



**HOLY TRINITY
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WORSHIP SCHEDULE

(unless otherwise announced)

Sunday : Holy Mass 9:00 AM In the English language

Daily : Morning Prayer ... 8:45 AM

Holy Mass 9:00 AM

Confessions: Second Sunday of the Month 8:15 AM

Marriage: 6 months prior arrangement

Baptisms : by appointment

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July 17, 2022

SIXTEENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

SZEŚĆNASTA NIEDZIELA ZWYKŁA

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In the reading from Genesis, Abraham has some unusual guests. The story continues in the Bible for nearly another five verses after today's passage. Those verses include Abraham's wife, Sarah, overhearing and laughing at the announcement that she would have a son within the year. Only we, the readers, know from the opening verse that "the LORD appeared to Abraham" in this sequence (although verse 13 makes this clear, stating, "But the LORD said to Abraham"). Three chapters later, in Genesis 21, Isaac is born to Sarah and Abraham.

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WELCOME TO HOLY TRINITY CATHEDRAL PARISH

If this is your first visit with us, please sign our guest register in the vestibule and join us for a cake and coffee fellowship that follows every Sunday Mass and on various feast days of the Church year.

Holy Trinity Cathedral Parish of the Polish National Catholic Church has been an integral part of the Manchester and Southern New Hampshire community for 107 years meeting the religious needs first for the Polish immigrant community, and later for all residents of the Granite State. We hope to continue our growth in service to God and community. This commitment manifests itself in a regular devotional and prayer life and a greater participation in both ecumenical and community activities.

At Holy Trinity Cathedral PARISH, our primary emphasis is on the PARISH family. All who belong sense this family spirit - expressed in a real love and concern for one another. Our pastor makes a point to know each family on a one-to-one basis with frequent visits to family homes and to the hospitalized. Thus the spiritual health and vitality of all parishioners and all our friends is supported by both pastor and laity.

We invite You to join our PARISH family! If you are looking for a PARISH and are considering Holy Trinity, feel free to talk with any parishioner about it. We will introduce you to our family in all its wonderful aspects - a family whose real strength lies in our personal and real relationship to Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior. We express this faith in our Church through our liturgy which is Catholic and traditional, shared between priest and laity. We demonstrate this faith in the prayerful material and emotional support we give one another. We share this faith in a Church rooted in Democratic principles, having a church constitution that gives laity full rights and due process in matters financial, administrative and material.

OUR PARISH...firm in faith, Catholic, democratic, and OPEN to the growth that comes as more join our family.

MAKE YOURSELF RIGHT AT HOME!

SCHEDULE OF REGULAR ACTIVITIES

(Unless otherwise announced - Many meetings cancelled due to Covid-19)

Parish Committee Meeting every third Thursday of the month at 7:00 PM

The Cemetery Committee meets as needed

Lectors, Greeters, Ushers, Collectors ministries as announced in the bulletin

Moms in Prayer meets weekly on Tuesdays at 7:30 AM in the rectory

Membership and Outreach Team meets as announced in the bulletin

Ladies Society of the Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament meets the 3rd Sunday of the month after the 9:00 AM Mass (September - June)

Holy Trinity Seniors will resume in the Spring

The Frederick Chopin Choir rehearses each Wednesday evening at 6:30 PM and holds meetings as announced

Adult Bible Study - Bi-weekly Wednesdays 7:00 PM Zoom & In Person

Parishioners Prayer Group - Thursdays at 3:00 PM in the Craft Room

EVANGELISM TEAM MISSION STATEMENT

Our mission is to increase attendance and membership to Holy Trinity Cathedral by fostering a welcoming and respectful environment, where individuals and families can explore and achieve spiritual fulfillment.

We are looking for ideas, any ideas, that can stimulate and increase participation in both the worship and parochial life of Holy Trinity Parish. Is there something you have seen, or experienced in another Church that you think might work well here? Have you had an idea for some time, but were afraid to share it? If you have an idea, no matter what it may be, please pray over it and then share it with either:

Mr. Ray Pieczarka 603-472-5874 or Bishop Paul 603-622-4524.

EVEN DURING COVID-19

WELCOME - TO ALL VISITORS

You are most welcome and your presence is appreciated. All are invited to share in worship and, after Mass, our fellowship. If the people around you fail to say "hello" first, go up to them and say "Hi!" And don't feel awkward. We've all been in those shoes at one time or another. We want you to join us. **So Welcome Home!**



HTC Membership and Outreach Team Is Inviting YOU Join in an outreach

The Parish Evangelism Team has reorganized and we are now the "Membership and Outreach" Team. Our hope is that a number of our parishioners would like to be a part of an exciting opportunity to help develop programs and liturgies that will spread the Word to others outside our community, and also engage in Internal Evangelism within our parish family.

If **YOU** are interested in reaching out to others for the Lord you are invited to contact either Jo-Ann O'Connell at 463-9848 or Bishop Paul at 622-4524.

IN BISHOP'S ABSENCE AND FOR SACRAMENTAL EMERGENCIES ONLY,
PLEASE CALL FATHER ANDRZEJ TENUS OF ST. CASIMIR'S PARISH IN
LOWELL, MA. PH. # (978) 453-0742

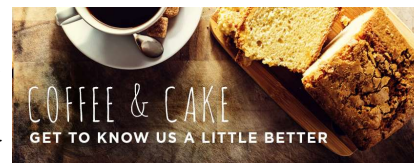
SAINT COMMEMORATIONS THIS WEEK

We invite our readers to continue reading the history of the lives of the saints that are remembered by the Church this week. Follow the hyperlink below to learn about those saints remembered by the Church this week.

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Sunday, July 10th - We thank the following who provided for our cake and coffee reception last weekend: The following contributed: Jennie Grenier (Bagels and Cream Cheese); Wendy Thomas (Fruit); Karen Sobiechowski (Chocolate Zucchini Cake); Phyllis Piecuch (Linzer Tart Cookies).

As always, thanks also to all who donated towards cake & coffee offerings



Check out our diocesan website:

www.easterndiocesepncc.com

Your smart phone can get the latest on the Eastern Diocese with our free APP thru Play Store or Google titled:

"easterndiocesepncc"

WE'RE ON FACEBOOK - LIKE US AT:

<https://www.facebook.com/holytrinitycathedralpncc>

We have our own website up and running with Larry Gagnon as webmaster:

<http://www.holytrinitypncc.org/>



**Polish National
Catholic Church**

"through the years..."

JULY BIRTHDAYS

05 - Nancy Reilly 06 - Sophia Tazbir 14 - Peter O'Connell
18 - Nancy Axt 20 - Karen Sobiechowski 22 - Maggie O'Connell
23 - Robert Loomis 25 - Stan Bodner

THE FREDERICK CHOPIN CHOIR SOUP

FOR SENIORS RETURNS IN SEPTEMBER.



DISCIPLESHIP

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2022 PNCC Future Direction Action Plan "Being Eucharistic People"

Our 2022 Action Plan for all parishes and faithful to implement, to grow in holiness, faithfulness, mercy and love as disciples of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ being strengthened by His presence in the Holy Eucharist.

FREE COPIES of the book, *Life is Messy* by Matthew Kelly are still available at the cathedral entrance compliments of the Membership and Outreach Team.

TODAY we ask our parish family to pray for:

Father Krzysztof Mendelewski,
and the faithful of
St. Joseph Parish
Davie, Florida
and

Father Senior Robert Nemkovich,
his family and the faithful of
Blessed Trinity Parish
Fall River, Massachusetts.

We ask God to bless them in their parochial life and the work they do in their local community. We ask you to pray each day that God would bless and increase their work of evangelism and Christian sharing.



Eastern Diocese Mission & Evangelism Commission
call to **Prayer in July on Wednesdays at Noon Time**

The Eastern Diocese Mission & Evangelism Commission of the Polish National Catholic Church, in the month of July calls upon Church members, as well as others, to offer prayers each Wednesday at 12:00 pm for the youth of our Church. Please join us in prayer.

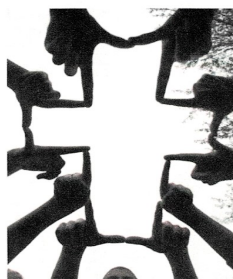
PRAYER FOR THE YOUTH

Loving and kind Father, because You created us in Your image and likeness and determined that one generation should follow another in order to continue life, keep in Your tender and steadfast care the youth of the Church.

May they come to know and understand that true happiness can be attained when they live in harmony with Your teaching.

May they, like our Lord and Savior in His youth, "grow in wisdom and in years, and in divine and human favor."

Through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen. (PNCC Prayer Book, p. 87).



THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, Who art in heaven, hallowed by Thy Name; Thy Kingdom come, Thy Will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day, our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us, and lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. Amen.

Church Mice

Karl Zorowski

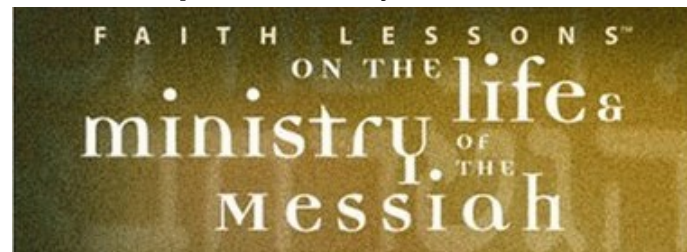


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LECTIONARY READINGS - SIXTEENTH WEEK ORDINARY TIME

- Mon.** - Micah 6: 1 - 4, 6 - 8 **Thu.** - Jeremiah 2: 1 - 3, 7 - 8, 12 - 13
Matthew 12: 38 - 42 Matthew 13: 10 - 17
- Tue.** - Micah 7: 14 - 15, 18 - 20 **Fri.** - Jeremiah 3: 14 - 17
Matthew 12: 46 - 50 Matthew 13: 18 - 23
- Wed.** - Jeremiah 1: 1, 4 - 10 **Sat.** - Jeremiah 7: 1 - 11
Matthew 13: 1 - 9 Matthew 13: 24 - 30
- Next Sun.** - Genesis 18: 20 - 32 / Psalm 138: 1 - 2, 2 - 3, 6 - 7, 7 - 8
Ephesians 4: 1 - 6 / John 6: 1 - 15



OUR PARISH ADULT BIBLE STUDY, a Zoom & face to face study in the Craft Room. The next scheduled study date on **Wednesday, July 27th at 7 PM**. Studies generally last one hour to one and one half hours. If you want to join in the study in person, simply show up. If you join in on Zoom you'll need to ask Bishop Paul for the Zoom link. Study sheets will be sent to all our HTC internet family prior to the study.

After Holy Mass today is celebrated, Bishop Paul and Karen will drive to Valparaiso, Indiana to take part in the National Youth Convocation of our Church. They will return late Saturday, July 23rd.

This Month's bulletins are being sponsored by:

BRIAN DUPLESSIS & FAMILY

in loving memory of wife and mother Leslie Duplessis

If you would like to help your parish and be acknowledged for your gift then consider sponsoring the weekly bulletin. For a \$ 75 donation we will acknowledge your sponsorship and the \$ 900 we can raise annually, together with the donation for ads we hope to generate will just about cover the cost of our bulletin. Please consider sponsoring one month today.

*AUGUST 2022 bulletins will be sponsored by NANCY MONTPLAISIR
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in loving memory of Chester and Tillie Kaminski*

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in loving memory of Joan Kaminski*

*FEBRUARY 2023 bulletins will be sponsored by ED RACZKA
in loving memory of John and Wanda Raczka*

*MAY 2023, 2024, 2025 bulletins will be sponsored by
CAROL JUTRAS & FAMILY*

*in loving memory of my husband Raymond and mother Mary Zukosky
& future bulletins will be sponsored by WHOM??*

MASS INTENTIONS AND ACTIVITIES FOR THE WEEK

* Indicates All Souls Day Offering

THIS SUNDAY, July 17th, (Niedziela Przyszła)

SIXTEENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

SZESZNASTA NIEDZIELA ZWYKŁA

Memorial of Alexis - Confessor

9:00 AM Holy Mass

Prayer Intention:

sp. John H. Heaney III (anniversary) requested by wife Phyllis

10:15 AM Cake and Coffee reception in the auditorium

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**THERE WILL BE A SPECIAL PARISH MEETING TO DISCUSS
CATHEDRAL REPAIRS SUNDAY, JULY 31, 2022 after Holy Mass**

MASS INTENTIONS AND ACTIVITIES FOR THE WEEK *(continued)*

MONDAY, July 18th, (Poniedziałek)

Memorial of Simon of Lipnicza - Priest

Today we pray for God's blessings upon all the parishes of our diocese.

*We also pray for God's blessings as the world engages in battle
against the COVID-19 virus and for peace in Ukraine.*

TUESDAY, July 19th, (Wtorek)

Memorial of Vincent de Paul - Confessor

Today we pray for God's blessings upon all the clergy of this diocese

*and their families. We also pray for God's blessings as the
world engages in battle against the COVID-19 virus and for peace in Ukraine*

WEDNESDAY, July 20th, (Środa)

Memorial of Ceslaus - Monk

Today we pray for God's blessings upon all the faithful of the Eastern Diocese

*and of the entire Polish National Catholic Church who are ill. We also
pray for God's blessings as the world engages in battle against the
COVID-19 virus and for peace in Ukraine.*

7:00 PM HTC Adult Face-to-Face/ Zoom Adult Bible Study in the craft room

THURSDAY, July 21st, (Czwartek)

Memorial of Praxedes - Virgin

Today we pray for God's blessings upon all the work and spiritual

direction of this Cathedral parish of the Eastern Diocese

*We also pray for God's blessings as the world engages in battle
against the COVID-19 virus and for peace in Ukraine.*

7:00 PM Parish Committee meeting in the craft room

FRIDAY, July 22nd, (Piątek)

Memorial of Mary Magdalene - New Testament

Today we pray for God's blessings upon all the sub-central organizations

and societies of the Eastern Diocese.

*We also pray for God's blessings as the world engages in battle
against the COVID-19 virus and for peace in Ukraine.*

SATURDAY, July 23rd, (Sobota)

Memorial of Apollinaris - Bishop, Martyr

Today we pray for God's blessings upon all the Youth of our Eastern

*Diocese that the gifts of the Holy Spirit would be lavished upon them, producing
the many fruits of the same Holy Spirit.*

*We also pray for God's blessings as the world engages in battle
against the COVID-19 virus and for peace in Ukraine.*

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NEXT SUNDAY, July 24th, (Niedziela Przyszła)

SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

SIEDEMNASTA NIEDZIELA ZWYKŁA

Memorial of Christina of Bolsena - *Virgin, Martyr*

9:00 AM Holy Mass

Prayer Intention:

sp. Linda Tremblay requested Phyllis Heaney

10:15 AM Cake and Coffee reception in the auditorium

In all He did from the Incarnation to the Cross, the end Jesus Christ had in mind was the gift of the Eucharist, His personal and corporal union with each Christian through Communion. He saw in it the means of communicating to us all the treasures of His Passion, all the virtues of His sacred ministry, and all the merits of His life.

—Saint Peter Julian Eymard

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The Gospel passage is both familiar and challenging. While the Gospel of John recounts two stories involving the sisters Martha and Mary (see John 11, "the raising of Lazarus," and John 12, "the anointing at Bethany"), only Luke tells of this particular incident. The event recorded here, as in our first reading, is about hospitality. It is Martha's home, and it is she who welcomes Jesus. Mary sits at his feet.

The insightful commentary of Fred B. Craddock suggests that we not trivialize this scene. As Craddock states, "There is a time to go and do; there is a time to listen and reflect. Knowing which and when is a matter of spiritual discernment."

- Many North Americans associate hospitality with entertaining friends, not with serving strangers. How has our culture shaped how we act toward strangers?
- As early as Genesis 12, God promises Abraham that he will have many descendants. Intervening stories between that text and the birth of Isaac might prompt the question of whether that promise will be fulfilled. How have you experienced God's faithfulness?
- At the time of Jesus, women were not allowed to "sit at the feet" (receive instruction) of rabbis. In today's Gospel, Jesus not only

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allows Mary to sit at his feet but also states that she has chosen wisely. In what other ways does Jesus act unconventionally?

Practice of Faith

Both Abraham and Mary are fully attentive to the needs of their guests. Their guests, in turn, offer something to their hosts that is far greater than the hospitality shown to them. Martha almost lost out on what Jesus offered.

- If your life is especially busy right now and you are losing your regular prayer time, look for ways to offer a simple prayer while dressing, driving, or walking, or even while going from one room to the next. Pray short prayers such as, "Jesus, be with me."
- Spend thirty minutes this week reading Scripture. Choose a psalm or read Paul's letter to the Colossians.
- Offer to help set up for and/or clean up after an event in your parish. By helping you might lighten the load of those who are in charge of the event.

Questions

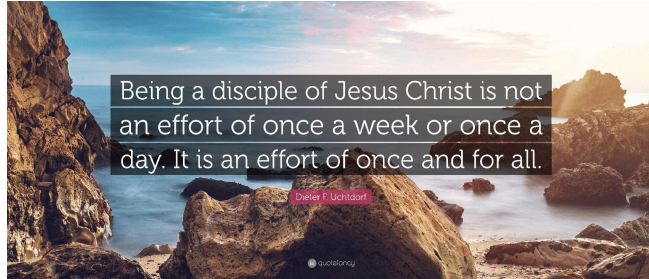
- Abraham and Sarah model fine hospitality. In what ways do you offer hospitality to others? What subtle connections do you see between the formulas used in today's reading and the rituals of the Mass?
- In what ways are we, like Paul, a minister of God? Are we doing our part to reconcile the world? How is it possible that not all Christians share in the enthusiasm of Paul and live the Christian life as vibrantly as he?
- Is there a place in our lives for the contrasting attitudes of activity on the one hand and contemplation on the other? Do you identify more with Martha or Mary in today's Gospel, and why?

Activities

- On July 22 we celebrate the Memorial of St. Mary Magdalene, first witness to the resurrection and called the "Apostle to the Apostles." Pray for the women who had the bravery to stand at the cross of Jesus and take courage from their example.
- Pray this week for all women in the Church who serve as teachers and witnesses to the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

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- Encourage your parish to invite a local woman theologian or spiritual leader to share some reflections on her faith journey.



A Daily Challenge

Stability has never featured strongly in my life; the older I become the more I encounter daily challenges to integrate change and new perspectives. Observing the natural world we inhabit, the plant, the tree, and the animal never remain the same. Everything grows, unfolds into ever new ways of being. We can't control such change; indeed, the only authentic response we can make is to learn to flow with it. In the change we experience around and within us, there is another inescapable dimension: decay, decline, and death. Such disintegration is not an evil, nor is it the consequence of sin stated in Romans 6:23, but it is a God-given dimension of all creation. Without the disintegration and death of the old there can be no true novelty. The ability to let go of that which previously sustained us is a prerequisite for embracing the new that morphs into further growth and development.

—from the book *Paschal Paradox: Reflections on a Life of Spiritual Evolution*, by Diarmuid O’Murchu, page 5



PLEASE PRAY FOR THE FOLLOWING SERVING IN OUR MILITARY:

All clergy serve in the United States Army
 CPT. Father Andrew Bilinski
 LT. COL. Father Stanley Jasiurkowski
 CPT. Father Joseph Kolek
 CPT. Father Andrzej Tenus



OTHER PNCC FAITHFUL & FRIENDS

MSG. Aleka Ramoutar	ARMY	REMEMBER
CMDR. Vincent Chernesky	NAVY	THOSE
Major. Scott M. Krasko	ARMY	WHO SERVE
SSGT. Nick Hudak	AIR FORCE RESERVE	
Carter Gentilhomme	ARMY NATIONAL GUARD	
Alyssa Oxley	AIR FORCE	
Vincent Manzella	AIR FORCE	
Gregory Walsh	MARINE CORPS	
James Pidgeon	MARINE CORPS	
Cliff Robert Nemkovich	COAST GUARD	
Andrew Drada	MICHIGAN AIR NATIONAL GUARD	
Tyler Gardner	NAVY	
Ian and Cody Gonyea	NAVY	

COMING EVENTS

- Sun. July 24** - **SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**
Holy Mass - 9:00 AM
 Cake & Coffee Reception after the Mass - 10:15 AM
- Mon. July 25** - **FEAST OF JAMES THE GREATER, APOSTLE**
Holy Mass - 9:00 AM
- Tue. July 26** - PNCC Bishops' Zoom Meeting - 1:00 PM
- Wed. July 27** - Eastern Diocese faithful join at Noon to offer the "Prayer for Youth" and the "Our Father" for our parish, diocese & General Church
- Sun. July 31** - **EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**
Holy Mass - 9:00 AM
 Cake & Coffee Reception after the Mass - 10:15 AM
- AUGUST**
- Mon. Aug. 1** - Eastern Diocese Mission & Evangelism Zoom Meeting - 7:00 PM
- Tue. Aug. 2** - P.N.C.C. Nomination Commission Meeting - National Church Center - Scranton, PA - 9:00 AM
- Wed. Aug. 3** - **FINDING OF THE BODY OF ST. STEPHEN, DEACON, MARTYR**
 Eastern Diocese faithful join at Noon to offer the "Prayer for Youth" and the "Our Father" for our parish, diocese & General Church
 HTC Adult Face-to-Face Zoom Bible Study - 7:00 PM

PRAY FOR THE SICK & HOMEBOUND:

In the Hospital:

Father Senior Fryderyk Banas in Baystate Hospital,
Springfield, MA

Clergy Who Are ill:

Father Paul Zomerfeld serving in Johnstown, PA
Father Senior Augustin Sicard in San Antonio, TX



In nursing homes & rehab centers:

Charlotte Raczka at Granite Ledges in Concord, NH
Stella Hewitt at Villa Crest Healthcare Center, Manchester, NH
Barbara Bukowski at Villa Crest Healthcare Center, Manchester, NH
Lena F. Botor at The Wesleyan At Scenic Nursing Home in Georgetown, TX
Frances Dobosz at Bowman Place in Bedford, NH

at home:

Jo-Ann O'Connell at home in Deerfield, NH
David Greene at home in Temple Terrace, FL
Evelyn Jamrog in Newburyport, MA
Father Thomas and Meg Sheha in Hollywood, FL

July Drive for Our Place
A division of Catholic Charities that



“Mentors New Parents to Raise Healthy Children”
Please bring in anything baby:

- Diapers
- Baby wipes
- Onesies
- Baby body wash
- Baby spoons, etc

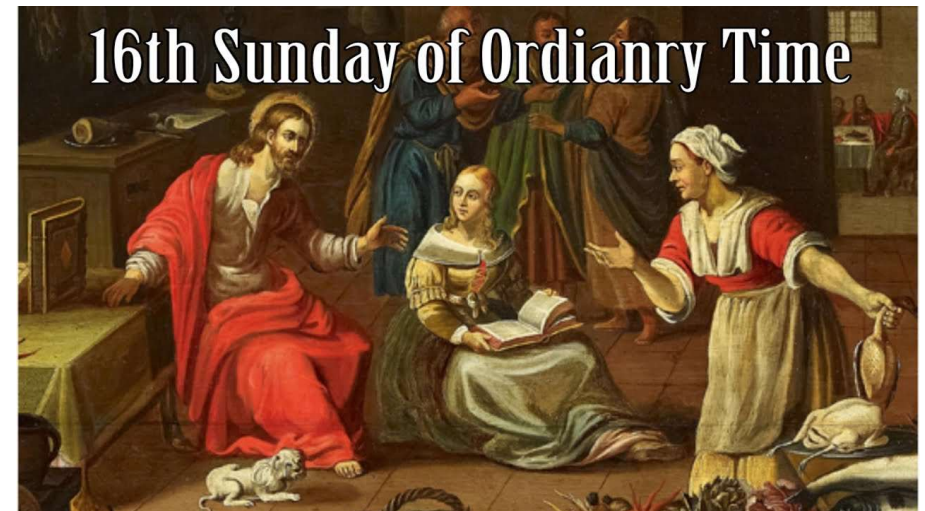
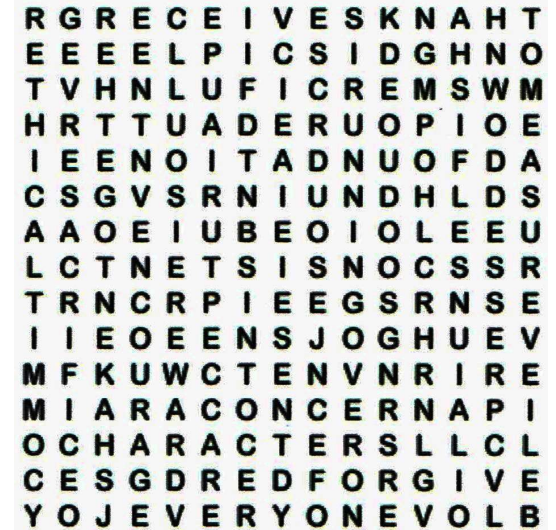
Anything that you'd like that's baby!
Trudy's Center for Family Support
16 Oak Street, Manchester, NH 03104

Bible Word Search:

LIVE TO BENEFIT OTHERS

All the words listed below are in the puzzle - left, right, up, down or diagonally. Find each word and click its first letter then its last letter to highlight it. After you have found all the words, click the leftover letters in the correct order to spell the *Mystery Word*. To work the puzzle on paper instead: Print this page and circle each letter of the words you find.

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| Accept | Believe |
| Brother | Care |
| Character | Commit |
| Concern | Consistent |
| Disciple | Encourage |
| Ethical | Everyone |
| Forgive | Foundation |
| Genuine | Grace |
| Honest | Jesus |
| Joy | Log |
| Love | Measure |
| Merciful | Need |
| Poured | Pressed down |
| Receive | Relationship |
| Reward | Running over |
| Sacrifice | Sensitive |
| Serve | Shaken together |
| Thanks | Unselfish |



This Week the National Youth Convocation of our Church takes place in Valparaiso, IN. Bishop Paul and Karen will be participating. Please pray for this important gathering and the Youth who will be taking part. May the Holy Spirit inspire them to greater service in Christ's Holy Church.

Below are memories from the 2016 Convo, hosted by our diocese, that took place at Saint Anselm College and our Cathedral.



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