

HOLY MASS

Sunday, July 10, 2016
15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

READINGS: Deuteronomy 30:10-14 **Psalms:** 69
 Colossians 1:15-20 **Gospel:** Luke 10:25-37

Saturday, July 9 - 4:00 pm

Offered for: Ida Thomas – Memorial Mass
 From the funeral collection

Altar Servers: Megan, Philip and Morgan
Lectors: Jamie Bay and Janine Rourke

Sunday, July 10 – 10:00 am

Offered for: Eva Seymour – Memorial Mass
 Requested by Dr. Danielle Dubuc & Staff

Altar Servers: Calvin, Cora and Cruz
Lectors: Konwakeri and Bernice Lazore

Tuesday, July 12 – 6:00 pm

Offered for: Angus Adams – Memorial Birthday (July 3rd)
 Requested by Dr. Danielle Dubuc & Staff

Wednesday, July 13– 10:00 am

Iakhihsotha Lodge

Offered for: Margaret H. Tarbell – 9th Anniversary
 Requested by the Family

Thursday, July 14 – 9:30 am

Tsiionkwanonsho:te Adult Care

Offered for: Evelyn Delormier Sr. – 1st Anniversary
 From the funeral collection

Friday, July 15 - 6:00 pm

Offered for: Viola Rourke – 2nd Anniversary
 Requested by the Family

Saturday, July 16 - 4:00 pm

Offered for: Emily Allen – Memorial Birthday
 Requested by the Family

Altar Servers: Megan, Philip and Morgan
Lectors: Liz Sunday and Norman Tarbell

Sunday, July 17 – 10:00 am

Offered for: Daniel Bero Sr. – Memorial Mass
 Requested by Dr. Danielle Dubuc & Staff

Altar Servers: Calvin, Cora and Cruz
Lectors: Lori Thompson and Abram Benedict

WE PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED

May God grant eternal rest to Julia Thomas,
 Christopher Jacobs, Father George Maroun, Dan
 David and Ray Swamp.
 and consolation to their families.

Reflection on today’s Gospel – July 10, 2016

The two travellers who didn’t stop to assist the injured man both “passed by on the other side”. They didn’t step over the man or walk around him – they put distance between themselves and him.

Distance limits engagement. Perhaps the priest and the Levite were keeping themselves outside the force field of the man’s need, because they knew that if they went closer his need would draw them in to the situation. They were not without compassion, but at this time on this journey in the presence of this injured man they were afraid.

They may have been afraid of blood, afraid of misery, afraid of having someone die in their arms, afraid that they would not be able to save the man. They may have been afraid of being delayed in whatever they were doing or afraid of being attacked themselves.

They may have been afraid of the strength of their own compassion, which would be unleashed once they engaged with the man. Compassion might derail the plans they had for the day or even the week.

In his famous “I’ve Been to the Mountaintop” speech on the day before he died, Martin Luther King spoke about the decision the priest, the Levite and the Samaritan each made when they saw the man who had been left for dead:

“...it’s possible that the priest and the Levite looked over that man on the ground and wondered if the robbers were still around. Or it’s possible that they felt that the man on the ground was merely faking, and he was acting like he had been robbed and hurt in order to seize them over there, lure them there for quick and easy seizure. And so the first question that the priest asked, the first question that the Levite asked was, ‘If I stop to help this man, what will happen to me?’

But then the Good Samaritan came by, and he reversed the question: ‘If I do not stop to help this man, what will happen to him?’”

God’s Love Revealed in Nature

Saint Ignatius of Loyola taught us that all things of this world—from creation to ourselves, to the things we make and do—are gifts from God and can be our means of recognizing and drawing closer to God. We leave a legacy of some kind with everyone we meet, whether we want to or not. Every time we see daffodils, we are reminded of this act of love and generosity from a son to his mother, a small but beautiful reminder of the countless acts of love and generosity given by our Father to each of his children.

ALTAR SERVERS’ TRAINING

God Bless the following children currently undergoing altar server’s training: Reagan Cole, Analeyna Cole, Rylee Cole, Kenia Cole. Prayers and blessing to their parents, Erin and Clint Cole, for their support and faithfulness in bringing their children for training. Following the training will be a Celebration of Investiture.



The Lord’s Prayer

Ta kwa ien ha, ne, ka ron hia ke, te si te ron, a ie sa sen na ien, a ie sa wen ni ios ta ke, a ie sa wen na ra kwa ke, non wen tsia ke, tsi ni iot, ne, ka ron hia ke, kie sa wen na rak wa. Ta kwa nont, ne, ken wen te, ia kion he kon, nia te wen ni se ra ke, sa sa ni konr hen, ne ion kwa ri wa ne ren, tsi ni iot, ni, i, tsi on kwa ni konr hens. O the non, ion ki ni konh rak sa ton, non kwe; to sa, a ion kwa sen ni, ne ka ri wa ne ren, ak we kon, e ren, sa wit, nio tak sens. NE NE KA NA KE RAH TSHE RA, NE NE KA SATS TENH SE RA, KA IA TA NE HRA KWAH TSHE RA, SA WEN’K NON:WA NOK TSI NEN:WE – E THO E THO NA IA WEN.

Jubilee Year of Mercy – July 10 – Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time.

Could anyone object to Jesus’ supreme lesson in mercy, the parable of the Good Samaritan? Jesus’ devoutly religious audience certainly did! *Scant sympathy* for anyone foolish enough to travel crime-ridden “Jericho Highway” alone. *Much sympathy* for priest and Levite, hurrying to assigned temple ministry, unwilling to risk ritual impurity through hands-on mercy. *No sympathy* for Jesus’ scandalous hero. Samaritans were religious apostates and political enemies. Jesus challenges them – and us – to seek God’s presence not only in liturgical beauty but in a fellow traveler’s self-inflicted misfortunes. See God’s presence even in someone outside the law, whose hands-on mercy springs not from religious obligation but from the heart’s instinctive goodness. Since Jesus became our “Good Samaritan” despite our foolishness and sins, who are we to ration our mercy? “Who is my neighbor?” (Luke 10:29). The next person we see who needs hands-on mercy! No conditions, no limits, no exceptions. Especially in this *Jubilee Year of Mercy*, Jesus commands, “Go and do likewise” (10:37).
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WE PRAY FOR OUR SICK

Dear Lord, place Your healing hand on all those who suffer, especially Marie Smith, Vickie Philips, Florabelle Anderson, George White, Beatrice Cole, Francis Cree, Clyde Cree, Beverly Lazore, Anjo Laffin, Billy Sunday, Gary White, Mitch Smoke, Jerry Thompson, Hilda Smoke, Sandra Terrance, Robert Thompson, Larry Pyke, Julia David, Rita Arbour, Laurie Connors, Sheila Ransom, Caroline Lazore, and Gerry Thompson.
Grant your blessing to all who care for the sick in our hospitals and nursing homes. We ask this in the name of Jesus. Amen.

St. Thomas of Villanova: Hear your prayers

If you want God to hear your prayers, hear the voice of the poor. If you wish God to anticipate your wants, provide those of the needy without waiting for them to ask you. Especially anticipate the needs of those who are ashamed to beg. To make them ask for alms is to make them buy it.

Mohawk Gregorian Chant Mass

Our next Mass will be Sunday, July 10, 2016. Thank you and peace be to all participants of the St. John the Baptist Ceremony after last Mass! Anyone interested in sharing their Mohawk literacy skills are more than welcome to do some readings for the liturgy, please see Teres. And attention to all musicians of the congregation; if you are interested in sharing your keyboarding skills in providing musical accompaniment for the singers, Organist training is offered, please contact Teres [\(613\)575-2815](tel:6135752815).

REMINDER! INSPIRE! CALLED TO LOVE

Reserved seats are filling up: September 25/16, Olympic Arena, Lake Placid. You must be registered online at: inspirecalledtolove.org.

Parish Ministry Meetings

Parish Council	(to be announced)
Finance Council	Sept. 19 – 4:30 pm
Liturgy & Faith Ministry	Sept. 7 – 5:00 pm
Music/Choir Ministry	July 9 – 9:30 am
Altar & Rosary Society	Sept. 4 – 12:30 pm
Maintenance Committee	Sept. 19 – 4:30 pm
Fundraising Committee	(to be announced)
Knights of Columbus	Sept. 19 – 7:00 pm
Kateri Circle	August 7 – 4:00 pm (at HAVFD – Hogansburg)

Collections for July 3, 2016

\$662.63 US \$445.70 CDN

Sacrament of Baptism: Next Baptism Seminar: Tues., July 12 at 5:30 pm at St. Kateri Center. The child(ren) must be pre-registered with a copy of their Birth Certificate.

Devotional Candles: Large candles and votives are available for a donation of \$10.00 or \$1.00, if you wish to light a candle for a loved one, living or deceased, to honor for healing, or as a memorium.

Religious Education: The program is now on break for the months of July and August. The program will resume in September, including registration for the new sessions for sacramental preparation for First Communion, Confirmation and RCIA. If you would like more information on these programs, please do not hesitate to contact Laura Morris at the Rectory and St. Kateri Center. If you’d like to volunteer, training will be provided. At this time, we wish everyone a peaceful, restful and happy summer. God Bless.