Sun., July 25, following both 8:30 & 11:00 am masses
Light Refreshments will be served in Parish Hall**



ST. JOHN NEUMANN CATHOLIC SCHOOL

ST. JOHN NEUMANN GOLF CLASSIC

29th Annual Golf Classic—Friday, Sept. 10th

Spencer T Olin Golf Course, Alton, IL—1pm start
4-player scramble—\$100/golfer

Includes: 18 holes of golf with cart; 2 meals;
on-course refreshments.
Blackjack hole, mulligans, skins... Closest to pin,
long drive and putting contest too!
Sponsorships also needed!

For more information and/or to register,
visit our website at www.sjncrusaders.org.

National Shrine of Our Lady of the Snows 78th Annual Novena to Our Lady of the Snows Wednesday, 7/28-Thursdays, 8/5 Mass begins at 7:30 pm

"With Mary Giving Thanks to God" Each evening of
the Novena includes Mass, special music, and pray-
ers, Scripture reflections and praying the rosary.

For more information, call 618.394.6276 or visit
[Www.snows.org/novena](http://www.snows.org/novena)



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The St. Cecilia Knights
of Columbus would like
to thank all the parish-
ioners and community



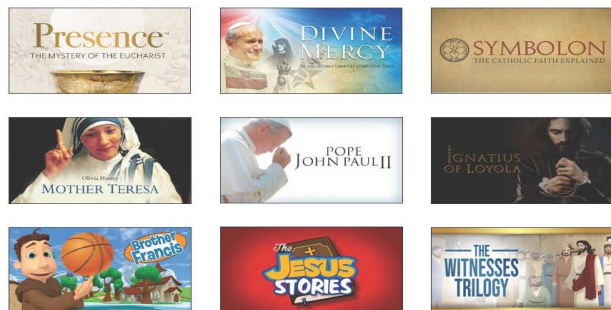
members who patronized the relaunch of our 2nd
Sunday Breakfast. We look forward to seeing you

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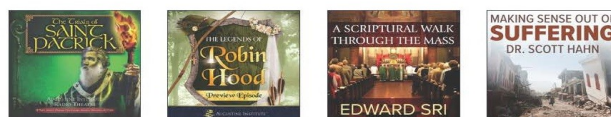
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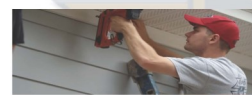


Lead with Faith

Explore resources to help you deepen your faith and put it
into action. As you grow in faith, you won't be alone—you
are backed by a band of brothers in the quest to become
better Catholic men for themselves, their families, and their
communities.

Protect Your Family

Men have a special responsibility to protect their loved
ones and provide for the future. Find resources on
financial health, and be confident about your future,
knowing you have access to exclusive resources to help
you plan for and achieve financial peace of mind.



Serve Others

Stand united with your brother Knights in charity so that
each effort and donation counts for the greater good. Be
inspired by stories of Knights putting their faith in action
to serve others, and find ways to get involved, whether it be
in your local parish or through the worldwide network of
Knights.

Defend Your Values

Learn about how your fellow Knights are working together
to defend Catholic ideals, and take a stand and unite our
voices for the common good.



Join with us today in Charity, Unity, & Fraternity

ST. CECILIA CHURCH—SEASON OF STEWARDSHIP TIME, TALENT & TREASURE

As a Diocese, we are committed to discipleship & stewardship.
We recognize that everything we have comes from God and that He has given
us gifts not just to use for ourselves but also to share with others!

GOOD DEEDS HERE!

ST. CECILIA FOOD PANTRY

As a Parish family we continue to
help **families with groceries &
utilities each week!**



ITEMS NEEDED:

**Sugar
Sweet Potatoes
Spinach
Gravy
Strawberry Jelly**

Your Generosity is Appreciated!

If you would like to be a Pantry Volunteer, please
contact Bernie Guy-Marshall at 618.344.9950 or
guymarshall60@yahoo.com

PARISH GENEROSITY REPORT

FISCAL YEAR 2020/2021 (July 1, 2020-June 30, 2021)

Weekly Generosity	Weekly Totals	Fiscal YTD
June 21-July 4, 2021	\$ 13,768.00	\$ 362,143.54
Online Giving	<u>6,469.00</u>	<u>151,082.87</u>
Total	\$ 20,237.00	\$ 513,226.41
Budget Goal (\$9,800/wk)	<u>19,600.00</u>	<u>519,400.00</u>
Difference	\$ 637.00	\$ (6,173.59)

Add'l \$230 contributed to Haiti, Dioc Special & Restricted
Add'l \$4,014 contributed to Mission Sunday Collection

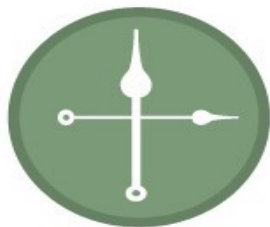
ST. CECILIA MASS COUNTS

July 10/11: 4:30=85; 8:30=92; 11=93; Total=270
July 3/4: 4:30=74; 8:30=89; 11=113; Total=276
June 26/27: 4:30=93; 8:30=98; 11=107; Total=298
June 19/20: 4:30=109; 8:30=100; 11=100; Total=309

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JULY 24/25	Altar Server	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	Gift Bearer	Greeter	Reader	Usher
Saturday, 4:30 PM	Colin Moore	Jen Moore Joseph Zagorski Kimberly Zagorski	Gayle Schaake Alan Schaake	Anna Moore	Deborah Kirsch Carl Rubner	Larry Dillin John Kromray
Sunday, 8:30 AM	Nate MacLaughlin	John Coulter Patty Dettenmeier Joseph Zagorski	Charles Juneau Kate Juneau	Adrian Norcio	Tom Juen Tammy Baima	Tom Dixon NOT FILLED
Sunday, 10:00 AM (Meridian) Soldan						
Sunday, 11:00 AM	Annabella DeAvila	NOT FILLED Kathy Weiss Joseph Zagorski	NOT FILLED	Caleb Payne Andrew Payne	Andrew Payne Heather Payne	Ben Maliszewski Russ Marti

St. Cecilia is a fervent community of intentional and dedicated missionary disciples of the Risen Lord.
We serve, especially those in need, with prayer, participation, and charity.

Prayer Requests:

Mark Achenbach, Phil
Achenbach, Patricia
Aleman, Debbie



Armas, Marissa Banovz, Betty Barton, Jan
Brogan, Bob Buehler, Maria Carroll, Sara
Cleary, Charles Cook, Lisa Frew's friend
Rick, Ted Fuehne, Edwin Gajewski, Sandy
Gill, Mary Anne Griffin, Angie & Adalyn
Hardesty, Mary Ann Hobbs, Mike Hogan,
Cynthia Ann Hunter, Esther Kacer, Mary
Karcher, Mary Rose Kobler, Marion Konkell,
Rose Newman-Leach, Joseph Martin,
Connor McAleenan, Georgia Miller, Bill &
Sue Newman, Mike Pagano, Petrunich
Family, Irene Potthoff, Bruce Rhodes,
Sheila Ridenbark, Doris Robinson, Nathan
Rozycki, Luke Ryterski, Gayle Schaake, Bob
Scheibal, Nancy Schwartz, Marie Weiss,
Allison Winkler, JD Wynn, Bob Zellerman,
StC Parish & Anonymous Prayers

If you like to add yourself or a loved one to
the bulletin Prayer List, contact LeAnne
618.288.3200 office@stcparish.org

*Also let us know if we should
remove anyone*

QUILTERS NEW TIME!

If you've been looking for a
fun way to gather with some
wonderful parishioners,
St. Cecilia Quilters Group
would love to have you join
us. **NEW TIME is Tuesdays**
from 8:30am-12:00 noon

Contact:
Georgia Miller
gkmiller41@gmail.com

ST. CECILIA HAPPENINGS THIS WEEK!

Sunday, July 18

8:30 am Mass
11:00 am Mass

Monday, July 19

6:00 pm Reconciliation
6:30 pm Mass
7:00 pm Adult Study

Tuesday, July 20

8:00 am Mass
8:30 am Quilters
9:30 am Staff Meeting
7:00 pm KC Officers' Meeting

Wednesday, July 21

8:00 am Mass
9:00 am Food Pantry
10:00 am RENEW
7:00 pm Choir

Thursday, July 22

8:00 am Mass
10:30 am Mass @ Meridian
6:00 pm Finance Council Meeting

Friday, July 23

8:00 am Mass

Saturday, July 24-TT TEAM

3:30 pm Reconciliation
4:30 pm Mass
5:30 pm Deacon Joseph Reception

Sunday, July 25-TOTUS TUUS

8:30 am Mass
9:30 am Deacon Joseph Reception
11:00 am Mass
12:00 noon Deacon Joseph Reception
7:00 pm Totus Tuus Teen Session 1

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