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We are a pilgrim people on a journey toward the Kingdom of God.
Fr. Robert A. Romeo, Pastor



The kingdom of heaven is like a treasure buried in a field, which a person finds and hides again, and out of joy goes and sells all that all he has and buys the field. (Matthew 13:44-52)

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time July 27, 2014

## Mass Schedule

Daily Mass: 8am (in the chapel except on Sunday) Sundays: Saturday 5pm; Sunday: 8am & 10:15am

Holy Day Masses: 5pm Vigil; 8am & 7pm

Special Intentions: 5pm first Saturday of the month



### Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time: July 27

1 Kgs 3:5, 7-12; Rom 8:28-30; Matt 13:44-52

The bread and wine, were donated in memory loving memory of Anna Tuzzolo, by Adriana. The candles and sanctuary lamp were donated in loving memory of Mildred Papasidero, by Cindy and Michael Miller.

**5pm Saturday Mass** Intention: Teresa McLaughlin **8am Mass** Intention: Frank "Buddy" Wranek **10:15am Mass** Intention: Parishioners

Monday, July 28 (George Bohn)

Jeremiah 13:1-11; Matthew 13:31-35 **8am Mass** Celebrant: Fr. Ebenezer

<u>Tuesday, July 29</u> (Rebecca Berkley)

Memorial of St. Martha

Jer 14:17-22 (402); Jn 11:19-27 or Lk 10:38-42

8am Mass Celebrant: Fr. Ebenezer

Wednesday, July 30 (Arthur Acerno) Memorial of St. Peter Chrysologus

Jeremiah 15:10, 16-21; Matthew 13:44-46

8am Mass Celebrant: Fr. Nicholas

Thursday, July 31 (Michael J. Lincks, Jr.)

**Memorial of St. Ignatius of Loyola** Ieremiah 18:1-6: Matthew 13:47-53

**8am Mass** Celebrant: Fr. Nicholas

First Friday, August 1 (Rose De Rosa)

Jeremiah 26:1-9; Matthew 13:54-58

8am Mass Celebrant: Fr. Ebenezer

First Saturday, August 2 (Mary Cullinane)

Memorial of St. Eusebius of Vercelli

Jeremiah 26:11-16, 24; Matthew 14:1-12

8am Mass Celebrant: Fr. Nicholas

**5pm Mass** Intention: Margaret Vetrone,

Charlie Phillips, Michael Salerno 5pm Mass Celebrant: Fr. Ebenezer

### Minister's Schedule

### Seventeenth Sunday Ordinary Time: July 27

5pm Celebrant: Fr. Nicholas

Lector: Kevin Kelly

Ministers: Bill Berkley, Eileen Bowersock

Paul Bramfeld, Yvonne Brantuas

8am Celebrant: Fr. Ebenezer

Lector: John Canning

Ministers: Peggy Cullen, Andrew DiSalvo

Peggy Niper, Marie Agosta

10:15am Celebrant: Fr. Ebenezer

Lector: Irene Harris

Ministers: Diva & Ed Corbelletta

Joe Vulpis, Michele Walters Loretta Zahner, Donna Calamis

# capital Campaign

Capital Campaign 2014 Update

Renew & Restore the House of God

"Lord, I love the House in which You dwell" Ps. 76:8

After completing two years of the campaign our pledges to date are \$1,195,023. Total amount paid to date is \$998,945.

Payments are due as follows:

- Monthly payments are due on/before July 31
- ➤ Second Quarter payments are due on/ before September 30
- ➤ Annual/Final payments are due December 31

Credit Cards Payments continue to be processed the last day of each month. If your credit card expiration date is soon we will be contacting you or kindly email stbonfinance@gmail.com with the updated information.

If you have any questions, kindly leave a message at the parish office or email stbonfinance@gmail.com.

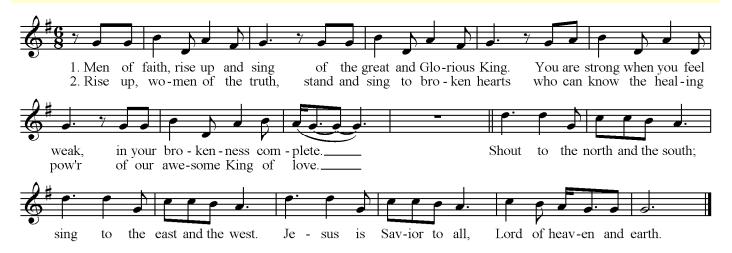
We are extremely appreciative of your generosity and your continued efforts to satisfy your pledged amount.

Thank you!

The Campaign Committee

## Shout to the North

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# Religious Education

### Registration

Registration for Religious Education classes for the Fall of 2014 will begin next week on Saturday, **July 26**, after the 5 pm Mass and Sunday, **July 27**, after the 8 am and 10:15 am Masses.

Additional registration dates are the weekends of August 2nd and 16th after all the Masses.

Please bring your child's Baptismal information with you.

The fee for this years program is \$100 per child or \$180 for families with more than one child enrolled.

Any questions? Please call the Religious Education Office at 671-0418.

### **Volunteers Needed**

The Faith Formation Program has grown over the past several years and class sizes are larger than ever. Catechists (Teachers) are needed in every grade in all levels both in the After-school Program and the Sunday morning Family Program.

Team teaching is encouraged and training is provided for anyone interested in volunteering.

Please consider becoming a member of our wonderful group of volunteers who guide the children in their Faith Formation studies and contact Mrs. Karen Croce in the Religious Education Office at 671-0418.



### <sup>4</sup> Please Pray for our Deceased

Please pray for those who have entered eternal life, especially **Frank Morea**.



William Anderson

Maria Santoli

**Marilyn Walthers** 

Placement of names on the sick list must be requested by an immediate family member through Fr. Bob.



Lieutenant Melissa Buffa & Lieutenant Travis Buffa Lance CPL Matthew B. Christman Second Lieutenant Mario Coronel, US Army Flight Lieutenant Joseph Doyle Jake A. Hojnowski, Sailor E-3, US Navy Lance CPL Gregory Knox Captain Brett Korade, USN Lieutenant Brian McMenamin Lieutenant Ian McMenamin Private First Class Joshua McMillan Ensign Michael R. Ragusa, USN Private First Class Cole N. Muttee, USMC Lieutenant Drew Whitting, USN Captain Christina Merrick-Wright Captain Bradley Wright, US Army.

#### 5% Donation

"Your plenty at the present time should supply their needs so that their surplus may in turn one day supply your need." (II Cor <sup>2</sup>:58)

If you have any "plenty" left over, please place it in an envelope marked "For Special Assistance" and Fr. Bob will make sure it is given to those "to supply their need." PLEASE PRAY about this and see what Jesus is calling you to do.

### Stewardship...a Way of Life

Thank you for your *Financial Stewardship* of \$6664 last week.

Next week there will be a second collection for *Air Conditioning*.

Thank you for your generosity!



### **Rosary**

Mondays-Saturdays after 8am Mass in the Chapel.

### **Prayer Group**

Mondays 7:30pm in the Chapel. All welcome. Come and bring a friend! Call John & Rosemary Murello at 676-2767

### St. Boniface Holy Hour and Benediction

Wednesdays at 2pm in the Chapel.

### **Prayer Vigil for the Sick**

Thursdays 7pm -7:30pm in the Chapel.

### **Bible Study**

Bible study will not meet in July and August. It will resume in September. Date to be announced.



#### Bingo

Fridays 7pm. Knights of Columbus Hall, Glen Cove. All proceeds go to charity, including our St. Boniface Outreach Program.

#### Miraculous Medal Novena

Saturdays after 8am Mass in the Chapel with the veneration of the relic.

### Lay Carmelites of Blessed Titus Brandsma

Third Saturdays 9am in the Parish Center. Call Flora at 656-9375 or Pat at 887-7265 for details.



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Parents Day was established in the U.S. in 1994—the same year the United Nations and the Vatican sponsored "years" in honor of the family. All of these events were meant to highlight the important role families play in society and offer parents recognition and encouragement. "The families that children grow up in . . . can have major effects on their well-being," according to a 2013 U.S. Census Bureau report. Or put more simply, "If there is no love then there is no joy," said Pope Francis in anticipation of the October 2014 Vatican Synod on Families. Do your part to ensure that the children in your family and community are loved. Begin with an understanding heart.

#### ₱ Monday, July 28

If you "get your hands into" making bread, you know the mystery of leavening. It makes the dough rise, and as it bakes an irresistible fragrance fills the air. The yeast pervades the dough and turns it into bread. In some European villages on Saturday, the whole town would fill with the aroma of baking bread. No wonder Jesus used such a homely image for the kingdom of heaven. Once the Word of Christ has been incorporated, *kneaded*, into human experience, the whole rises. You come alive. Christ fills every space, every soul. Put on your apron. There's work to do.

### <sup>↑</sup> Tuesday, July 29 Memorial of St. Martha

It appears that the pressure on women to be perfect housekeepers and hostesses existed all the way back to biblical times. Like her namesake Martha Stewart, Saint Martha was trying to be a domestic dynamo. Can you blame her when she had someone like Jesus for a guest? And her sister Mary had the gall to sit around and socialize with him without helping out! Jesus chides Martha—affectionately, you can tell. He tells her to do as Mary does and focus on what matters most: the people in our midst.

# <sup>⊕</sup> Wednesday, July 30 Memorial of St. Peter Chrysologus

Peter Chrysologus, whose name means "goldenworded," had the right idea as a preacher: He worked hard on his sermons because he feared that otherwise he would bore people! Though he lived more than 1,500 years ago, his inspired form of preaching never goes out of style. Make sure those who preach effectively in your own faith community know you appreciate the effort they put into their sermons. And if you find the preaching less than inspiring, offer that feedback as well—in a constructive manner, with ideas that can help. Great preaching is learned through practice and reaction—oh, yes, and attentive, engaged listening!

## ♣ Thursday, July 31Memorial of St. Ignatius of Loyola

"Act as if everything depended on you; trust as if everything depended on God," said Saint Ignatius of Loyola. He was a person of action, guided by deep faith. In ups and downs Ignatius sought to find God and help others do the same. Ignatius allowed God to shape his life and the religious order he founded, the Society of Jesus, and left a rich spiritual legacy for generations to come. In honor of Ignatius, consider the ways you allow God to shape your lives.

### ♣ Friday, August 1Memorial of St. Alphonsus Liguori

It's not always easy to speak the truth. All too often sharing what's right and true meets opposition, hurt, and insult. Yet being true to who you are, what you believe, and what that belief calls you to can make all the difference. Saint Alphonsus Ligouri, moral theologian and founder of the Redemptorists, knew that. Alphonsus was a priest for and of the people. Speaking with simplicity and kindness, he won the hearts of many while sharing hard moral realities. Truth isn't always easy, but shared with compassion it has the power to transform lives and truly be Good News.

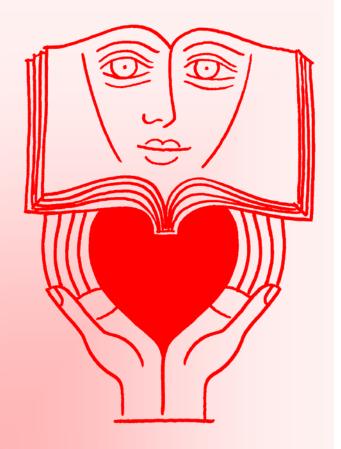
# ₱ Saturday, August 2 Memorial of St. Eusebius of Vercelli

Around the year 300 A.D., Eusebius realized that clergy were healthier and holier when they had the support of a community. As bishop of Vercelli in Piedmont in northwest Italy, he was the first to link the monastic life with that of the clergy, establishing a community of his diocesan priests. In the modern age, clergy and others in ministry sometimes get isolated. Make sure the pastoral workers who care for you have people to be with when the work is done and it is time to unwind. You can be part of their extended community by inviting them to dinner once in a while. Lively conversation guaranteed!

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### The Gospel of the Lord!

From the beginning, reading from one of the four gospels has been a high point of our Sunday assembling to give thanks and praise. For good reason, too. Christ comes to us in word as well as in deed, in the scriptures as well as in the sharing of his body and blood. And while we know that God speaks to us in all of holy scripture, at Mass we are most eager to hear the gospel, the good news of the very words and deeds of Jesus. (That is what the Old English word "gospel" means after all, "good news," "God's news.") So when it is time, we jump to our feet. We acclaim the coming of the gospel with that most ancient and holy of words: Alleluia! (Unless it is Lent, our season of sorrow when we fast from our glorious word just like Israel in exile hung up its harps.) Fast to out feet, singing loud praise, we watch as the deacon (or the priest) takes up the Book of the Gospels. Accompanied by servers with candles, perhaps with fragrant clouds of incense from another server's bowl, the Book of the Gospels makes it way through our assembly from altar to ambo. It sat on the altar from the start of Mass as a sign that Christ is present in the gospel. Now it is taken "up to the heights" to be proclaimed from the ambo, just as Jesus preached the sermon on the mount, or the apostles, drunk with the Holy Spirit, shouted joy from Jerusalem's Pentecost rooftops. As the deacon announces that this is from Matthew or Mark, from Luke or John, we trace the sign of the cross on our foreheads (may we understand this good news!), on our lips (may we always speak and spread this good news!), and over our hearts (may we love and always



live this good news!) Then we listen. We stand together and listen. We stand and listen like a servant being given orders, like an honored guest being whose deeds are recounted, like a convicted criminal before the judge's bench, like the beloved being met in haste by the lover. And when it is spoken, when the last word for this day has sunk deep within, the deacon looks to us and says, "The gospel of the Lord!" to which we cry, "Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ!" What else could we possibly say?

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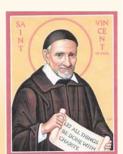


There will be NO youth group this Sunday.

For an updated schedule of youth group events join our Facebook page 'St. Boniface Martyr Youth Group or email the youth .minister, Chris, at stbonym@gmail.com

#### St. Vincent de Paul Society

The demand of daily Christian living is to spend our life primarily searching for the kingdom of God. In the Gospel, first the person who finds the buried treasure in a field comes upon it by happenstance; the find just happens without effort; it is pure gift. The role of



discipleship is to become aware of the treasure when it is found. Second, the merchant knows his or her business and recognizes the prized pearl when it is found. The role of discipleship here is to be diligent in the search, not become discouraged and give up, seek until the "pearl of great price" is found.

Thank you for all your support! Furniture and <sup>P</sup>Inancial donations always welcome. You are too! Come join the St. Vincent de Paul Society and be a communal part of your parish. Call 822-3132.

# 384 Raffle

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Tickets are in the church vestibule & parish center.

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Parish Registration: We welcome all new members of our parish family. We ask all parishioners to welcome and invite new neighbors and their families to become a part of St. Boniface Martyr Parish. Parish registration (census) forms available by the main doors of the church and in the parish office for new members. Please return completed forms to the parish office.

Baptism: Parents wishing to present a child for Baptism should be registered members of St. Boniface Martyr Parish. Parents are required to have a Baptism Preparation Interview and attend a Baptism class. Baptisms are celebrated on the last Sunday of the month. Godparents must be fully initiated members of the Catholic Church (having received the sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist), and provide a sponsor certificate. Please call 676-0676 to pre-arrange.

**Marriage:** Couples wishing to be married should call the parish office before any other arrangements are made. A minimum of six months is needed for marriage preparations.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA): An ongoing process of formation for those who ever wonder if they should become "Catholic". If interested, call Fr. Bob at 676-0676.

Reconciliation (Confession): Saturdays 4pm-4:45pm in church. ❖

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