



# 15<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

## July 16, 2023

### MASS INTENTIONS

**Saturday, July 15 ~ Vigil/15<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
 5:30 PM August D. Barbuti, Jr.  
**Sunday, July 16 ~ 15<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
 9:30 AM Bob Cross  
**Monday, July 17**  
 9:00 AM  
**Wednesday, July 19** The People of the Parish  
 9:00 AM  
**Friday, July 21**  
 9:00 AM  
**Saturday, July 22 ~ Vigil/16<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
 5:30 PM Frank & Gussie Stiano  
**Sunday, July 23 ~ 16<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
 9:30 AM

### MINISTERS OF THE WORD

**Saturday, July 22 ~ Vigil/16<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
 5:30 PM Eileen Ernst  
**Sunday, July 23 ~ 16<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
 9:30 AM AnnMarie Minery

### EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

**Saturday, July 22 ~ Vigil/16<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
 5:30 PM Joe Herschel (a), Brandon Kennedy (c)  
**Sunday, July 23 ~ 16<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
 9:30 AM Sue Schmaus (a), Marie Barnett (c)

### PRAY FOR THOSE WHO SERVE

Alexandria Baker-Bonitz (*Navy*) Dylan Bonitz (*Navy*)  
 Sarah Bowen (*Navy*) Juan Gonzalez (*Navy*)  
 Kaila McGowan (*Marines*) Anthony Pagano (*Navy*)  
 Joseph Ruize (*Navy*) Pashko Shkreli (*Army*)  
 Carissa Tironi (*Army*) Nicholas Turner (*Army*)  
 Elliott Weidel (*Marines*)

### PRAY FOR THOSE IN NURSING HOMES

Barbara Ceriale, Gina Lempka,  
 Rosemary Osborn, Regina Parthesius, Elissa Zahn

### PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE ILL

Marion Andersen, Pat Arlotta, Bridget Auer, Joanne Bach,  
 Rob Brosnan, Sr. Margaret Ellen Burke, Brian Cross,  
 Nicole Dawson, Anna DiMare, Marie DiMare,  
 Maria Elena DiMare, Michael DiMare Agnes Ferrone,  
 Anna Gallo, Joe Gallo, Margaret Hale, Brandon Hriniak,  
 Mike Hurd, Julie Oparski, Marianna Oparski,  
 Kerry Roberson,  
 Helen Ryan, Frances Salewski, Chris Strobl, Terry Waterson

### LOOKING AHEAD

**Helping Hands Food Pantry**  
*Every 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Saturday by Appointment*  
 (9 AM start)

**AA Meetings ~ Sunday 3:00 PM**

*Our Lady of the Assumption*

**WOMEN'S GUILD** Wednesday, July 19  
 Women's Guild ~ 1:00 PM

**Wednesday, July 19**

Mamakating Knights of Columbus  
 at OLA ~ begins with supper at 6 PM

**Saturday, July 22 ~ Food Pantry ~ 9:00 AM**

**Friday, August 4**

First Friday Holy Hour with Exposition  
 of the Blessed Sacrament ~ 7:00 PM

**Saturday, August 5**

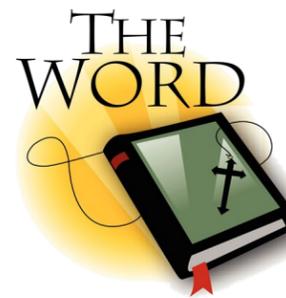
Food Pantry ~ 9:00 AM



**Tuesday, August 15**  
 Solemnity of the Feast  
 of Our Lady of the Assumption  
 7:00 PM Mass  
*(A Day of Holy Obligation)*

As the rain and the snow  
 come down from heaven,  
 and do not return to it without watering the earth  
 and making it bud and flourish, so that it yields seed  
 for the sower and bread for the eater,  
 so is my word that goes out from my mouth:  
 It will not return to me empty,  
 but will accomplish what I desire  
 and achieve the purpose for which I sent it.

Isaiah 55:10-11



### Today's Scripture

#### 15<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

Isaiah 55:10-11  
 Romans 8:18-23  
 Matthew 13:1-23

### About Prayer:

### The Brown Scapular



This week, we interrupt our considerations of the Mysteries of the Rosary by looking at the meaning of the Brown Scapular of Our Lady of Mount Carmel.

The Brown Scapular has its roots in the tradition of the Order of the Brothers of the Blessed Virgin Mary of Mount Carmel, the Carmelite

Order. Carmelites see the Scapular as the sign of Mary's motherly protection. It also represents a commitment to follow Jesus, like Mary, the perfect model of the disciples of Christ. This commitment finds its origin in the Sacrament of Baptism by which we become children of God.

The Brown Scapular brings us into the community of Carmel, a community of religious men and women, which has existed in the church for over eight centuries. It calls us to live out the Carmelite ideal of intimate friendship with God in prayer. It also reminds us of the example of the Saints of Carmel, with whom we can establish a close bond as sisters and brothers to one another. It is an expression of our belief that we will meet God in eternal life, aided by the intercession and prayer of Mary.

To receive the Brown Scapular is to become part of the fraternity of the Order of the Brothers of the Blessed Virgin Mary of Mount Carmel and so it is an instrument of living the Christian life. Together we are called to live as sisters and brothers of Mary as she leads us to Jesus: the Way, the Truth, and the Life. We are also called to deepen the virtues of faith, hope, and love in the service of God and of one another, and to pray with all our hearts, as Mary did, to fulfill God's will in our daily lives.



### Chicken BBQ

We *are* having our 'famous' Chicken Barbecue on Saturday, August 26 (raindate: 8/27/23). **Tickets are available after Mass today.** There are other activities in the planning for the same time. More to follow!

### Mass Attendance/Collection

# at Mass July 15 & July 16: **110**  
 Weekend's Collection: **\$1,404.00**



### Mamakating Knights of Columbus Golf Tournament

Friday, August 4, 2023  
 Tarry Brae Golf Course,  
 Fallsburg NY. 7:45-8:45 AM



Registration & Continental Breakfast 9:00 AM - Shotgun Start. 4-Person Scramble. 20 Team Maximum. **\$115 per person.** Pre-Payment for Registration Appreciated. 18 Holes with Cart, Lunch, Refreshments, Prizes. **First "Hole in One" on a designated hole WIN a Brand NEW Vehicle.**

**Tee Sponsors - Donation: \$100 (includes sign)**

Entry Deadline & Tee Sponsor Deadline: Monday, July 24. Contact: Tom Murray, 845-888-4841 or Joe Herschel, 845-798-0052

### BOCES Backpack Program



OLA parishioners are working with Mamakating Knights of Columbus to help collect non-perishable food items for students and families in need. Those families/individuals identified by BOCES will receive a backpack filled with food to help make going back to school a little easier.

OLA parishioners are asked to bring in the following: **tuna, spaghetti, pasta, tomato sauce in cans, peanut butter, jelly (in plastic jars), boxes of crackers, Ramen noodles, granola bars, boxes of fruit roll-ups, cookies, canned vegetables, canned soup (any food in a can that's non-perishable).** No glass jars/bottles, please, as they can be dangerous if broken, especially having kids carry them. Leave your donations in the Gathering Area. The Knights will get them to BOCES. The deadline is next weekend, July 23 & 24.

Oh, most beautiful flower of Mount Carmel, fruitful vine,  
 splendor of Heaven. Blessed Mother of the Son of God;  
 Immaculate Virgin, assist me in my necessity, Oh, Star of the Sea,  
 help me and show me you are my Mother. Oh, Holy Mary,  
 Mother of God, Queen of Heaven and Earth, I humbly beseech  
 you from the bottom of my heart to succour me in my necessity  
 (Mention your request here)

There are none that can withstand your power.  
 Oh, Mary, conceived without sin, pray for us who have recourse  
 to thee (3 times) Holy Mary, I place this prayer in your hands (3  
 times) Amen.



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