

Mass Intentions for July 4th through July 12th, 2020



- Sat.* 5:00pm **NO MASS** (due to the 4th of July Holiday – will not be celebrating Mass)
- Sun. 8:00am Veronica Adriani r/b the Linley family
- 11:00am Parishioners Living and Deceased
- Mon. 7:30am William Franklin r/b Arlene and Gerald Millbauer
- Tues. 7:30am Special Intentions of Lawrence Adriani r/b Veronica Adriani
- Veronica Adriani – 1st Anniversary r/b the family
- Wed. 7:30am Michael Andras r/b his wife, Florence
- Thurs. 7:30am Parishioners Living and Deceased
- Fri. 7:30am **NO MASS**
- Sat. 5:00pm Veronica Adriani r/b Kathy Celetano
- Sun. 8:00am Veronica Adriani r/b Joseph and Jean Tramontano
- 11:00am Alan Tenney r/b the Gillon family

All Mass intentions scheduled for Fridays will be honored on Thursdays.

Notre Dame's Weekly Collection

June 27th & 28th, 2020 – breakdown of collection

Many of our parishioners have been mailing in their offertory envelopes – it is greatly appreciated. **THANK YOU!**

Total Mass Collection:	\$2,961.00
Other Offertory:	\$3,160.00
Capital Improvement:	\$ 560.00
Peters Pence	\$ 125.00
Online Collection:	\$1, 630.00

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ONLINE GIVING

We realize these are uncertain times, if you could keep up your offertory to the church, we would greatly appreciate it.

Our Online Giving company, OSV, has installed a dedicated phone line for parishioners for set-up and other issues.

It is Our Sunday Visitor (OSV) 260-2243, jthinnes@osv.com

Please consider Online Giving.

It is a simple, safe way to contribute to weekly offerings. In order to register:

1. log on to our parish website; www.notredameofeaston.com
2. click the Online Giving logo on the homepage
3. fill out the registration form.

If you have any questions please call: (800) 348-2886, option #2.

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Ministry to the Homebound

Anyone who is seriously ill, having surgery, or homebound, may call the Rectory office and one of our Lay Caring Ministers will bring Holy Communion or just pay a visit. They visit parishioners in Nursing Homes as well. *

For anointing of the sick please call the office so Father Lyons can visit.

* At this time we are not visiting homebound parishioners - we will resume when conditions permit.

Please Pray for the Sick

The names entrusted to this list will always be included in our prayers:

Susan Williams	Alison Raver	Leah Ambrose
Christopher Vitale	Angela Doescher	
Siobhan Smith	Joan McGrath	Mary Socci
A Friend	Alice Martinich	Pat Perrotta
Mildred Negri	Elizabeth Morgan	Georgia Egan
Deacon Vincent Heidenriech	Gabrella Reitmeyer	



If you would like to place someone on the prayer list, please email churchladies@optonline.net, or call the Rectory office at 203-268-5838 during business hours.

* If you have placed someone's name on the *Prayer List*, please let us know if they need to remain on it.

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Bequests to Notre Dame of Easton are Strongly Encouraged and Gratefully Accepted

Suggestion: When a loved one dies, please advise friends and relatives to make a donation to the "Notre Dame Sanctuary Fund" in memory of the deceased & include this wish in the obituary notice.

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New Rectory Office Hours

We are back to new regular office hours. The Rectory office hours are Monday through Thursdays 9:00am to 3:30pm .

The office will be closed on Fridays.

If you come to the office, we ask that you please wear a mask.

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We have Masses available for 2020. Please call the Rectory office: 203- 268-5838, if you would like to reserve one.



Religious Education

Office Hours: Monday-Thursday 10am-4pm
Other times by appointment: (203)261-5596
ndore@optonline.net

REGISTRATION FORMS DUE: 2020-2021 REGISTRATION

Registration forms for the 2020-2021 Religious Education Program were mailed Friday, May 15th, 2020 to all families currently registered in our Religious Education Program for 2019-2020.



If you did not receive forms for your children, or if your child will be new to the program, blank registration forms are available in the Religious Ed Office and in the Rectory.

Completed Registration Forms were due July 1st, 2020. A grace period will extend the original due date until July 15th, 2020. Please get your registrations in by then to avoid late fees!

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Women of Notre Dame News:

Blessed Sacrament Collection

Thank you to everyone for bringing weekly donations for the Blessed Sacrament food pantry.

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Fr Skip said:

OUR SHELVES ARE BARE!!!!

We can really use **Mac and Cheese – canned Tuna - all kinds of Chef Boyardee, especially Beef-A-Roni, and peanut butter.** If you can help -

Please bring donations to the kitchen in Church.

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Blessed Sacrament has an *Online Giving* page that has a way to direct a donation to the Food Pantry - good for those limiting trips to the grocery store - or going out of the house.
<https://osvhub.com/blessedsacramentbpt/funds>

Resumption of Masses

Masses will be held in the lower Church Hall.

☐ Masses will be offered with the following schedule: Monday-Thursday at 7:30 AM (No Mass on Friday). **(NOTE – change in schedule)**

Saturdays at 5:00 PM and Sundays at 8:00 AM and 11:00 AM.

****All upcoming Friday intentions will be honored at the Thursday morning Masses.**

☐ Per state and Diocesan guidelines we will be limiting Mass attendance to 50 people.

Bishop Caggiano has continued to dispense the obligation to attend Sunday Mass through the summer.

Please read "Guidelines" on our website: www.notredameofeaston.org, for all of the rules and regulations.

NO ONE KNOWS GOD



EXCEPT THROUGH JESUS

HIS WORD TODAY

by Rev. William J. Reilly

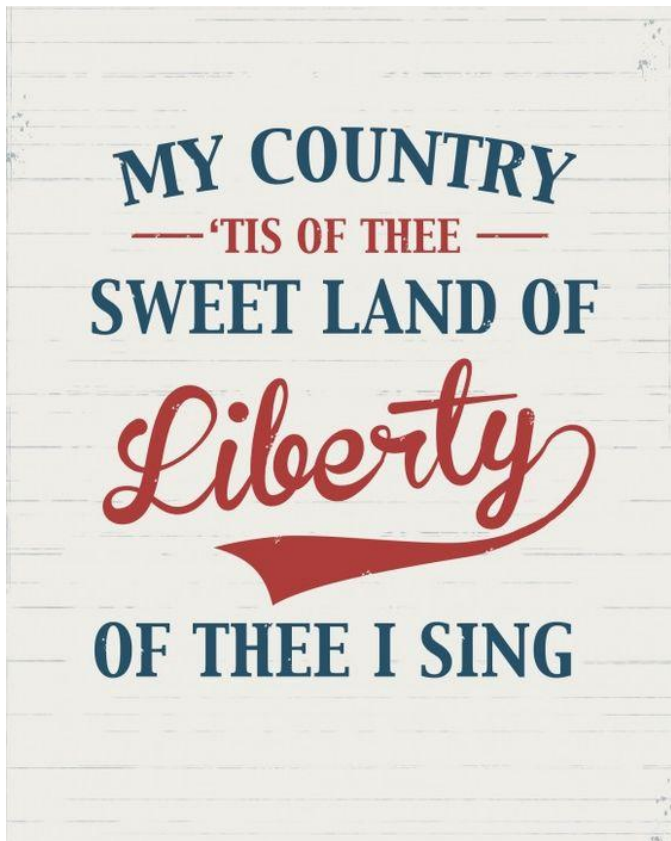
Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
July 5, 2020



“I give praise to you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth, for although you have hidden these things from the wise and the clever you have revealed them to the little ones...Come to me all you who labor and are burdened and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am meek and humble of heart...”

Jesus' prayer of praise, directed to the Father, is for our benefit. I want to be considered a 'little one' and grow in my knowledge and love of the Lord. He wishes to continue to reveal His goodness to me.

Surely most of us have learned to use new cell phones, iPads and computers. We learn to use new gadgets. May you take steps, especially during these summer months, to learn to be meek, humble of heart and live all the beatitudes - pure of heart, worker for justice, peacemaker and poor in spirit.



Only two defining forces have ever offered to die for you:
Jesus Christ
and the
American
soldier.
One died for your soul,
the other for your freedom.
Thank them both today.



CORONAVIRUS: PRAYER FOR HEALING

Father God,

I come before you today to seek mercy and healing.

Have mercy on your children who are infected with coronavirus.

You alone can restore their health.

Heal them and make them whole again.

Give them the strength to carry on.

Comfort them in these scary times of their life.

I dedicate doctors and nurses to you,

Lord. Help them in all their doings

Protect them from this disease.

And give them the heart to continue taking care of the sick.

In Jesus name.

Amen

THE BLISSFUL CHAPTER

God is
always
listening.
Keep on
praying.

@PraiseHimbro