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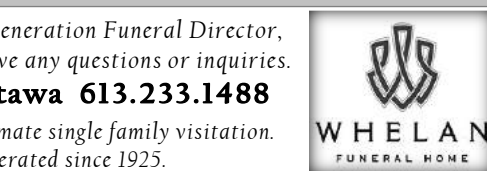
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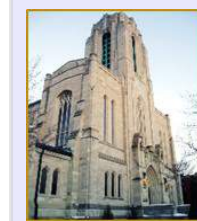
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JULY 14, 2019 – THE 15TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



MASS SCHEDULE
SUNDAY MASS TIMES
 † Saturday (Sunday Vigil) 4:30 pm
 † Sunday Mass 10:00 am & 8:00 pm
WEEKDAY MASS TIMES
 † Monday and Tuesday 6:30 pm
 † Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, and Saturday morning 9:30 am
 † First Friday Mass 9:30 am
 † First Saturday Mass 9:30 am
SENIORS HOMES MASS TIMES
 † Tuesday (Lord Lansdowne) 10:00 am
 † Thursday (Glebe Centre) 10:30 am
 † Friday (Colonel By) 11:00 am

RECONCILIATION
 • See Fr. Tim before/after Weekday Mass
 • Saturday AM 10:00—10:30 am
 • Saturday PM 3:45—4:15 pm

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION
 • Wednesday to Saturday: after morning Mass 10:00 am—Noon

DEVOTIONS
 • Recitation of the Holy Rosary: Monday and Tuesday before Mass
 • Sunday before 10:00 am Mass in Hall

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UNDERSTANDING 'AD ORIENTEM'
 Over the past while, and since we started celebrating Holy Mass *Ad Orientem* (to the East) for our First Friday and First Saturday Devotions, questions have been put to me about doing it more often or eliminating it all together. What I would like to do here is to explain briefly the nature of this dialogue and the significance of what Vatican II actually said.

Please DO NOT take this as an indication that the celebration of Holy Mass is about to change at Blessed Sacrament ... **it is not!** This is simply a dialogue of understanding.

The priest offers Mass facing the same direction as the people, because he and the people together are offering worship and sacrifice to God. He is not turning his back on the people to exclude them. Rather, as a Christian community, are all facing *ad orientem*, waiting in joyful expectation for the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ who will return to judge the living and the dead (Rite of Baptism, 1962).

Because the priest is offering the Mass in Christ's Name and in His Person, *in persona Christi*, to God the Father and is leading his people in adoration and worship, he is facing east, the rising sun, which is symbolic of the 'New Jerusalem', and he is leading his flock as the Good Shepherd does. When he needs to address the congregation, he turns to face the people and says, for example, "The Lord be with you" or "Pray, brethren".

What in the early Church determined the position of the altar, was that it faced eastward. To quote St. Augustine: "When we rise to pray, we turn East, where heaven begins. And we do this not because God is there, as if He had moved away from the other directions on earth... but rather to help us remember to turn our mind towards a higher order, that is, to God."

Vatican II, in its decree on the Sacred Liturgy (*Sacrosanctum Concilium*), envisaged the preservation of Latin in the Mass and also considered that Mass offered *ad orientem* was not an obstacle to the full, conscious, and active participation, which they advocated. The documents of Vatican II clearly give evidence to this fact. Even the General Instruction in the 2003 Roman Missal (G.I.R.M.) indicates that the priest is only required to face the people at specific moments in the Mass and not throughout. Arguably then, and accompanied by proper liturgical catechesis, one of the best ways to explain the Mass is demonstrated by a priest and assembly's liturgical orientation and is entirely non-verbal.

Celebrating *ad orientem*, the priest and assembly are united in prayer as the mystical Body of Christ (*most apparent in cruciform churches like BSP*), oriented to God the Father. The priest acts as Christ, the head, who offers the sacrifice of His Body on our behalf to the Father for His glory and our sanctification. This idea is obscured visually in churches that are configured with the sanctuary as a stage around which spectators are gathered, with a priest acting as a presenter. In this case, it is harder to see that the common direction of worship is more appropriately up, and by default many assume that liturgy is entirely about the community. Even worse, it becomes indistinguishable from many other types of Christian worship services.

By contrast, understanding the liturgy properly reveals a different picture of the priest leading all of us in communal prayer and sacrifice to God that is occasionally broken up by short dialogues with the assembly in the form of invitations to prayer, i.e. "lift up your hearts." Is this a preferred approach? No one individual can answer that. Certainly, pastoral concerns vary, but the option of re-introducing this practice may present the opportunity for better education and formation of the people in the pews and an understanding of the rich history of our worship and the significance of the postures we use.

God Bless you and let us "Lift up our hearts to the Lord!" Fr. Tim



Blessed Sacrament Parish Vision

Through dynamic evangelization, Blessed Sacrament Parish seeks to intentionally invite all people into an initial encounter with, and ongoing conversion to, Jesus. We are a Eucharistic and Marian parish that is a home for vibrant worship, reconciliation, and prayer, as well as an engine for spiritual growth. We support each other on the journey to maturity and reach out to people in need.



† MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, July 13 — **ST. HENRY**

9:30 am † ~

4:30 pm † PRO POPULO

Sunday, July 14 — **15TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

10:00 am † For the souls of Alex & Gertrude Johnson, by Gord and Beryl

† For the souls of Mary and John Trus, by Charlene, Terry and Brennan White

8:00 pm † For strength, courage and healing of Robert Tipple, by a family friend

Monday, July 15 — **ST. BONAVENTURE**

6:30 pm † ~

Tuesday, July 16 — **OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL**

6:30 pm † ~

Wednesday, July 17

9:30 am † ~

Thursday, July 18

9:30 am † ~

Friday, July 19

9:30 am † ~

Saturday, July 20

9:30 am † ~

4:30 pm † For the soul of Jim Ovens by the family

Sunday, July 21 — **16TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

10:00 am † For the soul of Colombina Di Bonaventura by Rosina Di Saverio

8:00 pm † PRO POPULO

OUR PRAYER LIST



WE REMEMBER IN OUR PRAYERS, those who are sick and in need of encouragement: Nancy Grover, Kerri Lynn Bulger, Paula Scott, Jim Grover, Daniel and Madeline McBride, Ben Proctor, Mary Christine Spencer, David Low, Anna Gemella, David Kibbee, Marc Le Gras, Natalie Quinn, Rosa Cutrara, Loren Cooper, Richard Gehring, Bridgette Bradway, Morgan Hawken, Gerry Ouderkirk, Melissa Moloissa, Debbie Lavallie, Joseph Hutchinson, Marta Pappalardo and Dominic, Joaquin Olivier Le Gras, Sebastien Parent, Jim Morgan, Thérèse Cochlin, Lynn Ashdown, Laszlo DeRoth, Sharon Boothroyd, Luigi Lorusso, Anne Kennedy, Britney, Frances from the UK, Norman Revells, Elizabeth (Elsa) Witteveen, Yvonne Bulger, Kristine Brady, Deacon Dan Careau, Darlene Humphries, Marie Coombs, Georgie Hutchinson, Rosalind Weeks, Renee Scott, the Marcille family, Cecile Dubue, Helen Guillet, Oliver Rude, Philip Girard, Chris Moffat, Pauline Nelligan, Norah Hoskinson, Sheila Gasnick, Mary Hill, Kathleen Driscoll.

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OUR HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTION FOR JULY

Let us pray: That those who administer justice may work with integrity, and that the injustice which prevails in the world may not have the last word.

ST. THÉRÈSE OF LISIEUX — PERPETUAL NOVENA

July 12—20: St. Thérèse, please pray for all politicians, especially in Canada, that the Lord will bless them, guide them and instruct them in His ways. May they truly hear the voice of God in every decision they make, and follow it.

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IN AND AROUND THE DIOCESE

81ST ANNUAL PILGRIMAGE TO THE SHRINE OF ST. ANN, CORMAC, ON, Sunday July 28: Homilist, Fr. Brian J.T. Clarke, Pastor, Ascension Parish, Scranton PA. Info: <https://cormacpilgrimage.com/>.

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9TH ANNUAL WOJTYLA SUMMER INSTITUTE, AUGUST 8—11: Not limited to teachers — anyone interested may attend. Offered by Seat of Wisdom College, 18 Karol Wojtyla Square, Barry's Bay, Ontario. Theme: *"The Splendour of the Liturgy."* A 3-hour Gregorian Chant Workshop led by Dr. Aaron James on August 8 prior to the opening of the Conference. Info: www.seatofwisdom.ca/wojtyla.

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