

Parish Bulletin for 4 August 2024, Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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One does
not live on
bread alone
but on
every word
that comes
from the
mouth of
God.

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Sat. Aug 3 - 5:30pm SA - Sun Vigil Mass - RIP Ramir Marlo & Anita Santa Ana Concepcion, req. by Felix & Lulie Concepcion

Sun. Aug 4 - **Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

9:30am OL - RIP Anna Poredos, req. by Anton Poredos & family

11:00am SA - RIP Istvan Ecker, req. by Elizabeth Ecker

Mon. Aug 5 - NO MASS

Tue. Aug 6 - 3:00pm SA - RIP Nelson Fresnido, req. by Flor & Lita de Guzman

Wed. Aug 7 - 10:00am OL - RIP Julita, Carlos & Juanita Guerrero, req. by Ranie & Carol Rara

Thu. Aug 8 - 9:00am SA - RIP Baldeo (Pat) Beepath, req. by Hajzler family

Fri. Aug 9 - 10:00am OL - RIP Marija Verovšek, req. by B. Stegne

Sat. Aug 10 - 5:30pm SA - Sun Vigil Mass - RIP Tom Jernigan, req. by JR & Robyn Cruz

Sun. Aug 11 - **Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

9:30am OL - RIP Albert Casar, req. by Anne Casar family

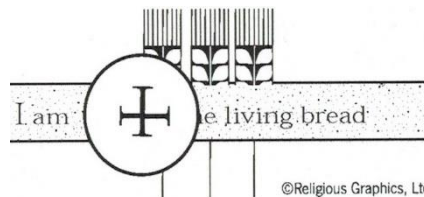
11:00am SA - RIP László & Anna György, req. by Louis & Irene Ferenczi

Please note: *Mass schedules may be subject to change.*

Thank you for your donations last weekend:

Our Lady of Lourdes (Slovenian) RC Church - \$1,290.00

St. Anthony of Padua (Hungarian) RC Church - \$2,540.00



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Thank you for the flowers donated to beautify the sanctuary. We appreciate your kindness in enhancing our church celebrations.

60th Anniversary of Our Lady of Lourdes Parish: Sunday, 6 October 2024, 9:30am Mass, to be presided by His Excellency the Most Reverend Archbishop Richard Gagnon, followed by a luncheon and program in the church hall. Moreover, to our young parishioners who will be interested to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation will be included in the Mass.

2024 Folklorama: August 4-17

Week 2: Sun, Aug 11-1, **Slovenija Pavilion**, Bronx Park Community Centre, 720 Henderson Highway

Show times: 6:45, 8:15, 9:45 pm. Hours: 6:00 - 11:00 pm.

Week 2: Sun, Aug 11-17, **Hungary-Pannonia Pavilion**, RBC Convention Centre - North Building- 2nd floor, 375 York Avenue

Show times: 6:45, 8:15, 9:45 pm. Hours: 6:00 - 11:00 pm.

The 2025 Jubilee will be centered on the theme *"Pilgrims of Hope."* As His Holiness Pope Francis so beautifully expressed it: *"We must fan the flame of hope that has been given us, and help everyone to gain new strength and certainty by looking to the future with an open spirit, a trusting heart and far-sighted vision."* Pope Francis declared that 2024 be marked as a year dedicated to prayer in preparation for the Jubilee. The Year of Prayer is, in the Pope's words, focused on *"rediscovering the great value and absolute need for prayer, prayer in personal life, in the life of the Church, prayer in the world."*

"And that's the rest of the story." Remember the radio commentator Paul Harvey? His trademark—his *"shtick,"* as they say in show business — was telling engaging human interest stories. Halfway through the story he would stop—tantalizing listeners with only part of the story – then later finish the story with his famous tag line, *"And that's the rest of the story."* Last week Jesus gave us page one, feeding the hungry crowd by working the great miracle of the loaves and fishes. [John 6.1-15]. The folks rush to make Jesus their king. *"More miracles they cry!" "Happy days are here again. Our troubles are over! No more working for our daily bread."* But Jesus leaves them—Today we get, the *"rest of the story."* The joyous crowds search for Jesus, and they track him down. [John 6.24-35]. But Jesus confronts them. He tells them: *"You don't want Me; you want a miracle worker to make all hunger in your life disappear."* (Rev. Michael Seger).

Food Pyramids. New standards for diet were proposed recently. A new food pyramid was developed as a guide for healthy eating. It includes a base of bread, cereals, rice, and pasta. The next level up the pyramid has vegetables and fruit. A still smaller next level shows milk, yogurt, cheese, meat, poultry, fish, eggs, and nuts. The smallest group at the top has fats, oils and sweets. — We can propose a food pyramid for those who want *a healthy spiritual life.* You may want to develop your own, but it might include a base of feeding on the word of God by study and meditation on the Scriptures. Upon that base one is nourished by Christian fellowship. It should include servings of regular worship. To that a daily use of prayer and devotions could be added. On top of those elements should be time for Christian service to meet the needs of others. [Fr. Tony Kadavil].

the Body of Christ
Amen!

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