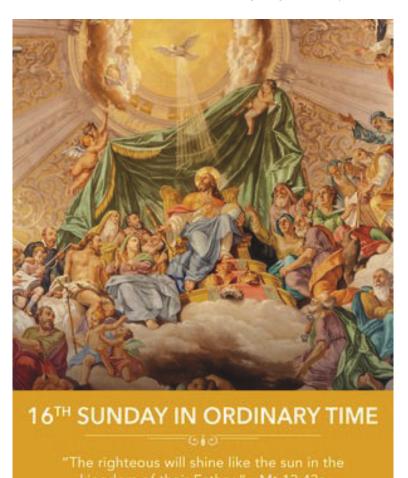
# St. Mary of the Assumption

119 Broad Street Waterford, New York 12188

Sunday, July 19, 2020 | Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time





## Parish Office

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Monday - Thursday • 8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. Friday • 8:30 ~ 12:00 during the summer

Phone calls to Reserve seats for mass will be taken during normal office hours, from Wednesday at 8:30 am through Friday at 12:00 Noon

#### Mass Schedule

Saturday: 4:00 p.m. (Fulfills Sunday Obligation)

**Sunday:** 8:00 a.m.

Mon.-Fri: Open for Private Prayer from 7 am to

12:00 Noon ~ No mass at this time.

First Saturday Only: Mass at 7:45 a.m.

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Third Sunday of the month at 1:00 p.m., after preparation by appointment.

Sacrament of Reconciliation By appointment

## Sacrament of the Sick

In case of emergency, at any time. Whenever someone is seriously ill, in the hospital or homebound, please notify the parish office.

"One in Mind and Heart, Intent Upon God" ~ Ost. Augustine

#### **MASS INTENTIONS**

The Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**MONDAY, JULY 20** 

Alice Nowicki **Ken Perrier** 

TUESDAY, JULY 21

Marilyn & Jamie Hanrahan Josephine Benardo

WEDNESDAY, JULY 22

THURSDAY, JULY 23

**Dolores Rever** Dr. Phil Fusco

FRIDAY, JULY 24

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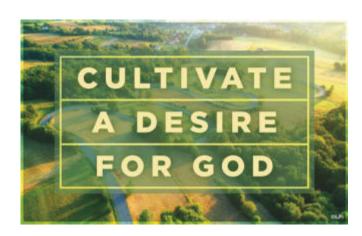
**SATURDAY, JULY 25** 

Living & Deceased of Our Parish Family

**Phyllis Charles Bette Swartfigure** Mr. & Mrs. John Skiba Patrick Judge

**SUNDAY, JULY 26** 

**Mary Wright** Ray & Loraine Zawistowski Jack O'Brien **Family** Leo & Rose Soulier Susan





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Weekly Offertory: 6/28/2020 \$ 7664

The 2021 Mass Intention Book will open on Thursday, July 23, 2020. Please call the parish office at 518-237-3131 to schedule masses. Payment should be mailed to: 119 Broad Street Waterford, New York 12188

When sending in payment, please include a note indicating the masses you are paying for.

## **GREETERS NEEDED!**

We are still seeking volunteers who can assist as Hospitality Greeters at our weekend Masses; 4 p.m. and 8:00 a.m. Greeters will check parishioners in as they arrive for mass and assist with arrival (seating) and departure, so that all in attendance know the "flow of traffic". If interested, please contact Mike Cuomo at mcuomo@nycap.rr.com or call the rectory at 237-3131.

## Observances for the week of July 19, 2020

16<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time Sunday: St. Apollinaris, Bishop and Martyr Monday: St. Lawrence of Brindisi, Priest and Tuesday:

Doctor of the Church

Wednesday: St. Mary Magdalene Thursday: St. Bridget, Religious Friday: St. Sharbel Makhlūf, Priest

Saturday: St. James, Apostle

Next Sunday: 17<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

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## Inspiration for the week

Grace and sin are found together. As much as our hearts long for union with God, there is always that part of us that resists. As much as I wholeheartedly believe in God, there is a dimension of disbelief with which I also wrestle. Even though we may seek purity and integrity in all of our thoughts, words and deeds, there is also the path toward weakness and sin that we find ourselves traversing. Just as weeds can easily overtake the best of gardens, so too can weakness and sin overtake and overwhelm a person. The call is to realize the power the weeds of sin have to choke us off from God's presence. While God allows the wheat and the weeds to exist together, we must keep our eyes fixed on God's mercy and forgiveness and resist the death that comes from giving way to sin and evil. In God's time, the eternal harvest will come, and we will no longer have to worry about the weeds. For now, we must be vigilant and regularly seek the assistance of the Master Gardener.

## THIS WEEK'S READINGS

## 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time/July 19, 2020

#### First Reading:

For your might is the source of justice; your mastery over all things makes you lenient to all. (Wis 12:16)

#### Psalm:

Lord, you are good and forgiving. (Ps 86) Second Reading:
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#### Gospel:

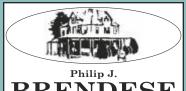
"Let them grow together until harvest; then at harvest time I will say to the harvesters, "First collect the weeds and tie them in bundles for burning; but gather the wheat into my barn."" (Mt 13:30b)

"He replied, 'No, if you pull up the weeds you might uproot the wheat along with them. Let them grow together until harvest; Then at harvest time I will say to the harvesters, "First collect the weeds and tie them in bundles for turning; but gather the wheat into my barn.", "

Matthew 13:29-30

Please pray for all the sick and suffering and for anyone close to death; for those troubled in body, mind, or heart, and for their care givers in a special way: Rose Bix, Carol Travis, Anna Papperman, Alexa Papperman, Marcia Trombly, Margaret Rose DeLucia, Robert Wittemann, Connie Laviolette, Muriel Smith, Patricia Komoroski, Jack Neumann, Mary Beth Woodard, Carol Hervieux-Potts, Althea Alger, Sandee Murphy, Irene Marra, Maria Pascarella, Robert R. White, Judith M Hervieux, Cathy Powers Vanina, Andrew Melville, Christopher Goyette, Brady Sullivan, John Daly, Bill Dame, Michael Clune, Jacob Ward, Ginny Grigoliet, Randy Morley, Carol Hart, Melissa Rice, Paula Navojosky, Nicholas Muscatiello, William Furlong, Stan Hogan and Father Joseph Getz O.S.A.

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