

July 16, 2023

Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**But some seed
fell on rich soil, and**

produced fruit,

**a hundred or
sixty or thirtyfold.**

Matthew 13:8

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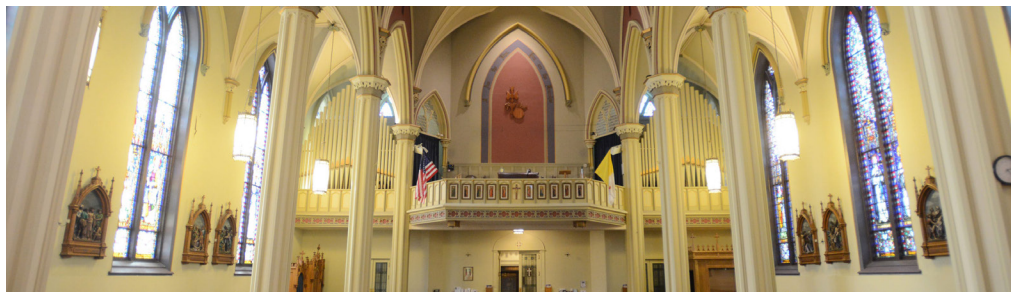
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Monday-Thursday: 8:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.

Friday: Closed

Additional hours by appointment

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WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sunday, July 16 – Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Scripture Readings: Is 55:10-11; Ps 65:10, 11, 12-13, 14; Rom 8:18-23;
 Mt 13:1-23 or Mt 13:1-9**

4:30 p.m. Mass (Activity Center) for † Floyd & Jenny Denton

7:45 a.m. Mass (Activity Center) for † Delores Mahon

11:00 a.m. Mass (Activity Center) for the People of the Parish

Monday, July 17

Ex 1:8-14, 22; Ps 124:1b-3, 4-6, 7-8; Mt 10:34-11:1

9:00 a.m. Mass (Immaculate Heart of Mary Chapel)
 for † Mary Ann & Fred Baker

Tuesday, July 18

Ex 2:1-15a; Ps 69:3, 14, 30-31, 33-34; Mt 11:20-24

9:00 a.m. Mass (Immaculate Heart of Mary Chapel)
 for † Dennis McLoughlin

Wednesday, July 19

Ex 3:1-6, 9-12; Ps 103:1b-2, 3-4, 6-7; Mt 11:25-27

Noon Mass (Immaculate Heart of Mary Chapel)
 for † Julia Hankins

Thursday, July 20

Ex 3:13-20; Ps 105:1 and 5, 8-9, 24-25, 26-27; Mt 11:28-30

9:00 a.m. Mass (Immaculate Heart of Mary Chapel)
 for Living & Deceased Members of
 Herbert Durant, Sr. Family

Friday, July 21

Ex 11:10-12:14; Ps 116:12-13, 15 and 16bc, 17-18; Mt 12:1-8

Saturday, July 22 – Feast of St. Mary Magdalene

Sg 3:1-4b or 2 Cor 5:14-17; Ps 63:2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9; Jn 20:1-2, 11-18
 3:30 p.m. Confessions (Activity Center)

Sunday, July 23 – Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Wis 12:13, 16-19; Ps 86:5-6, 9-10, 15-16; Rom 8:26-27; Mt 13:24-43 or
 Mt 13:24-30**

4:30 p.m. Mass (Activity Center) for † Don Thompson

7:45 a.m. Mass (Activity Center) for † Ed Bowman

11:00 a.m. Mass (Activity Center) for the People of the Parish

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The Appeal
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THERE'S STILL TIME TO GIVE:

Your gift to the 2023 Appeal is vital to the success of this diocesan-wide campaign and can benefit our parish. We are off to a good start toward our parish goal of \$57,761.29. To date, we have collected \$32,161.68 and pledged \$44,635.00. We are only \$13,126.29 away from our goal. Thank you to all those families that have made a gift or pledge. If you have not yet made your gift to this year's Appeal, please consider doing so in the days ahead. Your gift will help continue the vital work of the various ministries and services that reach so many in need. Please pray for the success of the Appeal and remember, no amount of giving is too small.

STEWARDSHIP

(Our fiscal year is
July 1, 2023-June 30, 2024)

July 3, 2023

Mass Collection	\$ 8,754.00
EFT	\$ 0.00
Online/Direct Gifts	\$ 586.03
Total Offertory	\$ 9,340.03

YTD Collected	\$ 9,340.03
YTD Budgeted	\$ 0.00
Deficit	\$ 0.00

July 10, 2023

Mass Collection	\$ 6,049.00
EFT	\$ 0.00
Online/Direct Gifts	\$ 0.00
Total Offertory	\$ 6,049.00

YTD Collected	\$ 15,389.03
YTD Budgeted	\$ 0.00
Deficit	\$ 0.00

JUNE BOOSTER MANIA

WINNERS:

Don Moyer	\$25.00
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QUO VADIS:

Quo Vadis Days, a vocations discernment camp for high school boys, is July 23-26, 2023. It includes talks by priests and seminarians on the priesthood, fatherhood, and virtue. There will be recreation time, prayer time, and time to make friends with other young men who are seeking God's will for their life. It strikes an effective balance between the activity of a summer camp and the quiet of a retreat. Maybe fun and quiet time with the Lord is what you are looking for. As Jesus said to His first disciples, ***Come and see! – John 1:39.***

When: July 23-26, 2023

Who: Young men entering grades 9-12

Where: Pontifical College Josephinum, 7625 N. High Street, Columbus, OH

Cost: \$50.00 (scholarships available)

Registration Deadline: July 14th

Register at vocationscolumbus.org/quovadis.

For more information, contact: Zack Goodchild at columbusquovadis@gmail.com.

DEFEAT OHIO'S PROPOSED ABORTION AMENDMENT:

The dignity of life in its earliest stages is threatened by a proposed Ohio Constitutional amendment to enshrine and expand abortion at the expense of protections for women and preborn children. The Catholic Conference of Ohio has produced resources for Catholics to learn more about and to take action to defeat the proposed amendment. Visit www.ohiocathconf.org/protect. For additional resources from the statewide Protect Women Ohio coalition working to defeat the amendment, visit <https://protectwomenohio.com>. For a list of local informational meetings about the proposed amendment, visit Greater Columbus Right to Life's website at <https://www.gcrtl.org/stop-events.html>.

BISHOP YOUTH SOCCER CAMP:

Jr. Bishop's 2023 Soccer Camp will be July 24, 25, and 26 from 5:30-7:00 p.m. at Bishop Rosecrans High School. Cost is \$40.00 for the camp and grades K-8 may register. If you have any questions, please contact Hugh Maxwell at 740-319-4764

**EARLY FALL RETREAT:**

Spend time this fall enriching your relationship. Experience a Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend, where married couples can get away from jobs, kids, chores, and phones and focus only on each other. Make 2023 the best year of your marriage by applying today! The next weekend is September 8-10, 2023, in the Central Ohio area. For more information or to apply, visit our website at WWMEcolumbus.org or contact Paul and Marilou Clouse at 614-834-6880. Early registration is highly recommended.

<i>NEXT WEEKEND, JULY 22/23</i>	ALTAR SERVERS	LECTORS	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION	CANTOR
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Sunday, 7:45 a.m.	Abby/Levi Crum	Ed Bucknam Brent Mirgon	Seth Mirgon	Christopher Urbiel
Sunday, 11:00 a.m.	David Thornton	Sophia Marcum	Luci Green	TBA



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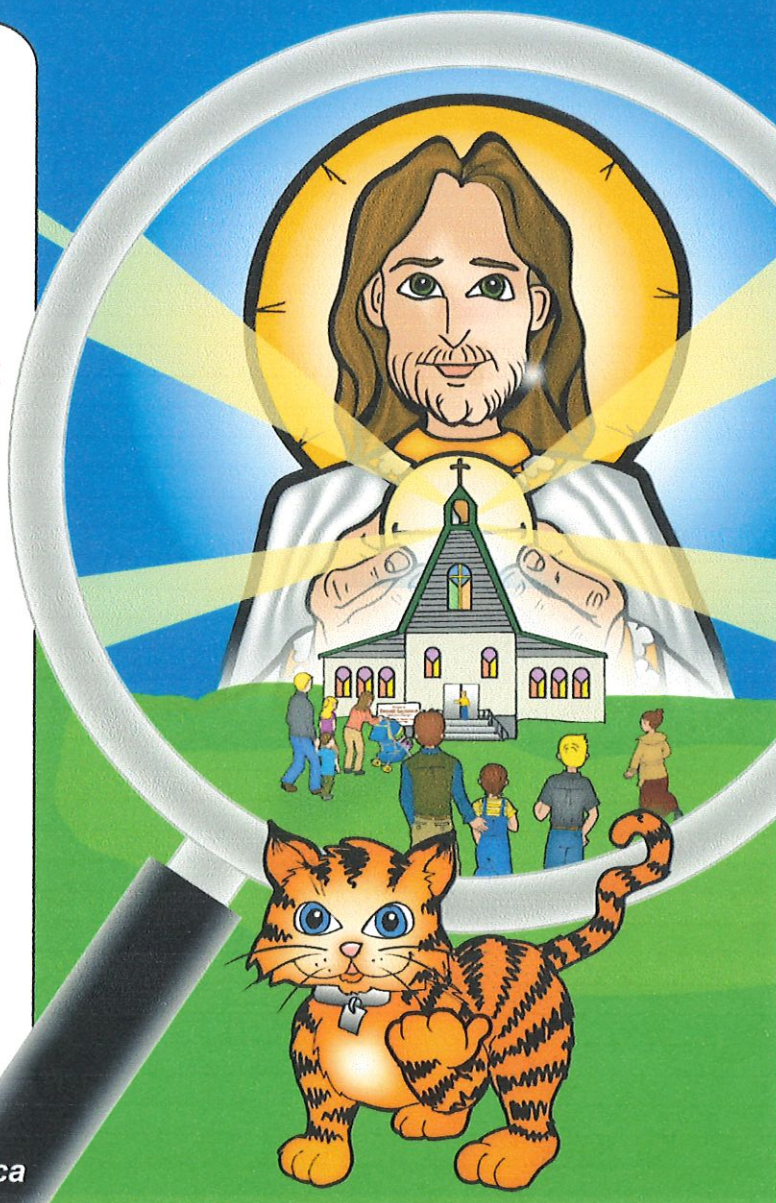
Cost: Free

Registration Deadline: July 10th

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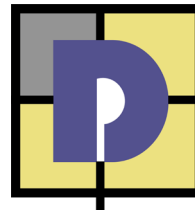
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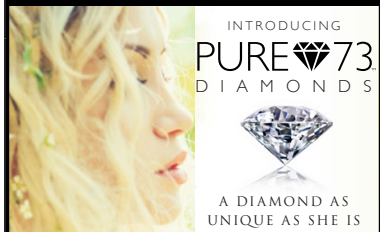
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