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Mass Times

Sunday: 8:30 a.m. Low Mass
10:15 a.m. High Mass
Monday-Saturday: 7:45 a.m. Low Mass
Holy Days: *please consult the bulletin*

Confessions

*30 minutes before Mass every day (Sundays
before both Masses) & First Fridays from
5:15 to 5:45 p.m. (during Adoration)*

Devotions

Every Thursday: Holy Hour at 6 p.m.
First Friday: Additional Mass at 6 p.m.,
preceded by Adoration of the Blessed
Sacrament beginning at 5 p.m.
First Saturday: After Mass, Adoration
with Holy Rosary, 15-minute meditation &
Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament

August 7th 2022

Ninth Sunday after Pentecost

Weekly Liturgical Schedule

Sunday, August 7th

NINTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

8:30 a.m. - Pro Populo

10:15 a.m. - ✠ Patricia Stevens

requested by Shannon & Katrina Cirilli

No Public Vespers

Monday, August 8th

Saint John Vianney

7:45 a.m. - ✠ Greg Lynch

requested by the Rowe Family

Tuesday, August 9th

Vigil of St. Lawrence

7:45 a.m. - Bill and Irene Tomis

requested by Anna Balash

Wednesday, August 10th

St. Lawrence

7:45 a.m. - Helen Layman

requested by Grace Monks

Thursday, August 11th

Votive Mass of the Blessed Sacrament

7:45 a.m. - Grace Monks

requested by a Friend

6:00 p.m. - Holy Hour

Friday, August 12th

St. Clare of Assisi

7:45 a.m. - ✠ Edward & Adeline Reyén

requested by Edward Reyén

Saturday, August 13th

Votive Saturday Mass of Our Lady

7:45 a.m. - Laurie Furey

requested by JoEllen and Larry Plisce

Sunday, August 14th

TENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

8:30 a.m. - Pro Populo

10:15 a.m. - ✠ Virginia O'Brien

requested by Grace Monks

No Public Vespers



Upcoming Events

**** Notice ****

Sunday Vespers & Benediction will be suspended while the seminarians are away

Thursday, August 11th

Weekly Holy Hour at 6:00 p.m.

Sunday, August 14th

Parish Picnic at Old Mine Park, Trumbull

* Picnic Needs * Almost all of the volunteer needs are accounted for, however, **the most glaring gap is the need for two or three propane grills.**

Please consider bringing your propane grill to the picnic. We have lots of burgers and hot dogs to grill for hungry parishioners. Thank you for your generous consideration! Cf. back cover

Monday, August 15th

The Assumption, 6:00 p.m. Blessing of Herbs and Solemn High Mass

* Please place fresh herbs for the traditional blessing on the table by the statue of Our Lady of Grace before Mass. *

Note from Canon Michael Stein

Dear Parishioners,

Today is the one Sunday in-between Music Directors here at Sts. Cyril and Methodius.

We thank Sarah Jane Starcher Germani for maintaining the organ at today's 10:15am Mass. Next Sunday, August 14th Dr. Samuel Schmitt begins.

I encourage you to prayerfully consider joining the ranks of those who contribute to the Liturgy's Glory through song, chant, and instruments. Dr. Schmitt's email address is here published that you might reach out to him.

I look forward to next week's parish picnic!

Most Gratefully, Canon Michael Stein

Music at Saints Cyril and Methodius

Meet the Sacred Music Director and Organist, Dr. Samuel Schmitt, starting NEXT SUNDAY!

WORD of INTRODUCTION

With gratitude to Reverend Canons Stein and Altieri for this opportunity to continue the good work of Heitor Cabellero at the bench and in the loft, I look forward to serving as Organist and Choirmaster at Sts. Cyril and Methodius.

For decades now, I've worked to make fitting music for the Church as an organist, conductor, composer, teacher, and schola singer, most recently as Director of Sacred Music and Organist at the Cathedral Parish here in Bridgeport.

In my youth, I studied the Solesmes method of chant with Dr. Theodore Marier at the Catholic University of America while earning a master's degree in liturgical music, concentration in organ performance. I went on to earn a doctorate in musicology at CUA, writing on the music and liturgical practice of persecuted Catholics in Elizabethan England.

Even after extensive study and performance of the musical treasury of the Church, **it was only when I discovered the Traditional Latin Mass nearly twenty years ago that the entire patrimony of Church music began to make sense**—a revelation of both the music and the Mass for which it was made. Currently, I sing in the Schola at St. Patrick in Waterbury, and I serve as Executive Director of the Carl Schmitt Foundation in Wilton, Connecticut, which seeks to further the legacy of my grandfather, the American Catholic painter, Carl Schmitt. With my wife Jana and our six children, I enjoy singing music of every good sort at our home in Orange.

To provide fitting music for the Holy Sacrifice and to form young persons to hear and to sing God's Word to God, clothed in the beauty of the chant, is the work of a lifetime. I look forward to praying with you as the saints and martyrs have prayed—twice, and in song.

CALL for CHORISTERS—MEN, WOMEN & CHILDREN OF SOUND MIND & VOICE

Now is the acceptable time for a Children's Schola, a Men's Schola and an Adult Choir at Sts. Cyril & Methodius! **The beautiful chant and organ playing of Heitor Caballero have set us on a sure foundation.** With your help and God's grace, we will work together to build upon it something beautiful for God.

For sung Masses each Sunday and on high Feast Days, the Men's Schola will prepare and sing the Proper Gregorian chants, while the Adult Choir will sing either a chant or polyphonic Ordinary, polyphonic motets, and seasonal hymns. The Children's Schola will sing a chant ordinary, seasonal hymns, and simple polyphony for one Sunday Mass each month.

We plan to hold rehearsals in the loft, ideally on Thursdays, from September to Corpus Christi. Members of the Men's Schola are encouraged to sing with the Adult Choir if possible. Vocal placements will take place on Sundays in late August after the 10:15 Masses.

To inquire about any of these ensembles, please contact Dr. Samuel Schmitt via email: samuel.schmitt@carlschmitt.org, or speak to him after the sung Masses starting August 14.

August 14th Parish Picnic

Material Needs

for quantities plan on 100+ attendees

- √ Paper Plates, Paper Towels, Napkins, Cups
- Propane Grills (x3) *NO Charcoal allowed*
- √ Hot dogs, Hamburgers
- √ Hot dog buns and Hamburger buns
- √ Potato Salad, Pasta Salad, Coleslaw
- √ Chips, cookies, cupcakes, brownies
- √ Watermelon, fruit salad
- √ Condiments: Ketchup, Mustard, Mayo, etc...
- Toppings: onion, lettuce, tomato, etc...
- Coolers, Ice
- Water, Soda, Sports Drinks
- Beer, Wine **byob*** READ NOTE ON POLICY
- Trash cans/bags

- √ Lawn Games
- √ Frisbees, Baseball and Gloves
- √ Bubbles and Bubble wands

IF you prefer to cover the costs of certain items rather than doing the shopping, please see Canon Stein.

Proper Attire in Church

Now that the warm summer weather is here, just a friendly reminder about the importance of coming to church decently attired. Although it can be tempting to dress with comfort primarily in mind, out of respect for God's house, it is important to dress with modesty and decorum. Revealing or tight-fitting clothing do not meet the norms for Christian modesty, especially in church. Gentlemen are kindly asked not to wear shorts in church, and especially on Sundays are encouraged to wear slacks and a dress shirt. Ladies and girls should wear skirts or dresses falling at least below the knee (no exposed backs or shoulders) and are encouraged to have their heads covered, in keeping with the apostolic tradition.

Annual Bishop's Appeal as of July 22nd

Parish Goal:	\$11,000
Total Pledged:	\$10,425 (95%)
Donors to Date:	38

To make a gift, or for more information, please visit us at 2022BishopsAppeal.org, call (203) 416-1470 or scan with your mobile phone.



AUGUST 14TH PARISH PICNIC VOLUNTEER ROLES

EMAIL PARISH ADDRESS TO INFORM CANON STEIN OF YOUR VOLUNTEER ROLE

- √ General Coordinator (Mrs. Laurie Furey)
- Set-up Team Leader
- √ Set-up Team (perhaps attend the 8:30am Mass instead)
- Point Man for Grilling Organization
- Grillers (x3)
- √ Service Leader
- √ Servers at Buffet Stations
- √ Children's Games Leader
- √ Clean-up Team Leader
- √ Clean-up Team

Strict Park Policy

Please note: the Park Permit is in the Parish's name. You and your conduct will be publically representing the Catholic Church.

Drink Policy: The only alcohol allowed is beer and wine.

NO glass, NO bottles, NO kegs!

Just cans of beer and boxes of wine.

NO hard liquor

Thank you for your impeccable compliance!

August 7th 2022

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