



**SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**  
 Saturday July 29, Vigil  
 4:00 p.m.- Deceased Members  
 of the Chiudioni Family  
 (Tom & Barbara Chiudioni)

Sunday, July 30, 2017  
 9:30 a.m. - Michael B. Terlop  
 (Deacon Phil & Betty Kraynik)

Monday, July 31, 2017  
 through  
 Friday, August 4, 2017  
 NO MASS

**EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**  
 Saturday August 5, Vigil  
 4:00 p.m.- Roy Karl  
 (The Karl Family)

Sunday, August 6, 2017  
 9:30 a.m. - Marian Husek  
 (John & Mary Husek)



St. Mary, Chardon  
 has weekday morning Masses  
 at 7:30 am.

### Daily Scripture Readings

#### JULY

31 Ex 32:15-24, 30-34/  
 Mt 13:31-35

#### AUGUST

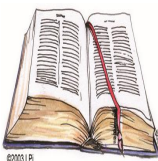
1 Ex 33:7-11; 34:5b-9, 28/  
 Mt 13:36-43

2 Ex 34:29-35/Mt 13:44-46  
 3 Ex 40:16-21, 34-38/  
 Mt 13:47-53

4 Lv 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27,34b-37/  
 Mt 13:54-58

5 Lv 25:1, 817/Mt 14:1-12

6 Dn 7:9-10, 13-14/Pt 1:16-19/  
 Mt 17:1-9



JULY 30, 2017: SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

*Dear Parish Family,*

The Gospel reading for the Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (John 6:1-15) presents to us an account of the multiplication of the loaves and the fishes by John the evangelist. Much of the sixth chapter of the Gospel of John is often referred to as the Bread of Life Discourse.

Our Blessed Lord will miraculously feed the multitudes with bread and fish. Still, Jesus wants them to know that He has a much greater gift that He wants to give them – namely Himself as the Bread of Life. Many will find this too difficult to accept or understand. How, after all, can Our Lord give us his flesh and blood to eat? Our Lord will, in fact, give this gift to His Church at the Last Supper as he institutes the sacrament of the Eucharist and the Priesthood.

Just as many walked away from our Lord because they found this teaching too hard, many today do not truly believe in the Real Presence of Jesus Christ in the Most Blessed Sacrament. Protestant denominations do not have this belief and, sadly, all too many baptized Catholics possess a faulty understanding of the Eucharist.

The Catechism of the Catholic Church is very clear:

*The mode of Christ's presence under the Eucharistic species is unique. It raises the Eucharist above all the sacraments as "the perfection of the spiritual life and the end to which all the sacraments tend. "In the most blessed sacrament of the Eucharist "the body and blood, together with the soul and divinity, of our Lord Jesus Christ and, therefore, the whole Christ is truly, really, and substantially contained." This presence is called 'real' - by which is not intended to exclude the other types of presence as if they could not be 'real' too, but because it is presence in the fullest sense: that is to say, it is a substantial presence by which Christ, God and man, makes himself wholly and entirely present." (CCC #1374)*

May we never receive our Lord unworthily (i.e. not in a state of grace due to mortal sin) and may we never take this precious gift for granted.

God bless you.

*Fr. Dan Redmond*

### To schedule a Mass Intention or Bulletin Announcement

Please call St. Patrick Parish Office at 440-298-1327, or place a Mass Intention envelope in the collection basket. **We need Mass Intentions, especially for daily Masses all through 2017.** For bulletin announcements, please contact Pattie Batchman at [pattie.batchman@gmail.com](mailto:pattie.batchman@gmail.com) by Monday evening. Thank You!

**LITURGICAL MINISTERS for August 5 & 6**

	<b>August 5</b>	<b>August 6</b>
<b>LECTOR</b>	Kathy Oravec	Joyce Nelson
<b>EMHC</b>	Brenda Brack, Muriel Martin	Marilyn Schwartz
<b>PLA</b>	Trudi Clark	Beth Heinz
<b>SERVERS</b>	Gabriella Mills	Anthony & Nicky Rosati Roman Ianiro
<b>COUNTING CREW</b>	D Team	

**Religious Education: Parish School of Religion**

PSR registration forms are due July 30. Please put the forms in the offertory basket, mail to St. Patrick Church, or give to Marilyn Schwartz or Pattie Batchman. Gospel Weeklies and supplies for the upcoming school year will be ordered on August 1st, so it is important to have an accurate count of students attending PSR for the new school year. The school year begins on Tuesday, September 12th.

We are still looking for additional catechists to help with the "Liturgy of the Word for Children" during the 9:30 a.m. Sunday Mass. Please consider sharing your talents with our young people so that the program can continue to be successful.



We will not hold Children's Liturgy of the Word in August and we will resume on September 3<sup>rd</sup>.

**Chinese Auction on September 9, 2017**

St. Patrick Parish will be hosting a Chinese Auction and 50/50 Raffle on Saturday, September 9th. Doors open at 11:00 AM with the drawing at 2:00 PM. There will be an entrance fee of \$2.00 which includes 6 auction tickets.



A volunteer sign-up sheet will be in the back of church after all the Masses during August. 50/50 Raffle tickets will also be sold during the month of August.



If you are able to donate a gift for the auction table please call Mary at 440-474-4194.

**Pro-Life**

The prospect of experimental treatment in the United States allowed for a glimmer of hope. But the doctor who examined Charlie Gard said it appeared there was nothing that could be done, as Charlie has irreversible muscle damage. Thank you for your ongoing prayers for Charlie and his parents ... and we can only ask that you continue to ask the Lord to hold them in His hands in the days and weeks ahead.



**Notre Dame Global Missions Appeal Collection August 5 & 6**

On the weekend of August 5 & 6, you are asked to welcome Sister Marian Coughlin, a representative of the Notre Dame Global Missions, for the annual Missionary Cooperation Appeal sponsored by the Diocesan Society for the Propagation of the faith. Notre Dame Global Missions is a ministry of the Chardon, Ohio province of the Sisters of Notre Dame, an international congregation.

Sr. Marian will share how Notre Dame missionaries accompany the poor and marginalized—empowering people through spiritual care, faith formation, education, work with the handicapped, healthcare, social services and social action.

**Offering for:  
July 23, 2017**

July 23:	\$ 4,869.90
Votive Candles:	\$ 21.00
Capital Improv.:	\$ 615.00
Diocesan Asses:	\$ 15.00
Peter's Pence:	\$ 5.00

85 envelopes and loose checks

*Thank you for your generous support of our parish ministries and operations.*

*St. Patrick, pray for us!*



**WE PRAY FOR ALL THOSE WHO ARE ILL.**

In a special way, we pray for Chris Barber, Barbara Bock, Don Caserta, Joan Catalano, Cathy Colvin, Frank Foote, Laura Gyorki, Kim Hamilton, Dolores Hein, Don Holt, Rick Kawalec, Betty Kraynik, Dolores Lynch, Mella McCain, Andrew & Anthony Mihalic, Joe Misosky, Virginia Perlik, Hildegard Redmond, Melissa Rhodes, Connor Sayers, Fr. Paul Sciarrotta, Katy Sirna, Billy Terlop and Joel Walton.

**WE PRAY FOR ALL THOSE WHO HAVE DIED.**

May the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace. Amen.

